

Our District Doing Good in the World

One half of the money that is donated to the Rotary Foundation comes back to our District to use as we choose. Half of that is reserved for District (local) Grants, the other goes for Global Grants that we choose.

Over the last five years, our District has used over \$200,000 to match with club and additional matching from Rotary International to do good in the world. That total is

\$609,263

- Below are the global grants during the last five years.
- See this page if you want more information on how your club can participate in a global grant ([link](#))
- Your club can use the [Rotary Service Project Center](#) to find partners for global grants.

Global Grants

2025

Improvement of Anganwadi Centers (Courtyard Shelters) in Revenue Districts of Pune and Raigad

to upgrade facilities, provide educational support and training, and build capacity to 38 Anganwadi centers in and around the Pune and Raigad Districts, India. (GG2568787)

Local Club: Omaha-Suburban

Total Grant: \$54,178

Local Club(s)	District	World Fund	Other
10,500	10,000	12,000	21,678

2024

Power to the People: Reducing CO2 Emissions One School at a Time

to provide solar power to rural schools in order to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in and around Pune, India. (GG2461193)

Local Clubs: Omaha-Suburban

Total Grant: \$36,500

Local Club(s)	District	World Fund	Other
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13,125	12,500	10,000	875
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2023

Improving the Nutrition and Health of Children in Lililale Zambia

provide WASH interventions, agricultural programs and nutrition education in Zimba, Zambia.
(GG2234018)

Local Clubs: Lincoln East, Lincoln, Omaha, Seward, Beatrice

Total Grant: \$32,200

Local Club(s)	District	World Fund	Other
11,500	11,500	9,200	0

2023

500 girl's immunisation against cervical cancer by giving vaccine against human papilloma virus.

to provide 1000 doses of Cervavac for the prevention of cervical cancer in the cities of Sangli & Miraj in Maharashtra, India (GG2236856)

Local Club: District project

Total Grant: \$37,145

Local Club(s)	District	World Fund	Other
-	7,000	11,200	

2021

Freeport Rand Memorial Hospital Beds Initiative

to supply Rand Memorial Hospital with 23 essential pieces of medical equipment, including 18 hospital beds, 2 birthing beds, 2 emergency stretchers, and 1 defibrillator in Freeport, Bahamas.
(GG2015418)

Local Clubs: Seward, Lincoln East, York, Friend, Lincoln South

Total Grant: \$89,280

Local Club(s)	District	World Fund	Other
9,120	25,350	38,210	16,600

2021

Medical Equipment for the Koutiala Hospital for Women and Children's network

provide the hospital with equipment to help improve on its existing medical services to women & young children, enable the hospital to support more issues and offer expanded needed medical services to the women & young children in the community in Koutia (GG2094213)

Local Club: Omaha Night

Total Grant: \$112,500

Local Club(s)	District	World Fund	Other
35,000	30,000	47,500	0

2020

Hope for Togo: Center for Excellence Hospital & Health Centers

To provide X-ray equipment, medication and supplies for The Center for Excellence in Agbelouve, Togo. (GG1871474)

Local Club: Omaha-Suburban

Total Grant: \$97,460

Local Club(s)	District	World Fund	Other
27,846	27,846	41,768	0

Scholarships

For more information: <https://www.rotary.org/en/our-programs/scholarships>

Our district participates in the Global Grant Scholarships and Rotary Peace Fellowships. Global Scholarship grants are for a total of \$30,000 that is used for an advanced degree in one of the areas of focus. Below are the grants related to scholarships in the past 5 years:

2026

Kumiyo Murata

to provide a scholarship to Kumiyo Murata to pursue a PhD in Biomechanics and Kinesiology at University of Nebraska Omaha in Omaha, NE, USA (GG2580441)

2025

Anna Singharath

to provide a scholarship to Ms. Anna Singharath to receive an MA in International Relations from the Sciences Po Bordeaux, Bordeaux, France (GG2466709)

2025

Lucy Kain

to provide a scholarship to Ms. Lucy Kain to receive an MA in International Development (funding for second year) from Sciences Po, Paris, France (GG2579584)

2022

William Lighthart

to provide a scholarship to Mr. William Lighthart to receive an MA in Human Rights and Humanitarian Action (funding year 2) from Sciences Po, Paris France (GG2234130)