

COMMONLY USED ROTARY ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

It is preferable to avoid the use of abbreviations by saying them in full whenever possible!



AG	Assistant Governor (NB: Use of the previous title "ADG" is incorrect)
CLP	Club Leadership Plan
CLS	Club Leaders' Seminar (aka LETS)
D [number]	District [number] – for example District9910 or D9910
DARE	Drug Abuse Resistance Education
DDF	District Designated Fund
DIK	Donations In Kind
DG	District Governor
DGE	District Governor Elect
DGN	District Governor Nominee
DS	District Secretary
DSG	District Simplified Grant
GG	Global Grant
3H	Health, Hunger and Humanity
ICT	Information, Communication and Technology Committee
IYE	International Youth Exchange (more correctly known as RYE Rotary Youth Exchange)
LETS	Leaders Elect Training Seminar (may still be called District Training Assembly)
MUNA	Model United Nations Assembly
P	Rotary Club President
PETS	Presidents Elect Training Seminar
PDG	Past District Governor
PHF	Paul Harris Fellow
PI	Public Image
PR	Public Relations
PROBUS	Clubs are for active retirees (from an abbreviation of PROfessional and BUSiness)
RAM	Rotary Against Malaria
RANZSE	Rotary Australia - New Zealand Student Exchnage
RAW	Rotary Awareness Week
RDU	Rotary Down Under
RI	Rotary International
RID	Rotary International Director
RC	Rotary Co-ordinator (a Rotary International position that focuses on membership)
RINZ Ltd	Rotary Information New Zealand Ltd
RIP	Rotary International President
RLI	Rotary Leadership Institute (also known in some districts as Rotary Learning and Information)
RNZWCS Ltd	Rotary New Zealand World Community Service
ROMAC	Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for Children
ROZCOM	Rotary Zone Communications Committee
RozOps	Rotary Oceania Operations (NZ-based multi-district group focused on generic operations and processes)
RSE	Road Safety Education (formerly RYDA Rotary Youth Driver Awareness)
RYLA	Rotary Youth Leadership Awards
RYPEN	Rotary Youth Programme of Enrichment
SPPEDS	South Pacific Presidents Elect Development Seminar (previously known as SPPETS)
TRF	The Rotary Foundation
VASS	Volunteer Agency Support Scheme
VTT	Vocational Training Team (formerly GSE Group Study Exchange)
4WT	Four-Way Test
WCS	World Community Service
WF	World Fund (of The Rotary Foundation)