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Next Week's Program...



Leonard Cox will speak to Frankfort Rotary Wednesday, April 11 at the Capital Plaza Holiday Inn, to be introduced by Vocational Service Director Don Dykman. Cox is a member of the Lexington Sunrise Rotary, where he has belonged since moving in 1997 from the traditional Lexington Rotary Club, which he joined in 1965.

Cox will talk about his recent interest "in the challenges facing our high school seniors with respect to their continuing education and the competition in the job market." This has led to his spending much time working with the Kentucky Community and Technical College System (KCTCS).

He is connected with his family business; the older Graves Cox in Lexington that was sold in 1969 to Genes Co, for which he continued as merchandise manager and on their national retail board until 1974. He started his own business, Leonard Cox Clothes, in 1975. Since 1991 he has

specialized in direct sales to the professional businessman. He now advises Dawahares on traditional business clothing.

Cox has served on the boards of the Rotary Club, YMCA, and Better Business Bureau, and Lexington Chamber of Commerce. He and his late wife, the former Lucia Bridgforth of Versailles, had a son and two daughters. He is a member of Christ Church Cathedral Episcopal Church where he has been a member of the vestry.

He is a graduate of the University of Virginia (1964) with a bachelors in geography and foreign affairs, and remains active in their alumni association. Cox also volunteers as a kicking coach for the Henry Clay High School football team.

Opening Exercise Joe Rudder
Greeters Greg Fuchs & Steve Dooley

Make-Ups for Mar. 28

Pat Badgett	Grover Shropshire
Don Dykman	Sherrill Smith
Chuck Ellestad	Frank Sower
Clay Hulette	David Weller

Attendance Percentage: 85.56%

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Bobbye Brown	Ann Maenza
Monte Chance	Marie Murray
Ted Collins	John Norfleet
Sara Dent	Carol Palmore
Steve Dooley	Derrick Ramsey
Nancy Edwards	George Reid
William Elam	Christine Richards
Lisa Fugitt	Joe Rudder
Laura Graham	Terry Shockley
Alan Hamilton	Rene Siria
Ed Hatchett, Jr.	Rebecca Turner
James Kemper	Ann Wingrove
Simmie King	Guy Zeigler
Sallie Lanham	Larry Arnett

**This Week's Speakers:
Amy Carman & John Lina**

This week's guest speakers were Frankfort Rotarian Amy Carman and Louisville Rotarian John Lina. Amy and John gave a presentation on their Group Exchange Program Trip, which took them to Moldova-Romania. Since 1965, the Group Study Exchange Program has provided grants for countless teams of men and women in the early stages of their business and professional careers to travel abroad and share vocational information with the representatives of their respective professions in another country. Team members spend about six weeks studying the host country's institutions, economy, and culture, while observing how their own professions are practiced abroad.

Rotary districts select teams comprising four non-Rotarians and one Rotarian leader, engaged in different businesses and professions. While the team visited abroad, members followed a carefully planned itinerary, including visits to government and cultural institutions, schools, religious and historic sites and other points of interest.

If you or anyone you know is interested in the Group Study exchange Program please contact Greg Fuchs. Applicants must be between ages 25 - 40 and employed full-time, with a minimum of two years experience in a recognized business or profession. Individuals interested will go through an application and selection process.

**World Community Service
Committee Meeting**

There will be a World Community Service Committee meeting on Monday, April 9, 2001 at the RB Brown building, 949 Louisville Road, 5:00 p.m.

**Frankfort Rotary
Youth Fund Golf Scramble**

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Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to Ed Dance, Wallace Kent, Ruth Leathers, and Bill Leroy, who will celebrate their birthdays in April.

Deepest Sympathy

The Frankfort Rotary Club extends its sincerest sympathy to the family of Past District Governor Jim Owen, who passed away this week.

Website Up and Running!

Thanks largely to the hard work of Dean Sorg, the Frankfort Rotary Club's website can be visited at <http://www.frankfort-rotary.org/>. Stop by and check it out, then compliment Dean on a job well done!

Cool Quotes...

