# "Capture the Moment"



## 2019 Rotary International Convention

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#### A Convention Testimonial...

"Toronto was my first International Convention and there are not enough glowing adjectives to describe my experience. From the moment I walked into the opening ceremony I knew that this experience was a game changer for me. My love for Rotary grew beyond the love I already felt. Through the goosebumps and tears you could feel the power and inspiration in the room. Power that you know will result in lives being changed and the inspiration to create a world filled with peace!"

"I don't want to miss out on the chance to meet Rotarians from all over the world again. My experience pulled me right to the registration booth to pre-register for Hamburg, Germany and I can't wait!"

Kathy Hegedus Rotary Club of Spring Lake, Michigan District 6290



# A Message from RID Robb

Dear Rotarians,

I hope this finds you well and enjoying the final month of summer!

It is not too soon to be thinking about attending our Convention next year in beautiful and historic Hamburg, Germany. In fact, I am happy to report that more than 400 Rotarians are already registered from our Zones! The Convention is earlier this Rotary year – June 1 to 5 – so make plans now to attend!

We are planning a Welcome Reception for our Zones in Hamburg, and details will follow soon. In the meantime, if you have not yet registered, then please do so – we are on track to set a record in attendance from our Zones!

As you would expect, we have a great program and wonderful special events planned for the Convention, and you will not want to miss them!

Warmest regards,

Robb



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# Ein Prosit to Rotary! (A Toast to Rotary!) Our Northland Party

## Save the Date! June 1, 2019 @ 6:00 pm

*Ein Prosit to Rotary!* and have a blast with all of your friends from Zones 28 and 29. This is our last harrah with our current paired zones and will provide us special time together to enjoy German culture, food and drink. Watch for details and registration information to join us on Saturday, June 1 at 6:00 pm.



#### What to see in Hamburg?

While Hamburg is gorgeous and has a lot more to offer than Amsterdam, the canals are not everywhere. You need to get to certain parts of the city to see the canals. If you're in Hamburg for one day and want to make the most of it, this is one of the canals that you should surely see. Nikolaifleet in Hamburg is one of the oldest spots of the city. To give you the exact location, this is very close to Hamburg's miniature wonderland.

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## Be the Inspiration, On to Hamburg!

Visit the Rotary International Convention 2019 video at: <u>https://vimeo.com/242312663</u>. Don't miss out on the fun and opportunity to explore the German culture. Watch for more to come in our Zones 28 and 29 convention newsletters.