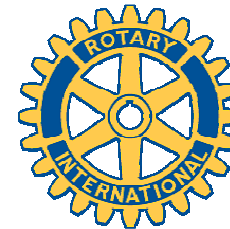
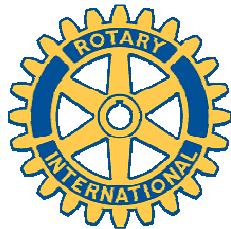


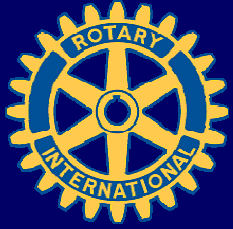
# ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

## District 2110 - Sicily and Malta



**Gaetano Lo Cicero**  
*Nominated District Governor*  
Rotary Year 2012-2013

Nunzio Scibilia  
District Trainer



# ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

## District 2110 - Sicily and Malta

1<sup>st</sup> meeting of the 2012-2013 Presidents  
with the NDG Gaetano Lo Cicero

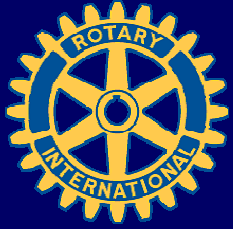


*Nunzio Scibilia*  
District Trainer

Let's start talking  
about Rotary



Garden Hotel - Pergusa - April 9, 2011



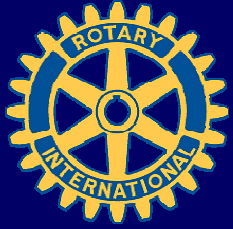
# Objectives of the meeting

Giving a good idea of Rotary and its activities.

Things to be remembered:

1. What the duties of the President of a Rotary Club are.
2. Objectives and Planning.
3. What is meant by the Rotary Family and Friendship.
4. Rotary duties and responsibilities.

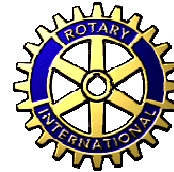




# Rotary International - Rotary Foundation r. y. 2010 - 2011

**Ray Klinginsmith**

**Rotary International  
President**  
1 year



**Vice President**  
1 year

**President Elect**  
1 year

**General Secretary**  
5 years

**17 Directors**  
2 years

**Treasurer**  
1 year

**531 Governors**  
1 year

**Salvatore Lo Curto**

**DG District 2110 Sicily and Malta**  
1 year

*Nunzio Scibilia*  
District Trainer



**Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar**

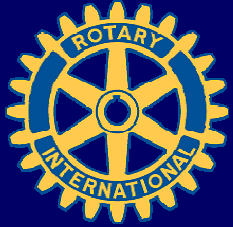
**Rotary Foundation  
President**  
1 year

**Vice President**  
1 year

**President Elect**  
1 year

**12 Trustees**  
4 years





# The “powers” in the Rotary International

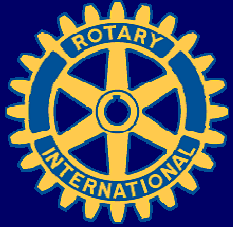


Nunzio Scibilia  
District Trainer

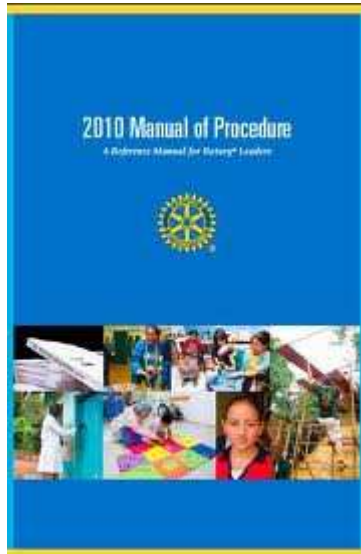
***The Board of Directors*** representing the government of Rotary International - is composed of 19 members: the President of RI, the President-Elect and 17 Directors, members appointed by the Clubs and elected by Congress for a period of two years.

The Central Council directs and controls the affairs of Rotary International and the management of funds in accordance and in conformity with the Bylaws and Rules of Procedure.

***The Council on Legislation.*** RI's legislative body, as provided for in article 10 of the RI Constitution and articles 7 and 8 of the RI Bylaws. Its voting membership is composed of a representative of the clubs of each district. It meets every third year to deliberate and act upon proposed enactments and resolutions submitted by clubs, district conferences, the RIBI General Council or Conference, the Council on Legislation, and the RI Board. Its actions in adopting legislation are subject to review by all clubs. See also enactment; resolution.



