

## Access Speakers

Access Speakers is an agency representing a portfolio of excellent speakers who speak for free! We have booked more than 1,500 speaking engagements on behalf of our speakers, the majority of which have been with Rotary Clubs across the nation.

Benefits to the Program Chair:

- Our speakers are free...our services are free!
- We only represent carefully vetted speakers who know not to abuse the platform with an infomercial.
- We save the Program Chair time! We get the details about your club and meetings ONCE then share that with every speaker you book with us, so you don't have to.
- We are a great resource for last-minute cancelations because we can reach out to multiple speakers in one fell swoop. We have replaced Rotary speakers numerous times in less than 24 hours and once in less than 8 hours.

Our speakers represent a wide variety of topics from how to understand how our brains work and shifting mindset...to how to grow your business...to improving communications with people in your professional and or personal life...to improving your memory...to important things to know about health and wellness...and inspirational stories such as how an ordinary housewife took on the Army Corps of Engineers over the levee failure in Hurricane Katrina and WON...and more!

If interested, please reach out. We'll send a brief form for you to fill out the details about your club and meetings. Once that form is received we'll send you profiles on speakers that look like a good match for your club. You reply with which speakers you would like to book and what dates you have open. We take it from there communicating with the speaker then finalizing details with you.

Here is a current link to the <u>Speakers we Represent</u>.

We look forward to hearing from you!

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## **Testimonials from Rotary Program Chairs:**

- "Anastasia is a servant leader! She goes above and beyond for her clients to further their success! If you want access to fantastic speakers and stellar customer service, contact Anastasia! I appreciate all she has done for our Rotary Club and our community."
- ~ Kelly McDonald, Rotary Club of Magnolia/Houston
- "Being Speakers Chairman requires that I completely and adequately screen speakers for our club. I can rely on Anastasia to provide the very best. Anastasia is in the right place with her service. I strongly recommend Anastasia Lipske and her Access Speakers operation."
- ~ Oak Dowling, Chairman Speakers Committee, Rotary Club of San Rafael
- "As the Program Committee Co-Chair for the Rotary Club of Tiburon-Belvedere, I have been working with Anastasia at Access Speakers for nearly a year. Our challenge is finding an engaging speaker every week for our demanding audience. I had the good fortune of finding Anastasia last year and our members have been impressed with each and every speaker. Whether the speaker was a professional clown or organic farmer, we were enlightened and fully engaged with each speaker. I highly recommend Anastasia at Access Speakers anytime you want your group to be entertained and enlightened."
- ~ Paul Wichman, Co-Chair, Program Committee, Rotary Club of Tiburon-Belvedere
- "Anastasia provided me with more than 6 outstanding speakers for the Vallejo Rotary Club. The audience, the members of the Vallejo Rotary Club, are a very challenging group. I explained the challenge and gave Anastasia carte blanche to select the speakers. She more than rose to the occasion. I had the members evaluate every speaker and, without exception, everyone received more than 4.0 on a scale of 1 to 5.

Anastasia has a great inventory of speakers and I strongly recommend that you consider Access Speakers as a great source of highly qualified and effective speakers."

~ J.D. Miller, Program Chair, Rotary Club of Vallejo

"The undersigned has been arranging speakers for Rotary Clubs for more than 35 years usually as a committee member. This year we decided as a club to no longer have a Speaker's Committee and rather I am it for our 65-member Rotary Club of Ignacio.

I met Anastasia about 8 months ago. Through her business, she arranged 7 speakers for our club at no cost. We take a survey each week as to the acceptance level of that Speaker of the Week since we are well aware the speaker choice has a lot to do with keeping, as well as securing members for Rotary.

Each speaker was on time, well versed in their role, and performed well beyond expectations. Now we have raised the expectation bar when the speaker is supplied by Access Speakers.

We trust Anastasia for not only does she represent real people, with interesting stories, but rehearses them so their performances receive very high marks of appreciation as expressed by the membership.

I can heartily recommend that you consider using her agency to provide and satisfy your speaker needs." ~ David Kurland, Program Chair, Rotary Club of Ignacio