

Case Study for Membership

Case Study 1

After only one year of being a member, John is asked to be the club's president. Some club members are worried that John will make too many changes as president. There are longtime members who have strong opinions but did not want to take on the role themselves. Many of them have served as club officers.

How would you approach John about the members' concerns?

What would you suggest that John do to learn more about Rotary and prepare to lead his club effectively?

Case Study 2

Linda, a lawyer, has been a Rotary club member for 10 years. She has had to eliminate positions at her law firm, and cases have piled up, making it difficult for her to leave the office for her lunchtime club meetings. She and a few other members have asked the club board if the meeting time can be changed to evenings. The board is reluctant to break with tradition.

What would you do to help Linda remain a Rotarian?

What would you suggest to the board?