

What is Rotary?

Rotary is a global network of community volunteers.

Rotary club members are business, professional, and community leaders in your locality who meet regularly to plan and implement community service activities and network with other professionals. For those interested, members can also choose to become involved in international humanitarian service efforts. More than 1.2 million men and women in over 200 countries and geographical areas belong to over 33,000 Rotary clubs.

Rotary builds international understanding through scholarships, exchange programs, and humanitarian grants. Throughout the world, Rotary clubs participate in a broad range of educational, intercultural, and humanitarian activities designed to improve the lives of others.

Benefits of Membership

Belonging to a Rotary club provides members with an opportunity to make a contribution to their own communities and to communities around the world.

Members may join Rotary for many reasons, including community involvement, personal development, professional networking, and camaraderie with fellow members. But perhaps the most important benefit is the satisfaction gained from making a real difference in the world.

Rotary Club of Newark supports:

Annual Events

- Kiddie Day Parade
- Color Our Community Day
- Rotary Pancake Breakfast
- R.L. Concessions
- Salvation Army Bell Ringing
- Red Cross Christmas Gifts Program

Scholarships/Youth Programs

- 3rd Grade Dictionary Project
- Oratorical Contest
- RYLA Scholarship
- Charles Baldwin Scholarship
- Stott Memorial
- Interact Club
- Rotary International Youth Exchange

Rotary Club of Newark Projects

- United Way
- American Red Cross
- Newark Food Closet
- Alex Eligh Community Center
- Newark Hospital Emergency Room Renovation
- Haiti Orphanage
- Water for Sudan
- Shelter Box
- Chetumal Water Project
- PolioPlus
- Food Sense
- Wayne County Literacy Program
- Newark Library
- Newark Park Pavilions
- Camp Onseyawa
- Weeds to Wow
- Via Health Wellness Fair



About the Rotary Club of Newark

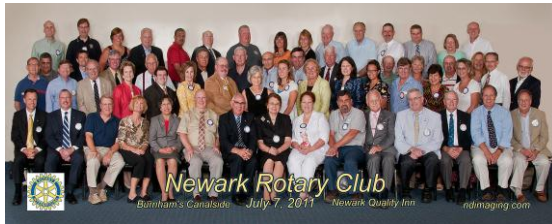
The Rotary Club of Newark began in 1926 with 23 members. Today we are made up of about 100 men and women who work and/or live in the Newark, NY area. The members come from different backgrounds and are committed to the ideal of "Service Above Self".

Our club is committed to supporting the Five Avenues of Service: Club, Vocational, International, Community and New Generations.

The Newark Rotary Club welcomes men and women from business and professional backgrounds, as well as those who are community and service minded.



PolioPlus, Rotary's most ambitious program to date, focuses on global immunization efforts and has played a leadership role with the World Health Organization, CDC, and UNICEF in bringing the world to the brink of polio eradication. The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation has contributed US\$355 million to Rotary to support PolioPlus activities.



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