GRO

## **Grow Rotary Online**

## Program Update & More! Sep 28, 2021



#### **Tonight's Topics**

- 1. Initial results of the D7080 GRO Program
- 2. Findings from our recent D7080 club website audit
- 3. Results for our Cluster-Based AdWords Campaign
- 4. For discussion: "What do clubs need from the District PR Committee?"

A hard copy of this presentation + video of tonight's meeting will be available on the D7080 website starting Sep 29, 2021.

https://rotary7080.org/sitepage/public-relations

#### **Top-2 Strategic Priorities - D7080 Public Image & Membership**

- 1. Leverage RI's Areas of Focus to attract new members and retain existing members. Place a special focus on the Environment in 2021-22.
- 2. Execute **targeted communications to attract** new members with skills / passion that can be leveraged by D7080 for membership growth.



## **Targets**

- People living within the geographic borders of D7080
- People with an interest in what Rotary has to offer:
  - Community Service and Volunteering
  - Protecting the Environment
  - International Development Projects
  - Youth Leadership
- People with the skills that Rotary needs (Test)

## **Channels & Ad Format**

## Facebook → Video Ads

## Instagram → Video Ads

## Google → Video Ads

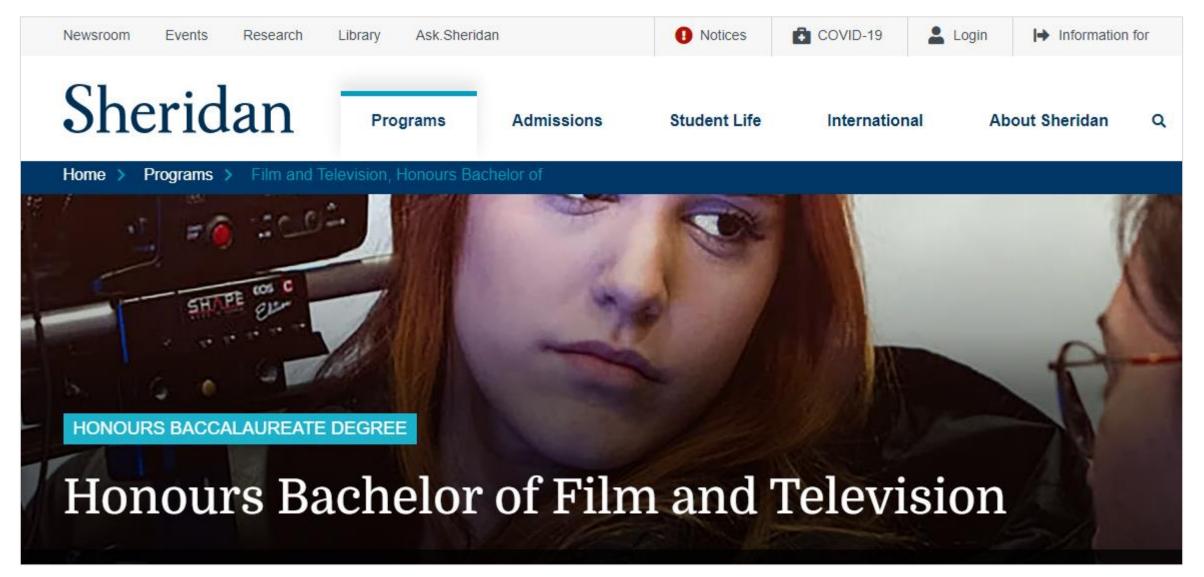
## • Linked In $\rightarrow$ Video Ads (TEST)

