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Rotary Opens
Opportunities

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INSTALLATION CEREMONY FOR PRESIDENT ROSETTE PENINAH NAMISI

PROGRAMME

DATE:
12th July
2020

TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE PERSON(S)
07.00 pm	Calling fellowship to Order	President Lilian Byakutaga
7.05 pm	Rotary Norms	
	• The Grace	Rtn. Joy Ogang
	• The Loyal toast	Rtn. Romeo Mitchell
	• The Four Way Test	Rtn. Deborah Okwalinga
	• The Object of rotary	Rtn. Emma Mbabazi
7.10 pm	Welcome Remarks	PAG. Jane Kabugo
7.15 pm	Address by the Outgoing President	President Lilian Byakutaga
7.35 pm	Music interlude (Ruhanga ishitwe)	PAG. Julie Kamuze
7.40 pm	Remarks by Outgoing AG & Introduction of Incoming AG	AG. Geoffrey Kitakule
7.45 pm	Introduction of Guest of Honour	PAG. Jane Kabugo
7.50 pm	Introduction of PE -Rosette	PAG. Philip Mike Katamba
7.55 pm	Installation	PDG. Ken Mugisha
8.05 pm	Music interlude (Judith Babirye - Favor)	PAG. Julie Kamuze
8.10 pm	Acceptance Speech	President Rosette Namisi
8.25pm	Remarks by the Guest of Honour	PDG. Ken Mugisha
8.30 pm	Roll call of Clubs	Rtn. Connie Tukwasibwe
8.35 pm	Final Toast	DGN. Mike Sebalu
	Musical interlude (Twende mbele)	PAG. Julie Kamuzze

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE I



This does not seem like a time for great optimism, but it has to be. Long before Rotary was founded, the world dealt with great crises that tested humankind's ability to progress and endure. In the age of Rotary, the world has faced many more catastrophes; however, we have survived, and every step of the way, Rotary has helped the world heal.

Every great challenge is an opportunity for renewal and growth. I revealed the theme of Rotary Opens Opportunities at the International Assembly in San Diego just as the COVID-19 crisis was beginning, but these are words that I have believed for many years.

Rotary is not just a club that you join; it is an invitation to endless opportunities. We believe in creating opportunities for others and for ourselves. We believe that our acts of service, large and small, generate opportunities for people who need our help, and that Rotary opens opportunities for us to live a richer, more meaningful life, with friends around the world, based on our core values.

Governments and institutions are gaining a greater appreciation for the types of public health partnerships that are critical to our work. People stuck at home, eager for greater connections and hungry to help their communities, are now embracing the values we have promoted since our beginning.

All of this is positive news, but just because there are greater opportunities than ever for Rotary to thrive does not guarantee that we will succeed. The world is changing rapidly – and was doing so even before this crisis. People were starting to move away from regular lunch meetings and toward online gatherings. Friendships were being cultivated and revived in social media relationships even before most of our meetings moved to Zoom and Skype. Younger generations have a strong desire to serve – but have questioned whether they could play a meaningful role in organizations like Rotary or whether they might make a bigger impact forming different types of connections. Now is the time to put everything on the table, test new approaches, and prepare Rotary for the future.

The COVID-19 crisis has forced all of us to adapt. This is good, and our new Action Plan specifically calls on us to improve our ability to adapt. But adaptation is not enough. We need to change, and change dramatically, if we are to face the challenges of this new age and provide the Rotary the world so desperately needs.

This is our great challenge, not just in the next year but into the foreseeable future. It is up to us to remake Rotary for these new times – to wholeheartedly embrace the ideas, energy, and commitment of young people eager to find an outlet for idealism. We must become an organization fully enmeshed in the digital age, not one that simply looks for online ways to keep doing what we have always done.

The world needs Rotary now more than ever. It is up to us to make sure that Rotary Opens Opportunities for generations to come.

Holger Knaack

Rotary International President 2020-21



OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:



The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;



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;



The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;



The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

4-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do;

Is it the **TRUTH**?



Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?



Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

AREAS OF FOCUS



PEACE AND CONFLICT
PREVENTION/RESOLUTION



MATERNAL
AND CHILD HEALTH



DISEASE PREVENTION
AND TREATMENT



BASIC
EDUCATION AND LITERACY



WATER
AND SANITATION



ECONOMIC AND
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT



NEW AREA OF FOCUS
SUPPORTING THE ENVIRONMENT



Editorial

internationally, as well as embraced the biggest opportunity of continuity of our actions through Rotary service. Some of these milestones form key highlights captured in this Souvenir Magazine.

You will all agree that our E-Club goals resonate totally with both RIP Mark Daniel Maloney's theme for 2019-2020: Rotary Connects the World, and RIP Holger Knaack's theme for 2020-2021: Rotary Opens Opportunities. The Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global has lined up a host of very interesting and exciting Club activities with a mission to connect, inform, inspire, and involve members in Service Above Self. Volunteer service is not just about doing what is expected of us but it is a way of life. You can't teach someone to care. We urge members not to be backbenchers but to take on a new meaning by making a difference in living and sharing Rotary. Let's tell our E-Club story together. Meet our members both in Uganda and in the Diaspora and enjoy some of the breathtaking Rotary Moments in this Souvenir Magazine.

On behalf of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global, I would like to acknowledge the presence of our Guests. I appreciate all of you for gracing the occasion - to witness the installation of Opportunity President Rosette Peninah Namisi as the second President of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global. Thank you for your friendship.

In a special way, we would like to thank our selfless, most eloquent, and insightful Speakers. Thank you for answering our call to volunteer your valuable time and, more importantly, for mentoring us into excellent Leaders. For some of us, it was a distance learning experience from the captivating, educational and enlightening "World-class Masterclasses". May your latter days be greater than the former. God bless.

The great success we are experiencing today could not have been possible without our Organizing Committee members. Our Master of Ceremonies thank you. Thank you Team for compiling a very impressive Souvenir Magazine. It has been a great honour to serve as your Editor of this Souvenir Magazine.

Joy Ogang, PHF+7
Editor, Souvenir Magazine 2019/2020
Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global

As the saying goes "in the journey of success, every finishing line is the new starting line". It is both a pleasure and privilege to congratulate our Opportunity President Rosette Peninah Namisi, the new Board, and the entire membership of Rotary E-Club Uganda Global for the nomination of the team and achievements made since our Club was chartered. We look forward to working with you as we soar to greater heights.

Many, if not all of you, have likely heard the anonymously penned quote: "Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, but by the number of moments that take our breath away." The Charter of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global, on December 8, 2019, as the first-ever D9211 E-Club in Uganda, was a game-changer. Absolutely! As echoed by many, our success gave a new impetus in embracing online meetings and the ability to think outside the box. The evolution of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global provides inspiration for our challenge to lead, to be nimble, and to keep Rotary relevant for this century.

Given the rapidly changing world and coupled with Covid-19 pandemic, I thank God for the gift of life of our entire E-Club membership and a champion in our New Club Advisor, PAG Jane Kabugo, the brain and legs behind the scenes - for pitching the innovative, cutting-edge E-Club idea. Our special thanks go to our Mother Club, Sunrise-Kampala for approving the proposal and the Connecting Charter President Lilian Byakutaga who played her role with vigour and total dedication. Her exemplary leadership has left a trail of footprints. The E-Club has had amazing and very successful first six months of Rotary Year 2019-2020 and has laid a firm foundation for our E-Club's culture, our cause of making a lasting change locally and

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DISTRICT GOVERNOR | MESSAGE

Rosetti Nabbumba Nayenga
District Governor 2020-21

Dear Opportunity President:

Congratulations to you and your Board of Directors upon being entrusted to lead your Club. I trust you are off to a great start!

The Rotary Year 2020-2021 will be special in so many ways, not because we are becoming leaders but rather, we are being asked to open opportunities and make a difference! Rotary International President Holger Knaack (2020-2021) shared our Rotary Theme: Rotary Opens Opportunities. Now is our chance to demonstrate that we are men and women of action – ready, willing, and able to make a difference in the communities we serve. As a club leader you have a vital role to play in the continued success of Rotary.

Rotary International New Strategic Plan is our compass for action this year. The first pillar on increasing our impact compels us to contribute generously to the Rotary Foundation so that collectively with other clubs in our district we meet the \$600,000 mark of giving. Every member should give to TRF, however small the contribution may be. But the story of giving is incomplete if we do not implement projects in our communities. During and after COVID 19 pandemic, many communities will require our support to rebuild livelihoods. Inspire and guide members to implement impactful sustainable projects in your respective communities. Let us engage our long-life partners in Rotary projects and encourage them to consider joining Rotary through Corporate Membership. The overall target for global grant utilization for D9211 is US\$ 4 million.

