



*Ageing is not negotiable
Growing old is optional*

YOUTH SERVICES

2020-2021

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Rotary is a global network of 1.2 million neighbours, friends, leaders, and problem-solvers who come together to make positive, lasting change in communities at home and abroad.

Rotary in Great Britain and Ireland (Rotary GB&I) is a network of over 1,700 clubs and 46,000 members, all making a difference to communities at home and abroad.

The Rotary family is diverse and vibrant, with various membership options and groups specifically for young people ranging from 7 - 30 years old.

Clubs carry out a huge range of activities and projects at home aimed at improving and building community spirit.

Members carry out a wealth of international programmes and activities all over the world, reaching out to people in need.

Rotary District 1080 is made up of clubs in Norfolk, Suffolk & Cambridgeshire.

Ofsted

Educational institutions are under incredible scrutiny and pressure from Ofsted visits, and we can assist. Inspectors are now looking for outside curricular activities in a number of areas. Ofsted reports have recognised and awarded points for Rotary activities where we have cooperated with partner schools. If an opportunity is identified or felt to exist we should discuss and explore a Rotary activity that will assist.

RotaKids



- Junior age group (7 to 12 yrs).
- Primary school Citizenship programme.
- Run a short, one term project or longer.
- Could be fund raising or community service projects.
- Introduces young people to Rotary ideals.
- Develops personal and social skills.

District Contact: Bernard Hindes (Ipswich Club)

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- Junior, Intermediate & Senior age groups.
- Explore, investigate, research and undertake an environmental sustainability project on the theme of **“Climate Change and Carbon Reduction.”**
- The project undertaken should raise awareness of a particular problem within the given topic area and inspire action to respond to the growing awareness of the problem..
- The project is to be presented in the student’s or group’s chosen format.
- See rules for full details.
- Club entries to District Organiser by the end of February 2021
- District entries to Rotary GB&I by *Monday 29th March 2021*

District Contact: Keith Tovey (Norwich Club)

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- Junior, Intermediate & Senior age groups.
- The task is to produce a five minute film based upon the theme, **‘Challenge’** using mobile phones or cameras.
- The competition aims to encourage young people to experiment with film making, use digital and/or traditional methods, demonstrate interpretation of the topic, express ideas through the various media of film making.
- To accompany the film, each entrant must provide a brief sentence describing the relationship to the theme.
- Club entries to District Organiser by *Monday 15th March 2021*
- District entries to Rotary GB&I by *Monday 29th March 2021*

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- ❑ Age Group 11-17 (Key Stages 3, 4 & 5).
- ❑ All day event run by local clubs to a nationally set challenge.
- ❑ Young people construct a device that meets the challenge.
- ❑ 3 levels of competition appropriate to age or ability.
- ❑ Encourages young people to see design and technology as attractive and challenging.
- ❑ Develops team work, communication, problem solving & practical skills.
- ❑ Creates interest and a sense of achievement and fun.
- ❑ Official Date *February / March* but can be at any time of the year.
- ❑ Every participant successfully completing a Technology Tournament can apply for a CREST Award.

District Organiser: Allan Culley (Downham Market Club)

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- Designed specifically for children aged 8-11 years old
- Tests the knowledge, innovation, and problem solving skills of the participants and their ability to work in a team.
- Teams have to solve an interactive technology based task and are required to design, model and build a solution with the materials supplied.
- The Junior Technology Tournaments can take place across a whole day, two half days or four 'twilight' sessions of around one hour.
- Contact the District organiser well in advance of the proposed date.
- The District organiser will work with the club and school to make sure the task is suitable for the children involved.

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- Secondary Age group, citizenship project.
- Club for young people 12 – 18, meeting regularly, having fun and serving others.
- Part of an international organisation.
- School or community based.
- Carry out local projects to benefit their community or school as well as international projects.
- Sponsored by a Rotary Club which provides continued support and guidance.
- Clubs are self governing and elect their own officers.

