



November, 2017

Celebrate the 50th Anniversary of Rotaract

Join Rotaractors and Rotarians to exchange ideas, listen to engaging speakers, and connect with our global community to create positive change.

When: Friday-Saturday, June 22-23, prior to the Convention

Where: Metro Toronto Convention Centre

Cost: \$100, includes two full days of general sessions, workshops, discussions, and networking opportunities



IMPORTANT REMINDER

THE REGISTRATION FEE WILL INCREASE BY \$75
AFTER DECEMBER 15th.

REGISTER NOW FOR THE \$335 ONLINE RATE.

See Toronto . . .



Casa Loma Museum

Casa Loma (Spanish for *Hill House*) is a Gothic Revival style house and gardens in midtown Toronto. Built between 1911 and 1914 as a residence for financier Sir Henry Mill Pellatt, Casa Loma is now a museum and a not-to-be-missed Toronto landmark. Due to it's unique architecture, Casa Loma has been a popular location for

filming movies and television shows, as well as for celebrating weddings and other events. Casa Loma is open daily from 9:30 am to 5 pm. Admission prices are \$27C for Adults, \$22C for Seniors and Youth ages 14-17, and \$17C for Children ages 4-13.

IMPORTANT DATES

June 23—27, 2018 — Rotary Toronto Convention

December 4, 2017 - last day to pay first and last nights deposit for Group Housing reservations

December 15, 2017— Last day for \$335 online Registration rate

USEFUL LINKS

Registration—<u>http://</u>riconvention.org/en/toronto

Hotel Reservations—

<u>http://</u> registra-

tion.experientevent.com/ showROT181

Host Organizing Committee & Events-

http://rotary2018.org

Rotary Convention Facebook Page—

www.facebook.com/ events/438387189858705

Convention Program
Highlights—http://

www.riconvention.org/en/ toronto/program

Promotional videos-

www.riconvention.org/en/ toronto/videos

"The Rotarian" Article -

https://www.rotary.org/en/ tour-toronto-site-2018rotary-convention

Tourism Toronto video -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V3YhYLIn7uM

Promoting the 2018 Toronto Convention



Zones 25 & 26 invited Institute

Attendees to join "Mountie Mo & Justin Trudeau" in Toronto 📁

Zones 28 & 29 handed out bottles of maple syrup with the Toronto logo

Send your promotion ideas to (holly.callen@gmail.com) for

Travel Tip

US Citizens do not need a VISA to enter Canada. However, proper identification must be presented at the Canadian border and you will need to show your passport when you return to the United States.

Book your HOTEL room soon—Go to http://www.riconvention.org/en/toronto/accommodations for information on the official hotels and to reserve your room. There are approximately 1,300 rooms left in the Rotary block, but with almost 15,000 Convention people already registered, the rooms are going fast.

Other options to check are <u>www.AirBNB.com</u> or a hotel rewards program you belong to (i.e. <u>www.ihg.com</u>, <u>www.starwoodhotels.com/preferred guest</u>, <u>www.marriott.com/rewards</u>, etc.)



The 2018 Zones 24 & 32 BEYOND BORDERS DINNER

will be held at the HOCKEY HALL OF FAME!

When: Sunday, June 24, 2018

Where: Hockey Hall of Fame, Brookfield Place, 30 Yonge Street

Price: \$80 CND (Early registration fee)

BEYOND BORDERS is <u>the</u> social gathering for Rotarians across **Zones 24 & 32** and a great opportunity to catch up with friends and make new ones!



SUPPORT YOUR ROTARY TEAM and REGISTER TODAY!

Register at http://tinyurl.com/BeyondBorders2018.

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