

Gaithersburg

Rotary Foundation

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GAITHERSBURG ROTARY FOUNDATION GRANT AWARDS

Gaithersburg, Maryland, 10/20/18: The Gaithersburg Rotary Foundation was formed by members of the Rotary Club of Gaithersburg and received 501(C)(3) status in July 2014. The Foundation awards grants twice yearly to local and international organizations that support the Rotary six areas of focus: promote peace; fight disease; provide clean water, sanitation, and hygiene; save mothers and children; support education; and grow local economies. We would like to congratulate the most recent recipients.

- Project Give Hope Uganda (projectgivehope.org) Low cost cervical cancer treatments in a village in Uganda. \$300 in 2017.
- Asbury Assisted Living Christmas program. \$270 for in-kind in 2017.
- Gaithersburg HELP (gaithersburghelp.org) Gaithersburg Help works provide to those who can use nutrition assistance. \$500 in 2017.
- Water Filtration Project in Colombia “Potable Water for Provincial Schools” (<https://www.matchinggrants.org/global/project1167.html>) Rural Schools in Departments of Cundinamarca, Boyacá & Huila, Colombia. Granted 2017, \$1,000 in 2018, second payment in 2019.
- Character Counts! (City of Gaithersburg). Programs in elementary schools in the Gaithersburg area. \$250 in 2018.
- Sam Eig scholarship (Gaithersburg High School) \$2,000 in 2018.
- Linda Hanson scholarship (Quince Orchard High School) \$1,000 in 2018, second payment in 2019.
- Camp Fantastic (speciallove.org) Camp Fantastic is a week-long camp just for children between the ages of 7-17 who are battling cancer. \$1,600 in 2018.
- WANADA (Washington Area New Automobile Dealers Association, wanada.org) Funds for tools for student mechanics. \$1,000 in 2018.
- AA Emeritus Electric Vehicle Club (Gaithersburg High School). \$300 in 2018.

Rotary International has more than 1.2 million members in clubs in nearly every country in the world. For more than 110 years, Rotary members have used their passion, energy, and intelligence to take action on sustainable projects. The Rotary Club of Gaithersburg has served the City since 1966 and meets in the Gaithersburg Holiday Inn on Tuesdays at noon. Please visit our club to learn more about Rotary, meet leaders in your community, and find out how you can help make positive, lasting change in communities at home and abroad. See www.gaithersburgrotary.org, <https://rotary7620.org>, <https://www.rotary.org/en>, and Rotary Club of Gaithersburg on Facebook and Twitter.