

Foundation News

Rotary District 6930 March 2013

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"Promoting peace, literacy, maternal & child health, disease prevention, clean water, sanitation, and community development around the globe!"



March 2013

2012-2013 Foundation Committees

Terri Wescott - Governor
Bill Pearl - Foundation Chair
Jim Hagerty - Alumni Association
Pat Growney - Group Study Exchange
Dr. Wesley Boughner - Peace Initiative
Lyle Fried - World Community Service
Tom Eastwood - Annual Fund
Juan Ortega - Matching Grants
Laile Fairbairn - Polio Eradication
Jean Starkey - Simplified Grants
Larry Labadie- Peace Fellowships
LOOKING FOR A SPEAKER FOR YOUR CLUB?
WHY NOT INVITE A MEMBER OF OUR FOUNDATION
LEADERSHIP TEAM?

MARCH IS LITERACY MONTH!

In the developing world, one in five adults – almost 862 million people – cannot read or write. What is your club doing to help?

CONGRATULATIONS CLUBS WHICH HAVE HIT THE \$100 PER CAPITA GIVING MARK AS OF 3/3/13!

Belle Glade	Boca Raton West
Cocoa Beach Daybreak	Fort Pierce
Jupiter-Tequesta	Melbourne Beach
Rockledge	Royal Palm Beach
Titusville	Vero Beach Sunrise
Boca Raton Sunset	Lake Worth
Merritt Island Breakfast	Suntree
Northern Palm Beaches	Wellington

To date, 1/3 of our clubs have met the Rotary Foundation Worldwide goal of \$100 per capita average giving! Is your club's name NOT YET ON THIS LIST??? Top Giving Club as of 3/3 still Rockledge Rotary now at \$230.61 per capita! Rockledge Rotary Rocks! Club Treasurers - please send in your planned AF contributions this year by May 30, 2013! Thank you!

D-6930 RANKS # 3 IN ZONE 34 IN TOTAL GIVING!

As of 3/3, D6930 total giving to the Rotary Foundation stands at an amazing \$327,609! That's up 4% over last year's total and ranks # 3 of 14 districts! Way to go!

Calendar: Save the Dates!

Rotary Florida PETS 2013	3/7-9
International Woman's Day	3/8
World Rotaract Week	3/11
RI Future Vision Committee Meets	3/13
RI Brand Committee Meets	3/19
World Water Day	3/22
District Assembly	4/6
RLI (Parts 1, 2 & 3)	4/13



http://youtu.be/TUmbSUp4huE

My fellow Rotarians!

The month of February had so many "highs" - addressing a "full house" at the Grant Management Seminar, signing off on three new Matching Grants, reading my Peace poem at the Zone 34 Peace Symposium in Atlanta, representing Governor Terri to present well-deserved honors to our clubs and to Rotarians who have shined in our collective mission to support "Rotary's Charity" the Rotary Foundation. The picture above with Lake Worth Rotary Club President Ron Leeds was one such special moment! Pat Growney asked me to stop by because, he said, he and veteran club treasurer Dave VanVleet had a check for the Foundation for \$2,550 and he wanted to present it to me. In addition to chairing our GSE Committee, Pat is determined to see that the Lake Worth Club becomes an EREY club this year! Little did I know that that check would cause another "high" - for this was the check that put our district over the \$100,000 threshold for giving to the Annual Fund this year! So thank you Pat, Ron, Dave and all the members at Lake Worth Rotary, and thank you to every Rotarian in each of our 48 clubs who has given or plans to give to the Annual Fund this year! Let's remember that half our dollars we give to the Annual Fund return to our district in three years for use to fund our District and Global Grant Projects and the other half goes to the World Fund, which is the source of funding for grants around the world by the Rotary Foundation. That's why I like to say that our dollars given to the Annual Fund are a gift that keeps on giving! And if you want to know how those dollars make a difference, just read the articles and watch the videos in this March issue of the District 6930 Foundation Newsletter. I know if you do, you'll share the pride I feel in our district, our clubs and all the members who make D-6930 a shining light in the Rotary World. Here's to the "highs' of March! Sincerely,

Bill Pearl

District Foundation Committee Chair

D-6930

Destiny Andrews to Stockholm!



Under the leadership of President Gay Voss, the Boynton Beach/Lantana Rotary Club is providing a scholarship for Ms. Destiny Andrews, a junior at Boynton Beach High School to attend the Molecular Frontiers Annual Symposium in Stockholm, Sweden at the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences. Pictured above (L to R): Teacher Nicole Neuhengen, Dr. Gay Voss, Past- Pres. Deborah Donnelly-McLay, Destiny and her mom, Heather Andrews

ACHTUNG! GSE UPDATE: Video Update on Outbound Team http://youtu.be/n_HpCe6QLwU



Photo of Inbound Team

The inbound medical team from District 1840 Bavaria, Germany arrives 4/4/13! Please meet the German team!