## **Creative Brief**

#### What do we want them to think and do in response to our ads?

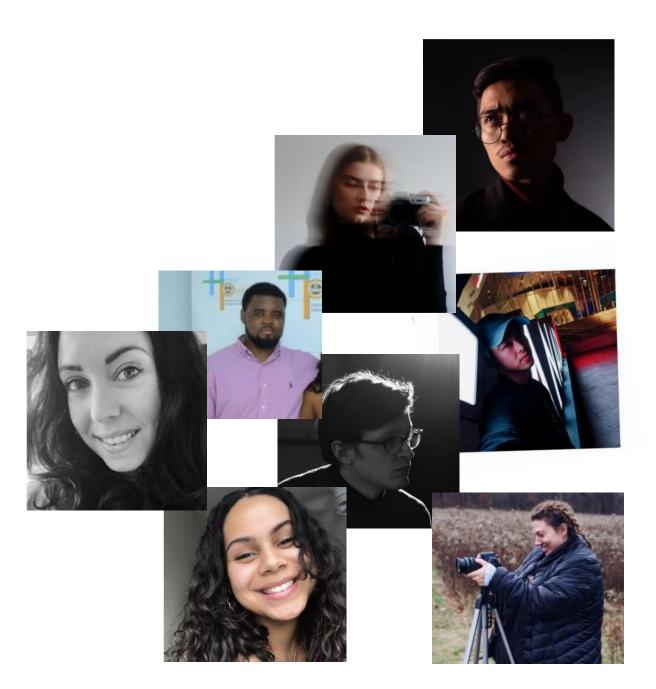
- We want our target to think that Rotary / Rotaract is a vibrant, inclusive organization that unites friendly people with shared values in order to...
  - protect the environment, or
  - help those in need via international development projects, or
  - help those in need, locally, through 'hands on' volunteer projects, or
  - develop leadership skills among youth / young adults
- We want them to contact us for more information

## **Our Creative Source**



## **Our Talented Team**

- John Dela Cruz
- Aly Von Boetticher
- Charles Nguyen-Tu
- Christopher Mcgowan
- Jessica Rao
- Carolyn Dadd
- Javaughn Henry
- Marya Chogal
- Elinor Svoboda



## **Ads & Landing Pages**

- Each ad focuses on just one area of interest:
  - Community Service and Volunteering
  - Protecting the Environment
  - International Development Projects
  - Youth Leadership
- All ads lead to a landing page that expands on that topic and encourages the target to contact us for more information.

## Video Ads Developed by Sheridan Coop Team



<u>Ribfest</u> Volunteering



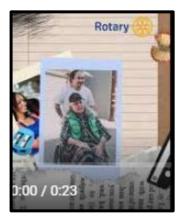
Clean-Up 2 Environment



Comm Garden Environment



Guatemala International Dev'p



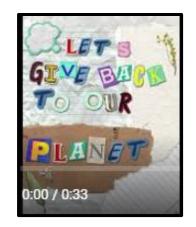
Community Volunteering



SA School Volunteering



Leadership Opps Leadership Dev't



Enviro Repair Environment <sup>10</sup>

## Landing Pages on D7080





#### **Volunteering**



#### **Environment**



Implementing rainwater harvesting
 Building toilets and sanitation systems
 Digging wells and drilling boreholes
 Building dams and guily plugs to recharge aquifers

Building local capacity, changing behaviour
 Vorking with NGOS, CBOs to create self sufficiency
 Setting up factories to build slow-sand filters
 Creating opportunities for entrepreneurs in the WASH
 supply chain

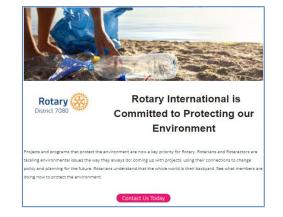


Each year the Rotary Foundation awards millions of dollars in grants to help develop and execute water, sanitation and hygiene projects. These funds are requested by local Rotary clubs, but managed by clubs located in the countries where the projects take place. This ensures that Rotary's

#### International Dev'p



**Volunteering** 



#### **Environment**

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Tas Co-Cheir of our District's Environmental Commisse Loganice projects that can affect the guardity of the of Naure generations. Rotary International's commitment to preserving our environment is a key reason Lidecided to join Rotarosc -	"Reservet hes given me the opportunity to hone my leadership skills and develop and execute fundreshig events with the support of my peets." take pride in knowing I can make a difference to communities, locally and internationally."	"What I love most about Rotarect is being able to meet new people, many of whom are now my closest friends? We work hard to make a ofference in our communities, but make sure we are having fun along the way."		
ames Weber Hatton Rozaract	Alysha Paimer Rotaract Mississauga	Jananee Savuntharanathan District 7080 Passport Club South		

#### **Leadership**

# **Younger Target**

## A Sample of Ads

https://www.facebook.com/Rotary7080/

#### Investment

• The district will be funding ads as follows:

Facebook	\$2000
Instagram	\$1000
Google Display	\$1000
LinkedIn	\$1000
Total	\$5000



## **Program Objectives**

• We hope to generate 100 to 300 leads through paid social media campaigns:

\$5000 Investment



• Our Google Ad Grant will also generate leads (not included in the above estimate).

