

FROM THE DISTRICT TRF CHAIR BY PDG ORRIN MAHONEY

hat a year it has been. Just last week I received a Facebook memory reminder that one year ago, I was in Ecuador on a Rotary Global Grant project trip. And what a great experience that was: seeing the project site and it's beneficiaries, meeting our partner Club members and getting to know them, and of course, learning about the country where the project is located.



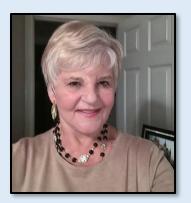


During my 20 years in Rotary, I have been able to go on 13 World Community Service trips including

China, India, Mexico, and Central and South America. On my first trip to Chile in 2002, we dedicated an intensive care unit in a children's hospital that is still saving over 100 children's lives every year. This project started with a small grant proposal from one Club, but gathered partners from the Packard Foundation and Stanford Hospital, as well as the traditional matching from other clubs and The Rotary Foundation.

What a great introduction for me to see the power of partnership and matching dollars from TRF. Needless to say, I was hooked on International Service, a passion that remains today. Of course I have now learned that these projects cannot be done without the funding from The Rotary Foundation, specifically the Annual Fund (SHARE) program. That is why I am excited to be chairing the District TRF team this year and kicking off our Annual Fund Drive. Your Club Foundation chairs will be seeing more details about the program from Paul Iannaccone, our Annual Fund Chair, over the next few weeks.

We have work to do to beat last year's amount but I am confident that, working together, we can accomplish that goal.





RC Cupertino and RC Tomebamba in Cuenca, Ecuador Implement Grant Despite COVID-19 Setbacks

Domestic violence shelter receives water system, garden, and therapy offerings thanks to a Rotary Global Grant

By Irmgard Lafrentz

Rotary Global Grant project to support Casa Maria Amor/Mujeres con Exito, a shelter for victims of domestic violence, women and children has been launched! The Rotary participants in the project, valued at \$48k, are RC Cupertino, RC Tomebamba, RC Modesto Sunrise, and RC Chenai, India.

The shelter is a safe haven, short term housing, and training center for women and children who need to escape from physical, sexual, and mental abuse. There are two safe houses, one in the center of Cuenca with five rooms to accommodate victims rescued at night. Another, much bigger shelter is in a secret location with 13 rooms which can accommodate up to 20 families. Families are considered the abused women, often as young as 18, and their children, so the shelter is buzzing with activity much of the time.



The Rotary Global Grant's areas of focus are Peace and

Conflict Prevention Resolution. It includes alternative therapies, an agricultural project, and an improved water system.

What is considered "alternative therapy"? Imagine women and children who arrive traumatized, scared, and hopeless. The therapy sessions include traditional talk and touch



therapy, group sessions, and friendship building. The Rotary Global Grant now allows alternatives which include working with the earth, animals, and connecting humans with the elements. Part of the grant funds will be used to build a 10,000 sq. ft. garden (see photo) to be

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maintained by the women and older kids under the guidance of an expert gardener. The crops will be used in the shelter kitchen to offer improved nutrition. Eventually, there will be an animal pen which will be tended by the smaller children. The vision is to have a small operational farm that produces food for the shelter's use and eventually to sell as a means of income generation.



The Ecuadorian institutional partners for the grant are the

University of Cuenca Department of Nutrition, Psychology, and Agriculture and the Department of Civil Engineering, which will develop the water system.

What impact has the COVID-19 virus had? Like everywhere else, activity came to a screeching halt. However, adjusting to the new normal, all the women of the shelter have decided to go to work preparing the land for the garden by hand so they can plant and harvest within 6 months. The therapy, nutrition seminars, and workshops are held virtually. For this, a high-speed internet connection was installed (no easy task in such remote area) thanks to the grant and it even allowed for the purchase of several laptops. The Rotary grant helped online learning to make its way into rural Ecuador

Water System



Water is one of the most important resources in poor mountainous areas. Often, illegal mining has polluted natural rivers and wells. The existing water system at the shelter does not provide enough clean water for consumption. Civil engineer Alfonso Neira is a Rotarian who has inspected and analyzed the system. He has installed carbon filters to improve water quality and UV lights to disinfect recycled water and remove chlorine. (see photo)

The entire shelter complex which includes several buildings, including a kindergarten, rec room, kitchen, bathrooms, and therapy rooms is fully sustainable in terms of building materials and waste management. Absolutely everything is recycled, and nothing goes to waste.

