

August 15, 2022 Imaginarian New Beginnings and a Challenge

August is a month of **new beginnings**! We see this in our neighborhoods, as kids eagerly (well, most of them) head back to school and college, *Imagining* a new year filled with unlimited possibilities.



And that is true for Rotary, too!

As the *Imagination Tour* visits the Clubs in our district, we see firsthand how they are *Imagining* all the possibilities for their Clubs in this new Rotary Year.

Rotary International has designated August, Membership and New Club Development Month.

It's exciting to see how many of our clubs have already developed strategies to attract new members.

Some involve Rotary Club socials, like **Highland County's Fifth Mondays** or **Westchase's Thirsty Thursdays.** These socials provide opportunities for members to bring friends and showcase how fun Rotarians are!

Several clubs, like **Fishhawk Riverview and the Tampa Rotaract Club**, have attracted new members by inviting them to help out with their service projects or fundraising events. What a great way to show Rotarians in action serving our community.

Let's invite others along for the ride that we enjoy as Rotarians.



Tampa Rotaract Club

Here's a challenge for the week: Choose a way that makes sense to you, to share Rotary:

- Invite someone to your next meeting.
- > Add a Rotary logo to your email signature.
- > Put a Rotary bumper sticker on your vehicle.
- Post something distinctly Rotary on social media and use a hashtag like #RotaryDistrict6890 or #PeopleOfAction.
- > Wear Rotary apparel and <u>always</u> wear you Rotary Pin with pride!

Just *Imagine* the possibilities of flooding our collective footprint with information about the good of Rotary!

Don't forget to add <u>your</u> Club's socials, fundraisers and service opportunities on the DACdb calendar. We want to SEE you (Support, Educate and Engage)!

Have a great Rotary Week!

On behalf of Your District 6890 Leadership Team, We Are Yours in Rotary Service,

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