

D5170 Youth Service & Rotaract!

Share the Magic of Rotary Youth & Young Adults

“The youth of today are the leaders of tomorrow” is a saying we all use from time to time. The youth involved with Rotary programs are our legacy to carry Rotary forward. Our District touches the lives of thousands of young people each year through District led events such as Interact’s Fall Leadership Conference where 4000+ teens attended, to RYLA where 200+ teens are selected for a week-long camp. Our Rotarians and our Youth share a common bond of “Service above Self” and working together we will learn and grow from one another.

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Rotaract is an opportunity to develop the young adult leaders of tomorrow by partnering with them in service and fellowship.

The Vision of Rotaract District 5170 is “Building the Bridge to the Future”. Our Rotaract Team:

Martin Kludjian, Jr., Rotaract District Governor, marty.kludjian.jr@me.com

Ed Mullins, Rotaract District Chair, emullins@workforcedge.com



What makes Interact so special?

Interactors are Inclusive, Interact produces leaders
Interactors live our motto of Service Above Self
Interactors love to assist Rotarian projects
Interactors are future Rotarians
ROI (Return on Interact) is significant

District Interact Theme for 2018-2019 “Remember Your Roots” Interact 5170 is recognized as being the largest and most effective District in the world. Our Interact Team:

Julie Herndon, Interact District Chair, chair@interact5170.org Holly Borg, Interact Co-Chair, Holly@interact5170.org

Jaide Chen, Governor, governor@interact5170.org Sofia Kritikopoulos Lt Governor, ltgovernor@interact.org



RYLA aims to:

- Demonstrate Rotary’s respect and concern for youth
- Provide an effective training experience for selected youth and potential leaders
- Encourage leadership of youth by youth
- Recognize publicly young people who are rendering service to their communities.

Our RYLA Team: Jenn Chang, District Chair, jennifer@pyruslaw.com & co-chair Joanne Mansch joanne.mansch55@gmail.com



**Are you ready for the adventure of living in another culture?
When you step off the airplane as a Rotary Exchange Student in another country, you have the opportunity to...**

- * Become part of another culture
- * Gain confidence and maturity
- * Learn more about yourself
- * Learn another language
- * Broaden your view of the world
- * Forge lifelong friendships

Rotary Youth Exchange is creating future Rotarians and Peace Ambassadors of the world

Our Youth Exchange Team: Darlene de la Cerna, District Chair, dmdsc57@gmail.com

Supported by: Mike Junod and Kevin Greenlee



ELC can be described as an entrepreneurial learning program targeting **High School Juniors**. High School Juniors are taught the basics for entrepreneurial development along with a full range of the principals for developing a company from an idea

ELC Connecting Youth with Mentors. Our ELC Team: Arley Marley District Chair, arley@info-scan.com

Speech Contest – 2018-19 RI theme: **Be the Inspiration**



Our youth will have the benefit of working with our District and being introduced to Rotary – what the organization is and what individual Rotarians represent in community and worldwide service. It is through this type of speech program that we bring awareness and knowledge of Rotary for future generations to share and to enhance. Many youth accept the challenge to participate in our annual Richard D King Speech Contest. They prepare and present a speech that is based on our Rotary theme and incorporating the Rotary 4-way test.

Our Speech Contest Team: Kamal Della, District Chair, kamaldistrict5170@gmail.com

Children at Risk

This program serves as a bridge between Rotarians and organizations serving youth. these organizations include, but are not limited to, juvenile courts, county social service agencies, community based non-profits, and Rotary District programs within Interact and Rotaract. They provide laptops to young people in need.

Contact Robert Goetsch, goetsch@beamentor.org

Youth Protection for Volunteers in all Rotary Youth Programs

Announcing an Exciting Innovation! We have developed a new streamlined (and simple) process which allows you to complete your Volunteer Affidavit and Interview in a secured online environment (rather than filling out forms and meeting with your club YPO). You just select 'Online Youth Services Volunteer Affidavit' on the District 5170 Youth Protection Page <http://www.rotarydistrict5170.org/SitePage/youth-protection-1> select your Club, select your name from the list, and then click on 'Send YSVA link'.

When you have completed the online Volunteer affidavit, you will also have provided email addresses for your 3 personal references. Please alert these individuals to be looking for their personal email link from the system as they will be able to simply answer the questions in a secure online environment (about 8 questions - so not a lengthy ordeal for references).

That's it! All 3 required forms (YSVA, Interview, Reference Checks) are completed online. Streamlined, quick & easy

Our Youth Protection Team: Scot Smithee, District Youth Protection Officer, smithee@garlic.com and Scot Savage, Assistant District Youth Protection Officer, smsavage@hotmail.com