

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION



"To enable Rotarians to advance international understanding, goodwill and peace through the improvement of health, support of education and the alleviation of poverty."



THE FUNCTION OF THE CLUB'S FOUNDATION COMMITTEE

The Club Supports via the Biennial Every Member Enrollment:

- The Rotary Works Foundation
- -The Rotary International Foundation
- The Polio Fund of the Rotary International Foundation





ROTARY CLUB OF LA CROSSE

Foundation Support:

2003-2004 Rotary Foundation \$15/year
 Rotary Works Foundation \$10/year

• 2004-2005 Rotary Foundation \$60+/year

• 2017-2018 Rotary Foundation \$145 \$22,000 Rotary Works Foundation \$156 \$23,000 Polio Fund \$68 <u>\$10,400</u>

\$55,400

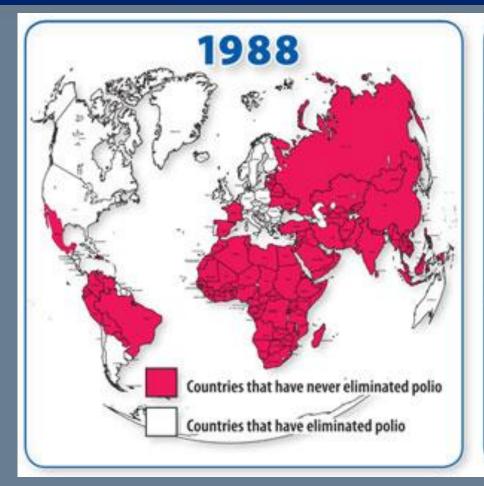


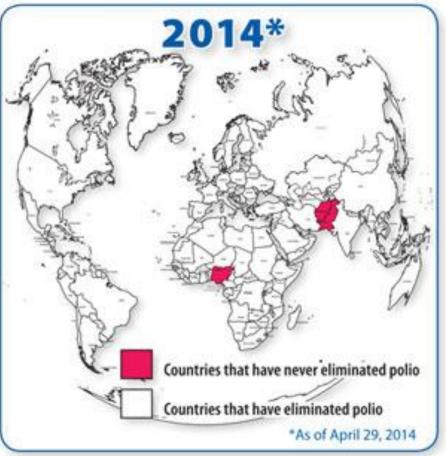
POLIO

- The U.S. experiences the worst polio epidemic in 1952
 - 57,628 reported cases
 - -3,145 died
 - 21,269 paralyzed
- Salk vaccine came on line in 1955
- Sabin vaccine came available in 1962
- Polio was declared eradicated in the U.S. in 1979 but we continue to immunize and experienced polio among the Amish of Minnesota in 2014



OUR PROGRESS AGAINST POLIO





Source: https://www.cdc.gov/polio/progress



POLIO FREE

- 1994 The Western Hemisphere
- 2000 China
- 2002 Europe & the Soviet Block
- 2013 India
- 2019-2021 Target date for polio eradication



KEEP INDIA POLIO FREE

• Polio free since 2014, we continue to immunize because India births 6 million babies each month. It is neighbors to Pakistan and close by Afghanistan, which remain endemic with the wild polio virus.

NATIONAL IMMUNIZATION DAY FACTS & FIGURES

- 640,000 vaccination booths manned by 2.3 million vaccinators
- 200 million doses of vaccine and 190 million homes are visited
- 170 million children are vaccinated in just one day!



The Future Vision Plan of the Rotary Foundation



How Our Support via Annual Programs Supports the Foundation Mission















\$10 MOSQUITO BED NET

Bed nets provide a safe, peaceful night's rest in countries like Uganda, where malaria is a major health concern.



\$85 BUSINESS CLASSES

In the U.S., business classes teach low-income entrepreneurs how to build their businesses.



\$500 ANTI-BULLYING CAMPAIGN

No child should live in fear of being bullied. Your gift helps communities create a safe and positive atmosphere where children can thrive.



\$15 POLIO VACCINES

Polio is still a crippling threat to children in Afghanistan, Pakistan, and Nigeria. A gift of just \$15 helps protect children for life.



