

List of Book Donors for Books for the World

Arizona

Sedona, AZ is collecting books for us. They have not ship to us yet but are ready to do so. They are looking at transportation and need a way to ship to us. The contact info: John Crawford john@uscrawford.com.

Arkansas

Bentonville - Bob Alberson balberson@highroadpartnersinc.com
Bentonville Sunrise has a connection to Walmart truck as well as Snelling Transportation Group. They have sent us books in at last five different years.

Georgia

Marietta Metro and Cartersville used to send us books but since Books for Africa (a NGO shipping books also) moved from Minneapolis to Atlanta, they have not contributed to us. A member of Marietta Metro was on one of our early trips to South Africa.

Our primary financial account is in Athens, GA primarily because that was where our Second Wind major donors had the funds. The contact is Jim Edwards (Jim_Edwards@ml.com).

California

Arcadia – PDG Steve Garnett has been a friend for 15 years and is involved with the Rotary Float at the Rose Parade. His contact is Steve Garrett steve@pdgstevegarrett.com.

Anahiem – Nevelle Roseman is a transplanted South Africa who has been active off and on over the years. Nevelle Roseman (nroseman@att.net). Barb and I have given a program to their Rotary Club which meets at the ball park. The project died over a transportation dispute with in the club.

Vacaville - Helmut Sommer who was on one of our early trip to South Africa started a book collection project in his local Rotary Club. Unfortunately Helmut wanted to be self-sufficient and not join the Second Wind consortium. He was only able to sustain the

project for about three years before it run out of funding and his Rotary Club abandoned it. Contact Info maybe old: Helmut Sommer hgsommer@yahoo.com

Florida

Miami – A Peace Corps volunteer in Bushbuck Ridge, South Africa named Jason, von Camp ask for books from Johannesburg and built and outfit a library from what we send. We got books from his school and sent them to Johannesburg. We've lost track of Jason after he returned to the USA and married.

We have gotten books from central Florida after we were RIPPR reps to their district conference. Contact: PDG Charles A. Rogers, charlesrogerspdg@aol.com.

Illinois

Chicago – This is a new contact for us. It can from PDG Sajid Pervaiz sajid.dg2015.16@gmail.com in Northern Pakistan and we will see how in develops. Contact: PDG Rodney Adams gov.rodney@gmail.com

Springfield - We have had contact in the past with Drake Zimmerman drakezim@gmail.com but to date limited success.

Kansas

Barb and I were the RIPPR reps to D5760 in 2009. After we were there the next couple of years one of their clubs sent books. Our contact info is old but PDG Bill Grimes was our primary contact bpgrimes@ruraltel.net or PDG Mack Teasley m.iteasley@sbcglobal.net. This district is heavily involved with Panamanian Rotary.

Louisiana

Houma – After Hurricane Katrina/Rita Houma got a lot of books donated along with clothes, water, and food. Unfortunately mtheir library was unfit for use for several years. The Rotarians teamed up with Budweiser to transport books to Houston and take beer home with them. We get yearly shipments of books from Houma. Contact: PDG Billy Foster, wrfrost@aol.com.

Missouri

Warrensburg – Over the past several years the Rotary Club has driven pickups or rental trucks to Houston to deliver books once a year. The connection is the Past General

Manager of the Rotary Foundation and Aide to PRIP Ray Klingingsmith, Duane R. Sterling, duane.sterling@rotary.org.

Bolivar – Last fall Barb and I gave a program on the book project to the Rotary Club in Bolivar, MO. where I started my academic career in college. We have a scholarship there for Ozark ministerial students in my parent's name. My father was a Missouri minister and fond of the school in Bolivar. Bolivar high School Interact club are now collecting books to team up with Warrensburg to bring to Houston this summer. Contact info: Brad Johnson (bjohnson@sbuniv.edu).

Nebraska

Kearney – Bill Ballou, a PDG in western Nebraska has spearheaded the book project for a number of years. They have collected and stored the books in Kearney. Second Wind assisted with the storage charges for about a year. They now plan to transport the reference books they have and perhaps some other hard back books to Houston this summer. Contact info: William (Bill) Ballou weballou@gmail.com.

New York

Central New York – The effort in central New York is one of our oldest supporters. They specialize in children's books and textbooks. They have sent a total of 28 loads to date. The contact is: PDG Ward Vuillemot (wardtv37@mac.com).

Western New York - This effort is an offshoot of the CNY effort but focused on the western part of the state. They collect and pack all types of books. The contact info is: Joseph Rosenshein jrosensh@rochester.rr.com or Raymond Griswold rgris57152@aol.com.

North Carolina

We have gotten a shipment of books in long passed from North Carolina but I cannot find the email. However, a Rotarian from my club has moved to North Carolina and he was active in the book project while he was here. Contact him at Jeremy Hood Jeremy@HSHyachts.com. John Capps may also be a good contact jcapps4102@aol.com. However this info is very old.

