

Rotary

Club of Omaha Northwest

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HISTORY

Omaha Northwest Rotary Club is an established organization that is seeking young leaders who want to be immediately involved in the direction, leadership and future of the Club. Founded in 1978, the Club includes professionals who have an interest in serving their community while also connecting with other business leaders in the Omaha area from a variety of industries. Represented industries include, but are not limited to, business, education, medicine, dentistry, architecture, law, government and charity. As a member of Omaha Northwest Rotary, you also gain access to several other Rotary Clubs in the Omaha area as well as the opportunity to visit any Rotary Club in cities around the world.

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

Omaha Northwest Rotary has a long history of service activity in Omaha and Nebraska. Our Club founded and sponsored, for 38 years, the Bicycle Ride Across Nebraska (BRAN). Northwest Rotary and BRAN funded college scholarships for college students and graduates of local high schools from towns across Nebraska. Today, we support First Responders in cooperation with the Omaha First Responders Foundation, support the staff at the Omaha/Douglas County 911 Center, honor businesses that employ and enable persons with disabilities, and provide support for organizations that help the unfortunate.

INVESTMENT & MEETING EXPECTATIONS

- One-time new member fee of \$125
- Annual member fee of \$375
- Weekly lunch is \$16; Rotary attendance credit and meeting with no lunch is \$10
- Rotary members are expected to attend at least 50% of meetings annually. Members can meet attendance expectations by attending meetings of any other Rotary Club or by attending meetings of an on-line Rotary Club.

MEETING

Omaha Northwest Rotary meets at Jerico's (117th & Dodge) every Tuesday from noon-1pm. Meetings include a brief social, followed by lunch and a program. The program includes outside speakers that are of interest to professionals and community leaders. The meeting ends promptly at 1pm.

CONTACT

If you would like to learn more or visit a meeting please contact our Executive Director:

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PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES

- Supports the eradication of polio around the world through Rotary International, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation and World Health Organization.
- Supports the First Responders Foundation in the Omaha Community through program activities and donations, i.e. ice machines and uniform garment bags.
- Installation of residential Smoke and CO₂ Alarms in cooperation with the First Responders Foundation and the American Red Cross.
- Rings bells for the Salvation Army.
- Sponsors students to attend the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards Camp.
- Provides scholarships to Nebraska students attending Nebraska universities, community colleges and vocational training institutions.
- Donates books to the Omaha Library Foundation for the purchase of children's books for Saddlebrook Elementary School in honor of our weekly speakers.
- Donations of school supplies and equipment to the Omaha Public Schools Transition Program through a Rotary District Grant with Downtown and Suburban Rotary Clubs.
- Participants in the Zambia Humanitarian Project with Rotary District 5650.
- Conducts the Able Workplace Award Program to honor businesses employing people with disabilities.
- Provides snack trays on Thanksgiving Day to the Douglas County 911 Center Staff who serve the public 24/7.
- Volunteers for the City of Omaha Christmas Tree Recycling Program.
- Provides outstanding speakers on current events at weekly noon luncheon meetings.
- Creates opportunities for Business and Family Fellowship activities.
- Contributor to the Metro Area Trail Marking Program to assist First Responders in the location of trail walkers, runners and/or cyclists in emergency situations.
- Established and conducted the Bicycle Ride Across Nebraska, BRAN, for 38 successful years with the support of the Omaha Pedalers Bicycle Club. A signature project for Northwest Rotary.

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