## **Results to Date (Sep 5 to Sep 18)**

• Reach and Clicks are on plan, but Leads have NOT materialized.

	<b>Targets</b>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Investment	\$5 <i>,</i> 000	\$501	
Reach	200,000	20,244	
Cost per Reach	\$0.025	\$0.025	\$0.000
Clicks	4,000	409	
Cost per Click	\$0.800	<b>\$0.816</b>	-\$0.016
Leads	200	0	
Cost per Lead	\$25.00	++	++

## **Other Findings**

- Facebook is generally more cost effective than Instagram (Cost / Click)
- Older target is more likely to click on a given ad

			Target						
Ad	Focus	Age	Interest	Spend	Reach	Cost / Reach	Clicks	Cost / Click	
Ribfest	Volunteering	55-64	Volunteering	\$41.74	5631	\$0.007	99	\$0.422	S
Clean-up 2	Environment	55-64	NA	<b>\$10.88</b>	566	\$0.019	20	\$0.544	S
<b>RI POA</b>	Volunteering	45-64	Volunteering	\$34.99	1773	\$0.020	50	\$0.700	
Enviro Repair	Environment	18-35	<b>Enviro Protection</b>	\$34.18	1040	\$0.033	30	\$1.139	S
Clean-up 2	Environment	55-64	<b>Enviro Protection</b>	\$32.52	708	\$0.046	27	\$1.204	S
Leadership Opps	Leadership Opps	18-35	Leadership Dev	\$20.59	1325	\$0.016	16	\$1.287	S
Garden	Environment	55-64	<b>Enviro Protection</b>	\$34.96	651	\$0.054	27	\$1.295	S
Guatemala	International Dev	55-64	Internatioal Dev'p	\$31.35	359	\$0.087	21	\$1.493	S
SA School	<b>International Dev</b>	18-35	Volunteering	\$36.46	618	\$0.059	23	\$1.585	S
RI POA	Volunteering	45-64	Volunteering	\$48.81	2685	\$0.018	30	\$1.627	
Clean-up 1	Environment	18-35	<b>Enviro Protection</b>	\$34.98	956	\$0.037	18	\$1.943	
Leadership Opps	Leadership Opps	18-35	Leadership Dev	\$18.29	253	\$0.072	9	\$2.032	S
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Facebook

Instargam

Both FB & IG

#### **Recommended Next Steps**

- 1. Continue to "test" the program (+\$500 Investment)
- 2. Fine-tune ad selection and targeting on FB and IG
- 3. Execute Google ads to assess cost and impact
- 4. Offer "Chat" on landing page to help generate leads. (....as time permits)
- 5. Reassess results in mid November

## **D7080 Website Audit**

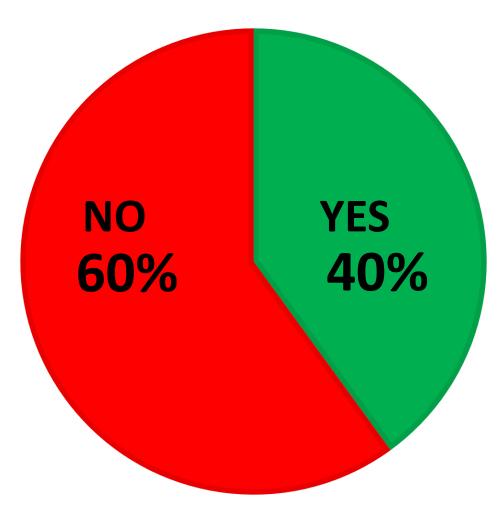


## **Objectives**

- 1. To determine if our website <u>actively solicit</u> new memberships
- 2. To identify if our websites "Walk the Talk": Rotary = People of Action
- 3. To monitor adherence to RI's brand standards
- 4. To identify links to FB and IG

## **Key Findings – Invitation to Join on Homepage**

• Only 40% of D7080 Rotary Website explicitly invite prospects to consider joining Rotary on their homepage.