# The "sacred texts" of Rotary



## ROTARY CODE OF POLICIES

Table Of Contents	
Preface	ii
Outline of Code	CO-1
<u>Code of Policies</u>	
Chapter I General Provisions	17
Chapter II Clubs	21
Chapter III Districts	85
Chapter IV Administration	144
Chapter V Programs	266
Chapter VI Communications	334
Chapter VII Meetings	362
Chapter VIII Finances	432
Index	469

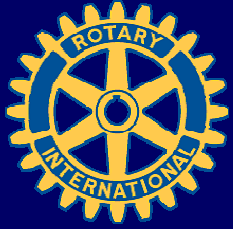
## Manual of Procedure

is a comprehensive guide to Rotary, its principles and objectives, its organization and its programs, contains the binding rules that can only be changed by the Council on Legislation. (Parliament of Rotary International).

Publication created to help club and district leaders understand Rotary and the policies and procedures most relevant to their services; issued every three years after each Council on Legislation. This also contains the RI constitutional documents.

## Rotary Code of Policies

Document containing all of the general and permanent policies of the RI Board of Directors. The code is updated after each Board meeting and Council on Legislation and supplies the RI constitutional documents.



# Rotary International in figures

Presence in countries  
and geographical regions

211

Districts *(1st July 2010)*

531

Clubs

33.855

Rotarians

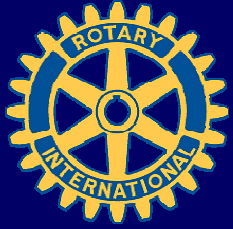
1.224.384

Clubs Rotaract

8.126

Clubs Interact

12.559



# We must not forget ...

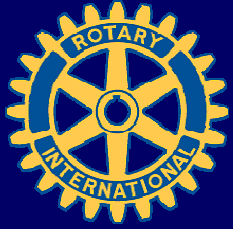
**It is very important!**



*To talk about*  
**ROTARY** *in the clubs,*  
*sometimes.*





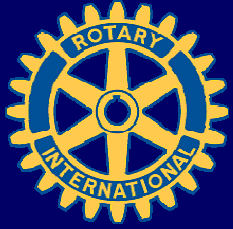


# The Four-Way Test

The ethics of our founding fathers is well demonstrated by the evidence of the 4 questions, created in 1932 by **Herbert G. Taylor** (International President 1954-55) and adopted by RI in 1943.

Of the things we think, say or do ...

1. Is it the **TRUTH** ?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned ?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS** ?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned ?

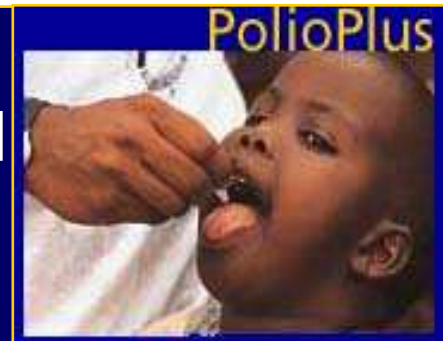


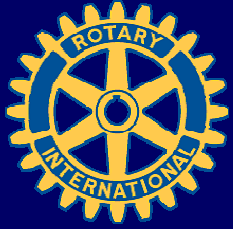
# Public image and Membership development

The public image of Rotary makes a vital contribution to the increase and retention of membership development.



Candidates applying for membership are steered towards efficient, effective and committed organizations to improving collective life in and outside their community.

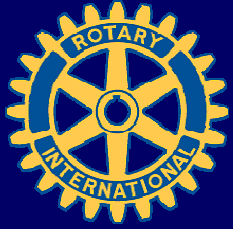




# Rotary illuminates the Colosseum to sensitize the Community



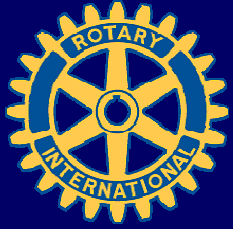




... and even the Trevi Fountain







# Rotary credibility



Bill Gates, co-founder of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, administered a dose of oral polio vaccine to a child in a Pradesh's Shadnagar clinic in India, in November 2002.