I have never met a man so ignorant that I couldn't learn something from him. -Galileo Galilei, physicist and astronomer (1564-1642)

Men of genius are often dull and inert in society, as a blazing meteor, when it descends to earth, is only a stone. -Henry W. Longfellow, poet (1819-1892)

YEARS OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

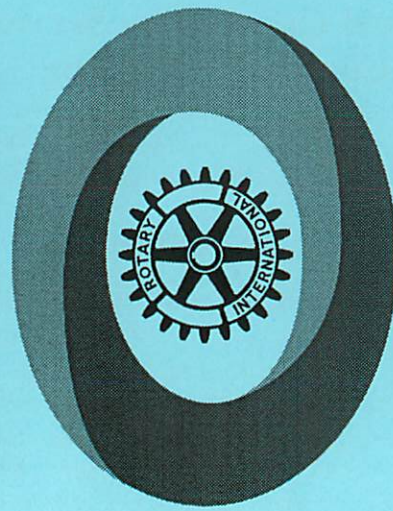
Bill Yount	55 Years
Frank Sower.....	54 Years
Asa Tipton	48 Years
Len Shirrell.....	47 Years
Ed Davis.....	44 Years
Hub Perdew	41 Years
Charlie Hinds	39 Years
Barry K. Holder	27 Years
Jim Smith	27 Years
Duane Ellis.....	26 Years
Leroy Smith	25 Years
Terry Shockley	20 Years
Bill Miller.....	20 Years
Sherrill Smith	19 Years
Dean Sorg	18 Years
Ed Dance	18 Years
Barry K. Holder, Jr.....	16 Years
Jim Graves	16 Years
John Chenault	16 Years
Joe Russell Johnson	15 Years
Jim Richardson	15 Years
Gus Ridgel	15 Years
Ed Speer	15 Years
Lee Troutwine.....	15 Years
Roger Coomes	14 Years
Bob Bullock	14 Years
John Loyd.....	13 Years
Ted Collins	12 Years
Ethel McCray	12 Years
John Palmore.....	12 Years
Wallace Kent	11 Years
Ron Tyrer	11 Years
Laura Graham	10 Years
RB Brown.....	10 Years
Steve Dooley	10 Years
Rene Siria	9 Years
Clay Hulette	8 Years
Gregory Fuchs	8 Years
David Weller.....	7 Years
Bill Leroy	8 Years
Denis King	7 Years
Polly Green	7 Years
Don Armstrong	7 Years
Richard Taylor	7 Years
Tom Cockley.....	7 Years
Nancy Edwards	7 Years
Bob Johnston	6 Years
Chuck Ellestad	6 Years
Pat Badgett	5 Years
John Sower	5 Years
Granville Coblin	5 Years
Don Dykman	5 Years
Ruth Leathers.....	4 Years
Tom Utterback	3 Years
Ron Christopher	3 Years
Dennis VanHorn.....	3 Years
Bill Wingfield.....	2 Years
Gary Scott	2 Years
Frank Dailey.....	2 Years
Ann Wingrove.....	2 Years
Ed Hatchett, Jr.	2 Years
Perry Ryan	1 Year
Tom Colten	1 Year
Sarah Gowins.....	1 Year
Amber McIntosh.....	1 Year
Jose Bollar	1 Year
Lisa Fugitt.....	1 Year
Richard Boyer	1 Year
Christine Richards	1 Year

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Next Week's Program...

The Group Study Exchange team from District 1590 in the Netherlands will present the program for the April 18th Rotary meeting. The Rotarian team Leader is Dick Jan Van Dyke, retired surgeon and hospital administrator from The Swell Rotary Club. The team members include Tamara Hiemstra, speech therapist; Gerrit Jan Kreeft, truck driving school owner, Ivy Reymering, healthcare management consultant; Eddy Opheikens, elementary school teacher; and Saskia Zwaardemaker who works in a civil notary office. District 1590 is in the northeast provinces of the Netherlands bordering the North Sea and Germany. The team will be introduced by Greg Fuchs, club GSE coordinator. Frankfort will be the team's next-to-last stop before returning to the Netherlands on Saturday April 21.

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Gregory Fuchs	Richard Taylor
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Clay Hulette	Steven Vincent
Bob Johnston	James Wallace
David Keller	Deborah Williams
James Kemper	Bill Wingfield
Anita King	Ann Wingrove
Denis King	Jim Wolcott
Simmie King	Ann Maenza



Congratulation to Dean Sorg for receiving the Award for Rotarian of Month.

This Week's Speaker: Leonard Cox

This week's guest speaker was Rotarian Leonard Cox from the Lexington Sunshine Club. Leonard spoke about the Kentucky Community and Technical College System (KCTCS) and the challenges that high school seniors face today in the job market.

