

# THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF ROTARY



Orientation information for the Champaign Rotary Club  
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Dear New Member,

Congratulations on your decision to join the Rotary Club of Champaign! I hope that being a member of Champaign Rotary is as meaningful to you as it has been for me.

I would like to share Rotary’s Vision Statement with you: ***Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.***

The Champaign Rotary Club has more than 100 years of service and support to our local community and the world. Our club members have supported students from elementary school through college, initiated and completed various community service projects, sponsored international projects impacting third world countries, and contributed more than \$100,000 annually to local nonprofit organizations. All of this is made possible because of highly committed and energized members (like you) who make it happen. For over 100 years we have been, “People of Action Making a Difference!”

Becoming a member of Rotary means that you embrace a set of values including the **Four Way Test**, which asks simple questions aimed at promoting ethical conduct in all we do. As Rotarians we are also challenged to set higher standards as outlined in the **Objects of Rotary**, which encourages and fosters the ideal of service. Rotary International President Holger Knaack has established this year’s Rotary theme as, “***Rotary Opens Opportunities.***” Our call as Rotarians is to create opportunities that strengthen our leadership, help put service ideas into action, and improve the lives of those in need. All of us in Champaign Rotary look forward to you joining our club’s efforts to inspire each other and the world around us.

I invite you to learn all you can about Rotary, to get to know your fellow club members, and most importantly, to get engaged in the projects and programs about which you are passionate.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Marlys Scarbrough".

Marlys Scarbrough, President 2020-2021  
Rotary Club of Champaign



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### **Rotary Connections**

Rotary International Website: [www.myrotary.org](http://www.myrotary.org)

Champaign Rotary Website: [www.champaignrotary.org](http://www.champaignrotary.org)

District And Club Database: [www.dacdb.org](http://www.dacdb.org)

Next Rotary International Convention: June 12-16, 2021, in Taipei, Republic of China

Next District Conference: October 3, 2020 (to be held virtually)

Next President-Elect Training Seminar (PETS): March 20-21, 2021, in Effingham, Illinois

**Club President (Marlys Scarbrough) : [champaignILrotary@gmail.com](mailto:champaignILrotary@gmail.com) / [scarbrou@illinois.edu](mailto:scarbrou@illinois.edu)**

**Club Secretary (Todd Salen): [toddsalen@gmail.com](mailto:toddsalen@gmail.com)**

## I. History of Rotary

- A. **Definition:** A Rotary Club is composed of business and professional persons in a community who have accepted the ideal of service as a basis for attaining fulfillment in their personal, professional and community lives. In fact, the idea of service exemplified in the motto, "Service Above Self" is the thread that runs throughout the Rotary world and unites like-minded people in thought and action, no matter in what part of the world they live.
- B. **Founding of Rotary:** In 1905, Paul P. Harris founded Rotary in Chicago, Illinois. Paul's idea was that businessmen would get together periodically in the spirit of camaraderie to enjoy each other's company and to enlarge their circle of business and professional acquaintances.
- C. **Founding of the Champaign Rotary Club:** On December 11, 1916, thirty men from the Danville Rotary Club met with twenty-five Champaign business and civic leaders to organize the Champaign Rotary Club.
- D. **Rotary:** This name was adopted because in the beginning, meetings were held in rotation at the members' places of business.

## II. Object of Rotary (From "The Rotarian" magazine, August 2007, p. 42.)

- A. **Rotary's Guiding Principles:** Throughout Rotary's history, several basic principles have been developed to guide Rotarians in achieving the ideal of service and high ethical standards.
- B. **Object of Rotary:** The Object of Rotary was first formulated in 1910 and adapted through the years as Rotary's mission expanded, providing a succinct definition of the organization's purpose, as well as the club members' responsibilities. The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and to encourage and foster:
  - First:** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
  - Second:** High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
  - Third:** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
  - Fourth:** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

## III. The Four-Way Test

- A. **The Four-Way Test** is a convenient measuring stick for all human relations. This short business creed was compiled in 1931 by Herbert J. Taylor, a member of the Chicago Club. Taylor, a close friend of Paul Harris, became president of the Chicago Club, a District Governor and eventually President of the Rotary International. The Four-Way Test is distributed worldwide to Rotarians.

