

This award honors the outstanding Interact Club of District 5450. This year's winner is the Bell Middle School Interact Club sponsored by Golden Rotary. This club is active in many areas including: school activities and support; local community projects; district, national and international projects; leadership development and fundraising activities. These are but a few of the accomplishments.

School: Homecoming Float; Trick or Treat School assembly for UNICEF; organized a school-wide Spirit Week

Local Community: Earth Day Tree Planting; Support of Foothills Animal Shelter; Organize "School without Hate" activities.

District, National and International: Mongolian Book Drive; Crutches for Africa **Leadership Development**: Only Leadership club at Bell middle School **Fundraising**: Hat days where students pay to wear specific hats in School; Holidaygrams and Valograms for students and/or teachers to brighten their day.

Under the leadership of President Lin with the support of Interact Faculty Advisor Nancy Paricio and Golden Rotarians Salli Baker and Paulette Dyon, this club has learned to brainstorm ideas that benefit their school, local communities and the world. They have learned to write proposal for ideas presented to school administration, to advertise effectively and to work as a team to accomplish great things.

It is my honor to deliver the Ron Prascher Interact Service award to the **Bell Middle School Interact Club.**