The Rotary Global Grant will continue to greatly improve the lives of hundreds of women and children over the years by offering them a safe place to heal, grow, and learn.

Travel Opportunity

There will be a travel opportunity in 2021 to visit Casa Maria Amor/ Mujeres con Exito with side trip to Galapagos. Please inquire for details irmgard@globalpresspr.com.

Rotary International and District 5170 **Rotarians Fight Covid-19** By Geeta Kadambi (with Jon Winston) Co-Chairs, District Grants Committee

Rotary International has always been on the forefront for combating large pandemics. Polio is a shining case study that we are certainly very close to eradicating. The new pandemic took the world by surprise. What did Rotary International do? It encouraged Rotarians to step up and write Covid-19 related global grants and turned around and approved these grants in record speed.

What is the new pandemic? It is called Covid-19. COVID-19, 'CO' stands for 'corona,' 'VI' for 'virus,' and 'D' for disease. The virus that causes COVID-19 is thought to spread mainly from person to person, mainly through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs, sneezes, or talks. These droplets can land in the mouths or noses of people who are nearby or possibly be inhaled into the lungs. Spread is more likely when people are in close contact with one another (within about 6 feet).

Under the leadership of Immediate Past District Governor Ramesh Hariharan, District 5170 applied for and received one of the few Disaster Response Grants made available by The Rotary Foundation. This one-time grant was in the sum of \$25,000. Additionally, TRF awarded a global grant in the

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MISSION: INSPIRING EACH OTHER TO TAKE ACTION SO THAT TOGETHER WE CAN CHANGE THE WORLD!

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Valley for the benefit of Rotocare COVID-19 Response-Bay-Area. PDG Ron Sekkel spearheaded the effort. The Rotary Club of Eshowe of District 9370 in South Africa was the

partner club. Rotocare covers 500,000 patient population free of charge to those that have no medical insurance. Personal protective equipment was their pressing need so they can open the clinics, and the volunteer doctors and staff could safely come back and serve their patients.

sum of \$41.100 to the **Rotary Club of Scotts**

TRF awarded \$96,850 to the Rotary Club of Livermore, Area 4 clubs, and international partner E-Club of Lake Atitlán- Panajachel (Guatemala) for response-prioritized material and equipment. In addition, these grant recipients will partner with their healthcare provider partners and local health departments to engage volunteers to participate in:

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 contact tracing, consistent with the CA Governor's office approach, and
other COVID-19 education, outreach and support initiatives.



This is a powerful project with much needed equipment, contact tracing, and statistical information gathered from service providers. The grant also provides medical equipment's such as oximeters, no touch thermometers, glidescopes and more.



The Fremont Bridge Rotary club partnered with the Rotary Club of Assisi (Italy), the host club, for a \$36,836 global grant after President Fabio Berellini reached out to our district and the Fremont Bridge Rotary club to help. As a new club, this was a great

opportunity for Fremont Bridge.

Assisi is a city of international interest: 1,200,000 tourists from all over the world visited in 2018. The city hospital reacted well to the Covid-19 emergency, but it needed to strengthen its structure, and equipment to deal with the risks associated with the pandemic. A community of 60,000 people depends on this hospital. The hospital will receive a mobile radiological unit, and an external and an internal defibrillator to carry out radiographic diagnoses directly in the ward (without moving the patients) to manage first aid in the pre-triage tensile structures outside the



hospital, and to integrate the ward with cardiac first-aid that prevents access to common areas.

In spite of this shutdown and pandemic, District 5170 Rotarians have not forgotten that they are people of action. They have raised more than \$150,000 for international grants just for Covid-19. Bravo!!



THE MISSION OF THE ROTARY FOUNDATION OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL 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.

Reinvent Your Wheel

By PDG Russ Hobbs (2006-07)

et this be the year that you do something different in Rotary—Reinvent your Rotary Wheel. I'll bet that you never imagined that you could "easily" become one of the top 2 % of Rotarians that are Bequest Society Members—people who give, or pledge to give, \$10,000 or more to The Rotary Foundation.

