Wheel Chair Distribution - Ixtapan, Mexico



Rotarians, You donated \$200,000. in wheel chairs this year. Great Job **Thank You!**







This day was special as we traveled in different groups to distribute books and computers to ten schools in the area. In addition, our group distributed several wheel chairs sponsored by District 7080 members and it was great to have Dale and Mary Devlin from RC Milton participate in this special experience.

Rotarians walked proudly through the town square to where wheel chair recipients patiently waited. Local Rotarians had already set up chairs for each person identified to receive one and it was a thrill to see them proudly show off their new mode of transportation.

This project was much more than giving mobility to the handicapped. It provided freedom for a whole family, who previously had been tied down assisting a family member. Through your generous support, you also provided a sense of freedom and opportunity for the recipients to live a more normal life. For some, it will help them be more active and possibly even become a bread winner for their family. Later, we met the State Governor and Secretary of Health who conveyed appreciation to Rotarians for our great work in helping the needy population. Those who contributed toward a wheel chair can take much pride and satisfaction in knowing you have made a great difference in the life of someone you may never know.





In addition to club and individual contributions the Milton and Kitchener Westmount clubs each funded a container of chairs. The Wheel Chair Foundation and Rotary Foundation also provided matching funds.



"Congratulations for your outstanding support. God bless you and Rotarians in your district for your outstanding work to help people in need." Past RI Director, Guatemala