

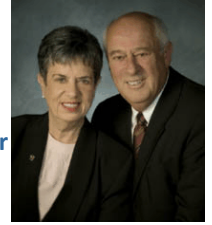


District 6380 News APRIL/MAY 2008

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District Governor
Audrey & John
Chevalier



District Governor Audrey Shares

■ Greetings Rotarians, Friends and Families



Our journey together in this Rotary year is coming to an end. Just a little over a month remains! This is so difficult for me to believe ... it has

been such a wonderful year.

John and I had the pleasure of attending the Rotary World Peace Summit in Windsor, Ontario, the weekend prior to our district conference. That three-day event was one of only four Rotary Peace Summits held around the world.



GSE Team from District 2440 meets RI President Wilfred J. and Joan Wilkinson at the World Peace Summit

Highlighted were numerous problems that we, through Rotary, can aspire to change. They are being solved! Most importantly, it inspired Rotarians and their partners to work diligently and strategically for peace. To read about what is being done and to share your ideas for peace, please go to the Peace Summit Web site at www.rotarypeacesummit.org/challenge.htm. Attending this meeting was truly an awesome experience!

The month of April for me was totally consumed with the final details in preparation for the 2008 District Conference, "A CELEBRATION . . . Sharing Rotary." I am so grateful to so many of you for helping to make this year's conference such a huge success.

My heartfelt thanks:

- To conference chair Keith Koke for his support and assistance for over one year.
- To Marc Cooper who was in charge of registration from the beginning to the very end.
- To Steve and Brian Sadler who worked many hours prior to the conference as well as during the conference and made such a positive contribution to the audio and visual set-ups.
- To Jean Baker and her decorating committee who did an outstanding job with hours of preparation before and during the conference.
- To Judy Livingston, chair of the Sergeants-at-Arms, who, along with Al Schofer and Mike Wise, was ready to help in every way.
- To Shelly and Lew Lake for the many hours contributed to the House of Friendship.
- To PDG Merle and Jan Loch for organizing the very moving and beautiful memorial service on Sunday morning.
- To PDG Don and Mary Chisholm for being the aides to Tony and Ruth Brockington

My goal was to have the most incredible speakers and outstanding programs as well as fun offsite events. From the many comments that I heard from those attending, I know that we met our goal.

A special thanks to our incredible speakers, John McNair, Ronald Denham, and Carol Pandak for their time and outstanding presentations.

Tony and Ruth Brockington from Yuma, Arizona were the very best representatives who could have been selected to represent Rotary International President Wilf. From the moment that we met Tony and Ruth, we knew that we were in for a real treat by having them participate in District 6380's conference.

The exceptional presentations of the GSE team from District 2440 in Turkey and the flag ceremony and presentations by the Youth Exchange students were enjoyed by everyone. We heard from our Ambassadorial Scholars both inbound and outbound. And we were excited to hear what the Rotaractors in the Ann Arbor area have been doing all year long.

The conference would not have been a success without the many Rotarians, partners, and families who attended during those three exciting days. Thank you for taking your time to attend the conference. I hope that you went back to your Rotary clubs and shared your experiences with those who could not attend.

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Don't forget to read the RIO email from May 6. You can review and see what you missed if you weren't there. Check out the pictures from the conference on the District 6380 Web site at www.rotary6380.org

I wish that I could acknowledge and thank everyone individually but space does not permit this. I want you to know that we do thank each and every one of you from the bottom of our hearts.

After one week to get caught up after the conference, John and I headed to Aurora, Ohio where we were the guests of District Governor Bob and Caroline Prevette from District 6630 at their district conference. What a great opportunity to be involved in a classmate's district conference and to meet so many new Rotarians and renew acquaintances with some old

friends. I had the opportunity to be a presenter at the conference, sharing my last trip to India with the many conference attendees.

We enjoyed the great speakers, plenary sessions, and fellowship, and we had the opportunity to get to know their President's Representative Dr. Phil and Ramsey Williams from Huntsville, Alabama. Another amazing Rotary experience SHARING ROTARY!

After District 6630's conference, John and I traveled to Evanston, Illinois to meet with the supervisor of our district's support team, Francois Garcia and her staff at RI headquarters. We were introduced to The Rotary Foundation's support group with whom I have dealt over the last year or more, and we had a personal tour of the many areas of the

RI headquarters about which I have heard so much. If you are ever going to Chicago, I would recommend taking the time to go to Evanston and also take a tour of the Rotary One Building located in Chicago.