Remember that I said "easily" right? I'll also bet that at some point in your adult life: (a) an insurance agent like me (I spent 40 years with Allstate) convinced you that it just made good sense to take out a life insurance policy on yourself, your spouse, and your children, (b) that you still have most of those "permanent policies" tucked away in that tin box with all your other important papers, and (c) that some of your reasons for taking out those policies may no longer exist—you may no longer have a mortgage on your house; you may no longer have a spouse; or your kids may now be on their own.

So take those old policies out of the tin box, and make an appointment with your insurance agent to make a life insurance policy "beneficiary change".

When you include The Rotary Foundation as a beneficiary to your life insurance policy for \$10,000 or more, you will automatically be included in the top 2% of Rotarians who are Bequest Society members.* Your insurance agent will be happy to see you. There is rarely a charge for a beneficiary change, and you may find that you end up saving some money. For example, when I did insurance reviews, we often found areas in which a client could save money by changing deductibles, or looking at how the client's car was being used.

Remember to notify me or your club TRF Chair when you make the beneficiary change, as there is some paperwork that needs to go to The Rotary Foundation. When the paperwork is complete you will receive an engraved crystal, a special pin, and an invitation to the Bequest Society reception at Governor Gregg's District Conference.

Let this be the year that you "Reinvent your Rotary Wheel."

*Not to mention the fact that you will also be helping many people around the world with a very humanitarian and worthy gesture on your part.



Marketing the Humanitarian Activities of The Rotary Foundation

By Irving Stowers, District Paul Harris Society Coordinator

I Need Your Help

'd like to begin a discussion: how to dramatically increase the number of Rotarian contributors and non-Rotarian contributors to The Rotary Foundation.

Currently our District 5170 is the leading district in the world making contributions to The Rotary Foundation. Despite our knowledge of how much good these funds are doing in the world, this knowledge is little known outside of the Rotary community. Ask yourself, when was the last time you heard the word Rotary used on the national news? I can recall hearing Rotary mentioned once on Jeopardy in the last decade.

This past year District 5170 contributed \$800,000 to the Annual Fund of The Rotary Foundation, yet only 1.7% of those funds (\$14,000) came from non-Rotarians. We know we have an excellent product (TRF funds are used nearly 100% toward Polio and other humanitarian projects) but the funds are spread over tens of thousands of small projects that receive little international attention.

To stimulate our own Rotarians to contribute further, I believe, we need to start documenting our international activities in the form of short videos telling how the funds are utilized. Our projects are somewhat unique in that the majority of the funds are contributed almost exclusively by Rotary Club members and then awarded to activities managed and staffed by Rotarians in poorer localities of the globe.

Showing these videos (possibly narrated by a well known speaker like Peter Coyote) at District 5170 Club meetings would showcase the activities of Club members within District 5170 and encourage the joint funding of future multi-club activities. Showcasing the best videos at Annual District or Rotary International Meetings would document the great accomplishments of what we call District Distributed Funds (DDF). It would also raise the pride and self-esteem of District Rotarians to further support these humanitarian activities.

Eventually the best of the best videos could be pitched to organizations like 60 Minutes and NOVA to encourage them to send their video crews (at their expense) to one or several missions and construct a story of how The Rotary Foundation operates to fund these international humanitarian activities. The story should emphasize that funds have nearly always come from citizens of the world calling themselves Rotarians but that contributions from non-Rotarians is strongly encouraged to enhance and grow international peace and prosperity.

<u>I Need Your Suggestions</u>: how should we proceed - to acquire grass roots videographers who might be willing to join a TRF sponsored activity - create a script for the filming - and create the necessary post-production narration script. I believe that individual Clubs could be counted on to provide transportation expenses to rural locations while local Rotarians receiving the benefits of these activities would provide housing and meals.

Please contact me with your thoughts on this activity and how best to proceed and together we'll make it happen. Irving Stowers, <u>irving.stowers@mac.com</u>, 925-321-4794 cell phone.