#### New Members Are Always Welcome!

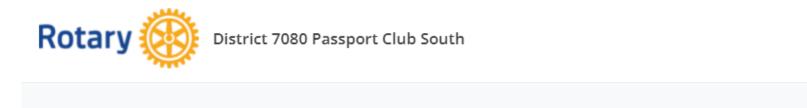
Rotary Burlington North is always on the lookout for new members. If you're interested in helping others and building your community, we'd love to hear from you! Click here to contact Ralph Sprague our club Secretary. Rotary Burlington North is a passionate group of people with a strong sense of fun and community service. We undertake hands-on projects locally and around the world to improve people's lives. Below are a few examples of our work. Our fundraising activities include the annual Turkey Trot Race and the Rotary Online Auction. We meet Friday's at 7am via Zoom. Please contact us if you'd like to attend a meeting and see what we're all about.

#### Helping our Neighbours in Need!

#### 🛱 Posted on Sep 04, 2021

Julie Cordasco presented a \$1,000 cheque on behalf of our club to the Burlington Food Bank. Thank you for all that you do for our community!





What is Rotary -

#### Member Login

Contact Us

Search

Calendar -

#### About Our Club

Home

Thursdays at 7:00 PM Oakville Town Hall 1225 Trafalgar Rd, 4th Thursday Online Oakville, ON L6H 0H3 Canada

Contact Us

About Us -

We meet the 2nd Thursday of each month. The meeting is 7:00 to 8:30pm. Guests are welcome! Meetings are currently online.



Venue Map

#### Welcome to the District 7080 Passport Club South

News & Updates -

Get Involved -

Are you an established professional who wants to make positive changes in your community and the world?

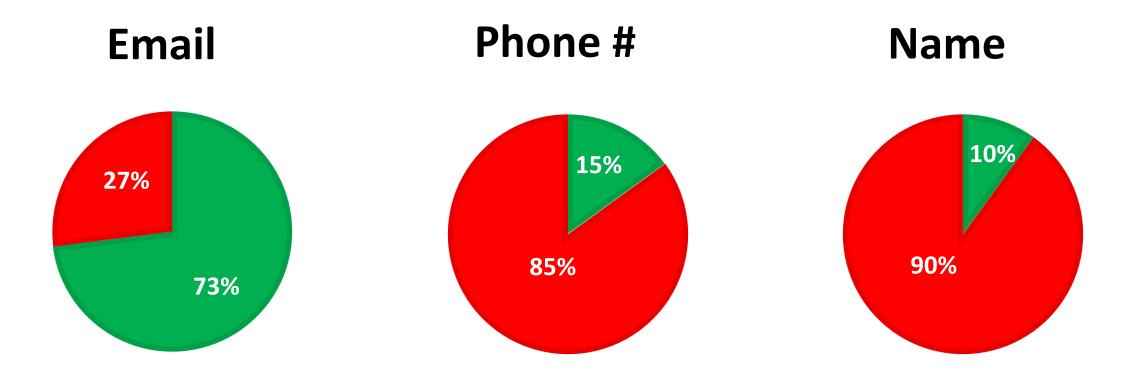
Our club members are dedicated people who share a passion for community service and friendship. Becoming a Rotarian connects you with a diverse group who share your drive to give back. Connect with us today to learn how you can join our amazing networking of problemsolvers, leaders and change-makers.

