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Many thanks to all who have donated to The Rotary Foundation allowing projects around our District and around the world to succeed.

Many thanks, too, to everyone who has donated their time in supporting the District Foundation review and allocation process.



CONTACT US

Interested in helping to with the District 7850 Foundation allocation and review process? Everyone is welcome!

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2024-25 Fall District 7850 Foundation Report

September 29, 2024

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION'S MISSION

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.



Burlington	Food Security Program	3,000
Charlotte-Shelburne	bike repair stations	2,000
Essex	Playground, Kyrgyzstan	4,000
Kingdom Impact	Hockey Equipment	630
Lancaster	Book about Rotary	1,000
Lincoln-Woodstock	Veteran Rehab Literacy	1,000
Littleton	Grenada Eye Care Missio	1,000
Middlebury	Window Dressers	1,100
Morrisville	Library Literacy	1,000
MRV	Rise Against Hunger	1,500
Newport	Beautify Newport	3,000
North Conway	Gibson Sr Ctr Emergency	940
Northfield	Emergency Center Suppli	1,000
Randolph Sunrise	Benches	750
St Albans	Senior Center Update	3,000
Vergennes	Clean Historical Monumer	950
Waterbury	Scholarship	4,000
		29,870

2024-25 District Grants

Initial Allocation

On October 7, 2023 the District Governor track and Foundation Committee met to discuss allocation of the \$29,870 available DDF. The decision was made to allocate \$25,414 to district grants and up to \$5,000 to teacher scholarships.

Actual Distribution

During the May 11, 2024 district grant review meeting the committee approved \$4,000 in teacher scholarships and \$25,870 in district grants (listed above) for the 2024-25 year.

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“DDF” - District Designated Funds are monies available to District 7850 because of generous donations made by D7850 Rotarians. \$30k available to us now in DDF means Rotarians in our district donated \$120k three years ago!

FINAL REPORTS

Final reports for the district grants listed are due May 15, 2025. We expect to be able to successfully close the 2024-25 year without issue again next year to allow Rotary International to approve releasing the 2025-26 DDF funds by mid- to late June.

2025-26 District Grants

On September 29, 2024 the District team met to review and allocate the 2024-25 available DDF of \$30,655. The team allocated up to \$5,000 to the teachers' scholarship and \$25,655 to District Grants.

Applications for the 2025-26 year are due April 25, 2025. The foundation review committee will meet on May 10, 2025 to review grant applications, interview teacher scholarship applicants and determine fund distribution.