Rotary District 5650
Fall Conference

October 17-18th, 2025
Scott Conference Center
6450 Pine Street
Omaha, NE 68106

Agenda

Friday, October 17

8:00am – 8:25am
- Early registration open ..... Scott Conference Center

8:30am – 10:30am
- City of Omaha Parks Volunteer Clean-up ..... Elmwood Park

10:30am – 4:30pm
- American Red Cross Blood Drive..... Scott Conference Center

10:30am
- Registration Open..... Scott Conference Center
- House of Friendship Open
- Peace Pole/Peace Pumpkin Decorating.....Breakout Rooms

11:30am – 12:00pm
- Buffet Lunch ..... Ballroom

12:00pm - 1:00pm
- Opening General Session ..... Ballroom
    - Opening Remarks
        - Robert Rapp, District Governor
        - Rotary International President's Representative, Lorena Beckius
        - Keynote Speaker, Judi M. gaiashkibos, Executive Director, Nebraska Commission on Indian Affairs
        - Presentation of Paul Harris Fellow – Syd Widga, Lincoln South Roary

1:00pm – 1:30pm
- Networking Break and House of Friendship ..... Scott Conference Center
- Peace Pole/Peace Pumpkin Decorating.....Breakout Rooms

1:30pm – 2:30pm
- Vibrant Rotary Club Workshop ..... Ballroom
    - Gretchen Bren, District Governor Elect

2:30pm – 3:00pm
- Travel to Outlook Enrichment
- Networking Break and House of Friendship ..... Scott Conference Center

Friday, October 17, cont.

3:00pm – 4:00pm

- Outlook Enrichment Tours ..... Outlook Enrichment
  - Manufacturing Tour
  - Immersive Experience

4:00pm – 5:00pm

- Rotary Means Business Networking Event ..... Outlook Enrichment

5:00pm – 5:30pm

- Travel to Scott Conference Center

5:30pm – 6:30pm..... Scott Conference Center

- Networking Reception ..... House of Friendship
- Rotary's Got Talent Rehearsal ..... Breakout Rooms

6:30pm – 8:00pm

- Paul Harris and the Fellows ..... Ballroom

8:00pm – 9:00pm

- Rotary's Got Talent ..... Ballroom

Saturday, October 18

7:30am – 8:30am
- Buffet Breakfast
- House of Friendship

8:30am – 9:20am
- Morning General Session ..... Ballroom
    - Opening - Robert Rapp - District Governor
    - Rotarian Memoriam - Curt Peters, District Governor Nominee

9:20am – 10:20 am
- Protecting You and Your Loved Ones – Panel Discussion ..... Ballroom
    - Identity Theft
    - Senate Office / Better Business Bureau / FBI

10:20am – 10:40am
- Networking Break and House of Friendship ..... Scott Conference Center
- Peace Pole/Peace Pumpkin Decorating ..... Breakout Rooms

10:40am – 11:30am
- Breakout sessions ..... Breakout Rooms
    - Membership - Kathryn Schubert
    - Artificial Intelligence - Jacob Nachtigall

11:30am – 12:00pm
- Buffet Lunch

12:00pm – 1:00pm
- Lunch Speaker ..... Ballroom
    - ShelterBox USA- Renee Brouse

1:00pm – 1:30pm
- Networking Break and House of Friendship ..... Scott Conference Center

1:30pm – 2:20pm
- Breakout sessions ..... Breakout Rooms
    - Rotary Means Business
    - Legacy Giving - How to Leave a Lasting Impact - Tom Kerfoot, District Foundation Chair, Past District Governor

2:20pm – 2:40pm
- Networking Break and House of Friendship ..... Scott Conference Center
- Peace Pole/Peace Pumpkin Decorating..... Breakout Rooms

Saturday, October 18, cont.

2:40pm – 4:00pm

- Mainstage - Robert Rapp, District Governor ..... Ballroom
    - Rotary Youth Leadership Award - Kathryn Schubert, RYLA District Chair
    - Youth Exchange - Bob Rauner, Youth Study Exchange Chair
    - Rotary Foundation - Tom Kerfoot, District Foundation Chair
    - PolioPlus - Gary Bren, PolioPlus District Chair

4:00pm – 4:15pm

- Peace Pole Ceremony - Robert Rapp, District Governor ..... Ballroom

4:15pm – 5:00pm

- Break
    - Bid on Silent Auction .....House of Friendship
    - Explore Aksarben Village

5:00pm – 6:30pm

- Cocktail Reception .....House of Friendship
- Major Donor Reception .....Boardroom - By Invitation

6:30pm – 8:30pm

- District 5650 Awards Dinner ..... Ballroom
- Robert Rapp – District Governor
- Lorena Beckius - President's Representative
- Tom Kerfoot - Past District Governor
- The Rotary Foundation Citation for Meritorious Service Award
- International Service Above Self Award
- Cadwallader Award Presentation