Leader: Max J. Klinger, 67, married, healthcare industry

- 1. Kristina Dehm, 33, single, physician, resident in traumatology
- 2. Anke Hackenberg, 36, single, senior quality manager, R.N.
- 3. Katharina Korzinek, 31, married, manager health policy
- 4. Sabine Schneider, 29, single, lawyer (medical law)

GSE Chair Pat Growney and his Area Coordinators are looking for volunteers for home stays, drivers, medical vocational day contacts and guides. Want to help? Please contact Pat at Cpatgrun@gmail.com or your local Area Coordinator.

Tentative Schedule:

Area 1	Titusville Area	4/4 -4/9	
Area 2	South Palm Beach County	4/9 -4/14	
Area 3	Okeechobee Area	4/14-4/19	
Area 4	Melbourne Area	4/19-4/25	

Area Coordinators:

Area 1	Marcia Gaedcke	gaedcke@titusville.org
Area 2	Leo Phillips	philmack@aol.com
Area 3	Jim Benton	Jbenton@faithfarm.org
Area 4	Pat Growney	Cpatgrun@gmail.com

Danke!

SIMPLIFIED GRANT UPDATE:



Lots of activity for Simplified Grants! Here's where we are:

APPROVED & FUNDED TO DATE:

Club:	Grant:	Project Total:
Wellington	800	2,052.27
Lake Worth	400	1,675.88
Jupiter-PBG	800	2,263.38
Stuart	400	1,120.00
Singer Island	420	840.00
Titusville Sunrise	354.02	708.04
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Merritt Island	684.11	1,368.22
Delray Beach	400	1,534.00
Pahokee	112.50	225.00
West Palm Beach	800	3,169.50
Boca Raton West	400	856.00
Wellington – Peace	800	14,963.69
Port St Lucie Sunset	400	802.90
Cocoa	594	1,188.00
Boca Raton Sunrise	514.50	1,029.00
Orchid Island	800	3,500
Royal Palm Beach	523.07	1,046.15
Total	9,556.22	39,050.07

WAITING FOR FINAL REPORTS BEFORE FUNDING:

Hobe Sound	Merritt Island Breakfast
Eau Gallie	Indialantic
Vero Beach Sunrise	Boynton Beach/Lantana
Delray Beach Sunrise	Sebastian
Port St Lucie Sunset # 2	

As soon as the above nine clubs submit their final reports and invoices, checks will be issued! If you need a final report form, you can find it at www.rotary6930.org Just click on Foundation Programs under the Foundation tab and scroll down to District Simplified Grants.

WE HAVE MORE MONEY TO GRANT!

We started the Rotary Year with \$22,047.00 in DSG money available. To date we have granted \$9,556.22 and have another \$4,970.00 approved pending the receipt of final reports and invoices. This means we have approximately \$7,520.78 more to grant this year! By special agreement of the Chair, we are accepting new applications on a first come, first serve basis through May 30, 2013. More generous eligibility: Under \$100 per capita giving clubs – $\frac{1}{2}$ match up to cap of \$800! \$100 or greater per capita giving clubs – ½ match up to cap of \$1,600.00! Projects must be complete with final report and invoices due no later than midnight May 30, 2013. If you are among the many clubs whose leadership feels it is most important to give back to the local community, this is a great opportunity to do just that and to get one half your funding needs, up to the applicable caps from the Rotary Foundation. First come first serve until the money runs out! Questions? Contact DSG Chair Jean Starkey at Jean@JeanStarkey.com THANK YOU!!

PEACE INITIATIVE UPDATE:







Dr. Wes Boughner

Betsy Owen Larry Kemp

Zone 34 Peace Symposium Highlights Wellington Rotary and D-6930 Peace Initiative!

Thanks in large part to the hard work of our very own PDG Betsy Owen, Co-Chair for the first ever Zone 34 Peace Symposium on 2/23/13 in Atlanta, the Rotary message of peace was amplified as was the good work of the clubs of District 6930 and the Peace Initiative founded by our very own Dr. Wes Boughner and his team at the Wellington Rotary Club. To get a sense of what the seminar was like and to hear selected excerpts from its list of distinguished speakers and participants, click here: http://youtu.be/yq7gbS6xRWI To experience how the District 690 Peace Initiative was highlighted as a model for the other 14 districts in Zone 34, please listen to the remarks by Wellington Rotary's President Elect, Larry Kemp by clicking here: http://youtu.be/xx2S4Bx6Yhc Betsy, Larry and every D-6930 participant in the symposium made us all very proud!

