



March 2025

Dear Supporter:

The Rotary Club of Andover brings a diverse group of people together to solve problems and strengthen community so that individuals can reach their full potential. As an all-volunteer organization, we work in collaboration with local and international organizations so that we can transform Andover, the Merrimack Valley, and the World to be a better place for all.

On **Thursday, May 8th the Rotary Club of Andover** will host its **27th Citizens Who Care and Educator of the Year Gala** at the Andover Country Club, where we recognize outstanding members of the community. The evening promises an atmosphere of joy and celebration as we gather to recognize our local heroes and express our heartfelt gratitude for their invaluable contributions.

During this event, we will share inspiring stories of selflessness and compassion exhibited by our honorees.

We invite you to join us in making a silent auction in-kind contribution. The money we raise from this event and throughout the year goes directly back into the community through grants awarded to local and international organizations. Last year we distributed over \$60,000 in grants to 27 organizations positively impacting thousands of people throughout Andover, the Merrimack Valley including Youth programs.

We hope that you will join us in strengthening community and in making a positive difference in the world. Attached is a donation form for your consideration.

For more information about the Rotary Club of Andover: visit **www.RotaryAndover.org**

Sincerely,

Rotary Club of Andover





2025 Rotary Club of Andover

27th Citizens Who Care/Educator of the Year Gala

Thursday, May 8, 2025 | 5:30 pm | Andover Country Club

Silent Auction Donation Form

Please respond by April 17th

Name: _____ **Business Name:** _____

Email: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **ST:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Item(s) donated: _____ **Value: \$** _____

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Please provide below a detailed description of the item(s) you are donating including quantity and any restrictions, expirations, blackout dates, special instructions, etc.

Form and donated item(s) can be mailed by April 17th to:

Rotary Club of Andover | P.O. Box 1152 | Andover, MA 01810

For questions ~ or ~ to arrange pick up of your donation: contact

Diana Kiesel at: DiKiesel@gmail.com or call/text 978.771.1627

Sponsorships and Ads in the Gala Program

are available by contacting Don Gottfried at 617.699.3585 or dgottfried@verizon.net

Tickets for the Gala are available:

www.RotaryAndover.org

Thank you for supporting the Rotary Club of Andover!





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Employer Identification Number: 04-6901131
Person to Contact: J Reilly
Toll Free Telephone Number: 1-877-829-5500

Dear Taxpayer:

This is in response to your May 10, 2010, request for information regarding your tax-exempt status.

Our records indicate that your organization was recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(03) of the Internal Revenue Code in a determination letter issued in December 1999.

Our records also indicate that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are described in section 509(a)(2).

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

Beginning with the organization's sixth taxable year and all succeeding years, it must meet one of the public support tests under section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) or section 509(a)(2) as reported on Schedule A of the Form 990. If your organization does not meet the public support test for two consecutive years, it is required to file Form 990-PF, Return of Private Foundation, for the second tax year that the organization failed to meet the support test and will be reclassified as a private foundation.

If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

ROTARY CLUB OF ANDOVER CHARITABLE TRUST

July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024

Total Giving \$60,279*

Andover Projects	\$14,591
Andover Farmers Market ~ <i>matching SNAP dollars</i>	\$ 1,500
Knights of Columbus ~ Golf Tournament Sponsorship	\$ 100
Challenge Unlimited at Ironstone Farm ~ <i>PTSD Program</i>	\$ 3,500
Andover Walk to End Alzheimer's	\$ 1,000
Andover Center for History & Culture ~ <i>Andover's indigenous heritage</i>	\$ 2,500
Kiwanis	\$ 500
Thanksgiving Dinners for Andover Families	\$ 2,041
Challenge Unlimited at Ironstone Farm ~ <i>Cornhole Sponsorship</i>	\$ 600
Andover Elder Services ~ Intergenerational/Sustainable Garden	\$ 1,600
Andover Center for History and Culture ~ Car Show	\$ 500
A Better Chance Andover (ABC) ~ Raise A Glass Fundraiser	\$ 750

Youth Projects	\$13,688
Three Scholarships for Andover Youths for higher education	\$ 9,000
Andover Coalition for Education (ACE) ~ Scarecrow Festival	\$ 1,000
Buddy Bench at Andover High School	\$ 1,000
Interact Club at Andover High School ~ Interact Café	\$ 188
Andover Bicycle Rodeo ~ <i>bicycle safety</i>	\$ 1,000
Andover WECAN ~ Youth Sustainability Fair	\$ 500
Top Notch Scholars ~ <i>mentoring Lawrence youth</i>	\$ 1,000

Merrimack Valley Projects	\$12,500
Run for the Troops MA, Inc. ~ <i>helping veterans in need</i>	\$ 2,500
Neighbors in Need ~ <i>alleviating food insecurity</i>	\$ 2,500
Merrimack Valley YMCA ~ <i>alleviating food insecurity</i>	\$ 2,500
Lazarus House, Inc. ~ <i>alleviating food insecurity</i>	\$ 2,500
Family Services of Merrimack Valley for One Wish Project ~ <i>providing birthday celebrations for homeless children & children in foster care</i>	\$ 2,500

Rotary/International Projects	\$19,500
ShelterBoxUSA ~ <i>emergency tents/supplies for disaster areas</i>	\$ 1,000
Ukraine ~ <i>hospital surgical equipment</i>	\$16,900
Rotary Rose Parade Float Committee	\$ 100
House of Hope - Guatemala ~ <i>homes for orphans</i>	\$ 1,500

*Grants/Sponsorships Awarded from Total CTC Budget (of \$45,000) was \$43,503 with \$16,776 contributed by District Matching Grants, AHS Interact and Member Donations for Total Giving of \$60,279.