MAKING THE ASK

By Paul Iannaccone, District 5170 Annual Giving Chair



enry Russo once said, "Fundraising is the gentle art of teaching the joy of giving." That is why I believe Rotary Club Foundation Chairs, and indeed all Rotarians, are blessed to be a part of this incredible organization which is daily changing lives in wonderful ways.

As generous as Rotarians are, the number one reason people give is very simple; someone asked. Think about it, It's that simple and that profound. Someone cared enough to make the effort to ask. And from that simple act of asking, lives are being saved, our world is being positively impacted, and polio is being eradicated from the face of the earth.

There is another saying in fundraising, "if you know one foundation, you know ONE foundation." We might say, "if you know one Rotary Club, you know One Rotary club." We are all different and each of us must figure out what works for our own club. What works in the Rotary Club of Niles, may not work in your club. However, the basic rules apply, starting from the simple fact that, to be successful in fundraising, "somebody has to ask." And in Rotary the best person to ask is nearly allows a fellow Rotarian and donor and can say, "will you consider joining me in supporting Rotary?"

Successful gift asks are quite simple. All you do is have the right person, ask the right prospect, for the right gift, to the right program, in the right amount, at the right time, in the right way! Do that and your success is nearly guaranteed! Okay, perhaps this is not always so simple. But in this time of COVID-19 and virtual meetings, when little to no personal contact is possible, making an ask needs to be more intentional than ever.

There are many ways to make an ask, but two stand out:

1. By asking directly. "Would you consider making a gift of \$1,000 to the Rotary Foundation's Polio campaign?"

2. By example. Rotary's excellent recognition programs make this an ideal approach.

At the Rotary Club of Niles, our approach has been primary by example or what I think of as "active recognition." Using Rotary's many recognition certificates, pins, and programs, we regularly highlighted Rotary's impact in the world while thanking our members for their generosity. These examples helped us create a culture of giving in our club growing our Paul Harris Society from four members to 26 in only three years! Not because our club is so special (well we are, but so is yours), but because we ask. First by example, and then when appropriate, with a simple personal ask. Of course, with COVID-19 and virtual meetings, we're also struggling to find new ways to recognize and model the giving spirit.

In the end, my message is simple. The best way to learn the joy of giving is to give, and the best way to teach that joy is to ask. The key isn't which approach you take, but that you ask, one way or the other, now more than ever.

Nation Donor Report

DISTRICT 5170 MAJOR DONORS PROVIDE MAJOR SUPPORT TO THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

By Pat McMenamin Club Foundation Chair, Rotary Club of Livermore D5170 TRF Major Donor, Chair

On June 30, 2020, The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International reported a total of 378 District 5170 Major Donors and Arch Klumph Society Donors.

The 2020-2021 District 5170 TRF Committee anticipates an increase in the number of new D5170 Major Donors during the 2020-2021 Rotary Year.

As stated by The Rotary Foundation, "Major Donors are individuals, non-Rotary affiliated foundations, and corporations whose personal cumulative donations to The Rotary Foundation reach US\$10,000 or more. Contributions from spouses are often combined, upon request.

Those whose cumulative donations reach US\$250,000 or more -- are recognized as Arch Klumph Society members (AKS). Spouses who give jointly as a couple are counted as a single Major Donor/AKS Member on The Rotary Foundation's report. If the spouses are in two different clubs, they will be counted as one on each club's report. More information is available from The Rotary Foundation.

Major Donor recognition levels are defined as follows:

Level One: US\$10,000 to 24,999; Level Two: US\$25,000 to \$49,999; Level Three: US\$50,000 to \$99,999; Level Four: US\$100,000 to \$249,999.



Arch Klumph Society Donor recognition levels are defined as follows:

Level One (Trustees Circle): US\$250,000 to \$499,999; Level Two (Chair's Circle): US\$500,000 to \$999,999; Level Three (Foundation Circle): US\$1 million to US\$2,499,999; Level Four: (Platinum Trustees Circle) - US\$2.5 million to US\$4,999,999; Level Five: (Platinum Chair's Circle) - US\$5 million to US\$9,999,999; Level Six: (Platinum Foundation Circle) - US\$10 million and above



During the 2020-2021 Rotary Year, we will share stories about District 5170 Rotarians who -early in their journey as Rotarians -- gave modest donations to The Rotary Foundation, and later became Major Donors and supporters of The Rotary Foundation.