The second pillar is about expanding our reach, allowing Rotary to grow organically, and encouraging inclusiveness of youth and women. We target 600 persons to join rotary, 100 Rotaractors to transition into Rotary, 10 Rotaract clubs to be formed and flexible club models introduced. Brand standardization is core to our existence as an institution.

The third pillar is about enhancing participant engagement. Plan for Fitness and Nutrition (FAN) fellowships and activities to bring fun into Rotary and

Rotaract Clubs, publicise Rotary and its benefits and promote preventive measures for Non-Communicable diseases (NCDs) in our society. Let us involve Rotaractors in joint projects, promote diversity in club meeting times and formats and hold at least one Strategic meeting to allow members express their desire of how they want their club to be now and five years on.

The fourth pillar is about increasing our ability to adapt by reporting club goals and performance on Rotary Club Central; qualifying the club; ensuring zero tolerance to fraud and participating in delivering 2 strong districts 9213 and 9214 by the end of our tenure in service on June 30, 2021. The clubs will have the able support and guidance of Assistant Governors throughout the year.

After successfully implementing all the above suggested programmes, I invite you all to celebrate with me our achievements at the end of the year at the 96th District Conference and Assembly that will take place at Speke Resort Hotel, Munyonyo.

Congratulations to the Connecting President and the entire club leadership for the outstanding performance of the club during Rotary year 2019/20. The milestones so achieved under the leadership of District Governor Francis Xavier Ssentamu provide a strong platform for club continuity in 2020-21.

I wish you the best during your year of service and assure you of my unending support during the year. Your allocated Assistant Governor and the District Officers are a resource that you should call upon whenever you need technical assistance in planning and executing the year's programme. Enjoy your year of service as this opportunity comes once in your lifetime; groom the next leaders to ensure continuity and sustainability of the club at the end of your year of service.

I look forward to hearing from each of you over the next 12 months as we "Open Opportunities" in District 9211. I encourage you to keep safe and observe the Government regulations on COVID-19.



I urge you all to join me in executing “Fitness and Nutrition (FAN)” – our signature programme for 2020-21 by carrying out fitness exercises and practising healthy nutrition options in your clubs and communities.

CHAIR INSTALLATION COMMITTEE MESSAGE



Rtn. Apolo Kyeyune

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ellow Rotarians and Guests:

It has been a wonderful opportunity working on a Committee of great ladies to organize PE Rosette Peninah Namisi's installation as the second President of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global.

Organizing an installation for a young E-Club (chartered on 8th December, 2019) compounded by the current pandemic, introduces a number of dynamics differing from the norm of Rotary events in Uganda. The hosting of this installation at the President's home without the physical presence of E-Club members and other Rotarians is possibly a normal among E-Clubs that we may gradually come to terms with. For the E-Club, the notion of 'virtual' is very real, transcending the Fellowships to the personal relationships and interactions, whereby a number of

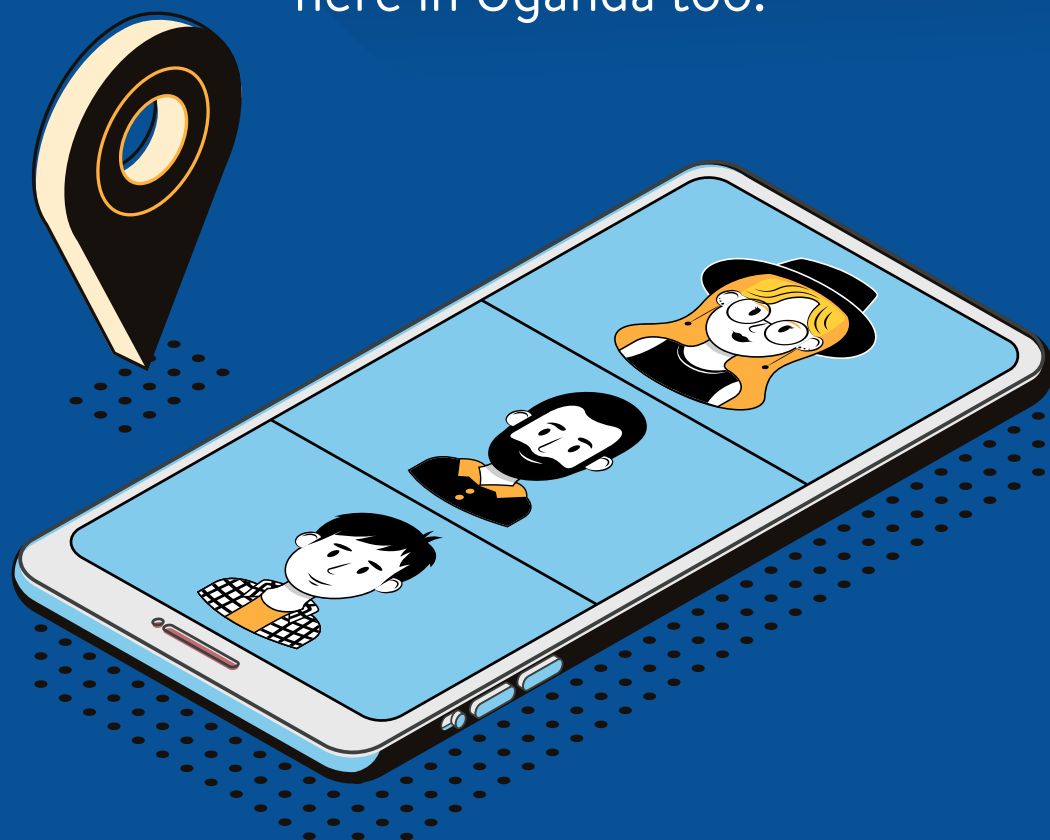
members are scattered across the globe, with a number having never met physically. Despite this, the energy, wit, creativity, and enthusiasm of the Installation Committee comprising Charter President Lillian, Rtn Joy, Rtn Connie, and Rtn Deborah have circumvented any potential challenges of this 'virtual-ness' and made organizing this event easy and enjoyable. The guidance and advice from Rtn. Jane Kabugo has been indispensable. We are also very grateful to the club members who have made a financial contribution to ensure the success of this event. We take this opportunity to thank Charter President Lillian for the great leadership during 2019/2020. Congratulations to PE Rosette Peninah Namisi on your installation as the second President of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global and we hope that this team has contributed to a memorable albeit peculiar event. The Installation Committee wishes you a great Rotary year and pledges its continued support.

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ABOUT US

We are an online Rotary Club for Ugandans in the diaspora and those here in Uganda too.



We meet every other Sunday, 7.00pm EAT
rotaryclubug.org



PDG Kenneth Wycliffe Mugisha

GUEST OF HONOUR

MESSAGE

I am honoured to join you this evening for the 2nd installation of the Rotary eClub of Uganda Global, a club where Rotary happens. This occasion marks yet another milestone for the club, and I am happy to note the presence of members who are here to celebrate the club's past achievements, and to support work planned for the coming year.

My congratulations go out to Rotary eClub of Uganda for a successful year 2019-2020. I also congratulate the newly elected President Rosette Peninah Namisi and Board of Directors for being elected by the club to take on the mantle of leadership. I trust that the newly elected team will carry on with the club's formed proud traditions, and continue to serve the different communities. As incoming leaders, you must have commitment of time and effort to your eClub. The success of your club will depend on your strong and effective leadership.

The theme for this Rotary year is Rotary Opens Opportunities. This is an apt and timely theme, as Rotary is opens opportunities. Paul Harris came to Chicago as a young lawyer, and formed Rotary for one compelling reason: to help him open opportunities to others in a new city. Today we have at our disposal countless ways to form friendships and networks, most of which Paul Harris never dreamed. In 2020-2021, it is our challenge to strengthen the many ways that Rotary opens opportunities that allow talented, thoughtful, and generous people to unite and take meaningful action through Rotary service.

I am a big supporter of the Rotary movement. It is my hope that people will have more opportunities, by the spirit of Rotary and embrace volunteerism and community service for the good of the world.

I wish Rotary eClub of Uganda Global the best during the Rotary year of service and assure you of my unending support during 2020-2021 as we strive to open opportunities.

