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Phoenix Arcadia Sunrise Rotary Club

NOVEMBER IS ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH

To a young set of parents in Afghanistan, it was a life-saving immunization for their five-month-old son. To a woman with seven children in Malaysia, it was a loan to start a sewing business that enabled her to feed her children. To North Koreans, it was an ambulance that equipped a hospital to be able to take care of them. To thousands of college students in almost every country on earth, it was the chance to study abroad, with all expenses paid, and learn their educational specialty up close and personal.

Ask anyone who has been touched by The Rotary Foundation what it is and every answer will be different. Ask anyone who has been touched by The Rotary Foundation just how important it is, and every

answer will be identical.

The Rotary Foundation was born as an endowment fund in 1917, the brainchild of RI President Arch C. Klumph. It was reborn 12 years later in the form we know today, The Rotary Foundation of Rotary international. However, it wouldn't be until after the passing of Paul P. Harris in 1947 that TRF would reach the financial health and world importance that it enjoys today.

Technically speaking, it is a not-for-profit corporation that supports the efforts of Rotary International to achieve world understanding and peace through international humanitarian, educational, and cultural exchange programs. It is supported solely by voluntary contributions from Rotarians and friends of the Foun-

dation who share its vision of a better world.

Its expenses are born solely by the interest earned on its contributions over a three year period.

As an endowment fund for Rotary "to do good in the world," its initial contribution was US \$26.50 in 1918. When it became The Rotary Foundation in 1928, it had a value of US \$5,739.07. In the most recent year that we have complete figures, the Foundation had more than US \$73 million contributed in 2000-01.

The Humanitarian Programs of the foundation help fuel international Rotary projects to improve the quality of life, providing health care, clean water, food, education, and other essential needs primarily in the developing world.



RI President Arch C. Klumph

JOKE O' DA WEEK

A tour bus driver is driving with a bus load of seniors down a highway when he is tapped on his shoulder by a little old lady.

She offers him a handful of peanuts, which he gratefully munches up. After about 15 minutes, she taps him on his

shoulder again and she hands him another handful of peanuts.

She repeats this gesture about five more times. When she is about to hand him another batch again he asks the little old lady, 'Why don't you eat the peanuts yourself?'

'We can't chew them because we've no teeth', she replied.

The puzzled driver asks, 'Why do you buy them then?'

The old lady replied, 'We just love the chocolate around them.'



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**PHOENIX
ARCADIA SUNRISE
ROTARY CLUB**

Our Children, Our Future.

Meets Wednesday mornings at 6:45 AM
Vincent on Camelback
3930 E Camelback Rd,
Phoenix, AZ 85018

President, Dan Laux
President-Elect, Jim Wilson,
Treasurer, David Demaine
Community Service, Judy Wilson
Vocation Service, Jim Wilson
Club Service, Betty Peterson
Membership, Mike Burke
International, Sujoy Spencer-Thorlakson
Past President, Mike Curlee
Newsletter, Jim Wilson

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

November 5: Michael Curlee

November 15: Judy Wilson

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

We have no November Anniversaries.

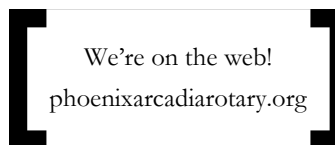
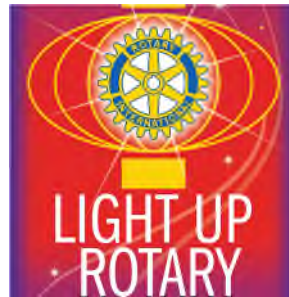
SCOREBOARD



Volunteer Hours	175
Vocational Scholarship	2
Service Projects	1
Paul Harris Fellows	76%
Social Events	0
RYLA Sponsorship	0

Founded in 1988, the **Phoenix Arcadia Rotary Club** has a strong tradition of serving the community, state, and the world. Our primary areas of service have been youth health and education, and international projects to improve the quality of life in less prosperous countries. Hands-on work, fellowship and fund-raising have been the hallmarks of Phoenix Arcadia Rotary for over 25 years. Besides the Rotary International slogan "*Service Above Self*", our club's slogan is... "*Our Children, Our Future*".

Our gatherings promote community service and fun with new friends as we enjoy this Rotary experience. Please, come see what it is all about. *You might find yourself enjoying a whole new experience. We can't wait to meet you!*



Rotary's Four Way Test

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to **ALL** concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and better friendships?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to **ALL** concerned?

50 THINGS EVERY ROTARIAN SHOULD KNOW

Steve Garret, 5300 District Governor 1994-1995 presented "50 Things Every Rotarian Should Know About Rotary". We shall endeavor to present one a week during the next year.

#11 - WOMEN IN ROTARY

Until 1989, the Constitution and Bylaws of Rotary International stated that Rotary club membership was for males only. In 1978 the Rotary Club of Duarte, California, invited three women to become members. The RI board withdrew the charter of that club for violation of the RI Constitution. The club brought suit against RI claiming a violation of a state civil rights law which prevents discrimination of any form in business establishments or public accommodations. The appeals court and the California Supreme Court supported the Duarte position that Rotary could not remove the club's charter merely for inducting women into the club. The United States Supreme Court upheld the California court indicating that Rotary clubs do have a "business purpose" and are in some ways public-type organizations. This action in 1987 allowed women to become Rotarians in any jurisdiction having similar "public accommodation" statutes.

The RI constitutional change was made at the 1989 Council on Legislation, with a vote to eliminate the "male only" provision for all of Rotary.