KCTCS was created by the Postsecondary Education Improvement Act of 1997. KCTCS blends two education systems with long histories of service in Kentucky: 13 community colleges and 15 technical colleges. In this powerful new alliance, KCTCS provides accessible and affordable education and training in a two year program.

Leonard also explained the ACCESS Program, which is a partnership between the Kentucky Rotary Club's and the community and technical colleges. Each year a campus day for high school seniors is sponsored to local community colleges and technical schools. This is a great chance for Rotarians to promote educational and career opportunities, and to raise awareness of Rotary's commitment to community service. Thank you Leonard for such an informative talk.

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Frankfort Rotary Board Meeting

The monthly board meeting will be Monday, April 16, 2001 at 5:30 p.m., YMCA building on the 2nd floor.

What About Rotary!!

Rotary offers a code of ethics, though it is not a denomination. Rotary is a Benevolent Fellowship, but it is not a fraternity. Rotary can be a way of life, but it is not a religion. Rotary improves the quality of living in many homes, but it is not just another hometown club. Rotary encourages members to do vocational upgrades, but it is not an employment agency. Rotary offers the opportunity to better understand other businesses, but it is not just a networking organization. Rotary offers a platform to share ideas and better forms of business while eating, but it is not just a luncheon club. Rotary is a humanitarian time saver, not an organization that consumes valuable time. - (Many are helped, often with less effort, when individuals join together.) Rotary is an opportunity to Share, not a restricted group.

Thanks to Dean Sorg for the above comments.

Answers to the Question: Why Join Rotary?

- **Friendship:** In an increasingly complex world, Rotary provides one of the most basic human needs: the need for friendship and fellowship. It is one of two reasons why Rotary began in 1905.
- **Business Development:** The second original reason for Rotary's beginning is business development. Everyone needs to network. Rotary consists of a cross section of every business community. Its members come from all walks of life. Rotarians help each other and collectively help others.
- **Personal Growth and Development:** Membership in Rotary continues one's growth and education in human relations and personal development.
- **Leadership Development:** Rotary is an organization of leaders and successful people. Serving in Rotary positions is like a college education. Leadership: - learning how to motivate, influence, and lead leaders.

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**(More) Answers to the Question:
Why Join Rotary?**

- **Citizenship in the Community:** Membership in a Rotary club makes one a better community citizen. The average Rotary club consists of the most active citizens of any community.

- **Continuing Education:** Each week at Rotary there is a program designed to keep one informed about what is going on in the community, nation, and world. Each meeting provides an opportunity to listen to different speakers and a variety of timely topics.

- **Fun:** Rotary is fun, a lot of fun. Each meeting is fun. The club projects are fun. Social activities are fun. The service is fun.

- **Public Speaking Skills:** Many individuals who joined Rotary were afraid to speak in public. Rotary develops confidence and skill in public communication and the opportunity to practice and perfect these skills.

- **Citizenship in the World:** Every Rotarian wears a pin that says "Rotary International." There are few places on the globe that do not have a Rotary club. Every Rotarian is welcome – even encouraged – to attend any of the 29,000 clubs in 194 nations and geographical regions. This means instant friends in both one's own community and in the world community.

- **Assistance when Traveling:** Because there are Rotary clubs everywhere, many a Rotarian in need of a doctor, lawyer, hotel, dentist, advice, etc., while traveling has found assistance through Rotary.

- **Entertainment:** Every Rotary club and district has parties and activities that provide diversion in one's business life. Rotary holds conferences, conventions, assemblies, and institutes that provide entertainment in addition to Rotary information, education, and service.

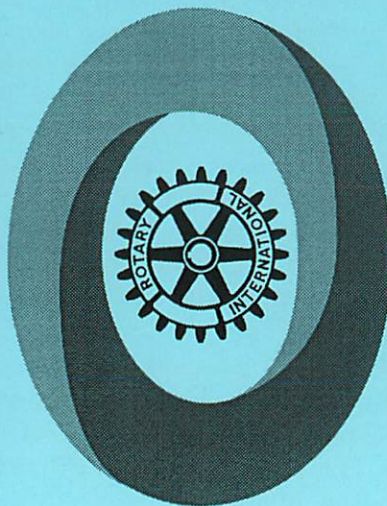
- **The Development of Social Skills:** Every week and at various events and functions, Rotary develops one's personality, social skills and people skills. Rotary is for people who like people.

