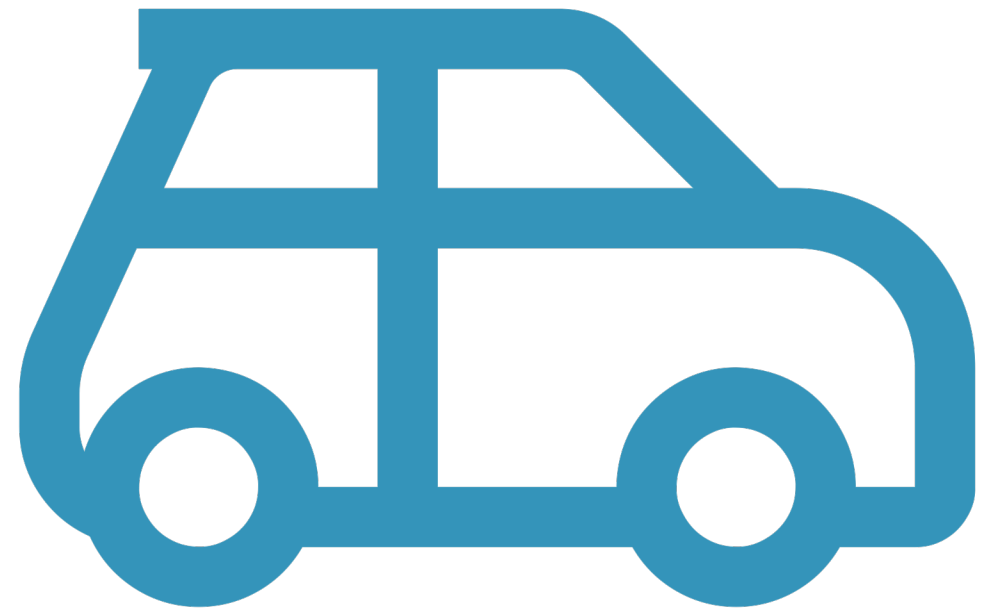


ROUTE: FROM ROTARACT TO ROTARY

Jenna Buscemi



AGENDA

My road to Rotary

What is Rotaract?

Rotary figures

What you can do?





ABOUT ME

Jenna Buscemi:

- Past Interact officer
- RYE to León, Spain
- District 5890 Rotex Chair 2014-17
- Past Vice President of the Rotaract Club of UH
- Past District Rotaract Representative/District Governor
- First dual membership Rotaractor/Rotarian in D5890
- District 5890 Alumni Chair 2017-2018
- President Elect of Rotary Club of Houston Energy Corridor



MY ROUTE TO ROTARY



10,904

Rotaract clubs

250,792

Rotaractors

184

countries with Rotaract clubs



355,815	North America and the Caribbean
308,555	Europe
202,191	South and Southeast Asia (including India)
147,714	North Asia (including Japan and Korea)
94,516	Central and South America
61,048	Australia, Philippines, and Pacific Realm
38,074	Africa and Southwest Asia

*Numbers represent Rotary club members

ROTARY AND ROTARACT

ROTARACT MYTHS

“Rotaractors are just bored college kids.”

“Rotaractors are just using Rotary as a stepping stone.”

“Rotaractors don’t *want* to join Rotary so why should I even try?”



ROTARY MYTHS

“Rotarians just want to use us for volunteers.”

”Rotary clubs are so boring.”

“I don’t want to join my sponsoring club so that means I can’t join another club”



A yellow diamond-shaped road sign with a blue border and the words "DEAD END" in blue capital letters. The sign is mounted on a post with visible screws. The background is a bright blue sky with scattered white and yellowish clouds.

**DEAD
END**

ROUTE FROM ROTARACT TO ROTARY



WHAT CAN YOU DO?

- ☐ Start a Rotaract club
- ☐ Get to know your Rotaract club more
- ☐ Invite them to events (not just as volunteers)
- ☐ Ask them to be speakers
- ☐ Show them off to other Rotarians
- ☐ Educate them about Rotary/include them in training events
- ☐ Ask how they want to communicate

ROTARY CODE OF POLICIES PART 1

5.010.3. Membership of Younger Persons

Clubs should seek out past Rotaractors and other younger persons who are qualified for membership.

Clubs should find methods of increasing the appeal of membership to young men and women who demonstrate good character, integrity, and leadership; possess good reputation within their business, profession, and/or community; and are willing to serve in their community and/or around the world.

Clubs may waive club dues and admission fees for members under the age of 35. In addition, clubs may provide payment of district dues for new members in this age group, and/or, by action at an assembly or conference, districts may reduce the per capita district dues for new members in this age group. (September 2016 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 28)

Since the word “may” is used, this is not mandatory, but it gives permission to clubs to do so just in case they have members that say “we can’t do that”...this is RI’s permission for the club to consider making this effective.

ROTARY CODE OF POLICIES PART 2

163. District Committee Appointments (April 2019 RI Board Meeting)

Amending Article 17.030.2 of the Rotary Code of Policies

Statement: Based on repeated feedback from district governors, the general secretary suggested the Board amend its policy to allow for Rotaractors to serve on district committees.

DECISION: The Board amends the Rotary Code of Policies regarding the qualifications for serving on a district committee as follows:

Committee Qualifications The minimum recommended qualification for appointment to a district committee is membership, other than honorary, in good standing in a Rotary or Rotaract club in the district.

ROTARY CODE OF POLICIES PART 3

20.070.5. PETS Time Frame

PETS should consist of a minimum of a one-and-a-half day seminar preferably to be held during the month of February or March. Districts are encouraged to conduct training of Rotaract club presidents-elect in conjunction with presidents-elect training seminars (PETS) and club officer training where appropriate. (January 2018 Mtg., Bd. Dec. 103)



YOUR ROAD TO ROTARY

- ☐ Your road never ends
- ☐ We all need a little help sometimes
- ☐ Share your story
- ☐ Ask others about their story





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23 June, 2018

📍 Metro Toronto Convention Centre



I pledge to visit and explore three Rotary clubs in the next year. Further inspired through meeting this incredible Rotary/Rotaract family at #Rotaract18! #RoadtoRotary @rotaryinternational 🌈 #soccerfamily 🇩🇪 🇨🇦

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Blahoslav Maršálek

23 June, 2018



#Roadtorotary #rotalove #rotaract18 #breakingtheinstavirginity #soexcited

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@tedmeasleytennis
Ted Measley Tennis Academy

4 April, 2019

📍 Chattanooga Mountains-TN Welcoming Cer



A great team on their way to a great weekend. 64th Annual Rotary Tennis Tournament this weekend with #USJTennis . #RoadToRotary #RotaryTennis #tedmeasleytennis



@femzieb
Femi T.

25 June, 2018



At a @rotaryinternational preconvention session, we were challenged to make a pledge for our #RoadtoRotary . I'm pledging to build strong connections in all levels of Rotary (Interact, Rotaract, Rotary and community partners)| | Amazing discussion with a group of passionate women. 🙌

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Questions?

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WHERE WILL ROTARY TAKE YOU?



**SERVICE
ABOVE
SELF**

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