LGBT Rotarians and Friends Fellowship



The LGBT Rotarians and Friends Fellowship is a group in the family of Rotary, dedicated to promoting global friendship, service and education. The fellowship aims to create an inclusive, understanding and welcoming community, fostering goodwill and peace, and realising a world that achieves fundamental fairness and equality for LGBT+ people.

At the 2017 Rotary International Conference in Atlanta, GA, USA, several Rotarians came together during a breakout session to discuss LGBTQIA issues, how those issues related to Rotary, and how Rotary related to those issues. During the session several people came together and began the formation process for the fellowship.

The LGBT Rotarians and Friends Rotary Fellowship was officially recognised as a Rotary Fellowship on June 22, 2018.

The LGBT Rotarians and Friends Fellowship works to educate clubs to be more inclusive, connect members in friendship and build a catalogue of service projects that support the LGBT+ community.

Education

The purpose of the Education committee is to create resources and initiatives to assist Rotarians in creating an inclusive, understanding and welcoming community, fostering goodwill and peace, and realising a world that achieves fundamental fairness and equality for LGBT+ people.

Friendship

The purpose of the Service committee is to work with the Rotary Family to develop and support service projects that impact and benefit the LGBT+ community.

Service

The purpose of the Friendship committee is to create a fellowship that is a safe, inclusive, understanding and welcoming community of Rotary Family.

This fellowship's membership is open to Rotarians, Rotarian Spouses, Family Members of Rotarians, Rotaractors, and any former Rotary Program Participants or Alumni of any background.

The Fellowship is primarily a place in which members that meet these qualifications can meet others of a like mind to engage in Fellowship and hopefully to come together to do some good in the world.

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