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TODAY'S PROGRAM: JENNIFER JONES, TRF TRUSTEE



Trustee, The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International

Vice President, Rotary International 2016-2017

Jennifer Jones is the President of Media Street Productions Inc., an award-winning television production and post-production company in Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

Media Street is proud to be recognized as a caring corporate citizen and was named "Company of the Year" by the Windsor and District Chamber of Commerce as well as receiving numerous international awards.

Working alongside political luminaries, royal figures, celebrities and global leaders, she has used her voice to raise awareness and hundreds of millions of dollars to eradicate disease, support peace efforts and provide clean water and sanitation in developing areas of the world.

Jennifer is currently serving as a Trustee of The Rotary Foundation and she is co-chair of the *End Polio Now: Make History Today* campaign, raising funds alongside Bill and Melinda Gates and their Foundation. She is a leader in cultivating "experiential fundraising" opportunities such as Rotary's Polio Golf Day with Jack Nicklaus in Jupiter, Florida, USA, which raised over \$5.25 million for polio eradication in one day.

Whether she is speaking in a nation's capital, exchanging ideas with CEO's or talking with school children, her skill as a professional broadcaster and expert storyteller motivates others to take action. Jennifer's messages of hope and inspiration have touched countless people on six continents.

Jennifer also contributes much of her energy to local organizations. She is the past Chair of the Board of Governors at the University of Windsor and the past Chair of the Board of Directors at the Windsor-Essex Regional Chamber of Commerce.

She has been recognized with many awards and recognitions including Rotary's Service above Self Award and the Citation for Meritorious Service, the YMCA Peace Medallion, the Queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal, and Wayne State University's Peacemaker of the Year Award – a first for a Canadian.

Jennifer is happily married to Nick Krayacich a local family physician. They share a love for many things including travel, cycling, golf and relaxing at their family cottage. They share a thirst for adventure and reached the summit of Mount Kilimanjaro in Tanzania, Africa.

NEXT WEEK: Dr. Harry Reeder, Pastor, Briarwood Presbyterian Church

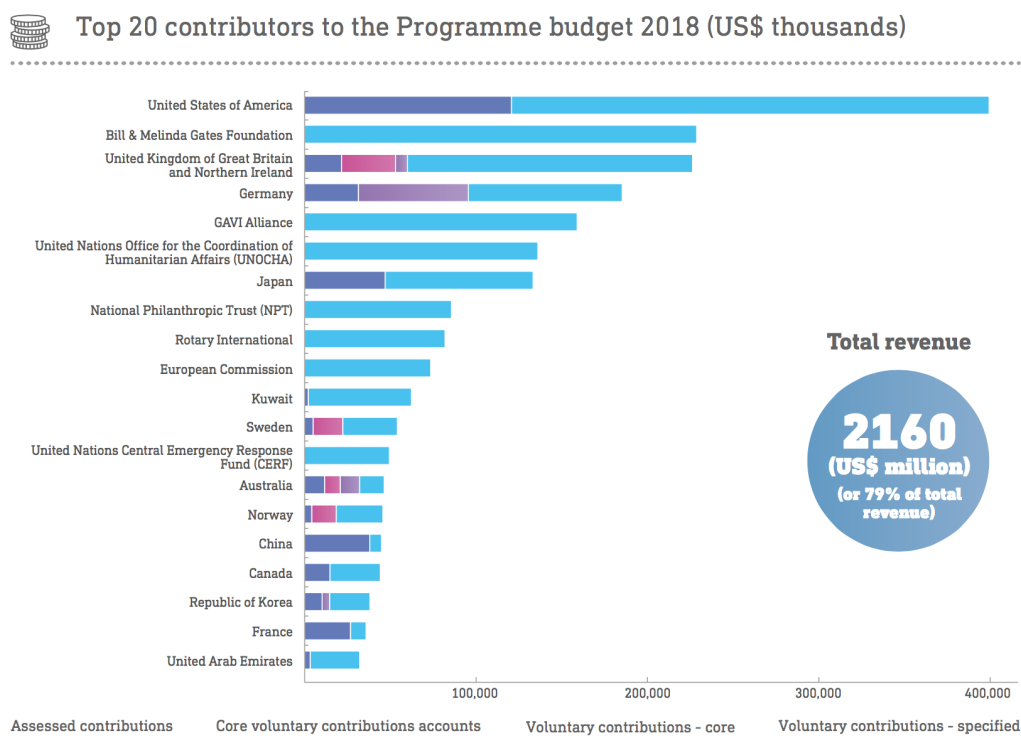
George Washington Carver & Booker T. Washington