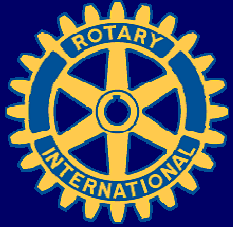


**355 + 200**

BILL & MELINDA  
GATES foundation

Nunzio Scibilia  
District Trainer

During the International Assembly of Rotary International in 2009 in Birmingham, Rotary and the Gates Foundation decided to raise their common commitment to the eradication of polio in 555 million dollars.



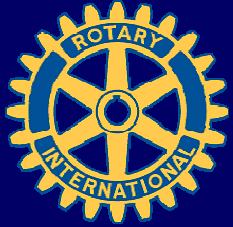
# "Bill Gates challenge"

- Progress in \$ 200 Million Challenge of Rotary to eradicate polio  
"A polio-free world"
- \$ 200 million goal by June 30, 2012

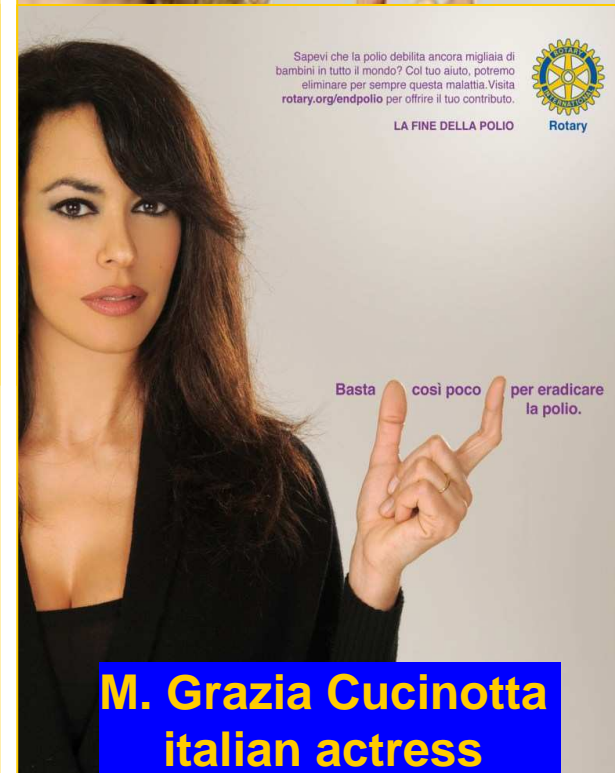
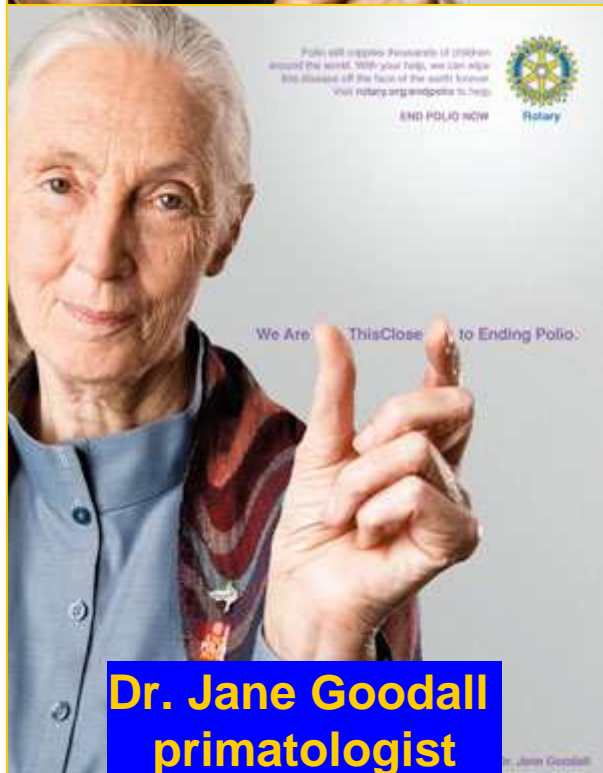
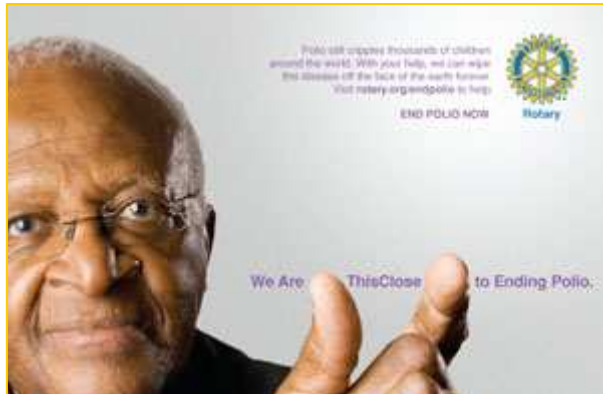
**Where are we today?**

