



Rotary International Convention June 20-23, 2010

NOTE: Although the official dates of the convention are June 20-23, you want to be there Saturday June 19 or sooner to tour Montréal, collect your registration materials and participate in Saturday events.

Information for District 5240 Rotarians about Registration, Housing, Event Ticketing Process.

Find links to complete registration, reservation, ticket order forms at www.rotary.org or www.rotary2010.com.

First Step: Register for the Convention, select RI Ticketed Events.

At www.rotary.org, click on the Montréal Convention logo. Then click on "Register for the Convention and ticketed events." Then you can choose "Register Online" or "Download Registration Form." The registration form and other forms are also contained in the convention promotional booklet.

"Register Online" will take you to the RI members password protected area of the website. You must be registered in Member Access to login. Read the Member Access information and follow instructions.

Once you are registered for Member Access, you can log in to Member Access at www.rotary.org. When your record comes up, look in the left-hand navigation bar for the information and services you can access, including online registration for the RI Convention in Montréal. Your Rotary information on record at RI will appear in the relevant fields of the Convention registration page.

See the website for brief descriptions of RI receptions and luncheons. There are special-interest pre-Convention meetings that may interest you, but read the notes defining who can attend.

In registering for the Convention, you can also order tickets for "RI Ticketed Events" as illustrated in the next paragraph. There is another link to order "Host Committee Ticketed Events." See Step Three.

Here is an illustration of the costs for a couple registering for the Convention and ordering tickets (on the registration form) for the "RI Ticketed Events" recommended for 2010-11 Presidents-Elect:

Registration—Do It Now!

Rotarian	\$ 295	Price increases to \$345 on December 15
Spouse, Guest (age 19 or over)	\$ 295	Reduced rates for children, Exchange, Interact

RI Ticketed Event suggested for 2010-11 Presidents (RI events are listed on registration form)
Presidents-Elect Leadership Luncheon (2 @ \$45) \$90 (Tuesday, June 22)

Second Step: Reserve your hotel room

The next link to access is "Housing." It offers hotels in different price ranges through their central online booking process. Only hotels that are available will appear on the screen. You can also download a form (also in the convention promo booklet) and mail or fax it, but the online form will confirm in real time. You can also book non-RI room block hotels through hotel chains and sites like www.orbitz.com. If you do, try to stay in a hotel near the Rotary hotels so you can use the RI Convention shuttle buses to and from the Bell Centre and Palais des Congrès.

Third Step: Order Host Committee Ticketed Events

This is the next link you want to access. There is a schedule of events run by the Host Organizing Committee (HOC), colorful descriptions of the events, ticket prices, and an online shopping cart.

Fourth Step: Plan your pre-convention and post-convention touring

See tourism links about Montréal, Québec, Eastern Canada by car, bus, rail or ship.

2010 Rotary International Convention in Montréal, Québec, Canada

Major Events and Activities at a Glance

Saturday, 19 June

08:00-18:00 Convention Registration/Ticket Sales
08:00-22:00 2010 International RYLA (by invitation only)
08:00-12:00 International Institute Registration
09:00-18:00 Rotaract Pre-convention Meeting Registration
TBD Rotary Alumni Registration/Celebration
09:00-17:00 Youth Exchange Officers Pre-convention Meeting
09:00-10:00 or 14:00-15:00 Orientation for First-Time Convention Attendees
10:00-10:30 House of Friendship Grand Opening at the Palais des Congrès
10:00-18:00 House of Friendship (Secretariat, Vendors, Global Networking, Club, District Exhibits)
Midday TBD: *Lunch Cruise on the St. Lawrence River (host-ticketed event)*
Evening: *École Nationale de Cirque (host-ticketed event), Canadian Musical Odyssey (host-ticketed event)*

Sunday, 20 June

08:00-20:00 Convention Registration/Ticket Sales, 09:00-17:00 House of Friendship
10:00-11:00 Interfaith service (highly recommended, many D5240 participants in the choir—see www.ifrm.org if you wish to sing)
14:30-17:00 Opening Plenary Session (first seating): *Flag Ceremony, Keynote Address: RI President John Kenny, Entertainment reflecting Canadian culture traditional and modern*
18:30-21:00 Opening Plenary Session (second seating): *Flag Ceremony, Keynote Address: RI President John Kenny, Entertainment reflecting Canadian culture traditional and modern*

