



# Ann Arbor Rotary West

"Have A Beer, Change the World"



BE THE INSPIRATION

## The ROTARIAN'S 4-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?
5. *IS IT FUN?*

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## Agenda: February 18th, 2019

### Call to Order and Pledge

### 4 Way Test

### Guest Speaker:

*Kristina Keller of Amcor Rigid Plastics*

2018 Amcor-Earthwatch Institute expedition to Peru to research marine debris and its environmental impact  
(Update from 2017 expedition to South Africa)

### Closing Remarks/Adjournment

**Did you know?** Amcor has partnered with Earthwatch since 2001 with the aim of raising the level of understanding of environmental issues amongst Amcor's staff through sending staff members on Earthwatch scientific research expeditions. During this time, over 140 staff from over 25 countries have now participated on Earthwatch expeditions. By contributing to genuine scientific research Amcor staff learn first-hand how they can make a difference and take positive steps towards a sustainable future whilst building cultural understanding, and promoting both the partnership and sustainable business practices within Amcor and the wider community.

For more info...

<https://earthwatch.org/Corporate-Partnerships/Partnership-Profiles/Amcor>

### Object of Rotary:

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

1. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service:
2. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society:
3. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life
4. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world of fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

### International Projects:

**Grace Girls Home:** \$360 to be used for an educational typing program.

**Wash-in:** Providing school bathroom facilities for children in India. Particularly offering sanitation & facilities for girls so they have the privacy and dignity to stay in school.

**Post-Harvest Loss Prevention:** Food preservation bags in Tanzania.

**Project Uplift:** Medical assistance, classrooms and bathrooms in Vietnam.

### Recent Local Club Donations:

**Local man in need:** \$299 to order lightweight wheelchair.

**Ronald McDonald House Charities** Items for Christmas Gift Bags for families experiencing a loved ones health issues during the holidays.

**Polio Plus:** individual contributions \$2500

**Shelter Box, Our House, Winter clothing Emmanuel Lutheran Clothes Closet:** Ypsil., RX for Reading: head start classrooms