



# Rotary Leadership Institute

The Rotary Leadership Institute is a grassroots, multi-district leadership development program whose mission is to strengthen Rotary clubs through quality leadership education

March 2023

## Psst - The Party is in Melbourne!

Wow! The International Convention is right around the corner! It is only 2 short months away. Be sure to register for both the convention and the RLI breakfast. It is a great chance to meet with Rotarians from around the world who believe in training as much as you do!

Our breakfast will be held at the Cricket Grounds in the Legends Room on May 31<sup>st</sup> from 7-9 am local time (map on the next page). This is a full breakfast to start your day right and is only \$35 per person. There will be award presentations and updates on what is happening with RLI around the world.

Check out: <https://rotarymelbourne2023.org/> for more information.

And register to attend at <https://convention.rotary.org/en>

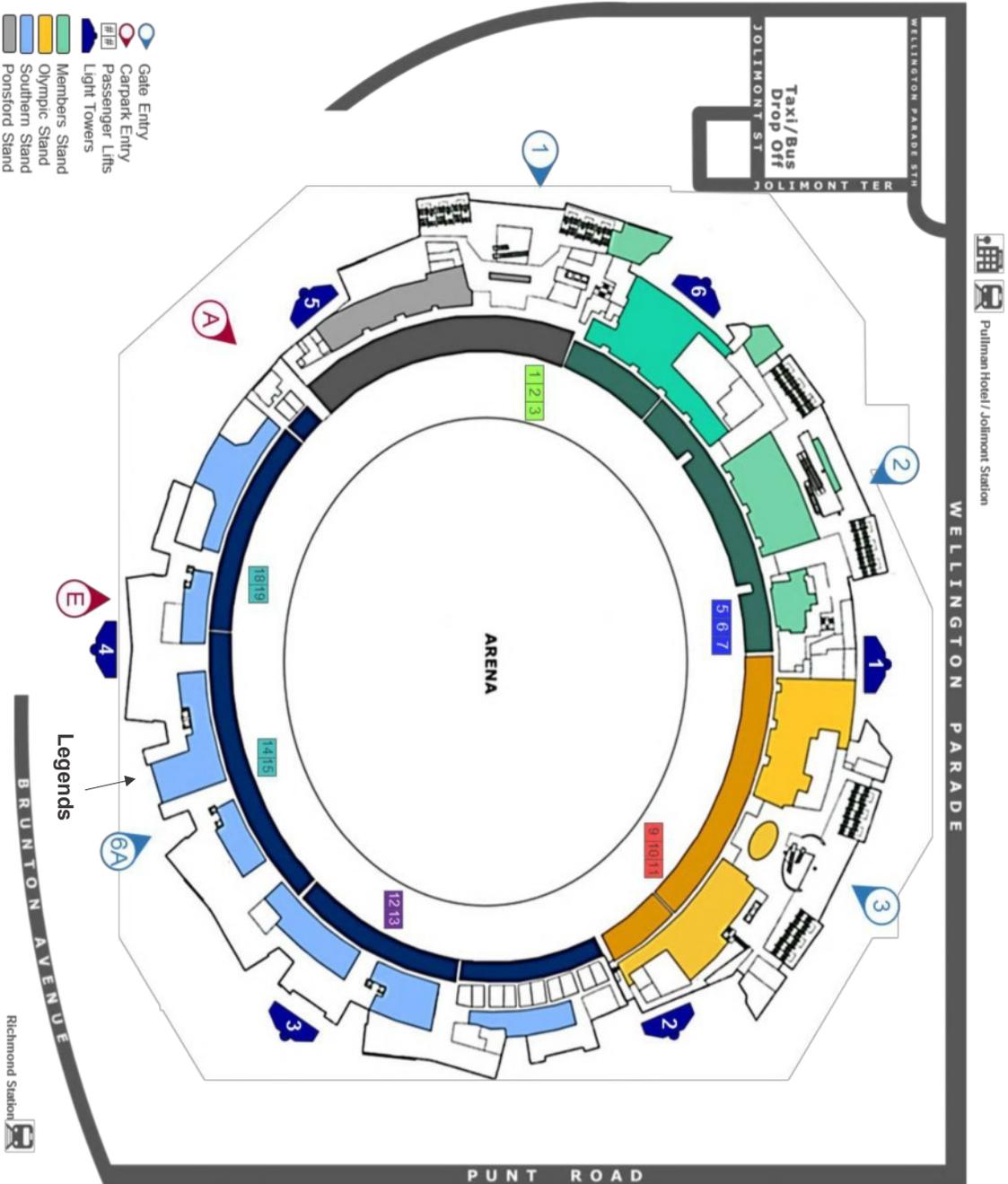
**Register for the  
RLI Breakfast:  
CLICK HERE**