Oregon

Beaverton - This is another cooperative effort which ships from the west coast. Beaverton Rotary's Books for the World NW Project ships books to Africa and the

Philippines. They are response for us ability to ship books to the Philippines and our connection to the National Council of Women in the Philippines (NCWP). We are currently working on ways to increase their output using Second Wind funds. In the past they were mostly dependent on free USAID shipments whenever they were approved. I believe that limited them to no more than three shipments a year. The contact info for them is: Joyce Lockard rj.lockard@frontier.com or Bob Aguirre bobaguirre@comcast.net.

Oklahoma

Tulsa – We got a load of books and computers years ago from Tulsa but nothing since. The contact info is PDG Chuck Musgrave chuck@sunbeltokc.com.

Hugo - Has sent books to us for two years but I have lost their contact info.

Pennsylvania

Rachel Albright rachellynnalbright@gmail.com was a Peace Corp volunteer who served in Swaziland but was from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. She is organizing some of the Rotary Clubs in her area to contribute books to our efforts in Swaziland.

Texas

5520 – El Paso Rotary has sent books in the past. The contact in El Paso is Sonny Brown sonny@sonnybrown.com.

5790 – District wide – Off and on 5790 has had a district wide collection of books. It is currently off but some clubs still continue to collect and delivery. The main contact would be Chuck Kurtzman c.kurtzman@ourblooddrive.org.

Arlington – The Arlington Club has collected books and partipated in several ways but they have a special relationship with the Rotary Clubs in Honduras. The contact is Don Mebus mebus@swbell.net.

5810 – Dallas – Has collected and transported books over the years. Various clubs have been involved. The contact info is Sandy Forrester sassysdy@gmail.com.

5830 – Henderson –For many years we have gotten books from clubs in 5830 but there are contacted and shipped from Henderson. The contact is John Henson dg6_7bankerjohn@yahoo.com.

5840 – Kerrville has been active collecting and sending books for the last 3 years. Contact info; PDG Bill Muldoon knightwill3@gmail.com or PDG Nancy Muldoon Muldoon.nancy@gmail.com or Kim Clarkson kim.clarkson@kerrtitle.com.

5870 – Temple – For the last couple of years the temple club has collected a truck load of books from the two ISDs in their service area. The superintendents are in the club. The Killeen club has assisted in getting the books to Houston. The contact info is Bill Stokes wstokes@extracobanks.com also Gail Peek peek@thetexasfirm.com and Mike Pinson mpinson@juno.com.

5890 – District wide – Many of the club participates. We have a district chair and monthly work days (see the attached schedule). We sort and palletize on the work days. The Interactors and Rotarians are our prime source of workers and supervisors. Contacts are as follows; Terry Zeigler Bigzlumber@aol.com; Angie Jimenez angiej5890@gmail.com; Barbara Clemmons b_clemmons@att.net; Tommie Buscemi tommie5890@suddenlink.net; Peary Perry pperry@pearyperry.com; Phil Mabry philipmabry@yahoo.com; and myself Charlie Clemmons c.clemmons@att.net.

5910 – District wide - many clubs participate. They have a district chair and district committee. Their interactors and Rotarians come to the sort and palletizing work days. The content info is: Tim Andrews timandrews56@yahoo.com; Chuck Mason chuckmason@mac.com; and Emken Linton elinton@wt.net.

5930 – Victoria – Has been contributing books for many years. Especially nursing books from the UofH Nursing school in Victoria. The contact info is Joanne Settles Joanne.Settles@victoriacollege.edu.

Tennessee

University of Tennessee – contact John Bohstedt bohstedt@utk.edu. University history books.

White Horse, TN – focused on east Africa. Mainly Tanzania. Contact info: Bob Allen rjallen@prodigy.net

Washington

Mercer Island – From the Seattle area we get books they come from Judy Ginn rjginn@juno.com a librarian in Mercer Island, WA

Wisconsin

Madison – Is doing about a truck a month. They have a warehouse and provides most of the school furniture we send. Many years ago Bob and Carol Dombroski start collecting books for another NGO called Books for Africa headquarter in Minneapolis. When they understand that what Books for Africa wanted was money to send a container (20') of books not books they came looking for us. We were happy to have their books donated. Thus began a long and profitable relationship. The project is now managed by Thom Weiss tweiss57@gmail.com. Bob and Carol Dombroski can still be reached at Bob and Carol Dombroski carol.d@charter.net.

Wyoming – Years ago we got funding and books from Wyoming but since the Muldoon's moved to Texas we had heard from them again but not Wyoming. See Texas 5840 for the info on the Muldoon's.