**We have already raised \$ 164 million !**

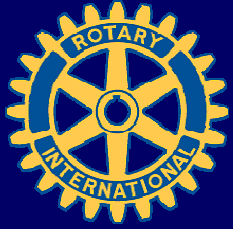




# We are this close to ending Polio

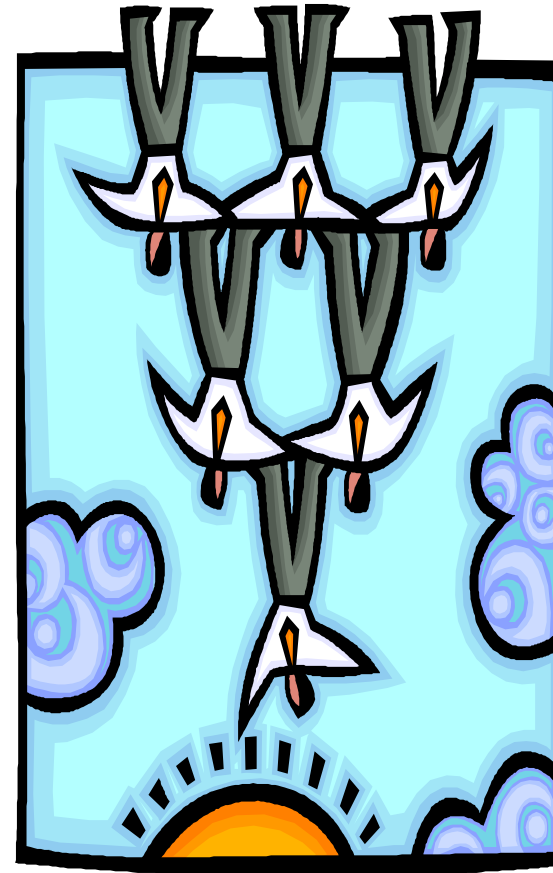




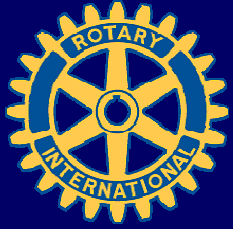


# Who makes up the board of the Club?

- President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Councillors
- Vice-President
- Immediate Past President
- Incoming President
- Sergeant at arms
- **Elected President**
- Presidents and Commission members





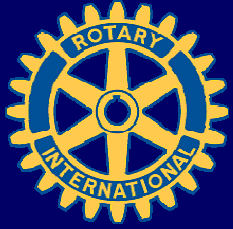


# The basic characteristics of an efficient President



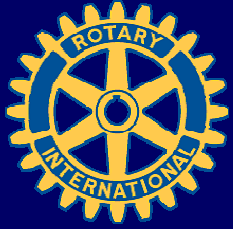
- Motivate other Rotarians.
- Maintains and increases membership development.
- Promotes, through the action of the Club, the image and the work of Rotary.
- Supports the Rotary Foundation.
- Is a reference point and a guide.





# What kind of President would You like to be?

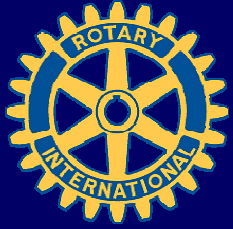




... the same goes for A President?



Nunzio Scibilia  
District Trainer

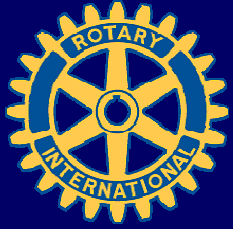


# What responsibilities has the President of the Club?

- Make sure all the Commissions have established and reached their objectives.
- Organize and promote participation to the meetings.
- Preside all meetings of the Club.
- Work with club leaders and those of the District.
- Organize and promote the visit of the Governor.
- Fostering ongoing collaboration with the outgoing and the incoming executives.



