

## Club Continues to Support Education in Honduras

Story by Ed Kolybaba on Dec 18, 2022

The members of the Rotary Club of Kelowna Sunrise truly believe that every donation to The Rotary Foundation, no matter how small or how large, makes a tremendous difference in responding to humanitarian needs throughout the world. On December 16<sup>th</sup>, the club continued to put this belief into practice with additional donations to two International Projects that the club had supported previously.

The club will donate US \$1500 toward another Wine Country Cluster Group District Grant amounting to a total of US \$6000 for another Chispa Library in Honduras by teaming up with the Group led by an application developed by the Rotary Club of Kelowna Ogopogo.



The Chispa Library will be the fourth library with the Chispa Organization, the previous three libraries supported through District Grants with the different Rotary clubs in the Wine Country Cluster Group. The Kelowna Sunrise club, along with West Kelowna Daybreak, Salmon Arm Rotary, Kamloops Aurora, Kelowna Ogopogo, and Lake Country are all members of this Group. Chispa is very organized, easy to communicate with, and requires the participation of the parents and schools in Honduras.

The club will also once again support HELP Honduras' program which is focused on providing children with the opportunity to access AyO (Alternativas Y Oportunidades) educational programs with a donation of US \$1000. This funding will specifically support the associated costs of delivering on-line educational opportunities, costs such as wifi access, cell phones, paper supplies and extra tutoring.



*AYO* is a *Honduran* NGO (Non-Government Organization) controlled by Rotarians from four Rotary Clubs in Tegucigalpa, Honduras.