



**2019-2020 Connected by Our Rotary Stories
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New Member Interview**

In our Rotary or Rotaract Clubs we like to get to know our new members, one method of doing that is tell the newest member that they need to prepare a talk (sometimes called a “Classification Talk”) and share it at an upcoming meeting. Here’s an alternative to that -- do an interview of the New member, an informal way to introduce the member or a group of new members to the club.

Hint #1: This can also be used to interview experienced members.

Hint #2: Share this with the member prior to the interview, so he or she can prepare.

Career/Profession/Vocation

1. What do you do in your career or profession title?
2. Please tell us about your current employment and how long you have been in that role.
3. Please tell us about any prior vocations.
4. What is the most unusual or humorous thing that has happened in your career?
5. Relative to your current or a former employment, what keeps you up at night?
6. How do you see your vocation relating to Rotary? (Or – What skills or interests or both, do you bring to Rotary?)

Rotary

1. What interests you the most in or about Rotary?
2. What would you like to see our Rotary club do in the community?
3. How has being a Rotarian benefitted you (and your family) or how might it?
4. Why are you a Rotarian?

If your club re-interviews Rotarians who have been long time members – ask these questions and ones above:

1. If you could fine a fine master, for what would you fine him/her for?
2. What have been some of the highlights during your time in Rotary?
3. What are you the proudest about in/of this Rotary Club?
4. How long have you been a Rotarian?

Other

1. What are your hobbies or interests?
2. Please tell us about your family, including pets.
3. Is there anything else that you would like to tell us about yourself?
4. What questions do you have for your fellow Rotarians? And/or club leadership?
5. _____