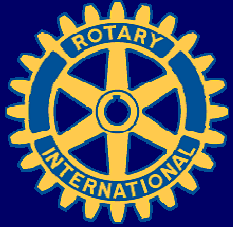




# How to prepare the leadership team and look to the future?

- Always urge the leaders\* and members\* to participate in the club and the district activities.
- Involving them\* in the process of formulation and goal setting.
- Working with your team to identify and train new leaders to obtain a progressive and physiological “replacement”.

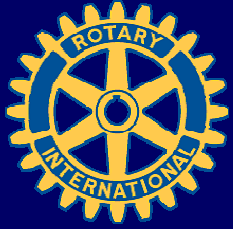




# Who to work with to achieve the objectives?

With ... the Team Manager of the  
Club, Members, their family  
members, the Governor  
Assistant, the district team,  
other Club, the Community  
and all those you are  
able to engage,  
therefore creating real  
**TEAMWORK**

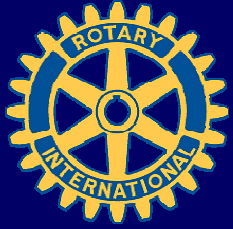




# Characteristics of a valid objective

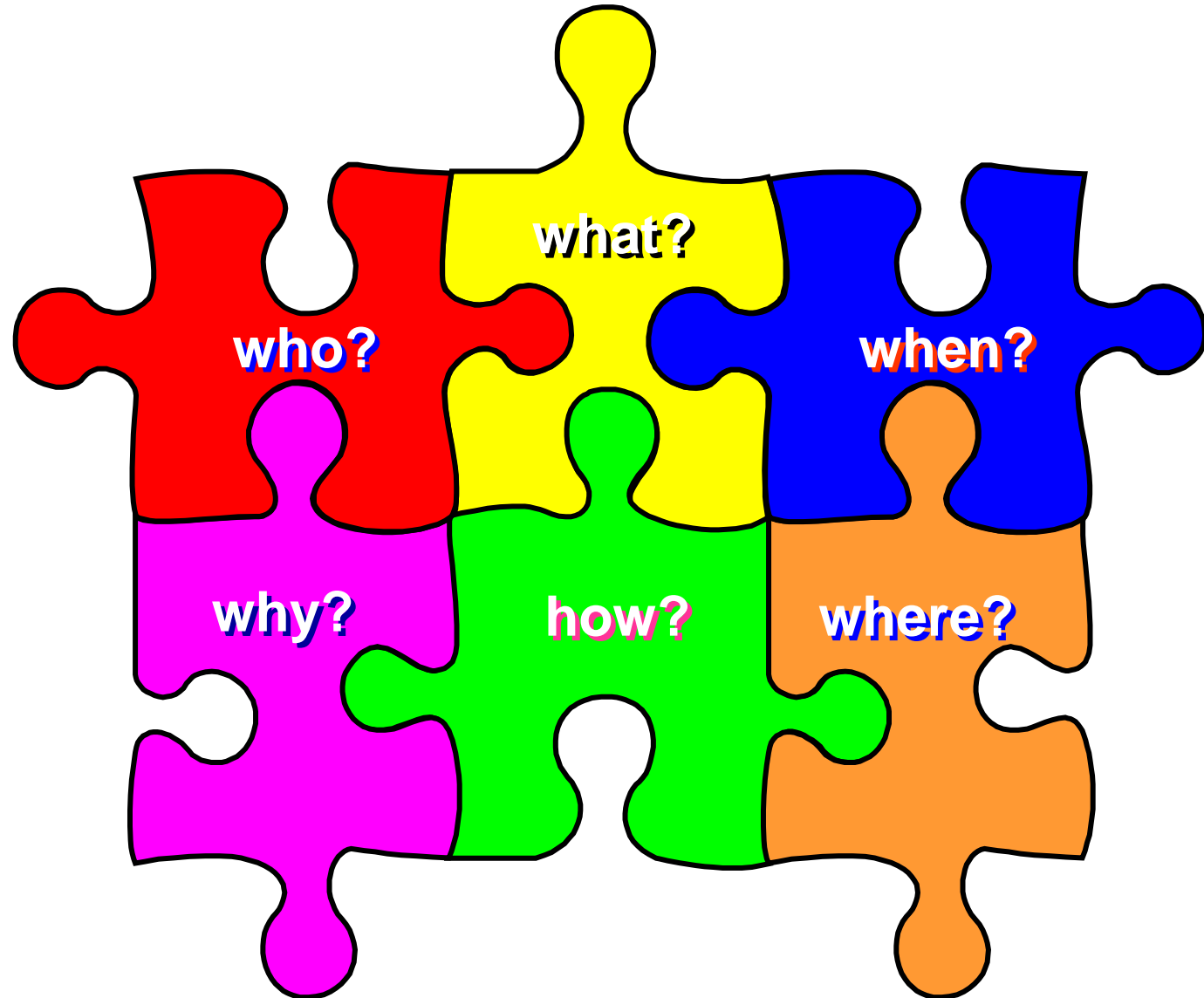
Shared  
Measurable  
Ambitious  
Achievable  
Limited in time