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If you need additional information, call Joe Russell Johnson at 695-9166. If you prefer, mail your check to Joe at 110 Rutherford Drive, Frankfort, KY 40601. ALL REGISTRATIONS AND CHECKS MUST BE RECEIVED BY TUESDAY, APRIL 24.

We have an outstanding program planned. For example, RI 6710's District Governor Mary Jo Duke will discuss her recent Polioplus visit to India. Also, Mary Beth Warner, Deputy Commissioner in the Economic Development Cabinet, will focus on the "Kentucky: Going Global in the 21st Century."

Excellent entertainment will be featured, such as Kal Papp, the strolling violinist; Kelli Summers and Sarah Harlow, who are superb vocalists; and the Statesmen, a very talented group of Barbershop Singers.

Since the April 26 meeting is our official meeting that week there will not be a meeting on April 25. If you are unable to attend the dinner, please plan to do a make-up. RI rules allow members to do

make-ups either two weeks before or two weeks after a missing a meeting.

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This Week's Program: Dutch GSE

Our special guests this week were the Group Study Exchange Team from District 1590 in the Netherlands. The team led by Rotarian Dick Jan Van Dyke consists of Tamara Heimstra, Gerrit Jan Kreeft, Ivy Reymerink, Eddy Opheikens, and Saskia Zwaardemaker. The group presented the club with a cultural background of their country, and highlighted such topics as politics, the electoral system, education, and social problems.

One might ask, why should I want to participate in the Rotary Foundation Group Study Exchange Program? The answer is simple. Individuals who participate in this valuable once-in-a-lifetime experience will return home, not only with new perspectives and an enlarged vision, but with fresh ideals and an understanding of a nation's culture, commerce and government that can be invaluable to a country's and a company's future. The Group Study Exchange offers the most unique and rewarding opportunity and personal growth experience available. If you would be interested, please contact Greg Fuchs for further information. Again, we thank the Dutch team and wish them luck on the way home.

Action Taken by the Board April 16, 2001

Attending: Bill Miller, Tom Cockley, Don Dykman, Ruth Leathers, Polly Green, Ron Christopher, Pete Walsh, and Paula Rarden.

- Approved the minutes of the last board meeting on March 19, 2001.
- Approved the Financial Report for March 2001.
- Listened to Attendance Report presented by Pete Walsh.
- Approved new members Chris Young and Beth Johnson contingent upon no negative response after publication in the newsletter.
- Listened to report from Ron Christopher, Club Service.
- Acknowledged Reds vs. Marlins game will be July 27, 2001.
- Listened to report from Tom Cockley, Community Service.
- Acknowledged the Rotary International Dinner will be April 26, 2001. (This will be the club meeting for the week.)
- Listened to report from Don Dykman, Vocational Service. Noted that the District Speech Contest would not be May 2, 2001. He will check with Chuck Ellestad to determine the correct date.
- Acknowledged that the Shadow Program had been tentatively scheduled for May 23, 2001.
- Approved recommendation to budget up to \$1,500 for reimbursements for Rotary meetings/-

conferences attended by Rotary Board members.

• Acknowledged letter to be sent out to club members that aren't already Paul Harris Fellows or Sustaining Paul Harris Fellow members. The letter is asking them to become a member, or a sustaining member.

• Scheduled next board meeting for May 21, 2001.

Welcome New Member

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Paul Harris Fellow Info !!!

Please note that a letter has been sent to all members who are not Paul Harris Fellows or Sustaining Paul Harris Fellow members. You are cordially invited to participate in this program. The program co-chairs Barry K. Holder (695-3294) or Len Shirrell (695-8788) will contact you to provide addition information. Or, if you prefer, please give them a call.

District 6710 Conference

District 6710 Conference is scheduled for May 11-13 at Lake Barkley State Resort Park, Cadiz, Kentucky. All members are encouraged to attend. If you need registration forms or more information, please contact Paula at 223-3401 or 227-9573.

Host Families Wanted

Please volunteer to host a member of the India Group Study Exchange Team from Tuesday, May 8 through Friday, May 11 for further information, please contact Greg Fuchs 696-5342.

