

## 2025 National President Rebecca Lane



Our pledge states:

Ruritanans pledge to support  
Urban and  
Rural communities  
In  
Times of stress  
And  
Need through Fellowship, Goodwill and Community Service

How exactly are we doing this?

Clubs are providing scholarships for further education, which in turn helps our communities, providing food for those in need, providing money and services to those who have lost everything in a fire or other disaster, relieving a small part of their stress, providing ramps for the disabled, providing community fellowship through dinners, fairs, etc.

Districts are organizing walks to help raise funds for mental health, holding golf tournaments to raise funds for various projects,

And the list goes on.....

How do we accomplish this?

Through Fellowship, Goodwill and Community Service

WE ARE America's leading Community Service organization

WE ARE the hope for the future

How can we continue to help our communities?

Again, through Fellowship, Goodwill and Community Service

We need to ensure that we are seen in our communities, that we are doing projects that help our communities, not just writing checks, and that we hold community activities such as picnics and dances.

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We need to advertise ourselves

Wear our Ruritan apparel, talk about Ruritan, advertise US

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We need to think outside the box to form new clubs.

We have luncheon clubs, breakfast clubs, and a motorcycle club—what about a virtual club for the more tech-savvy? Or a club in a retirement community? Or a club within a large company? The possibilities are limitless. We just need to break out of our current mindset of how clubs should look.

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