

Rotary Club of Livermore

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16. Blue Badge Requirements/Qualifications

Red Badge to Blue Badge Qualification Form - Process

- The objective of the Red Badge Program is to welcome new members into the club and to assist them in learning about Rotary. We have set up this educational program as a way to introduce you to the benefits and obligations of membership and to help you learn your way around. We hope that you will appreciate the encouraging and welcoming spirit intended for this program.
- The new member (red-badger) is required to complete at least 11 activities. Only 8 specific activities are required. The remaining 3 can be selected from a list of 15 additional/optional activities.
- If it is very difficult or even impossible for a new member to complete one of the required activities, the new member is allowed to petition the Chair of the Membership Committee to skip the difficult activity and substitute it with one from the list of 15 additional activities.
- Upon completion of 11 activities (including all of the REQUIRED activities), sign below and return this form to the Club Secretary. In a short period of time you will receive a blue Rotary name badge.
- Questions??? Contact your Mentor, Sponsor or the Red Badge Chair. We hope you have enjoyed your Rotary experience in the Red to Blue Badge Program.
- Personal Information:

Name: _____

Sponsor: _____

Mentor: _____

Phone:

Work _____

Home _____

Cell _____

E-mail: _____

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- You are required to complete at least 11 of the following list of activities, including all of the REQUIRED activities.
- If it is not possible for you to complete, or you strongly object to, one of the “Required” tasks, you may appeal to the Chair of the Membership Committee to replace the task with one from the list of “Additional Activities.”
- Please mark the completion of the requirement with the date you have completed it.
- When finished with this assignment, we are confident that you will have expanded your vision about the opportunities for Rotary service and you will be presented with your permanent blue badge.

Required Activities

Insert date completed:

1. REQUIRED: Visit the Livermore Rotary website (www.livermore-rotary.org) and verify your personal information. Contact the Club Secretary if you have a problem logging in. Continue to update your data as you participate in Livermore Rotary.

2. REQUIRED: Give a 5 minute introductory / vocational talk at a club meeting (call the Club Secretary to schedule). _____
3. REQUIRED: Join at least one club committee. (Committee List is available on the Livermore Rotary website. Your mentor can assist you with your selection.)

4. REQUIRED: Call or meet with the Rotary International Foundation Committee Chair regarding the club’s international activities and participation/ contribution to the Rotary International Foundation.

5. REQUIRED: Complete Youth Protection Awareness Training course by requesting a unique link from the District website: http://yex.rotary5170.org/ave_youth/YPATraining.asp by entering “Livermore” for the club name and selecting your name from the list, completing the training and exam questions, and clicking **Finish or Submit** to be sure you receive credit for the course.

6. REQUIRED: Attend at least one District or International event – e.g. Celebration, Assembly, Cabinet Meeting, International Convention, Zone Assembly, Training Session.

7. REQUIRED: Attend at least one Club Board of Directors Meeting.

8. REQUIRED: Attend at least one Rotarian Foundation of Livermore Board of Directors Meeting.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES – COMPLETE AT LEAST 3 OF THE FOLLOWING - Please enter the date the activity was completed.

1. Attend one or more meetings at another club. _____
2. Introduce a visiting Rotarian twice. _____
3. Introduce a Guest twice. _____
4. Bring a guest to a club meeting. _____
5. Volunteer to serve on a Club project. _____
6. Present a Thought for the Day. _____
7. Attend an Interact meeting. _____
8. Attend a Club Social event. _____
9. Sit at 6 different tables at the Wednesday meetings. _____
10. Visit 2 Club Rotarians at their places of business. _____
11. Serve as Club Greeter twice. _____
12. Host an exchange student for a day, evening or weekend. _____
13. Read *The ABCs of Rotary* (Available from RI or the Information Table).

14. Serve as Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms twice. _____
15. Attend a session to become familiar with particular topic(s), like the Rotarian Foundation of Livermore (this could fill in for a number of individual required and optional activities depending upon the session). _____

Signed: _____
(Member's signature)

Please take a few minutes to write comments, concerns or suggestions below before turning in the form.