

NEW MEMBER INDUCTION TEMPLATE

(Introduction of inductee and family to audience)

State inductee's name and names of all family members present. Give brief backgrounds of spouse and children.

Invite Sponsor to join inductee and family.

(To inductee)

Looking forward to having him/her join the Rotary Club of _____. The Club can be a cheering section when things are going well and a support system when they are not. Our families are an integral part of our Rotary experience. _____ and _____ (family member names) are always welcome to join us, enjoy a meal, share news, participate in projects . . . and be part of the Family of Rotary.

(To Audience)

Describe inductee's background including employment, education, hobbies and interests. If possible tie to the Rotary Club.

(To Inductee)

_____, I am presenting you with some key Rotary documents, including the 4-Way test and the Object of Rotary. _____ I have given you a "Sponsor" pin that I would like you to pin on sponsor to signify that he/she has sponsored you. (Inductee puts pin on sponsor)

(To Sponsor)

_____ as her/his sponsor, would you please pin the Rotary pin on _____.

(To Inductee)

_____, I have a challenge for you if you are willing. The honor of becoming a Rotarian is only surpassed by the honor of sharing Rotary and sponsoring another member. So, my challenge for you is for you, at some point, to invite another person of your same qualities of integrity and leadership to join Rotary. Do you accept this challenge? (Inductee responds Yes) Thank you!

_____, welcome to the Rotary Club of _____ You are the newest Rotarian in the World

(To the audience)

Please rise and welcome _____, the newest member of our Rotary family.

(Members all stand and applaud . . . in smaller clubs, come forward to personally welcome

_____ **and her/his family).**