



BIRMINGHAM ROTARY CLUB "SERVICE ABOVE SELF"

Our club is proud to offer many different membership types in order to make it possible for people of different ages and profession to join our organization. Each membership type has a different dues amount. Please contact our membership director, Charles Wickins, for more information on the dues amounts.

Membership Types

Senior Retired: 65 years of age or older and fully retired with no earned income from employment.

Young Professional: 40 years of age or younger.

Spouse: Any spouse of a current Birmingham Rotarian. Dues amount does not include the lunch subsidy and the "spouse" member is to pay the guest amount of \$15 per lunch.

Regular: All other members that do not meet the above requirements.

Club dues are due on July 1st each new Rotary year and are pro-rated for members joining later in the year.

We also allow for yearly, semi-annual, and monthly payments if needed. Dues paid monthly or semi-annually have an additional \$30 fee.

Acceptable forms of dues payment include:

Cash

Check made payable to **Birmingham Rotary Club**

Credit Card (\$15 service charge)

In addition to paying annual dues, we encourage our members to make gifts to Rotary International and become a Paul Harris Fellow.

Rotary International: Annual Fund: "Every Rotarian Every Year." Your support is key to serving communities worldwide in Rotary's areas of focus: peace and conflict prevention/resolution, disease prevention and treatment, water and sanitation, maternal and child health, basic education and literacy, and economic and community development. Every Rotarian, Every Year Club, for clubs that achieve a minimum \$100 per capita with all dues-paying members contributing some amount to the Annual Fund. Awarded annually at the end of the Rotary year. Your contribution is also eligible for Paul Harris Fellowship Recognition.

Paul Harris Fellow: When you give \$1,000 to the Annual Fund, PolioPlus, or an approved Foundation Grant, you become a Paul Harris Fellow. Benefactors receive a certificate and insignia to wear with a Rotary or Paul Harris Fellow pin. To recognize someone else as a Paul Harris Fellow, you can give that amount in their name. You are recognized as a Multiple Paul Harris Fellow with each additional gift of \$1,000.

Birmingham Rotary Endowment Fund: The Endowment Fund of our club is the funding source for the many service projects we support locally, regionally and internationally. You are encouraged to participate in our club fundraising events and projects. Additionally, you may make an individual donation anytime by check payable to the *Birmingham Rotary Endowment Fund, Inc.* Donations to the Endowment Fund are tax deductible but are not eligible for Paul Harris Fellowship Recognition.

Both the Birmingham Rotary Endowment Fund and The Rotary Foundation offer several ways to structure a charitable gift that may provide tax and other financial benefits to the donor and loved ones including: individual donations, IRA charitable rollovers, life income agreements, charitable bequests and life insurance. Please contact David Palmer, John Mucha, Rich Shapack or Molly Swart with any charitable gift question.