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- Open to 18 to 30 + year olds.
- Over 170 clubs in Great Britain & Ireland, more than 6,000 in the world.
- Meet people.
- Try new activities.
- Make a difference in the local & global communities.
- Enhance the knowledge and skills that will assist in personal development.
- Promote better relations between all people worldwide through a framework of friendship and service.
- Have a great time.

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Patrons and Endorsements

We enjoy the support of any number of Public and Private leaders of the community & companies, including Police Commissioners, Fire & Rescue Services, major companies, all coupled with favourable mentions by Ofsted



Camps & Tours:

These take place in different parts of the world from June to August and can be cultural or interest based. The aim is to foster a better understanding of people from other countries while experiencing an interest or a culture, which may include a home stay. They are for young people aged 14-22, depending on the camp.

Short Term Exchange (STEP):

These are for young people, aged 15-17, who wish to exchange with a partner from abroad. One partner hosts the other for 3 weeks or more and is then hosted in their partner's country. This is normally during the school summer holiday.

New Generations Service Exchange:

This is a short-term international exchange programme lasting typically between 5 weeks and 3 months. It gives young people aged between 18 and 30 the opportunity to help others less fortunate than themselves by participating in vocational or youth service related to the 6 areas of Rotary Foundation focus.

Costs

Travel & Insurance costs fall to the family. Most camps charge fees but some are free.

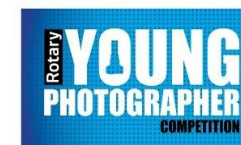
Club responsibility is to get young people involved by talking to schools and other youth groups.

For further information go to www.youthexchange.org.uk where applicants register interest online.

Once a student has registered an interest, the District Youth Exchange Officer will find a local club to act as sponsor and interview the candidate for suitability.

Youth Exchange students are expected to visit their sponsoring club before and after their travels.

District Youth Exchange Officer: PDG Bill Redmayne (Wisbech Club)
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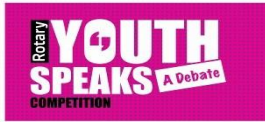
- Junior, Intermediate and Senior age groups.
- The competition aims to encourage young people to experiment with photography using digital and/or traditional methods of photography. They must demonstrate their interpretation and ideas of the topic through the medium of photography.
- The competition theme is **“Wild Nature”**.
- Entries of 3 photos in colour or black and white on photographic paper (supported by 3 digital files). Judged on technical merit, and the imaginative interpretation of the theme.
- All entries must go through a sponsoring Rotary Club.
- Clubs to select one entry per age group to be submitted to the District Organiser by *Monday 1st March 2021*. Winning entries will go forward to the Rotary GB&I National Competition 2021

District Organiser: John Hunting (Cambridge Sawston Club)
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- This competition aims to encourage young people to use their writing skills and write with imagination and creativity.
- Junior (7-10), Intermediate (11-13) and Senior age groups (14-17).
- Fiction or non-fiction, story or poem.
- An A4 page or up to 500 words based on the Title **“My Happiest Day”**.
- Judged on imagination relative to the subject, ability to engage interest, and ability to be consistent in the power of argument.
- All entries must go through their sponsoring Rotary Club.
- Clubs to select one entry per age group to be submitted to the District Organiser by *Monday 15th March 2021*
- Winning District entries to Rotary GB&I organiser by *Monday 29th March 2021*

District Organiser: Margaret Barwell (Wisbech Club) Poplar Farm, Harps Hall Road, Walton Highway, Cambridgeshire, PE14 7DL.
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- Intermediate (11-13) and Senior age groups (14-17).
- Teams of three – Debate format – Chairperson, Proposer and Opposer.
- Subjects chosen by entrants.
- Opportunity to speak on a public platform.
- Improves self confidence and presentation skills. Learn to work as a team.
- Club competitions usually held in the Autumn term.
- Due to Coronavirus Special Conditions Apply in 2020-21
- Carefully consider feasibility of any competition
- Club and District Competitions will be organised, if feasible
- Please advise District Youth Service Team of any interest
- No National Final in 2021

District Organiser: PDG Robert Lovick (Great Yarmouth Haven Club)
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- Junior, Intermediate and Senior age groups.
- The theme for the year will be “Wild Nature”.
- The competition aims to encourage young people to:
be creative, develop skills in using traditional or contemporary media, demonstrate interpretation of the topic, express personal ideas through a selected medium.
- Produce finished artwork in the following mediums: Pen & ink, paint, collage or print to a maximum size of A2 preferably A3
- Judges will consider technical merit; content and composition; imagination and style.
- Club entries to District Organiser by *Monday 15th March 2021*
- District entries to Rotary GB&I by *Monday 29th March 2021*.

