

# BEYOND YOUR CLUB EXPANDING YOUR ROTARY EXPERIENCE

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# WHY GO BEYOND THE CLUB?



Rotary is a global network of leaders uniting to create lasting impact locally and worldwide

Opportunities beyond the club:

- \* Leadership development
- \* Larger service impact
- \* Broader networking
- \* Global connections

# THE ROTARY STRUCTURE

**Club Level** – There are approximately 46,000 Rotary Clubs in more than 200 countries and geographical areas across the world.

**District Level** – There are approximately 530 Rotary District worldwide.

**Zone Level** – There are 34 Zones across the world. District 5830 is a member of Zone 31.

**Rotary International** – there are over 1.2 million Rotarians across the world.

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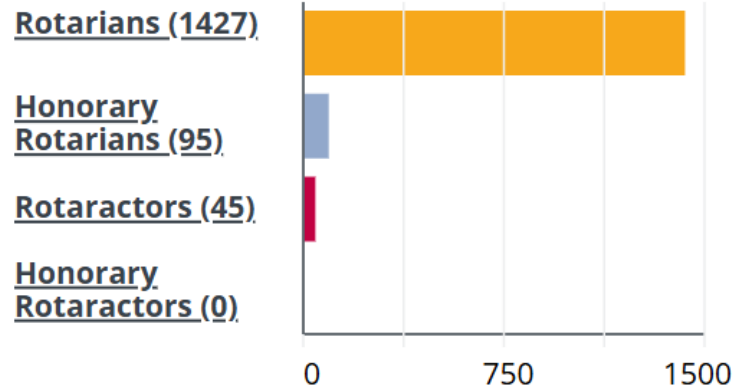
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# DISTRICT INVOLVEMENT

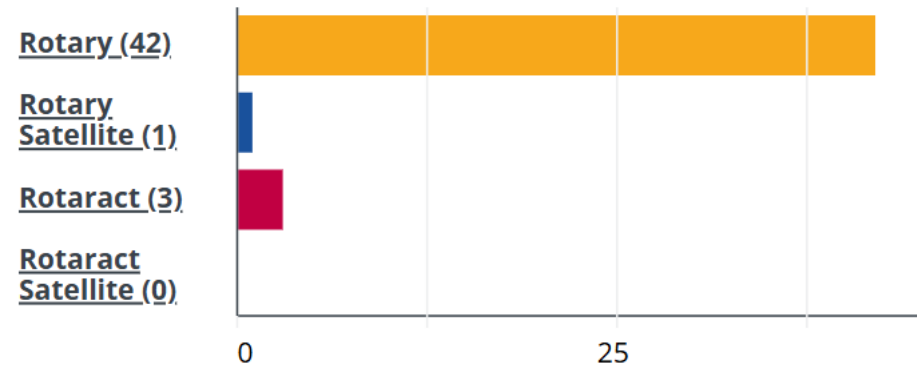
## Why District Involvement?

- Expand leadership beyond your club
- Collaborate with other clubs
- Learn best practices
- Shape Rotary locally

## People >



## Clubs (46) >



## District Leadership Opportunities

- Assistant Governor
- District Committees (Membership, Public Image, Foundation, Youth)
- District Officers
- District Governor track

# DISTRICT INVOLVEMENT

## District Programs & Events

- District Conference
- District Learning Assemblies
  - RYLA
  - Youth Exchange
- 4 Way Test Speech Contest
  - Foundation Dinner
- Rotary Leadership Institute
  - Club Visioning
- District Disaster Relief
  - Rotaract
  - Interact

