

Monday with Mikey:



Why the red Converse ALL STAR™ shoes? Well....

RI president Germ has said that we are "ROTARY'S ALL STAR TEAM" this year.

The word "team" can mean a whole lot of things – but in this case it means:

Together Everyone Achieves More!

My **first** challenge to you is this:

- Buy a pair of ALL STARS. There are lots of options and prices online or in stores. Buy them in whatever style or color you prefer.
- Wear them in places where they look a little out of place. I am not encouraging anyone to violate workplace dress codes. However, wearing them to events and in places where they're not normally expected is part of the challenge.
- When someone asks you, "Hey, what's up with the shoes?", tell them you're wearing them because you're a Rotarian, and then say to them, sincerely, "**Let me tell you about MY Rotary Club.**"
- See what happens next. I *guarantee* you that one (hopefully more) of the people you tell about *your* rotary Club will want to know more, so invite them to join you for breakfast, lunch, cocktails – in whatever locale and format your club meets.

Together, we can – in fact – achieve more! Our first step (shoe pun obviously intended) is to do something that makes us noticed and causes people to ask us about this wonderful movement called Rotary.

My **second** challenge to you is this:

Email me a picture of you (that includes your CONVERSE ALL STARS™ on your feet – hopefully with the rest of you in the picture!! My email address is mjc6950rotary@gmail.com,

- I'll get it posted to the district Facebook page, website, and newsletter. We may also use it for some fun at District Conference and RI Convention next June!

Until next Monday, keep "**Doing Good, Having Fun!**"
Your Friend in Rotary Service,

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