

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL AND ROTARY MEANS BUSINESS

KEY POINTS

What is Rotary? Rotary International is an association of over 35,000 clubs located in over 200 countries and geographical areas consisting of 1.2 million business and professional leaders united worldwide to carry out humanitarian and educational project focused on six focus areas (disease prevention and treatment, water and sanitation, economic and community development, basic education and literacy, maternal and child health, and peace and conflict resolution); encourage high ethical standards in all vocations; and promote world understanding and peace.

Rotary's Vision: Together, we see a world where people **unite** and **take action** to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.

Costs & Benefits: For a member's cost measured in hundreds of dollars members can realize

- Development of leadership and social skills
- A wide array of opportunities to serve at the local and international levels
- Expanded business connections and opportunities through Rotary Means Business
- A new circle of friends and acquaintances with knowledge and influence beyond their vocational areas – the fun and fellowship of Rotary
- A value system through the Four Way Test that provides the basis for high ethical standards and continuing education through interesting and varied weekly programs
- The prestige of being part of the oldest and strongest service club in the world

What is Rotary Means Business (RMB)? Rotary Means Business District 7390 Chapter # 4 of the Rotary Means Business Fellowship is a collaboration of Southcentral Pennsylvania business people that is part of a worldwide fellowship of more than 70 Chapters in every continent of the world except Antarctica. RMB believes Rotarians should honor the roots of our great worldwide organization and support one another in business. In 1911, Paul Harris, the founder of Rotary, wrote an article titled “Rational Rotarianism”, which can be summarized as follows: “Life in Rotary should be some rational mixture of business, civic activities, and good fellowship”. RMB is designed to increase business opportunities and connections for all Rotarians and in so doing expand the good work Rotary does worldwide.

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