Application Update! Peace Initiative Chair Dr. Wes

Application Update! Peace Initiative Chair Dr. Wes Boughner reports that only five clubs have submitted applications this year to become WORLD PEACE COMMUNITY clubs: They are:

Club	Project 1	Project 2
Merritt Island	Peace Toasts	RYLA
Eau Gallie	Peace Toasts	RYLA
Wellington	School Contests	UN Ceremony
Cocoa	Water Project	Peace Toasts

As a model for the Zone with aspirations as a model for the world, we need 100% of our clubs submitting an application this year to become a World Peace Community. How do you do it? Simple! Just hit control and click on the following link:

http://www.rotary6930.org/downloads/Peace/District6930WorldPeaceInitiativeBrochure.pdf

Review the Peace Initiative brochure, select two projects to complete from the list of project ideas (I'll bet there's one or two you may have already done this year!) and return the brochure application to Dr. Wes Boughner, 13002 La Mirada Circle, Wellington, FL 33414. Wes can also be reached by phone or fax at 561 791 2060 or udornbogs@aol.com Does your club have a Peace Initiative Chair working on this? This is a great idea for a club service project to get new members involved with Rotary at the District and International level. Our goal is 100% of clubs on board and we have a long way to go – SO PLEASE GET ON THIS! THIS PROGRAM MERITS OUR FULL SUPPORT!!! Please let's see your club's name on the above list in the April 2013 foundation newsletter! OK???

Peace Scholars! What better way to promote peace in the world than by finding the world's next peace leader. The <u>application</u> is now available on line. A Rotary Peace fellowship is completely funded by Rotary and requires no District Designated Funds. Also districts are allowed to submit as many applications as they deem qualified. More info, click on <u>tip box</u> and <u>recruitment ideas</u> or contact D6930 Peace Fellowship Chair Larry Labadie at <u>Labguy@bellsouth.net</u>.



WORLD COMMUNITY SERVICE UPDATE: STOP HUNGER NOW!

Exciting news from World Community Service Chair, Lyle Fried of Royal Palm Beach Rotary! Working with Stop Hunger Now, Lyle is preparing an application for a District Simplified Grant to fund transportation costs for 570,240 meals to be delivered to the most impoverished areas of Haiti. The first container will ship in April 2013 to the port of Cap Haitian and the second will shop in September to the port of St Marc. The distribution of meals will take place in several locations and will involve several partners, including the Rotary Clubs of St Marc, Bayonnais, and Cap Haitian. Additional partners include the Heart for Haiti Foundation, YWAM-Haiti, Mont Sinai Ministries, and their affiliates. This program provides those communities which receive meals to also receive vocational and educational training to prepare them for self-sufficiency. The estimated number of people to be served is 3,025 or more. An estimated 45 Rotarians will be involved in the distribution and training effort. In addition, Rotarians in our district and D-6950 will have opportunities to participate in food packaging events. This will be a District 6930 sponsored District Simplified Grant. More info or want to help, contact Lyle at Lylefried@bellsouth.net

END POLIO NOW UPDATE:

Rotary International recently hosted the British newspaper, The Independent in India for firsthand look at the Polio Eradication effort. It's an important article you don't want to miss. Read it by clicking here: Polio Article Chair Laile Fairbairn and the District Foundation Committee are asking every Rotarian this year to allocate \$25.00 toward polio eradication. That's about six cents a day, and if each of our 1,583 district Rotarians chips in, we'll be able to contribute \$40,000 to the polio campaign this year. Here are the clubs in our district which have contributed year to date: Is your club **not** on this list???

Belle Glade 1,285 **Boca Raton Central** 850 456.02 **Boca Raton Sunrise Boca Raton Sunset** 100 160 Indialantic Melbourne Beach 300 Orchid Island 700 Pahokee 1,000 Palm Beach 100 Port St Lucie 25 Royal Palm Beach 1.750 Sebastian 700 125 Suntree **Stuart Sunrise Rotary** 1,550 700 Vero Beach Vero Beach Oceanside 700 Vero Beach Sunrise 700 **Total Year to Date** \$11,201.02

"We Are This Close," and with our support, Rotary and our partners will finish the job of creating a world without Polio. For more info, contact Laile Fairbairn at lailefairbairn@comcast.net

MATCHING GRANTS UPDATE:



West Palm Beach:

Thanks to the West Palm Beach Rotary Club and a Rotary Foundation Matching Grant, the disabled children served in the Institute Santa Teresita Iris in the village of Bucaramanga, Columbia will have new beds, aspirators, nebulizers, oxygen cylinders and more! Thanks to Sean Rooney, Jeff Pasquale, Pete Bozetarnik and the club board and members for making this happen!