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# ZONE INVOLVEMENT



Welcome to Rotary  
International Zones 30 & 31

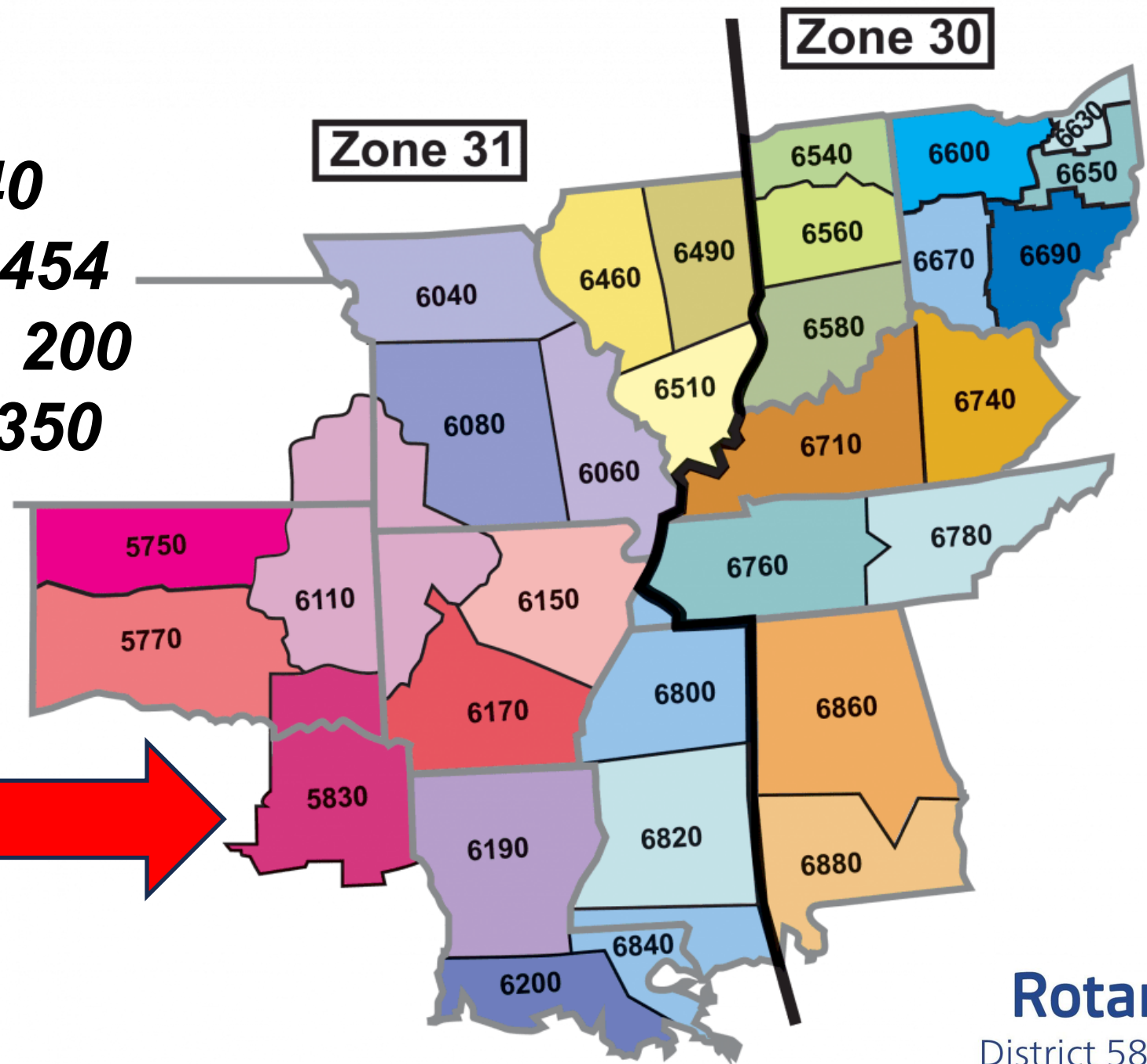
A community of Rotarians in  
the Heart of America

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**Members: 60,240**  
**Rotary Clubs: 1454**  
**Rotaract Clubs: 200**  
**Interact Clubs: 350**  
**Districts: 31**  
**States: 11**



# ZONE INSTITUTE – AUGUST 27-30

Attending the Rotary Zones 30-31 Institute provides an opportunity to connect with Rotary leaders across 13 states, gain actionable insights on leadership and membership growth, participate in major service projects, and network with peers. It is a premier event to "recharge your Rotary battery" by learning about local and global initiatives.



