

Rotary Club of Joliet - Recent History of Donations

- 1984–1988** Over \$250,000 and in-kind contributions were donated to build the Rotary Sports Complex at the Galowich YMCA on the west side of Joliet.
- 1989** Established a \$75,000 endowment fund to maintain the YMCA Sports Field.
- 1990** Donated \$30,000 to Habitat for Humanity to construct two homes.
- 1991** Donated \$30,000 to Will-Grundy Medical Clinic for an endowment fund for medications.
- 1992** Donated \$26,100 to D-FY-IT drug testing program for local high schools.
- 1993** Donated \$30,000 to purchase equipment to establish a handicapped playground for Easter Seals. Located and donated 18 hospital beds that were shipped to a clinic in Mexico.
- 1994** Purchased a 15-passenger van for the Salvation Army.
- 1995** Donated \$30,000 to help refurbish facilities for an abused women's shelter.
- 1996** Donated \$32,000 to Easter Seals for furnishing a supervisory group home.
- 1997** Donated \$30,000 to United Cerebral Palsy Park for specialized playground equipment.
- 1998** Donated a total of \$30,000 for endowed scholarships to be awarded annually by Joliet Junior College, Lewis University, and the University of St. Francis.
- 1999** Donated \$30,000 for funding of the Will-Grundy Rotary Dental Clinic.
- 2000** Donated \$27,400 to Morningstar Mission Ministries for their kitchen renovation project.
- 2001** Divided a \$30,000 donation to the Salvation Army for renovation of their kitchen, and to the Will County Humane Society for renovation of their facility.
- 2002** Donated a total of \$30,000 to the Rotary College Scholarship Program for the scholarship fund established at Lewis University, University of St. Francis, and Joliet Junior College.
- 2003** Donated \$30,000 to Joliet Hospice for the construction of a patient room.
- 2004** Donated \$14,000 to Lamb's Fold toward a new shower room for the women and children.
- 2005** Raffle funded bio-sand filters for water treatment in the Dominican Republic.
- 2006** Raffle funded Rotary Club of Joliet college scholarships to high school seniors.
- 2007** Raffle funded van purchase for Will County Senior Services Center.
- 2008** Raffle funded new men's shower at DAYBREAK Shelter.
- 2009** Raffle funded a new playground at Guardian Angel Home in Joliet.
- 2010** Raffle funded a new gym floor at Werden Buck Boys and Girls Club in Joliet.
- 2011** Raffle funded repainting the interior of the Will Grundy Medical Clinic, purchasing new medication carts at Our Lady of Angels, and a new tile floor for St. Vincent de Paul.
- 2012** Raffle funded new handicap-accessible playground for UCP's Reedswood School located on Reed Street in Joliet.
- 2013** Rotary Wall donation to the Joliet Area Historical Museum (~\$70,000).
- 2014** Raffle funded the purchase of a transport van for the Our Lady of Angels Retirement Home.
- 2015** Raffle funded the purchase of a van for Habitat for Humanity.
- 2016** Raffle funded \$25,000 towards the refurbishment of the Rialto Square Theatre Marquee.
- 2017** Raffle funded the purchase of new ADA pool lifts for the Galowich YMCA and Smith YMCA of Greater Joliet for \$14,664, improvements to staircases (rubberized) at Werden Buck Boys and Girls Club for \$11,403. And donated \$3,500 to Easterseals and \$3,500 to Cornerstone. Total donations of \$33,067.