

AIRC International Committee program for 2010-2011

- 1. establish/maintain contacts with foreign RC clubs**
- 2. promote youth exchange programs**
- 3. identify international project to support in collaboration with other RC Clubs**

Achieved as of April 29 2011:

1. Contacts with foreign RC clubs

- RC Schwetzingen, Germany are planning to visit us October 2011. Exact dates to be announced. They expressed interest in a bi-lateral youth exchange.
- RC Heidelberg-Neckar, Germany have expressed interest to have close contacts with AIRC, and have invited us to visit them. They also expressed interest in a bi-lateral youth exchange.
- RC Gibraltar: AIRC has visited before and maintains contact.
- RC Marbella-Guadalmina: a new English speaking RC was chartered Jan 22, 2011. AIRC was represented.
- South Africa: a close relationship with the RC Riverside (Johannesburg area) has been established. A Visit by AIRC is envisaged 2011-2012. A common project will be supported by AIRC (see 3. below)
- Houston, Texas: AIRC visited Memorial Spring Branch RC. A close relationship has been established, both with the club and Rotary District 5890. (Common projects: see 2. below). Reciprocal visits are being envisaged.

2. Youth exchange programs

- As in previous years, AIRC is sending to students (a girl ages 16 and a boy aged 17) to the UK Summer Camp in July 2011.
- AIRC will send a long term exchange student for one school year (2012-2013) to Houston, Texas. The student will be hosted by Rotary District 5890. Candidates are currently being recruited.
- Rotary District 5890 of Houston will send a group of young professionals to our club during Rotary year 2012-2013. AIRC to reciprocate later.

3. International project in collaboration with other RC Clubs

AIRC has committed to contribute to the C4C project of the Rotary Clubs of Riverside (<http://rotaryrs.co.za/>) and Vanderbijlpark (<http://www.rotaryvanderbijlpark.org/>), South Africa. C4C is an educational project providing education to underprivileged children from the age of 5 upwards.