<https://www.rizones30-31.org/>



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# ZONE: SUMMER LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

## SUMMER LEADERSHIP *Seminar*

Who Should Attend? **All Are Welcome!**

- **District Leaders** – Governor Line, District Committee Chairs, Assistant Governors & Coordinators
- **Club Leaders** – Presidents & Elects, Board Members & Committee Chairs

*Discover how to increase membership using the power of Public Image, Foundation, and Membership Toolkits. Let's build stronger, more vibrant clubs together!*

*Open to All Club Members*

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# ZONE INVOLVEMENT

Rotary  
Zones 30 & 31

**SUMMER  
LEADERSHIP**  
*Seminar*

**HILTON GARDEN INN**  
2833 CONFERENCE DRIVE  
EDMOND, OK 73034-7197

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OKLAHOMA CITY, OK  
JULY 25  
8:30-4:00



# INTERNATIONAL INVOLVEMENT

**International Convention**  
**Fellowships**  
**Rotary Action Groups**  
**Friendship Exchanges**





# INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

## Key Reasons to Attend:

- **Global Networking and Friendship**: The convention allows you to connect with thousands of Rotarians from around the world, creating lasting friendships and potential international project partners.
- **Inspiration and Education**: Attendees can participate in engaging breakout sessions, hear from high-profile speakers, and discover new ideas for club projects.
- **Celebrating Rotary**: Experience the energy of the House of Friendship and celebrate The Rotary Foundation's achievements.
- **Cultural Experience**: Enjoy the vibrant culture of the host city through special events, local attractions, and live entertainment.
- **Strengthening Action**: Gain insights into Rotary's global impact, including disease prevention (such as PolioPlus), promoting peace, and environmental protection.

# INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**2026: 13-17 June – Taipei, Taiwan**

**2027: 26-30 June – Barcelona, Spain**

**2028: 27-31 May – Minneapolis, Minnesota**

**2029: TBD**

**2030: 25-29 May – Chicago, Illinois**

**2031: 7-11 June – Dublin, Ireland**

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EXCITING ACTIVITIES AND LIFE-CHANGING OPPORTUNITIES

# FELLOWSHIPS

## Key Reasons to Join a Rotary Fellowship:

**Global Networking & Friendship:** Connect with, share ideas with, and visit Rotarians around the world who share your specific hobbies or interests.

**Service Through Shared Passion:** Fellowships often undertake service projects related to their theme, such as the International Skiing Fellowship's work on adaptive sports or the beer-loving group supporting clean water initiatives.

**Enhance Rotary Experience:** These groups make Rotary more fun and meaningful by bridging gaps between clubs and districts to focus on, for instance, birdwatching, food, or yachting.

**Professional & Personal Development:** Engage with others in similar fields to exchange expertise and develop new skills.

**Open Access:** Membership is open to Rotarians, Rotaractors, and often their spouses, making it an inclusive, diverse community.

**Leadership Opportunities:** Members can gain leadership experience by serving on boards, organizing international events, or managing group activities.

