

Bill Hagborg's Bio
District Governor 2019-2020
Rotary International District 7010
Rotary Club of North Bay

Bill Hagborg joined the Rotary Club of North Bay in 2007, shortly after retiring from the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources after 30 years. All it took was a friend, who happened to be a Rotarian, phoning him one day and asking, "Would you like to come for lunch next Monday as my guest." And the rest is history.

Bill has been involved in all avenues of service at the club level, with a focus on support of area children and youth with special needs. Bill served as Club President in 2012-2013.

In 2015 Bill decided to get involved in World Community Service, and participated in the Guatemala Literacy Project, where he has subsequently returned each year since. The GLP provides much needed textbooks and computers, as well as teacher training and scholarships to high school students. Bill is currently sponsoring 3 students.

In 2018, Bill headed to Lusaka, Zambia as part of the 18-member team, to work on the construction and renovations of the Chinsanshi School. This R.E.L.A.Y. (Rotarians Enhancing Learning of African Youth) project is currently Rotary District 7010's designated multi-year project. Bill will be going back as part of the 2020 team.

Bill's District involvement has included Assistant Governor for Area 3, District Registrar, Website and Social Media Chair and The Rotary Foundation Endowment Fund Chair.

Bill is a strong supporter of The Rotary Foundation and how vital it is to fulfilling our six areas of focus. He is a multiple Paul Harris Fellow, Benefactor and Bequest Society member.

Bill is honoured to serve as governor, or as he likes to say, "*Chair of the District Advisory Committee*", and champion our District and Clubs (Rotary, Rotaract, Interact) continued success throughout the Rotary Year.