



Week of November 13, 2016

District Foundation Committee

By Charles L. Root

2016-11-13

WHO YA GOIN' TO CALL!

- The District Foundation Committee



This 3rd week of sharing information on our district committees focus on our two biggest grant programs.

TRF estimates that clubs in our district and district projects have totaled over \$11 million dollars for 437 separate international projects over the last 24 years. Many years our projects receive more grant money than our members have donated. We sponsor more projects than

any other district in our zone.

GRANTS - Eric Hodnett

Rotary Foundation grants support Rotarians and Rotary clubs in their educational and humanitarian efforts both locally and around the world.





DISTRICT GRANTS - Juli Di Chiro

District Grants may be used for local community or international projects. They are intended for smaller projects and must be completed within eighteen months. They do not require an international partner, but still require active Rotarian involvement. Grants may be used for:

- Humanitarian projects, including service travel and disaster recovery efforts,
- Scholarships for any level, length of time, place, or area of study.
- Vocational training of any team size or time span.

Preliminary applications must be received each year by June 1st. This year we were able to give \$119,140 to 71 projects for projects totaling over \$550,000. But for the 2nd year in a role we did not have enough to support all grant applications. A BIG thank you to those clubs who voluntarily withdrew their applications. They will receive first preference in 2017-18.



GLOBAL GRANTS – Steve Marks

Global grants support large, multi-year international activities with sustainable, measurable outcomes in one or more of the six Areas of Focus and must have minimum budget of \$30,000. Clubs must also partner with a club in another country. District application forms need to be received at least 10 days prior to a quarterly Grants Meeting. The next Grant Meeting dates are January 14th, and March 25th.

For more information contact District Foundation Chair & Past District Governor Chuck Root at: chuckroot1112@gmail.com

100th Anniversary of The Rotary Foundation

By Jim Lussier

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I am the 2016-17 Fundraising Chair for the Rotary Foundation in our District and Margie and I support TRF every year as Major Donors. We do so because of our belief in Rotary and what it contributes to our world and among Rotarians who benefit personally through the act of giving. The Rotary Foundation is one of the most beneficial philanthropic organizations in the world because of its international humanitarian work and what it does for communities, children, scholarships and the advancement toward peace on our planet. Please join us!
PDG Jim & Margie Lussier

2016-2017 PLEDGE

DG Dave Reece has set a goal of \$750,000 for Annual Fund Support, \$300,000 for Endowments and \$150,000 for Polio Plus within our District. Each Club President and TRF Chair is asking every Rotary member to consider a commitment to a contribution according to their financial capability. Consider a Paul Harris Fellowship of \$84.00 per month. Or even just 57 cents per day to support Rotary, which will result in **\$210.00 for an annual gift**---to the best philanthropic organization the world has ever seen.

TRF Chairs have been given a suggested pledge form and will be asking you to please consider making a pledge to TRF. The end of our tax year is coming up in the next two months. As you consider your philanthropy plan for this year-end, put a gift to THE ROTARY FOUNDATION at the top of your listing of charitable contributions.



IT FEELS GOOD TO GIVE TO TRF

Submissions to eNews

By Mark C. Walker

2016-07-12

Please submit photos, news, and brags to district5110enews@gmail.com. We welcome your news and announcements.

eNews is produced in DACdb ezBulletin and sent to active D5110 members via PMail. Please submit your SHORT stories and great photos of Club events

accomplishments and service projects. Submission deadline is Thursday evening the week before publication.



News From the Rotary Friendship Exchange

By Camille Joyce Ronzio

2016-11-13



Here is what you have been waiting for. Here is where we will go in New Mexico for our 2017 in country exchange! If you have thought of going, our reviews from the upstate NY team were that this is such an easy way to travel and learn so much about your own country. Here is another great opportunity. Please find the application on our district website and email it to [Camille Ronzio](mailto:Camille.Ronzio@comcast.net) at ajr60@comcast.net. The new deadline is November 30th or until the team is filled! Apply now.