**The Four-Way Test** of the things we think, say, and do.

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

**IV. Organization of Rotary**

- A. Rotary International** is the association of Rotary clubs throughout the world which holds as its principal motto, "Service Above Self".
1. The World is divided into 34 zones. There are more than 1.2 million Rotarians and 34,216 clubs in over 200 countries. We are in Zone 31, which consists of 14 districts.
  2. Zones are divided into districts.
  3. Districts consist of clubs. We are in District 6490 which consists of 44 clubs. District 6490 covers about ¼ of Illinois, has 2000 members and is divided into 14 areas, each of which has an assistant district governor.
- B. Rotary International** consists of Rotary Clubs; individuals are members of their club, not Rotary International.
- C. Governance of Rotary:**
1. Rotary International is governed by a 19-member board, which consists of the President, a President-Elect, and 17 members, each of whom represents two zones. Each Director serves a two-year term. We are in Zone 31 and our Director serves Zones 30-31.
  2. Our District 6490 is led by a new Governor each year.
  3. The Champaign Rotary Club is governed by the President, President-Elect and a 9-member board. The president-elect nominee is the next person in line to become president. The president-elect and president-elect nominee are selected from board members from the previous five years. Three board members are nominated by a nominating committee and elected by the membership each year. Our executive secretary and treasurer are appointed by the Board of Directors.
- D. Constitution and By-laws:** are established by Rotary International. Each club also has its own by-laws and policies.
- E. Club consists of numerous committees:** Chairs and committee assignments are made by the president-elect immediately before his or her upcoming term. Members let the president-elect know on which committees they would like to serve.
- F. Finances:** Rotary International, the District, and the Club are financed by member dues. Rotary dues are paid at the next semiannual billing, e.g. Jan. 1 or July 1. Annual dues are currently \$260 payable semi-annually. Money (\$1.00 recommended) is collected weekly in the Charity cup located on the table. The monthly collection is donated to a charitable organization chosen by the Cup Committee.

The Champaign Rotary Foundation (previously known as WGRC, for “The World’s Greatest Rotary Club”), is a non-profit foundation through which the Champaign Rotary Club carries out its philanthropic activities. It was established to receive and disburse funds in support of the community, vocational, international, and new generation (youth) avenues of Rotary service. The Champaign Rotary Foundation provides financial support for club recommended projects and gives grants, which primarily benefit organizations and individuals in Champaign County, without regard to race, creed, color, sex, nationality, or age. The Champaign Rotary Foundation has a president and a board of directors. Three new members are elected to three-year terms annually. All club members are members of The Rotary Foundation.

## V. Meetings

A. **Annual Convention of Rotary International:** is held in a different country each year. Our club pays for the president-elect and their partner/spouse to attend the convention. The Rotary International Convention is usually held in June each year.

### B. **District meetings:**

1. **District Conference:** a meeting held annually in each district to further the programs of Rotary through fellowship, inspirational addresses and the discussion of matters relating to affairs of clubs in the district and Rotary International.
2. **District Assembly:** A meeting of the incoming presidents, secretaries, and other designated club leaders of all clubs in the district with the district governor, district governor-nominee and others as the Board may designate for the purpose of conferring and receiving information as to club administration and club activities. The District Assembly is typically held in May at the Carle Forum, although during the pandemic the forum was done as a webinar.
3. **President-Elect Training Seminar (PETS):** a training and informational program for club presidents-elect and presidents-elect nominees planned and organized by the district governor-nominee in cooperation with the district governor. The main purpose is to provide training to club presidents for the forthcoming year and to motivate incoming presidents in leadership roles in club, district, and Rotary International activities. PETS is usually held each March in Effingham.

C. **Club:** Weekly meetings on Mondays at noon.

D. **Club Assembly:** At least once a year, a club assembly is held for the purpose of coordinating and developing the programs of Rotary within the Club.

## VI. Membership

A. **Criterion for nomination:** People proposed for membership must be recognized leaders in their business or profession.

B. **Nomination process:** A person is proposed by a Rotarian; nomination is reviewed by the Membership Recruitment Committee which gives its recommendation to the Board, which makes the decision to invite or not to invite the nominee to become a member. A

7-day notice is emailed to all club members so that members may voice an objection. If no one objects to the nomination, the nominee is notified of their membership and becomes a member when dues are paid.

