

Rotarian Dean Robinson



Dean Robinson, a long-time member of the Orem Linden Rotary Club, discusses his experiences and contributions to the organization during our interview. Mr. Robinson joined the club around 1987, invited by a friend and colleague, and has been a member for 36 or 37 years. He express appreciation for the sense of community and service the Rotary Club fosters, noting that it has provided him with opportunities to serve others and form lasting friendships.

The Rotary Club's involvement in various service projects has significantly improved lives, including his own, by keeping him informed and connected with the community through weekly speakers and events. His spouse has also been involved in Rotary for around 15 years, though their children have not yet participated due to their busy schedules and life stages. He emphasize that the Rotary Club is not a men's club and includes a substantial number of female members.

Despite changes in society, the interviewee believes Rotary remains relevant and will continue to thrive due to its global reach and impact. He share its love for Utah's nature and community.

Regarding community building, Mr. Robinson highlights his own efforts to contribute through service, being a good neighbor, and developing business relationships within Rotary. He has served as club president multiple times, including during the COVID-19 pandemic, and actively participates in fundraisers and other initiatives. He believes that he brings warmth, friendliness, and consistent support. Lastly, He encourages others to consider joining Rotary to make a positive difference locally and globally.

Interviewed by Parker Miller, UVU student