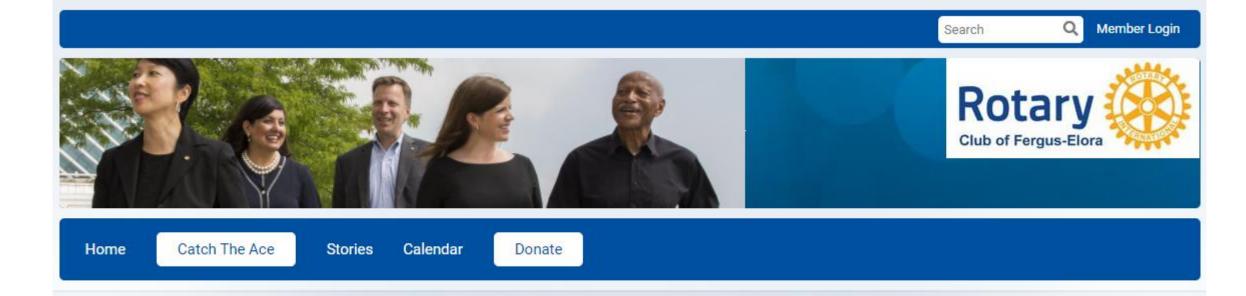
Club News

Oakville Rotary Relief Fund

## Key Findings – Contact Information on <u>Homepage</u>

- 3 out of 4 sites provide a contact email (or link) on their homepage.
- Very few provide a name or phone number.





#### Contact Us

Bruce McLeish, Secretary

519-846-5725

bruce.mcleish@gmail.com

#### Club Mailing Address

P.O. 111, Fergus, ON.

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#### Welcome to the Home of The Rotary Club of Fergus-Elora



Tuesdays at 12:15 PM Aboyne Hall Wellington County Museum and Archives 0536 Wellington Road 18 Fergus, ON N1M 2W3 Canada

Phone: Email:  Serving All of Your Club Supply Needs

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Peace Corps volunteers and Rotary members find meaningful connections

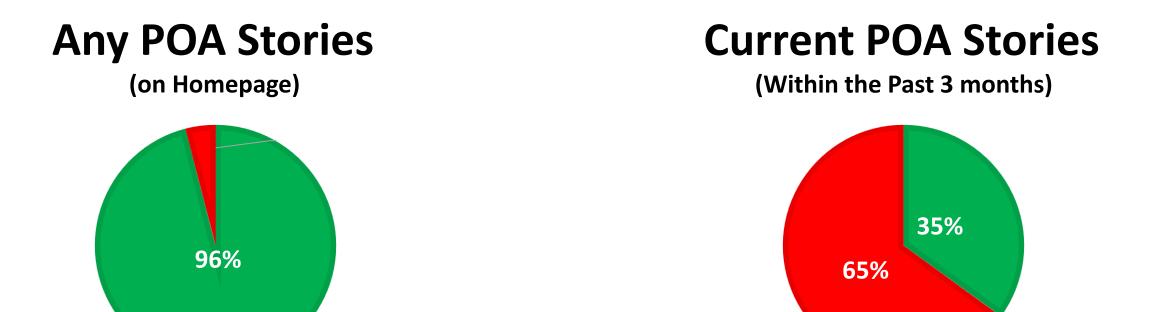


Links to Our Social

Meetings changed to virtual on "Zoom" during Covid-19 Presently 1st and 3rd

#### **Key Findings - People of Action Examples on Homepage**

• While most clubs have stories on their homepage that demonstrates the work they do, only 1 in 3 have at a <u>current</u> story on their homepage.





Upcoming Events +

#### Into conteron

Past President

Doug Prince

President-Elect

Andrew Morgan

Secretary Karen Fast

Treasurer Don Ogden

Club Services Director David Kostynyk

Community Services Director Ed Broeders

Executive Secretary Karen Fast

Foundation Chair Frank Macellaio

Membership Don Ogden

#### Home Page Stories

#### Water First Update

WATER We have just reached our goal matching \$4,000 in

our Water First Project! Thanks to everyone who has donated so far and keep it coming! Donations are still being accepted (they too will be matched) until Oct 1. We would love to exceed this goal and send more Indigenous youth to the water operator internship.

#### Water First Internship Challenge

It is hard to fathom that in Ontario, in the 21st Century, 40% of Indigenous communities have to boil their water to make it safe. We are not here to point fingers nor lay blame, we want to help address the problem.

The Rotary Club of Bolton is inviting you to help these Indigenous communities.

We will match local donations up to \$4,000. These donations will be matched by Rotary International. So your \$25 charitable donation will become \$100.