Rotary Task Forces

Frank J. Devlyn, RI President

(Sign up on the Task Force Web Sites)

- *Avoidable Blindness
- *Children at Risk
- *Crime Reduction and Violence Prevention
- *Diplomatic Relations
- *Environmental
- *Jobs for Disabled Persons
- *Literacy
- *Matched Clubs
- *Membership Development
- *Membership Retention
- *New Generations
- *Partnering With Other Organizations
- *Population and Development
- *Public Relations and Rotary's Image
- *Rapid Disaster Relief
- *Rotary Community Corps
- *Rotary Recreational and Vocational Fellowships
- *Technology
- *United Nations Agencies
- *World Community Service Resource

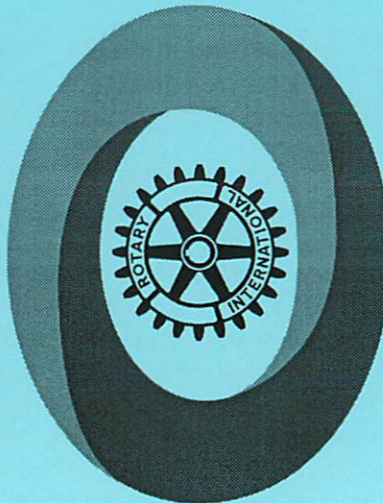
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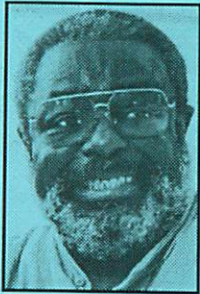
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Next Week's Program...



Fellow Frankfort Rotarian **Andrew Smith** will host a musical program for the May 2nd meeting. The program will consist of several Kentucky State University students performing musical selections under the direction of Dr. Smith.

Smith is the Assistant Professor of Music at KSU. He received his Bachelor of Music from Kentucky State University, and his Master's from Roosevelt University.

Please make plans to attend this meeting of the Frankfort Rotary Club for an unusual and pleasant lunch hour.

Host Families Wanted

Please volunteer to host a member of the Indian Group Study Exchange Team from Tuesday, May 8 through Friday, May 11. For further information, please contact Greg Fuchs 696-5342.

Opening Exercise Larry Arnett
Greeters Anita King & RB Brown

Make-Ups for Apr. 18

Steve Dooley	Ed Hatchett, Jr.
Nancy Edwards	Grover Shropshire
Polly Green	Ed Speer

Attendance Percentage: 83.78%

Scholarship Selection Committee Meeting

The committee will meet on Thursday, May 3 at 7:00 p.m. at the Crestwood Baptist Church Fellowship Hall to evaluate this year's scholarship applications. Anyone interested in helping, please come at that time.

District 6710 Conference

District 6710 Conference is scheduled for May 11-13 at Lake Barkley State Resort Park, Cadiz, Kentucky. All members are encouraged to attend. If you need registration forms or more information, please contact Paula at 223-3401 or 227-9573.

Frankfort Rotary Youth Fund Golf Scramble

Anyone desiring to assist "RB" Brown in promoting the Frankfort Rotary Youth Fund and the golf scramble, please contact "RB". We need people who will help enroll corporate sponsors, hole sponsors and players. Office: 875-1301, Home: 875-4794, Cell: 418-0227, e-mail: rbbrown6@bellsouth.net .

Today's Thought...

Neither fire nor wind, birth nor death can erase our good deeds. - Buddha

Golf Scramble "Goody Bags"

If you would like to get the name of your business in front of many Central Kentucky decision-makers, plan to place your magnet, sticker, notepad, golf towel or other promotional item in the "goody bags" to be given to all the participants during the July 17th Golf Scramble. For more information or to arrange pickup for your donation, call Kelli Summers at SORG Cooling-Heating (227-4521).

Answers to the Question: *Why Join Rotary?*

• **Friendship:** In an increasingly complex world, Rotary provides one of the most basic human needs: the need for friendship and fellowship. It is one of two reasons why Rotary began in 1905.

• **Business Development:** The second original reason for Rotary's beginning is business development. Everyone needs to network. Rotary consists of a cross section of every business community. Its members come from all walks of life. Rotarians help each other and collectively help others.

• **Personal Growth and Development:** Membership in Rotary continues one's growth and education in human relations and personal development.

• **Leadership Development:** Rotary is an organization of leaders and successful people. Serving in Rotary positions is like a college education. Leadership: - learning how to motivate, influence, and lead leaders.