**C. Kinds of membership: active and honorary.**

1. Active member: an adult of good character and good business or professional reputation engaged in a recognized business or profession; having charge of such agency or branch in an executive capacity. Active members must personally and actively be engaged in the businesses or professions in which they are classified in the club. Active members can also be retired business or professional people.
2. Honorary: A person who is distinguished by meritorious service in the furtherance of Rotary ideals and/or is a university or public figure in our community. Honorary members are exempt from paying dues, have no vote, and cannot hold any office.

**E. Women: In 1989, Rotary International admitted women into Rotary for the first time.**

**F. Termination of membership: Termination of membership may result from:**

1. Failure to attend weekly meetings could result in termination. We encourage 50% attendance at the Monday meetings, but that can be achieved by attendance at socials, participation in service projects, attendance at other clubs meeting or on-line make-ups. Members are encouraged to attend meetings of their home club as often as possible.
2. Non-payment of dues results in automatic termination.
3. Resignation

**G. Maintain attendance record:**

1. Make up at other Rotary clubs anywhere in the world. Meeting times and places of area clubs are listed on the website ([www.champaignrotary.org](http://www.champaignrotary.org)). If you are traveling, check out the Rotary clubs in the area to which you are traveling. Credit for make-up is also given for attendance at socials, service projects, Champaign Rotary Committee meetings, Board Meetings (third Wednesday of every month), Champaign Rotary Foundation meetings, Interact meetings, Early Act meetings, and other events as designated by the Board. If you are traveling to another country and plan to attend a Rotary meeting while there, please ask the club president for Champaign Rotary's flag for you to exchange with them.
2. If you are traveling in a country where there is no Rotary club or you are unable to attend meetings, or ill, or working temporarily in another city, request a leave of absence from the club secretary.
3. Please let the club secretary know if you have made up at another Rotary meeting. Attendance from club socials and service projects is automatically sent to the secretary so you do not need to notify about those.

## VII. Champaign Rotary Committees Based on the Five Areas of Service

Rotary is a service club, hence the phrase “Service above Self,” which means we give service at local, district and international levels. As Rotarians we have Five Avenues of Service: Club, Community, Vocational, International and New Generations (Youth). Champaign Rotary Club has 30 committees which are based on these Five Avenues of Service. Through service on these committees, we Rotarians provide, “Service above Self”.

### A. Club Service

To fulfill the avenues of service, it is essential that we have active, eager, and capable Rotary members. To have a successful Rotary club we need the following committees:

1. Club Council of Presidents consists of former Rotary Presidents who serve in an advisory capacity to the president.
2. Champaign County Council of Presidents enables the Rotary clubs in the county to share information.
3. Nominating Committee nominates board members and club directors annually.
4. District 6490/Club Awards Committee nominates Rotarians and Club programs for recognition.
5. Constitution/By-laws interprets the constitution, bylaws, and policies, promulgates revisions in accordance with Rotary International, reviews the Club’s policies, and prepares and delivers resolutions honoring deceased Rotarians.
6. Membership Recruitment and Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion identify community members interested in community service who will be strong Rotarians.
7. Orientation, Mentoring and Retention of Members are important efforts to mentor and encourage member understanding so the club will be successful.
8. Food, Facilities, and Flags are necessary for a Rotary Club to have a pleasant and an inviting place to meet.
9. Fellowship Committee is responsible for increasing acquaintances and friendship among members by scheduling Rotarians to be greeters, invocators and introducers of guests at the weekly Rotary meeting.
10. Transportation and Visitation Committee makes sure that if Rotarians need assistance in getting to meetings or are ill, that they are visited.
11. Program Committee has a major role in making the weekly Rotary Meeting an educational experience and provides Rotarians with a real reason for attending the weekly meeting.
12. Music Committee leads the Rotarians in singing of a patriotic song and a second song. Singing is a means to increasing camaraderie.
13. Communication Committee is responsible for keeping all its members informed. Information is communicated in several ways: Website/DACdb, *The Fizz*, Awareness board, public relations, history, and year-end review.
14. Social Committee hosts monthly social events of the Club. There are also Special annual events, e.g. corn roast, the holiday party, and football guessing.
15. Action Auction Committee plans and executes this primary money raiser every three years.

