RI Europe/Africa Office Club and District Support NEWSLETTER

November 2020

2020 Council on Resolutions

The <u>Council on Resolutions</u> meets online every year to vote on proposed resolutions. Resolutions are requests to the Board or the Trustees to take an action that is outside the scope of the constitutional documents. Ideally, a resolution should affect the Rotary world, rather than address local or administrative issues, and representatives from all districts vote on proposed resolutions. Adopted resolutions are then considered by the RI Board or the Trustees.

The 2020 Council on Resolutions takes place from **15 October through 15 November**, and the results will be published by **20 November 2020**. Rotarians can <u>view the</u> <u>resolutions</u> and the results, but only representatives can vote. Examples of proposals include: requesting the RI Board to consider reducing number of members needed to sponsor a new club, and requesting the Trustees to consider modifying the fourth area of focus to become "Caring for mothers, children and dependant people".

2020 World Interact Week

Celebrate the World Interact Week between 2 and 8 November 2020 and join the virtual <u>World Interact</u> <u>Week party on Facebook</u>. Visit the <u>Interact Facebook page</u> and encourage Interactors in your district to submit a video for the annual Interact Video Awards by 1 **December 2020** to showcase the impact they are making in their communities. Please follow Interact on <u>YouTube</u> for details and contact <u>interact@rotary.org</u> for any further information.



For District Governors

Club membership

Clubs are invoiced for all active members as of 1 January and 1 July. To ensure clubs are invoiced correctly, please encourage club officers to regularly update membership data:

- For clubs without data integration please update in <u>My</u> <u>Rotary</u>.
- For clubs with data integration please only update in the <u>Local Database</u> (data is then automatically submitted to Rotary International).



Tips of the Month

State of Membership per July 2020

<u>The new State of Rotary</u> <u>Membership presentation</u> shows how Rotary is doing as of 1 July 2020. The PowerPoint presentation can be shared and is easily customizable to meet your region's needs.

Alumni Feedback Survey

Each year, thousands of people participate in Rotary programs such as Rotary Peace Fellowships and Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA). When we make alumni feel appreciated, we strengthen RI. In a recent <u>Membership Feedback Survey</u> Rotary found that 41% of Rotary program participants would like more information about Rotary membership. Find all survey results <u>here.</u>

Disease prevention and Treatment Month

Did you know that December is designated as Disease prevention and Treatment Month? At RI, we aim to improve and expand access to low-cost and free health care. Our members educate and mobilize communities to help prevent the spread of major diseases such as polio, HIV/AIDS, and malaria.

Discover <u>here</u> how Rotary projects provide low-cost health care.