Wed. March 22 – Los Alamos will pick up group at the Albuquerque, New Mexico, Airport (time to be determined)

Thur. March 23 – Los Alamos

Fri. March 24 – Los Alamos

Sat. March 25 – Los Alamos

Sun. March 26 - Albuquerque

Mon. March 27 – Albuquerque

Tue. March 28 - Albuquerque

Wed. March 29 - Albuquerque

Thur. March 30 - Roswell

Fri. March 31 - Roswell

Sat. April 1 - Roswell

Sun. April 2 – Silver City

Mon. April 3 – Silver City

Tue. April 4 – Silver City

Wed. April 5 – to El Paso, Texas, for departure (time to be determined)

Rotaract eClub of No Borders Membership Grows by Leaps and Bounds

By Rick Francona

2016-11-06



President Manuel Pascual of the Rotaract Club of No Borders presents new members Vanesa Chang and Osman Castañeda with their Rotaract T-Shirts. Vanesa, a recent graduate from the University of British Columbia in Vancouver, Canada, is a native of Guatemala and resides in the capital city. Her enthusiasm as a newcomer to the Rotaract eClub was evident when she made the arduous two-day bus trip from Guatemala City in order to attend the new orientation meeting and join in fellowship with the group of nine members from Barillas.

Two more Guatemalans await approval for membership along with a new member from France, which would bring the Club’s membership to 24, doubling last year’s membership. What a great achievement! Congratulations!

(Note: the Rotoract club is sponsored by the E-Club of the State of Jefferson)

Peaceful Schools Program

By Wayne D. Markel

2016-11-13



The Rotary Club of Port Orford is excited to announce the launching of the Rotary Peaceful Schools Program (PSP) in conjunction with Driftwood Elementary and Pacific High School.

The program is delivered in the elementary school classrooms, in four separate 45- minute sessions, typically scheduled 2-4 weeks apart. A team of 4-6 high school student volunteers trained to deliver the program are assigned to each classroom. One or more trained Rotarians coordinate and oversee the program.

The program begins with a brief overview of the Rotary 4-way Test, which has been renamed as the “Four Awesome Questions” (FAQs). These questions, which are provided on a poster for the classroom, are:

Before you think, say or do something, ask yourself:

1. Is it true?
2. Is it fair to everyone?
3. Will it help make better friends
4. Will it be good for everyone?



Before you think, say or do something, ask yourself:

1. Is it **TRUE**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to everyone?
3. Will it help build **FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be good for **EVERYONE**?

The program uses developmentally appropriate social-emotional learning curriculum to help children and youth express their feelings constructively, build community, resolve conflict peacefully, and celebrate diversity.

For more information, please contact Wayne Markel of the Rotary Club of Port Orford. waynedmarkel@gmail.com



Continuing many years of supporting those in need through the COMMON GOOD; dedicated Rotary drivers and members have brought many truck and trailer loads of food from Harry & David and ACCESS in Medford. See photos.

The Rotary Club of Port Orford has supplied South Coast food banks in PORT ORFORD & LANGLOIS as well as extra food to Brookings & Gold Beach. Senior Centers in the same communities have also been regular recipients.

So far in 2016, Rotary volunteers have driven 7300 miles to transport 61,355 lbs of fruit and produce. By the end of December, another 25,000 lbs of food and needed goods will be delivered.

We plan to continue this work and invite anyone interested in HAVING FUN HELPING OTHERS to join us every Thurs noon at the American Legion Hall on 11th st.

Enjoy a good program, lunch, fine friends, and assist our many SERVICE ABOVE SELF projects.

To learn more, visit <http://www.PortOrfordRotary.org>
or <http://www.FaceBook.com/PortOrfordRotary>

Rotary Duck Derby Proceed Applications

By Charles (Jim) J. Polk

2016-10-02

Application Period for 2017 Proceeds



The Rotary Clubs in Josephine County (Grants Pass and Illinois Valley) continue fulfilling the mission of Rotary International - "To Provide Service to Others" - with their annual Duck Derby. Every year, the four clubs in Grants Pass and Illinois Valley combine efforts to raise money and put it back into our local communities.

The Duck Derby Committee is accepting **Capital Project** applications from tax exempt organizations in Josephine County for the 2017 Rogue Duck Derby proceeds. [The deadline to apply is November 15, 2016.](#)

[Click here to read more.](#)

Events

November 2016

- 11/16 - DG Visits Central Point Rotary Club
- 11/17 - DG Visits Jacksonville-Applegate Rotary Club
- 11/17 - DG Visits Ashland Rotary Club
- 11/18 - DG Visits Greater Medford Rotary Club
- 11/19 - Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) - Medford, Session 2
- 11/30 - Youth Exchange

December 2016

- 12/08 - DG Visits Cottage Grove Rotary Club
- 12/10 - Youth Exchange - Outbound Interviews and Christmas Party