





HEARTLAND PETS 2021 – Districts 5680 and 5710

YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN FELLOW ROTARY LEADERS BY PARTICIPATING IN PETS

Please mark your calendar and register for these virtual sessions:



Feb 21	7:00p - 8:30p	Kicking Off Your Year
Mar 7	7:00p - 8:30p	RI – Making It Personal
Mar 21	7:00p - 8:30p	20/20 Hindsight
Mar 26	4:30p - 7:00p	An Evening with Leaders
Mar 27	8:00a - 12:00p	Putting the Pieces Together





Monday Morning District 5680 PETS e-Mail #6

MOTIVATE YOUR TEAM

Setting Goals and Developing Action Plans



Good Monday morning to all 2021-22 Presidents-Elect in Rotary District 5680,

We hope that you took the opportunity last week to further your knowledge about our Rotary Foundation and the importance of supporting it.

- 1. Did you help encourage others in your club to donate to our Foundation so that your club could meet its Foundation goals or become an *EREY Club* (Every Rotarian Every year)?
- 2. Do you have that part of your leadership team in place? Have you identified your club's Foundation Chair and Committee for your Presidential year? Are you encouraging those Rotarians to start to learn what they need to know about the Foundation and determine if the club will continue with the same plans and goals from current Rotary year or create new plans for the upcoming year?



This week, you have several "to dos" to ensure that your officer, board and committee chairs team will begin to think about their 2021-22 goals which will include supporting appropriate service projects. We are sure that you are aware that your club's program of service is often the life blood of your club and of Rotary. It is through the hands-on participation in Rotary projects that members become engaged. And remember, engaged members stay in Rotary!

Rotary is involved in 6 Areas of Service including Community, International, Youth, Vocational, Club and New Generations Service. As President, you have the responsibility to ensure that there is a balanced program of service based on your member input and desires. It is critical that projects are the appropriate size for the club's human, time and financial resources. However, projects can also inspire Rotary clubs and members to extend themselves and accomplish what they never thought they would or could achieve. Check out the District 5680 website to see what other clubs are doing. Maybe you can partner or do something similar. Offer your best projects to be added to the website!

So, below is a list of this weeks "to dos". We hope you will complete them and learn even more about your club.

- 1. **Final check** did the names of your club's President, the President-Elect, Secretary and Treasurer get uploaded through Club Runner to Rotary International.
- 2. Read "Your Projects" in your Lead Your Club: President 2019-22 manual, pages 61-67
- 3. Review *Appendix 8: Rotary Service Options* in your **Lead Your Club** manual on page 66. How many of these service options is your club currently involved with?
- 4. Request that your Program Chair find a knowledgeable speaker about some of the Rotary Service options that your club is **not** involved with.
- 5. Review all the Club's proposed Service Projects to see if they fall within Rotary's *Areas of Focus Policy* Rotary's Seven Areas of Focus, which you had an opportunity to read about last week.
- 6. Ask your International Committee Chair and other interested members to explore opportunities for an international service project such as participating in a water project, education project or other project in another part of the world.
- 7. Ensure that your designated Service Project Committee Chair or Chairs are aware of the "Club Service Projects Committee Basics" Rotary course in the Rotary Learning Center. Encourage the Chair and committee members to review this short 45-minute learning plan. Have them go to https://learn.rotary.org/members/learn/catalog. Rotarians must log into My Rotary to access that area of the website.

We want to strongly encourage you to have your leadership team planning over the next couple of months to ensure a strong club and a successful year. You and your team will bring to life and action the information you learn at PETS.

8. Encourage your officers, board members, and committee chairs to begin thinking about their Goals and Action Plans for 2020-21. After PETS, your team will want to be working on these goals so that by the time your leadership team takes its place on July 1, you will be ready to hit the ground running and have a successful transition and a year of inspiring your club and your community.

We continue to remind you – you are not alone in this adventure.

You have many resources within District 5680 including DGE Fred Heismeyer, DGN Ivanhoe Love your assistant governors, and the entire district leadership team. We'll see you at PETS!

We look forward to working with you at PETS and throughout your term as president of your club.

Serving to Change Lives,

Fred Heismeyer District Governor-Elect District 5680 DeAnn Sullivan District Trainer District 5680



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