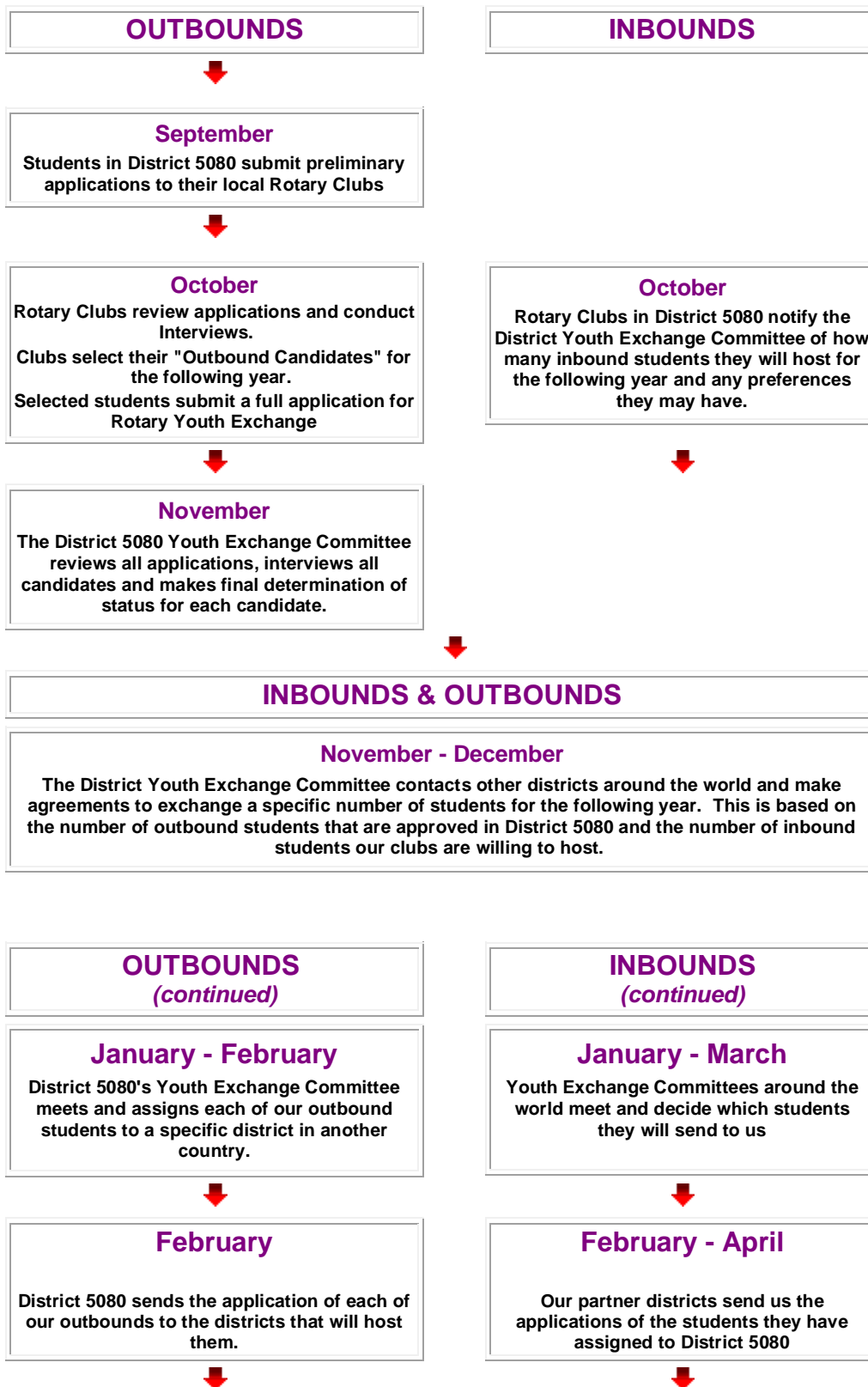


OVERVIEW OF DISTRICT 5080 YOUTH EXCHANGE PROCESS



February - May

The Youth Exchange Committees in each of our partner districts assigns our outbound students to specific Rotary Clubs or areas.

Applications and other paperwork are forwarded to the selected clubs. Rotary Clubs obtain the required signatures on the student's "Guarantee Form."



OUTBOUNDS (continued)

May

Outbound Students and their parents attend District 5080's "Outbound Orientation."



May - June

"Guarantee Forms" for our Outbound Students arrive back in District 5080. Our travel agency assists outbound students in obtaining the required visas, and travel arrangements are made.

The amount of time required to obtain the necessary visa will depend on the student's citizenship (American or Canadian) and their destination country.



March - April

District 5080's Youth Exchange Committee meets and assigns each inbound student to a specific club in our district.

Applications and other paperwork are forwarded to the selected clubs. Rotary Clubs obtain the required signatures on the student's "Guarantee Form."



INBOUNDS (continued)

April - May

District 5080 returns the required "Guarantee Forms" to the appropriate Rotary Districts.



April

"Guarantee Forms" from District 5080 arrive back in the overseas districts. Students make travel arrangements and get the required visas.

Depending upon the country, the process of getting visas can be relatively simple for our inbound students, or major bureaucratic undertakings.

INBOUNDS & OUTBOUNDS

July - September

All over the world!

Goodbye Parties! Final preparations!

Everything is check, double check! Check again!

The planes take off....and after waiting ...so long... exchange students are welcomed into their new homes all over the world.



OUTBOUNDS (continued)

September

Our outbound students meet their new families and (depending on district) attend language camps or orientation sessions in their host country



INBOUNDS (continued)

September

Our inbound students settle in with their new families and attend District 5080 Inbound Orientation.