I have received the Rotary International President Wilfred J. Wilkinson's Presidential Citations for the 2007-2008 Rotary year. I will present these awards to the clubs' presidents or representatives on June 6 at DGE Stan's induction dinner.

As this 2007-2008 Rotary year comes to an end, each club is to be congratulated for its many contributions to the ideals of Rotary. It is this time of the year when you look at your club's goals and determine if they have either been met or are just within reach. There is still time to make your goals a reality.

Thanks to all of you for your leadership and service to Rotary.

*``As long as the grass continues to grow, as long as water continues to flow downhill,
so long Rotary will continue to worship its ideal, the ideal of service.``*

~~ Paul Harris, the Founder of Rotary

IMPORTANT DATES

Due the 5th of every month
Club's Attendance Report
www.rotary6380.org

June 6, 2008
Induction Dinner
DGE Stanley Sherman
Red Run Golf Club
Royal Oak Michigan
Register www.rotary6380.org

June 15-18, 2008
2008 RI Convention
Los Angeles, California, USA
Register: www.rotary6380.org

June 28, 2008
Group Study Exchange
Welcome Home Old Fashioned
Picnic

Location: Lyon Oaks-Woods Edge
Picnic Area
52221 Pontiac Trail Wixom, MI
48393
Register: www.rotary6380.org

September 3 - 7, 2008

RI Zone 28 Institute
Kalahari Waterpark Resort
Sandusky, Ohio
"Take a Rotary Safari"

September 11-14, 2008

RI Zone 22 Institute
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
"Paradise on the Pacific"

June 20-23, 2010

2010 RI Convention ~ Montreal, Quebec

January 18 - 25, 2009
International Assembly
San Diego, California, USA

May 1 - 3, 2009
Rotary District 6380
2008-2009 Conference
Zehnders Of Frankenmuth
June 21 - 24, 2009
2009 RI Convention
Birmingham England

January 17 - 24, 2010
International Assembly
San Diego, California, USA

April 25 -30, 2010
Council on Legislation
Chicago, Illinois USA

Awards Presented at the District Conference

- **The Service Above Self Award** will be presented to **Dr. Arun Kumar** from Bareilly India. During the past few years many from District 6380 traveled to Bareilly India and worked very closely with Dr. Kumar. They witnessed first hand Dr. Kumar's exemplary humanitarian service. This award is normally only granted to a maximum of 150 Rotarians per year who are examples of Service Above Self. Dr. Arun Kumar is very deserving of this award. The award has been mailed to DG TPS Sethi from District 3110 in India. The official presentation will be made to Dr. Kumar in June. District 6380 is very proud to honor Dr. Arun Kumar with the Service Above Self Award.
- **The Rotary Foundation Citation for Meritorious Service** was presented to **PDG Jeff Lichty** from the Clarkston Rotary Club. This award is in recognition to Rotarians who have provided significant service to The Rotary Foundation.
- **The District Literacy Award** was presented to **Dr. Jay Eastman** from the Rochester Rotary Club for his continued dedication to the emphasis of literacy and for all the work that he is doing for the children in Guatemala on an ongoing basis.
- The **District Public Relations Award** was presented to the Bloomfield Hills Rotary Club and the Lake Orion Sunrise Rotary Club
- **The Outstanding Achievement Award** was presented to **Phil Alexander** from the Ann Arbor Rotary Club for his creativity, commitment and diligent efforts and implementation of the Ambassador of Goodwill Award and making a positive difference to the many Rotarians and their families and to Rotary.
- Clubs recognized for their outstanding efforts with Water Projects and Clean Water:
Sterling Heights Rotary Club
Troy Rotary Club
- **Assistant Governor Marc Forest** was recognized for his efforts and his leadership to bring several Rotary clubs in District 6380 together to participate in a joint project.

Governor Presents NEW Annual Awards at District Conference



The Terry Youlton Lifetime Achievement Award

This first annual award was presented to **Dr. Nelson Edwards** from the Livingston Sunrise Rotary Club for his many humanitarian trips to provide eye care to people in poor countries and leading teams of eye doctors on trips to Dominica, Mexico, St. Lucia, Kenya, Grenada and Peru. Dr. Nelson's Rotary work has extended beyond his club and district work. He appreciates Rotary's potential to change the world. Through his dedication, he truly exemplifies someone whose goals in this life revolve around improving the lives of others around the world.



The first annual **PDG Arden Detert Award** was presented to **Sandi Kearney** for her passion, commitment, and work over the years with the RYLA program.



The first annual **PDG Brymer Williams Award** was presented to **Donald Riddell** from the Troy Rotary Club for his outstanding work and commitment over the years with the Ambassadorial Scholarship program.

