

ROTARY DISTRICT 5000  
Awards Submissions Checklist for 2016-2017  
Items Due by March 31, 2017

Rotary Club of:         Kihei/Wailea        

Club Division:               Large Club       Medium Club               Small Club

**Award Category: Community Service**

**Check for each item completed:**

- Performed at least one new Community Service project this year (Please describe in narrative)
- Conducted a Community Needs Assessment Survey (Please describe findings in narrative)
- Participated in a project to positively affect the lives of the homeless (Please describe in narrative)
- Participated in Rotary Gives Thanks Day  
(Project/Event         11/19&20//16        )
- Participated in Rotarians at Work Day (Project         10/14/16        )
- Involved an Interact Club in one of your Community Service projects (Project date or name  
        12/16/16        )
- Involved a Rotaract Club in one of your Community Service projects (Project date or name  
  )
- Publicized service projects and activities on Rotary Club Central/Rotary Showcase (Please describe in narrative)
- Organized or maintained a Rotary Community Corps  
(<https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/document/582>) (Please describe in narrative)
- Participated in a community project which includes the beneficiaries as partners (Please describe in narrative)
- Participated in a local community project in one of the six areas of focus (Please describe in narrative)
- Conducted at least one literacy project in the local community (Please describe in narrative)
- Participated in an adult literacy project in the local community (Please describe in narrative)
- Other (Please describe in narrative)

**List your 2 best Community Service Projects for this Rotary year, starting with the most important:**

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| 1. <u>        Rescue Tubes        </u>     | Club members participating: <u>        60        </u> % |
| 2. <u>        Christmas Angels        </u> | Club members participating <u>        50        </u> %  |

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**Total number of Community Service projects accomplished this Rotary year is 7.**

**Please provide a narrative description of your Community Service projects including the best projects listed above and any detail supporting your checked items above. Limit your response to ONE 8½"x11" page. (No letterhead, pictures, or graphics and print in Times New Roman 12pt size).**

**A narrative follows:  X  Yes      No**

**Submission Deadline: 31 March 2017**

District Grant: Rescue Tubes for South Maui Beaches: Partnering with the Rescue Tube Foundation (Kauai), the project will provide 30 rescue tubes as a demonstration project in South Maui. The Project budget was \$2,850. In addition, the Club has negotiated direct participation from several resorts in South and West Maui. This is our Centennial Project. On Rotary Showcase. One-Step-Up Vocational Training Grants: The project will provide up to \$9,000 in small grants to fund training leading to a professional or academic certification qualifying the recipients for a jobs that are "one-step" up from their current part-time or marginal jobs. All Maui Clubs are invited to participate. On Rotary Showcase. School Supply Drive at Kihei Safeway Saturday August 3. 20 members participated. The District 5000 Literacy Project. One of our best fellowship events, on: 9/1, 9/6, 9/16 and 9/16. Dictionary Distribution Project at the Kihei Charter School, Kihei Elementary school, Kamalii School and Montessori Hale O Keiki. Our club donated over \$3000.00 to Kihei Elementary to help restore their non-existent school library with books and bookshelves. We donated \$300.00 of rubber slippers for the children to use who had broken or no shoes. Our members participated in an all D5000 reading of Dr. Seuss books to celebrate the author's birthday. The Governors representative along with 12 of our club members joined us at this event. This is a supplement to our participation in HYRF, with a scholarship of \$5,000 for a Seabury Hall Senior. \$1,000 Club merit scholarship. This scholarship is aimed at outstanding applicants who were not selected for HRYF. International Day of Peace at Queen Ka'ahamanu Mall. Maui Children and Youth Festival at the Kihei Youth Center: October 12. 16 members participated to promote Rotary and Interact. Rotary Gives Thanks Maui Food Bank Food Drive: November 21-22. Our members collected food at the entrances to Kihei Safeway we collected \$3,000 and over a ton of food. Christmas Angel Tree Gifts for St. Theresa's Church in Kihei: Members shopped for gifts and gift-wrapped them. Camp RYLA Feb.10-12 Club contributed \$1,800 to the camp. Seabury Hall Fall Ball: A dance party sponsored by the Seabury Hall Interact Club for clients of 2 non-profits offering services to people with mental health challenges. Seabury Hall Special Prom February 21. A follow-up event after the Fall Ball. Seabury Hall Spring Fling March 6. A sit down dinner and dance party for the same group of people. Rotarians at Work: Maui Food Bank Food Drive at Safeway. Maui Food Bank Board members will also join us in the food drive on April 3.

