



2021 Rotary Zones 25B & 29 Institute – Houston, Texas

“Blast Off -Launch Rotary”

**Royal Sonesta Houston Galleria
September 7-12, 2021**

**September 7, 2021
Tuesday**

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Sergeant at Arms	Speakers Room
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Office	Directors Room
1:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Registration	Legends Pre-Function
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Facilitator Checkpoint (DGE/DGN/Spouse/Partner)	Champions 7
5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	DGE Presentation Practice	Legends
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	DGE & DGN with Spouse/Partner Reception - Cocktails (cash bar)	Legends Pre-Function
7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	DGE Fellowship Dinner Hosts: Lisa Faith Massey & Bill Ferreira	Founders 1
	DGN Fellowship Dinner Hosts: Kathy Fahy & Jeff Tallas	Founders 4

September 8, 2021 Wednesday

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting Room	Chairmans Room
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Office	Directors Room
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Sergeant at Arms	Speakers Room
8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Registration	Legends Pre-Function
8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Breakfast DGE/DGN & Spouse/Partner Moderator: DGE Ivanhoe Love Inspiration: DGE Kent Grier Four-Way Test: DGE Deb McCaslin Greeting – RI Director Suzi Howe	Discovery
8:45 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Transition to Education Sessions	
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	DGE	Champions 1
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	DGN	Champions 2
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	DGE/DGN Spouse/Partner	Champions 6
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Rotaractors Headquarters	Champions 4
10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Break	
10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	DGE	Champions 1
10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	DGN	Champions 2
10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	DGE/DGN Spouse/Partner	Champions 6
10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Rotaractors Headquarters	Champions 4
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Transition to Lunch	
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	DGE/DGN & Spouse/Partner Lunch Moderator: DGE Kay Biga Inspiration: DGE Barbara Bartle Speaker: Jason Browne Topic: Making Membership Meaningful	Discovery
1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Transition to Education Sessions	

1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	DGE	Champions 1
1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	DGN	Champions 2
1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	DGE/DGN Spouse/Partner	Champions 6
1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Rotaractors Headquarters	Champions 4
3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Break	
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Facilitator Checkpoint Thursday Training Tracks Debra Warner & Ellison Crider	Champions 7
3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	DGE	Champions 1
3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	DGN	Champions 2
3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	DGE/DGN Spouse/Partner	Champions 6
3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Rotaractors Headquarters	Champions 4
5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	House of Friendship Exhibitors and Vendors	Legends Pre-Function
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	All Rotarian Reception Cocktails (cash bar)	Founders
6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	DGE/DGN/Spouse/Partner Dinner Moderator: DGE Mindi Snyder Inspiration: DGE Dayle Quigley Entertainment: TAMU Singing Cadets	Founders

Arrival Dinners On Your Own

September 9, 2021 Thursday

Day's Theme: Increase Our Impact

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting Room	Chairmans Room
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Office	Directors Room
7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	RI Director Welcome Breakfast Moderator: DGE Dwayne Hopkins Inspiration: DGE Mike Phillips Four-Way Test: DGE Barbara Bartle Greeting: RI Director Suzi Howe Rotaractor Presenter: Clare Richards	Discovery
7:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.	House of Friendship Exhibitors and Vendors	Legends Pre-Function
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Sergeant at Arms	Speakers Room
8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Registration	Legends Pre-Function
8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.	Transition to Education Sessions	
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	DGE	Champions 1
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	DGN	Champions 2
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	DGE/DGN Spouse/Partner	Houston Arboretum Service Project
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Rotaractors Headquarters	Champions 4
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	DG Best Practice Exchange	Champions 5
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Leadership Development	Champions 3
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	District Treasurers	Champions 7
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	District Foundation Chairs	Founders 1
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	District Public Image Chairs	Founders 2
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	District Trainers	Founders 3
8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	District Membership Chairs	Founders 4
9:45 a.m.- 10:00 a.m.	Break	

