

DISTRICT 9920

Foundation Newsletter

Message from the District Foundation Chair

PDG Willard Martin

We are just beginning our new Rotary year. Looking back, one highlight from last year was the New Zealand Government confirming it would contribute funding of NZ \$5 million to Rotary New Zealand towards the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) to help the global fight to end polio.

Rotary New Zealand gratefully acknowledged the support of Foreign Affairs Minister Gerry Brownlee and his officials who worked collaboratively with them to achieve this outcome. Rotary New Zealand World Community Service Limited Executive Director, Stuart Batty said "The New Zealand Government can be justly proud as it continues its support to this important global initiative, and this announcement brings their total funding for GPEI to in excess of NZ \$10 million".

On behalf of District 9920, I also want to take this opportunity to congratulate Pukekohe Rotary Club member PDG Stuart Searle and Vivien, for their induction into the Arch Klumph Society at the Toronto International Convention. Stuart and Vivien have been staunch supporters of our Rotary Foundation for many years. Please accept our personal thank you for your efforts.

Global Grants support large international activities with sustainable, measurable outcomes in Rotary's areas of focus. A key feature of global grants is partnership, between the district or club in another country. During the last Rotary year, your Foundation Committee worked on 16 new Global Grants and currently has 39 Global Grants under action. These total USD\$1,178,374 so we have certainly been kept busy.

Global Grants that have been recently approved by your District include the Fiji Micro Credit Project for USD\$87,000 from the Rotary Club of Auckland, the 2018 Fiji Eye Project in Taveuni for USD\$95,000, an annual project supported by the Rotary Club of Newmarket, and the eradication of Dengue Fever in Fiji proposed by the e Club of Outback Australia.

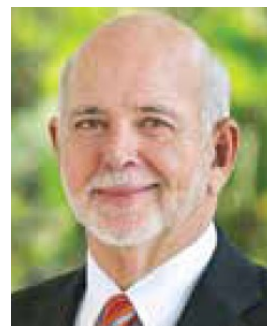
Our District and our Rotary Foundation, are the lifeblood of Rotary and as you can see, our District benefits way above its financial contribution which is why I must ask all of you to give financial support to our Foundation in the new Rotary year. The Foundation exists because of our contributions and I challenge all of you in this year to work with your Clubs to achieve a personal giving of NZD\$145.00 per member. Presidents and Treasurers please make sure this item to include in your budget.

Finally I must thank the members of the District Foundation committees for all of your efforts during the last year and I look forward to working with you in this new Rotary year.

Willard Martin
D9920 Foundation Chair



BE THE INSPIRATION



RI President Barry Rassin



DG Ingrid Waugh



PDG Willard Martin

Rotary International Convention, Toronto



Congratulations and a thank you to PDG Stuart Searle and Vivien who were inducted into the Arch Klumph Society in Toronto.

Stuart and Vivien are the first Arch Klumph members from New Zealand.

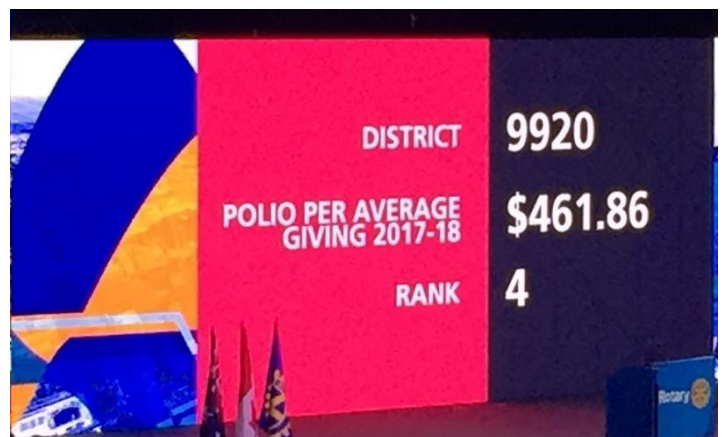
A very proud moment for their family, their Rotary Club and for District 9920

District 9920 received acknowledgement at the Toronto Convention for being the fourth largest contributing district to Polio giving at \$461.86 per district member average.

Ingrid Waugh went on stage to receive this acknowledgement for the district.

The other five NZ Rotary Districts were also acknowledged. Our NZ Districts were in the top 7 list.

Well done all for your contribution to the future of the children of the world ... the eventual eradication of this dreadful disease.



BE THE INSPIRATION

Mobile Health Clinic for Rarotonga



There were celebrations in Rarotonga on the 18th June when this mobile health clinic was handed over to the Ministry of Health. This clinic was only possible because of a Global Grant.

The health workers were excited and very grateful for the support from Rotarians in New Zealand and the Rotary Foundation. Several health providers will be using the mobile clinic for the benefit of the local communities.

This was a Rotary Global Grant Project for approximately NZ \$170,000 between the

Rarotonga Rotary (host club) and the Masterton South Rotary (international partner club). Many other Rotary Clubs also gave financial support. District Designated Funds (DDF) were contributed from Districts 9920, 9940, 9970 and 9980 and these were matched by the Rotary Foundation, dollar for dollar.



This project is a great example of how many Rotary Clubs and Districts can collectively work together to make a difference in communities.

The grant application was approved in September 2017 and thanks to the hard work and commitment of the Masterton South project team and Tranzit NZ, the bus was able to be handed over to the Cook Islands Ministry for Health at a ceremony in Rarotonga in June 2018.

District Governor Malini made her 'official' visit to the Rotary Club of Rarotonga to coincide with this special occasion. There were about 20 Rotarians/partners from NZ in Rarotonga for the handover.

The graphics on the bus were done from a photo taken by a member of Rarotonga Rotary and at the handover ceremony all but one of the children were able to attend and see themselves in glorious technicolour.



