

District 5170

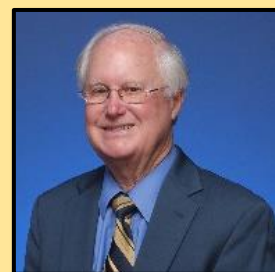
TRF News Today

September, 2018

Current News of District 5170 and The Rotary Foundation

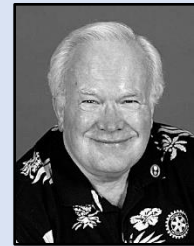
From the District TRF Chair...

By PDG Russ Hobbs



I have always loved "two-fers." When I go into a men's store and can get two suits, or shirts, or sweaters for the price of one--I love it. You might be able to get a "two-fer" if you work for a company that matches your gift to The Rotary Foundation--I call that Doubling your Impact. We now have a "new tool" in the Rotary Tool Box that will help you find out if the company you work for matches your contribution. Visit matchinggifts.com/rotary to find out if your employer sponsors a matching gift program. Your financial gifts to The Rotary Foundation are important, but so are your TIME and TALENTS. Ron D. Burton, Foundation Trustee Chair, wrote in the August edition of the Rotarian Magazine, "Be engaged." "Transform the way you think about your involvement with Rotary." "Consider every meeting a chance to discover new channels for your energy and to brainstorm with like-minded Rotarians about how you can work together To Make This a Better World."

Ray Lewis, in his Pro Football Hall of Fame induction speech said, "We all can make a difference in this world." It doesn't matter if you have a college degree, or are the biggest, smartest, or fastest. The lion is not the biggest animal in the jungle, the smartest animal in the jungle, or the strongest animal in the jungle--but the lion has the biggest heart, that's why he is the King of the Jungle. We all are Rotarians, and we all have different talents and skill sets, and we all are part of the of the best organizations in the world so let's all go out and do what both John Burton and Ray Lewis say -- MAKE THIS A BETTER WORLD.



PDG Dwight W. Perry, District Polio Chair

WE CAN'T STOP NOW!

As of August 28, 2018, only 15 new polio cases have been reported this year.

"We are this close" to eliminating polio in the world - **99.9%** of the way there. Now is the time to put the PolioPlus program into high gear. Make sure there will never be another child crippled by this debilitating disease.

From the launch of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative in 1988, more than 17.4 million people, mainly in the developing world, who would otherwise have been paralyzed, are walking because they have been immunized against polio. More than 650,000 paralytic cases of polio are now prevented every year.

We can't stop now! If polio is not eradicated, within 10 years, as many as 200,000 children could be paralyzed each year. A polio-free world will be a safer world for children everywhere.

How are the funds we continue to raise used?

Rotary provides grant funding to WHO and UNICEF for the following activities:

- Technical assistance including salaries for technical advisors
- Operational support to ensure the vaccine reaches all children; including stipends for the millions of volunteers who administer the vaccine and perform house-to-house follow up visits
- Surveillance for disease detection, including the polio laboratory network
- Social mobilization to raise awareness of the vaccination campaigns and the benefits of immunization
- Research into new products and approaches to facilitate eradication
- Transition planning to ensure the orderly transition of polio immunization activities to routine immunization following the eradication of polio.

With your continued support children around the world will be able to walk and play as healthy individuals.

Want to Become A Triple Crown Donor?



District Triple Crown Chair Phil Dean Tells You How

During the 2017-2018 Rotary Year, 19 Rotarians in District 5170 became Triple Crown Donors. They did this by accomplishing three goals:

1. Be a Major Donor.
2. Be a Bequest Society Member.
3. Be a Grand Donor by donating at least \$1,000 to The Rotary Foundation during the current year.

Many Rotarians are close to attaining the three goals. There are currently 229 Major Donors in District 5170. There are 39 Bequest Society members, 28 of whom are also Major Donors. There are 200 Rotarians who are Major Donors but not Bequest Society members. At the beginning of a Rotary Year, there are no Grand Donors. Thus, we will be pointing out to certain members what they will need to do to become Triple Crown Donors:

- 200 Major Donors need to become Bequest Society members;
- 11 Bequest Society members need to become Major Donors;
- All need to become Grand Donors this year.