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AMERICAN GENEROSITY

by John Gleissner

The Director-General of the World Health Organization correctly characterized American generosity as immense. The National Institutes of Health funds more research on infectious diseases than any other entity. The U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) subsidizes PREDICT, a program to detect and respond to emerging pathogens. The UCSF-Abbott Viral Diagnostics and Discovery CENTER maps blood samples against DNA sequences to see if they match known pathogens. Others in the fight include The Center for Infectious Disease Research and Policy at the University of Minnesota, the Gates Foundation, the Infectious Disease Research Institute in Seattle, UAB, and the U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases. Foundations, donors and charities based in the USA provide tremendous support for the WHO. The largest contributor to the WHO is the USA. The overwhelming percentage of contributions supporting the WHO are made by the USA and her European and Japanese allies. Since 2010, the USA has contributed \$3.5 billion to the WHO. This is separate from American contributions to the general and peacekeeping expenses of the UN. The U.S. has been making a \$2.5 billion annual contribution to the UN peacekeeping budget. The UN has a formula to determine its assessments. The UN considers gross national income, population, and debt burden in determining the percentage of the total budget each member state must pay to fund general UN operations. That budget is known as the 'regular budget.' The permanent members of the Security Council—China, France, Russia, UK and US—are responsible for covering a higher share of the budget. Twenty nations pay more to the UN on a per capita basis than the USA. U.S. contributions to the WHO fall in two general categories: assessed and voluntary contributions. There are three categories of voluntary contributions. Here are what assessments and voluntary donations looked like in 2018:



Polio Eradication Update (As of June 2)

This YTD = 62
Pakistan: 50

Cases Last YTD = 51
Afghanistan: 12

Total 2019= 176
Nigeria: 0

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CELEBRATION TIME

Member Birthdays	Birthday
Adams, Donelson R. (DONELSON)	30 June
Birmingham, John M. (JOHN)	18 June
Harvey, Fletcher III (FLETCHER)	26 June
Hester, Wayne A. (WAYNE)	18 June
Martin, William Fred (FRED)	10 June
Slater, Elizabeth (LIZ)	29 June
Spencer, James V. III (JIM)	29 June
Steele, John Taylor (TAYLOR)	06 June
Sullivan, Dave (DAVE)	07 June

Member Anniversaries	Start Date	Years	Years(P)	Total
Casey, George (GEORGE)	06/25/12	8	0	8
Chatterton, Marcus (MARCUS)	06/01/15	5	0	5
Clark, Walter D. (WALTER)	06/01/79	41	0	41
Evans, Michael J Sr. (MIKE)	06/24/19	1	0	1
Lewis, Jon E. (JON)	06/25/18	2	4	6
Murphy, Erica Pezent (ERICA)	06/10/19	1	13	14
Oldham, Benjamin R (BEN)	06/10/19	1	0	1
Peeples, Candace B. (CANDI)	06/10/02	18	0	18
Relfe, Ann (ANN)	06/01/91	29	0	29
Roberts, Alieze Drake (LISA)	06/04/18	2	0	2
Sides, Charles Keith (KEITH)	06/01/91	29	0	29
Summey, Sidney C. Jr.(SID)	06/04/18	2	25	27

Wedding Anniversaries	Partner's Name	Anniversary	Years
Anthony, Carter E. (CARTER)	Janice	06/02	52
Bell, David W. (DAVID)	Betsy	06/21	40
Blackenburg, Ryan J. (RYAN)	Kim	06/17	14
Bradford, Patton Jr.(PETE)	Marian	06/20	56
Brasfield, Charles Theodore III(TED)	Jeannie	06/16	19
Davis, Jennifer D. (JENNIFER)	Jim	06/20	44
Gross, Michael S. (MICHAEL)	Marillyn	06/08	57
Haskell, Wyatt R. (WYATT)	Susan	06/01	42
Johnson, Orson L. (PETE)	Mary Jean	06/15	46
Lewis, Robert J. (ROBERT LEWIS)	Sonya	06/07	23
Major, Lamont (LAMONT)	Mary Alice	06/18	37
Nigri, Victor Patrick (VIC)	Beth	06/01	19
O'Neil, Frank B. (FRANK)	Janet	06/30	36
Peeples, Candace B. (CANDI)	Lloyd	06/29	18
Roberts, Lynette R. (LYNETTE)	Todd	06/19	21
Robin, Theodore Tydings Jr.(TY)	Helen	06/08	57
Rogers, Fred E. Jr.(FRED)	Judy	06/16	67
Ross, William Hale (BILL)	Kitty	06/07	51
Somers, James Thomas (Tom) Jr.(TOM)	Mary Ann	06/26	27
Wade, Mike Douglas (MIKE)	Judy	06/05	49
Williams, John Q. (JOHN)	Jan	06/05	55