These funds will be directed to Water First Training & Education Inc.'s Drinking Water Internship, a 15-month



Caledon Kid's First

Haunted Hill 5/10 k Walk/Run

Q

**Golf Tournament** 

**BE OUR GUEST** 

Camp Enterprise

#### Links

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Facebook - Bolton Rotary

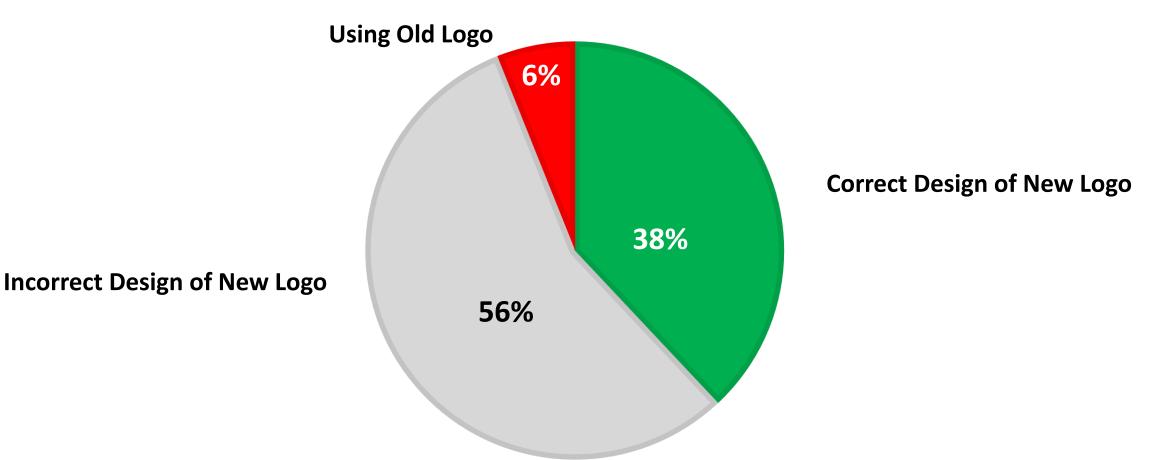
Stuff 4 Your Club

Rotary Club of Palgrave -Sponsored by us

Rotary Club of Brampton - Our sponsor

## Key Findings – Correct Rotary Logo for <u>CLUB</u> on Homepage

• Only 1 in 4 clubs is using the correct <u>Club Logo</u>.

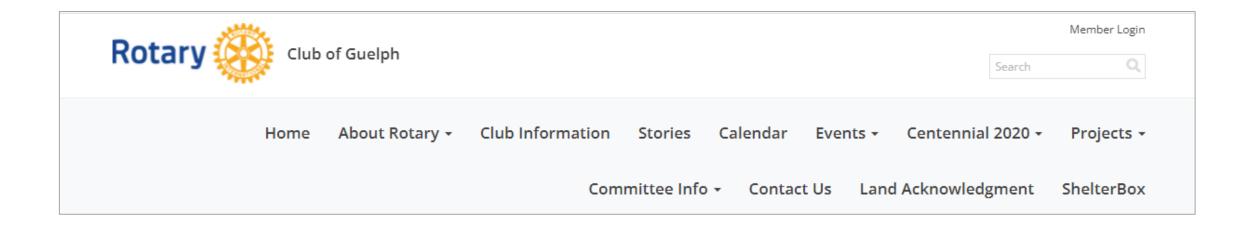


#### Logos — Signature System

Use the name on your charter or the name your club is known by in your community in your club logo. Because the word "Rotary" is already in the logo, you don't need to repeat it.

The club name, district, and zone always appear on the same side as the wordmark, it should right-align with the "y" in Rotary. The positioning and the size relationship between the wordmark and the wheel can't be altered. Signature System for Clubs, Districts, and Zones







#### Key Findings – Facebook & Instagram Links on Homepage

- About ½ of our clubs have a link to Facebook on their homepage.
- Only 1 in 5 have a link to Instagram on their homepage.



NO YES

meeting and see what we re an about.

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Follow Us:

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Weekly Meeting:

Friday 7:00 AM

We currently meet via Zoom.