Congratulations!

District 6380 Induction – District Governor Elect Stanley Sherman

- *Shelley Lake & the Royal Oak Rotary Club*

On Friday, June 6 at the Red Run Golf Club, Stanley Sherman will be celebrated as incoming district governor for 2008-2009. The festivities start with a social hour at 6 p.m. and dinner and program at 7 p.m. We invite you and your guest to come and join the Royal Oak Rotary Club in welcoming Stan Sherman. Registration will be on the district Web site at www.rotary6380.org. You'll be able to pay at the door, cash, check, money order, credit card etc. The cost is \$30 per person. Cash bar available. Come get to know Stan a bit better before his year as governor starts. Hope to see you all on June 6.



District Conference Focuses on PolioPlus

Two events were planned to raise money for PolioPlus during the 2008 District Conference

- The Sector Raffle: \$2,057
- Tickets to Three Men & A Tenor purchased by the community: \$3,600

Total contributions to The Rotary Foundation-PolioPlus \$5,657

Thank you for your support.



District 6380's Top 5 Clubs Rotary Foundation - Annual Giving Per Capita as of April 30, 2008

#1	Clarkson	\$239.15
#1	Tilbury	\$239.09
#2	Livingston Sunrise	\$176.56
#3	Ridgetown	\$175.03
#4	Rochester	\$169.46
#5	Blenheim	\$141.43

8 Clubs have made **NO** contributions

8 Clubs have made contributions **\$500** and under

District 2007-2008 Goal **\$207,127**

Achieved as at April 30, 2008 **\$163,974 = 84.26%**

Rotary Foundation Club Annual Giving Goal 2007-2008

Please review your club's goals and submit as soon as possible so that your contribution is processed during this Rotary year.

Rotary Foundation Contribution form 123 EN is available on the district Web site at www.rotary6380.org or at www.rotary.org

How Do You Find Your Rotary Foundation Information on Your Personal Account?

- Go to www.rotary.org Click on Member Access in the upper right corner.
- Under Rotary Business Online, enter your user name and password.
- Once logged in, enter your membership number (number on the mailing label of *The Rotarian* magazine), club number, and district number.

***We exist temporarily through what we take,
but we live forever through what we give.***
Douglas M. Lawson

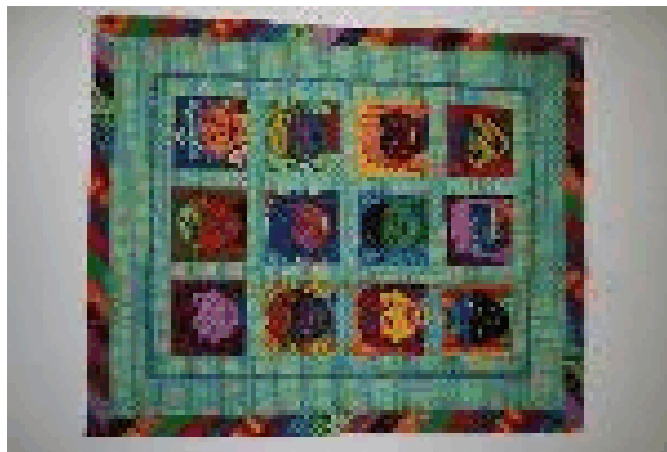
Bid Now to Win Children of the World Quilt

Debbie Jackson has constructed this quilt. It is 45 inches wide by 55 inches tall. The quilt will be sold to the highest bidder. This is a great opportunity to acquire a beautiful quilt (which would make an impressive wall hanging). Not only can individuals bid, but consider having your club make a bid and award the quilt to someone in your club.

One hundred percent of proceeds will go to support PolioPlus. Draw will be made on June 28 at the GSE Welcome Home Old Fashioned Picnic.

Please send your bid to Debbie Jackson at damj@comcast.net or phone her at (248) 459-1399.

Check District 6380's Web site at www.rotary6380.org to see the latest bid.



District 6380's GSE Team's Letter From Turkey

Hello Judy and Audrey,

We are well and bid you and the district conference greetings from Turkey! We hope that the hard work you have put into organizing the district conference is as successful as the GSE Team that you organized is.

What an experience we are having! Everywhere we travel and everyone we meet has treated us like royalty. Rotarians in District 2440 are wonderful people and they have bent over backward to make our visit to their respective cities as comfortable as possible. They have spared no expense and they have sacrificed much to spend so much time with each of us. All of them wish you the very best.

