



The Rotary Foundation Zone 22 (24) Newsletter

A Monthly E-Newsletter for Rotary Leaders in Zone 22 (24)



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Districts 5010, 5020, 5040,
5050, 5060, 5080, 5360, 5370,
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\$100 Million Challenge -

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7070, 7080, 7790, 7810, 7820

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\$100 Million Challenge-

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This is the first issue of a revised Zone 22 (24) Rotary Foundation newsletter. The newsletter will be shorter in length and published monthly. We hope you find the new format and the contents of assistance and value.

Richard Clarke and Chris Offer - Regional Rotary Foundation Coordinators

Rotary Club of Niagara Falls Donates \$25,000 to Polio

The Niagara Falls Rotary Foundation has donated \$25,000 to the \$100 million Polio Eradication Challenge. [Read more...](#)

Rotary Foundation & Membership Seminar

Ontario & New York districts - Saturday, Aug 23, 2008 at U of T Mississauga Campus—3359 Mississauga Road. A multi-district learning event for district and club Foundation and Membership committee members and interested Rotarians preparing for action in 2008-09. Limited to 100 participants in each topic workshop—so get your registrations in early! Keynote speaker Director Elect—Tom Thorfinnson. For info email: [Mike Cooksey](#) or [Richard Clarke](#) . [Read more...](#)

Zone 22 Victoria Rotary Institute - Foundation program

The Zone 22 Rotary Institute will include a great Rotary Foundation program. The DRFC Chair (District Foundation Chair) seminar will start on Tuesday, September 9, 2008. On Thursday there will be a full day Foundation program, including updates on the TRF Future Vision and how 100 districts will be selected as pilot districts. **RI President D.K. Lee** will be joined by Trustee representative, RI Past President **Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar**. There will be a presentation from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. You will not want to miss the Victoria Rotary Institute. Visit www.victoriarotaryinstitute.ca .



The Rotary Foundation Future Vision

In anticipation of The Rotary Foundation's 100-year anniversary in 2017, the Trustees set out in 2005 to develop a 10-year vision with a three-year plan to move the Foundation toward its second century of service. This vision and plan reflect input from a wide variety of stakeholders through interviews, surveys, focus groups, and input sessions and include a comprehensive approach for setting goals and a roadmap for successful execution. [Read more...](#)

Download Future Vision Plan [Brochure](#)

Government of Canada Announces \$60 million for Polio eradication

In February of 2008 RI President Wilf Wilkinson and Trustee Chair Bob Scott wrote to Canadian Rotary clubs requesting their assistance in contacting their Member of Parliament to urge Canada's continued financial support for Global Polio Eradication. Clubs throughout Canada responded to this call for action by declaring their own commitment to a polio free world and urging Canada's continued support. The Government of Canada heard our collective voice and has announced a commitment of \$60 million over the next three years to

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*Your Foundation/Our
 Foundation, a program for
 sharing funds from club and
 district foundations*

Trustee [Carolyn Jones](#)
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PolioPlus Communications
 Coordinator - PDG [Tom Ewen](#)

EVERY
 ROTARIAN
 EVERY
 YEAR

support polio eradication efforts in Afghanistan. [Read more . . .](#)

NEW Products

There are new support materials available for the \$100 Million Challenge. To order go to Rotary.org. [Read more . . .](#)

NEW Polio Website

Through the new web site www.Rotary.org/endpolio Rotary urges everyone "**to become part of history by donating to the global effort to wipe out the crippling disease polio.**" By the time the disease is eradicated, Rotary will have contributed more than \$850 million and countless volunteer hours to the cause.



NEW Rotary Volunteers Handbook

The Rotary Volunteers Handbook (263) has been revised, and the new edition is now available free from the Download Library on www.rotary.org . It can also be purchased for US\$3.50, either online or through RI Publications. The Rotary Volunteers Handbook provides information and guidelines for local and international volunteers, project sponsors and committee chairs. It is published in French, English and other languages. **Download:**
[Français](#) [English](#)

Zone 22 OnLine Training website

The Zone 22 OnLine Training website - Rotary Foundation pages are a resource that is available for you to use. The site contains a wealth of Foundation information and links. Click on www.RotaryZone22OnLine.org and follow the links to the Foundation page.

Dates to Note

- **Aug. 23, 2008** - Foundation/Membership Seminar - Mississauga
- **Sept. 8-14, 2008** - Zone 22 Victoria Rotary Institute
- **Nov. 8, 2008** - Rotary United Nations Day - New York
- **Jan. 17-19, 2009** - Past Officers Reunion - San Diego - www.rotaryreunion.org
- **Jan. 18-25, 2009** - International Assembly - San Diego
- **Jan. 30-31, 2009** - Zone 22 West Regional TRF Seminar - Vancouver
- **Jun. 21-24, 2009** - RI Convention Birmingham - www.rotaryconvention2009.com.
- **Sep. 14-20, 2009** - Zone 24 Edmonton Rotary Institute

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