## **B. Community Service**

The second avenue of service is community service. Rotarians are recognized for their outstanding service to their community. To accomplish this goal, there are five committees directed to providing community service.

1. Service Projects & Environmental Protection Committee plans hands-on service projects that benefit Champaign-Urbana and improve the quality of our environment. We adopt a street litter collection on Mattis Avenue and participate in the annual Boneyard Cleanup Program. Projects can be done in collaboration with other local charitable (nonprofit) organizations or jointly with other local Rotary clubs.
2. Joseph H. Cannon Memorial Grants Committee places a call for proposals from charitable organizations in our community, reviews these proposals, and provides grants to the selected organizations from \$5,000-\$20,000. Joseph H. Cannon was a former Rotarian, who upon his death established a \$1M endowment in the Champaign Rotary Foundation. The annual interest earned on this endowment is awarded to recipients of the Cannon Grants.
3. Clark Grants Committee seeks small grant proposals from the community (up to \$5,000), reviews them, and recommends funding. The money dispersed through the Champaign Rotary Foundation is raised by the previous Action Auction.
4. Charity "Cup" Committee identifies a monthly recipient of the cup money. Each Rotarian is invited to put a dollar in the cup at the weekly Rotary meeting. The money collected during the month is awarded as a check to a representative of the organization at one of the weekly Rotary meetings.
5. Literacy Committee increases Rotarians awareness of literacy by having a program each year that improves literacy and reading in our community, supports literacy at local elementary schools, and encourages Rotarians to engage in the Read Across America Program.

## **C. Vocational Service**

This third avenue of service encourages vocational awareness of Rotarians by developing leadership skills and advancing ethical behavior by living the 4-Way Test in the Rotarians' daily lives at home and the workplace. This committee recognizes outstanding Parkland Students through the annual scholarship program and updates the Parkland Scholarship Plaque.

## **D. International Service**

This fourth avenue of service seeks to advance international understanding, goodwill, and peace. There are three committees which advance international service.

1. International Hospitality/Exchange/ Youth Exchange Officer Committee provides hosts for international students, plans and organizes the annual Yanai Student Exchange, and arranges for members to accompany international speakers to and from speaking appearances.
2. Rotary Foundation Committee advances understanding of The Rotary Foundation and seeks contributions to it from members for the annual Foundation goal in November and the polio fund in October.
3. World Community Service Committee develops international projects in cooperation with other Rotary Clubs and District 6490. Examples of these projects are providing clean water in Africa, El Salvador, etc.

## **E. New Generations**

This fifth avenue of service was added in 2010 and focuses on programs that deal with youth. Champaign Rotary Club has the following youth programs:

1. Student Recognition Committee recognizes outstanding seniors quarterly from Central, Centennial, and Judah Christian High Schools for achievements in academics, activities and athletics and provides small scholarships to three students identified from each high school as Students of the Year.
2. Interact Committee promotes and sponsors the Interact Club at Centennial High School which is a service organization modeled after Rotary for high school students.
3. EarlyAct Committee works with fourth and fifth grade students at Garden Hills Elementary School. The mission and operation of EarlyAct are closely linked to the ideals of Rotary and provide the foundation and natural succession into Interact.
4. Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) is a program for sophomores, juniors, and seniors in high school that helps to develop leadership skills. It is held annually in April at the 4-H Camp in Monticello. Champaign Rotary sponsors/pays the registration fee for interested students each year.

## **VIII. Club and District 6490 Communication**

**A. Champaign Rotary Club Website [www.champaignrotary.org](http://www.champaignrotary.org)** has a great deal of useful information including:

1. Club Links to speakers, documents (applications for membership, Clark Grants, etc).
2. Club History of past presidents, Rotarians that have received club and district awards.
3. District Links, including district leadership and where and when all clubs in the district meet.
4. Past issues of our e-newsletter, *The Fizz*.

**B. District and Club Database (DACdb): [www.dacdb.org](http://www.dacdb.org)** You should have received login information from our club secretary about how to login. If you need help, contact him at the email address on the first page of this booklet.

