



ROTARY CLUB OF BLOOMINGTON NOON

District 5950 Rotary International

BLOOMINGTON ROTARY **EMERGING LEADER MEMBERSHIPS**

In May 2005, the Bloomington Rotary Membership Committee and Board of Directors approved an emerging leader membership category. A membership category for leaders under 30-years-old benefits our Club and is a tool to identify and involve today's young professionals in Rotary. Rotary has a history of successfully identifying emerging leaders. Paul Harris was 36 when he founded the first Rotary Club in Chicago. The last six Presidents of Rotary International were between 22 and 33-years-old when they joined.

The Rotary Club of Bloomington Noon expects that emerging leader members will have the same commitment to Rotary's objectives and to the ideals of Rotary as Rotary's individual members and that each member will participate in the fundraising and service projects of the club.

Qualifications & Elections: Individuals applying for an emerging leader membership must be under 30-years-old. Member prospects will each complete a regular member application and will be listed, after being inducted, as an emerging leader member classification in our roster. Emerging leader members are elected based on Bloomington Rotary's by-laws. Upon reaching their 30th birthday, emerging leader memberships will be converted to regular membership classification. Existing members, in good standing, also have the option to convert their membership to an emerging leader membership if they meet the requirements.

Fees and Dues: An emerging leader member will pay an initiation fee (currently \$100) and one half of the quarterly club dues (currently \$20 per quarter). The primary distinction between a regular and an emerging leader membership is that emerging leader members are only responsible for payment of the meetings they attend (currently \$16 per regular weekly meeting). Emerging leader members are encouraged to attend as many meetings and makeup meetings as possible.

Attendance, Participation, Offices and Awards: Attendance credit will be given to emerging leader members whenever they attends a meeting. Make-up credits may be achieved, based on our Club's participation guidelines. Emerging leader members are encouraged to become fully involved in Rotary. Emerging leader members are eligible for any of the offices and awards of the Bloomington Tuesday Noon Rotary Club.

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BLOOMINGTON ROTARY DUAL MEMBERSHIPS

In January 2005, the Bloomington Rotary Membership Committee and Board of Directors approved a dual membership category. A dual membership benefits our Club, both of the new members, and is an excellent tool to encourage today's busy organizations and professionals to be a part of Rotary. This new member classification is similar to membership options at the Rotary University and Minneapolis # 9 Clubs.

The Rotary Club of Bloomington Noon expects that dual members will have the same commitment to Rotary's objectives and to the ideals of Rotary as Rotary's individual members and that each dual member will participate in the fundraising and service projects of the club.

Qualifications & Elections: Individuals applying for a dual membership may either work for the same organization or live in the same household. Dual members can have the same or different classifications. Member prospects will each complete a regular member application and will be listed, after being inducted, as a dual member in our roster. Dual members are elected based on Bloomington Rotary's by-laws. Existing members, in good standing, will also have the option to convert their membership to a dual membership if they meet the requirements.

Fees and Dues: Both of the dual members will pay an initiation fee (currently \$100) and quarterly club dues (currently \$40 per quarter). The primary distinction between a regular and a dual membership is that dual members are only responsible for payment of one lunch (currently \$16) per week. Both members sharing a dual membership are encouraged to attend as many meetings and makeup meetings as possible. The dual members will be billed for the number of lunches they use when both members attend a meeting or make-up meeting.

Attendance, Participation, Offices and Awards: Attendance credit will be given to dual members whenever either member attends a meeting. A make-up credit is achieved, based on our Club's participation guidelines. Both dual members will be encouraged to become fully involved in Rotary. Dual members are eligible for any of the offices and awards of the Bloomington Tuesday Noon Rotary Club.