For more information about becoming a Major Donor or Arch Klumph Society Donor, please contact: Pat McMenamin, C: 925-980-6881; <u>pjmcmenamin@mac.com</u>





GRANTS

Do you want to know which Global Grants our District 5170 clubs are working on, and see the project descriptions? If "yes," just click <u>HERE</u>

Lawind the Clubs

Your fellow Rotarians would love to hear about any projects in which your club, group of clubs, or area, participated in or is working on, funded in whole or in part by The Rotary Foundation. If you might be interested in submitting an article for our "Around the Clubs" feature, please let me know. (Project-related photos are very welcome.)

Ed Jellen, Editor, TRF News Today; EdJellen@gmail.com

Polio Campaigns Resume with Strict COVID-19 Prevention Measures*

Vaccinators in countries including Afghanistan, Angola, Burkina Faso and Pakistan took to the streets this month to fill urgent immunity gaps that have widened in the under-five population during a four month pause to polio campaigns due to COVID-19.

Campaigns resumed in alignment with strict COVID-19 prevention measures, including screening of vaccinators for symptoms of COVID-19, regular handwashing, provision of masks and a 'no touch' vaccination method to ensure that distance is maintained between the frontline worker and child. Only workers from local communities provided house-to-house vaccination to prevent introduction of SARS-CoV2 infection in non-infected areas.

Although necessary to protect both health workers and communities from COVID-19, the temporary pause in house-tohouse campaigns, coupled with pandemic-related disruptions to routine immunization and other essential health services, has resulted in expanding transmission of poliovirus in communities worldwide. Modelling by the polio program suggests a potentially devastating cost to eradication efforts if campaigns did not resume.

In **Afghanistan**, 7858 vaccinators aimed to vaccinate 1,101,740 children in three provinces. Vaccinators were trained on COVID-19 infection control and prevention measures and were equipped to answer parents' questions about the pandemic. Through the campaign, teams distributed 500,000 posters and 380,000 flyers featuring COVID-19 prevention messages.

In **Angola**, 1,287,717 children under five years of age were reached by over 4000 vaccinators observing COVID-19 infection prevention and control measures. All health workers were trained on infection risk, and 90,000 masks and 23,000 hand sanitizers were distributed by the Ministry of Health.

In **Burkina Faso**, 174,304 children under five years of age were vaccinated in two high-risk districts by 2000 frontline workers. Vaccinators and health care workers were trained on maintaining physical distancing while conducting the vaccination. 41,250 masks and 200 liters of hand sanitizer were made available through the COVID-19 committee in the country to protect frontline workers and families during the campaign.

In **Pakistan**, almost 800,000 children under the age of five were reached by vaccinators in districts where there is an outbreak of circulating vaccine-derived poliovirus. Staff were trained on preventive measures to be followed during vaccination, including keeping physical distance inside homes and ensuring safe handling of a child while vaccinating and finger marking them.

*This data was supplied by the Global Polio Eradication Initiative, of which RI is a partner. Courtesy District Polio Plus Chair, Jim Bell.

Monthly Contribution Report (As of August 12, 2020)

