## Bio Greg Yank Rotary International Director 2017-19

Greg is a business coach to 6 owners of small to medium size businesses. He spent 25 years in health care executive management and leadership serving twice as a hospital CEO and as President and CEO of a Catholic Health System. For 11 years, Greg owned a business coaching/peer advisory board franchise called The Alternative Board TAB. He is the principal in GY Consulting & Facilitation Services specializing in business coaching, strategy, facilitation, strategic governance and board development/education.

A Rotarian since 1978, Greg is a member of the Rotary Club of O'Fallon, IL where he served as Club President in 1992-93, and then as Governor of District 6510 twice in 2001-02 and again in 2010-11. District 6510 is comprised of 48 clubs and 1600 members in Southern Illinois.

He has held other Rotary positions: Regional Membership Plan Project Plan Lead (Membership Chair) for Zones 30 and 31 (2015-17), International Training Leader, Membership Coordinator, Institute Chair and leads both his district and Zones 30-31 Club visioning initiative.

Greg is married to past district governor and business owner Catherine Taylor Yank. The Yanks are members of the Arch Klumph Society, Paul Harris and Bequest Societies and are Major Donors. Greg was honored to receive the *Service above Self* Award in 2014. He has travelled to Malawi, Ecuador, India and Belize on Rotary on Rotary projects.

Greg is actively involved in his community. He is a Commissioner of the Metro East Park & Recreation District; Advisory Board member for the Nielsen Healthcare Group in St. Louis; and a Board Member of the O'Fallon Shiloh Chamber of Commerce and chairperson of its strategic planning committee.

Greg believes that Rotary enables him to <u>live a life that matters</u> as lives in our communities and the world are changed because of what we do!