Our travels through the countryside have been memorable and beautiful but we have quickly learned that the essence of Turkey is its wonderful people. We really must continue the relationship we are creating with District 2440 in the future – they hope that we will and it would bode well for the seeds we have planted here this month.

Our Web site has been updated recently and we welcome everyone at the district conference to inspect it at www.gseturkey.com

Thank you from all of us for this incredible opportunity you and District 6380 has afforded us. We wish you and all the participants at this year's district conference the very best for a successful event.

Yours in Rotary,

Mark Farlow, GSE Team Leader

Scott Brills, Jana Green,

Angie Maher, & Jaimi Tarnow

Welcome Home GSE Team From Turkey - Old Fashioned Picnic



On Saturday, June 28 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., the Family of Rotary, District 6380 welcomes you to come and enjoy a summer day.

Location is Lyon Oaks – Woods Edge Picnic Area-52221 Pontiac Trail, Wixom, Michigan 48393 (between Old Plank and Wixom Roads) Lyon Township

There will be food, games, fellowship and fun.

Parking \$7 less coupon on-line for \$1
Registration \$5 per person; children under 10 free

Details and registration at www.rotary6380.org

Bring a dish to pass and your table settings (cups, dishes, silverware, etc.)

If your last name starts with a particular letter you are asked to bring the following:

Appetizers A - F

Side Dishes G - L

Salads M - R

Desserts S - Z

We'll provide the meat and the cooks.

Hope to see you there.

Questions, call Shelley Lake at (248) 544-2300 or
Shelley: lakesh@sbcglobal.net
Audrey: achevalier1@cogeco.ca

Celebrate Rotary Fellowship Month In June

"Fellowship is wonderful;
it illuminates life's pathway,
spreads good cheer,
and is worth high price."

Rotary Founder Paul Harris

Promote Rotary Fellowships to your club members.
Have a Rotarian that is involved with a Rotary fellowship
speak about their experiences with the program
(yachting, Rotarians On the Internet, motorcycles, flying)

For general information, visit www.rotary.org
and search for Rotary Fellowships

**Greetings to District 6380
Rotary Club Presidents and District Staff:**

The District 6380 Outbound Ambassadorial Scholar Selection Committee will be open for business to consider applications for 2009-10 scholarships in the coming months. I have had communications from and supplied applications to a few clubs who anticipate that they will nominate candidates. So far we have received one application.

All clubs are encouraged to seek and support worthy candidates. The deadline for submitting applications to the district will be June 13. The committee will interview candidates during the summer months, probably in July, and choose at least one candidate for nomination to The Rotary Foundation. This year we are sponsoring two Ambassadorial Scholars. Whether the district's finances will support that again this year, if it turns out that there is more than one outstanding candidate, remains to be seen.

As you know, the Rotary International Web site has extensive information about the Ambassadorial Scholarship program and the application can be downloaded. But I still have a few copies of it and will be glad to mail one to any club that so requests until my inventory is exhausted.

*Yours in Rotary, Paul Glendon
Outbound Ambassadorial Scholarships Chair*

04/12/2008

Dear Governor District 6380,

Time flies fast. It seems only yesterday that I arrived in Ann Arbor.

I have almost completed all of my course work at the University of Michigan, Ross School of Business and I am ready to graduate. I would like to say thank you to all of Rotarians who supported me well and I am really glad to be here as an ambassadorial scholar.

So far, I have served Ann Arbor community as one of Rotaract of U-M members and mingled with local people a lot. However, I still need more time to complete my experiences in Ann Arbor. Therefore, I would like to let you know in advance that I would like to extend my stay in Ann Arbor until 2nd week of July. Right after that, I will be back to Japan and start to serve my host Rotary club in Japan. I am qualified to stay here, meeting Rotary Foundation's qualification guidelines including self-financed stay for extension period.

Now the spring has come to Michigan and we feel of spring the air. I will keep working as a bridge between Japan and U.S. and I hope I will be able to contribute to mutual understanding between two nations.

Yours Sincerely,

Jun Usaka

International Ambassadorial Scholar of 2007-2008

**District 6380
Membership Awards**

A number of clubs have worked hard on membership this year. District 6380 created several new awards to recognize those clubs that have worked hard.



