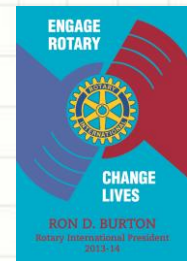


DISTRICT ASSEMBLY



CHILD PROTECTION 2013



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

All Rotarians have a responsibility to create the safest environment for young people at ALL Rotary activities.

This applies to all Rotarians, Rotarian spouses/partners, family members and volunteers.



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

All Rotarians and other volunteers who will be working with children and young people are required to sign a Prohibited Persons Declaration form. (Kept as club records)



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

We have a legal responsibility to follow through on ANY report that young people make whilst under the care of Rotary or engaged in a Rotary activity.



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

No person who has not signed a PPD is allowed to work unsupervised with children and young people.



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

NEW CHILD PROTECTION PROCESSES

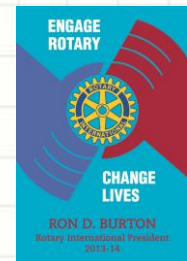
2013



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

New processes will be introduced between February 13th 2013 till July 2013. (to be revised)

The phase in will apply over a number of years.



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

Presidents of Clubs will need to lead their club through this process as advised by the District Governor when the timeline is announced.

Records will need to be maintained on the currency of members and volunteers approval to work with children and young people.



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

- **New process for Youth Exchange**



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

All host parents, siblings over the age of 18 and relatives in the host family home must apply on line for clearance and obtain their approval number from the Commission.

The Host Club, (Club Counsellor) must ensure all approvals are recorded.



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

- **The timeline for different groups/organisation/professions to transition to this process will be advised later this year.**