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OUTGOING ASSISTANT GOVERNOR

I MESSAGE



I wish to congratulate Charter President Lillian Edith Byakutaga for having ably led the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global for the Rotary Year 2019-2020. All of us know that the toughest stages in any Rotary Club is the beginning but, due to her excellent leadership, this club has excelled beyond expectations. This is the first fully fledged E-Club in Uganda with members from all over the world in different time zones. She has been able to bring together all these Rotarians from diverse backgrounds to serve the community. As a Charter President, you are the mother and father of a club and it is my request that you give all the support to the incoming President to continue all the good work you started. We know the last quarter of the Rotary year was interrupted by the COVID-19 Pandemic but, as an E-Club, other Rotary Clubs were struggling to do what was normal to you. And you were an example to the rest of how to conduct online Fellowships. Be sure that this club will always be my home. It was a pleasure being your Assistant Governor and I wish members and our Incoming President a wonderful 2020-2021 Rotary Year.

Geoffrey Kitakule

Assistant Governor,
Kampala Zone 3, 2019-2020

ROTARY BELL HISTORY



In 1922, U.S. Rotarians organized an attendance contest to see which club could increase their attendance at meetings the most. The challenge was that the losing clubs would join in giving the winning club a prize. The Rotary Club of New York City was declared the winner and they were awarded as a prize, a bell from a popular patrol boat, which was placed on a block of wood that came from HMS "Victory," Admiral Nelson's vessel at the battle of Trafalgar.

Since then, the bell used in Rotary meetings started to represent, as on the ships, order, discipline and the time to guide us through the weekly hour and a half meetings. The bell informs us with its sound the beginning of the meeting at which time people present should stand in order to salute the US and Rotary flags. The sounding of the bell concludes meetings and is also rung at somber times.

ASSISTANT GOVERNOR

Kampala Zone 3, 2020/21

Hilda Mugoya



Fellow Rotarian and Guests,
It gives me great pleasure, as your Assistant Governor Kampala Zone 3 to congratulate and at the same time welcome the new leadership team led by Opportunity President, Rtn. Namisi. I look forward to serving with you and building acquaintance of this family of rotary.

To Opportunity President Namisi and the entire membership of the e-club of Uganda, Rotary provides opportunities for changing lives for the better through serving/ helping others and not forgetting being better people ourselves and this coming year's theme Rotary Opens Opportunities says it all. You have a sizeable task ahead of you and knowing the preparations you have gone through, I am confident

that the e-club of Uganda will rise a notch higher. However this will take strong commitment and wide participation from all members in the club activities.

As a President, your passion, your skills, your creativity, ability to engage and inspire your members into action, will play a big role, because only as a team, will you move successfully, opportunities for others.

To my predecessor, Rtn. Kitakule, thank you so much for supporting/ guiding the e-club of Uganda.

I look forward to an enjoyable year as your AG for the Rotary year 2020/2021 and I wish you a rewarding year of service as Rotary Opens Opportunities.

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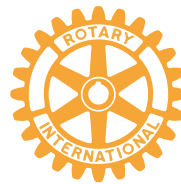
Paul Harris
Rotary Founder

"I would like to think that the pioneering days of Rotary have only just begun. There are just as many new things to be done as ever there were. Kaleidoscopic changes are taking place, many of them without our will. Even to hang on to the fringe of this fast-changing world is about all most of us can do. Rotary simply must continue to pioneer or be left in the rear of progress."

The Rotarian Magazine - 1945

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The Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global, sponsored by the Rotary Club of Sunrise-Kampala, received Provisional Status on October 22,

2019. It was chartered on December 08, 2019 in an impressive ceremony held at Kampala Serena Hotel, attended by Rotarians and guests from around the world. We used a Meeting App built by Twende Smart who were major sponsors of the event.

District Governor, Xavier Sentamu delivered the keynote address, and inducted new Rotarians. Other dignitaries included PDG FF Tusubira, PDG Robert Waggwa Nsibirwa, PDG Stephen Mwanje, and PDG Ken Mugisha, all who added warmth to an already exciting Ceremony.

While the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global conducts online meetings only twice a month, members are able to participate in Rotary activities at anytime of the day through assignments and visits to other Clubs.

Plans are underway to enable our website generate 'make-ups' for visiting Rotarians. Club Committees meet monthly, and the Board meets every two months using the GoToMeeting online meeting platform. Our Club Assemblies are open to all Rotarians, and are preceded by a fellowship opportunity.



Our E-Club plans to partner with the Rotary Club of Milton in Toronto, Canada in an International project, as well as participate in local Community projects.

Currently we participate in the following Rotary Foundation Programs: PolioPlus, and RYLA. In future we will engage in a Youth Exchange Program.

We invite you to visit our website, as well as our social media platforms. LIKE our Facebook page and follow us on Twitter.

If you are interested in learning more about e-clubs, please click this link <http://www.rotaryeclubs.com/faq.html>

Our E-Club is one of those Clubs with the highest membership diversity. It draws its members from 8 countries who live and work in 3 continents.

ROTARY E-CLUBS



FAQs



What is the purpose of a Rotary e-club?

The purpose of a Rotary e-club is to extend Rotary to business, professional and community leaders in any Rotary District who are unable to meet traditional attendance requirements. Inability to attend a traditional Rotary club could be the result of demanding business or professional commitments, extensive travel, confinement due to ill health or disability, or residence beyond reasonable distance from an existing Rotary club.

What is a pure Rotary e-club?

A pure Rotary e-club conducts 100% of its Rotary business on the Internet.

Typically, members have one face-to-face dinner meeting per year, usually at the RI Convention. Members are likely to come from a wide geographic area which may be global. Rotary service is undertaken in the community where a member lives, or groups of members collaborate and work together as teams on service projects in needy communities where no member resides. Rotary eClub of Uganda Global is a good example of a pure Rotary e-club.

Can a Rotary e-club admit a new member from a country where Rotary does not exist?

No it cannot. Rotary International expressly forbids membership of any person domiciled in any country where Rotary does not exist.



FIND OUT MORE

<https://rotaryeclubs.com>

CHARTER PRESIDENT'S Message

I Lilian M. Byakutaga



My dear Rotary Family,
This marks my last message for the Rotary Year 2019-2020. I am truly blessed and humbled by the most coveted opportunity to serve as Charter President of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global, the first E-Club of its kind in Uganda, that was chartered on Sunday December 8th, 2019 at Kampala Serena Hotel. It was an unforgettable day for many of us and an institutional memory for our Charter members.

2019-2020 has been largely an exciting journey, but somewhat a bit challenging. Challenging, in the sense that it is as if our E-Club was created with COVID-19 in mind. However, being a Rotarian, my preference is usually to focus on the positive, in this case the positive outcomes of the COVID-19 global pandemic. As the saying goes “When life throws you a lemon, make lemonade”. The pandemic period registered positive points: we managed to bond with our families, we were reminded of our basic life survival skills, and for some; we discovered our hidden talents. But most of all, we took advantage of zoom/gotomeeting applications to connect in fellowship with the traditional Rotary Clubs of D9211 and Rotary the world over, beyond even our wildest dreams. Ambassadorial visits for the last six months of 2019 registered an amazing 512, plus an overwhelming attendance by visiting Rotarians from around the world. The ability to bring so many people into one space is simply amazing, as Rotarians do not have to toggle with travel arrangements to have fellowship and connection.

As an E-Club we have indeed come a long way and been through a lot during the journey. When

we go down memory lane we can recall that our activities during the provisional status of the E-Club involved simple activities of introducing ourselves to each other, learning about each other, bonding, while simultaneously working hard to put the E-Club together. This took a lot of team effort, lots of energy, great commitment and patience from everyone.

On my part, I started the year 2019 not expecting to be at the helm of a new Club. We also did not have any concrete plans set in place to guide us before the year started. Equally, the majority of the E-Club leadership had not had any training in club administration, but this did not faze them. We depended a lot on our Club advisor Jane Kabugo, our Mother Club RC Sunrise-Kampala and AG Godfrey Kitakule to guide us in most of the activities during the year.

512 
**Ambassadorial
visits for the last
six months of 2019**

We grew our membership to amazing levels. One of the reasons why most of our members joined the E-Club was the inability to attend a traditional Rotary Club due to:

- a) demanding business/professional commitments;
- b) extensive travel;
- c) confinement due to ill health;
- d) residence beyond reasonable distance from an existing Rotary Club.

I'm happy to report that our membership diversity is one of highest in the rotary world. It draws people from 8 countries, who live and work on 3 continents.