BEQUEST SOCIETY

Becoming a Bequest Society member can be quite straightforward. It requires that members make a commitment in their estate plan of at least \$10,000 to The Rotary Foundation Endowment. This award is made at several levels, from 1 (\$10,000) to 10 (\$10,000,000). There are several ways to join the Society. Here are some examples:

1. For a general gift of a certain percentage or portion of your estate: "I give to The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International one-fourth of my estate."
2. For a gift of a specific asset: "I give 500 shares of [name] stock to The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International."
3. For a contingent bequest, which takes effect only when certain conditions are met: "In the event my spouse does not survive me, I give to The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International the remainder of my estate."
4. For a residual bequest, which directs the disposition of all or a portion of whatever remains after all other required amounts are paid: "I give the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate to The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International."

In addition:

5. Anyone can name The Rotary Foundation as the beneficiary of any life insurance policy, other than a term life policy, at any age, for any amount.
6. Make The Rotary Foundation a retirement plan beneficiary.
7. Establish a Donor Advised Fund.

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As always, remember to consult independent tax and legal advisers before making any charitable gift.

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MAJOR DONOR

To become a Major Donor one must donate a total of at least \$10,000 in cash to The Rotary Foundation over any period of time. Recognition Points do not count toward this award, which has levels from 1 to 4 (\$10,000 to \$100,000).

GRAND DONOR

To become a Grand Donor, one must donate a minimum of \$1,000 cash to The Rotary Foundation within the current Rotary Year. Recognition Points do not count.

To find out where you stand regarding donations to The Rotary Foundation, you can do one of three things:

1. Log onto your MyRotary account, select Profile in the top right of the page, then select Donor History Report on the following page.
2. Call the Rotary Support Center at 866-976-8279 and ask for the report
3. Send an email requesting the report to the Rotary Support Center:
RotarySupportCenter@rotary.org

For information about the District 5170 Triple Crown Donor Project, please contact:

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***"IT SEEMS EMINENTLY PROPER THAT WE
SHOULD ACCEPT ENDOWMENTS FOR THE
PURPOSE OF DOING GOOD IN THE WORLD."***

----- ARCH C. KLUMPH, JUNE 1917

Around the Clubs



An Eye-Opening Rotary Project – Sight Now!

by Margaret Thornberry, Rotary Club of Niles-Fremont

If you had been in South India near the sacred city of Kanchi this past August, you may have seen two gleaming white buses roll into a rural area and noticed the Rotary insignia displayed on the sides. You might have wondered what was going on, particularly when you saw the tables, chairs and shade canopies set up, and the many people gathered there. These buses are here to bring top quality eye care to the rural people of Tamil Nadu through the Sight Now project.

Dr. Geeta Kadambi is a native of India with a PhD in clinical biochemistry, and with a life-long concern for the treatment of preventable blindness. This is a severe problem in rural India, due to malnutrition, strong UV rays, and little eye protection being worn. Older people with cataracts are unable to contribute to the well-being of the family; instead, becoming a burden, and as she says, “When children are unable to see well, they drop out of school. If there is no education, poverty lingers.”

Her home club of Niles Fremont Rotary of California has partnered with India’s Rotary Club of Guindy and the Mobile Eye Surgical Unit of Sankara Nethralaya Eye Hospital of Chennai, and thanks to Dr. Kambadi’s enthusiastic rallying of support and fund-raising talent, the mobile eye care buses are now equipped with a Topcon refractor, used to accurately make critical measurements such as eye curvature and astigmatism, and an ophthalmic microscope to carefully monitor progress at a microscopic level during surgery. The first bus is set up as a prep bus, where cataract patients are prepared for their surgery, and the second bus, entered through a kind of ‘air lock’ between the two, is the operating room, which is carefully cleaned and sterilized after each drive on India’s dusty roads. Coordinating with local leaders, a central area near several villages is set up as an ‘eye camp’, where patients gather, the buses roll in and are set up for the week, patients are evaluated, prescription glasses made and cataract surgery performed on the spot, with a goal of changing 800 lives each year.