9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Zones Tones Practice	Champions 6
10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Flag Ceremony Practice	Legends
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	DGE	Champions 1
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	DGN	Champions 2
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	DGE/DGN Spouse/Partner	Houston Arboretum Service Project
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Rotaractors Headquarters	Champions 4
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	DG Best Practice Exchange	Champions 5
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Leadership Development	Champions 3
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	District Treasurers	Champions 7
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	District Foundation Chairs	Founders 1
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	District Public Image Chairs	Founders 2
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	District Trainers	Founders 3
10:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	District Membership Chairs	Founders 4
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Transition to Lunch	
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Zones Tones Practice	Champions 6
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch Moderator: DGE Lloyd Campbell Inspiration: DGE Shannon Coleman Speaker: Dr. Todd “Bowtie” Jenkins Topic: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion	Discovery
1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Transition to Education Sessions	
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	DGE	Champions 1
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	DGN	Champions 2
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	DGE/DGN Spouse/Partner Training	Champions 6
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Rotaractors Headquarters	Champions 4
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	DG Best Practice Exchange	Champions 5

1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Leadership Development	Champions 3
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	District Treasurers	Champions 7
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	District Foundation Chairs	Founders 1
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	District Public Image Chairs	Founders 2
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	District Trainers	Founders 3
1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	District Membership Chairs	Founders 4
3:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Break	
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	DGE	Champions 1
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	DGN	Champions 2
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	DGE/DGN Spouse/Partner Training	Champions 6
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Rotaractors Headquarters	Champions 4
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	DG Best Practice Exchange	Champions 5
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Leadership Development	Champions 3
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	District Treasurers	Champions 7
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	District Foundation Chairs	Founders 1
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m..	District Public Image Chairs	Founders 2
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m..	District Trainers	Founders 3
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	District Membership Chairs	Founders 4
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	All Rotarian Reception (Cash Bar)	Legends Pre-Function
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Major Donor Reception (By Invitation)	Discovery A
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Paul Harris Society Reception (Cash Bar)	Founders 1 & 2

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Off Site Dinner for All Attendees
**Reservations have been secured at several local restaurants.
Cost of these optional dinners is not included in Institute
registration packages.
For more information, contact the registration desk.**

September 10, 2021 Friday

Day's Theme: Enhance Participant Engagement

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting Room	Chairmans Room
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Office	Directors Room
7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.	RI Director Elect Welcome Breakfast Moderator: DGE Demetress Harrell Inspiration: DGE Steve Wieneke Four Way-Test: DGE Dan Steele Greeting: RI Director-Elect Pat Merryweather-Arges Speaker: John Crudele Conducting Hybrid Meetings	Legends
7:45 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	Transition to Education Sessions	
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Sergeant at Arms	Speakers Room
8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Registration	Legends Pre-Function
7:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.	House of Friendship Exhibitors and Vendors	Legends Pre-Function
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	DGE	Champions 1
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	DGN	Champions 2
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	DGE/DGN Spouse/Partner Training	Champions 6
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Rotaractors Headquarters	Champions 4
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	DG Best Practice Exchange	Champions 5
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Leadership Development	Champions 3
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	PDG Forum	Champions 7
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	District Foundation Chairs	Founders 1
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	District Public Image Chairs	Founders 2
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	District Trainers	Founders 3
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	District Membership Chairs	Founders 4
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Break	

10:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Leadership Development	Champions 3
10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	PDG Forum	Champions 7
10:30 a.m.- 11:30 a.m.	Rotaractors Flag Ceremony Practice	Legends
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	DGEs/DGNs and Spouse/Partners Virtual Conversation with RI President Jennifer Jones	Founders 3 & 4
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	District Caucuses CANCELLED	
11:30 a.m.	Doors Open for Seating	Legends
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Transition to Luncheon	
12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Institute Opening Session Masters of Ceremony: Patrick Harrison Amber Scarborough Flag Ceremony Pledge: DGE John Schneider Singing of Canadian National Anthem – Zone Tones Singing of USA National Anthem – Dorothy Beeler Four-Way Test: DGE Howard Templin Inspiration: DGE Don Meyer Rotaract Minute	Legends
12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Lunch with Jen and Award Celebration Orbie2022 and Jen Launch Rotary	Legends Ballroom
2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Break	
3:00 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.	Plenary Session 1 Rotaract Minute Polio Partners Presentation of Arch Klumph Chair Circle Award In Memory of Bernice “Sis” Simmons Polio Update Speaker: Robert Hall Polio Plus Countdown to History Campaign End Polio Now Zone Coordinators Recognition of Award for John Ockenfels and Peter Teahen	Legends
3:40 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Using the Foundation to Fulfill the Passion of Rotary TRF Trustee Dean Rohrs	Legends