Today, as we usher in the 2nd President of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global - Rtn Rosette Peninah Namisi, via Zoom Webinar and live on Facebook, allow me to report on the milestones and achievements our Club has posted:



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Successful Charter of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global on December 8th 2019



The 95th DCA Membership & Diversity Award as 2nd Runner up



The RI Citation in three areas



Sponsored 2 Rotaractors to RYLA



Sponsored 2 Rotaractors to Boot Camp



Raised \$3,792 towards the Annual Fund



Raised \$551 towards Polio Plus



Club has 6 PHFs



Raised UGX. 1,050,000 towards COVID-response



Increased membership by 25%



Successfully created the E-Club website, Facebook, Twitter, and You Tube accounts



Vibrant buddy groups that kept the fellowships alive

These achievements in such a short period, have inspired me to thirst for more wins, I hope that all the Club members are equally inspired to achieve more wins for the E-Club.

It has been an amazing honor & pleasure to serve as the Charter President of the 1st Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global.

I appreciate the senior Rotarians who made numerous presentations at our E-fellowships which provided mentorship and growth for our young club. Your invaluable experience and vast Knowledge are greatly appreciated. It has been an amazing honor and pleasure to serve as the Charter President of the 1st Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global. I find it a great privilege to be entrusted with the leadership role of steering the club to the level that we did. Thank you for allowing me to serve you. My sincere gratitude to the friends of Rotary, and our families who have journeyed with us this Rotary connecting year.

I would like to appreciate the District leaders led by our PDG Francis Xavier Sentamu (Salongo) for the support extended and encouragement to our E-Club. I would like to thank our PAG Godfrey Kitakule, PAG Emily Mbabazi, PP Rachel Lubowa, Rtn. Placide Sekamatte, IPP Margaret Kasekende, our mother Club RC Sunrise Kampala and last but not least our New Club Advisor PAG Jane Kabugo, who has been at the forefront of this E-club formation, Charter and mentoring throughout the year.

A Special thank you to my fellow Rotarians in the E-Club for your support and service rendered during the Provisional status of the E-Club, throughout the charter preparations and finally up to the conclusion of this Rotary connecting year. Thank you all for your support, guidance, and encouragement you provided which has helped us achieve all that we been able to. I have had a wonderful

opportunity of interacting and learning from different types of people, but above all we as an E-Club have had a chance to contribute towards improving the lives of the many less privileged people in our communities through our contributions. I wish to thank the E-Club members for trusting me with the paddles of the ship. A big thank you to the wonderful Board which I have served. Thank you! *Mwebale muno caali!*

To the Charter Members of the E-Club your decision to join Rotary is the best decision you made a year ago. It is time for me to bid you farewell as President of the Rotary Connecting Year 2019-2020. Today I am handing over to Rtn. Rosette Peninah Namisi to navigate the E-Club through the expansive sea of plans, goals, activities and decipher the very best route that we need to take as an E-Club that will enable us meet our personal goals, Rotary goals, and Community Goals. She will need our support in her efforts to serve the E-Club. I would like to welcome President Rosette, and pledge to support her in the year of Opportunities 2020-2021. I urge all E-Club members to support her, increasingly continue the commitment, participation, connections, and giving meaningful service, because everyone's input matters. As a club, let us continue to build one brick at a time; seek advice, organize and work together with the ultimate objective of attaining the vision of our E-Club.



Lilian M. Byakutaga

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THE IMPACT OF COVID 19 PANDEMIC ON THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

JOIN US
Sunday: Time: 7:00 p.m
3rd May, 2020

Online meeting
GoToMeeting ID 873-292-653

Presenter: Rtn. Per Hoyen
Trustee 2018 - 2022
Rotary Club of Aarup, Denmark



Presenter: Rtn Jane N. Kabugo
Topic: The benefits of being a Rotarian

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Water & Sanitation

JOIN US
7pm (EAT) Sunday
29 March, 2020

Online meeting
GoToMeeting ID 873-292-653
Buddy Group Host: Across Borders

PDG Ken Mugisha

Rotary
eClub of Uganda Global





THE QUEST FOR ROTARY TO ELEVATE ROTARACT

JOIN US
Sunday: Time: 7:00 p.m
17th May, 2020

Online meeting
GoToMeeting ID 873-292-653

PAG Ronald Kawaddwa



Speaker: Dr. Connie Tukwasibwe
Topic: Basic Education and Literacy

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SUNDAY 19TH APR



DIGITAL BANKING
THE WAY TO GO
* 7pm to 8pm *
East African Standard Time

Geremil Lukwaga Ssemukuzuma

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TOPIC
"REFLECTIONS AS WE END A UNIQUE ROTARY 2019/20"



GUEST SPEAKER
DGN John Ndamira Magezi




Buddy group: Dream Team
Date: Sunday, June 14, 2020
Times: 7:00pm EAT / 12:00pm EST

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Speaker: PAG Ronald Kawaddwa
Topic: The Quest for Rotary to Elevate Rotaract

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"BECOMING AND BEING A ROTARIAN"

Peter Jemba-Kaggwa
SPEAKER

Buddy group:
Across Borders
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Charter NIGHT





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OUR VISION

Together we see a world where people embrace technology to unite globally, and take action aimed at creating lasting positive change in our communities and in ourselves.



MISSION

To globally unite members of different professions and from different backgrounds through the use of technology, to take action and create lasting positive changes across our less privileged communities in Uganda.

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eClub of Uganda Global





Induction Fellowship

DG Francis Xavier Sentamu

Online meeting
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7pm Sunday
15 March, 2020



Member INDUCTION

15th March 2020

We had a great fellowship. It was a mixture of both physical and virtual attendees. We were pleased to have DG Xavier Sentamu join us and to induct some of our new members. Hoping that you will join us on our next online meeting.

Ps; major thanks to rotarian PE Rosette and Martin Namisi for hosting us!



“Volunteers are unpaid not because they are worthless, but because they are priceless.”

PRESIDENT

2020 | 21

Rosette P.
Namisi



Today is the day that the Lord has made, let us all rejoice and be glad in it.

I will start by thanking the almighty God for the gift of life, for the divine protection and for his provision. It's only by his grace that, we are alive with an opportunity to serve humanity.

Special thanks go to our chief guest, my brother and friend PDG Ken Mugisha for honouring our invitation to officiate over my installation as the 2nd President of this great club.

All the Rotarians, Rotaractors and our

guests, thank you for sparing time to be here with us this evening.

In a special way, I would like to recognize the presence of members from my other club, the Rotary Club of Kampala Ssesse Islands. I'm a Charter member of RC Kampala Ssesse and Ssesse will always be my second home.

To my family, my husband Martin and Children; Emma, Linda & Andrew, thank you for your support and always being willing to share family time and resources with my bigger Rotary family.



A bit about my Rotary journey, I joined Rotary in 1991 as a charter member of the Rotary Club of Kampala Ssesse Islands. I served in various capacities in the club and enjoyed serving, but missed the opportunity of serving in the highest office, the presidency. I'm sure many of you must be wondering, what took me so long to become a president. The beauty with Rotary, it's never too early or too late, to take up any leadership position. So, in December 2018, when PDG Jane Kabugo shared with me, the plans of RC Sunrise Kampala to start an e club, I saw an opportunity for me, to remain an active Rotarian and to take on leadership position.

Special thank you to members of the Rotary E - Club of Uganda global for entrusting me with the leadership of our club. Our club is the first eclub in Uganda. While other clubs are adjusting to the new normal because of the current global crisis, and struggling to catch up with the technology, for us we embraced it first and we should use it to serve our communities better. We should use our global networks to mobilize resources, to bring about positive changes in our communities during these tough times.

To our mother club, the Rotary club of Sunrise Kampala, thank you for sponsoring the first e club in Uganda and for mothering so well, throughout our first year in Rotary.

I would like in a special way to thank the outgoing President Lillian, for setting a good

pace for our club. You are a great team player and I really admire you for that.

Our main goal in the Rotary year 2020/21 will be to enhance members engagement and participation. We shall strive to make members feel proud to be Rotarians. In our year planner, we have lined up powerful speakers on topics relevant to current situations. A big number of our members are new in Rotary, so we plan to carry out trainings that will benefit our members, not only in Rotary, but in their day to day lives.

We need to look out for our members especially now, as many will be impacted in different ways by Covid 19. The way we support and relate with our members, during these tough times, will determine to a greater extent, their levels of commitment and willingness to serve others. The theme for the year 2020/21 is, Rotary Opens Opportunities, so we shall endeavor to open our own opportunities, as we go out to serve others.

With a satisfied membership, we shall be able to attract and retain more members. More members mean more hands to do the job, and to mobilize the much needed resources.

