

CHESAPEAKE PETS

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What is Chesapeake PETS (Presidents-Elect Training Seminar)?

Chesapeake PETS serves all of the clubs in four districts that surround the Chesapeake Bay (two in Virginia – 7600 and 7610; one in Western Maryland/District of Columbia – 7620, and one in Eastern Maryland/Delaware – 7630) with more than 220 clubs.

Chesapeake PETS is a unique Rotary learning opportunity specifically designed to provide incoming Club Presidents the necessary skills, knowledge, motivation and enthusiasm to lead an effective Rotary Club. Structured to meet the needs of these incoming Presidents, incoming Assistant Governors and Governors-Nominee, this two-day training seminar brings together over 300 participants.

Chesapeake PETS offers informative sessions led by experienced facilitators, detailed district training sessions led by the District Governors-Elect, outstanding and motivational speakers, fun, fellowship, networking and the opportunity to learn from each other.

Chesapeake PETS utilizes group breakout sessions based on club size whenever possible, organized into small groups of 15 – 20 participants. Experience has shown that smaller groups are more conducive to sharing openly and candidly the group's information, knowledge and ideas on the presentations.

Who Should Attend Chesapeake PETS?

Every President-Elect of a Rotary Club is **required** to attend a PETS **in its entirety** immediately prior to taking office, according to the Rotary International Manual of Procedure, 2010. Chesapeake PETS is planned for Presidents-Elect in Districts 7600, 7610, 7620 and 7630, although those from other districts also may attend,

What If I Have a Conflict With The Dates of Chesapeake PETS?

A District Governor-elect can suggest another PETS event nearby, and others are listed elsewhere on the Chesapeake PETS website.

How Do I Register?

The on-line registration process with credit card payment is available on the Chesapeake PETS website and links are provided on District websites.

How Can I Be Sure That I am Registered?

Registrants receive an email confirmation. In addition, registrants are listed on the individual District pages on this website.

What is Included in Registration?

There are several registration options available. All registrations include a hotel room for Friday night and all materials and meals for the event. In addition you may reserve a room for Thursday night and register for the Thursday elective, reception and dinner

Should I Contact The Hotel?

NO! Chesapeake PETS is responsible for all lodging reservations, including special needs (which must be communicated during the registration process). Email confirmation will confirm PETS understanding of registration requests.

For Emergency Room Cancellation (within 48-72 hours)

Contact Registration Chair Judy Cappuccilli at jdcapp@verizon.net; hone phone 301-952-1535, office phone 301-952-0336.

Where is The Hotel?

Chesapeake PETS is held at the Westfields Marriott Hotel and Conference Center, just off Rt. 28 south of Dulles Airport at 14750 Conference Center Drive, Chantilly, VA 20151.