

## Rotary District Youth Protection Policy Rotary Club Statement of Compliance

**This form should be completed at or before PETS.**

Rotary International District 6450 is committed to creating and maintaining the safest possible environment for all participants in Rotary youth activities. It is the duty of all Rotarians, Rotarian spouses, partners, and all volunteers to safeguard to the best of their ability the welfare of all children and young people with whom they come into contact and to prevent the physical, sexual, or emotional abuse of those children and young people.

Each Rotary Club is responsible to review the District 6450 Youth Protection Policy and the Reporting Guidelines, to implement these guidelines in your Club Youth Activities Programs, and to complete the following statement of compliance. This statement must be signed and dated by the Club President for this coming Rotary year (commencing July 1st) .

The Rotary Club of \_\_\_\_\_  
(print your Club's name)

All Clubs must have background checks done for all Rotarians who will be working with youth in any activity . There is an online portal for submitting basic information for background checks. The District will pay the cost of the background check. All background checks are valid for one year . Please submit the names and email addresses of Club Rotarians working with youth to the District office: [office@rotary6450.org](mailto:office@rotary6450.org) by June 15th.

It should be understood by all Clubs that for the youth exchange program we are a member of the Central States Rotary Youth Exchange Program . We adhere to the policies and procedures set forth by Central States . Central States is authorized by the U. S. Department of State to issue a certificate of eligibility to enable students to obtain a J-1 visa to attend high school in the U.S. for one year . In order to participate in the program, Rotary must adhere to the requirements set forth in Federal regulations. Should you have any questions about this, please contact the District Youth Exchange Chair or visit the Central States web site: [www.csrje.org](http://www.csrje.org).

As the Club President for the Rotary Club shown, I hereby certify that my Club will operate our youth program s in accordance with District 6450 & Rotary International policy. This form must be completed each year by the incoming president for each club; it is valid for that Rotary year.

Club President:

Printed Name	Signature	Date
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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If your club has youth activities, please check here. \_\_\_\_\_

**Rotary International District 6450, Inc.**