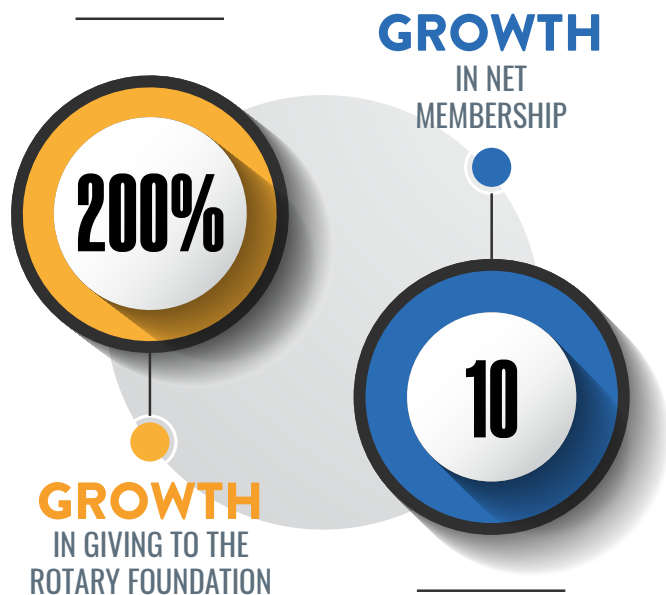
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Another area where we can improve my fellow members, with the right focus and when we purpose, is our giving to the Rotary Foundation. The Rotary Foundation, is the backbone to our service projects. I'm sure we all want to be known as Rotarians and not as members of a Rotary club or a social club, and this will depend on the service projects we do. In the current and our first year in Rotary, we have exceeded our target in giving to the Rotary Foundation, and we are ranked among the best giving new clubs in our District. I encourage us to take advantage of our global nature and diversity to give more to the foundation. Imagine a situation where each one of us commits to give a minimum of USD 50. With our current membership of 40, that translates into USD 2,000. My dear members, that money can put food on somebody's table or save a life, especially now with the current global crisis and the days ahead. Our Communities needs us more now, than ever before. My dear friend, I'm counting on you to bring about the change we want to see in our communities. By the way, the money we all give to the Foundation, provides clean water to communities, builds schools, upgrades health centres and so many other facilities that make our communities a better place.

We are an e Club, but we appreciate the importance of bonding that can only be fully achieved through physical meetings or fellowships.

During the Rotary year 2020/21 we plan to have at least two physical meeting, which will double as home hospitalities. Club members will also be encouraged to visit more regularly with the traditional clubs. We shall have fun as we serve humanity.

Our club is hardly one year old, but on the right track and destined for greatness. With the continued commitment of our members, the support of our AG Hilda Mugoya and with the guidance of our DG Rosetti Nabumba, we shall deliver a club with net membership growth of 10, and 200% growth in giving to Rotary Foundation by the end of the Rotary year 2020/21.



As I conclude, I call upon members of the Rotary E – club of Uganda global to participate in our club activities. Let us be guided by the belief that, if I'm not there no body is there and let our club be known as a giving club to the Foundation.

Let us continue to pray for one another, stay safe as we continue to serve humanity.

God bless you.

Rosette P. Namisi

BOARD MEMBERS 2020-2021

The mission of Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global is to connect, inform, inspire and involve members in Service Above Self.



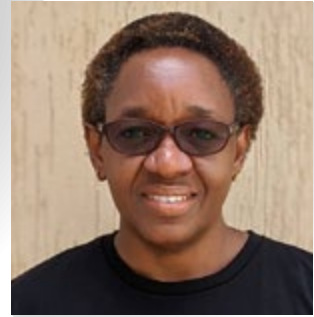
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Club Advisor



Yvonne Namuli
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HONORARY MEMBERS' *Messages*



I wish to congratulate Opportunity President Rosette Namisi who assumed the office of the Presidency of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global on the 1st of July. Opportunity President Rosette, I am looking forward to see this great Club grow in all areas under your leadership. I take this opportunity to congratulate Charter President Lilian Byakutaaga for the great leadership she has shown, leading us to Charter and the last 6 months after the Charter, this very young Club has met and even exceeded its targets in almost all areas except those impacted by the lockdown. To all our Charter and new members, your decision to join this young but growing Club is appreciated as it brings more hands to the job enabling us to create lasting change across the globe, in our communities and within ourselves.

This Club was the first online Club in Uganda, when we came up with the idea of starting this Club, I had no idea that it would prepare all of us on a new normal of online Rotary meetings, installations and Club Charters. However, experience gained was quickly utilised to move Rotary in our Country and indeed our District to another level.

Congratulations! President Rosette, lead us into opening opportunities.

PAG, MD Jane N. Kabugo
New Club Advisor, and
Honorary Member



Congratulations to the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global for its first six months of existence! It is an honor and a privilege to be associated with this Club and the Founding Members. A small core of incredible ladies decided to pursue a dream in the form of this initiative with an incredible vision. Going where “No Team Has Gone Before” is the ultimate challenge burdened with a high degree of uncertainty. This incredible team demonstrated a desire and determination to succeed. Their tenacity is now recognized by the rapid evolution, realization and growth of the eClub. As this eClub continues on the journey of excellence, I anticipate great things. Members of the Club have demonstrated a continued desire to integrate into the family of Rotary through their participation and attendance to other club activities. This is the true spirit of Rotarians! As the E-Club transitions into the new Rotary Year, I would like to wish the incoming President Rosette all the success the Club deserves.

President Romeo Mitchell, PHF
Rotary Club of Milton
Honorary Member of the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global

E CLUB REMARKS

I am greatly honored to have been part of the support team for the organization of the first e-Club in Uganda ... the e-Club of Uganda Global as a member of RC Sunrise-Kampala (sponsor Club).

It was such an exciting journey, meeting with people from different locations with the associated varying time zones. During introductions, we would have people in locations where it was morning, some afternoon; evening and others had to interrupt their sleep to be part of the meetings.

The whole experience of dealing with the very determined and enthusiastic prospective members was assurance enough that the team support would result into a very healthy Club adding more hands to the Rotary Family to do good in the World through SERVICE TO COMMUNITIES.

I looked forward to every meeting, which I attended wherever I was; whether travelling, visiting, at home, wherever These meetings also attracted the



PAG Emily Mbabazi

**Rotary Club of Sunrise
Kampala**

attention of family, friends & colleagues because to most of the members, it was a totally new experience. To family, friends & colleagues, Rotary meetings were physical and held at some venue where Rotarians would be seen rushing to be at the meetings in good time.

Something memorable is the charter of this e-Club. The charter celebration arrangements were not different from what we know EXCEPT that for this Club, it was both physical and online (which is the current mode of hosting events). It was a classic event and went into history as successful.

Fast forward, the exposure and being part of the first e-Club in Uganda with online meetings was training for what was coming the COVID 19 Pandemic which set a totally new way of doing things as the “new normal” requiring Rotary business to go on as usual. While

many were challenged, I had a seamless transition from the physical to the online meetings. I attribute this to the exposure and experience gained from my participation in the e-Club meetings.

With the diverse membership of the e-Club of Uganda Global and as we usher in the Opportunity Leadership, let’s keep our focus on Rotary’s Vision Statement;

“Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves”.

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ROTARY DISTRICT 9211 CONTRIBUTES US\$ 263,000 TO THE FIGHT AGAINST COVID-19



Past District
Governor Francis
Xavier Sentamu

The Rotary District 9211 which covers Uganda and Tanzania has responded to the Covid-19 crisis by offering to partner with the respective Ministries of Health and the National Task Force both in Uganda and Tanzania. In Uganda, this process has been finalized and in Tanzania discussions are already underway.

“District Governor Francis Xavier Sentamu announced on Thursday that Rotary will contribute Personal Protection Equipment, Test Kits and Wash Facilities, all valued at US\$263,000. Rotary District 9211 through its 168 clubs in Uganda and

Tanzania will also contribute enormously create awareness of the government guidelines for the control of the Covid19 spread.

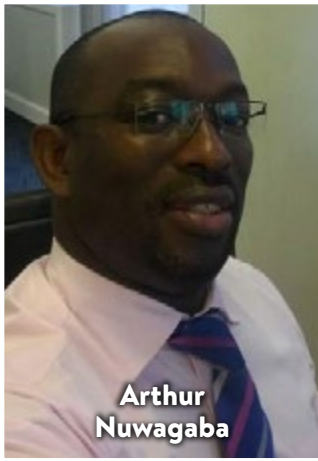
When the Covid19 crisis broke out in the region, District Governor Sentamu set up a Covid19 Emergency Response Committee to mobilize over 5000 Rotarians and Rotary partners in the district into raising and contributing to the national efforts in both countries. “I continue to call upon Rotarians, Rotaractors and partners to contribute generously to raise more funds for this effort,” he said.

