

# Rotary Club of Welland 100th Anniversary Legacy Project

WELLAND CITY COUNCIL PRESENTATION

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## ROTARY CLUB OF WELLAND Our History – Our Anniversary



- Our club will be 100 years old in 2020.
- We are volunteer leaders in our community and united worldwide in creating positive, lasting change.
- We are about Service Above Self to our community and to humanity throughout the world.
- With only a few known cases in the world, our organization Rotary International – has nearly eradicated Polio.
- To celebrate our 100<sup>th</sup> year we want to do something special and big so we are having a contest. It is open to everyone and every group in Welland to propose a great idea.

## ROTARY CLUB OF WELLAND What We Do In Our Club



- Address the needs of youth and leadership development. For example we fund programs for school technology in Welland, plus needs at Niagara's Children's Centre and Big Brothers Big Sisters.
- Invest in community service in Welland and in humanitarian efforts internationally like vocational training, hunger relief, and water wells.
- Have fun while raising funds from our Bocce Tournament, Curling Bonspiel, or Duck Derby – all money goes back into our causes. We partner with other Niagara clubs to host the Rotary TV Auction.
- Get together for friendship, networking, and fun. We have lunch together most Tuesdays – and we have great speakers!
- Work with other area Rotary Clubs and partners on meeting needs in our communities, improve opportunities, and quality of life.

### ROTARY CLUB OF WELLAND 100<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY LEGACY PROJECT



- In 2020 the Rotary Club of Welland will be 100 years old and to celebrate we are looking for proposals from the community for a Legacy Project.
- We will invest up to \$100,000 in a community legacy project, however the project idea must come from a someone or some group in the community and be for the whole community.
- The details are available on our web site.
- ▶ The deadline for applications is May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018.
- Your proposal must be submitted on the Welland Rotary Legacy Project application, which is available on our website. Submission guidelines and project evaluation criteria are also available online at wellandrotaryclub.com.

### ROTARY CLUB OF WELLAND 100<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY LEGACY PROJECT



- Your idea should benefit Welland residents and visitors.
- Your idea can include how to add more sponsors, partners, and other funding which can realistically leverage Rotary's contribution.
- Where needed, proposals must ensure that they are fully accessible.
- ► The application an be found under the EVENTS tab at <a href="https://www.wellandrotaryclub.com">www.wellandrotaryclub.com</a>
- If you are inspired by what we do or what we are planning to do, and you want to make a difference, you are welcome to join us as a guest, or join up as a member. We meet Tuesdays at noon.