4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Plenary Session 2 Masters of Ceremony Patrick Harrison Amber Scarborough Rotaract Minute Five Year Financial Forecast Video Q and A: Bobbe Barnes	Legends
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	All Attendee Reception (Cash Bar) Entertainment: Bay Area Houston Ballet and Theatre	Legends
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	All Attendee Dinner Masters of Ceremony: Patrick Harrison Amber Scarborough Inspiration: DGE Dave Anderson Rotaract Minute Speaker: Brian Duffy, NASA Astronaut	Legends
8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Trivia Night and Costume Contest Hosted by Rotaractors	Legends

September 11, 2021 Saturday

Day's Theme: Increase Our Ability to Adapt

7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting Room	Chairmans Room
7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Office	Directors Room
7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.	Breakfast Masters of Ceremony: Patrick Harrison Amber Scarborough Inspiration: DGE Bill Kmiecik Four-Way Test: DGE Ben Bauer Rotaract Minute Welcome to Houston	Legends
7:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	House of Friendship Open Exhibitors and Vendors	Legends Pre-Function
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Sergeant at Arms	Speakers Room
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Registration	Legends Pre-Function
8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Plenary Session 3 Masters of Ceremony: Patrick Harrison Amber Scarborough Rotaract Minute Change Lives by Ending Human Trafficking Moderator: Dave McCleary Panelists: Tim Nelson Susan Coppedge Holly Gibbs	Legends
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Break	Legends Pre-Function
10:15 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.	Plenary Session 4 Masters of Ceremony: Patrick Harrison Amber Scarborough Rotaract Minute The 7 th Area of Focus – Supporting the Environment Interview with Past RI President Ian Riseley	Legends
10:35 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	2022 Institute - On to Minnesota RI Director-Elect Pat Merryweather-Arges General Co-Chairs: Debra Warner	Legends

Joseph Ruskey

Lunch On Your Own	Option - Hot Meals Trailers Behind Discovery Ballrooms	
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Optional Afternoon Activities	
12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Council on Legislation (COL) Training Newell Krogmann and Dian Edwards	Founders 3
1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Empower Rotarians to Change Lives By Ending Human Trafficking in Their Communities Moderator: Karen Walkowski Panelists: Ashlie Bryant; Minal Davis Rick Taylor; Nicole Perry; and George Askew	Founders 1
3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Rotaractors Round Table	Founders 2
3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Pending COL Proposals Moderators: Newell Krogmann and Dian Edwards	Founders 3
4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Open Forum – Recommendations to RI Board of Directors and TRF Trustees Moderator: Oliver Smith	Founders 4
4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	DGE Class Photos	Discovery
5:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	DGN Class Photos	Discovery
5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	DG Class Photos	Discovery
5:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	DGE Presentation Practice	Legends
5:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Zone Tones Practice	Discovery A
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	All Attendee Reception (Cash Bar)	Legends Pre-Function
6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	DGE Presentation Dinner Masters of Ceremony: Patrick Harrison Amber Scarborough Introduction of 2022-2023 Governors Inspiration: DGE Stephanie Meyer Rotaract Minute	Legends
8:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	2022 RI Convention Speaker: Rhonda Kennedy	
9:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Entertainment: Dancing to the Music of DJ Corey Greene PRP Entertainment Company	

**September 12, 2021
Sunday**

Day's Theme: Expand Our Reach

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	Breakfast on Your Own	
8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Celebration of Life Masters of Ceremony: Patrick Harrison Amber Scarborough Inspiration: Mark Shockey Moderator: Mark Shockey	Legends
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Tribute to Healthcare Workers Moderator: Jenn Gillen Fuller Rotary Heroes (Presentation of Medals)	Legends
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Plenary Session 5 Rotaract Minute Closing Remarks and Adjournment RI Director Suzi Howe General Chair PDG Tom Gump	Legends