



Rotary
Grays Thurrock



WHY NOT JOIN US?

It's simple.

Make contact with us and come along as our guest to one of our meetings or an event to see what we do and to find out more before you consider joining. For further details please have a look at our website and Facebook pages below to be a part of the Rotary Future.

We look forward to meeting you!

ROTARY CLUB OF GRAYS THURROCK

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www.graysthurrockrotary.org.uk

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PEOPLE OF ACTION

We would like to welcome you to join our club. We raise money and fund good causes both local and global to help individuals and groups to better their lives. But we have much more you may be interested in. We have a great social life together.

About Us

We are just like you. Ordinary people with life skills who want to give something back to the community we live in. Everyone is welcome, women and men. There is no expectation in the time you can give but from experience those that join enjoy getting involved. Our club has a 93-year history in the local community and is still going strong.

Various membership levels

Not everyone wishes to be a full active member so we have a variety of memberships:

- Full membership - with attendance commitment
- Associate - with little attendance commitment
- Friends - with no commitment.

MAKING A DIFFERENCE

Many of our projects involve the local Thurrock Community such as funding a local Food Bank, providing vital equipment and software to the Basildon Hospital Dementia Unit, providing school dictionaries to local primary schools and assisting worthy causes, individuals and families.

We provide Youth Services:

Grays Thurrock Rotary has a well-known reputation in youth services, providing 14 youth competitions throughout the year in subjects such as, writing, public speaking, music, art, photography, cookery, technology and mathematics for young people up to age 18.

International Support

The Club supports Rotary International's various projects throughout the world. Rotary started a campaign over 35 years ago to End Polio and it has led the fight to rid the world of this horrible disease, working with various partners worldwide to deliver a highly successful vaccination program that has eliminated Polio from all countries apart from Pakistan and Afghanistan.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

We have an active social side to the Club.

There's a Mystery Trip each year to a foreign location (in the past to Dublin, Rome, Porto, Berlin, Marrakesh, Barcelona, Krakow and Budapest), a President's weekend away, visits to the theatre, quiz nights, garden parties, meals out in local restaurants, trips to Stratford upon Avon to see the RSC, Essex CC T20 and we also have Sports sections for bowls, tennis, boules, golf, flying & even cribbage.

We raise about £20,000 each year for charitable causes, most of the income coming from fund raising events and donations from the public. 100% of monies raised are donated directly to charitable causes.

At Christmas residents look forward to the annual visit of Father Christmas on our sleigh around the streets of Thurrock. Along with collections outside local supermarkets, all monies raised over Christmas go to support worthy local causes and children's charities.