

Semi-Annual Report of the Club's Foundation Committee

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The Foundation Committee of the Club is pleased to share that the Rotary Club of Kelowna Sunrise is well on its way to achieve its goals for the 2017-18 Rotary Year.

At the end of December of 2017, half way through the current Rotary Year, the club had achieved well over one half of its commitment to the Rotary Foundation. In particular, 62 % of the goal to donate a total of US\$14,500 to the Annual Fund, a total of US\$8,965, had been achieved, thanks to the generosity of the club members who together had donated US\$115 per capita. In addition, the club through its collection of tips at Sun Football games, had raised US\$1,248 for the Foundation's PolioPlus Fund, just US\$252 short of its goal.



Another goal of the Foundation Committee was to increase the number of Sustaining Members, that is members who donate at least \$US100 per year to the Annual Fund, to thirty (30). As of the end of December, the club had a total of twenty-two (22) members who at donated this amount and in some cases, much more.

To date, the club has increased its number of members who have become Major Gift and Endowment donors by one, for a total of 25 club members who have reached this recognition since they had become Rotary International members with the Rotary Club of Kelowna Sunrise. Ten members have achieved either a Major Gift level of one or two; and fifteen (15) members have been recognized as Bequest Society donors either at the one or two level.

Club members who are Major Donors (Level One) have donated between US\$10,000 and US\$24,999; while Major Donors (Level Two) have donated between US\$25,000 and US\$49,999. Bequest Society recognition is defined by level one (US\$10,000 to US\$24,999) or level two (US\$25,000 to US\$49,999) bequests to the Foundation.

The Foundation Committee of the club is chaired by Bob Fortier, with support of the committee's membership of Tom Paterson, Linda Frandsen, Helmut Hubert, Susan McIntyre and Ed Kolybaba

