



Hopkins Rotary

Established 1938

New Member Information & Application

Application Process

We welcome all interested in learning more about Hopkins Rotary to join us at one of our lunch meetings. If you have attended at least one meeting, you may submit an application for membership. Please complete the attached membership application and return it to our club leadership or your sponsor. Your application notice will be posted for two weeks to our membership then be submitted to the Hopkins Rotary Board for approval. The process usually takes two to three weeks.

Dues:

Annual dues are \$450. (\$112.50 invoiced quarterly)
There is no admission fee to join Hopkins Rotary.

Meal Costs:

Lunch is \$10 per meeting if you choose to be billed or you can purchase a meal at the meeting for \$15.

Other Costs:

Typically members donate \$1 or \$2 dollars at meetings as fun fines or happy bucks. These fines/donations help grow the Hopkins Rotary Foundation.

Additional areas of support:

- Fundraiser Support: (Two primary fundraisers per year for Hopkins Rotary)
- The Rotary Foundation: (request of \$100 and up annually)
- Hopkins Foundation: (Memorial gifts and support based on member preference)

What Will You Get Out of Rotary?

Being a Rotarian creates professional relationships with like-minded business and professional leaders from our community. This is good for your heart, your business and for your career. While the primary reason to be a Rotarian is a commitment to service, the relationships created benefit all Rotarians in many ways including business relationships and leadership skills.

Most importantly, what you get out of Rotary is what you're willing to put into it. If you're looking for a list of business prospects, Rotary may not be the answer for you, but if you are looking for quality lifelong relationships with professional and involved people, Rotary will be ideal for you.

Membership Sponsor

If you are interested in joining Rotary the first step is to select and talk to your sponsor. Your sponsor can be any Hopkins Rotarian. If you don't have a sponsor, contact club leadership for a suggestion. A sponsor is important because this person will help you learn more about Hopkins Rotary and start your process in getting involved.



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Time Commitment

Our goal is to be flexible for our members' busy schedules. We are a lunch club and we meet every Thursday at 12:00 at Tuttle's Bowling Alley on Shady Oak Road. If you wish to arrive early for networking, people meet up in the bar area at 11:30am. Although this networking session has always been lightheartedly referred to as "Chapel", there's really nothing religious about it.

We also have 1 social and 1 service project gathering per month. Service and social events vary monthly so check the club schedule on the website to learn more. Making yourself available to Rotary is important and new members are encouraged to play an active role.

Commitment to Integrity - (4-Way Test)

Rotarians live by this simple but important model. Can you agree to live by these standards and engage in your business dealings with these guidelines?

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to All Concerned?
3. Will it Build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it Be BENEFICIAL to All Concerned?

Learn More about Rotary:

www.hopkinsrotary.org

www.rotary5950.org (our District) (60 clubs in our District)

www.rotary.org (Rotary International)

Twitter @HopkinsRotary

[www.Facebook.com/HopkinsRotary](https://www.facebook.com/HopkinsRotary)

We look forward to welcoming you into our local community of Rotary.



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Membership Proposal and Application

Proposed Member Name: _____

DOB (year for internal use only) _____ Spouse/SO name: _____

Hopkins Rotary Sponsor Name: _____

Previous Rotary Clubs (city/state) _____ Years in Club? _____

Home address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Preferred e-mail _____

Business/Organization Name: _____

Business address: _____ City _____ Zip _____

Business phone: _____ Fax: _____

Type of Business/Organization: _____ Position: _____

If not affiliated with a firm, name of profession: _____

If retired, employer & profession at time of retirement: _____

Capabilities and interests you can share with Hopkins Rotary? _____

Applicant Certification

This section is to be signed by applicant, having been informed of privileges and responsibilities of Rotary membership and subject to approval by the Board.

I hereby certify that I am personally and actively engaged in the business or profession or professional activity and that my place of business or residence is located within or within an adjoining area of the City of Hopkins. I understand that it will be my duty, if approved, to exemplify the Object of Rotary in all my daily contacts and activities, and to abide by the constitution and bylaws of the club.

I agree to pay the annual dues of \$450 in accordance with the bylaws of the club. (\$112.50 billed quarterly)

Meal option: By checking here (___) I confirm I wish to be invoiced for my meals at \$10 per meeting. Meals are invoiced quarterly.

I hereby give permission to the club to publish my name and proposed classification to its members.

Date _____

Applicant's Signature _____