

# Membership Application

**Congratulations!** You want to join Rotary, the world's oldest and largest service organization, and specifically the Rotary Club of Nanaimo Daybreak. We look forward to having you.

## More than just breakfast meetings...

100% attendance is not mandatory; however, Rotary does require a commitment of your time. To get the most from Rotary, we encourage you to serve on at least one committee (team) from the Club's five Avenues of Service, (Membership, Community, Youth Services, International or Club Service) and to attend club fellowship events, and to work actively on a fundraising activity.

## A financial commitment....

By joining Rotary, most Rotarians find they are committing more than just annual dues. There are opportunities to donate to Rotary International and to local community activities. You should be aware of the financial expectations:

## Your annual commitment:

- Annual Dues - \$300 (Pro-rated) and can be paid monthly
- Weekly breakfast meetings - \$17
- Fines by Sergeant-at-Arms & Happy Dollars
- Encouraged to donate annually to RI Foundation: suggested \$100 (US)
- Various fellowship events, etc. abt. \$30-\$200

## "Service above Self"

Rotary is much more than a networking club, although you will find that you make strong friendships and valuable business connections here. Rotarians are committed to making the world a better place, by applying their time, effort and financial resources to our local and international service projects.

## Opportunities to get involved....

Once you've been a Rotarian for a while, and as you learn more about the club, you may find yourself motivated to become more involved. These are just some of the opportunities for you to do that:

- Serve on the Club Board of Directors
- Attend other Rotary Club meetings

- Attend the annual District Conference, District Assemblies, and Leadership Training Seminars
- Attend the annual Rotary International Convention
- Serve on Area or District committees
- Host an exchange student for several months in your home, or involve an exchange student in your family activities from time to time
- Travel overseas to assist with PolioPlus vaccinations
- Travel overseas to help with the Club's International service projects
- Participate in Rotary Friendship Exchange

## Application Process....

A member in good standing of our club must sponsor you for membership. The process is as follows:

1. You attend at least three club meetings
2. You and your sponsor complete the application form and submit it.
3. The Board of Directors will review/approve your application and will announce to the Club via email and/or newsletter that your name is standing for membership consideration.
4. After five days, with no objection from our members, you will be invited to join our Club.
5. A formal induction ceremony will take place at a later club meeting where you receive your official welcome kit, along with name badge, Rotary pin, etc. Your pro-rated dues will be payable the day of your induction (invoice in your kit).
6. The Membership Committee will appoint a Mentor/Buddy to help you fully participate in the Club, introduce you to other members, answer any questions you may have about Rotary, and generally make you feel at home.
7. The Membership Committee also has social events to help you become better acquainted with your new friends at Rotary. Events such as new member's luncheon, potluck suppers, after-work socials, etc. help you to get to know Rotarians outside of the weekly meetings.

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Applicant Information (To be completed by Applicant)

Membership Type: Individual  Corporate  Family

## INDIVIDUAL

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

*Contact Information: Check preferred phone number and email address:*

Phone Numbers: Home: \_\_\_\_\_  Business: \_\_\_\_\_  Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Addresses: Personal: \_\_\_\_\_  Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Partner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Anniversary: \_\_\_\_\_

Children Under 18: \_\_\_\_\_

## CORPORATE

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home: \_\_\_\_\_  Business: \_\_\_\_\_  Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Addresses: Personal: \_\_\_\_\_  Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home: \_\_\_\_\_  Business: \_\_\_\_\_  Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Addresses: Personal: \_\_\_\_\_  Business: \_\_\_\_\_

## FAMILY

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home: \_\_\_\_\_  Work: \_\_\_\_\_  Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Addresses: Personal: \_\_\_\_\_  Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home: \_\_\_\_\_  Work: \_\_\_\_\_  Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Addresses: Personal: \_\_\_\_\_  Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Name: Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers: Home: \_\_\_\_\_  Work: \_\_\_\_\_  Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Addresses: Personal: \_\_\_\_\_  Business: \_\_\_\_\_

**Previous Rotary Club Membership (if any)**

Applicant Name	Name of Previous Rotary Club	Date from:	Date to:

**Vocational and Personal Background details that would enhance your activities as a Rotarian:**

Applicant Name	Details

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I hereby certify, if accepted to the membership with the Rotary Club of Nanaimo Daybreak, that as a Rotarian, I will exemplify the Object of Rotary in my daily contacts and will abide by the Constitution and Bylaws of the Club.

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Board Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

Members Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

Induction Date: \_\_\_\_\_