1. The Club Secretary has entered you in DACdb. Please check to be sure your information is correct. We would like your address, email address, phone number, spouse's name (if you are married), your birthdate with the year (only YOU will be able to see your birthyear, but it ensures accurate statistics for our club membership), your place of business with address and phone number. If you are retired, enter *Retired* and what your occupation was. You can change information by clicking Edit. Be sure to click *Update* when you are finished.
2. If you click on Club Members, there is a directory with contact information for each of our club members.
3. If you click on My Club Navigation (on the left side of the screen) and then on Member Cards, you will see a directory of all members of the club with their phone numbers and email addresses. You may print this directory for easy access to members' contact information.

**C. Facebook: There is a link to our Facebook page on the home page or search for "Rotary Club of Champaign." Please "Like" or "Follow" us.**

## **IX. The Rotary Foundation**

- A. Definition: a not-for-profit corporation providing worldwide humanitarian grants to needy people and worthy projects and educational awards for international exchanges of university scholars and professional people. The objective of The Rotary Foundation is to further understanding and friendly relations among the world's people by funding educational and charitable programs.
- B. **Activities of The Rotary Foundation:** Rotary Peace and other scholarships; Rotary grants for university teachers to serve in developing countries; special matching grants; health, hunger, and humanity grants; PolioPlus program; Rotary volunteers; Rotary peace forum; and others.
- C. **Support for these programs:** are provided by voluntary contributions from Rotary clubs, Rotarians and others.
- D. **Paul Harris Fellow:** an individual who contributes or in whose behalf \$1,000 or more is contributed.
- E. **Paul Harris Sustaining Member:** any person who has made a one-time contribution of \$100 or more with the stated intention of becoming a Paul Harris Fellow by contributing a total of \$1,000.
- F. **Foundation Benefactors:** Anyone who informs the Foundation in writing that he/she has made provision in a will or another estate plan for The Rotary Foundation Endowment or who makes an outright gift of \$1,000 or more to the endowment.

## **X. What does Rotary expect from you?**

- A. To maintain 50% attendance. You can attend club socials, do a service project, or attend a board meeting or meetings of other Rotary Clubs as make-ups.
- B. Pay Annual Dues of \$260.00 The first payment is prorated based upon the month you join.
- C. Attend a New Member Orientation.
- D. Participate in one or more Club Committees.
- E. Participate in one or more service projects.
- F. Attend social events and special events, as possible, to get to know club members.
- G. Although optional, each member is encouraged to donate to The Rotary Foundation annually.

## **XI. What can you expect from Rotary?**

- A. Make lasting friendships with pillars of the Champaign Community.
- B. Create business connections with members of the club. Whether you are connected to a non-profit organization or own a business, our members support other members of the club.
- C. Stay abreast of programs and research in Champaign County and the University of Illinois via the excellent speakers at our meetings.
- D. Contribute to the community in many meaningful ways. (For example, the Rotary Club of Champaign contributes over \$100,000 to community non-profit organizations and charities each year. We can do this because of an auction we hold every three years and because of an endowment a member left to the club.)
- E. Serve the community. (We do several service projects each year.)
- F. Contribute to the worldwide good Rotary does via The Rotary Foundation. For example, polio has almost been eradicated due to the efforts of the Rotary Foundation. Rotary also has many matching grants, which has helped Champaign Rotary bring clean water to communities in third world countries.

## XII. Philanthropic Activities of the Champaign Rotary Club

### A. What are the sources of the money given annually through grants to the community?

1. **Action Auction** - major fundraiser held every three years. We raised \$158,000 in May, 2019
2. **Joseph Cannon Fund** - Mr. Cannon, a long time Rotarian, upon his death in 2001, gave \$1 million to Champaign Rotary Club, establishing the Joseph H. Cannon Endowment. According to Mr. Cannon's wish, interest earned on this investment is awarded each year to non-profits in Champaign County through a grant proposal process.

### B. Where does the money go?

\* Note: Preliminary figures pending receipt of the Champaign Rotary Foundation Annual Report.