Wellington:

Thanks to the Wellington Rotary Club and a Rotary Foundation Matching Grant (pending approval), the same Santa Teresita Iris Institute will have a new 8 passenger bus especially equipped to transport disabled children. The partner club in Columbia for the West Palm Beach and the Wellington matching grants is the Club Rotario Bucaramanga Nuevo Milenio in District 4270.



And thanks again to the Wellington Rotary Club, its board and members, and to a 2nd pending foundation matching grant, the impoverished elderly population in the village of Socorro, Columbia will have new wheelchairs, beds, crutches, walkers, ultrasound and a host of other exercise equipment and tools for the maintenance of better health and comfort. The partner club in this project is the club Soccorro Huella Comunera, also in District 4270. Thanks to Dr. Wes Boughner, Larry Kemp and Henrick Nordstrom of the Wellington Rotary Club.

More to come:

Matching Grants Chair, Dr. Juan Ortega reports he is currently working on grants for this year with the Titusville Sunrise, Belle Glade, and Singer Island Rotary Clubs. If your club would like to support a project this year, you have to the end of this month to identify a project and get with Dr. Ortega to tap into the money available this year for our district to do good in the world. More info or questions, please contact Juan at Jortega@landdesignsouth.com Thank you!

LEADER OR BOSS WHICH ARE YOU?

Harry Selfridge, founder of the great London department store that bears his name talked about the difference between being a leader and being a boss. The boss drives people. The leader coaches them. The boss depends upon authority. The leader depends upon good will. The boss says "I" and the leader says "we." The boss fixes blame for the breakdown. The leader fixes the breakdown. The boss knows how it is done. The leader shows how it is done. The leader says "let's go!" In our clubs, our offices and our homes, are we the boss or are we the leader?



D-6930 FOUNDATOIN COMMITTEE MISSION STATEMENT & CORE VALUES

MISSION STATEMENT:

"To work together to organize effective foundation programs, to educate and to inspire Rotarians about our foundation, to promote participation in foundation programs among our clubs and their members, to enhance a sense of ownership in our foundation by our members and to carry out our mission in a disciplined and fiscally responsible manner in accordance with Rotary foundation rules and objectives."

CORE VALUES:

Integrity – Do unto others as you would have them do unto you!

Respect – For all Rotarians, especially for those who have a different point of view!

Communication – Openly share information, thoughts and feelings and encourage new ideas!

Quality – Shoot for excellence in all we do and not just what is expedient!

Performance – Integrity! High Standards! Hard work! Learn from mistakes!

Innovation – If we can find a better way, let's do it! **Leadership** – Opportunity to use and to improve our leadership skills...take the initiative!

Teamwork – Pitch in! Be positive! Set and attain goals! Add energy to the group! Problem solve! Work together! **Golden Rule** – Never speak ill of a fellow Rotarian!

Kim Saville of St Judes to Speak to Delray Rotary Tues 3/26

The School of St Jude in Tanzania, East Africa is a model for how poverty can be fought through education and a model for how the Rotary Foundation World Fund helps accomplish this. Founded in 2002 by Gemma Sisia, the school is located across three campuses, provides boarding for over 1,000 students and employs over 400 Tanzanians. By developing professional skills and knowledge, students are enabled to aim high and achieve dreams previously out of their reach. In its early years, the school was supported by Rotary Clubs in Australia and today Rotary Clubs remain major contributors to the school. For more information, contact PDG Betsy Owen at betsyowen@aol.com

Vistas From Around the District!

Photos & videos from recent club visits!

"Special thanks to every club speaker chair who invited me to speak about our Foundation!"



At Governor's Club, Royal Palm Beach Rotary with Eric Gordon and President Scott Armand



At the Titusville Sunrise Rotary Club with President Els Van Engelenburg and President Elect Kate Chiodini



With Governor Terri Wescott and D-6970 Foundation Chair Bill Griffin at Grant Management Seminar



Presenting EREY and 100% RFSM banners at Cocoa Rotary to President Dave Brubaker and Patricia Hare



With Larry Labadie, Laile Fairbairn, Tina Nicholson, Paul Dritenbas and Bill Schlitt



With Larry Kemp, Betsy Owen, Dr. Gay Voss and Peter White at the Zone 34 Peace Symposium in Atlanta, Georgia

Letters

http://youtu.be/dDo8BOrnT_A

2/19/13

Dear Bill:

This letter is to thank you for your Foundation Presentation on February 12, 2013 to the Rotary Club of Cocoa. We are always honored to host a District 6930 guest, and the Foundation Chair is a rare visitor. From Palm Beach Gardens to Cocoa is a long distance for you to travel, so we appreciate the trip and your recognition of our EREY efforts this past year.