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Now, due to Dr. Geeta Kambadi's efforts, the sponsorship of Niles Rotary, coordination with Area 3 WCSC, and the cooperation of the Rotary Club of Guindy, a sizeable grant has been awarded for this project by the International Rotary Foundation, providing enough funding for five Sight Now eye camps this year!



District 5170 GRANTS

From the Grants
Committee....
Cecelia Babkirk, Chair



IMPORTANT DUE DATES:

**Final reports for the 2017/2018 Year are due
October 31, 2018**

**New District Grant applications for 2018/2019 are due
October 31, 2018**



DON'T BE LATE FOR THIS VERY IMPORTANT DATE!

And while we're on the topic of District Grants....

District Grant Training and Forms Area Available!
www.rotarydistrict5170.org/

We are open for business for the 2018-2019 year!

Here are some housekeeping items for clubs wishing to do District Grants in 2018-2019 and/or need to close District Grants that they did in 2017/2018:

-  **Final reports for 2017-2018 District Grants are due by October 31st.** Please do our wonderful grants team a favor and complete/submit your final reports as soon as possible, so they don't have a crunch in the last week of October.
-  **District Grant Applications for both local and international projects for 2018-2019 are due by October 31st.** Your club must be in compliance in order to receive funding for your 2018-2019 projects. This means:

2017-2018 District Grant final reports are submitted and accepted

All club financial obligations are current

Reports for any Global Grants are current

You club has registered its Foundation giving and Membership Goals

You or a club representative have completed the online District Grants Training (see notes below)*

Your club submitted a club MOU signed by both your 2018-2019 Club President and your 2019-2020 President-Elect

All grant forms and resources (both for District and Global Grants) are available at www.rotarydistrict5170.org. Hover over the “Rotary Foundation” tab and choose “Grants” at the bottom of the dropdown menu.

***Training for purposes of qualifying to do District Grants consists of reviewing a series of short power point presentations, followed by completing a brief questionnaire for each section. It is “open book”. Submit your responses to your Grants Resource Leader. You must complete all parts for your club to be qualified.**

What's New in Global Grants?

New Requirement: Community Assessment for all applications submitted in 2018-2019

Community Assessment Tool and Form are on District 5170 web site.

Global grants training is separate from district grants training. At least one of the Global Grant Committee members will be required to take the training when it is available. We are using Rotary International's e-Learning platform and there

have been some delays. We'll let you know as soon as the training is available.

And the Newest Development from TRF:

RI's Areas of Focus Guidance

Six Documents – one document for each of RI's "Areas of focus"

All are on the D5170 web site in the Grants Section – Global Grants – Areas of Focus Guidelines for Global Grant Funding: <https://rotarydistrict5170.com/sitepage/grants/global-grants>

If you are contemplating writing a Global Grant, the guide for your Area of Focus is "Must-Read".

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"We are passing our tenth milestone now. May our happiness increase with our usefulness. What Rotary will be one hundred years hence, none living can imagine. There is nothing impossible to Rotary now." Paul Harris, 1915

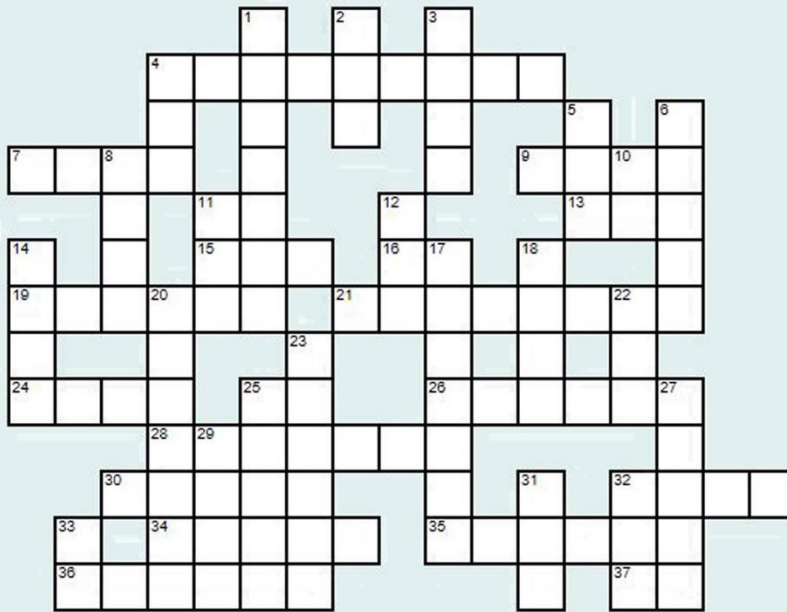
Monthly Contribution Report

(as of September 10, 2018)