Monday, 21 June

08:45-09:15 Pre-plenary Entertainment
09:00-18:00 House of Friendship
09:15-11:30 Plenary Session 2: *Introduction of RI Past Presidents, Keynote Address speaker TBA, Introduction of the RI Board of Directors, Keynote Address TBA*
12:00-13:30 President's Recognition Luncheon (RI-ticketed event)
13:30-15:00 and 15:30-17:00 Breakout sessions and workshops
16:00-21:00 Host Hospitality (host-ticketed events): Boat Tour and Dinner on the St. Lawrence River, Cabane à Sucre, Canadian Heritage McCord Museum, East Meets West in Chinatown, Francophone Evening on Mont-Royal, Ecomuseum and BBQ....

Tuesday, 22 June

08:45-09:15 Pre-plenary Entertainment
09:00-18:00 House of Friendship
09:15-11:30 Plenary Session 3: *Introduction of the Rotary Foundation Trustees, Keynote Address: TRF Chair Glenn E. Estess Sr., Keynote Addresses TBA*
12:00-13:30 President-elect's Leadership Luncheon (RI-ticketed event)
13:30-15:00 and 15:30-17:00 Breakout sessions and workshops

Wednesday, 23 June

08:45-09:15 Pre-plenary Entertainment
09:00-16:00 House of Friendship
09:15-11:30 Plenary Session 4: *Election of Officers and President-nominee, Acceptance Remarks: President-nominee, 2011 New Orleans Convention Promotion, Keynote Address TBA*
12:00-13:30 On to New Orleans Convention Luncheon (RI-ticketed event)
13:30-15:00 Breakout sessions and workshops
16:00-18:30 Closing Plenary Session: *Closing Remarks: RI President John Kenny, Keynote Address: RI President-elect Ray Klinginsmith, Closing Entertainment*

Other Events TBA: Far West Event (usually a Saturday reception)
Paul Harris Fellow Reception
Major Donor Dinner (by invitation only)

Day Tours of Montréal, Québec, Ottawa, the Laurentians



3 DAY MUSEUM TOUR

The Montréal Museum Pass is your cultural passport for easy access to 33 museums

\$ 45.00

Book online at
www.rotary2010.com

A Date with History: Day Trip to Québec City #1

Take a step back in time to visit the only walled city in North America. See the narrow, cobble streets, the historic buildings and unique "old world" ambience that is Québec City.

\$ 65.00

Book online at
www.rotary2010.com

Saturday
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07:30
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The Classic - Bonjour Montréal City Tour #1

Enjoy this exclusive, 3-hours tour and the vibrant history and passionate culture of our cosmopolitan city. Ideal for first-time visitors.

\$ 32.00

Book online at
www.rotary2010.com

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Walking Tour of Old Montréal and Notre-Dame #1

The rich cultural heritage of Old Montréal is yours to discover during this unique tour looking at the beginnings of one of North America's oldest cities.

\$ 40.00

Book online at
www.rotary2010.com

Sunday
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Green Montréal: Visit to the Biodôme and Botanical Garden #1

Join this special tour to experience the unique natural worlds showcased at the Montréal Biodôme and Montréal Botanical Garden. Enjoy over 26,000 plant species at the Botanical Garden.

\$ 62.00

[Book online at www.rotary2010.com](http://www.rotary2010.com)

Monday
2010-06-21
09:00
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2010-06-22
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Or 14:00



Splish Splash! Jet Boating on the Lachine Rapids #1

For those with adventure in their hearts, jet boating on the Lachine Rapids is the perfect activity!

\$ 108.00

[Book online at www.rotary2010.com](http://www.rotary2010.com)

Tuesday
2010-06-22
07:30



Visit to the Scenic Laurentians

With your own professional tour guide, enjoy a breathtaking visit to the Mont-Tremblant village and the Laurentian Mountains, the world's oldest mountain range!

\$ 75.00

[Book online at www.rotary2010.com](http://www.rotary2010.com)

Tuesday
2010-06-22
08:00



Ottawa - Canada's Capital - Day Trip

Come with us on a fascinating tour of Canada's Capital and its region. Our professional guide will provide detailed information and anecdotes about this beautiful and exciting city.

\$ 70.00

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