

2011 RI Convention Preliminary Program

Thursday, 19 May

- 15:00-19:00 Convention Registration/RI Ticket Sales
(includes preconvention registration)
- TBD 2011 RYLA Council
- 17:00-18:00 Rotary Reunion Welcome Reception
- TBD Youth Exchange Officers Welcome Reception

Friday, 20 May

- 08:00-18:00 Convention Registration/RI Ticket Sales
(includes preconvention registration)
- TBD 2011 RYLA Council
- 09:00-16:30 Rotary Reunion
- TBD Rotaract Preconvention Meeting
- TBD Youth Exchange Officers Preconvention Meeting
- TBD Youth Exchange Officers Banquet

Saturday, 21 May

- 08:00-18:00 Convention Registration/RI Ticket Sales
(includes preconvention registration)
- 09:00-12:00 Rotary Reunion
- 10:00-11:00 Orientation for First-Time Convention Attendees
- 10:00-18:00 House of Friendship
- 13:00-14:00 House of Friendship Grand Opening
- 14:30-16:30 Sounds of the South Concert (*host-ticketed event*)
- 16:30-17:30 Orientation for First-Time Convention Attendees
- 18:30-21:30 Evening of Fun, Food, Fellowship, & Fins
(*host-ticketed event*)

Sunday, 22 May

- 08:00-18:00 Convention Registration/ RI Ticket Sales
- 08:00-18:00 House of Friendship
- 10:00-11:00 Interfaith Service
- 12:00-12:30 Preplenary Entertainment
King 'n Trio
- 12:30-14:30 Opening Plenary Session
- Speakers:
- Welcome Remarks**
Ron D. Burton, 2011 New Orleans
Convention Committee Chair
- Welcome Address**
Ray Klinginsmith, RI President
- Entertainment:
- South Central Rotary Youth Exchange (SCRYE)**
Ronnie Kole Septet
Lacy J. Dalton

Monday, 23 May

- 08:00-18:00 Convention Registration/RI Ticket Sales
- 08:00-18:00 House of Friendship
- 08:45-09:20 Preplenary Entertainment
Langley Ukulele Ensemble
- 09:30-11:30 Plenary Session 2
- Speakers:
- New Rules of Engagement:
Understanding Generation Y**
Michael McQueen, Founder, The Nexgen Group
- The United Nations Millennium Development Goals**
David C. Mulford, Former U.S. Ambassador to India
and Former Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholar
- Rotary's Role in Africa**
Patrick Chisanga, District Governors Review
Committee Vice Chair
- 12:00-13:30 President's Recognition Luncheon (*RI-ticketed event*)
SOLD OUT
- 14:00-15:00 Breakout Sessions
- 15:30-16:30 Breakout Sessions
- 16:00-21:00 Host Hospitality Night (*host-ticketed event*)
SOLD OUT

Tuesday, 24 May

- 08:00-18:00 Convention Registration/RI Ticket Sales
- 08:00-18:00 House of Friendship
- 09:00-10:00 Breakout Sessions
- 10:30-11:30 Breakout Sessions
- 12:00-13:30 President-elect's Leadership Luncheon
(*RI-ticketed event*) SOLD OUT
- 14:15-14:50 Preplenary Entertainment
- 15:00-17:00 Plenary Session 3
- Speakers:
- 2010-11 Global Alumni Service to Humanity Award
Recipient Remarks**
Talbot "Sandy" D'Alemberte, President Emeritus and
Professor, Florida State University, USA
- Keynote Address**
Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar, Trustee Chair
- PolioPlus**
Penny LeGate, News Anchor and Reporter,
KIRO 7 Eyewitness News (Seattle)
- TBD French Quarter Dining Experience
(*host-ticketed event*)

Wednesday, 25 May

08:00-16:00 Convention Registration/RI Ticket Sales

08:00-16:00 House of Friendship

08:45-09:20 Preplenary Entertainment

09:30-11:30 Plenary Session 4

Speakers:

Keynote Address

William B. Boyd, Trustee Chair-elect

Speech

Kalyan Banerjee, RI President-elect

Election of Officers and President-nominee

Ray Klingensmith, RI President and

Ed Futa, RI General Secretary

Acceptance Remarks by President-nominee

Sakuji Tanaka, RI President-nominee

Speech

Thomas M. Thorfinnson, RI Vice President

12:00-13:30 On to Bangkok Luncheon (*RI-ticketed event*)

14:00-15:00 Convention Bidding Workshop

14:00-15:00 Breakout Sessions

16:00-18:30 Closing Plenary Session

Speaker:

President's Closing Remarks

Ray Klingensmith, RI President

Entertainment:

Michael Martin Murphey

Rhonda Vincent and the Rage

The convention schedule was current at publication but is subject to change.

Refer to www.rotary.org/convention for the available updated information.

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