



Rotary District 5180 Awards Program 2021-2022



The District theme for 2021-2022 is “Rotary: Creating Today’s Super Heroes”. The District 5180 Awards Program is designed to recognize the accomplishments of Rotary Clubs and their members by celebrating our everyday “Super Heroes”. The Rotary International theme is “Serve To Change Lives.”

The Awards criteria is organized into 6 categories: Administration, Community and International Service, Membership and Vocational Service, The Rotary Foundation, Youth Service and Public Image.

In addition to the District 5180 Awards, there are several individual and Rotary International awards available. A list along with the applications for each award will be distributed to Club Presidents at least 60 days before the submission deadline.

District Awards:

- **Club of the Year** in each club size category (Large Club of the Year, Medium Club of the Year, Small Club of the Year)
- **“Bell Club”** – awarded to the club that has used all of their superpowers to have an incredible and amazing year serving their community and showing that Rotary does create Super Heroes!
- **Category Awards** – clubs who attain a certain percentage of points in any one of the following 6 categories will receive either a Bronze, Silver or Gold award:
 - Administration
 - Community and International Service
 - The Rotary Foundation
 - Membership and Vocational Service
 - Youth Service
 - Public Image/Brand

*Attain at least 90% of total points available in a Category = **Gold** Award for that Category*

*Attain at least 80% of total points available in a Category = **Silver** Award for that Category*

*Attain at least 70% of total points available in a Category = **Bronze** Award for that Category*

Rotarian of the Year, Rookie Rotarian of the Year, Hall of Fame

The District 5180 Rotarian of the Year, Rookie Rotarian of the Year and inductees into the District 5180 Hall of Fame will be selected from nominations received from clubs. Those nominations are due by March 28, 2022 to Samantha Hoshida, Awards Chair. Nomination forms will be distributed later in the year.

District Awards Packet

The District Awards packet to be submitted includes the 7 pages, including the award criteria items with available points and the signature page. Additional material and/or criteria will not be accepted. Each club is expected to follow the 4-Way Test in completing the District Awards packet.

Club Size Categories

Membership reflected by Rotary International as of July 1, 2021, shall determine the club size for purposes of the District Awards packet and will be as follows:

<i>Small Club:</i>	<i>24 or fewer members</i>
<i>Medium Club:</i>	<i>25-53 members</i>
<i>Large Club:</i>	<i>54 or more members</i>

Dates & Deadlines

The District Awards criteria begins July 1, 2021, but please note that there are a few criteria which have due dates of April 30, 2021.

The completed Awards packet shall be signed by the Club President and the Club's Assistant Governor prior to submission to the District Awards Chair.

The deadline for completing the criteria items is March 28, 2022, unless otherwise noted. Any items scheduled to be completed or implemented in part, but not completed, by the deadline, should be discussed with the Club's Assistant Governor prior to the certification of the packet.

The completed and signed Awards packet shall be submitted to the District Awards Chair, Samantha Hoshida, by **5:00 pm on Monday, March 28, 2022**. This document may be scanned and emailed, hand delivered or mailed. If mail service is used, please mail it early enough so it will arrive on or before the due date and time. **Late submissions will not be accepted.**

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Certification and Consideration

The information provided in the completed District Awards packet will be tabulated and scored for each participating club according to a point system. Each criteria item that is checked will receive the number of points allocated to it. Following tabulation and scoring, the data will be made available to the District Awards Committee for consideration and final determination of awards.

The Awards committee consists of the District Governor, Desiree Wilson; District Governor-Elect, Karen Cendro; the eight Assistant Governors; and the District Awards Chair, Samantha Hoshida.

Announcement of Awards

All District Awards will be announced at the District Conference, April 29 – May 1, 2022.