**Rotary Club of Columbus-Sunrise**

  **International Projects, District Grants and Others-The First 20 Years**

2002-2003- Matching Grant Program with Pune, India Central Club for Cleft Lip/Palate Surgeries- CSRC and the Columbus Rotary Club contributed $1,500 each, District 3130 matched $3,000 and RI matched $6,000 for a total of $12,000. Cleft Lip and Palate surgery on 120 children in India.

2003-2004- Matching Grant Program with Pune, India Central Club for Computers for the Moledina English Primary School in Pune, India. CSRC contributed $500 matched with a District Grant of $500, resulting in $1,000 to fund the project.

2004-2005- Financially supported a Gift of Water Project in Haiti. CSRC contributed $500 matched with a $500 District 6580 Grant resulting in $1,000 for the project.

2005-2006- Financially supported a second Gift of Water Project in Haiti. CSRC contributed $500 matched with a $500 District 6580 Grant resulting in $1,000 for the project. Contributed $400 to Kids Commons and initiated a 2-year additional commitment for $400 each year.

2006-2007- Contributed $400 to the World Community Service Project in Niger for a well and millet grinding machine in a Leper Colony. Contributed $400 to Kids Commons.

2007-2008- Book Drive for Buenos Aires Rotary Club for their multi-lingual library. Contributed $400 to Kids Commons.

2008-2009- Received a District Matching Grant for the Columbus Regional Hospital to replace laboratory equipment destroyed by a June 2008 flash flood. CSRC contributed $500 matched with a $500 District 6580 Matching Grant resulting in $1,000 for the project. Donated $1,000 to the Foundation for Youth and Hospice.

2009-2010- Received a District Simplified Grant to purchase office furniture for Love Chapel. CSRC contributed $500 matched with a $500 District 6580 Matching Grant resulting in $1,000 for the project. Also supported a water project with a $1,000 donation. Purchased two Shelter Boxes for Haiti following the earthquake for $2,000.

2010-2011- Myanzi Village Project- Contributed $1,000 for wells and a water purification system in Uganda. Started the KIVA Micro Loan Program with $1,000 from the club. Hotter than Haiti concert at The Crump- raised $7,500 for Shelter Box, Family Life Center and Kombit Lasante pou Limonad that does work in Haiti.

2012-2013- Awarded a District Simplified Grant of $500 to match CSRC’s $500 for a total of $1,000 to support the School Supply Program for needy students

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2013-2014- Provided funding to build a new Jamaican School in support of New Albany Rotary Club’s Global Grant. CSRC contributed $1,000 toward the project. Participated in a Zambian Village Boat Project by contributing $1,000. Supported the Stuff the Bus Program at Walmart and Fair Oaks Mall by donating time and over $8,000 to the program including a District 6580 Matching Grant for $2,500.

2014-2015- Received a Matching Grant for Turning Point for playground equipment. CSRC contributed $2,020 matched with a $2010 District 6580 Matching Grant resulting in $4,030 for the project. Contributed $1,000 to the Humane Society for their new facilities.

2015-2016 – Received a District Grant to build seven latrines in Haiti. CSRC contributed $2,500 matched with a $2,500 District 6580 Matching Grant resulting in $5,000 for the project. Following completion of the project John Griffioen and Cindy Green visited the village to inspect the latrines and place plaques on them.

2016-2017- Purchased one ShelterBox for $1,000 following the flood in Haiti. Partnered with the Columbus Rotary Club to provide $10,000 to the Brighter Days Homeless Shelter. CSRC contributed $2,500, Columbus Club $2,500 and a $5,000 Matching Grant from District 6580. We provided a commercial dishwasher, washer/dryer and linens for the shelter.

2017-2018- Received a matching funds District Grant of $3,000. CSRC contributed $3,000 for a total of $6,000 to purchase security cameras for the Turning Point Domestic Violence Shelter and Administration Buildings.

2018-2019- Received a matching funds District Grant of $2,800. CSRC contributed $2,800 for a total of $5,600 to equip Centerstone’s mental health clinicians with key resources needed to provide effective treatment to at-risk children. The grant provided eight mobile play therapy kits to use when treating children and their families. The use of therapeutic games, books and toys breaks down barriers and enables the therapist to build a trusting relationship.

2019-2020- Supplied 3,512 servings of food to Love Chapel over a 10-week period during the COVID-19 pandemic. Funds raised as follows: $3,000 from CSRC, $3,000 District 6580 Matching Grant, $2,180 from mailed in checks and $1,892 from ‘Go Fund Me’. Initiated work to apply for a $200K Global Grant from Rotary International to support an orphanage in Peru.