## LIST OF FELLOWSHIPS

4x4 \* Agriculture & Farming \* Antique Automobiles \* Argentine Culture \* Artificial Intelligence \* Astrology \* Authors \* Badminton \* Beard and Moustache \* Bee \* Beer \* Bird Watching \* Bowling \* Camping \* Caravanning \* Chess \* Coffee Lovers \* Composting \* Computer Users \* Corporate Social Responsibility \* Cricket \* Cultural Heritage \* Curling \* Cybersecurity \* Cycling \* Doll Lovers \* Draughts (Checkers) \* E-Clubs \* Editors and Publishers \* Educators \* Egyptology \* Empowering Women \* Entrepreneurs \* Esperanto \* Ethics \* Fashion \* Fine Arts \* Fishing \* Fitness and Wellness \* **Flying** \* Francophonie \* Gaming Globetrotters \* German Culture \* Genealogists \* Gift and Estate planning \* Gin \* Global Development \* Golf \* Gourmet Cooking \* Healthcare Professionals \* Hiking \* Home Exchange \* Horse Racing \* Horseback Riding \* Hunting \* Hypnosis & Healing \* Internet \* Italian Culture \* IT Professionals \* Jazz \* Kites \* Latin Culture \* Lawyers \* **Leadership** \* LGBT+ \* Magicians \* Magna Graecia \* Mental Wellness Counsellors \* Mentoring \* Metalhead \* Metaverse \* Military Veterans \* Mountains \* Motorcycling \* **Music** \* Old and Rare Books \* Palmwine \* Padel \* **Past District Governors** \* Peace Fellows \* Performing Arts \* **Photographers** \* Public Health \* Public Speakers \* Quilters and Fiber Artists \* Real Estate \* Recreational Vehicles \* Rotary Global History \* **Rotary Means Business** \* Rotary on Pins \* Rotary on Stamps \* Rowing \* Rugby Fans \* Rum \* Running \* Sea Lovers \* Scouting \* Scuba \* Shooting Sport \* Skiing \* Startup Investors- RING \* Strategic Planning (S-Prof) \* Sub-Saharan Culture \* Surfing \* Table Tennis \* Tea Lovers \* Tennis \* Total Quality \* Management \* Travel and Hosting \* Triathlon \* Urban Gardening \* Vegans \* Vintage Collectibles \* Weather Enthusiasts \* Whisk(e)y \* Wildlife Conservation \* **Wine** \* Yachting \* Yoga \* Young Rotarians \*

# FELLOWSHIPS

Visit the Rotary website for more information about fellowships.

[rotary.org/en/our-programs/more-fellowships](https://rotary.org/en/our-programs/more-fellowships)



Rotary Fellowships are international groups that share a common passion. Being part of a fellowship is a fun way to make friends around the world, explore a hobby or profession, and enhance your Rotary experience.

**How do I join a fellowship?**



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# ROTARY ACTION GROUPS

**Difference Between RAGs and Fellowships** - RAGs are focused on service and expert action, while Fellowships are centered on friendship and fun.

## **Why Join a Rotary Action Group (RAG)**

**Targeted Humanitarian Action:** RAGs focus on specific areas (e.g., addiction prevention, peacebuilding, environmental sustainability).

**Technical Expertise & Mentorship:** You can share skills, receive expert help for club projects, and mentor Rotarians worldwide.

**Global Networking:** Connect with people of action outside your own club and country who share a technical passion.

**Project Support:** RAGs help Rotary clubs and districts design, plan, and implement effective service projects. se: RAGs are focused on service and expert action, while Fellowships are centered on friendship and fun.

# ROTARY ACTION GROUPS

Addiction prevention  
Alzheimer's and dementia  
Basic education and literacy  
Blindness prevention  
**Blood and organ donation**  
Clubfoot  
Community economic development  
Diabetes  
**Disaster assistance**  
Endangered species  
**Environmental sustainability**  
Family health and AIDS prevention  
Food plant solutions

Girls' empowerment  
Health education and wellness  
Hearing  
Hepatitis  
Malaria  
Menstrual health and hygiene  
Mental health initiatives  
Multiple sclerosis  
**Peace**  
Refugees, forced displacement, and migration  
Reproductive, maternal, and child health  
Slavery prevention  
**Water, sanitation, and hygiene**

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[rotary.org/en/rotary-action-groups](https://rotary.org/en/rotary-action-groups)

...training, and guidance on the best practices and project management...  
help Rotary members plan and implement large-scale projects that n...  
impact on critical issues in communities near and far.

- **37,500+**  
Rotary Action Group members in 150 countries
- **10,000+**  
Humanitarian service projects supported since 2009
- **US\$10 million+**  
Raised for service projects since 2009



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# ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGES

**Experience different cultures and build international friendships through Rotary Friendship Exchange**

## **What is Friendship Exchange?**

Friendship Exchange is an international exchange program for Rotary members and friends that allows participants to take turns hosting one another in their homes and clubs.

