

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL
HEARTLAND MULTI DISTRICT
PRESIDENT ELECT TRAINING SEMINAR

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT IS THE ATTIRE FOR THE TRAINING? – DURING THE DAYTIME SESSIONS, THE ATTIRE IS BUSINESS CASUAL. FOR THE FRIDAY EVENING DINNER BANQUET, THE ATTIRE IS BUSINESS, SUIT AND TIE.

WHAT ARE THE NEW THURSDAY SEMINARS? – MANY OF YOU ARRIVE ON THURSDAY FOR THE TRAINING, SO YOUR COMMITTEE DECIDED TO PROVIDE SOME IN DEPTH SEMINARS FOR THURSDAY AFTERNOON. THE TOPICS WILL VARY EACH YEAR AS WELL AS THE VARIETY AND NUMBER OF SUBJECTS PROVIDED. INCREASES WILL DEPEND ON ATTENDANCE. THESE SEMINARS ARE NOT INTENDED TO REPLACE THE RI FORMATTED TRAINING, ONLY TO AUGMENT SPECIFIC SUBJECTS THAT THE COMMITTEE DETERMINED MIGHT BE HELPFUL TO ROTARIANS NEW TO LEADERSHIP IN ROTARY.

WHEN SHOULD I ARRIVE? – HOPEFULLY MANY OF YOU WILL ARRIVE ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE OPTIONAL SEMINARS THAT ARE BEING PROVIDED, BEGINNING THURSDAY AT 1:00PM. IF NOT, PLEASE ARRIVE EARLY ON FRIDAY MORNING SO THAT YOU CAN EASILY GET THROUGH THE LONG REGISTRATION LINE IN TIME FOR THE OPENING PLENARY SESSION THAT WILL BEGIN PROMPTLY AT 9:00AM.

WHAT SHOULD I BRING? – ALMOST EVERYTHING WILL BE PROVIDED FOR YOU. BRING A WRITING INSTRUMENT AND SOME PAPER FOR NOTE'S, BRING YOUR COMPLETED FORM, "PLANNING GUIDE FOR EFFECTIVE ROTARY CLUBS", AND THE ROTARY FOUNDATION ANNUAL GIVING GOAL AMOUNT THAT YOUR ROTARY CLUB WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE ROTARY FOUNDATION THIS YEAR.

WHAT IS THE COST? – THERE IS NO CHARGE FOR PRESIDENTS ELECT OF THE FOUR ROTARY DISTRICTS, 5650, 5670, 5690, 5710. FOR ALL OTHER ATTENDEE'S, THE TOTAL FEE FOR ALL TRAINING AND MEALS IS \$70.00. SEE THE REGISTRATION INFORMATION AND FORM FOR SPECIFIC DETAILS.

WHERE DO I SEND THE REGISTRATION FORM? – THE REGISTRATION FORM SHOULD BE MAILED TO THE HEARTLAND PETS REGISTRAR, PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR BOB COLLINS. THE ADDRESS FOR MAILING IS:
HEARTLAND PETS
C/O PDG BOB COLLINS
109 WOODRIDGE CT.
COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA 51503



IF I AM A PRESIDENT ELECT AND DO NOT NEED TO PAY FOR PETS, DO I STILL NEED TO REGISTER? – YES !!! DEFINITELY. WE NEED THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE ON THE REGISTRATION FORM AS SOON AS POSSIBLE FOR FACILITY PLANNING PURPOSES.

WHERE SHOULD I STAY WHILE IN SALINA? – ROOMS HAVE BEEN RESERVED AT SEVERAL MOTELS IN THE SALINA AREA. SEE THE LIST OF HOTELS IN THE MAIN PAGE OF THIS WEB SITE FOR INFORMATION ON AVAILABILITY, BLOCKED ROOMS AND COST. THE COST FOR LODGING WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL ROTARIAN OR THEIR ROTARY CLUB.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND PETS & SETS? – ATTENDANCE FOR CLUB PRESIDENTS ELECT IS MANDATORY. IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THAT CLUB SECRETARIES ATTEND THEIR SEPARATE TAILORED TRAINING SESSIONS. WITH THE RECENT CHANGES MADE BY THE ROTARY INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL ON LEGISLATION, ALL NEW INFORMATION WILL BE PROVIDED. OF COURSE, ALL ROTARIANS ARE WELCOME AND ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND THIS EXCELLENT TRAINING OPPORTUNITY.

WHAT WILL WE BE LEARNING AT PETS? – ROTARY INTERNATIONAL HAS A MANDATED CURRICULUM FOR TRAINING PRESIDENTS ELECT. HEARTLAND PETS FOLLOWS THIS CURRICULUM. WE HAVE SEPARATED THE MANDATED 9 RI TOPICS INTO 3 GROUPS. EACH GROUP CONTAINS RELATED TOPICS AND YOU WILL BE PRESENTED THE TRAINING CONTAINED IN EACH OF THE THREE GROUPS. THE GROUPS AND TOPICS ARE BELOW.






GROUP 1 – FOUNDATION, CONTAINS:

-  SECTION 7: FOUNDATION
-  SECTION 8: PUBLIC RELATIONS

GROUP 2 – MEMBERSHIP, CONTAINS:

-  SECTION 5: MEMBERSHIP
-  SECTION 6: SERVICE PROJECTS

GROUP 3 – ROLE OF THE PRESIDENT, CONTAINS:

-  SECTION 1: ROLE OF THE PRESIDENT
-  SECTION 2: GOAL SETTING
-  SECTION 3: WORKING WITH CLUB AND DISTRICT LEADERS
-  SECTION 4: CLUB ADMINISTRATION
-  SECTION 9: ANNUAL AND LONG RANGE PLANNING

THE ENTIRE CURRICULUM IS AVAILABLE FROM THE MAIN PAGE.

HOW WILL THE PRESIDENTS CLASSROOM ASSIGNMENT WORK? – THERE WILL BE 6 CLASSROOMS FOR THE PE'S. AT ANY ONE TIME, THERE WILL BE 2 SESSIONS OF TRAINING OCCURRING FOR EACH OF THE GROUPS NOTED ABOVE. EACH OF THE CLASSROOMS WILL BE ASSIGNED A COLOR, AND THAT COLOR WILL BE DISPLAYED BY THE DOOR OF THE CLASSROOM. AT REGISTRATION, YOU WILL BE GIVEN A 3x5 CARD WITH A COLOR. YOU WILL SIMPLY GO TO A CLASSROOM THAT MATCHES THE COLOR ON YOUR CARD. YOUR INSTRUCTORS WILL CHANGE THE COLOR OF CARD ON THEIR ROOM SO THAT YOU WILL GO TO A DIFFERENT CLASSROOM EACH TIME THE TRAINING SESSIONS CHANGE.