

Dynamic Meetings Roundtable
Table group ideas (flip charts)

The Great Paradox of Purpose – These are all purposes for Rotary meetings/gatherings – what’s our specific purpose for each meeting/gathering?

Fellowship II	Fun III	Ideas
Club business	Project updates	Brainstorm
Networking III	Club assembly	Service projects II
Planning	Fundraise II	Grow membership
Involvement	Braggers/happy dollars	Collect fines
Good food IIII	Youth exchange updates	Collaborate
Donations	Queen of hearts	Stay connected to Rotary
Connecting	Build leaders	Learn from RI
Friendship	Listen	Support District/RI
Speakers IIII	Meet with partners	Projects
Volunteering	Give back	Inspiring ideas
Information II	Shared purpose	Make friends
Organization	Introduce new people to	Meet new people
Sharing	Rotary	Meet volunteers
Updates	Project plans	Meet old friends
Meet new people	Complain	Mentor or be mentored
Teaching	Reaffirm Rotary	Inspire next generation
Learning II	Community updates	Fulfill commitments
Budgeting	News for the good of the	Raise money
Support each other II	Club	Solve problems
Socialize II	Happy fines	Work together
New ideas	Social interaction	Help local causes
Team building II	Leadership modeling	Community involvement
Listen to community	Check in	Update operations
Common interest projects	Friendships	Global projects
Learn about grants	Community needs	

Ideas offered on the case study on meeting planning: purpose to build acquaintance and appreciation among long-tenured and newer members.

Random assigned seats	Outcomes: The same people not talking to each other; members get to know each other on a personal basis; finding shared connections
“Speed dating”	
Human bingo	
Separate new member social	
Sharing history with newer members	How: Arrange outside of regular meeting

Fun shared interest activity
Outside social
Non-Rotary function – how many engage?

Mix up the seating
Tapas
Re-classification talks from 'older' members
Social mixers like '2 truths and a lie'
Fifth Wed – 'get to know each other' event

Mentor new/old – interview each other
then share with Club
Monthly fellowship/socials outside of
weekly meetings
Volunteer opportunities

Table topics for discussion
Draw cards for where to sit (mix it up)
Pair with someone and introduce each other
Greeter tells one thing no one knows about them
and gives Rotary 'thought of the day'

Festive gatherings (holidays, changing of
the guard
New member table hosted by long tenured
member
Opening question about new theme
Personal meeting

Outcomes: Feel connected/engaged
Find their purpose
Excited, happy