Welcome President-elect,

This is our fifth letter in the series. Here we will discuss the Rotary Foundation and the Six Areas of Focus.

To help prepare you for your year as the President of your club, we are asking that you will once again, as you have done in the past, access the learning modules in your My Rotary account which can be accessed on Rotary.org.

We would like you to think about how donations from our members do so much good in the world and in our districts and communities. One of your goals will be to set a Foundation Giving goal for your club. We would like you to think about what that number would be. We would like you to also think about the Six Areas of Focus and which areas you may want to focus service/projects on in your year.

You will find really a really good overview of information on the Rotary Foundation under [Rotary Foundation Basics](http://msgfocus.rotary.org/c/1zUTuswYrxO50olzXWhZpXjzr0). This will include a video and a Powerpoint presentation that you can you use for sharing the Rotary Foundation with your clubs. There are other Foundation Resources you can access at the Learning Center. These are being updated regularly.

Here is the great news, you can do these at your own pace. We hope you will be able to have this Rotary Foundation Basics finished by the time we see you at pre-PETS in February.

We look forward to seeing you all February 8th in Lebanon and March 5th in Framingham!

Yours in Rotary Service,

Steve Puderbaugh

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**Resources & Reference’s for Your Leisure**

* [The Rotary Foundation Reference Guide](https://my.rotary.org/en/document/rotary-foundation-reference-guide" \t "_blank)
* Every Rotarian Every Year brochures
  + [USA and Canada](https://my.rotary.org/en/document/every-rotarian-every-year-brochure-usa-and-canada)
  + [Doing Good in the World - Every Rotarian Every Year (EREY) club presentation](https://my.rotary.org/en/document/doing-good-world-every-rotarian-every-year-erey-club-presentation)
* [Connect for Good](https://my.rotary.org/en/document/connect-good)
* [End Polio Now website](http://www.endpolio.org/)
* [End Polio Now advocacy flier](http://shop.rotary.org/PolioPlus-Advocacy-Flier/dp/B00A6VPY0Y)
* [“Global Outlook: A Rotarian’s Guide to Advocacy for Polio Eradication” (The Rotarian, February 2013)](https://my.rotary.org/en/document/global-outlook-series-guide-advocacy-polio-eradication)
* [Lead Your Club: Rotary Foundation Committee](https://my.rotary.org/en/document/lead-your-club-rotary-foundation-committee)
* [Lead Your District: Rotary Foundation Committee](https://my.rotary.org/en/document/lead-your-district-rotary-foundation-committee-manual)
* [Grants – The ABC’s](https://www.rotary.org/en/our-programs/grants)