





# WHAT IS TOASTMASTERS?

Toastmasters International is a nonprofit, educational organisation with more than 16,800 clubs in 143 countries.

Since 1924, it has helped its members become more effective speakers, communicators, and leaders through a worldwide network of clubs, much like Rotary.





# WHAT IS THE ALLIANCE?

Two organisations with a long history, global impact, and proven track record of helping people

And now they have something else in common:

They are teaming up to strengthen their members' skills and broaden their opportunities

The Toastmasters-Rotary alliance will leverage the strengths of both organisations to help members grow personally and professionally



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Toastmasters will begin delivering eight educational courses tailored to members of Rotary and Rotaract

The phased rollout of the eight courses will help Rotarians develop and hone their leadership and communication skills

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Toastmasters members, in turn, can benefit from connecting with Rotarians—1.2 million members in nearly every country in the world—and learning from the organisation's model of humanitarian service

Members can use their communication skills to impact their communities

#### HOW CAN YOUR CLUB BECOME INVOLVED?

- Find a Toastmasters Club nearby
- Welcome Toastmasters members to your club so they can learn more about Rotary and Rotaract
- Invite a Toastmasters member to be a guest speaker at your meeting or to participate in an upcoming service project
- Explore ways to work with your local Toastmasters club
- Raise awareness about this alliance by sharing the news with your club and Toastmaster clubs that may not be aware that we are working together



### HOW CAN YOUR CLUB BECOME INVOLVED?

- Take the Toastmasters-developed communication and leadership courses in the Learning Centre:
  - Develop a speech
  - Deliver a speech
  - Inspirational speech
  - Interpersonal communication
  - Leadership basics
  - Leading a team
  - Leadership: Collaboration
  - Inclusive leadership



### ROTARY/TOASTMASTERS IN THE COMMUNITY

- Toastmasters have been involved in RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) for many years running a highly successful speech development session
- Toastmasters have a proven 6 week "Speechcraft"
  Course that is already run within the community that
  Rotary Clubs could support and promote throughout their
  own networks

### FIND OUT MORE!

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#### Further information:

https://my.rotary.org/en/toastmasters-alliance

https://www.toastmasters.org/magazine/magazine-issues/2020/feb/toastmasters-and-rotary