Those recognized at the district conference for these special, District 6380 specific, awards include:

- Largest Membership Committee: Ann Arbor (20 members on committee)
- Most New Members Inducted in One Month: Ann Arbor (18 New Members in March)
- Highest Percent Growth in One Month: Dexter (8% in January)
- Most Creative New Member Classification: Blenheim (Translator) Dexter (Reflexologist)
- Largest Number of Potential Members at a Membership Blitz: Rochester (50)
- Most Creative Membership Blitz: Novi (Dr. Lee Meadows Lunch & Learn Seminar on Business Communication)

Our clubs have worked hard on membership this year allowing District 6380 to be recognized as one of the top four districts to grow in our zone this year. Nominations for the official Rotary International Membership Recognition Awards were submitted to Rotary International. We expect a number of the clubs in our district to be recognized this year and will share those award recipients in a future newsletter.

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*Courage is what it takes
to stand up and speak;
courage is also what it takes
to sit down and listen.
Winston Churchill*

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What's New for the 2010 Council on Legislation?

Deadline for Submitting Legislation

1. The deadline to submit legislation for the 2010 Council is 31 December 2008. Legislation must be received by this date in order to be considered duly proposed. Legislation received on or after 1 January 2009 will be considered late—no exceptions for the New Year's holiday will be made.
2. Legislation proposed or endorsed at a district conference or through a ballot-by-mail should be submitted **within 45 days** of the conclusion of the conference or the date fixed by the governor for receipt of ballots through a ballot-by-mail. (31 December 2008 still in effect).
3. Districts are encouraged to endorse and propose **no more than five** legislative items per district.

Deadline for Submitting Amendments

The deadline to receive corrective amendments for legislation received by 31 December 2008 is **31 March 2009** (unless extended by the Constitution and Bylaws Committee).

Publication of Legislation

The volume of Proposed Legislation will be mailed to each governor, past directors, members of the Council, and the secretary of any club that requests it by **30 September 2009**.

The New Timeline is:

- 31 December 2008 / Year 2 Deadline for receipt of legislation, except the RI Board may submit enactments of an urgent nature until 31 December in the year of the Council (the Board may still submit resolutions at any time)
- 31 March 2009 / Year 2 Deadline for receipt of amendments by proposers to amend their own proposals
- 30 September 2009 / Year 3 Deadline for publication of legislation in English

Resolutions

Resolutions will be considered defective, and therefore not transmitted to the 2010 Council, if they

- 1) require an action or express an opinion that is in conflict with the spirit of the RI constitutional documents; or
- 2) require or request an administrative act that is within the discretion of the RI Board or the general secretary.

For more information about the 2010 Council on Legislation, please visit the Council portion of www.rotary.org or contact Council Services at (847) 866-3302 or councilservices@rotary.org

Rotary World Peace Fellowships Call for Applications

The Rotary Foundation announces a call for applications for the 2009-11 Rotary World Peace Fellowships (RWPF) and January and June 2009 Rotary Peace and Conflict Studies (RPCS) Program sessions. The deadline for completed applications to be submitted to The Rotary Foundation for these sessions is July 1.

APPLICATIONS TO BE FORWARDED TO:
District 6380 Chair Joel Bussell (248) 417-7700
Joel.morton@comcast.net
Foundation Chair: PDG Jeff Lichty (248) 802-7725
jlichty11@earthlink.net

Program Synopses

The Rotary Centers for International Studies program offers fellowships for master's degree study fields related to peace and conflict resolution. Beyond academics, Rotary World Peace Fellows also gain practical skills in conflict resolution appropriate to their individual careers.

Up to 60 Rotary World Peace Fellows each year enroll in the six Rotary Centers based at leading universities in five countries: International Christian University, Japan; Universidad del Salvador, Argentina; University of Bradford, United Kingdom; University of Queensland, Australia; University of California-Berkeley, California and Duke University and University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, N.C.

The Rotary Peace and Conflict Studies Program is a professional development program held in Bangkok, Thailand, through which up to 30 participants embark on three months of intensive study instructed by some of the leading specialists in the peace and conflict resolution fields. The specialized curriculum has been crafted to capitalize on the experience of both participants and lecturers while balancing theoretical and practical learning.

Ideal for busy professionals, the customized program helps promising leaders expand their global outlook, strengthen their negotiation skills, and ultimately make a positive impact on future peace and conflict resolution efforts worldwide.

Promotional Materials

Please use this announcement to advertise Rotary's peace programs and recruit applicants. We appreciate your help and support as we train leaders to build peace.

For More Information

Please contact Laura Tell, Rotary Centers Program Assistant, at (847) 866-3307 with questions or for more information. Program materials and participant profiles can be downloaded at www.rotary.org



PDG Donald Chisholm Selected by Nominating Committee as District 6380's Delegate to the 2010 Council on Legislation

PDG Donald Chisholm from the Royal Oak Rotary Club has been selected as District 6380's delegate to the 2010 Council on Legislation.

