



Imagine the Full Impact of the Rotary Foundation

November Message from DG Gerry Taylor



GET ON BOARD...

MONTHLY MESSAGE FROM DG GERRY TAYLOR

November is Rotary Foundation month. It is a time for us to devote our efforts and donations to the Rotary Foundation. I hope each of your clubs have a Foundation presentation during the month. The Rotary Foundation is what makes Rotary so special versus other organizations.

Donations to the Annual fund come back to us 3 years later at a 50% rate, allowing us to provide funds to Rotary international efforts, but also providing District grants back to our clubs for local service projects. District 6910 raised a record \$620,000 last year. We want to beat that this Rotary year so that we can give more back to our local communities for service projects.

Please consider a donation to the Rotary Foundation at the next Paul Harris level and consider making an annual contribution of \$1,000 to be recognized as a Paul Harris Society member. We appreciate your Foundation contributions, knowing that you are making a difference in our communities and the world!

After you make your donations to the Rotary Foundation, don't forget about making a contribution to Polio. Even with a tick up in Polio cases this year, we are "This Close" to eradicating polio. Stay the course.

Also, keep recruiting new members. At this time, District 6910 is not only number 1 in our Zone, but also the number 1 District in North America for net new members. Congratulations to our District membership team and club membership leaders!

Lastly, I have visited 43 clubs so far. Every one of our clubs are awesome and doing

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great. I appreciate all the support and want to remind all of you to register for our District Conference now. The "Get On Board the Rotary Express" conference is filling up, and if you want to join us on the Tennessee Valley Railroad dinner train excursion, we have limited seats. Register now to reserve your spot on the train.

I appreciate each of you and your leadership!

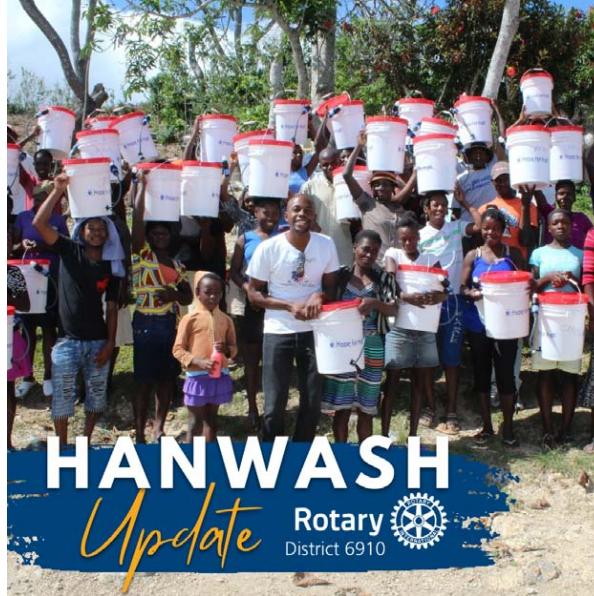
DG Gerry

HANWASH Update for District 6910

The Haiti National Clean Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (HANWASH) program has only been around since 2017, but it is making a huge impact on communities in Haiti.

Learn about the impact of this program and how you can help.

[Read More](#)



A Spotlight on Service to our Country and Community

Colonel Gerald Lord | Dahlonega Sunrise Rotary

By Amanda R Groover on Thursday, November 3, 2022

Rotary District 6910 Meet Our Members Series

In our November Member spotlight, we want to pause and take a moment to not only recognize Col Lord, but recognize all the Veteran's in District 6190 who understand the word "serve" on an entirely different level.

That is why the November edition of Meet our Members Series introduces you to Col. Gerald Lord who has spent decades of serving others. Take a moment to meet fellow Rotarian Col. Lord in this quick introduction.

[Read More](#)

We are looking for members to spotlight. Share your clubs amazing people with us at pidistrict6910@gmail.com.

Focus on Foundation: Polio Eradication

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Polio has raised its head back in the USA. A lot of you have heard that we had a case of Polio in New York State this past summer. The case was from a young man that had been to Hungary and Poland. When he returned to Rockland County in NY State he came down with paralysis. He lives in Rockland County that has a vaccine rate for 2-year-olds at a 60.5%. You see he lives in an Orthodox Jewish community. Most of the individuals in that community do not believe in vaccinations. Therefore, he had not been vaccinated like most children his age. Unlike the cases we report overseas, this young man did not get the Wild Polio Virus 1 that Rotary frequently discusses in our End Polio Now efforts. He contracted the Vaccine Derived Poliovirus.



So, What's the Difference? [Read More](#)

New Rotary District 6910 Education Scholarship



Rotary District 6910 is pleased to announce a NEW opportunity for District Clubs!

These needs-based scholarships will provide funds to eligible individuals for study at a Georgia public institution of higher learning, including colleges, universities, and technical colleges, who are nominated by District 6910 Clubs. We ask for your assistance in identifying and sponsoring eligible students.

[read more](#)

Read Other Rotary District Headlines You Can't Miss!

- [Read Anu Narula's Article in the Basic Education and Literacy Newsletter](#)
- [Carpe Diem Sponsors District 6910's Second Rotary Community Corps](#)
- [Community Service Connects People at the Cherokee Rotary Club](#)
- [Project with a Mission: Rotary Plants Daffodils for Hope](#)

CONVENTION CORNER | Get on Board & Serve at the Chattanooga Hamilton County Family Justice Center!

ROTARY'S AREAS OF FOCUS





Family Justice Center
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Pathways to Hope and Safety



The 2023 District Conference | April 27-30, 2023
Westin Hotel Chattanooga, TN

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District 6910 Promotes Polio Awareness Across the Area



Check out the best highlights from District 6910's Polio Awareness projects. [Watch Now>](#)

Pics 'n' Vids

By Cathy O'Gara



Day Of Giving

November 29, 2022

Giving Tuesday happens once a year, but your gift of Rotary will make a difference for a lifetime. This Giving Tuesday, consider making a special gift to [The Rotary Foundation](#) and together we can continue Doing Good in the World.

Giving Tuesday Ideas:

- Organize a volunteer event that focus on one of Rotary's Areas of Focus. What are ways you can show action or create a virtual experience?
- Create a Social Media campaign that uses #GivingEveryTuesday during the holiday season. Ask your followers to comment on why they contribute to Rotary or to give them a chance to discuss the organizations where they give of their finances and time. Encourage them to tell you why its important to them.
- Collaborate with other nonprofits or another club to do a joint #GivingTuesday project in your community.
- Don't forget to simply have your members use #GivingTuesday when the contribution or promote activities during the month.
- [Link to Giving Tuesday Canva Templates](#)



Did your club make this month's club highlights? See what other great things clubs are doing to get ideas!! [Read More>](#)

Have a great way your club can impact and bring awareness to The Rotary Foundation?

Send them to us at pidistrict6910@gmail.com. Share on social media and make sure to use the hashtags #RD6910, #RotaryFoundation and tag us at @RotaryDistrict6910

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"If you can't feed 100 people, then feed just one!"

- Mother Teresa



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