District Governor Sentamu however appealed to Rotarians to stay safe by abiding to their national guidelines while working remotely online to mobilize resources and respond to the needs of the communities around them.

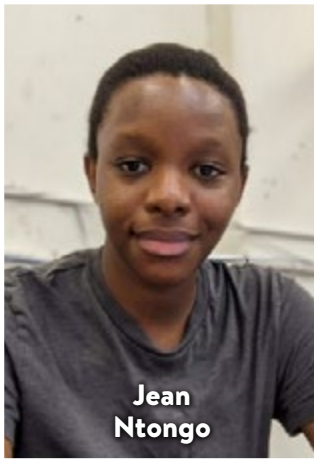
A few groups of Rotarians that have been authorized by the Uganda National Task Force will distribute the donated items, including educating the communities on staying safe to avoid Covid19. In Tanzania, the way forward on the distribution of these items is being co-ordinated with the National task force.



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**Arthur
Nuwagaba**



**Jean
Ntongo**



**Pius Okullo
Ongar**



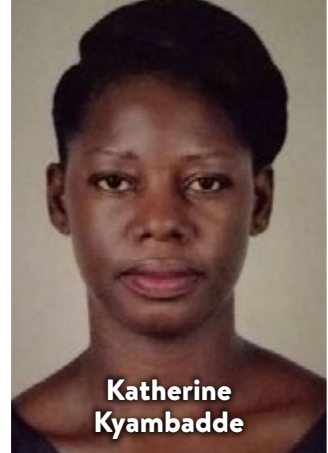
**Sabiiti Spencer
Oyes**



**George Kasumba
Kakooza**

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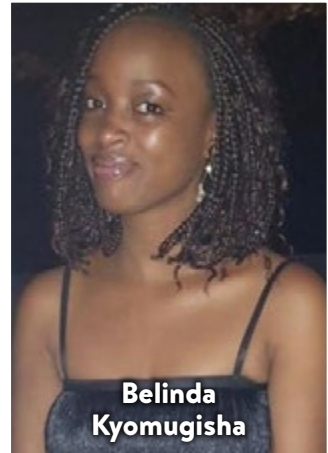
MEMBERS PT.1



**Katherine
Kyambadde**



**Espen
Malmberg (PHF +4)**



**Belinda
Kyomugisha**



**Esther Janet
Kyakuwa (PHF)**



**Albert Katusiime
Byakutaga**



**Deborah Amulen
Okwalinga**



**Joseph Kiggundu
Mugerwa Lwanga**

MY ROTARY STORY

History was made on 8th December, 2020, the birth of the first e-Club in the Rotary district 9211 (I stand to be corrected). The hard work, dedication and commitment put into making by the various members like PAG Jane Kabugo, CP Lilian Musana Byakutaga, PE Rosette Namisi and all the members of the e-club. The joy, laughter and smiles that filled the Katonga Hall simply showed that this was memorable day that each and every one would not forget. Sharing the same room with well distinguished and established people who have come together for a cause greater than themselves only meant it was the right place to be. Watching and listening to a number of individuals beam with pride and passion as they give a recount of the contributions and experiences throughout their years in Rotary. One cannot simply put in words that feeling when DG Francis Xavier Sentamu placed the Rotary lapel pin on the sleeve of that coat, blazer, shirt or blouse. The feeling of being inducted into an establishment held with such high regard world over. Joining rotary is a personal decision made by an individual mainly with the reason to give back and serve those less fortunate.



Albert with other members on Charter day

Being part of a new Rotary club that is a year old feels one with excitement about the endless opportunities ahead to serve and drive change in the lives of so many people in the world while proudly standing along and together with engineers, doctors, lawyers, entrepreneurs, politicians and philanthropists. On that note, I conclude this with a quote, "You and I have memories longer than the road that stretches out ahead".

**Rtn Albert
Byakutaga**

ROTARY MOMENTS



I joined Rotary because I have a desire to serve the people in my community.

Rtn Claire Kimbugwe



I joined Rotary because of my desire to serve. When CP Lilian Byakutaga approached me to join the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global and enlightened me on the different benefits I would get from Rotary besides getting to know many different wonderful people, I didn't hesitate. I took up the opportunity and have never looked back. I am proud to be a member of the Rotary family! My Rotary moment was the day we were inducted on 8th December 2019. The joy that filled my heart!!! I always walk with my head high knowing I am part of the Rotary family.

Rtn. Deborah Amulen Okwalinga, Secretary



"Since I was inducted on March 15th, 2020, life has not been the same! I have learnt many things that has changed my personal and professional life. Rotary is a real game changer!"

Rtn Rita Lulua Akuti

Why I joined Rotary

I used to see my brother and his wife going to Rotary activities. It so happened that, many times, he would introduce their friends to me saying, they were friends from Rotary. Together with the friends they met at Rotary, they always had fun. They are people of integrity. I always followed the class of people they associated with. One day, we went for a Giveaway ceremony of a Rotarian's daughter, and the way they were welcomed really made me love Rotary. I had also, since time immemorial, heard Rotarians speak in public. All this and much more made me really love Rotary. So when Joy invited me to join Rotary, I never looked back. I enjoyed the Charter, my maiden and first-ever Virtual DCA Conference, so much that I look forward to a similar experience at the DCA Munyonyo.

Rtn Sarah Asimwe



"What I love about Rotary is the internationalist and diversity. I am able to learn so much from fellow Rotarians."

Espen Malmberg, PHF+4

ROTARY MOMENTS



Giving back to Society and Convenience. I am a Charter member, brand new to Rotary and still trying to find my footing. I specifically joined the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global on two grounds: Giving back to Society and Flexibility in attendance. While the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global conducts online meetings only twice a month, members are able to participate in Rotary activities at anytime of the day through assignments and visits to other Clubs.

I have found Rotary to be the best way to serve my community. What I get back is the pride of giving and opportunity to be part of such a wonderful organization. I'm fortunate to have found such a warm, welcoming Buddy Group. I am proud to be a Rotarian.

Rtn Katherine Kyambadde

Joined Rotary for love of serving and helping others

Rtn Ddungu Herbert



Our Charter President, Rtn Lilian did a commendable job of leading members, located across the globe, through the challenges of formation into a successful E-Club. As Rtn Rosette takes over the leadership baton we shall, as a club support her to achieve our goals to make an impact in our community.

Emmaline Mbabazi



Networking and Friendship. Membership provides a wonderful opportunity to make friends, to learn about a wide variety of subjects, and to network with business people and community leaders who share similar principles and goals. I enjoy the E-Fellowship enormously and particularly appreciate that we hear fascinating speakers on diverse topics. The camaraderie and friendships I have developed are a wonderful extra to all the good that Rotary does. As one person we can't do much to change the world but as part of 1.2 million Rotarians worldwide, great things can happen! Joining Rotary was the best decision I ever made on my life.

Rtn Arthur Nuwagaba

ROTARY MOMENTS



I was inducted into Rotary on March 15, 2020 by the District Governor Xavier Sentamu during the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global's maiden home hospitality hosted at PE Rosette Namisi's beautiful home. What really hooked me on Rotary was the goodness and experience I saw in the Rotarians at our E-Club, especially Rtn Joy Ogang. The kindness, the support and welcoming nature were overwhelming. Attendance at the Charter Night, and the virtual DCA completely blew me away; they cemented my decision to join Rotary. Well, I have come to Rotary and I intend to be a member for a long time and grow. I am currently serving as the E-Club's Fitness and Nutrition Officer. I'll cherish the opportunity for as long as I live. I know I still have some time constraints but will soon clear. I intend to really serve above self. I am convinced Rotary is where I need to be.

Rtn Patrick Asaba



I joined Rotary in December 2019 for reasons bigger than networking and wanting to continue the family legacy. I find that the Rotary International's Four-Way Test – with its emphasis on truth and fairness, goodwill and friendship, and a mutual concern for the well-being of all – resonates with my own way of thinking. The most successful businesses are the ones that are profitable but that also help improve the lives of other people. Rotary consists of a cross-section from every business community and its members come from all walks of life. Rotarians help each other and collectively help others. Membership of Rotary develops leadership, public speaking, social, business, personal and vocational skills as well as improving cultural awareness. It's good to be a Rotarian.

