

### **Job Description**

Position: Club Protection Officer

### **Appointment**

The Club Protection Officer is appointed by the Club President.

### Responsibility

The Club Protection Officer ensures that the Club implements the District Protecting Vulnerable People Policy and Procedures.

## Term

Club Protection Officers (CPO) serve for a two-year term. CPOs may be released at the end of the term, or by mutual agreement be re-appointed for an additional 2-year term.

# **Key Responsibilities**

The Club Protection Officer shall:

- 1. Advocate for the protection of vulnerable people in Club programs and activities.
- 2. Work closely with the Club President and Chairs of Club Committees to safeguard vulnerable people participating in Club programs and activities,
- 3. Ensure that everyone that has direct and unsupervised contact with vulnerable people in Rotary programs has been screened according to District procedure before they work with vulnerable people.
- 4. Confirm that all volunteers receive role specific training
- 5. Ensure that vulnerable people participating in Club programs and activities understand their rights and how to protect themselves from bullying, abuse, harassment, exploitation, discrimination, or neglect.
- 6. Confirm that all allegations of bullying, abuse, harassment, exploitation, discrimination, or neglect to the authorities and to Rotary District 5360.
- 7. Provide the Club President with regular reports regarding Club compliance with the Protecting Vulnerable People Policy and Procedures.
- 8. Liaise with the District Protecting Vulnerable People Committee.