Name	Members	EREY	% EREY	A F Goal	% of Goal	AF/Capita	Annual Fund	Other Funds	Endowment	Total
Alameda	65	4	6%	\$0	\$0	\$13	\$850	\$0	\$0	\$850
Almaden Valley	19	1	5%	\$0	\$0	\$11	\$200	\$0	\$0	\$200
Campbell	34	1	3%	\$6,000	\$0	\$7	\$250	\$0	\$0	\$250
Capitola-Aptos	49	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Castro Valley	51	0	0%	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Cupertino	210	2	1%	\$60,000	\$0	\$3	\$594	\$0	\$0	\$594
Dublin	43	7	16%	\$10,000	\$0	\$23	\$1,004	\$0	\$0	\$1,004
E-Club of Silicon Valley	48	0	0%	\$5,000	\$0	\$20	\$983	\$105	\$0	\$1,089
E-Club Silicon Valley Smart Village	44		13%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
East Palo Alto Bayshore	20	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Evergreen Valley, San Jose Freedom	14 21	0	0%	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
Fremont	38	2	5%	\$0	\$0	\$35	\$1,325	\$0	\$0	\$1,325
Fremont Bridge	20	1	5%	\$5,000	\$0	\$8	\$168	\$0	\$0	\$168
Fremont Morning	18	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$14	\$250	\$0	\$0	\$250
Fremont-Union City-Newark Sunset	15	3	20%	\$0	\$0	\$9	\$130	\$0	\$0	\$130
Gilroy	122	6	5%	\$15,000	\$0	\$7	\$908	\$0	\$0	\$908
Gilroy After Hours	31	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Gilroy Sunrise	23	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$5	\$120	\$0	\$0	\$120
Hayward	55	2	4%	\$7,000	\$0	\$4	\$210	\$0	\$0	\$210
Hollister	68	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
HuaRen in Silicon Valley	17	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Livermore	111	17	15%	\$30,000	\$0	\$78	\$8,650	\$3,100	\$0	\$11,750
Livermore Valley, The	42	25	60%	\$0	\$0	\$46	\$1,942	\$50	\$0	\$1,992
Los Altos	165	3	2%	\$0	\$0	\$8	\$1,336	\$0	\$0	\$1,336
Los Altos Sunset	7	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Los Gatos	114	6	5%	\$0	\$0	\$8	\$888	\$240	\$0	\$1,128
Los Gatos Morning	43	10	23%	\$18,000	\$0	\$35	\$1,520	\$0	\$0	\$1,520
Milpitas	29	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Mission San Jose	18	2	11%	\$2,000	\$0	\$17	\$300	\$0	\$0	\$300
Morgan Hill	109	6	6%	\$0	\$0	\$9	\$1,030	\$0	\$0	\$1,030
Mountain View	34	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Newark	40	3	8%	\$0	\$0	\$4	\$170	\$0	\$0	\$170
Niles (Fremont)	94 273	7	8% 1%	\$25,000	\$0	\$14	\$1,304	\$370	\$0	\$1,674
Oakland		4	1%	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$3 \$95	\$703 \$1,050	\$600 \$30	\$0 \$0	\$1,303
Oakland Uptown Palo Alto	11 126	3	2%	\$22,000	\$0 \$0	\$95	\$550	\$30 \$0	\$0	\$1,080 \$550
Palo Alto/University	110	2	2%	\$15,000	\$0	\$30	\$3,274	\$0	\$0	\$3,274
Piedmont-Montclair	14	4	29%	\$13,000	\$0	\$57	\$800	\$0	\$0	\$800
Pleasanton	71	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$20	\$100	\$0	\$120
Pleasanton North	59	0	0%	\$12,000	\$0	\$5	\$300	\$0	\$0	\$300
Pleasanton, Dublin, Livermore	12	2	4%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
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San Jose Silicon Valley	19	1/	5%	\$2,000	\$2 \$0	\$179	\$4,475	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$4,475
San Juan Bautista	33	0	0%	\$4,500	\$0	\$9	\$170	\$0		\$170
San Leandro	40	1	3%	\$4,500	\$0 \$0	\$4	\$150	\$170	\$0	\$320
San Lorenzo Valley (Felton)	39	0	0%	\$0	\$0 \$0	\$0	\$150	\$0	\$100	\$100
Santa Clara	71	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$50	\$0	\$50
Santa Cruz	116	0	0%	\$15,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Santa Cruz Sunrise	104	6	6%	\$30,000	\$0	\$4	\$415	\$150	\$0	\$565
Saratoga	96	2	2%	\$20,000	\$0	\$13	\$1,250	\$300	\$0	\$1,550
Scotts Valley	18	0	0%	\$3,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Silicon Valley	200	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Silicon Valley For Global Impact	59	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Silicon Valley Passport	48	3	6%	\$3,000	\$0	\$3	\$125	\$28,988	\$0	\$29,113
Silicon Valley Rainbow	16	0	0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Silicon Valley Star (Sunnyvale)	14	1	7%	\$0	\$0	\$4	\$50	\$0	\$0	\$50
Sunnyvale	55	1	2%	\$10,000	\$0	\$7	\$400	\$0	\$0	\$400
Sunnyvale Sunrise	10	1	10%	\$2,200	\$0	\$100	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,000
Watsonville	71	0	0%	\$5,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
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ROTARY TRIVIA

Trivia Question No. 1: How many different official Rotary Fellowships (international Rotary groups that share a common passion) exist:

- (a) 49;
- (b) 72.;
- (C) 89;
- (d) 101; or
- (e) 167?