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Rotary Club of: Pearlridge

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- Conducted a Community Needs Assessment Survey (Please describe findings in narrative)
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- Participated in Rotary Gives Thanks Day (Project/Event \_\_\_\_\_)
- Participated in Rotarians at Work Day (Project - Upcoming beautification project at Urban Garden Center on April 29)
- Involved an Interact Club in one of your Community Service projects (Collecting and boxing canned food at Postal Carriers' "Stamp Out Hunger" Food Drive on May 13)
- Involved a Rotaract Club in one of your Community Service projects (Project date or name \_\_\_\_\_)
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**List your 2 best Community Service Projects for this Rotary year, starting with the most important:**

- Institute for Human Services Women and Children Shelter
1. Food Serving Club members participating: 20 %  
School Supplies Drive with supplies being collected and purchased in addition to gift cards to 4 elementary schools
  2. in the Aiea/Pearl City area Club members participating \_\_\_\_\_ %

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### Narrative

The Rotary Club of Pearlridge works with the Rotary Club of Mililani Sunrise to volunteer every other month at the Institute of Human Services (IHS) (<https://ihshawaii.org/>) to provide food to homeless people at the Women and Children Shelter every third Sunday every two months. Our club has participated in this project in August 2016, October 2016, December 2016, and February 2017. Our club plans to participate in this project for April 2017 as well. Our members help to prepare meal plates and serve dinner to the people who come to the shelter. Our members are dedicated to continuing this initiative as we feel our support helps the IHS staff and the people to serve food to people who are homeless in an efficient and beneficial manner. We are acutely aware that homelessness is a chronic and overwhelming problem but continue to value this work as a means of providing some food security to homeless people. Our Rotary Club Member and Assistant District 5000 Governor Doreen Higa organizes this event.

The Rotary Club of Pearlridge participated in a school supplies drive that was organized by our Community Service Chair and President-Elect Lasar McCabe. Our members supported this school supplies drive by donating \$900 to purchase supplies and gift cards for students of Aiea, Lehua, Waimalu, and Pearl City elementary schools. This project provides great support to the community, especially for schools in great need like Pearl City Elementary School where 50% of the student population is on the reduced lunch program.

The Rotary Club of Pearlridge also participates in providing dictionaries to third grade classrooms in 12 elementary schools in the Pearl City/Aiea area. Our club also provides a \$50 Good Citizen award to one third grader from each of these schools based on the selection criteria of their teachers. We supported the District 5000 literacy project - Dr. Seuss and the 5 Million Words Campaign by reading "There's a Wocket in My Pocket" to:

1. 27 classrooms
2. 1 day per classroom, 10-15 minutes spent in each.
3. Student count 13-24; total read to was 590; estimate 176,400 words
4. 1 book per day per classroom

The Rotary Club of Pearlridge will be participating in the following upcoming event with the Aiea Interact Club: manning a games booth at the Aiea Family Fun Fair on April 21, beautifying the Urban Garden Center for Rotarians at Work Day at the Urban Garden Center on April 29, and collecting and boxing canned food at Postal Carriers' "Stamp Out Hunger" Food Drive on May 13. Our club is dedicated to fostering and demonstrating the "Service Above Self" ethos in our community service work.

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1. Annual Keiki Halloween Parade (Mother/Child Health) Club members participating: 40 %
2. Quarterly Beach/Town Clean Up (Growing Communities) Club members participating 38 %

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The adage “many hands make light work” was the theme for our Community Service efforts for the 2016 – 2017 Rotary Year. Having a club of 32 members and living in an area of approximately 11,000 people, we realized that a number of service organizations were performing many of the same services. This was often done without coordination among the community and often duplicated work. This year we made a concerted effort to team up, not only with other Rotarians, but with other non-Rotary groups. And it paid off.

**On September 24, 2017, our club participated in a coordinated effort to clean all aspects of our town – beaches, streets, parks, all of it. Not only was this a huge success, it was also a way to meet community members, as we represented Rotary. In fact, one resident was so impressed with our enthusiasm that she followed up and contacted us via the business card we gave her. Outcome: she is our newest member and a new bar has been set to “malama” our community. On other ‘clean up’ days, we have partnered with a local hotel to maintain a stretch of Ka’anapali Beach that we’ve informally adopted. We have committed to a minimum of quarterly beach or town clean ups, and have met the goal. To date, we have had 25 instances of participation in our beach and town clean-up projects. Clean beaches and fellowship – what a great way to spend an occasional Saturday!**

Another long-time event sponsored by our Club is the annual Keiki Halloween Parade. Each October 31, our club (and other clubs as well) serve as parade marshals for a delightful, family friendly parade through the middle of our town. We have a band, grand marshals, clowns, antique cars and other typical attractions. But the best part is saved for last – all the costumed children (and parents, for the small ones) are invited to join the parade! The route ends at a lovely park, where prize winners are announced, and treats are distributed to all children. Our parade is a safe and fun-filled way for children to experience the thrill of costumes and trick or treating, but in a safe manner. This year we had eight marshals, three car float drivers and the loan of a member’s convertible.

A third favorite event this year was participation in our Rotary Peace Day. Held at a popular shopping center, this is an opportunity not only to celebrate the good in the world and on our island, but to also let people know about our various clubs. This year, the Peace Day Committee for our club was our current president, and (at the time) our newest member. It was an excellent opportunity for our “newbie” to get a feel for what our club is, and what it can be. Another reason this event is special is that all island clubs come together for it. So not only are we able to talk to the community about Rotary, but to also meet other Rotarians. We call it our “friend making” afternoon.