#### Clark Grants 2019-2020

Developmental Services Center	\$ 3,220
Rotary Responds to COVID-19	\$ 10,000
Venturing Crew 25	\$ 1,000
Wesley Food Pantry for Parkland College	\$438
<b>Clark Grants Rotary Year 2019-20</b>	<b>\$14,658</b>

#### Unrestricted Fund approvals 2019-2020

Hallmark Pump "Esther's Well"	\$18,325
Read Across America (Urbana Park District)	\$500
Carle Mobile Hearth Clinic (2019 Action Auction Featured Charity)	\$50,000
Cunningham Children's Home (2019 Action Auction Featured Charity)	\$15,000
Champaign Park District Marten's Center (2019 Action Auction Charity)	\$10,000
Champaign Park District Marten's Center Educational Wing	\$75,000
<b>Unrestricted Fund approvals Rotary Year 2019-20</b>	<b>\$168,825</b>

#### Cannon Grants for 2019-2020

Born Learning Trail for Garden Hills Park	\$5,000
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Champaign County	\$5,000
Champaign Public Library Foundation	\$5,000
Champaign County Crime Stoppers	\$5,000
CU at Home	\$16,000
Don Moyer Boys & Girls Club	\$10,000
East Central Illinois Youth for Christ	\$10,000
Parkland College	\$12,400
Prairieland Council Boy Scouts of America	\$2,500
The Refugee Center	\$10,300
Rotary Responds to COVID-19	\$15,000
<b>Cannon Grants Rotary Year 2019-20</b>	<b>\$96,200</b>

**Art Lewis Fund 2018-2019**

No disbursements this fiscal year	\$0
<b>Art Lewis Fund Rotary Year 2019-20</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**Terry Davis Fund 2019-20**

Yanai Exchange Student	\$500
Parkland College Foundation Vocational Scholarships	\$5,000
<b>Terry Davis Fund Rotary Year 2019-20</b>	<b>\$5500</b>

**Total Champaign Rotary Foundation Approved Fund Expenditures 2019-20**

Clark Grants (2019 Auction Proceeds)	\$14,658
Unrestricted Fund Approvals	\$168,825
Cannon Grants (Cannon Trust)	\$96,200
Art Lewis Fund	\$0
Terry Davis Scholarship Fund	\$5,500
<b>Total Approved Disbursements Rotary Year 2019-20</b>	<b>\$285,183</b>

**C. Other examples of philanthropy:**

1. **PolioPlus Campaign** - over \$250,000 since the campaign began in 1988; ranked 58th of 26,000 clubs in giving
2. **Salvation Army** - annual giving of approximately \$10,000 - \$15,000
3. **Quarterly recognition of outstanding students:** Centennial, Central and Judah Christian High Schools with Students of the Year receiving scholarships totaling \$1200 per year.
4. **Monthly cup donations to identified charities**

## **The Hierarchy of Rotary for 2020-2021**

### **Rotary International President**

Holger Knaack

### **Director of Zones 30-31**

Floyd Lancia

### **Rotary District 6490 District Governor**

Michael Step

### **District Governor Elect**

Heather Stoa

### **District Governor Nominee**

Connie Walsh

### **There are 13 Assistant Governors (AGs) in District 6490**

Past President Janet Ellis-Nelson from Champaign Rotary is one of them

### **Two Past District Governors are members of Champaign Rotary:**

Ken Buel and Jay Stortzum

### **Champaign Rotary President**

Marlys Scarbrough

### **President-Elect**

Shandra Summerville

### **President-Elect Nominee**

John Kelley

### **The Rotary Board of Directors is the decision-making body for Champaign Rotary**

Officers: President Marlys Scarbrough, President-Elect Shandra Summerville, President-Elect Nominee John Kelley, Secretary Todd Salen, Treasurer Vanessa Bechtel

Directors: Tim Born, Tim Manard, Abbie Osterbur, Chris Randles, Joe Thomas, Carol Timms, Jeff Troxell, Past President Janet Ellis-Nelson

### **Champaign Rotary's Foundation Board (previously known as WGRC) gives money to approved charities and causes approved by the Board**

Officers: President Winnie Crowder, President-Elect Anthony Corapi, Secretary Shelly Romack, Treasurer Renee Osterbur, Past President Chris Moore

Directors: Chet Alwes, Maureen Banks, Ken Buel, Leon Hinton, Sheryl Palmer, Tracy Wahlfeldt, Jared White

Ex-Officio: Past President Janet Ellis-Nelson, President-Elect Shandra Summerville

Members of the both boards are elected by the members of Champaign Rotary for three-year terms.

**The Rotary year runs from July 1<sup>st</sup> through June 30<sup>th</sup> each year.**