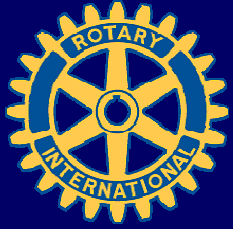


# Proper planning to achieve objectives

**roles,**  
**activities,**  
**times,**  
**reasons,**  
**method,**  
**place**







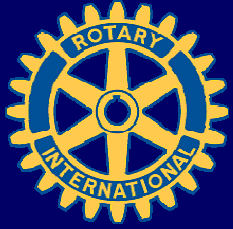
# Rotary Friendship



- Belonging to Rotary and calling yourself rotarians, means to act and to be present by practicing, through "Friendship", the ideal of serving the community.

# FRIENDSHIP



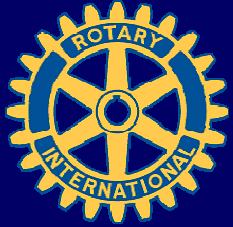


# What we mean by "Rotary Friendship"?



Friendship, for the Rotarian, must mean “service above self” and be ready to place yourself at the service of others.

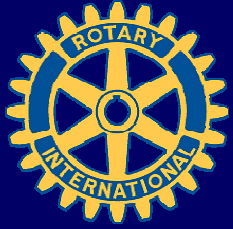
Rotarian Friendship must therefore be understood as the union of people with a vision and a common ideal: the willingness to make themselves useful in everyday life.



# Who makes up the Rotary Family?

- Club members
- Relatives, Children.
- Widows/widowers of members missing.
- Youth Exchange Students and their Families.
- Interact and Rotaract members.
- RYLA Participants.
- The GSE team members / RF Fellows (Ambassadorial Scholarships)
- The components of the Rotary Community Corps.



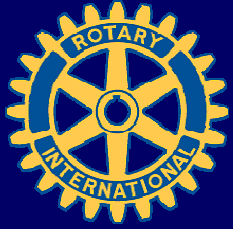


# How to involve families in Rotary?

- With social events organized specifically for families.
- With meetings at the Club on topics of particular interest.
- Involving them in fundraising.
- Projects with the services offered to the community.
- Hosting the participants of the Youth Exchange and GSE.
- Encouraging the participation in the Fellowship and Rotary Community Corps.







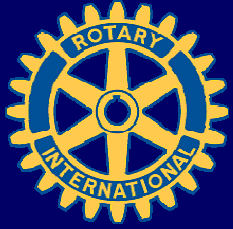
# How do we encourage our youths to be part of the Rotary Family?

Involving them in:

- Projects, fundraising, events organized by the Club and District.
- Christmas conviviaals, handovers.
- District Conferences, Assemblies.
- Sponsorships for the RYLA.
- Involving them in the Fellowship and the Rotary Community Corps.

Always keeping in mind that they are the real future resource of the Club ...



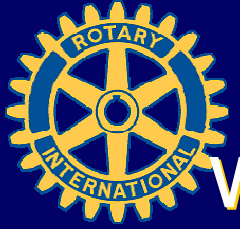


# What are the duties and responsibilities of District Governor

The task of the District Governor is to promote the Object of Rotary under the general supervision of the RI Board, guiding and motivating the clubs within the district.



The responsibilities of the Governor from the election on are many. One of these is also the obligation to send a **monthly letter** to communicate with club leaders, keep them informed of Rotary International and remind them of important rotarian dates.

