

District Grants Chair Coreen Rodger Berrisford

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District grants. District grants support small-scale, short-term projects related to the Foundation's mission. Applications are accepted once per year, deadline August 31 of each year.

Global Grants Chair Raj Rajagopal

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Global grants. Global grants fund large-scale international activities with sustainable, measurable results that support Rotary's seven areas of focus. Activities include humanitarian projects, scholarships, and vocational training teams. Applications are accepted throughout the year and are reviewed as they're received.

Vocational Training Team (VTT) Chair Rick Bolduc

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Vocational training builds skills within a community through targeted educational programs or by supporting teams of professionals who travel abroad to build their own capacity or the capacity of the community they visit.



Your District 5050 Foundation Team consists of experienced, dedicated Rotarians who work together to help the governor educate, motivate, and inspire Rotarians to participate in our Foundation.

The Foundation committee is the connection between The Rotary Foundation and club members.

The Rotary Foundation Grant Awards

Clubs must qualify to receive Foundation Funds. The process ensures that clubs are aware of all Rotary requirements and provides clubs with the tools needed to complete the on-line applications.

Qualification Requirements

- Two club members must attend a Grant Management Seminar (GMS) each year. Upcoming GMS dates:
 - January 27, 2024 Rotary Field House, White Rock
 - March 2, 2024 Silver Reef Casino, Ferndale
- One must be the President Elect, and the second one should be the member that would normally complete the on-line application
- Each club must complete and submit a signed club MOU.
- Clubs are qualified for one year, and members that take the GMS are qualified for three years.

ROTARY'S SEVEN AREAS of FOCUS

- Basic education & literacy
- Maternal & child health
- Peace & conflict prevention/resolution
- Disease prevention & treatment
- Water & sanitation
- Community & economic development
- Support the Environment



Basic Education & Literacy



Maternal & Child Health



Peace & Conflict Prevention/Resolution



Disease Prevention & Treatment



Water, Sanitation & Hygiene



Community & Economic Development



Support the Environment



50% AMERICAN, 50% CANADIAN, 100% ROTARIAN

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THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

The **MISSION** of The Rotary Foundation is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

The **GOAL** of the Rotary Foundation is to do good in the world.

The Foundation is a not-for-profit corporation supported solely by voluntary contributions from Rotary members and friends of the Foundation who share its vision of a better world.

Your support is essential to make possible projects, funded with Foundation grants, that bring sustainable improvement to communities in need.



Scholarship Chair

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Scholarships fund international graduate-level study by people seeking a career within an area of focus. Global grant scholarships fund graduate-level course-work or research for one to four academic years.

International Service Projects Chair

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International Service Committees work with clubs to identify resources to develop international projects and design global grants of higher quality and greater scale by leveraging local Rotarian and Rotary alumni expertise, establishing connections between clubs in your district and a host or international partner, and creating a network of local experts to help with planning projects and grants.

Stewardship Chair

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Good **Stewardship** ensures the careful management of Rotary grant funds and for educating Rotarians on effective grant management.

Annual Giving, Major Gifts, PHS Chair

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Annual Fund contributions help support our humanitarian activities, from local service projects to global initiatives.

Your Rotary club can apply for grants from the Foundation to invest in projects and provide scholarships, all made possible through the ongoing financial support of Every Rotarian, Every Year.

Donors typically make annual gifts of cash or stock. Annual Fund contributions are eligible for the following donor recognition opportunities:

- Every Rotarian, Every Year
- Rotary Foundation Sustaining Member
- Paul Harris Fellow
- Paul Harris Society
- Major Donor
- Arch Klumph Society



Annual Fund-SHARE is the primary source of funding for a broad range of local and international Rotary Foundation activities.

At the end of every Rotary year, contributions to the Annual Fund-SHARE from all Rotary clubs in a district are directed into two funds:

- Fifty percent is credited to the World Fund.
- Fifty percent is credited to the District Designated Fund.

The Foundation uses the World Fund portion to pay for the worldwide grant and program opportunities available to all Rotary districts.

District Designated Funds empower your district to undertake the projects that are most important to Rotarians in your area.

Contributions to the Annual Fund-SHARE provide District Designated Funds for the future.

Therefore, clubs and districts should set and review fundraising goals in Rotary Club Central to track and increase the financial resources available to you for Rotary Foundation grants and activities.

PolioPlus Chair

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PolioPlus. Since 1985, Rotary members have helped immunize more than 2.5 billion children against polio. As of June 2018, Rotary had spent more than \$1.8 billion toward global polio eradication, seeking to eliminate the virus in the last three countries where it remains endemic and to ensure that it does not return elsewhere.

Rotary has been working to eradicate polio for more than 30 years, and we've made incredible progress in the fight to rid the world of it forever. As a founding partner of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative, we've helped to reduce polio cases by more than 99.9 percent.



Endowment Fund Chair

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Rotary's Endowment Fund ensures a strong future for the Foundation. Spendable earnings from the fund supplement the Annual Fund and support Rotary's highest priorities in perpetuity. The Foundation has set a goal of \$1 billion for the Endowment Fund by 2017, ensuring its ability to meet current and future needs. Donors typically support the Endowment Fund through outright and planned gifts.

The opportunities include:

- Bequest commitments
- Life insurance
- Marketable securities
- Real estate
- Charitable trusts or annuities

Endowment Fund recognition opportunities include:

- Benefactor
- Bequest Society
- Major Donor

