

AVON ROTARY TREASURY – CLUB DUES FOR 2025-2026

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CLUB DUES Q & A

How much should I pay?

Active members: **\$180**
Honorary members: **\$30**
New members: **\$30 enrollment fee PLUS \$180 prorated monthly** from the beginning of the month following the date of induction until the following June.

Any amount paid **above** the required dues will be deposited the newly established **Fellowship Fund**. ^[1]

What am I paying for?

2025-2026 Dues Breakdown	Active	Honorary
Dues – Rotary International	\$82.00	–
Dues – District 7120	\$32.00	–
Dues – Avon Club (*)	\$34.00	\$12.00
Rotary Magazine Subscription (**)	\$18.00	\$18.00
Rotary Insurance (club and officers)	\$14.00	–
TOTAL	\$180.00	\$30.00

(*) The club component of your dues partially cover things like creating the member directory, internal pins and awards, officer training, meeting supplies and rent, web site, and administrative costs. These costs are also partially covered by celebrations and 50/50.

(**) The magazine subscription is mandatory. If you are one of two Rotarians at the same address and don't want two magazines, or if you'd rather have a digital subscription (same price), or if you don't want it at all, please contact our secretary (Laurie) to have her redirect your subscription for delivery to a family member, friend or organization of your choice. (I'm pretty sure the Library already gets a copy, but some other possibilities are the Avon Nursing Facility, Avon on the Green, UR Med Lab, Drs Balaji/Gosh office, etc.)

When should I pay?

Per club bylaws, dues must be **paid by July 1st**.
However, if you expect not to pay the **full dues by June 25th**,
please inform the treasurer via **[email](#) by June 25th** how and when you plan to pay. See below.
Members who do not pay or email by June 25th risk being taken off the rolls. ^[2]

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How can I pay?

Listed in order of most to least preferred :

1. Direct Deposit from your bank (*details below*)
 - single payment of **\$180**, OR
 - single payment of **\$30** (honorary), OR
 - quarterly payments of **\$46**, OR
 - monthly payments of **\$16** [3]
2. Credit/debit card at <https://avon.rotary7120gives.org/dues-25-26>
 - *A card fee will be added automatically to your payment*
 - single payment of **\$180**, OR
 - single payment of **\$30** (honorary), OR
 - quarterly payments of **\$46**, OR
 - monthly payments of **\$16** [3]
3. Venmo payment to @Avon-Rotary
 - *A card fee will not be added automatically, so the amounts here are different*
 - single payment of **\$184**, OR
 - single payment of **\$31** (honorary)
 - **NOTE: NO partial payments**
4. Paper check made out to Avon Rotary Club
 - single payment of **\$180**, OR
 - single payment of **\$30** (honorary)
 - hand-delivered to the Treasurer, OR
 - hand-delivered to the greeter at a club meeting (make sure it gets recorded), OR
 - mailed to Avon Rotary Club, c/o Treasurer, P.O.Box 1, Avon, NY 14414
5. Cash payment
 - single payment of **\$180**, OR
 - single payment of **\$30** (honorary)
 - hand-delivered to the greeter at a club meeting (make sure it gets recorded)

→ Partial payments by paper check, Venmo, PayPal or cash are not acceptable.

Will I get an invoice?

All members will receive an invoice via email using the Club's website provider, ClubRunner. If you need or want a paper invoice, ask your [Treasurer](#) for one.

Can I deduct my dues from my taxes?

The Avon Rotary Club is a nonprofit organization operating under IRS code 501(c)(4). This means the Club is tax-exempt, BUT contributions to the Club are **NOT** tax-deductible.

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How do I do Direct Deposit?

Note: this option is different than getting the bank to issue a check on your behalf and send it to the Club!

You must have an online account with your bank in order to initiate a Direct Deposit order.

Your bank may or may not provide the option to make direct deposit payments.

If it does, it is most likely accessible under “e-Pay” or “Bill Pay” or “Pay a person”.

If you don’t already have it, create a Payee / *Person* :

First name: Treasurer

Last name: Avon Rotary

Phone number: 585-704-2958

Account type: Checking

Routing Nr: XXX

Account Nr: YYY

If during the creation of the payee you are not asked to provide a routing and account number, then you’re are NOT setting up Direct Deposit!

Because routing and account numbers are semi-private ^[4], to avoid unnecessary risk I’m not listing them here; instead, please call or text me and I’ll give you those two numbers.

Then issue a payment to this payee:

Select from which of your accounts the payment should be made

Enter the amount

Select the frequency: **Once OR Monthly OR Quarterly** (every three months)

Select the date when the (first) payment should be made: **July 1st**

(Optionally) enter a note to yourself.

If you’re not sure or get stuck, call me, or bring your tablet or laptop to a meeting and I’ll be happy to assist you.

Notes

- [1] The Fellowship Fund is intended to help those Rotarians who need assistance with their dues. Please contact any Board member to find out more about this Fund.
- [2] Both Rotary International and Rotary District 7120 charge the club based on the membership **AS OF July 1st**. Many times in the past, members have resigned from the club shortly after July 1, leaving the club (i.e. the remaining members) to pay their Rotary International and District dues.
- [3] There is a \$1 surcharge for partial payments. This is a token compensation for the extra time your treasurer spends on bookkeeping of your multiple payments. The surcharge proceeds will be deposited into the Fellowship Fund.
- [4] Everytime you send a check to a person or company, you reveal your routing and account numbers – they’re printed right at the bottom of your check!