Name	Mbrs	EREY	% EREY	AF Goal	% Goal	Per Capita	AF \$ To Date	Polio +	Total
Alameda	73	3	5%	\$15,000	4%	\$8.36	\$610	\$0	\$610
Almaden Valley	25	1	4%	\$5,000	6%	\$12.00	\$300	\$0	\$300
Campbell	37	1	3%	\$6,000	5%	\$8.11	\$300	\$1,650	\$1,950
Capitola-Aptos	51	0	0%	\$100,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Castro Valley	47	3	6%	\$10,000	80%	\$169.36	\$7,960	\$1,125	\$9,085
Cupertino	210	23	11%	\$60,000	17%	\$48.21	\$10,125	\$1,050	\$11,175
Dublin	42	8	19%	\$13,500	17%	\$54.71	\$2,298	\$0	\$2,298
East Palo Alto Bayshore	31	0	0%	\$2,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
E-Club of Silicon Valley	36	3	8%	\$4,000	4%	\$4.30	\$155	\$0	\$155
Freedom	21	0	0%	\$2,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Fremont	37	14	38%	\$12,500	76%	\$255.81	\$9,465	\$0	\$9,465
Fremont Morning	19	1	5%	\$3,200	14%	\$23.68	\$450	\$25	\$475
Fremont-Union City-Newark	12			\$1,500	8%	\$10.00	\$120	\$0	\$120
Sunset		2	17%						
Gilroy	129	11	9%	\$22,000	6%	\$10.05	\$1,297	\$1,900	\$3,197
Gilroy Sunrise	21	2	10%	\$3,800	9%	\$16.67	\$350	\$0	\$350
Hayward	75	2	3%	\$10,000	4%	\$5.53	\$415	\$0	\$415
Hollister	71	0	0%	\$12,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
HuaRen in Silicon Valley	7	0	0%	\$2,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Livermore	113	7	6%	\$32,000	18%	\$49.93	\$5,642	\$5,000	\$10,642
Livermore Valley, The	37	0	0%	\$7,500	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$1,900	\$1,900
Los Altos	162	41	25%	\$35,000	36%	\$76.94	\$12,465	\$0	\$12,465
Los Altos Sunset	9	0	0%	\$2,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$50	\$50
Los Gatos	111	10	9%	\$22,000	11%	\$21.75	\$2,414	\$0	\$2,414
Los Gatos Morning	55	19	36%	\$20,000	24%	\$86.64	\$4,765	\$500	\$5,265
Milpitas	29	0	0%	\$4,500	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Mission San Jose	12	0	0%	\$3,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Morgan Hill	105	20	20%	\$21,000	30%	\$59.03	\$6,199	\$100	\$6,299
Mountain View	35	12	34%	\$8,000	53%	\$121.14	\$4,240	\$467	\$4,707
Newark	43	2	5%	\$7,000	2%	\$2.79	\$120	\$0	\$120
Niles (Fremont)	106	18	17%	\$20,000	37%	\$69.00	\$7,314	\$2,270	\$9,584
Oakland	326	3	1%	\$42,000	1%	\$1.32	\$430	\$0	\$430
Oakland Uptown	11	2	18%	\$3,000	9%	\$25.00	\$275	\$58	\$333
Palo Alto	135	11	8%	\$25,000	9%	\$17.22	\$2,325	\$0	\$2,325
Palo Alto/University	104	3	3%	\$21,000	15%	\$29.73	\$3,092	\$0	\$3,092
Piedmont-Montclair	15	4	29%	\$2,000	38%	\$50.00	\$750	\$67	\$817
Pleasanton	86	2	2%	\$5,000	1%	\$0.70	\$60	\$5,200	\$5,260
Pleasanton, Dublin, Livermore	14	0	0%	\$3,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Pleasanton North	55	1	2%	\$15,000	2%	\$5.45	\$300	\$0	\$300
San Jose	448	0	0%	\$42,000	0%	\$0.05	\$24	\$0	\$34,630
San Jose East-Evergreen	34	0	0%	\$10,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
San Jose Silicon Valley	31	1	4%	\$3,000	9%	\$8.23	\$255	\$0	\$255
San Juan Bautista	30	2	7%	\$6,000	8%	\$16.67	\$500	\$0	\$500
San Leandro	40	2	5%	\$14,000	3%	\$9.25	\$370	\$255	\$625
San Lorenzo Valley (Felton)	25	0	0%	\$4,500	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Santa Clara	83	4	5%	\$15,500	8%	\$15.12	\$1,255	\$100	\$1,355
Santa Cruz	120	0	0%	\$15,600	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Santa Cruz Sunrise	89	3	3%	\$22,000	2%	\$4.10	\$365	\$0	\$365
Saratoga	91	1	1%	\$27,000	0%	\$1.24	\$113	\$0	\$113
Scotts Valley	14	0	0%	\$4,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Silicon Valley Passport	36	1	3%	\$3,000	3%	\$2.08	\$75	\$75	\$150
Silicon Valley Star (Sunnyvale)	20	0	0%	\$2,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sunnyvale	57	21	37%	\$18,000	34%	\$108.86	\$6,205	\$0	\$6,205
Sunnyvale Sunrise	11	1	9%	\$3,100	32%	\$90.91	\$1,000	\$0	\$1,000
Watsonville	77	0	0%	\$10,000	0%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTALS	3,713	265	8%	\$782,200	12.07%	\$25.42	\$94,395	\$21,792	\$150,794

