



# 2010 ROTARY INSTITUTE TRAVEL PLANNING TIPS

*“HOW DO I GET TO BELLEVUE?”*

The sophisticated **Hyatt Regency Bellevue** is on Seattle's desirable Eastside. Fresh from a \$185 million expansion, this AAA Four Diamond hotel offers an exceptional Rotarian guest experience. Just 20 minutes from Seattle's Sea-Tac International Airport and 9 miles east of Seattle, the Hyatt is located in the trendy Bellevue Collection with its 250 shops and 45 restaurants.

Start your mini-vacation planning now by visiting the Zone website—[www.rotaryzones2526.org](http://www.rotaryzones2526.org) to register and to reserve hotel lodging.

**FLYING**— A number of carriers provide non-stop and/or connecting service from most airports in Zones 25 and 26 to Seattle's Sea-Tac International Airport. The most frequent service is provided by Alaska Airlines and Southwest Airlines. Websites such as Travelocity ([www.travelocity.com](http://www.travelocity.com)) or Expedia ([www.expedia.com](http://www.expedia.com)) can help locate the best connections from your area. **Ground Transportation** can be easily arranged via Shuttle Express ([www.shuttleexpress.com](http://www.shuttleexpress.com) or 800-487-7433). The fee is \$19.00 per person each way. Taxi service is approximately \$40 one-way. Travel time to the Hyatt is 30-40 minutes.

**DRIVING**— The Hyatt Regency Bellevue is at **900 Bellevue Way NE** in Bellevue. The local phone number is 425-462-1234. From the Sea-Tac Airport area, drive north on Interstate 405. Exit to NE 8th Street East/West (exit #13B). Take NE 8th St. West ramp. Turn right on Bellevue Way. Vehicle parking at the Hyatt Regency is \$16.00/night.

**TRAIN**— Amtrak's "**Coast Starlight**" passenger train arrives in Seattle daily at 8:45 p.m. from all points south. For details go to [www.amtrak.com](http://www.amtrak.com).

**IMPORTANT**— The "Around Our World" Institute starts Thursday evening Sept. 30th and will conclude by noon on Sunday, Oct. 3rd. Come early and stay late—your \$149 room rate is good from Sept. 23rd to Oct. 6th.