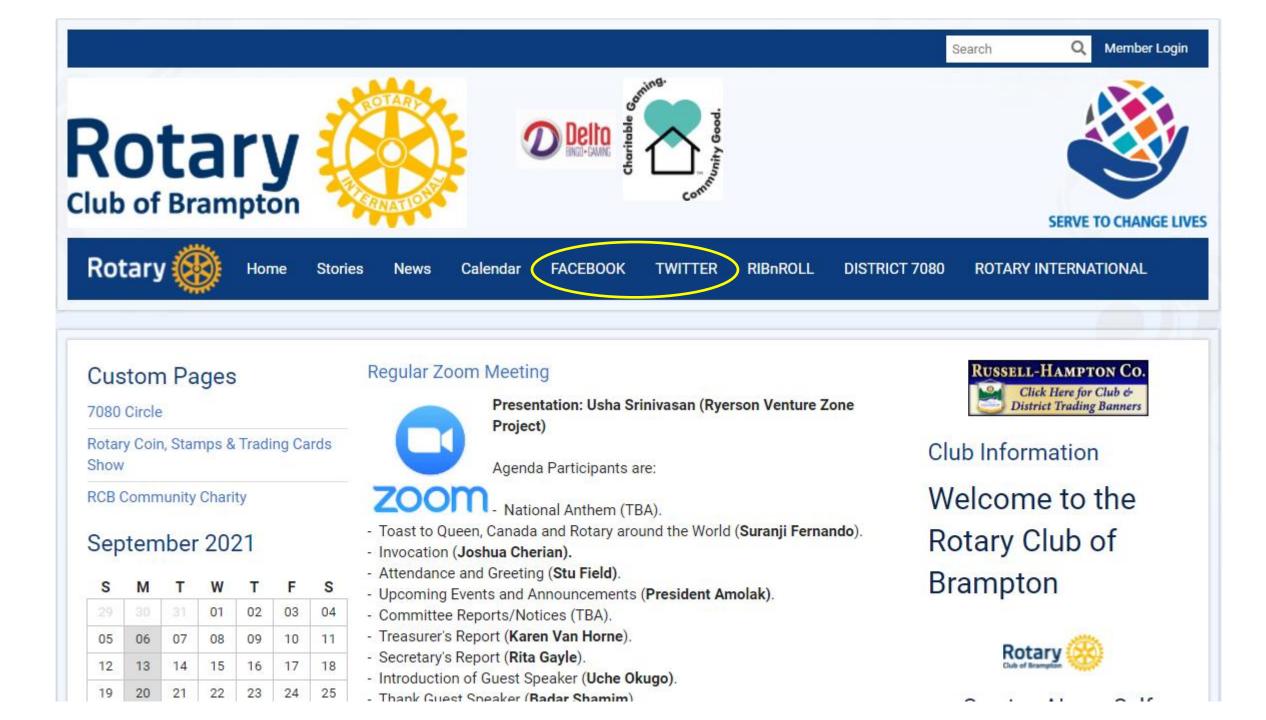
We welcome visiting

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## Net / Net

 Most clubs in D7080 are NOT leveraging the homepage of their website to attract new members, showcase their club's great work and build a strong visual identity for Rotary!



## We're Here to Help!

- In November I'll offer one-hour sessions to work with D7080 clubs, one-on-one, to improve their homepage.
  - -Mondays at 9:00AM and 11:00 AM
  - -Thursdays at 7:00 PM
- In order to participate your club rep needs to attend one-hour training webinar on Oct 20<sup>th</sup> hosted by Club Runner:
  - <u>https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/1324499611908243468</u>
- Or, watch this Club Runner training video:
  - https://www.clubrunnersupport.com/kb/articles/video-website-live-designer-webinar-with-zach-w



## We're Here to Help!

- Zoom Link to book a time with Dan:
  - <u>https://doodle.com/poll/eg6w5r5cxhke932c?utm\_source=poll&utm\_medium=link</u>



## District 7080 Google Grant AdWords Program



#### What is a Google Grant?

- This program gives non-profit organizations \$10,000 per month in Google
  Ads spend to be used to promote their missions and initiatives on Google.com.
- Although the program is very generous, Google mandates high performance standards for all ad campaigns. Google suspends all accounts that do not meet their performance criteria.



## **Current Objective:**

• **To build awareness** of the different Rotary clubs operating within a given clusters in order to alleviate the confusion and hassle of having to visit several club site to learnabout Rotary in a given city.



