

President-Elect Learning Seminar
Agenda & Learning Plan Objectives
 January 28, 2026 | 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Plenary: Welcome			
Time	Session	Facilitator	Learning Objectives
6:30 p.m.	Introductory Remarks	PELS Ralph Malcolm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Motivate incoming club presidents in the vision and mission of Rotary International. Review the agenda and expectations for the evening. Understand the President-Roadmap and identify where to find resources to prepare for their year.
6:35 p.m.	Expectations	DGE Aaron Carlson	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe the roles of the District Governor Chain as prescribed by Rotary International and the District Manual of Procedures. Review the role of President and President-Elect as prescribed by Rotary International. Understand the expectations of the District for Presidents and President-Elects.
Breakout: Area Collaboration			
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6:40 p.m.	Introductions (BREAKOUT)	Assistant Area Governors (1 CA and 1 US Area per room)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Build connections with peers in your geographical area and identify potential sister club cross-border to collaborate with in the upcoming year. Learn how areas can collaborate to increase impact in the community. Review the role of the Assistant Area Governor. Identify what expectations YOU have of the District 7090 in helping your club succeed and thrive.
6:50 p.m.	Introductions Debrief (LARGE GROUP)	PELS Chair Ralph Malcolm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Share interest in building a cross-border sister club relationship. Share expectations of the District over the upcoming year.
Plenary: Technology			

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7:05 p.m.	District Website	Learning Chair David Berry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connect your club leaders with resources vital to their role. • Identify district leaders for the 2026-2027 Rotary year and learn how to contact them. • Discover where to find district events, learning opportunities, celebrations, and more. • Acquire information on how to obtain a certificate of insurance for your club events and fundraisers.
7:20 p.m.	My Rotary – What is it?	Learning Chair David Berry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Differentiate My Rotary from ClubRunner. • Learn how to register for My Rotary. • Understand which modules of My Rotary are essential for the Club President. • Define club officers, directors, and committee chairs for your Rotary year
7:25 p.m.	My Rotary – Rotary Club Central	Learning Chair David Berry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe the importance of goal setting. • Articulate the value of leadership continuity by setting three-year goals. • Build leaders in your club by collaborating on goal development, monitoring, and evaluating.
7:35 p.m.	My Rotary – Learning Center	Learning Chair David Berry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Articulate the value proposition of the learning center to support your club members in their development as professional and Rotarian leaders. • Navigate to the Learning Center and enroll in the courses needed to prepare for Club President.
Relief Break 5 Minutes			

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7:40 p.m.	District Governance	Scott Marcin	District Level <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MOP • Budget Setting

** All President-Elects (or sitting Presidents for clubs without a PE) and Assistant Area Governors attend. The seminar is designed to be highly collaborative; the plenaries will be recorded for attendees to reference later in their year.