\$100 SEWING MACHINE

Within Rotary microfinance training, sewing machines are used to show entrepreneurs how to turn sewing skills into a business.



\$1,000 CONFLICT RESOLUTION TRAINING

When secondary school students learn to resolve conflict, they can build a more peaceful and secure future for themselves and their communities.



\$50 WATER FILTER

In rural Guatemala, deadly waterborne illnesses are common. Personal water filters fill the basic need for clean water.



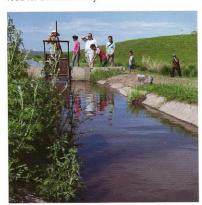
\$200 MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

Newborns start their lives healthy when hospitals have up-to-date equipment to care for babies in their first moments.



\$2,650 IRRIGATION SYSTEM

In areas where food security is a concern, irrigation systems give farmers a reliable and efficient water source, which in turn helps provide food for the community.

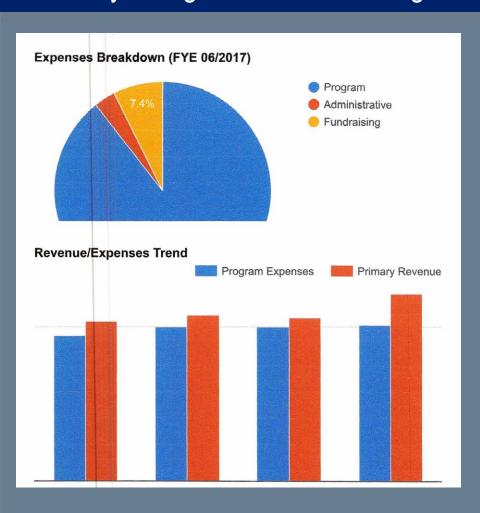


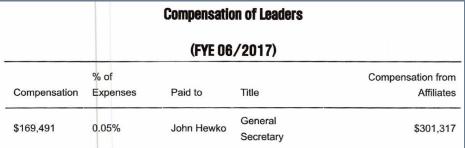


Charity Navigator's Four-Star Rating of the Rotary International Foundation



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Mission

The Rotary Foundation is a not-for-profit corporation funded solely by voluntary contributions from members and friends of Rotary who support its mission to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace. Using Rotary Foundation grants, Rotary's 34,000 clubs across the globe develop and carry out sustainable humanitarian projects and provide scholarships and professional training opportunities that promote peace, fight disease, provide clean water, sustain mothers and children, improve education, and strengthen local economies. The Foundation is a worldwide leader in the efforts to eradicate polio through its partnership with the World Health Organization, UNICEF, the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. When Rotary launched its PolioPlus program in 1985, more than 350,000 people were afflicted with polio each year, and the disease was endemic in more than 125 countries. Since 1988, Rotary and its



Recognition Points





How They Come to Be and How They Might Be Used

- Naming an Honorary Paul Harris
 Fellow
- Awarding Matching Points for a Cash Contribution



Rotary is a Three Dimensional Organization



ROTARY IS A THREE DIMENSIONAL ORGANIZATION- MANAGEMENT

- 1) The management group is located in Evanston, Illinois.
- It is comprised of the:
 - -General Secretary
 - -The Board of Directors
 - Nearly 600 Staff Members



ROTARY IS A THREE DIMENSIONAL ORGANIZATION- THE FOUNDATION

2) The Foundation is managed by TRUSTEES who:

- Allocate the resources of the Foundation
- Invest the funds
- Award grants



- 3) The Clubs and our Individual Members who:
- Provide the funding for the Foundation
- Write grants
- Complete humanitarian service projects internationally and domestically







As you plan your year-end giving, consider a gift of appreciated securities. It's an efficient way to fulfill your Paul Harris Society giving and may help you maximize your tax savings. Enjoy the benefits of Doing Good in the World by donating securities.

You may be able to:

- Receive a tax deduction for the fair market value of the gift
- Avoid capital gains tax on the appreciated stock





Questions?