Jenifer Bamuturaki



I joined Rotary to carry on the family legacy. My parents are senior Rotarians and my sister a Rotaractor. As a lawyer and business owner, through Rotary I realized that I was working to make other people's lives better. I wanted to serve my customers, not only for my own profit, but so that they would be happier from my work, and my employees would also have better lives. Now, I see my business in a very different way. And I see Rotary service as an idea that is not limited to my Rotary Club. Everything we do for other people helps to make the world a better place. Rotarians around the world give so much of their time and money to help others. Throw in the E-Fellowship every two weeks and knowing that fellow Rotarians are there and will assist, the decision to join Rotary was easy.

Rtn Angela Ogang



Hi Everyone,
Atamba Joshua is my name and I was among the lucky students to be sponsored by the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global to the RYLA 2020 Seminar that occurred in Entebbe, from 15th-16th, February 2019. My colleague Sandra and I were the two students chosen from the Rotaract Club of Clarke International University to participate in this unique RYLA experience.

It was an experience that came out of the blue but it surely paid off because I, personally, learned a lot and realised there is more to life.

I got to meet very many influential people who have made it in life, yet very humble and down to earth.

One important lesson that I learned from the two-days' seminar was how to peach and market yourself and your product.

I also learned that working as a team is better than working alone. There was this session where we were put in groups and challenged to come up with a business idea. It's amazing how many minds can think better together than just one mind. You realise that, actually, people can have ideas in their minds but just need to be encouraged and given reason to speak their minds. There was a lot and we had fun and I hope I am chosen again next year for more experience because it was really a worthwhile experience.

Thank you so much for having given us a lifetime opportunity. I will always cherish the Rotary E-Club of Uganda.



Joshua and Sandra participating in the RYLA team building, problem solving, and communication activities

The Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global Youth Engagement:

- 2** → Sponsored 2 Rotaractors - RYLA
- 2** → Sponsored 2 Rotaractors - Boot Camp
- 2** → Identified 2 schools for potential Interact Club formation. The teacher coordinating the process has been attending Rotary fellowships to understand what Rotary is about.



We believe that our acts of service, large and small, generate opportunities for the people who need our help and that Rotary opens doors for us to live a richer, more meaningful life"

- Holger Knaack, RI President



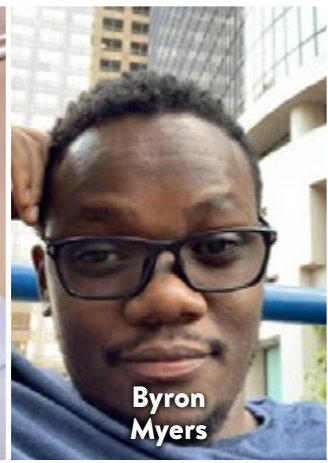
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Nakabiito**



**Angela Jane
Ogang**



**Claire
Kimbugwe**



**Byron
Myers**



**Karna Soro
Shomselgam**

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Katamba (PHF +3)**



**Sarah
Asiiimwe**



**Thomas
Tayebwa**



**Nabila
Kitibwa**



**Romeo
Mitchell**
Honorary member



**Eunice
Katashooru**



**Laura Rita Lulua
Akuti**



**Ddungu
Herbert**



**Jenifer
Bamuturaki**

QUIZ

Rotary



HISTORY



Ideas have unhinged the gates of empires."

*Paul P. Harris
Rotary Founder*

1. What year was Rotary founded?
2. What month was Rotary founded?
3. How old will Rotary International be next month?
4. T/F: Rotary is the world's first service club organization.
5. T/F: Rotary's founder and first Rotary Club president was Paul Harris.
6. T/F: Jack Harig suggested the idea of starting Rotary to Paul Harris because he wanted to be a district governor some day
7. T/F: Paul Harris was the first president of Rotary International.
8. T/F: Paul Harris sponsored our own Bud Rogers into Rotary.
9. T/F: The Rotary emblem was chosen because it symbolized the fact that Rotarians in the early days were all "big wheels" in their communities.
10. T/F: Women were prohibited from membership in Rotary for most of Rotary's history.
11. T/F: The United States Supreme Court ruled to allow women membership in Rotary.
12. T/F: Sometimes we, as Rotarians, find Rotary to be a bit of a mystery, somewhat complicated, but after all it was founded by an attorney!

CLUBS



The Rotary way is to light a candle. I light one, you light one, 1.2 million Rotarians light one. Together, we light up the world"

*Gary C.K. Huang
R.I. President
2014-15*

1. T/F: The first Rotary Club meeting was held in New York City on a dark and stormy night.
2. T/F The first regular Rotary luncheon meetings were held in Chicago.
3. How many Rotarians are there worldwide? Is it closer to 800,000, 1.2 million or 2 million?
4. How many Rotary Clubs are there worldwide? Is it closer to 10,000, 25,000 or 32,000?
5. In how many countries and geographical areas are there Rotary Clubs?
6. What percentage of Rotarians worldwide are members of U.S. clubs? Is it closer to 25%, 50% or 75%?
7. What percentage of Rotarians worldwide are women?
8. According to RI, which of the following is part of the definition of an effective Rotary Club:
 - a. sustaining or growing their membership?
 - b. participating in service projects benefiting their communities and those in other countries?
 - c. supporting The Rotary Foundation financially and through program participation?
 - d. developing leaders capable of serving Rotary beyond club level?
 - e. serving without seeking recognition for good works?
9. T/F: Rotary International has a pilot program to recognize Rotary e-Clubs that meet primarily on line.

QUIZ

Rotary



RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERS



Friendship. ..the craving for which brought Rotary into existence is the thing that will keep Rotary a living, vital force in the world for all time, the very foundation of our organization."

*Albert S. Adams
R.I. President
1919-1920*

1. Which of the following are reasons Rotary International emphasizes the importance of members regularly attending club meetings:
 - a. Absence of any member deprives clubs of the value of its diversified membership?
 - b. Absence of any member deprives the clubs of member contributions to ongoing club projects?
 - c. Absence of any member deprives the clubs of the personal fellowship of each member?
 - d. Absence of any member reduces the club's ability to find a good place to eat for meetings?
2. T/F According to RI, an active Rotarian must attend at least 80 percent of club meetings in each half of the year.
3. T/F: An active member may make up a missed club meeting by attending another club's meeting within 14 days of the missed club meeting.
4. T/F: A member may make up a club meeting by attending a regular meeting of a local Rotaract club, Interact club, Rotary Community Corps or Rotary Fellowship.
5. Which of the following are Rotary International Membership Requirements designed to help club members more fully participate in and enjoy their Rotary experience:
 - a. Regularly attending club meetings?
 - b. Participating in local and international service projects?
 - c. Introducing new people to Rotary membership?
 - d. Encouraging fellow members to be involved in service?
 - e. Paying annual dues promptly?
 - f. Volunteering for leadership duties at the club level and beyond?

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION



We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give"

Winston Churchill

1. What is the mission of The Rotary Foundation?
2. T/F: The Rotary Foundation traces its beginning to a guy in Cleveland.
3. Tho Foundation's first grant, in 1928, benefited whom?
4. T/F: Today, Eradicating polio is RI's top priority.
5. Who recently offered \$355 million to the Rotary Foundation in matching grants to help eradicate polio?
6. T/F: The primary means of funding The Rotary Foundation is through the Annual Programs Fund (Every Rotarian, Every Year initiative).
7. Which of the following are programs funded through The Foundation:
 - a. Polio Plus to eradicate polio word-wide
 - b. Humanitarian Grants
 - c. Educational Programs
 - d. Rotary Club Presidents' Pension Fund
8. T/F: A Rotarian who has donated \$1,000 to the Annual Programs Fund, to Polio Plus, or to the Humanitarian Grants Fund qualifies to be a Paul Harris Fellow
9. T/F: A spouse of a Rotarian may be designated a Paul Harris Fellow because the Rotarian donated at least \$1,000 to the Foundation in his/her spouse's name.

