

## PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY BEFORE COMPLETING THE APPLICATION FORM

#### **GENERAL RACE INFORMATION:**

*THE OTTAWA ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE* will begin with our Registration on the evening of Friday September 28<sup>th</sup> 4pm – 7pm at the Ottawa Rotary Home, 823 Rotary Way and will finish on Sunday September 30<sup>th</sup> approximately 6pm. Both team members must be present for that time period. Dinner and prize presentations will take place at the completion of the event.

Each team will consist of TWO members, at least 19 years of age to participate. One team member MUST be able to swim (with a life jacket).

THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE and its Safety Coordinator design all aspects of the race with your safety in mind. You do not need to be a super athlete to compete but please keep in mind that this can be a very physically challenging race. Also, challenges may be present that will push you beyond your comfort zone. That is the nature of THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE; it will push you to try new things and will be truly exhilarating for all participants. Please be sure that you are serious about this opportunity before applying.

We will be giving all participants a contact number for you to distribute to your family in case of emergency to contact us. There will be no contact to friends and family allowed by the racers unless extreme circumstances exist which will be reviewed on a case by case basis. Phones are locked away for 48 hours.

The entrance fee is \$400 per team (\$100 refundable deposit with registration) and racers will not have any additional expenses during the race weekend. This will include all of your meals, snacks, t-shirts, bottles water & transportation.

Teams are expected to raise a minimum of \$1,000 via pledges in addition to the \$400 entrance fee.

Teams are expected to put a strong effort towards collecting pledges for the Foundation. On the level of dollar amounts collected, teams will earn tokens that can assist them during AMAZING RACE.

# APPLICATION PROCEDURES: To apply for THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE, each team must submit:

- 1) An application form. Incomplete application forms will not be considered. Please be aware that if you are selected, selected answers given could be posted online in your team bio.
- 2) Two (2) team photographs: One photograph needs to be a close-up headshot and the other an action shot. Be sure to use your team photographs to show your personality. Get creative! We do ask that both photographs be appropriate and unaltered we're looking for real-life creativity, not Photoshop creativity. They will be printed out, so we ask for the highest resolution and size you can send (but no larger than 1 megabyte each)!



#### THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION

## 'Amazing Race' Team Application Form 2018

Optional: Show us how creative you are and include something more with your application. Media sites such as YouTube and Facebook are free and you can include a link below.

- \*\* If your team is selected, your team will be required to pay the \$300 balance of entrance fee. This fee is to be submitted after the application period closes. See below for more details.
- \*\* Teams are expected to raise a minimum of \$1,000 via pledges.
- \*\* All racers are provided with one THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE t-shirt.

#### **ENTRANCE FEE & PROCEDURES**

If your team is selected, THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE committee will contact you after the application period closes. Once notified, you will then have ten (10) days to submit your entrance fee. If this is not completed in time, you will forfeit your spot. You may pay by Master Card/Visa or by cheque. We will provide you with more details at that time. Note that we consider a team's application as "received" when we have complete application forms from BOTH team members, as well as two pictures that follow the rules.

We encourage you to take the time you need to create an exciting application that will make us want to see you in THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE. We want to see enthusiasm, a sense of fun competition, and a *commitment to fundraising*. Be creative – there are a lot of ways you can make yourself stand out from the pack and make sure you stick out!

Please note that the 20 teams selected will be announced <u>May 31<sup>st</sup> 2018 @ 12 noon</u>. All decisions by the Team of Directors are final and are not subject to review or appeal. We will confirm, by email, that we have received your application. If you are accepted into THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE, we will contact you by email to obtain your entrance fee. After we have received payment your pledge kits will be mailed to you.



#### **TEAM MEMBER #1 - INFORMATION**

Name * Nickname Street			
Address *	_ City *	Postal Code *	
Phone Number * Emai	*		
Gender * Male or Female (please circle)	Age *		
Emergency Contact Name *			
Emergency Contact Number *			
Can you swim? Yes / No (please circle)			
What is your t-shirt size? (Men's & Womer Small / Medium / Large / X-Large/ XXLarge	,	le)	
Do you require vegetarian or gluten free me	eals? Yes (please circ	cle)	
Please list any allergies (medications, food	, etc.)		
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(Failure to answer this question accurately may result in disqualification):

How did you hear about THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE? If it was from Poster/ Facebook/ other social media / Word of mouth or through an organization, please name them:

Fill the rest of this form in with enthusiasm. It's easy to get accepted! There are a few general things to keep in mind to increase your chances of being accepted to THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE.

Be Fun: When the Committee is looking for teams, they are looking for enthusiastic, energetic and creative people that will contribute to the already amazing experience of THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE!



Be Honest: Complete your application honestly. The Committee is usually pretty good at spotting a tall tale!

Read the Form: There are some very specific things required to submit your application form.

Read the application form closely before submitting!

## **TEAM MEMBER #1 - ABOUT YOU**

What is your current occupation?

Please describe in a couple sentences exactly what you do day-to-day at your job and what the best thing about your job is.

What is your dream job?

List three adjectives that best describe you.

Name three of your favourite hobbies.

What is the accomplishment that you are most proud of?

If you could have a dinner party with 3 people, living or dead, who would they be?

If you were stranded on an island with three items, what would they be?

If you could choose to have any superpowers, which one would you choose?

What movie character best describes yourself and why?

What's the one most played song on your iPod®™?



#### **TEAM MEMBER #2 - INFORMATION**

Name Nickname Street
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Postal Code Phone Number Finally
Gender * Male or Female (please circle) Age *
Emergency Contact Name
Emergency Contact Number
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## **ABOUT YOUR TEAM**

What is your relationship?

How long have you and your teammate known each other?



What type of activities do you enjoy doing with your teammate? What was the most memorable moment together? Why? What is the biggest disappointment you have experienced together? How did you resolve it? Tell us about your funniest experience together. How are you and your teammate most alike? How are you and your teammate most different? If your team had a theme song, what would it be? GAMEPLAY (This information will be kept confidential) What is unique about your team? What do you bring to Ottawa Rotary Home Foundation that other teams will not? Do you see there being any potential problems with your teamwork? If so, what might they be?

If you're accepted, what will your fundraising strategy be to raise the minimum of \$1,000 in pledges and why do you feel it's important to raise these funds for THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION?



Why do you want to take part in THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE?

What message would you give to your potential THE ROTARY HOME FOUNDATION AMAZING RACE competitors?

If you have a link to a website, video, or other media you wish to add to your application, please enter it here:

Please attach your 2 team photographs below!

### THANK YOU FOR ENTERING!