## Example



#### **Rotary and Rotaract Clubs in Oakville**

https://rotary7080.org/page/rotary-in-oakville-club-info

#### Oakville Campaign:

#### Key Words

- Rotary
- Rotary Club
- Rotary Oakville
- Rotary Club Oakville
- Oakville Rotary Clubs
- Rotarian
- 'rotary club near me'

#### Negative Key Words

- -'Rotary Club of Oakville'
- -International
- -Trafalgar

• -West

• -South

• -Passport

• -Rotaract

• -Interact

• -Rotex

• -Grant

- -Ribfest
- -Auction
- -Midnight
- -Madness
- -Golf
- -RYLA
- -Camp
- -Enterprise
- -My rotary
- Engine
- -Watch
- -Scholarship
- -logo

#### Initial Google Ads

Ad · www.rotary7080.org/Rotary/Oakville

#### Rotary Clubs in Oakville | Contact Us Today

Call us to learn more about the 5 Rotary Clubs in Oakville. There are 3 traditional clubs, 1 Passport Club and 1 Rotaract Club in Oakville.

#### Ad • www.rotary7080.org/Rotary/Oakville

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#### Rotary Clubs in Oakville | Locations and Meeting Times

Find a local club that's just right for you! There are 3 traditional Rotary Clubs, 1 Passport Club and 1 Rotaract Club in Oakville.

Ad · www.rotary7080.org/Rotary/Oakville

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#### Rotary Clubs in Oakville | Email Addresses, Phone Numbers

Find a local club that's just right for you! Choose from 3 traditional clubs, 1 Passport Club and 1 Rotaract Club in Oakville.

#### -Global -Shelter box

-Canada

-Foundation

- -USA

• -IVI -

#### What role does each of us play?

- District PR:
  - Develop all AdWord campaigns, Ads and Landing Pages
  - Share results / learning with key stakeholders
- Cluster AGs or Cluster PR Committees
  - Review / Edit specified content for all landing pages
  - Be the primary point of contact for all inquires generated by AdWord Ads (email, phone)
- Club PR / Membership
  - Be the secondary point of contact for all inquires generated by AdWord ads (email, phone)
  - Provide specified content for all landing pages

#### YTD Results – Google AdWords:

- To date the program has generated 490 clicks.
- The Google grant has provided \$1882 in free ads.

Campaign	lmpr.	Clicks	CTR	Avg. CPC	Tot Cost
Rotary Leads   Oakville	842	152	18.1%	\$4.14	\$629
Rotary Leads   KW	427	55	12.9%	\$3.83	\$210
Rotary Leads   Mississ	491	71	14.5%	\$5.29	\$376
Rotary Leads   Guelph Well	368	50	13.6%	\$2.70	\$135
Rotary Leads   Cambridge	102	18	17.7%	\$2.14	\$39
Rotary Leads   Brampton	329	65	19.8%	\$3.79	\$246
Rotary Leads   Burlington	594	79	13.3%	\$3.14	<b>\$248</b>
Totals	3153	490	15.5%	\$3.84	\$1,882

## **Best Practice!**

https://rotary7080.org/page/rotary-in-kitchener-waterloo-club-info/





#### **Rotary Clubs in Kitchener-Waterloo**

#### **#PeopleOfActionKW**

One of Rotary's initiatives is to connect passionate people with diverse perspectives to exchange ideas, forge lifelong friendships, and, above all, take action to change the world. The five Clubs in Kitchener-Waterloo are coming together to connect in the community through acts of service. Our first hands-on



## What do you want from the D7080 PR Team?



## **Quick Poll**

#### **MORE or LESS?**

- 1. Training / Coaching How to use CR to edit club websites
- 2. Training / Coaching Rotary Branding
- 3. Training / Coaching How to use FB to promote events
- 4. Training / Coaching How to use IG to promote events
- 5. Training / Coaching FB and IG analytics
- 6. Training / Coaching How to develop press releases and work with the press
- 7. Develop and execute district-wide branding programs (e.g. GRO, Grant)
- 8. Develop a more effective District 7080 website
- 9. Develop and publish a more engaging District Bulletin
- 10. Other

