# DISTRICT 9920 Foundation Newsletter

# Message from our District Foundation Chair PDG Jennie Herring

The 2019/20 Foundation year has got off to a great start.

Firstly I would like to thank PDG Willard Martin for his three years of service to this role as I now take over this amazing committee. I have some big shoes to fill with some fast track learning to get up to speed with what District 9920 Clubs are involved in – **Doing Good in the World.** 

The year started with a combined Foundation/International Committee Seminar. This involved the International Chair Jeanette Drysdale, presentations on existing and potential Global Grant projects being managed from Clubs within our District, and also explaining the world of the Foundation Committee with an update on the End Polio Campaign (refer to the Polio page for this update). This Seminar was well attended with approximately 50 participants and some positivefeedback has been received about the format of the seminar programme.

Since that night I have booked in three clubs to take the Foundation message out to the members of their clubs. Should you wish to have a presentation at your club, I am only too happy to come and speak on "Why the Rotary Foundation should be your Charity of Choice".

District Grant applications have poured in as have applications for District Designated Funds (DDF) for Global Grant projects so much so that we have almost used all our allocation for 2019/20. This reiterates why it is so important for clubs to contribute to Annual Giving to the Rotary Foundation every year. The more we give, the more that is returned to our District in three years as this is the funding that makes up District Grants and District Designated Funds to enable the clubs to do the small community projects and the larger Global Grant projects.

October 24<sup>th</sup> is World Polio Day and PDG Ron Seeto is chairing a Task Force for an event being called Polio All Trains – please find all the information included with this newsletter. It would be great to have all clubs joining in this event as it is planned to not only raise funds for Polio but also increase public awareness. It should be a fun day travelling the Auckland Trains from Swanson to Pukekohe on 1 November 2019 from 8am to 6pm.

#### Remember November is FOUNDATION MONTH

PDG Jennie Herring





**RI President Mark Maloney** 



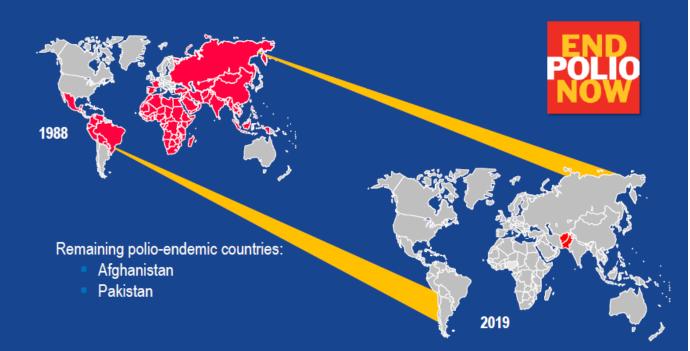
DG Gary Langford



**PDG Jennie Herring** 

## LATEST END POLIO UPDATE

As of 21 August 2019, <u>Nigeria</u> has gone 3 years without a case of wild poliovirus! What's next? The entire World Health Organization African region could potentially be certified wild poliovirus-free as soon as mid-2020.



## Wild polio cases to September 2019

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	YTD 2019
Pakistan	93	306	54	20	8	21	62
Nigeria	53	6	0	4	0	0	0
Afghanistan	14	28	20	13	14	12	16
Total Endemic	416	359	74	37	22	33	78



D9920 Foundation Newsletter for September No.11-2019/2020 Page 2

## D9910 + D9920 ROTARY IN ACTION to End Polio Now

## #tagpoliooff

1<sup>st</sup> November 2019

# TAG YOU ON TAG POLIO OFF

By visiting all the train stations in Auckland in **ONE** day

> Swanson Pukekohe

Britomart Onehunga

## LET'S CONNECT THROUGH THE AUCKLAND TRAIN NETWORK



This is an opportunity to raise awareness for Rotary, your club and the End Polio campaign. Refer to the accompanying instructions and registration form for more information on how to involve.

### CHALLENGE

To raise funds also awareness of the End Polio Now campaign.



### HOW

By riding the train network or meeting other train riders at a station near your Club in Greater Auckland area



#### WHEN

In ONE day – From 8am to 6pm on Friday 1st November 2019.









# Ride the train to enable others to walk

1 <sup>st</sup> November 2019	CLUB registration Yes! Our club is interested in participating					
TAG YOU ON TAG POLIO OFF By visiting all 40 train stations	We can Meet the train at the station allocated to our club.					
in Auckland in ONE day Swanson	Organise and manage a stand at one of the selected stations.					
	RIDER registration Yes! I want to ride all the train stations I need an End Polio t-shirt \$20					
Britomart Onehunga	I have my own End Polio t-shirt					
TO RIDE FREE YOU MUS	ST BE WEARING AN END POLIO T-SHIRT					
Club Name	Club contact name					
Club contact email						
Rider Name	End Polio t-shirt size					
Rider email or phone number	SMLXL2XL3XL5XL					
Electronic bank to: Rotary Foundation 9920 A/c# 02-0256-0333474-00 with reference [Name] & code PAT1Nov						
Send registration form to tagpoliooff@gmail.com						

## **Supporting our Rotary Foundation**

## A joint FOUNDATION and INTERNATIONAL SERVICE Information evening was held on September 4th, at the KOLMAR Centre, Papatoetoe.