I am sorry that Steve Rusnak, our club Foundation Chair, could not be present to receive his hard-earned recognition and award, but at times, it is difficult for him to leave his small office. I did send him your messages. So he is aware of your congratulations.

Thank you also for the Foundation presentation that you gave form the podium. Some of our new members have not heard much yet about the Foundation, so I observed them intently listening to you. Steve will reinforce your messages in two weeks when he offers the club his presentation and when he kicks off our EREY efforts for 2013. He is, as you said, awesome with his gentle, but powerful, methods in getting 100% participation each year for a number of years. He really believes in the mission of the Foundation.

Thank you also for being willing to stay after the meeting to answer questions and for staying for the bulletin photo. I enjoyed chatting with you and our visit. Hopefully, our club will remain at the top of the Foundation participation.

Respectfully, Patricia A. Hare Program Chair Rotary Club of Cocoa

Grant Management Seminar 2/9/13







A Full House – with 94% of clubs attending!

http://youtu.be/HJU3zvIfUO4

Representatives from 94% of our district clubs met on 2/9 to learn about the New Rotary Foundation! So what's new? Well our grant model is new and more importantly our spirit is renewed! There's excitement in the air as clubs prepare not only "to do good in the world" but, under the new grant model, "to do good, better!" If you want to catch the spirit of the training, watch the 7 minute video. Learning materials are available at www.rotary.org/grants SPECIAL THANKS: 1) to our team of 48 Club Foundation Chairs, or as I like to call you, "the Team of 48 Rotary Champions" for hearing us about the importance of attending the training!" 2) to our amazing Club Presidents, President —elects and your boards for your support! 3) to PDG Bill Griffin and D-6970 for your 1000% support and efforts — amazing! 4) to next year's Foundation Team under PDG Phil Lustig - Jim Sisserson, Marcia Gaedcke and to Governor Elect Arthur Hodge for caring more than anyone about making future vision happen for D-6930!

How to use Member Access?

Click below:

http://www.rotary.org/RIdocuments/en pdf/member access map registration en.pdf

If you want to manage your Rotary membership in a state of the art fashion, know what's happening in your club, your district and the larger Rotary World, learning to navigate Member Access is the way to do it, and it's not difficult! All you need is your email address, a password of your choice and you're off! Want to create your account right now? Just click on https://map.rotary.org/en/selfservice/Pages/login.aspx & click on "Create Account" It's that easy!

About Rotary Club Central

Rotary Club Central helps clubs and districts track their goals, progress and achievements in the areas of membership, service and Foundation giving – providing them with a "one-stop-shop" for this information.

This tool will reduce some administrative burden on clubs by eliminating four paper forms: the Membership Goal report form, Foundation Goal report form, Planning Guide for Effective Rotary Clubs, and for governors it will replace the Memo of Club Visit process (governors will now rate clubs through this tool).

The tool will help with continuity and succession planning in clubs as historical data will be captured in this tool and available for future years.

This will assist the organization's PR efforts and membership development efforts by helping quantify the global impact of Rotary and improving the sharing of information.

For governors, Rotary Coordinators and Directors it will provide you summary data for clubs and districts in your area – with the ability to see specific club data if necessary.

Assistant Governors for the first time are being reported to RI. If reported, they will have access to data for their clubs.

It is live now! If you sign in to Member Access, look for Rotary Club Central. You will be able to see your club's information.

To date 36% of clubs have goals in the tool. 529 districts have a club with at least one goal in the tool.

IDEA: At your next board meeting, why not assign a member to begin working with this new Rotary tool?

Agenda Items for Your Next Club Board Meeting

- 1. Vote to decide to become an EREY and /or a 100% Sustaining Member Club this Rotary year!
- 2. Vote to have your club treasurer send in your club members' Annual Fund contributions by May 30, 2013
- 3. Vote to have your club's Polio Plus contribution be equal to or greater than \$25.00 per active member and send that by May 30, 2013 as well.
- 4. Vote to honor your club as a "World Peace Community" by submitting your application for the District 6930 Peace Initiative to Dr. Wes Boughner <u>Udornbogs@aol.com</u>
- 5. Vote to submit your club application for a District Grant, Global Grant or Packaged Grant under the new Grant model, and make sure to include a presentation on the new grant model at your next club assembly!

Thank you!