



Youth Exchange Resources



RI Resources:

Publications

Rotary International offers several Youth Exchange publications for promotional and administrative use. These publications are available for purchase by calling the RI Order Desk or the RI Office serving your district or through the On-line Publications Catalog at www.rotary.org. Many of the publications are also available for download from the download center at www.rotary.org.

Publications available for download or purchase:

Youth Exchange Handbook

[Item #746 available in EN, FR, JA, PO, SP]

A Primer for Exchange Students

[Item #752 available in EN, FR, JA, PO, SP]

A Primer for Host Families

[Item #749 available in EN, FR, JA, PO, SP]

Application for Long-term Exchange

[Item #761 available in EN, FR, JA, KO, PO, SP]

Application for Short-term Exchange

[Item #763 available in EN, FR, JA, KO, PO, SP]

Long Term Youth Exchange: Making a World of Difference (brochure)

[Item #755 available in EN, FR, GE, IT, JA, PO, SP, SW]

Short Term Youth Exchange (brochure)

[Item #756 available in available in EN, FR, GE, IT, JA, PO, SP, SW]

Publications available for purchase only include:

"The Adventure of a Lifetime" (video)

[Item #740 available in EN]

"The Experience of a Lifetime" (video)

[Item #739 available in EN, FR]

"The Experience of a Lifetime" (video)

[Item #764 available in PO/SP]

Youth Exchange (poster)

[Item #751]

Youth Exchange (post cards)

[Item #750]

Youth Exchange e-Newsletter

All Youth Exchange Officers and interested Rotarians are encouraged to sign up for Rotary's Youth Exchange e-Newsletter at www.rotary.org. This newsletter is distributed monthly and contains information and updates on current events and resources in Youth Exchange.

YE District Chairperson and Multidistrict Officer Directory

This list is distributed to all district Youth Exchange chair and multidistrict Youth Exchange officers. Extra copies may be obtained by contacting Youth Exchange staff at youthexchange@rotaryintl.org.

RI Web site

Interactive First Night Questions

This new feature in the Youth Exchange Section of the RI Web site is available in all language communities except Swedish at this time. It allows students, host families, and Rotarians to create a printable copy of the "First Night Questions" using any two of the official Rotary languages.

District Chair Search Function

This function will come on-line this Rotary year as District Chairs give permission for their contact information to be made available through this new on-line search function. This function will allow students interested in Rotary Youth Exchange to more easily contact the individual responsible for Youth Exchange in their area, and will be available in the Youth Exchange section of the RI Web site, www.rotary.org.

**Please remember to send an e-mail indicating that you would like to "opt-in" to this on-line directory to youthexchange@rotary.org.*

Youth Exchange Discussion Forum

The Youth Exchange Discussion Forum offers an international forum for sharing knowledge, experiences, and ideas about the program. By clicking on the "Discuss" button at the top of the www.rotary.org Web site anyone may join in a variety of Rotary related discussion topics including Youth Exchange.

Youth Exchange Introductory PowerPoint

A dynamic PowerPoint Presentation available on the E-Learning center on the RI Web site: www.rotary.org. This presentation is an excellent resource to introduce Youth Exchange to clubs.

Youth Exchange Regional Reports and Annual Survey Reports

These reports on Youth Exchange activity by year and by area are available for download from the Youth Exchange section of the RI Web site www.rotary.org.

Rotarian-Managed Resources:

District and Multidistrict Web sites

Links to Youth Exchange Web sites maintained by individual districts and multidistricts are available from the Youth Exchange section of the RI Web site www.rotary.org.

ROTEX Web sites

These Web sites offer information on ROTEX groups around the world and are available from the Youth Exchange section of the RI Web site www.rotary.org.

International YEO Meeting Web sites

These Web sites offer information on several of the Youth Exchange officers' meetings that occur around the world each year and are available from the Youth Exchange section of the RI Web site www.rotary.org.

Youth Exchange Officers Resources Web site: www.yeoresources.org

A Web site created and maintained by Youth Exchange volunteers that offers various resources for Youth Exchange Officers. This site offers documents for download on a variety of topics; it also invites Youth Exchange officers to submit materials that may be useful to other officers around the world.

Rotary Youth Exchange Tours: www.rywtours.org

A Web site created and maintained by Youth Exchange volunteers, which lists tours available for Rotary Youth Exchange students in various countries. The purpose of the site is to provide information for students and families alike regarding tours available to exchangees. This site lists tours available to Rotary students and is not intended to be a commercial site with listings for tour companies unconnected with Rotary. Anyone with information about tours for listing, or with questions can contact Bob White of District 6990 at bobwhite@gate.net.

Rotary Youth Exchange Program On-line Application Processing: www.rotary-yep.org

A Web site designed and maintained by a Rotarian Youth Exchange officer that offers districts the capability of setting up their own on-line application and tracking system. Also includes a world map of Rotary districts.

YEOtalk: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/yeotalk/>

Rotarians may join this discussion group dedicated to Youth Exchange issues. It is operated entirely by Rotarians involved in the Youth Exchange program. A Rotarian moderator regulates admission to this group.