About 50 people attended from 18 Rotary Clubs to take up the opportunity to hear about some existing International Service projects funded by Global Grants and some proposed projects, and to learn how the contributions to our Rotary Foundation have made ,or would make these projects possible.

Overviews were presented on Give Every Child a Future (a project to vaccinate children in many of the Pacific Island nations), To Give Life and Hope to My People and Land (project for Tarawa, Kiribati) No Child should Die from a Lack of Oxygen, (Fiji Oxygen project), the proposed Mobile Health Clinic project in Nadi, the Onja project (Madgascar). Additionally we heard about how a Microfinance project is funded and got meet Connor Lind (see photo below) an Ambassadorial Scholar who recently arrived to study at Auckland University.

The second half on the evening gave an overview of the Rotary Foundation and an update on the goal to rid the World of Polio.

Not only was the evening full of information but also a good opportunity for Rotarians from different Clubs to enjoy a pre-seminar bistro meal and conversation.



D9920 Foundation Newsletter for September No.11-2019/2020 Page 5

### How to donate



At the NZ/Australia Rotary Conference held in Christchurch, D9920 has been awarded the NZ trophy for highest combined giving to the Rotary Foundation (with USD 137.81 per capita) for the 2018-2019 Rotary year.

Photo shows Rotary Foundation Trustee Per Hoyen presenting the award to IPDG Ingrid Waugh and PDG Jennie Herring,



#### Donations to Rotary Foundation and Polio Plus - New Zealand based 9920 Rotary Clubs

#### Tax Credit for Donations / Tax receipts

New Zealand based Rotary Clubs can send their donation and contribution for Annual Giving and Polio Plus by internet banking, or cheque direct to the Rotary Foundation Administrator 9920, stating what the amount is for, whether donating from your Club or Charitable Trust. Tax receipts are forwarded in August/September.

#### Charitable Trusts

Nearly all clubs have a Charitable Trust. Rotarians should donate through their Club's Charitable Trust, who can issue individual Tax Donation receipts. The Club's Charitable Trust then forwards the total amount on to the Rotary Foundation Administrator 9920, and emails an Excel spreadsheet with the Rotarians' name, ID numbers and amounts to Peter Wilcock. The donation will be credited under the Rotarian's name with RI.

#### Tax Receipts

Once Rotarians receive the Tax Donation receipt they can claim the tax credit of up to 33%. For full details Google "ird tax credit for donations" Tax receipts are forwarded in April/May

#### <u>How to pay</u>

#### Internet banking

Bank Account "Rotary Foundation 9920" 02 0256 0333474 00 Reference box "Club name" or "Rotarian name" Please email <u>pdmwilcock@gmail.com</u> the amount and the allocation i.e. Annual giving or Polio and the Club or Charitable Trust name. **Cheques** 

Make payable to "Rotary Foundation 9920" and post to:

The Rotary Foundation Administrator 9920 Peter Wilcock 17 Crescent Road, Parnell, Auckland 1052 Note: The donations are transferred to RI Parramatta before the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month, any donations after that are at the Rotary exchange rate for the next month. Cheques have normally three-day clearance.

#### Donations – Paul Harris Society (PHS) Members and Sustaining Members

These donations can be paid directly to the Rotary Foundation Administrator 9920

Peter Wilcock Rotary Foundation Administrator District 9920

## **District 9920 Foundation Committee**

Foundation Committee Chair	PDG Jennie Herring	027 293 2095	<u>herringjennie@gmail.co</u> m
Global Grants	PDG Willard Martin	029 576 6437	4kiwimartins@gmail.com
Global Grant Administration	Allan Mckay	027 518,2309	allan.loismckay@gmail.com
District Grants	Richard Thorpe	021 289 7744	<u>richma@xtra.co.nz</u>
Stewardship (Club qualification)	Sue Fairbairn	012 0721200	sue115@xtra.co.nz
Committee Secretary	Kathryn Harvey	029 576 2792	Kathryn@kjhbusiness.co.nz
Foundation Fund Administrator	Peter Wilcock	027 285 1763	pdmwilcock@gmail.com
Paul Harris Society	PDG Jennie Herring	027 293 2095	herringjennie@gmail.com
Fundraising - Endowment & Major Gifts	DG Gary Langford	021 923 901	glangford.rotary@gmail.com
Chair - End Polio Advocacy & Fund Raising	PDG Ron Seeto	027 459 3282	ronseeto@mcparchitects.com
Fundraising	Madison Chang	027 510 5138	p3pmadison@hotmail.com
Public Relations & Fundraising	DGN Craig Horrocks	021 683 800	craig_horrocks@rotaryoceania.zone
Rotary Alumini	AG Gabrielle Gimblett- Martin	021 576437	gabbygm07@gmail.com
Ambassadorial Scholarships	Shefali Mehta	021 941 181	shefalim@pdl123.co.nz
Peace Scholarships	Byran Theunisen	027 579 7930	btheunisen@kpmg.co.nz
Pacific Liaison Committee	Bob Niranjan	00679 999 2300	bobniranjan62@gmail.com
Pacific Liaison Committee	PDG Malini Raghwan	00679 999 3541	mraghwan@gmail.com
International / World Communi- ty Service Chair	Jeanette Drysdale	021 939 728	<u>drysdale_ja@xtra.co.nz</u>