The 5170 Crossword

District 5170 Rotary Clubs (Part 2)



Across

- 4 ____ Evening Rotary Club (which meets in Pleasanton)
- 7 Mountain ____ Rotary Club
- 9 See 26 across
- 11 Yes to Español!
- 13 Many CEO's have one of these
- 15 How some get their email (Abbr.)
- 16 City of Rotary Club #2 (Abbr.)
- 19 See 19 down
- 21 Rotary Club that sponsors an art festival
- 24 Captain that had trouble with tribbles
- 25 12th letter of Greek alphabet
- 26 With 9 across, Rotary club known for disorganized "ham rolling?"
- 28 See 2 down
- 30 Great ____ of Fire (Lewis hit)
- 32 Santa ____ Rotary Club ("Let's clean up a beach")
- 34 With 16 down, PRIP Rick King's home club
- 35 Fred Astaire accessory
- 36 Farthest from the most even?
- 37 Measure of acidity (Abbr.)

Down

- 1 ____ San Jose (Rotary club that once helped restore an historic church)
- 2 With 26 across, former area 2 Rotary club that recently moved to area 1
- 3 Rotary ____ (easiest clue in this puzzle!)
- 4 ____ truck
- 5 DG Lundell
- 6 Santa ____ (Home of a Rotary club and the 49er's)
- 8 Rotary club of San Jose ____ /Evergreen
- 10 Unit of weight (Abbr.)
- 11 This clue was backwards?
- 12 Country that will host 2020 RI convention
- 14 "Marvelous" man who is incredibly green?
- 17 See 34 across
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- 22 Important stat for high school students
- 23 Los Altos ____ Rotary club
- 25 Teenager sometimes hangout at these places
- 27 Pleasanton ____ (known for bestowing humorous nicknames on its presidents)
- 29 ____ Wiesel (1986 Peace Nobel)
- 31 You can find more than one of these on your cell-phone
- 32 ____ Weinberger (nickname of Reagan's Defense Secretary)
- 33 Love Me ____ (Beatles song)

Hey crossword puzzle fans: Be one of the first Rotarians to solve this puzzle accurately, without peeking at the answers on the next page (4-way test applies), and we will acknowledge your accomplishment in the next issue. Just let us know by emailing edjellen@gmail.com with your name and club. BTW, its OK to consult the *Contribution Report* on the previous page or District 5170 Directory if you need some help with club names. Last month's only successful solver to report in was PDG ORRIN MAHONEY. Congrats to Orrin!

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