**ROTARY CLUB OF MOSCOW, IDAHO**

**Club Information for Prospective Members**

**Financial Obligations and Attendance Guidelines**

 **“Service Above Self”**

**The Rotary Club of Moscow was admitted to Rotary International in February 1920. The Club meets every Monday from 11:30 AM until 1:00 PM at the University Inn Best Western for a lunch meeting. The Rotary Club year is July 1st through June 30th.**

**Club President : Tim Thomson President Elect Nominee : David Nelson**

**Past President : Joy Lunsford Secretary : Carol Bennett**

**President Elect : Tim Thomson Treasurer : Steve Kadlec**

**Meetings and Meal Costs:**

**The Rotary Club of Moscow business meetings are held weekly (with a few exceptions) at
12 noon on Mondays at the University Inn Best Western. Doors open at 11:30 for lunch. Prospective members will be invited to one lunch paid by the Club. Club members hosting a guest will pay for the guest's lunch at the door. Members pay for their lunches at the
door-- ~$12.50 for express meal; $6.50 for soup. No meals will be billed for later payment.**

**Annual Financial Obligations:**

**Rotary Club of Moscow members will be invoiced quarterly (January, April, July and October) for $50.00. Payments can be mailed to the club treasurer, Steve Kadlec, PO Box 8021, Moscow ID 83843, or given to the treasurer at a meeting. Included in the quarterly dues are the costs of Rotary International and Rotary District 5080 (~$100/member/year). The additional monies are needed for internal local Club operations and administrative costs such as the post office box, website, Chamber of Commerce, social event decorations, etc.**

**Occasional Costs:**

1. **Happy Dollars—Voluntary – members pay $1 or more for a happy/sad announcement to the Club members at a meeting.**
2. **Special programs/events-- optional donations are collected for Christmas for Kids, etc.**

**Attendance:**

**All Rotary Clubs no longer have a minimum attendance requirement. They expect members to actively participate in events, projects, programs and attend as many meetings as practicable.**

**Orientation:**

**An orientation to the work of Rotary International, District 5080 and the Rotary Club of Moscow will be provided for new members following their induction into the Rotary Club of Moscow.**

**Expectation:**

**The Rotary Foundation Annual Fund is the heart of Rotary and there is an expectation that Rotarians donate $100 or more every year. Additional information on the Fund is available from the Club’s Foundation Chair, Dave Ostrom, or online at rotary.org.**