• **Citizenship in the Community:** Membership in a Rotary club makes one a better community citizen. The average Rotary club consists of the most active citizens of any community.

• **Continuing Education:** Each week at Rotary there is a program designed to keep one informed about what is going on in the community, nation, and world. Each meeting provides an opportunity to listen to different speakers and a variety of timely topics.

• **Fun:** Rotary is fun, a lot of fun. Each meeting is fun. The club projects are fun. Social activities are fun. The service is fun.

• **Public Speaking Skills:** Many individuals

Paul Harris Fellow Info !!!

Please note that a letter has been sent to all members who are not Paul Harris Fellows or Sustaining Paul Harris Fellow members. You are cordially invited to participate in this program. The program co-chairs Barry K. Holder (695-3294) or Len Shirrell (695-8788) will contact you to provide additional information. Or, if you prefer, please give them a call.

who joined Rotary were afraid to speak in public. Rotary develops confidence and skill in public communication and the opportunity to practice and perfect these skills.

• **Citizenship in the World:** Every Rotarian wears a pin that says "Rotary International." There are few places on the globe that do not have a Rotary club. Every Rotarian is welcome - even encouraged - to attend any of the 29,000 clubs in 194 nations and geographical regions. This means instant friends in both one's own community and in the world community.

• **Assistance when Traveling:** Because there are Rotary clubs everywhere, many a Rotarian in need of a doctor, lawyer, hotel, dentist, advice, etc., while traveling has found assistance through Rotary.

• **Entertainment:** Every Rotary club and district has parties and activities that provide diversion in one's business life. Rotary holds conferences, conventions, assemblies, and institutes that provide entertainment in addition to Rotary information, education, and service.

• **The Development of Social Skills:** Every week and at various events and functions, Rotary develops one's personality, social skills and people skills. Rotary is for people who like people.

• **Family Programs:** Rotary provides one of the world's largest youth exchange programs; high school and college clubs for future Rotarians; opportunities for spouse involvement; and a host of activities designed to help family members in growth and the development of family values.

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• **Vocational Skills:** Every Rotarian is expected to take part in the growth and development of his or her own profession or vocation; to serve on committees and to teach youth about one's job or vocation. Rotary helps to make one a better doctor, lawyer, teacher, etc.

• **The Development of Ethics:** Rotarians practice a 4-Way Test that governs one's ethical standards. Rotarians are expected to be ethical in business and personal relationships.

• **Cultural Awareness:** Around the world, practically every religion, country, culture, race, creed, political persuasion, language, color, and ethnic identity is found in Rotary. It is a cross section of the world's most prominent citizens from every background. Rotarians become aware of their cultures and learn to love and work with people everywhere. They become better citizens of their countries in the process.

• **Prestige:** Rotary members are prominent people: leaders of business, the professions, art, government, sports, military, religion, and all disciplines. Rotary is the oldest and most prestigious service club in the world. Its ranks include executives, managers, professionals - people who make decisions and influence policy.

• **Nice People:** Rotarians above all are nice people - the nicest people on the face of the earth. They are important people who follow the policy of it is nice to be important but it is important to be nice.

• **The Absence of an "Official Creed":** Rotary has no secret handshake, no secret policy, no official creed, no secret meeting or rituals. It is an open society of men and women who simply believe in helping others.

• **The Opportunity to Serve:** Rotary is a service club. Its business is mankind. Its product is service. Rotarians provide community service to both local and international communities. This is perhaps the best reason for becoming a Rotarian: the chance to do something for somebody else and to sense the self-fulfillment that comes in the process and return of that satisfaction to one's own life. It is richly rewarding. "He profits most who serves best."

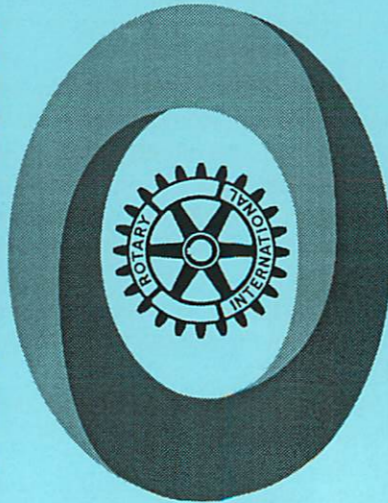
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