District Organiser: Isa Graham (Ipswich Club)
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- College students age 16 +
- Higher Education Courses focusing on Hotels and Restaurants
- Colleges to forward entrants for District final in spring each year
- Students to serve a two or three course meal plus drinks
- Judges are selected from the Hospitality Industry, Rotarians & patrons
- Winning College, and winning student receive awards & certificates
- Enjoys industry support

District Organiser: John Thorpe (Kings Lynn Trinity Club)
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Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA)

- A residential course for young people between the ages of 18 – 26.
- A one week leadership course organised by District 1080 at Grafham Water in *late August early September*.
- Established leadership and personal development courses.
- Awardees are challenged to move outside of their comfort zone, in a controlled environment.
- Gain team building skills.
- Challenging both mentally and physically.
- Applicants from all walks of life welcome

District Organiser: PDG David Simpson (Woodbridge Deben Club)
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Partnerships & Service Above Self

We in East Anglia believe in partnerships, and have a number of long term relationships with numerous public & private organisations, enabling clubs and individual Rotarians to practice and develop our principle guiding objective.

Service Above Self - we firmly believe that youth is our future, and that no effort be spared to help identify and develop their individual skills and talents.

We manage a wide and comprehensive range of competitions and programmes to offer and assist in these aims, many of which are identified in this booklet.

Additionally various clubs will offer an even greater range of activities including Dictionaries 4 Life, Crucial Crew, Kids Out, the possibilities are endless.

However all of the above will be ineffective without the cooperation and partnerships with schools, colleges, Universities plus a myriad of Youth organisations.

Cooperation and partnerships have also been developed with many commercial companies and organisations including Ashton Legal, Fred Olsen and other local and national SME's.

Test us, try us, we are there for you and our youth.

Interested? Contact any Rotarian featured in this booklet or Robin Wraight (Ipswich Wolsey Club) Tel: 01473 730316 Email: youth@rotaryeastanglia.co.uk



This award showcases the citizenship and responsibilities demonstrated by people under the age of 25 and include the Rotary Young Citizen Award, the Rotary Young Citizen Sporting Hero Award and the Rotary Young Citizen Peacemaker Award.

Awardees may be individuals or a group.

Nominations to Rotary GB&I via a Rotary club, usually early February. Please inform District Organiser or District Youth Team Leader of entries.

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- All age groups up to the age of 17 on 31st August 2020
- Solo instrumentalists and solo vocalists.
- The competition offers the experience of performing to an audience, opportunity to showcase musical talent and receive encouraging feedback and assessment of their performance from experienced musicians.
- Due to Coronavirus Special Conditions Apply in 2020-21
- Carefully consider feasibility of any competition
- Club and District Competitions will be organised, if feasible
- Please contact Roger (details below) if you are hoping to run this activity, or wish to talk over the possibilities.
- No National Final in 2021

District Advisor: Roger Green (Sudbury Club)
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- Entrants must be between the ages of 11-17years on 31st August 2020
- The competition aims to encourage young people to learn how to cook a healthy meal, develop food presentation skills, consider food hygiene issues, develop organisational and planning skills, develop an ability to cope in a demanding situation.
- The task is to prepare, in two hours, a healthy three-course meal comprising starter, main course and dessert for two people and costing less than £20.00 or euro equivalent.
- Due to Coronavirus Special Conditions Apply in 2020-21
- Carefully consider feasibility of any competition
- Club and District Competitions will be organised, club competitions to start in January 2021 if partners are able.
- Please advise District Youth Service Team of any interest
- No National Final in 2021

District Organiser: PDG Dorothy Pulsford-Harris (Kings Lynn Club)
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