Trivia Question No. 2: Which is an actual official Rotary Fellowship: (a) Quilters and fiber artists; (b) Beards and moustaches; (c) Doll lovers;

- (d) Rum; or
- (e) All of the above?

Trivia Question No. 3: Which of these actual official Rotary fellowships was started in our own District 5170:

- (a) Environment;
- (b) Singles;
- (c) Social networks;
- (d) Recreational vehicles; or
- (e) Wine?

Answers on last page of this newsletter

Can you Identify this famous Rotarian?



(Answer on last page.)

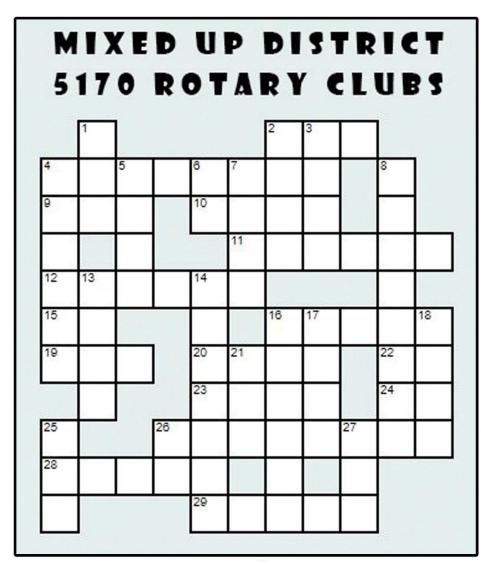
TRF NEWS TODAY

Dear Readers,

I hope that you and the members of your club have been enjoying this newsletter, the purpose of which is to inspire and inform our members about the good things that TRF does. Please share this newsletter with any of your friends who may not be regular readers, including friends that have not yet discovered the value of Rotary - for us, our communities, and the world. (Comments welcome.)

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Note to solvers:

All of the starred clues contain anagrams for the name of a Rotary Club in District 5170.

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- 2 Cronkite's network
- 4 Luau fish
- 9 Nagano sash
- 10 Obsessed captain
- 11 Repulsive
- 12 *I glory in how mixed up . . . I am
- 15 @
- 16 *Scrambled lines?
- 19 Just created
- 20 Peachy _
- 22 Carry out
- 23 Components of a code

- 24 Type of OR emergency
- 26 *Members of this club may suffer from aorta sag
- 28 Playwright Chekhov
- 29 "Put up your _____

Down

- 1 Some have this gift
- 2 Its next to Libya, Sudan, and Cameroon
- 3 Nickname in mideast politics
- 4 *With 5 down, a club whose members engage in ham rolling

- 5 *See 4 down
- 6 Bell or Barker
- 7 Sailor's "Yo!"
- 8 Yorkshire terrier, say
- 13 Line on a grocery list
- 14 *I drank cola, but not RC
- 16 *This club's motto is "we rank!"
- 17 Meet me ____ Louis
- 18 Slice or Crush
- 21 Word with plugs or drums
- 25 Nine clubs in our district begin with these letters
- 26 When repeated, mediocre
- 27 CIA predecessor

Solution is on the next page.



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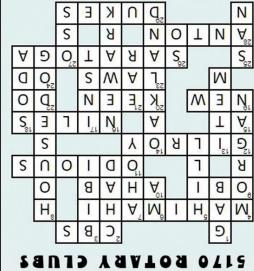
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MIXED UP DISTRICT

The famous Rotarian pictured is baseball hall of fame member and team owner, Connie Mack, Rotary Club of Ft. Meyers, Florida.

Answer to trivia question no. 1: (c) There are 89 official Rotary Fellowships.

Answer to trivia question no. 2: (e) All the mentioned choices are official Rotary fellowships.

Answer to trivia question no. 3: (b) In 2006, the singles Rotary fellowship was started in District 5170.

