



Rotary



ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF DISTRICTS 2220 AND 2225

May 22-24, 2015

hotel «Park Inn Prybaltyiskaya»

Korablestroiteley street 14, St.Petersburg, Russia

Dear friends!

In 2015 Rotary in Russia celebrates 25th anniversary since the first three clubs were chartered in Moscow, Saint Petersburg and Irkutsk.

Compared to 110 years of Rotary's history, quarter of a century is a young age. Nevertheless, during this short period of time Russian Rotary clubs completed hundreds of community projects, initiated dozens of youth exchanges and numerous international events. Nowadays there are over 80 Rotary clubs in Russia totaling more than 1300 members.

During the past 25 years a lot of dramatic events and basic changes happened in our country. Despite the social and economic instability Russian Rotary clubs supported orphans and invalids, children and old people, provided professional training for graduate students and young entrepreneurs, participated in the international peace forums and contributed to strengthening of understanding in the world.

All these good deeds would not have been possible without cooperation and continuous assistance from our Rotary friends around the world and we have a lot to share with you at our 25th anniversary since we have joined the Rotary family.

Governors of Districts 2220 and 2225 regarded the common anniversary as an opportunity to Light up Rotary in Russia and decided to hold a joint annual conference of both districts on May 22-24 in St.Petersburg – one of the major centers of Rotary in Russia. We also expect that the “white nights” and the beauties of the city sights will add to the spirit of friendship during your visit. We invite you to join us for the celebration and to come to St.Petersburg.

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