

## 2020-21 District Grant Guidelines

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**District Grants (Maximum of \$5,000) can be used to fund club projects, including:**

- Community development projects locally and internationally
- Humanitarian projects, including travel, service and disaster recovery
- Scholarships for any level, length of time, location, or area of study
- Community Assessments for potential Global Grant applications
- Youth programs, including Exchange, Leadership Awards (RYLA), Rotaract, and Interact
- Vocational training teams, groups of professionals who travel abroad to teach and learn

### **Grant Training, Club MOU Requirements**

- Two Club Members with RI Foundation Basics and District Grant Qualification training in past two years
- Completed Club Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for District Grant funding

### **Annual Fund Cycle**

- **January 1:** District 7820 District Grants web site opens for project proposals
- **January – May:** Project proposals reviewed, Clubs asked for complete project application
- **May 15:** Complete project proposals filed on Grants web site for review, follow up questions
- **June 30:** District Grant Project List submitted to The Rotary Foundation for review, follow up
- **August 30:** District Grant funds provided to individual clubs by E Transfer

### **Reporting requirements**

- **February 15, 2021:** Interim report (project summary, financials) on District 7820 site
- **May 31, 2021:** Final Report (project summary, financials, receipts) on District 7820 site
- Please note: Reports can be filed anytime, but final report delays can create problems for your Club and District in obtaining District Grants for the following Rotary Year
- Project summary and picture for Rotary Showcase: [www.rotary.org/showcase](http://www.rotary.org/showcase)

### **Resources**

- *District Grant Web Site:* <https://grant.clubrunner.ca/60083>
- *RI District Grants Web Site :* <https://my.rotary.org/en/take-action/apply-grants/district-grants>

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