Rotary Foundation



END POLIO NOW



The Facts

1. Polio mainly affects children under age 5.
2. There is no cure, but polio is preventable with a vaccine.
3. Only 3 countries remain endemic.
4. We've reduced cases by 99.9% since 1998.
5. Until we end polio forever, every child is at risk.

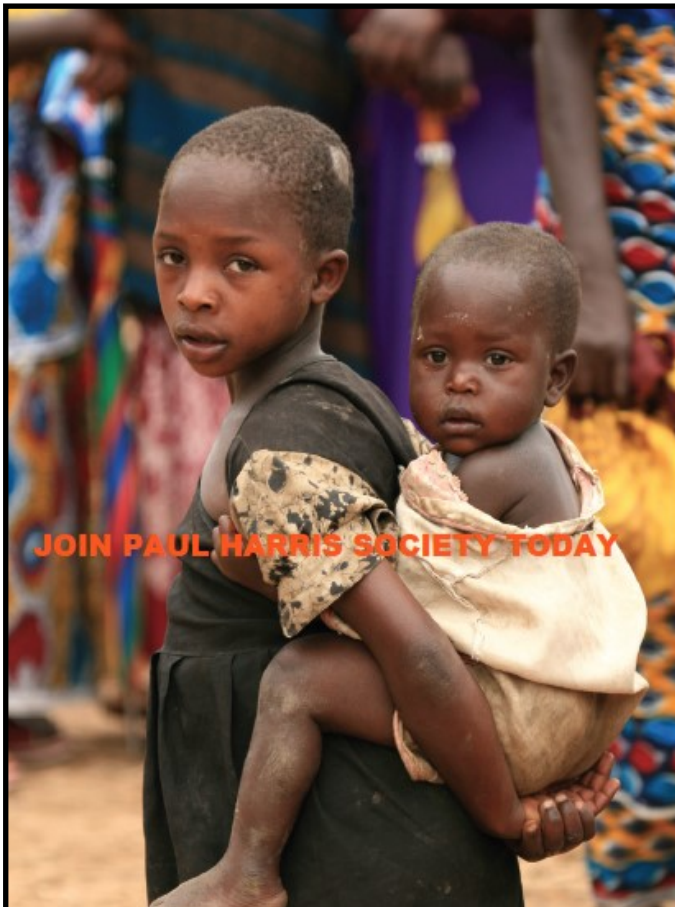
www.endpolio.org

The Rotary International website www.rotary.org website provides regular updates about the initiatives being taken to raise awareness about Polio and the funds required to eradicate this dreadful disease.

Every \$1 contributed by Rotary is be matched by \$2 from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation which is an added incentive.

At at June 30th, D9920 Clubs and individuals contributed \$70,873.34 to the END POLIO fund.

Congratulations to Ellerslie-Sunrise, Rarotonga and Apia Rotary Clubs who contributed the highest per capita donations to END POLIO for the 2017 –2018 Rotary year.



JOIN PAUL HARRIS SOCIETY TODAY Rotary District 9920

I would like to become a member of the Paul Harris Society and improve lives locally and around the world.

Two ways to make a payment of \$1000.00 USD per year (contributions are tax deductible)

1. Make an online payment using the Global Payment System (GPS) The GPS system is on the Rotary International website and is for Foundation contributions. Payment is through credit cards. Rotary International is responsible for all bank Fees. The contribution is in New Zealand Dollars. Rotarians will receive a valid New Zealand Tax Receipt from the Perpetual Guardian Trust. Log on to the RI website through your "member access" and follow the instructions.
2. Send a cheque to PHS District Administrator, PDG Ron Seeto, PO BOX 9384, Newmarket, Auckland 1149

If you have any questions please feel free to contact
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or +64 274 593 282

How to donate

New Zealand based D9920 Clubs

The New Zealand based Rotary Clubs can send their donation and contribution for Annual Giving and Polio Plus by cheque direct to the Rotary Foundation Administrator 9920, with note stating what the amount is for. Tax receipts are forwarded in August/September.

New Zealand Rotarians

Most if not all clubs have a Charitable trust. The Rotarians should donate through their club's charitable trust, who can issue an individual Tax Donation Receipt. The Club's charitable trust can then forward this total amount on to Rotary Foundation Administrator 9920, with the Rotarian's name, ID number and \$ amount. This can be allocated under the Rotarian's name.

Donations Paul Harris Society (PHS) Members and Sustaining Members.

These donations should be paid directly to Rotary Foundation Administrator 9920. Tax receipts are forwarded in April/May.

Global payment System (GPS)

Individual Rotarians can make a Donation directly to the Rotary Foundation through the RI website. You need your access user name and password to sign in as a member. The D9920 Administrator is then advised and is credited to your club. Tax receipts are forwarded in April/May

The GPS option is for Individuals not Clubs.

Internet Banking

Clubs or Individual Rotarians wishing to pay through Internet banking.

Bank Account name: "Rotary Foundation 9920" Account number: 02 0256 0333474 00, Reference box "Club".

Please email pdmwilcock@gmail.com the amount and the allocation i.e. Annual Giving or Polio and club name.

Payment by Cheque

Cheques to be made out to "Rotary Foundation" and posted to

The Rotary Foundation Administrator 9920

Peter Willock, 17 Crescent Road, Parnell, Auckland 1052 (note this is a change of address)

Note. The donations are transferred to RI Parramatta before the 20th of the month, so any donations after that are at the Rotary exchange rate for the next month.

The published RI exchange rate for July is US\$ 1 = NZ\$ 1.45 [NZ\$ 1 = US\$0.68965].

District 9920 Foundation Committee

The table below shows the contact details for members of the D9920 Foundation Committee for 2018 –2019.

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