# District 6890

# TRF Newsletter

District Foundation Chair - iPDG Mark G. Scolnick



The purpose of this newsletter is to share information that should be passed on to your club members. This is to make them aware of our Rotary Foundation. It is just that simple because when given the information they will want to be part of this fabulous effort to help others in a way that none of us can do individually or even with help from your entire Club.

Let's start by celebrating that the continent of Africa remains polio free. It is their one year anniversary! We need to continue to be diligent in our effort to eradicate Polio-if we give up now we will have it back in our state and country! It really is only a plane ride away!

We are at about 25% of reaching our goal of every club giving \$1500 to our Polio effort. I hope that every club participates by doing as much as it can do. Please know that if you have given even \$1.00, you have been part of the effort. Thank you to all who have given!

We are not trying to badger people to give because it's not about the money but what the money can do! It's your Foundation and its continued success depends on every Rotarian participating!

We are about 30% of our goal for The Rotary Foundation. How is your club doing? If you need a current report, I can help you so just email me. markscolnickdistrict6890@gmail.com

May you and your family have great success and happiness in the new year. Here's to you and your families for a happy and healthy new year!

Mark Scolnick and Irma Cole.





## **PROGRAM ALERT**

If you want a Foundation or Polio speaker please contact me and we will be more than happy to arrange to get you one.

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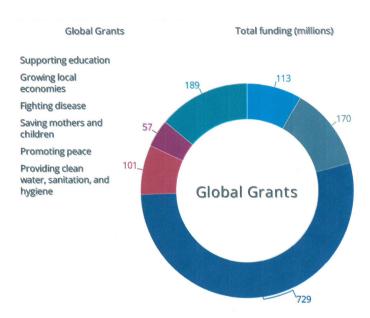
## **POLIO UPDATE**

As of December 8 2021

New Polio Cases YTD = 5 wpv1 cases

1 in Pakistan 4 in Afghanistan.

## Number of global grants by areas of focus



#### **\$15** POLIO VACCINES

Polio is still a paralyzing threat to children in Afghanistan and Pakistan. A gift of just \$15 helps protect children for life.



#### \$100 COVID-19 TRAINING

In Ecuador, grant funding provides vital personal protective equipment and training to help protect communities from the coronavirus.



#### \$50 WATER FILTER

In the Dominican Republic, biosand water filters are used to provide clean water.



### \$150 HAND WASHING STATION

The WASH in Schools program provides hand washing stations, clean water, and teacher training to educate students on better hygiene practices.



#### \$85 BUSINESS CLASSES

In the U.S., business classes teach low-income entrepreneurs how to build their businesses.



#### \$200 MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

Newborns start their lives healthy when hospitals have up-to-date equipment to care for babies in their first moments.

