

# Prospective Member Form



This form may be accessed online, at [www.HaddonfieldRotary.org](http://www.HaddonfieldRotary.org).

**NOTE TO SPONSORS: Read "Sponsor's Six Steps" on page 4 first!**

A member of the Rotary Club of Haddonfield intends to sponsor you for membership in the Club.

This form is designed to help sponsors, the Director of Membership, and the Board of Directors ensure that those being proposed for membership are suitable candidates and are likely to become committed Rotarians and contributing members of our Club.

Please complete this page, read page 2, and then complete pages 3 and 4. Give the completed form to your Sponsor. If you have questions, ask your Sponsor or the Director of Membership.

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▲ Your Full Name .....

1. Do you live or work in Haddonfield?    ☐ Live    ☐ Work    ☐ No
2. If no, do you have other connections to Haddonfield?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No

If yes, specify: .....

3. What is (or was) the principal activity of your business or profession? (Examples: architecture, banking)

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4. What is (or was) your job title? (If you are retired, check here ☐ and give your former title.)

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5. Are you a ☐ current or ☐ former member of another Rotary club?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No

If yes, specify: Rotary Club of: .....

If no, do you have a history with Rotary?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No

If yes, specify: .....

6. How long have you known your Sponsor?    \_\_\_\_\_ years, or \_\_\_\_\_ months
7. Have you attended a Haddonfield club meeting in the past three months?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No
8. Do you know other Haddonfield Rotarians, apart from your Sponsor?    ☐ Yes    ☐ No

If yes, name them: .....

9. Why do you want to become a member of the Rotary Club of Haddonfield?

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10. Which aspects of Rotary service are of particular interest to you?

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# Membership Basics



Since membership in Rotary clubs is by invitation, each prospective member must have a sponsor.

Before you complete this form, your sponsor should invite you to several of our meetings, as his or her guest. We meet each Wednesday at lunchtime at Tavistock Country Club. When you come to these meetings, take the opportunity to observe our Club in action and talk with your sponsor and other Rotarians about what Rotary is ... and isn't.

We urge you to take time to read the publications in the About Rotary envelope. They will give you a good introduction to Rotary and to our Club's mission of service to our community, our region, and our world.

## Attendance

Rotary was founded on the concept that members would meet weekly, for their mutual pleasure and benefit. The members of the first Rotary club met in the various members' places of business in rotation – hence the name "Rotary." Every Rotary club in the world – there are more than 34,500 of them – meets weekly, and many Rotarians are proud of their 100% attendance record. You should try to attend as many meetings as you can, or to make up missed meetings by visiting other clubs, or by participating in certain other activities of our Club.

## Service

Rotary is about what you can do for others. It is not about what Rotary can do for you. The Rotary motto is "Service above Self." Our Club's slogan is "Doing good. And having fun doing it."

## Annual Dues

Membership dues for the Rotary Club of Haddonfield are currently \$840 per year, payable quarterly (July 1, October 1, January 1, April 1). The dues include:

- The cost for lunch each week.
- The cost for the member and one guest to attend the Annual Dinner (last Wednesday in June), the Annual Picnic (mid- September), and the Annual Luncheon (December).
- Per capita payments to Rotary International and District 7640, and a subscription to Rotarian magazine.
- A \$5 contribution to the Club's Paul Harris Fellow Matching Fund.

The quarterly dues notice also includes suggested (optional) contributions of \$25 to The Rotary Foundation Annual Programs Fund and the Rotary Club of Haddonfield Foundation.

## Dues and Fees for New Members

The dues for new members include an Admission Fee and quarterly Membership Dues.

### Admission Fee for New Members

• Club Processing Fee	\$	35	
• Rotary Foundation Sustaining Membership	\$	100	
• Club Shirt	\$	20	\$ 155

### Membership Dues for New Members

• Dues, per quarter (prorated, if appropriate)	\$	205	
• Paul Harris Fellow Matching Fund, per quarter	\$	5	\$ 210

**Maximum Initial Payment for a New Member: \$ 365**

NOTE: A dues notice is mailed to new members soon after their membership has been confirmed. Membership becomes effective only after the Admission Fee and Quarterly Dues have been paid.

# Prospective Member Details



▲ Prefix (Mr/Ms/...)      ▲ Full First Name      ▲ Middle Initial      ▲ Last Name      ▲ Suffix (Sr/Jr/...)

▲ Name for Name Badge (the first and last name you prefer)

▲ Date of Birth      ▲ Place of Birth (City and State or Country)

▲ Spouse/Partner's Name      ▲ Spouse/Partner's Name for Name Badge

▲ Home Address      ▲ Home Phone

▲ Home City / State / Zip      ▲ Cell Phone

▲ E-Mail Address (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!)

▲ Work Organization (If retired, check: \_\_\_\_\_)

▲ Work Address      ▲ Work Phone

▲ Work City / State / Zip      ▲ Work Web Site (www ...)

Preferred Address for Mailed Correspondence:      Home      Work

Rotary Shirt:      Men's      Women's      Size (circle one):      S      M      L      XL      XXL      Other: .....

## DIRECTOR OF MEMBERSHIP NOTES

## KEY DATES

Classification: .....	Board Approval: .....
Sponsor: .....	Badge Ordered: .....
Mentor: .....	Posted: .....
Committees: .....	Welcome Letter: .....
.....	Database: .....
.....	Dues Notice: .....
.....	Rotary 101: .....
.....	Induction: .....
.....	Meet the Member Talk: .....
.....	Leadership Institute: .....

# Declarations



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▲ Prospective Member's Name

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▲ Sponsor's Name

## Statement by Prospective Member

I hereby declare that:

\_\_\_\_\_ I am an adult of good character and good business or professional reputation.

\_\_\_\_\_ I hold (or have held) a leadership position in a worthy and recognized business or profession.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have a connection to Haddonfield as a resident, or as a resident of a nearby community; or  
I have a connection to Haddonfield through my place of work.

\_\_\_\_\_ I will exemplify the Object of Rotary in all my daily contacts and activities and abide by the  
constitutional documents of Rotary International and the Rotary Club of Haddonfield.

\_\_\_\_\_ I will pay the Admission Fee and quarterly Membership Dues promptly.

\_\_\_\_\_ To the best of my ability, I will attend the Club's weekly meetings, and make up missed meetings.

\_\_\_\_\_ To the best of my ability, I will participate in the Club's service projects and fundraising activities.

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▲ Prospective Member's Signature

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▲ Date

## Statement by Sponsor

Believing that he / she is a suitable candidate and is likely to become a committed Rotarian and a contributing member of our Club, I propose this person for membership of the Rotary Club of Haddonfield.

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▲ Sponsor's Name

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▲ Sponsor's Signature

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▲ Date

## Sponsor's Six Steps

1. Invite your Prospective Member to lunch as your paid guest. Get an "About Rotary" envelope from the Greeter's Box. Discuss the contents with your Prospective Member.
2. Invite your Prospective Member to lunch again as your paid guest. Discuss Rotary and our Club. Introduce your Prospective Member to the Director of Membership.
3. When appropriate, get a Prospective Member Form (this form) from the Greeter's Box, or access the Club's web site: [www.HaddonfieldRotary.org](http://www.HaddonfieldRotary.org). Help your Prospective Member complete the form.
4. Check pages 1, 3, and 4, then complete and sign the "Statment by Sponsor," above.
5. Give the completed form – all four pages – to the Director of Membership or Club Administrator.
6. Keep your Prospective Member informed of the status of the membership proposal.