

Club Meets Its 2019-20 Rotary Foundation Donation Goals

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It took almost to the end of the Rotary year to meet the club's Rotary Foundation 2019-20 giving goals; but with the added generosity of a number of club Rotarians in June, both the Annual Fund and PolioPlus Funding goals were finally achieved.



The goal for the Annual Fund established at the beginning of the 2019-20 Rotary Year, set at \$US 14,500, was surpassed by \$US8,191 for a total of \$US22,691. In addition, \$US763 was donated to the Endowment Fund and another \$US2517 to the PolioPlus Fund. The total donated to the Foundation through the three programs totalled \$US25,971 amounting to a per capita donation of \$US342 for all three funds, even though 33 Rotarians elected not to contribute to the Foundation.

Twenty-eight members of the club attained Sustaining Membership Status which indicates that these 28 Rotarians contributed at least \$US100 each throughout the Rotary Year.

While it appeared that the club would not attain its goal to raise \$US2500 for the PolioPlus Fund, a last day contribution of \$100 by a club member enabled the club to reach its goal, enabling the club to celebrate its achievement to reach all of its Foundation donation goals.

Since the club was chartered in 1986, Kelowna Sunrise Rotarians, past and present, have contributed \$US363,735 to the Rotary Foundation.