PDG Keith Koke from the Chatham Rotary Club has been selected as the alternate.

Congratulations to both Don and Keith for allowing your names to stand as the delegates from District 6380. The 2010 COL is scheduled for April 25-30, 2010 in Chicago.

Mount Clemens Rotary Club Bets on Success

A “Night at the Races” was a wonderful success. Six fun-filled races brought laughs and smiles on everyone in attendance. The entire event grossed \$29,000, netting \$25,620. \$5,800 was made on the horses and the betting. The silent auction fell a bit short with only \$8,000. \$7,000 was made on the ticket raffle. We also made money off the dinners. For all who attended, “A Night at the Races” benefitted several charities including Macomb Literacy, the YMCA and Habitat for Humanity. ~ ~ *Nancy Dedenbach, president elect*



Information that appeared in *The Macomb Daily* and in other media:

Celebrating Kentucky Derby season a little early, the Mount Clemens Rotary Foundation's "A Night at the Races for Charity" was in

April at Zuccaro Banquets & Catering in Chesterfield. Toy stick horses vied for the rosy prize, some decked out to match their "jockeys" in the Derby's signature hats.

Spectators placed sure bets that the club will help people in the greater Mount Clemens area and worldwide. Rotary aims to eliminate polio, get wheelchairs to as many needy people as possible, and provide a way for people who don't have clean water to have it.

A silent auction included a men's wardrobe consultation and custom tailored suit, top-of-the line kitchen cabinets, and a sail on Lake St. Clair on a racing sailboat followed by a yacht club dinner. Bidders came away with a five-day dine-around at five downtown Mount Clemens restaurants, or four days at a three-bedroom Lake Huron cottage.

Someone will be the editor for a day at *The Macomb Daily* and may give their commentary and views to 70,000 readers. Someone also won a quarter page of Macomb Daily display ad space. There were three elaborate hunting packages, two game hunting opportunities in Dryden, and duck hunting on Lake St. Clair. Golfers bid on a PGA-approved physical training program or eight golf lessons from a PGA golf pro.

Auction packages included an in-home portrait session, a U-M football game tailgate party for four, a catered party for 35, and a stock of wine with advice on pairing wine and food. Two people will see the last Pistons game of the season at The Palace with VIP parking pass and Pistons gift certificate, and four will attend a Detroit Tigers game. Someone won a one year single membership to the Macomb Family YMCA, including four professional personal training sessions and access to fitness equipment.

"This is a fun fundraiser," event chair Nancy Dedenbach said. "We had the most fun last year. Everyone got involved and laughed and laughed. It was just a hoot."

Shelterboxes for Myanmar

As the humanitarian crisis worsened in Myanmar's delta region after a powerful cyclone hit on 3 May, a response team of four specially trained volunteers moved into devastated areas to distribute more than 800 ShelterBox containers. More than one million people have been left homeless by the disaster, and 100,000 are feared dead, the United Nations reports.



ShelterBox, a grassroots disaster relief organization supported by Rotary clubs around the world, was among the first charities to reach cyclone victims. Desperately needed aid from many other international groups had been stalled at the border for days by Myanmar's military government.

The team will work in cooperation with local groups in Myanmar to line up transportation and determine where the shelters will do the most good amid the massive devastation.

The first deployment of ShelterBoxes will benefit more than 10,000 survivors. Each container provides a tent, stove, water purification kit, blankets, tools, and other necessities to help a family of 10 survive for six months. Some include two 10-person tents, doubling the usual shelter capacity.

With no Rotary presence in Myanmar, Rotarians' direct involvement in the relief effort will be limited. But Beth Palmer, executive director of ShelterBox USA, has noticed a spike in online contributions and says her phone has been "ringing off the hook" as Rotary club members have called to donate. ShelterBox offices in Australia, Canada, and Germany have reported a similar increase in contributions.

Tom Henderson, a member of the Rotary Club of Helston-Lizard, England, and the founder of ShelterBox, says 224 containers left Dubai, United Arab Emirates. Another 220 boxes have been sent from Melbourne, Australia, and 400 were from ShelterBox headquarters in Cornwall, England.

ShelterBox was launched in 2000 as a project of the Helston-Lizard club and quickly garnered support among Rotary clubs worldwide. To date, the nonprofit has raised \$29 million and delivered aid to over 40 countries in response to more than 70 disasters. Each complete ShelterBox costs \$1,000 to sponsor, and Rotary clubs provide about half the charity's funding.



