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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

The men and women of the West Palm Beach Rotary Club, established in 1919, are grateful for your interest in joining our club, part of Rotary International, one of the largest and oldest service organizations in the world!

Please attach a resume, CV or brief biography statement.

Applications must be complete before review. Fields marked * are required.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name *

Name Printed on Your Badge *

Home Address *

City *

State *

ZIP Code *

Birth Month *

Day *

Year *

Cell Phone *

Years Lived in the Area *

Email *

BUSINESS INFORMATION

Business Name *

Business Website

Profession / Title *

Proposed Classification (e.g., Law - Estate Planning)

Business Address *

City *

State *

ZIP Code *

Business Phone

Send Rotary Mail To *

Rotary bills, newsletters and other notices will be sent to the address selected above and to your email address.

Applicant _____

ABOUT YOU

Educational Background (schools, majors and degrees awarded) *

Community Involvement (organizations and any board or leadership positions held) *

Hobbies and Special Interests

Why do you want to join Rotary? What do you hope to gain, and what do you hope to contribute as a Rotarian? *

ROTARY CONNECTIONS

Previous Rotary Club, if any

Rotary RI Member # (if a prior member)

Who can we thank for referring you to the club? *

Applicant _____

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Rotary's motto, **Service Above Self**, is our primary focus. Service happens by getting actively involved in our committees and service projects, and by raising support for our Charity Fund, which supports projects in our community and abroad. **Please check any you would like to learn more about or join.** Time frames are approximate and subject to change.

- ☐ **Bike Project** (April)
Provides bicycles to children in local public elementary schools who, as determined by their teachers and principals, serve as role models of Rotary's motto of *Service Above Self*.
- ☐ **Dictionary Project** (September)
Labels and delivers 2,000+ dictionaries to third graders in local public elementary schools and runs an essay contest for the students who receive them.
- ☐ **Fellowship** (Ongoing)
Plans periodic social programs for members, including J.E.F.F. (Joint Effort for Fellowship) Night and the holiday party.
- ☐ **Charity Golf Invitational** (July to October)
Our club's biggest fundraiser; all proceeds go directly to the Charity Fund. The tournament is held in early fall. Committee members need not be golfers!
- ☐ **Flags for Heroes** (November)
Veterans Day flags are installed on the lawn of the Historic Museum. A fundraiser that also honors those who serve our country in the Armed Forces or as First Responders.
- ☐ **Holiday Food and Gift Project** (December)
Provides holiday food baskets and toys for approximately 100 families in need in West Palm Beach.
- ☐ **Membership** (Ongoing)
Grows the club by educating people about Rotary and recruiting new members.
- ☐ **Principal Grants** (September)
Provides grants to principals of local public elementary schools to use as they see fit, keeping in mind Rotary's motto and The Four-Way Test.
- ☐ **Public Image** (Ongoing)
Promotes the club's projects and services.
- ☐ **RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards)** (April)
Brings together high school students for an intensive leadership weekend.
- ☐ **Scholarship Program** (April)
Reviews applications, interviews and selects high school students for the club's college and vocational scholarships.

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APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I believe in and will support the work of Rotary, Rotary's commitment to **Service Above Self** and **The Four-Way Test**. I am personally and actively engaged in the business, profession or professional activity covered by the classification proposed for me, and my place of business or residence is located within or near West Palm Beach.

I understand that, if approved for membership, it will be my duty to exemplify the Objectives of Rotary in all my daily contacts and activities, and to abide by the RI Constitution and the Club's Bylaws. I understand that part of my membership dues will provide me an annual subscription to the official magazine or an approved regional magazine, as applicable. **I agree to pay the one-time initiation fee of \$225 and the quarterly dues in accordance with the Club's Bylaws.** In accordance with the Bylaws, termination of membership must be submitted in writing and approved by the Board of Directors. All open invoices for both West Palm Beach Rotary Club, Inc. and West Palm Beach Rotary Club Charity Fund, Inc. will be charged to the credit card on file upon termination. If the card on file is declined after termination, all legally available means of collection will be pursued.

CREDIT CARD ON FILE

The club requires a credit card on file at the management office for each member. **Applications cannot be processed without it.** The card on file will be charged automatically for any invoice more than 90 days past due.

Card Type *

Card Number *

Expiration (MM/YY) *

Cardholder's Name *

Billing ZIP Code *

For your security, we do not collect your card's security code (CVV) on this form. We will contact you at the time of payment.

DUES CHARGED TO YOUR CARD (OPTIONAL)

If you would like your dues charged to the card above, make your selections below.

☐ **Initiation Fee: \$225 (one time)**

Quarterly Dues (select one)

- ☐ **\$485.00** Active Member (Regular Membership)
☐ **\$135.00** Rule of 85 (age + years in Rotary total 85+)
☐ **\$250.00** Active Associate (ages 20-35)
☐ **\$250.00** Elected Official
☐ **\$585.00** Family Membership
☐ **\$500.00** Corporate Membership

Optional Quarterly Contributions

For Active Members and Active Associates

- ☐ **\$37.50** Charity Fund Contribution
☐ **\$25.00** Paul Harris Contribution
☐ **\$6.50** Rotary Attendance Wheel

Total charged to card each quarter

\$

Excludes the one-time
initiation fee

SIGNATURE

Applicant Name (printed) *

Date *

Applicant Signature *
