

RI Europe/Africa Office Club and District Support NEWSLETTER

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Rotary and Toastmasters

Watch this inspirational [video](#) promoting the Rotary-Toastmasters connection and help spread the word about the Rotary-Toastmasters alliance using [this PowerPoint presentation](#).

Have you already discovered these new leadership development courses? They were developed by Toastmasters International and are accessible via [Learning Center](#):

- [Develop a speech](#)
- [Deliver a speech](#)



Or would you like to improve further your leadership skills? If so, you might be interested in the courses [Inspirational speech](#), [Interpersonal Communication and Networking](#), [Leadership Basics](#) or [Leading a team](#). These are currently available in English.

For District Governors

Rotaract Updates

As a district governor, you can promote the Rotaract elevation by making sure that Rotaractors are listed as members of their Rotaract club. To access and update club and membership information, reported Rotaract club presidents can create an account in [My Rotary](#). This is also where they will find the [Worldwide Rotaract Directory](#) and other interesting materials.

Don't forget to inform your Rotaract District Representatives that they now have direct access to their own district's list of Rotaract clubs, as well as to other reports, through their My Rotary accounts.

Lastly, please help Rotary recognize the good work that Rotaract clubs are doing in your area by sharing the link to the [Rotaract Outstanding Project Awards](#). Nominations are open from now until **1 February 2021**.



Tips of the month

Citation for Meritorious Service Award

The Rotary Foundation's Citation for Meritorious Service honors Rotarians - and now also Rotaractors - who demonstrate their commitment to helping others by supporting The Rotary Foundation. Rotary Foundation Chairs may nominate one candidate from their districts to receive this award in the 2020-2021 Rotary year by completing an [online nomination form](#) between November 1 - December 31, 2020. If you know any members you think would qualify, contact their district Rotary Foundation chair and encourage them to recognize them with a nomination.

Raise for Rotary

Raise for Rotary is Rotary's new peer-to-peer fundraising platform where individuals and teams can create fundraisers to give additional motivation for challenge events, celebrate events such as birthdays or anniversaries by raising funds for Rotary Foundation causes. You can find more information [here](#).

Did you know...

...that November is The Rotary Foundation month?

Have you considered sharing the [Rotary Foundation Basics Online Course](#) with those who would like to learn more about the Foundation? You could include it in your monthly letter to the clubs.