## **Benefits of an exchange**

Broaden international understanding.

Explore a profession or job in a different context

Build enduring friendships

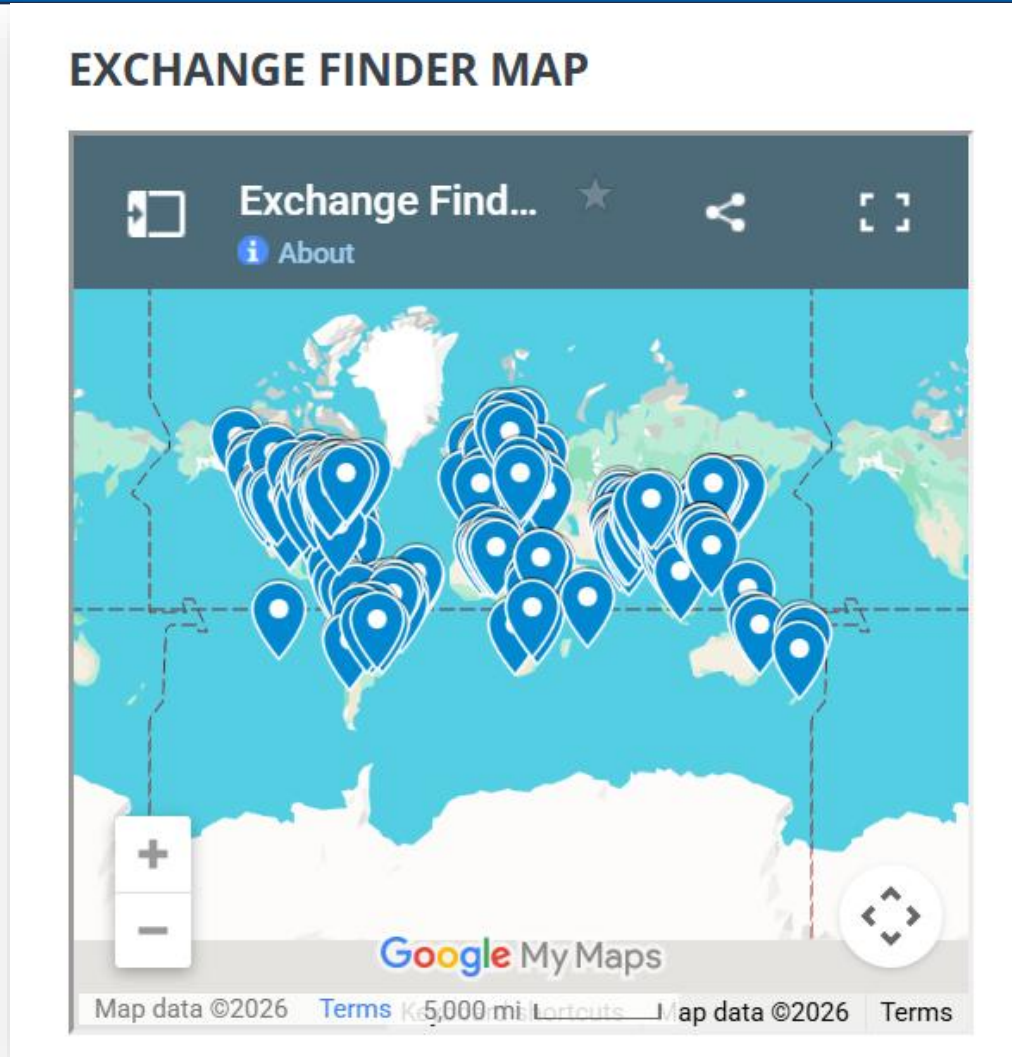
Gain opportunities for active project involvement and support

Learn about a region's people, food, languages, customs, and history

Find partners for grants

Establish a foundation for peace and service.

# ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGES



# BACK TO THE WHY

Boost Professional & Leadership Skills

Multiply Project Impact

Personal Growth & Inspiration

Expand Your Network & Global Connections



# WRAP UP

Any questions?

Thank you.