

## One Day. One Focus: Ending Polio

Throughout the fight to end polio, it has been shown what can be done when we draw on our collective strengths. A polio-free world is possible, but we can achieve it only by taking action—**together**...



- 1. Create awareness within your club and community.
- 2. Have a fundraiser to support our World Polio Day / End Polio Now efforts.
- 3. Attend District 5000 World Polio Day event on Sunday the 24th of October from 9–11 am.
- 4. Attend Rotary International live streamed World Polio Day program on October 24th
- 5. Join the PolioPlus Society— Today.



Funding is crucial to completing this fight and eradicating polio. We must:

- **Continue** to immunize more than 400 million children against polio every year.
- *Improve* disease surveillance systems to detect any poliovirus in a person or the environment.
- *Hire* more than 150,000 health workers to go door to door to find every child..

If polio isn't eradicated, within 10 years, hundreds of thousands of children could be paralyzed. Global health care costs would rise dramatically, and the quality of life for people affected by the disease would be drastically diminished.

Thank you for your continued support to 'End Polio Now'. You donations save lives and give children a chance at a healthy future.

And, the impact of your giving is tripled... The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation matches every \$1 you commit to polio eradication 2-to-1, up to \$50 Million per year.

\$100 Your PolioPlus Society membership

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**<u>\$ 200</u>** The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation **\$300** Total contribution





Join Rotary District 5000 World Polio Day Celebration on Sunday the 24th of October, 9am—11am.

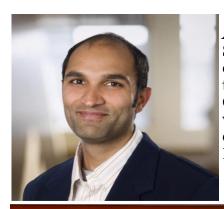
We are planning an amazing program with great speakers to update up on Polio today...





*John Germ:* Rotary International Trustee 2018–2022 and 2016–2017 President of Rotary International.





**Apoorva Mallya:** Senior Program Officer on the Polio team of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation whose primary focus is on Afghanistan and Pakistan. The PolioPlus Society is an organization of like-minded individuals committed to fulfilling the promise Rotary made in 1985 to immunize all children of the world from the devastating polio virus by contributing \$100 or more each year to Polio Plus until the world has been certified free of the Wild Polio Virus.

To become a member of Rotary District 5000 PolioPlus Society, simply complete and submit the Polio Plus Society <u>Pledge Form</u> by either clicking the link or scanning the QR code below.

Then, make your tax-deductible donation in one of the following ways:

- 1. Contribute with your credit card online at: <u>https://</u> <u>www.endpolio.org/donate</u>
- 2. Contribute by check to The Rotary Foundation, with "Polio Plus" in the memo section and mail to:

55 S. Judd Street, Apt 2206

Honolulu, Hawaii 96817

3. Contribute as little as \$10 monthly utilizing Rotary Direct at: <u>*RotaryDirectForm.pdf* (rotaryor.org)</u>

All donations will be matched 2 to 1 by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

Until the last child is immunized, and the world is certified polio-free, every child is at risk. With your contribution, you are ensuring that every child will receive the polio vaccine and the polio virus has been destroyed.

Please contact District 5000 PolioPlus Coordinator with any questions you may have:

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<u>Pledge Form</u>

"Eradicating Polio - Rotary's Number One Priority"

Ala Moana	8
Diamond Head	1
Downtown Honolulu	6
E-Club of Hawaii	8
Hickam Pearl Har- bor	1
Hilo Bay	2
Hilo	3
Honolulu	2
Honolulu Sunrise	4
Honolulu Sunset	5
Kaneohe	10
Kapolei	5
Kapolei Sunset	3
Kihei-Wailea	1
Kona Sunrise	11
Maui	5
Metropolitan Hono- lulu	2
Mililani Sunrise	2
Pearl Harbor	2
Poipu Beach	3
South Hilo	2
Upcountry Maui	1
Waianae Coast	8
Waikiki5	4
West Honolulu	5
West Kauai	1
West Pearl Harbor	2
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Thank you all for your annual commitment and remember, if you haven't done so already, it's time to make your 2021- 2022 contribution.