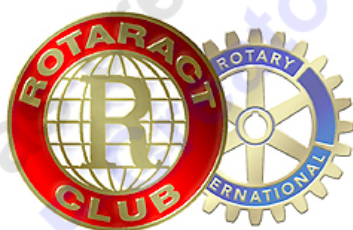


MEMBERSHIP PACKET



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ROTARACT CLUB OF THE SILICON VALLEY

The Path to Membership...

- Attending three club events/meetings (with in three months)
- Attending one local service project (with in three months)
- Having a current member as your sponsor to guide you through the process
- Completing the membership application
- Meet with a board members to talk about membership and the requirements (not your sponsor)
- Getting approval from the club board
- Paying your dues

I have read the membership application and understand its contents. As a new Rotaractor, I understand the financial requirements of membership, as well as the expectations for committee participation and attendance, as discussed with my sponsoring Rotaractor and a Board member. I also understand that I will need to be involved in one or more committees during my duration of membership. The duration of membership should be a minimum of two years. This membership should be considered a long term investment in your future with the distinct potential to join a Rotary Club. During your Rotaract membership, if the Rotaractor moves from the area they will be encouraged to find a new Rotaract Club to join or to move to the next step - a Rotary Club. In the case of a Rotaractor's situation and/or conditions that result in the Rotaractor being unable to attend regular meetings, the Rotaractor will indicate this inability to the President along with the duration of the absence and when they will be returning to regularly scheduled meetings. In this event, the Rotaractor should try to still attend any meetings or service projects or work on projects remotely, if possible to keep their membership active. Your time spent with Rotaract is usually dictated by how your career advances and/or financial resources allow you to join Rotary, or when you reach your *thirties* where it is no longer appropriate for you to be a part of Rotaract (this shall be determined by your ability to match the demographics of the group where there is not a large deviation between the individual and the rest of the group). When it comes time for the Rotaractor to move to a Rotary Club they should be encouraged to join a sponsoring Rotary Club. In the case of geography being a barrier to enter a sponsoring Rotary Club the Rotaractor should be encouraged to join a Rotary Club that is geographically near to the area of work or residence.

The prospective member should be of good character with a record of leadership and service to the community. If the forgoing expectations seem reasonable and appropriate in terms of entry to this Club you will be able to claim the right to be called a Rotaractor and a member of the Rotaract Club of the Silicon Valley. Congratulations on possessing attributes, values and principles needed to be a Rotaractor. These traits set you apart from your peers in the community and you should be proud to possess the title of Member of Rotaract and lay claim to be a part of the Rotary Family. This distinction is not lightly handed out nor provided to individuals that do not exude exemplary attributes. We congratulate your choice to join this dynamic group and become part of the Rotaract family and even bigger Rotary International. We, the Rotaract Club of the Silicon Valley, thank you for making this choice to put "Service above Self."

Meeting Information:

Thursday Nights, 6:30 to 7:30 PM

At

Eulipia Restaurant & Bar

374 South 1st Street, San Jose, CA

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Membership Application

Approval Process - The approval process may take several weeks to complete.

Personal Information:

Name:

Date of Birth:

Home Address:

City:

Zip:

Phone:

Employment/ School Information:

Employer/ School:

Years:

Type of Organization:

Address:

City:

Zip:

Phone:

Email:

Fax:

Position/title:

Financial Requirements:

1. Annual Dues

- Annual Dues (July – June) \$80.00
(May be paid once in July or through a payment plan worked out with the Treasurer)

Due within 30 days of approval

Acknowledgment (Applicant):

I have read the membership application and understand its contents. I understand the financial requirements of membership as well as the expectations for committee participation and attendance as discussed with my sponsoring Rotaractor and Board member.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Sponsoring Rotaractor:

Sponsoring Rotaractor Name:

Acknowledgment (Sponsor):

I have discussed the membership requirements and expectations with the applicant and will support the applicant as needed on an ongoing bases.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Acknowledgment (Board Member):

Board Member Name:

I have discussed the membership requirements and expectations with the applicant and believe that the applicant will follow through with the expectations and the sponsor will support when appropriate.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return this application to the Rotaract Club of the Silicon Valley at a meeting that you *will* be attending. That way you can be considered for admission to our organization.

****Once Board approves the application the President will sign off on the applicant and the applicant will be pinned at the next scheduled general chapter meeting.*

President of the Rotaract Club of the Silicon Valley:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Date of induction: