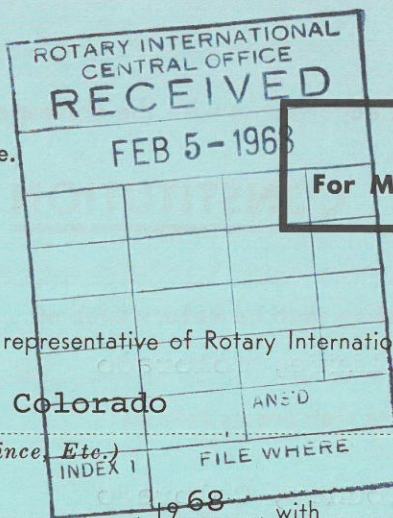


ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

Evanston, Illinois 60201, U.S.A., 1600 Ridge Ave.
Zurich 8008, Switzerland, Kreuzstrasse 36



APPLICATION

For Membership In Rotary International

A club organized by an authorized representative of Rotary International in Wet Mountain
(location)
Valley, Westcliffe, Colorado
(State, Prefecture, Province, Etc.) U. S. A.
(Country)

on January 23,
(date) 19 68, with 25 charter members who meet the constitutional requirements for membership in a Rotary club, hereby applies for membership in Rotary International.

This club hereby declares that it has adopted the Rotary club constitution and that it subscribes to the understandings and agreements on page four of this application.

The following documents required to complete this application are attached hereto:

1. List of charter members—dated and certified to by signatures of the president and secretary of the club.
2. Check for \$100.00 U.S. Currency (or its equivalent)—covering the charter fee as provided in Article I, Section 1(a) of the bylaws of Rotary International. (Outside USCB, receipt of payment of equivalent amount to Rotary International fiscal agent or bank account should be attached in lieu of check.)

Officers and Members of the Board of Directors

President..... <u>August N. Menzel</u>	Treasurer..... <u>W. Roderick Canda</u>
Vice-President..... <u>Myron J. Chesley</u>	Sergeant at Arms..... <u>Stanley Coleman</u>
Secretary..... <u>W. Roderick Canda</u>	
Director..... <u>August N. Menzel</u>	Director..... <u>Charles E. Blodget</u>
Director..... <u>Myron J. Chesley</u>	Director..... <u>Fr. Edward A. Rouffy</u>
Director..... <u>Benjamin W. Kettle</u>	Director.....

(See note, page 2, relating to alternative plan.)

Regular weekly meetings shall be held:

Day Tuesdays Hour 7:00 P.M. Place Community Bldg.

Attest:

W. Roderick Canda x
Club Secretary
Canda Ranch, Westcliffe, Colo. 81252
Postal Address

Dated Jan. 30, 19 68
August N. Menzel
Club President
Westcliffe, Colo.
Postal Address

Please fill in the following spaces in accordance with the corresponding articles in the club constitution.

CONSTITUTION

Article I The name of this organization shall be Rotary Club of The Wet Mountain
Valley (Westcliffe), Colorado

Article II The territorial limits of this club are as follows:

All of Custer County, Colorado

FOR OUTSIDE U.S.A. AND CANADA ONLY

Article X, "Official Publication," is retained. ☐

Article X, "Official Publication," is not retained. ☐

(If Article X is retained in the club constitution, subscription to the official publication is an obligation of membership in the club. If not retained, subscriptions to the official publication are voluntary.)

BY LAWS

Article I, Section 1—Election of Directors and Officers

(Insert in the spaces provided hereunder information regarding the plan adopted by the club for election of directors and officers, crossing out the plan not adopted. NOTE: If the alternative plan is adopted it provides for the immediate past president to be a member of the board of directors. Since there will be no immediate past president at the time of organization, the club may, if it desires, elect an extra director for the first year.)

Article I

Section I—At a regular meeting one month prior to the meeting for election of officers nominations shall be called for by the presiding officer for candidates for the board of directors; any number of nominations may be made by the members from the floor. These nominations shall be placed upon a ballot and voted for at the annual meeting and the five candidates securing the highest number of votes shall be declared elected.

Article II (Same plan to be adopted as in Article I.)

Article I—Alternative Plan

~~**Section I**—At a regular meeting one month prior to the meeting for election of officers, the presiding officer shall ask for nominations by members of the club for president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and members of the board of directors. The nominations may be presented by a nominating committee or by members from the floor, by either or by both, as the club may determine. If it is determined to have a nominating committee, such committee shall be appointed as the club may determine. The nominations duly made shall be placed on a ballot in alphabetical order under each office and shall be voted for at the annual meeting. The candidates for president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer receiving a majority of the votes shall be declared elected to their respective offices. The candidates for director receiving a majority of the votes shall be declared elected as directors.~~

Article IV—Meetings

Section 1—Annual Meeting. An annual meeting of this club shall be held on the
1st or 2nd week, 1st Tuesday of the month of March.

