



The Rotary Foundation Seminar

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„Bud' darem světu“ „Bud'
darom svetú“

TRF: The Rotary Foundation



100 year anniversary – Centennial Anniversary

- 1917 First World Rotary Conference: first donation!
- RI President Arch Klumph: \$26.50

Great idea but there was no process how to accept the donation nor how to manage it!

- the name TRF was created in 1928

„We should not live for ourselves alone, but for the joy in doing good for others“ ..Arch Klumph

- 1929 - first project

First significant grant from TRF was \$500 to:

“International Society for Crippled Children”

- 1937 - the first ,fundraising’ objective

\$ 2m *today:* \$ 27m

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- **1947 PAUL P. HARRIS died**
10\$/100 \$: every Rotarian donated
- **A fund was created for 18 scholarships**
Ambassadorial Scholarships
- **1947**
was the first TRF program
1948 – 2015: total 41.700 scholarships



- was an idea that each Rotarian would donate something.....eg: \$100 = \$120m
- Each of us in the District donates \$35 from our District membership dues which means circa \$25,000 per year – depends on the number of Rotarians/members!

.... it means that 3 years later the District has circa \$12,000 for District Grants and the same amount accumulates annually for Global Grants

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- 1956/7

PHF: Paul Harris Fellow for \$1.000 to TRF

However, if there were no major donors...in USA, Canada, Japan, Taiwan, Australia, UK, Spain, Portugal, Germany and Austria plus each Rotarian then TRF would not have \$120m for projects a programs each year!

In nearly 100 years, TRF has distributed \$3billion on projects

TRF is our Foundation... It belongs to us!.....we support mutual understanding, help the under priveleged and change lives!...

- **1965/6 new programmes:**
GSE: 72,500 participants by 2013
Activity grants & Matching Grants: total 37,500
- **2013-2014: new programmes, new model:**
has to fit to the 6 Areas of Focus

water/sanitation, peace and conflict resolution, mother and child health, disease prevention, education and literacy, community and economic development

- **2013-2015: total**
 - **1.949 Global Grants**
 - **977 District Grants**

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- 2014-2015: 1,078 GG: distributed \$28.9m
only 9% applications rejected
488 DG: \$25m
- 2015-2016: 345 GG: \$16m
247 DG: \$21m
disease prevention, water, literacy.....
only 6% rejected

BUTTRF is more than grants.....

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- **Peace Fellowships:** each year TRF chooses 10 students nominated by clubs to 5 Universities in the world to study conflict resolution...*these are our Alumni...*

- **End Polio Now:** in 30 years: \$11 billion
1985: 400,000 in 125 countries.....today 36 v 2 !
1988-2018.....183 m children saved!

2013-2018: for every \$ from TRF, Gates Foundation will donate 2\$ to \$35m p.a...*in 2 years TRF has given already \$35m and Gates 70m.....*

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**We are 'that close'
to eradicating Polio**

**We need 3 years without a case... then there will
be certification that Polio no longer exists!**

We still have some work to do!

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The Rotary Foundation is our Foundation!

Help Rotarians to help others, having fun doing good!

Its not possible without YOU! So please help to END POLIO NOW a help The Foundation...part of the money returns to us as grants!

Don't forget, that more members means that together we can achieve more....

Engagement is fun!