District 6890

TRF Newsletter

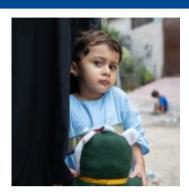
District Foundation Chair - PDG Mark G. Scolnick











The Polio Oversight Board is the highest decision-making body of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative. Last year, the delegation visited Pakistan twice, in May and in December. The delegation acknowledged the unprecedented support and commitment by all stakeholders to ending polio in Pakistan.

Watch one minute video here(share with your clubs!): https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YiPTPS3ReQs Read more here: https://polioeradication.org/news-pos...

Rotary International President Jennifer Jones insists Rotarians must finish the job of eradicating polio

In March 2023, RI President Jennifer Jones spoke at an End Polio Now event at the House of Commons in London, England. She reminded Rotarians of their promise to the children of the world and encouraged members to resist polio fatigue, especially in this critical year for polio eradication. Read More here: https://www.rotarygbi.org/rotary-international-president-jennifer-jones-insists-rotarians-have-to-finish-the-job-of-eradicating-polio/

Inside look: polio fight to the finish

Mike McGovern, chair of the International PolioPlus Committee, gave an interview with UNICEF on Rotary's work in polio eradication and why he believes, "There's real hope for getting this done." Read more here: https://www.forbes.com/sites/unicefusa/2023/04/25/inside-look-polio-fight-to-the-finish/?sh=4cf7e8aa2fba

Immunization Update

67 million children missed out entirely or partially on routine immunizations between 2019 and 2021
"The State of the World's Children 2023," a report released by UNICEF in April, highlights the immense impact that the COVID-19 pandemic has had on childhood immunization. Between 2019 and 2021, the world lost more than 10 years of progress on routine immunizations. One in five children worldwide is now unvaccinated or undervaccinated. Read more here: https://www.unicef.org/reports/state-worlds-children-2023

Resources for polio awareness and fundraising

- End Polio Now Resource Center https://www.endpolio.org/resource-center
- <u>Rotary Brand Center Polio Resources</u> https://brandcenter.rotary.org/en-us/search? tab=0&dt_ourcauses=Ending+Polio&dt_assettype=Images%7CVideos%7CAudio&tt_lang=EN&dt_lang=EN
- Global Polio Eradication Initiative Website https://polioeradication.org/
- Raise for Rotary https://raise.rotary.org/purposes/polio

Talking Points:

- Thank you to all who have supported The Rotary Foundation including our End Polio effort this Rotary year!
- Please be sure to tell your members where your District Designated Funds (DDF) comes from. Make sure everyone clearly understands that giving to the Rotary Foundation now will bring back funds later to continue doing projects in your community. This should help you increase their present giving!
- If your Club or its members want credit and /or to get back DDF- District Designated Funds- in 3 years their support has to reach The Rotary Foundation prior to the end of this month.
- Do you want to schedule a speaker about Foundation, Grants, Polio, etc. for your Club? We can supply you with one!
- Encourage continued giving, but also be sure to show appreciation for that giving and thank members for their support. It is crucial to express thanks and have members understand how vital their contributions are. They make an impact by funding transformative projects at home and in communities around the world.
- Your support to The Rotary Foundation allows others to see by having a cataract operation, to drink clean water by building a well or installing water filters, to live polio free by vaccinating children, to save the environment by planting trees, to read books by building libraries and schools,, and to live without hunger by feeding families.



Below are the easy steps to enroll in RECURRING DONATIONS. To sign up for Rotary Direct, use this link - https://my.rotary.org/en/donate

How To Enroll For Recurring Donations to The Rotary Foundation

- 1.Go to Rotary.org
- 2.Click on DONATE Button in the top right corner of your screen
- 3.Click on the Red DONATE
- 4.Choose Annual Fund This gives our club DDF, District Designated Funds, which means that half your donation will come back to our club after 3 years.
- **5.Choose Recurring Donation**
- 6.Select Frequency- choose from Monthly, Quarterly, or Annually
- 7.Choose Amount- \$10, \$50, \$100, \$200, or Other
- 8.Personal Information, Payment Details, and Billing Address
- 9.Click on Submit
- **10.Print your Confirmation**

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