### The Rotary International Months designations are effective 1 July 2017. Visit this calendar throughout the year to find [award](https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/learn-topic/awards) nomination due dates and [convention](http://www.riconvention.org/)and event information. Develop meeting agendas, projects, or public image campaigns based on these special occasions. All dates are subject to change.

### July 2017 – No Special Theme Designation

1 July — Start of new Rotary officers' year of service

### August 2017 - Membership and New Club Development Month

### September 2017 - Basic Education and Literacy Month

### October 2017 - Economic and Community Development Month

2-8 October — Rotary Alumni Reconnect Week

24 October — [Rotary's World Polio Day Livestream Event](http://www.endpolio.org/worldpolioday)

30 October-5 November — World Interact Week

### November 2017 - Rotary Foundation Month

1 November — [Service Award for a Polio-Free World](https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/learn-topic/awards) nominations are due

1 November — [Service Above Self Award](https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/learn-topic/awards) nominations are due

11 November — [Rotary Day at the UN](https://www.rotary.org/en/un-day)

### December 2017 - Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

15 December — Early registration discount ends for the [Rotary International Convention](http://www.riconvention.org/)

### January 2018 - Vocational Service Month

14-20 January — [International Assembly](https://my.rotary.org/en/exchange-ideas/events/international-assembly), San Diego, California, USA

### February 2018 - Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution Month

10 February — Presidential Peacebuilding Conference: [Environmental Sustainability and Peace](https://environmentandpeace.com/), Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada

17 February — Presidential Peacebuilding Conference: [Water and Sanitation and Peace](http://rotaryd2452.org/waterconf/), Beirut, Lebanon

23 February — Rotary's anniversary

24 February — Presidential Peacebuilding Conference: [Disease Prevention and Treatment and Peace](http://www.rotarygbi.org/peacebuilding-conference-2018/), Coventry, England, United Kingdom

### March 2018 - Water and Sanitation Month

12-18 March — World Rotaract Week

17 March — Presidential Peacebuilding Conference: [Economic and Community Development and Peace](http://www.rippc2018.com.au/), Sydney, New South Wales, Australia

31 March — Preregistration discount ends for the [Rotary International Convention](http://www.riconvention.org/)

### April 2018 - Maternal and Child Health Month

1 April — [Rotary Award for Excellence in Service to Humanity](https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/learn-topic/awards) nominations are due

28 April — Presidential Peacebuilding Conference: [Maternal and Child Health and Peace](http://www.rotaryitalia.it/presidentialconference), Taranto, Italy

30 April — [Rotary International Convention](http://www.riconvention.org/) registrations and ticket cancellations are due

### May 2018 - Youth Service Month

### June 2018 - Rotary Fellowships Month

2 June — Presidential Peacebuilding Conference: [Basic Education and Literacy and Peace](http://www.rotaryliteracy.org/), Chicago, Illinois, USA

23-27 June — [Rotary International Convention](http://www.riconvention.org/), Toronto, Ontario, Canada

30 June — Last day for Rotary and Rotaract clubs to report goals for the [Rotary Citation](https://my.rotary.org/en/news-media/office-president/rotary-citation)

30 June — [Rotary Foundation Distinguished Service Award](https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/learn-topic/awards) nominations are due

30 June — [Rotary Alumni Global Service Award](https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/learn-topic/awards) nominations (from zones) are due

30 June — [Rotary Alumni Association of the Year Award](https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/learn-topic/awards) nominations (from zones) are due

### July 2018

1 July — Start of new Rotary officers' year of service

### August 2018

15 August — Last day to report [Rotary Citation](https://my.rotary.org/en/news-media/office-president/rotary-citation) achievements for Interact clubs

A look ahead to international events in 2019 and 2020. All dates are tentative.

### 2019

12-19 January — International Assembly, San Diego, California, USA

1-5 June — Rotary International Convention, Hamburg, Germany

### 2020

19-25 January — International Assembly, San Diego, California, USA

6-10 June — Rotary International Convention, Honolulu, Hawaii, USA

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