



DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO BREAKFAST ROTARY STEPS TO BECOMING A NEW MEMBER

The following steps are a basic outline of the process of becoming a member of the Downtown San Diego Breakfast Rotary. A detailed accounting can be obtained online at our website, www.sdrotary.org. If you have additional questions, please feel free to call a membership representative or your sponsor.

1. **Attendance**: After you have attended 3 meetings, your sponsor can propose you as a new member
 - If you don't have a sponsor in the club, ask the Membership Committee Chairperson:
 - Jay Sener
Tel: (619) 501-9151
Fax: (619) 374-2344
Email: jay@sener.com
2. **Sponsorship**: Your sponsor will then submit a Membership Proposal form with your name to our board along with a recommendation
3. **Board Approval**: The Board of Directors will make a determination upon your classification and sponsor recommendation to approve your membership
 - This takes 7-10 days after the monthly board meeting
4. **Published Intent**: Upon Board Approval, the Membership Chair or your sponsor will confirm you are approved and ask if you want your name and proposed classification published in our bulletin
 - This is the final step before your induction
 - If no general member has an objection you are ready for induction
 - This takes another 7-10 days
5. **Induction**: After your name is published and there are no objections, the Club Secretary orders your badge and submits your name to Rotary International
 - All dues and fees will be billed to you at that time
 - On an agreed date, you will be inducted as our newest member before a general meeting

The whole process will take about two months. In the meantime, please continue to attend as a guest. You will simply pay for breakfast each week, which is \$10.

We look forward to having you as a member!

SAN DIEGO DOWNTOWN BREAKFAST ROTARY INFORMATION FOR NEW MEMBERS

1. Dues and other costs:

- Initiation Fee \$100
- Dues: \$35 per Quarter
- Breakfast: \$10 per Week
- Community Service Pledge: \$25 per Quarter
- Annual Fundraising Project: \$250 (approximate)
- Invoices are sent Quarterly

2. Attendance Requirements

- Members are encouraged to attend all meetings, or make-up at another Rotary Club within two weeks

3. Blue Badge Requirements: New members receive a “Red Badge” and earn their “Blue Badge” by completing the following requirements. The purpose of these requirements is to help new members learn about our club and provide an opportunity to meet other members.

- Attend District Event or District Council
- Make up at another Rotary Club
- Give an Invocation or Chair of the Day
- Join a Committee
- Write a Bulletin
- Attend a Rotary Board Meeting
- Bring a Guest
- Be a “Greeter of the Day”
- Attend a Rotaract Meeting

4. Participation

Rotary is a service organization. This requires active participation of our members in the various events and activities our club sponsors.