History

1. 1905
2. Feb...the 23rd
3. 106 years old
4. T/F: True
5. T/F: False. Paul Harris was Rotary's founder and organizer of the first Rotary Club, but the first club president was Silvester Schiele...see, nobody remembers past club presidents!
6. T/F: Ha, Ha
7. T/F: True
8. T/F: What do you think?
9. T/F: False. The early emblem illustrated "civilization and movement"
10. T/F: True...women were officially allowed in 1989
11. T/F: True in 1987
12. T/F: True. Paul Harris was an attorney

Responsibilities of Members

- 1a. Yes
- 1b. Yes
- 1c. Yes
- 1d. No. There's more to Rotary than eating
2. T/F: False. Active members are expected to attend 50% of club meetings each half year by attending his/her own club or a recognized make up club meeting
3. T/F: True
4. T/F: True
- 5a. Yes
- 5b. Yes
- 5c. Yes
- 5d. Yes
- 5e. Yes
- 5f. Yes

Clubs

1. T/F: False. The first meeting was held in Chicago, IL
2. T/F: False Oakland, CA
3. 1.2 million
4. 32,000... over 34,000 as of 11/2010
5. 200
6. 25%...as of 11/2010 about 29% of all Rotarians are in the U.S.
7. About 16%; in the U.S., about 53% are women
- 8a. Yes
- 8b. Yes
- 8c. Yes
- 8d. Yes
- 8e. No. Serving without seeking recognition for good works is not part of the definition for an effective Rotary club. RI encourages clubs to publicize projects and accomplishments as a means to enhance Rotary's image and to add credibility to local clubs
9. T/F: True

The Rotary Foundation

1. To enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, good will, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.
2. T/F: True. Arch C. Klumph, the 6th President of Rotary International, started the predecessor to the Rotaray Foundation... the endowment fund was set up in 1917
3. An international organization for crippled children
4. T/F: True
5. Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation
6. T/F: True. With a donation of \$100 a year, a Rotarian becomes a Rotary Foundation Sustaining Member
- 7a. Yes
- 7b. Yes
- 7c. Yes
- 7d. No...duh!
8. T/F: True
9. T/F: True. Family, friends, colleagues can all be Paul Harris fellows

ROTARY E-CLUB MAKE-UPS INFORMATION

Need a Makeup? Go to the Rotary International website Club Finder page.

Makeups are great learning experiences, give you local connections and assistance, and promote international friendships.

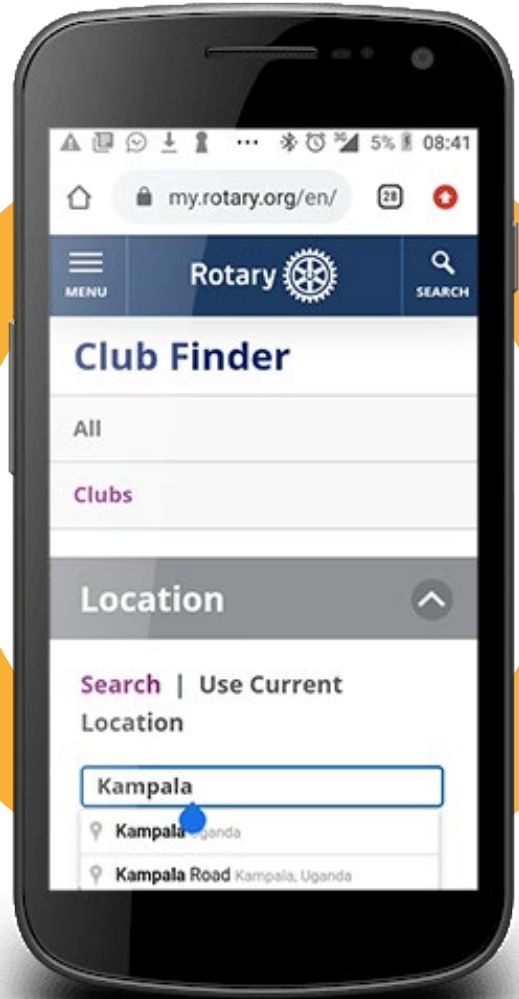
As always, Rotarians should apply the 4-Way Test to the time they spend on the Rotary eClub site for a make-up. Remember to take one of our club's banners (available from the Secretary) and exchange with one of theirs. When you return, present the banner to our club with a few words about your experience. We'll love to hear about it.

Once you have spent at least one-half hour on our website, use the button above to request a makeup confirmation.

E-CLUBS FOR MAKEUPS

Read articles from an e-club for more than 1/2 hour; then send your 'makeup' to There is much to learn from these e-club sites. Each site is unique but look for a listing of "programs" or essays on a host of topics. You may have to work on several to accumulate the minimum of 1/2 hour.

When signing off, look for a button to initiate a "makeup card". This needs to be emailed to debbiemulen@gmail.com. When received, Debbie will 'reply' immediately and record the makeup. You should also see thevmakeup confirmation in the next issue of Ambassadorial Visits. If neither of these happens, please email Debbie directly with the club name and date of your makeup. The honour system works with us.



Enjoy and share with us your discoveries.

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- Rotary eClub of Canada
 - Rotary eClub One
- Rotary eClub 7090 (Southern ON and Western NY)
 - Rotary eClub of Southwest USA
- Rotary eClub of Southeast USA and Caribbean
 - Rotary eClub of NY1
- Rotary eClub of District 7890 (Northern CT / Western MA)
 - Rotary eClub of London Centenary (England)
 - Rotary eClub of 3310 (Singapore - English)



WCP Rachael Lubowa, PDG Xavier Sentamu Salongo, Rtn Emmaline Mbabazi, 'General' Henry Rugamba & PAG Jane Kabugo.



Ambassadorial Visits: in Canada



Family of Rotary visits Laura Rita Lulua when she fell and broke her leg.



Ambassadorial Visit: Rtn Joy at RC of Sunrise-Kampala



"Here and already taken my front seat. Enjoy the Conference"



Rotary's first-ever virtual convention

At the Rotary E-Club of Uganda Global, we have stayed connected, adapted to their changing circumstances, and helped those in need during the Covid-19 crisis.

Rotary's first-ever virtual convention attracted more than 60,000 registrants and 175,000 viewers during its weeklong program. The robust participation shows that Rotary members are finding ways to experience fellowship and fun, key parts of Rotary's annual international convention, despite the COVID-19 pandemic that forced the cancellation of the in-person convention planned for Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, this year.

"We all have a better understanding of growing Rotary by extending our reach beyond regular meetings.

— RI President Mark Maloney





TOP 10 REASONS TO JOIN A ROTARY CLUB

Professional Networking
Founding principle of Rotary was to meet periodically to enjoy camaraderie and enlarge one's circle of business, community and professional acquaintances. As the oldest service club in the world, Rotary club members represent a cross-section of the community's owners, executives, managers, political leaders, and professionals – People who make decisions and influence policy.

Service Opportunities Club members have many opportunities for humanitarian service, both locally and internationally. Service programs address such concerns as health care, hunger, poverty, illiteracy, and the environment. Rotarians experience the fulfillment that comes from giving back to the community.

International Awareness With more than 34,000 clubs in over 200 countries & geographical areas, Rotarians gain an understanding of humanitarian issues through international service projects and exchange programs. One of Rotary's highest objectives is to build goodwill and peace throughout the world.

Friendship Rotary was founded on fellowship, an ideal that remains a major attraction of membership today. Club members enjoy the camaraderie with like-minded professionals, and club projects offer additional opportunities to develop enduring friendships. Rotary club members who travel have friendly contacts in almost every city in the world.

Good Citizenship Weekly Rotary club programs keep members informed about what is taking place in the community, nation, and world and motivated to make a difference.

Youth and Family Rotary sponsors one of the world's largest youth exchange, educational exchange, and scholarship programs. Rotary clubs provide innovative training opportunities and mentoring for young leaders and involve family members in a wide range of social and service

activities.

Entertainment Social activities give Rotarians a chance to let loose and have fun. Every Rotary club and district hosts parties and social activities that offer diversions from today's demanding professional and personal schedules. Conferences, conventions, assemblies, and social events provide entertainment as well as Rotary information, education, and service.

Ethical Environment Encouraging high ethical standards in one's profession and respect for all worthy vocations has been a hallmark of Rotary from its earliest days. In their business and professional lives, Rotarians abide by The Four-Way Test:

Of the things we think, say or do:
1) Is it the TRUTH?
2) Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3) Will it BUILD GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4) Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Leadership Development Rotary is an organization of successful professionals. Team building, fundraising, public speaking, planning, organization, and communication are just a sampling of the leadership skills that club members can exercise and enhance. Being a Rotary leader provides further experience in learning how to motivate, inspire, and guide others. Members can participate in the three day Rotary Leadership Institute courses offered at various times during the year.

Rotary's classification system ensures that a club's membership represents a variety of the community's professional men and women, including leaders in business, industry, the arts, government, sports, the military, and religion. Rotary clubs are non-political, non-religious, and open to all cultures, races, and creeds.