

NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS

Red Line Happy Hour



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REMINDERS

Zoom Sessions Regarding the District Four-Way Test for the Upcoming 2024-2025 Year Jan. 9 & 27

Would your club like to participate in the 2025 District Four Way Test Speech Contest? Please join Matthew May for an informational Zoom session regarding the District Four Way Test for the upcoming 2024-2025 year. The dates will be:

- Thursday, January 9th at 7pm
- Monday, January 27th at 7pm.

The Zoom link is here:

[Join Zoom Meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 410 628 4825

Passcode: 77777

January 7, 2025

Have an announcement for District 7620? To be included in the weekly announcements, please submit your request **no later than** the Friday before the Tuesday publication if you want your announcement to be circulated and considered. Announcements past the Friday deadline will not be considered for the following week's announcements. Please contact DCO, **Pamela Stern-Green** at psgreen@verizon.net with any questions.

[District 7620 Announcement Submission Form](#)

DC Rotary Foundation Community Service and Special Project Grants is now open



We are pleased to announce that the application for the DC Rotary Foundation Community Service and Special Project Grants is now open and will close Tuesday, January 31, 2025. All applications must be submitted by 11:59 PM on January 31.

Please help us spread the word to eligible 501(c)(3) non-profit organizations serving Washington, DC residents by **sharing this information** with them. We will also be publicizing the grant opportunity via social media, news outlets, and other means -- please share these as you see them, too!

Community Service Grants are grants of \$1,000 to \$5,000 per organization supporting projects that demonstrate need for small capital items or "seed money" for special services that provide direct and tangible benefits to

residents of the DC Metropolitan Area. **Foundation Special Project Grants** are grants of \$20,000 per organization to support larger projects that demonstrate long-term sustainability and impact benefiting DC Area residents.

Applications must be sent via the link below; they **will not** be accepted via email in PDF format.

The link to our Community Service Grant application for 2024-25 can be found here:

<https://form.jotform.com/243194607979169>

Please let us know if you have any questions. The entire Community Service Grants Committee looks forward to reviewing applications from worthy organizations.

Sincerely and Yours in Rotary Service,

Elise Egan and Todd Miller, Co-Chairs
Community Service Grants Committee
Rotary Club of Washington DC

Registration for RYLA2025 is Now Open !

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Important information regarding Rotary Club Registration, Student Registration, and upcoming RYLA deadlines.

Registration Information:

- Early Bird Registration for RYLA 2025 is \$360.00 per student.
- Early Bird registration ends on December 31st.
- After January 1st, registration for RYLA 2025 is \$410.00 per student.
- Registration closes on February 10th. Rotary Clubs/Organizations - Please fill out and return the RYLA Form attached.
- There are no refunds, but we're happy to have your club replace students for the conference up to February 3rd. February 3rd is the last day to change/replace participants.

Other Reminders:

- The Code of Conduct Form must be completed at Registration by the Student and their Parent(s). Instructions for sending the Code of Conduct, Parent Permission Form, Medical Emergency Form, T-Shirt Size, Food Allergies (meals) can be found on the [Registration Form](#). The forms are also attached to this email (below).
- Students must be in the 10th, 11th or 12th grade to participate in RYLA 2025
- A RYLA flier is attached for your use.

[View RYLA Pictures Here](#)

[RYLA Student Registration Form](#)

Ready to Join the Next Adventure?



We're excited to invite you to our upcoming journey to **Azerbaijan and Turkey!**

Trip Dates: February 9–19, 2024

Stay for an extended experience at the **Rotary Presidential Peace Conference** in Istanbul, February 19–22, where you'll have the unique opportunity to meet Rotary International President **Stephanie Urchick**. Our friends in Azerbaijan and Turkey are eager to welcome us and share the very best of their cultures, hospitality, and heritage.

Explore Future Adventures with Us
Rotarians, Rotaractors, Family members and friends are welcome to join.

[Here are link to our upcoming all planned trips](#)

Celebrate Our Past Journeys

[Take a look at the highlights from previous trips](#)



[Participation Terms](#)

- A **\$300 deposit** secures your place in the team.
- Need assistance with flight arrangements? Let us know—we're here to help!

For more details, reach out to us:

[Zoom meeting for this trip](#) (Orientation and questions)

Thursday Dec 13, 2024 at 7:00pm (EST)

Zoom Meeting <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/76757486266?pwd=oBVfV3XsjcbrxOQ02ngag0BadSicEt.1>

Meeting ID: 767 5748 6266

Passcode: b1idVz

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YouTube:

- [RCF Golden Gates](#)
- [Rotarian Blog](#)

About RCF

Reunite Cultures Fund (formerly known as Rotary Children's Fund) is an independent 501(c)(3) nonprofit inspired by Rotary principles and Service Above Self. Founded in 2003 with the support of the Lakewood/Rocky River Rotary Club, RCF fosters international friendship and cultural exchange.

We look forward to traveling with you!