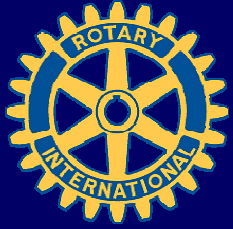


We are talking about Rotary ...  
we must remember, all together, that...



**There is a time for everything**

**We try *always* to find time  
to devote to "*our*" ROTARY**



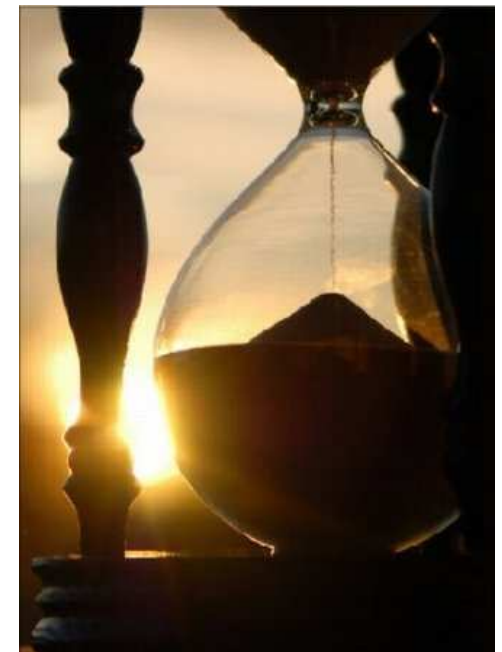
## Each Rotary Club

*Must try to devote his time well,  
especially for projects that will certainly  
become, in time, the pride of the Club.*

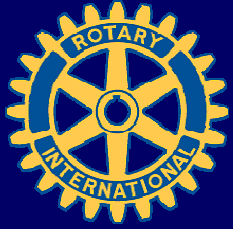
*Many projects have already taken place  
and shall be followed  
by others in future.*

*Thanks to you, so many  
beautiful dreams ...  
will soon become, reality.*

Nunzio Scibilia  
District Trainer







# A preview of the near future



Ray Klingensmith



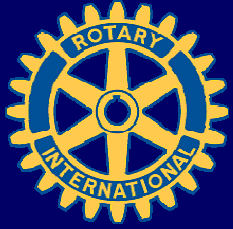
Nunzio Scibilia  
District Trainer



Kalyan Banerjee

2010-2011

2011-2012



# A preview of the near future



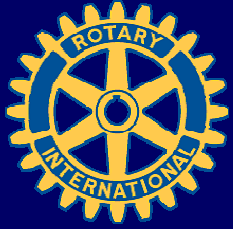
Logo and theme  
of the year  
?



Sakuji Tanaka

2012-2013

RI President Ray Klinginsmith officially declared Sakuji Tanaka the Rotary International president-nominee on 1 October. There were no challenging candidates. The Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International in 2012-13 selected Tanaka, a member of the Rotary Club of Yashio, Saitama, Japan, in August. He will be formally elected at the 2011 RI Convention in New Orleans, Louisiana, USA.



# Right away, we set the following objectives

1. Provide a quick overview on the Rotary and its activities.

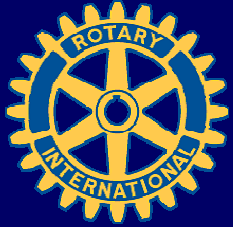
## Remember ...

2. What the duties of the President of a RC are.
3. Objectives and Planning.
4. What “Rotarian Friendship” and “Rotary Family” is.
5. Duties and Responsibilities in Rotary.

**Have we achieved all this?**

**I hope so !**



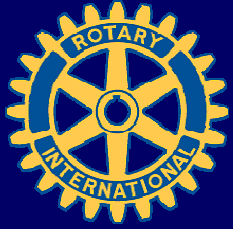


# I want to leave with a thought

*The main mission for us all, is to always operate in compliance with the sound principles of Rotary - in the Club, District and ... why not try to hand over these values in our entire civil society that we come in touch with daily?*



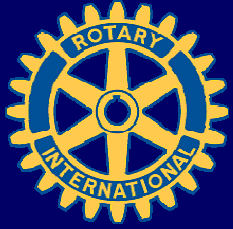




In conclusion, Paul Harris said



***“ Being a Rotarian  
in practice  
means having  
the courage and pride,  
not only to declare  
such, but to be  
in everyday reality. ”***



To You I extend my heartfelt



Nunzio Scibilia  
District Trainer

***Good Rotary at all !***