SAVE THE DATE!

May 1, 2, 3, 2009 Rotary District 6380 2008-2009 Conference Zehnders in Frankenmuth, Michigan. Plan to attend so that you can celebrate next year's theme and successes as we ***Make Dreams Real***. Watch for a special early registration drawing for a FREE conference package.

Rotary Video Magazine

The *Rotarian Video Magazine* is a DVD series that showcases extraordinary Rotary projects and people from around the world. Produced three times a year, RVM DVDs feature three to four short video stories designed to motivate, educate, and inspire. Show one or more stories at club meetings, new member orientations, or on community cable network channels. Give copies of RVM to Group Study Exchange participants, club speakers, and area libraries and schools. To order go to www.rotary.org Search RVM. Order single copies of RVM for \$15 or subscribe for just \$30 and receive a new DVD three times a year.



Rotary International District 6380's Support Team

Ryan Hillard, Governor Audrey, Paul Harris, Jaclyn Carlsen, Chris Brown, Supervisor Francoise Garcia

Ann Arbor Briarwood - New Name Ann Arbor Sunrise Approved By RI

Decision: The Board of Directors of Rotary International, the general secretary acting on its behalf, in accordance with article 19, section 2, of the Standard Rotary Club Constitution, approves the below--stated change in name and the amendment to article 2 of the constitution of the Rotary Club of Ann Arbor-Briarwood, Michigan, USA, District 6380.

Current Name:

Ann Arbor-Briarwood, Michigan, USA

New Name:

Ann Arbor Sunrise, Michigan, USA

Best wishes in your new identity!

Jaclyn Carlsen

Rotary International

Club & District Support

Northern Pan America

Phone: 847-866-3269

Fax: 847-556-2134

E-mail: jaclyn.carlsen@rotary.org

Meetings Fridays, 7:15 a.m.

Meeting Place: Weber's Inn

3050 Jackson Road

Ann Arbor, MI (new location)



The LA Rotary International Conference is just a few weeks away. RI International President, Wilf Wilkinson, has asked that every Rotarian attending the LA2008 Convention to donate one or more books, which will be distributed by **Reading By 9** to school children in Southern California and Nevada. Please bring books for kindergarten through third grade only. Any language is welcome. Also, you can insert a personal note including the name of your Rotary club. Please contact District Governor Audrey if you would like to donate books from your Rotary club.