(please indicate week, day and month, not date)

in each year. (An annual meeting for the election of officers of this club shall be held not later than the 31st day of March in each year.)

Section 2—The regular weekly meeting of this club shall be held on Tuesday at 7:00 P.M.
(day) (time)

Section 4—Regular meetings of the board shall be held on 1st or 2nd week, 1st Tues. of each month.
(please indicate which week and day)

Article V—Fees and Dues

Section 1—The admission fee shall be \$20.00

Section 2—The membership dues shall be \$30.00 per annum.

(The board of directors of Rotary International will not admit to membership in Rotary International any club in the United States and Canada that does not have an admission fee and annual membership dues of at least \$20.00 and \$25.00 U.S. currency, respectively. In other countries the admission fee and annual membership dues should be equivalent in purchasing power in local currency to at least \$20.00 and \$25.00 U.S. currency, respectively.)

Article XI—Method of Electing Members

(Note: insert in the spaces provided hereunder the appropriate number.)

Section 1—Active members (including additional active members). Paragraph 10 "... If not to exceed 3 negative votes are cast by the members of the board in attendance at this regular or special meeting of the board, the proposed member shall be considered qualified for membership ..."

Section 2—Senior Active, Past Service and Honorary Members "... If not to exceed 3 negative votes are cast by the members of the board in attendance at the regular or special meeting, the proposed member shall be considered duly elected ..."

Section 3—Re-election of Former Additional Active Member "... If not to exceed 3 negative votes are cast by members of the board in attendance at the regular or special meeting the former additional active member shall be considered duly elected to active membership and shall be so notified by the secretary...."

The foregoing information concerning club bylaws refers to the bylaws recommended by the board of directors of R.I. Unless these recommended bylaws are adopted by the club without modification, the full text of the bylaws as adopted by the club must be attached to this document.

UNDERSTANDINGS AND AGREEMENTS

Subscribed to by this

Club in the presentation of this application to R.I.

1. As our constitution, we have adopted the standard club constitution prescribed by Rotary International. This club understands that the club constitution can be amended only by convention of Rotary International, or (under certain circumstances for exceptional reasons) by the board of directors of Rotary International, in accordance with Section 2(d), Article I, of the bylaws of R.I. No amendment to the bylaws adopted by this club which might conflict with the constitution of the club or with the constitution and bylaws of Rotary International will be made without first submitting such proposed amendment to the general secretary of Rotary International for approval by its board of directors.
2. This club will be bound by any and all amendments to the standard club constitution which may be adopted hereafter (as provided in Article I, Section 2(b), of the bylaws of Rotary International, and in Article XIV of the constitution of this club).
3. This club will remit payment for its members' subscriptions to THE ROTARIAN as provided for in the club bylaws upon receipt of invoice covering such subscriptions. (An obligation of membership in the United States and Canada; elsewhere only when Article X is retained in club constitution.)
4. NO FURTHER MEMBERS will be elected between the filing of this application and the receipt of the official notice of the admission of the club to membership in Rotary International.
5. This club, as a club, will not become a member of, or assume obligations of membership in any organization other than Rotary International.
6. This club is hereby pledged, in its desire to develop true Rotarians and a Rotary club that will function properly as a unit in Rotary International, to maintain the following fundamental characteristics of Rotary:
 - a. Rotary is concerned with the development, encouragement, and fostering of understanding, good will, and peaceful relations among people throughout the world based upon the ideal of service.
 - b. Rotary is a world fellowship of business and professional men banded together in Rotary clubs for the purpose of encouraging the practical application of the ideal of service both individually and collectively—with emphasis on the individual.
 - c. A Rotary club selects its members on a basis of classification in accordance with the nature and place of the individual's business or professional activities.
 - d. Attendance at regular club meetings is required at least to a stated minimum for the continuance of membership so that acquaintance and fellowship may be developed as a first step toward lasting friendships.
 - e. Rotary clubs provide members with opportunities to develop an appreciation of and a desire to practice and exemplify high ethical standards in their personal and business or professional activities.
 - f. The religious and political beliefs of a Rotarian are regarded as being his own concern. A Rotarian is expected to be faithful to his religion and loyal in his citizenship.