**PEACEBUILDER CLUB ACTIVITIES – Report**

**(Your completed report can be emailed to the District Peacebuilder Coordinator, PDG Loretta Butts at** lorettadg1415@yahoo.com**)**

Club Name: Rotary E-Club of One World Date: June 23, 2017

Person completing the report: Frank Tripicchio, OWR PeaceBuilder Committee Chair\_

*All Peace Builder Clubs should complete the Required Activities. Small and medium Clubs (up to 60 members) should complete at least ONE of the activities listed in Category A and in Category B. Large clubs (61 plus) should complete at least TWO of the activities listed in Category A and Category B. Clubs may collaborate on projects to satisfy this requirement. Please provide a “brief” explanation on how you achieved your objective*

***Peacebuilder clubs are encouraged to make an annual donation to The Rotary Foundation in support of the Rotary Peace Fellowship program.***

REQUIRED ACTIVITIES

X Select a Club Peace Chair. Notify the District Peace Chair of the name and contact information of the Rotarian selected.

X Hold a club program that shows the video “Peace Is…” and discuss the Rotary Peace Initiatives presented in the video. This program would be an excellent time to invite prospective members to your club.

X Become informed about and promote the Rotary Peace Fellowship Program https://[www.rotary.org/en/our-programs/peace-fellowships](http://www.rotary.org/en/our-programs/peace-fellowships)

[***http://OneWorldRotary.org/SitePage/rpf-outreach-program***](http://OneWorldRotary.org/SitePage/rpf-outreach-program)

X Engage the club in at least one Peace Education program of your choice:

* **The Peace Project - youth peace advocacy:** http:// [www.rotarypeaceproject.com/](http://www.rotarypeaceproject.com/)

*Training from Rotarian Catherine Bonifant: Frank Tripicchio, Brenda Newman and Husband.*

* **Peace Literacy:** <http://peaceliteracy.org/>

*Paul K. Chappell is a member of the OWR Peace Community*

* **Non-Violent Communication** https://[www.cnvc.org/](http://www.cnvc.org/)

**CATEGORY A: Support peace project in your local community:** *(Small/ Medium Clubs complete at least one and Large Clubs complete at least 2)*

0 Hold an essay contest on the topic of Peace with participation from elementary, middle or high school students.

Explain:

X Initiate and support after school enrichment programs that teach about trafficking, bullying, gang violence.

**Explain: *Honorary Member Godfrey Mukalazi - VTT to Missouri. His work involves these programs in Uganda.***

***Carol Metzker - Anti Slavery RAG: Author: Member of School for Freedom Programs on OWR to inform and include membership.***

0 Sponsor a video contest entitled “Peace” among local high school students or youth groups (e.g. local Boys and Girls Club)

Explain:

0 Bring community’s youth and elderly together to do art peace project – e.g.

* **Films for Good - https://vimeo.com/filmsforgood**
* **Art: Healing and Peace -** https://prayerbench.ca/healing2774-2

Explain:

0 Support one or more facilities that are addressing youth violence Explain:

0 Support at least one local prison rehabilitative programs. Explain:

0 Engage in a project that promotes peace in your local community and supports one of The Rotary Foundation’s six areas of focus

* **Fighting Disease**
* **Providing clean water, sanitation, and hygiene**
* **Saving mothers and children**
* **Supporting education**
* **Growing local economies**
* **Promoting peace**

0 Other local community project that promotes peace Explain:

**CATEGORY B. Support poverty alleviation/peace project in an international community:** *(Small/Medium Clubs complete at least one and Large Clubs complete at least 2)*

X Hold an essay contest at local high school of the topic of “international poverty and what can I do to alleviate it”.

**Explain: *OWR has committed a total of $3000 to various International Projects initiated by other RC in RD 5240, such as programs in Niger, Colombia and Romania.***

X Involve youth in your community by taking them on an international service project.

**Explain: *OWR Pres. Michael Henstra facilitated the participation of two students from Arvin HS to the RYLA program.***

0 Establish a partnership between youth in your community and those in an international community through the use of internet connectivity and facilitated discussions.

Explain:

Lead or support an international humanitarian project in the area of peace and conflict resolution/prevention.

Explain:

X Submit a candidate for a Rotary Peace Fellowship and/or work on recruitment efforts for the district.

**Explain: *District Chair Catherine Bonifant has put forward six candidates which have been endorsed.***

X Encourage club members to join the Rotarian Action Group for Peace https://[www.rotarianactiongroupforpeace.org/.](http://www.rotarianactiongroupforpeace.org/)

**Explain: *OWR has a link to the RAGFP, several of the club members are also RAGFP members***

X Other international project promoting peace Explain:

***The Rotary E-Club of One World, with RC President Mike Henstra, Past District PeaceBuilder Committee Chair Catherine Bonifant and OWR PeaceBuilder Committee Chair frank Tripicchio***

***take pride in announcing the establishment of a connection/relationship with the Chapman University Dpt. of Sociology, Peace Study Program.***

***The Program is under the guidance of the Dpt. Chair, Lisa Leitz, Ph.D. Assistant Professor of Peace Studies.***

***Dr. Leitz is now a member of the Rotary E-Club of One World.***

***Dr. Leitz and Frank Tripicchio will be creating an outline which will guide the interaction of OWR Club Rotarian with faculty and students of the Peace Studies program to promote the dissemination,***

***and implementation, of concept and projects consistent with the guidelines of our PeaceBuilder Club.***