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www.rotary.org

District 6380 Status as of April 30, 2008

Rotary			YTD	2006-07	2007-08	2007-08	2007-08	2007-08	Annual	Annual
International District 6380 Statistics	Membership as of Jul-07 SAR	Membership Reported to District 30-Apr-08	net gain or loss	Foundation Annual Giving (actual)	Foundation Annual Giving (Club Pledge)	Foundation Annual Giving 30-Apr-08	Foundation Restricted Giving 30-Apr-08	Foundation Permanent Fund 30-Apr-08	Giving Per Capita Rank	Giving Per Capita
Club										
Anchor Bay	25	25	0	\$ -	\$ 2,800	\$ -	\$ 50			\$ -
Ann Arbor	307	319	12	\$ 36,937	\$ 30,000	\$ 37,080	\$ 26,317			\$ 120.78
Ann Arbor Sunrise	14	15	1	\$ -	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,300				\$ 92.86
Ann Arbor North	40	36	-4	\$ 5,420	\$ 4,200	\$ 825	\$ 3,575			\$ 20.63
Auburn Hills	15	17	2	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,800	\$ 1,600	\$ 4,500			\$ 106.67
Berkley	26	28	2	\$ 2,290	\$ 3,875	\$ 1,338		\$ 20		\$ 51.46
Birmingham	75	86	11	\$ 2,300	\$ 8,500	\$ 10,140	\$ 11,130			\$ 135.20
Blenheim	28	30	2	\$ 3,253	\$ 2,700	\$ 3,960	\$ 1,650		5	\$ 141.43
Bloomfield Hills	26	27	1	\$ 6,206	\$ 2,500	\$ 3,200		\$ 1,000		\$ 123.08
Brighton	74	77	3	\$ 8,500	\$ 8,000	\$ 5,427	\$ 100			\$ 73.34
Chatham	69	70	1	\$ 3,979	\$ 7,272	\$ 6,594		\$ 1,003		\$ 95.57
Chatham Sunrise	32	33	1	\$ 5,811	\$ 3,600	\$ 3,445	\$ 300			\$ 107.66
Chelsea	27	31	4	\$ 795	\$ 2,800	\$ 475				\$ 17.59
Clarkston	34	31	-3	\$ 6,325	\$ 3,200	\$ 8,131	\$ 4,000		1	\$ 239.15
Clawson	21	18	-3	\$ 2,100	\$ 2,000	\$ -				\$ -
Clinton Township Sunrise	27	16	-11	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -				\$ -
Davisburg	22	21	-1	\$ 5,147	\$ 2,200	\$ 354				\$ 16.09
Dexter	25	31	6	\$ 3,000	\$ 2,600	\$ 1,250				\$ 50.00
Dresden	25	24	-1	\$ 2,072	\$ 1,250	\$ 2,000				\$ 80.00
Eastpointe	16	16	0	\$ -	\$ 1,800	\$ 1,000				\$ 62.50
Farmington	26	25	-1	\$ 5,433	\$ 3,000	\$ 500	\$ 350			\$ 19.23
Ferndale	20	19	-1	\$ 286	\$ 1,900	\$ 565		\$ 1,240		\$ 28.25
Fowlerville	29	30	1	\$ 1,500	\$ 2,900	\$ -				\$ -
Howell	45	46	1	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,253			\$ 22.22
Lake Orion	21	26	5	\$ -	\$ 4,400	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000			\$ 47.62
Lakes Area	12	16	4	\$ 1,710	\$ 1,400	\$ 200				\$ 16.67
Livingston Sunrise	64	61	-3	\$ -	\$ 6,500	\$ 11,300			2	\$ 176.56
Lyon Area	0	22	22							
Madison Heights	14	13	-1	\$ 1,345	\$ 1,500	\$ -				\$ -
Milan	17	21	4	\$ 1,300	\$ 1,600	\$ 400				\$ 23.53
Milford	33	29	-4	\$ 2,264	\$ 1,900	\$ 100				\$ 3.03
Mt. Clemens	87	84	-3	\$ 17,514	\$ 12,880	\$ 3,311				\$ 38.06
Novi	49	47	-2	\$ 4,611	\$ 5,000	\$ 6,011				\$ 122.67
Ortonville	14	15	1	\$ -	\$ 1,400	\$ -				\$ -
Oxford	47	45	-2	\$ 3,830	\$ 5,300	\$ 1,200				\$ 25.53
Pontiac	23	25	2	\$ 2,250	\$ 2,300	\$ 1,350		\$ 100		\$ 58.70
Richmond	42	37	-5	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,200	\$ 4,000				\$ 95.24
Ridgeway	34	33	-1	\$ 5,000	\$ 3,700	\$ 5,951	\$ 555		3	\$ 175.03
Rochester	98	97	-1	\$ 25,125	\$ 21,600	\$ 16,607			4	\$ 169.46
Romeo	10	12	2	\$ 200	\$ 800	\$ 100				\$ 10.00
Royal Oak	46	47	1	\$ 5,533	\$ 5,500	\$ 2,278				\$ 49.52
Saline	40	33	-7	\$ 2,410	\$ 4,500	\$ 500		\$ 200		\$ 12.50
Southfield	14	16	2	\$ 200	\$ 1,500	\$ 200				\$ 14.29
Sterling Heights	23	24	1	\$ 4,325	\$ 2,200	\$ 2,600	\$ 8,100			\$ 113.04
Thamesville	15	9	-6	\$ 231	\$ 550	\$ 2,000				\$ 133.33
Tilbury	23	24	1	\$ 3,037	\$ 2,100	\$ 5,499			1	\$ 239.09
Troy	38	38	0	\$ 2,568	\$ 2,500	\$ 1,000	\$ 5,000			\$ 26.32
Utica-Shelby	12	14	2	\$ 1,700	\$ 1,300	\$ 1,600	\$ 1,000			\$ 133.33
Wallaceburg	15	11	-4	\$ -	\$ 2,000	\$ 408				\$ 27.20
Warren	29	32	3	\$ 162	\$ 2,000	\$ -	\$ 5,000			\$ -
Waterford	33	32	-1	\$ 6,250	\$ 6,200	\$ 3,175				\$ 96.21
West Bloomfield	22	23	1	\$ 1,100	\$ 2,300	\$ 1,465				\$ 66.59
Ypsilanti	23	22	-1	\$ 2,500	\$ 2,500	\$ 1,535	\$ 1,050			\$ 66.74
District 6380				\$ 1,213						
District Total	1946	1979	33	\$ 203,232	\$ 210,027	\$ 163,974	\$ 27,534	\$ 3,563		
Per Capita ->				\$ 104.86	\$ 108.37	\$ 84.26				