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## Legends Room

### Level 2

#### Gate Entry – Gate 6A

Please use lifts 14, 15 to access room  
MCG Parking – Entrance A off  
Brunton Avenue

#### IF COMING TO THE GROUND BY

##### TRAIN – RICHMOND STATION

Exit station, cross Punt Rd, walk  
towards the  
MCG via Brunton Ave, go up the  
stairs, enter at  
the above allocated room gate

##### TRAIN – JOLIMONT STATION

##### TRAM – FROM WELLINGTON PARADE

Exit station, walk through the park  
towards the  
MCG, enter at the above allocated  
room gate

##### TRAM FROM OLYMPIC PARK

Get off at Rod Laver, walk up the  
ramp to  
footbridge to the MCG, enter at the  
above

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# Featured Division: Central America

Greetings from Honduras!

We have just finished Courses 1-3 for Honduras which was prepared initially for Rotaract and at the end was a mix with Rotarians. 24 graduates



 **Graduandos Curso 3 Honduras**



**Rotaract y Rotarios en continuo aprendizaje**

Held on January 15, 2023, it was our first in-person Course after Covid and our Zoom courses!

Be sure to follow us on Instagram!

<https://instagram.com/ilrhonduras?igshid=YmMyMTA2M2Y=>

The Central America Division includes:  
Districts 4240, 4250  
Panama, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, El Salvador, Belize, Guatemala and Honduras

How can your Division be featured? Send photos and information to:  
[Newsletter@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org](mailto:Newsletter@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org)



# Get Involved!

*We are stronger together! Action opportunities for you:*

## RLI Breakfast in Melbourne

**May 31, 2023**  
**7 to 9 a.m. Local time**  
**Legends Room (map on page 2)**  
**\$35 per person**  
**Full breakfast**  
**Awards presentations**  
**RLI International Update**  
**RLI Fellowship!**

## Submit Information

Please submit photos and articles for our newsletter to:

[Newsletter@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org](mailto:Newsletter@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org)

Please include:

Your name, Division name, date, and the names of the people in your photo

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## Volunteer for Melbourne

It is never too early to start planning for the international convention. We will have a booth and a breakfast and we need volunteers for both. (Especially the booth!)

Contact Board Member, Tim Moore to volunteer:

[tim.moore@rotary9820.org.au](mailto:tim.moore@rotary9820.org.au)



## We Want to Know!

What are you doing to promote RLI in your area? This is one of the most frequent questions sent to this newsletter. Share your successes and processes so we all learn together!

- Do you use social media?
- Do you have a database?  
What kind?
- Do you send newsletters?  
Emails? Direct marketing to former participants?

Inquiring minds want to know!

Do you have a great flyer you use? Please send it to

[newsletter@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org](mailto:newsletter@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org) and we will share it with the world.



## Our Board of Directors

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All Directors serve a three year term. The date beside their name is the end of their current term.

Please watch future issues of this newsletter! We will be printing interviews with Board members.

## Contact Information

Our website is:

[www.rotaryleadershipinstitute.org](http://www.rotaryleadershipinstitute.org)

To access curriculum files:

[www.rlifiles.com](http://www.rlifiles.com)

To order RLI pins, send an email to:

[OrderPins@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org](mailto:OrderPins@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org)

Include the quantity, your name and mailing address.

To update the Division information including district numbers and the names of RLI officers:

[Corrections@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org](mailto:Corrections@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org)

For questions about your RLI Invoice or billing:

[Billing@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org](mailto:Billing@rotaryleadershipinstitute.org)

To submit articles and pictures for the newsletter:

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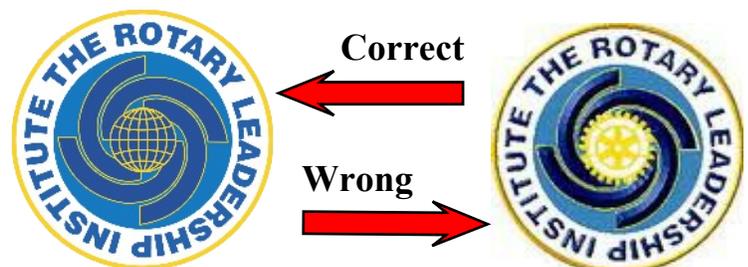
Got questions? Need more information? Send your request to:

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## Logo Update!

Are you using the correct RLI Logo? Now is the time to make sure your Division is in compliance with Rotary International guidelines!

The correct RLI logo has a wire frame globe in the center instead of a Rotary wheel. To protect the copyright of the Rotary logo, only members or programs of Rotary are authorized to use the wheel.



## Our International Advisory Committee



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