

Foundation - July Edition

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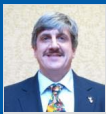
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Ezra Teshome to lead District PolioPlus Fundraising Team

By Jeffrey A. Brennan on Monday, July 15, 2019



Steve Crane, who passed away last month, tirelessly and successfully led our district's PolioPlus fundraising efforts as PolioPlus Chair for several years - Steve will be dearly missed. I am honored to announce that Past District Governor Ezra Teshome has wholeheartedly agreed to be our new District 5030 PolioPlus Chair. Ezra has been deeply committed to the effort to fight polio. Since 1996, he has been leading groups of Rotarians to Ethiopia to deliver polio vaccine drops. Please join me in welcoming and supporting Ezra as our PolioPlus Chair. Ezra will be focusing on building out a PolioPlus team to help with our district efforts to raise funds for The Rotary Foundation's Polio Plus Fund. Please contact Ezra or myself if you are interested in volunteering.

2018-2019 Annual Giving Results

The Rotary Foundation 2018 ♦ 2019 Annual Fund Giving by Jeff Brennan, District 5030 Foundation Chair

At the end of every Rotary year, your contributions directed to the Annual Fund-SHARE are divided between the World Fund and the District Designated Fund, or DDF. At the end of three years, our district uses the DDF to help fund district and global grant projects. The 2018-19 Rotary year just ended on June 30. Contributions to the Annual Fund in our district for the year totaled **\$534,644.28**, or **\$218.49 per member!**



Each year, the top three clubs in per capita (member) giving to the Annual Fund are recognized by The Rotary Foundation. For 2018-19, the top three in per member giving were:

Number 1 ♦ Edmonds Daybreakers at \$877.50

Number 2 ♦ Mercer Island at \$504.91

Number 3 ♦ Mill Creek at \$459.53

Congratulations! And, thank you everyone for your support of The Rotary Foundation.

Grant Deadline

2019-20 District Grant Project Proposals are Due September 15, 2019

Project proposals for matching district grants are due no later than September 15, 2019. Information on the district grant program, club qualifications, the project proposal application, and supporting materials can all be found at <https://5030grants.com/>. The district matching grant program is a great way to increase the return of your club's project and is made possible through your donations to The Rotary Fund's Annual Fund-SHARE!



DG-Elect



Howard J. Cohen
DG-Nominee

DG Visits

July 16th

DG Official Visit - Kent Sunrise

July 18th

DG Official Visit - Lynnwood

July 23rd

DG Official Visit - Kirkland Downtown

July 23rd

DG Official Visit - Ballard (Seattle)

July 30th

DG Official Visit - Emerald City (Seattle)

August 1st

DG Official Visit - Redmond

August 6th

DG Official Visit - Kent

August 9th

DG Official Visit - Lake Union Neighborhood (Seattle)

August 13th

DG Official Visit - Rainier (Seattle)

August 13th

DG Official Visit - Bellevue

August 15th

DG Official Visit - Burien-White Center

August 20th

DG Official Visit - Bellevue Sunrise

Slight Change in the Areas of Focus

The Rotary Foundation has made changes to Rotary's areas of focus, which took effect 1 July. They have kept the existing six areas but adjusted three names (marked with asterisks) to better reflect the types of projects that Rotary members are carrying out. The areas of focus are now:

- Peacebuilding and conflict prevention*
- Disease prevention and treatment
- Water, sanitation, and hygiene*
- Maternal and child health
- Basic education and literacy
- Community economic development*

Some of the goals of the areas have changed, and we've included activities that relate to the environment for most areas.

The Rotary Foundation strives to process grants efficiently and ensure the quality of grant-funded projects. All grant requests must comply with the policy statement related to their intended area of focus. Project planning is the responsibility of the host club or district.

DISTRICT 5030 PEACEBUILDERS CO-SPONSOR a SCREENING & PANEL DISCUSSION of the SECRET LIFE OF MUSLIMS

A SPECIAL SCREENING & LIVE EVENT OF
THE SECRET LIFE OF MUSLIMS
AN EMMY NOMINEE & PEABODY FINALIST

GUEST INCLUDE JOSHUA SEFTEL, EXECUTIVE PRODUCER & CREATOR; RAIS BHUIYAN, FOUNDER & PRESIDENT, WORLD WITHOUT HATE; RICHARD MCKINNEY, RETIRED VETERAN & ACTIVIST; ANEELAH AFZALI, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, MAPS-AMEEN.

Join us for an engaging and interactive evening as we explore the importance of storytelling, advocacy & understanding.
Wednesday, July 24th, 2019 at 6:15pm - 8:30pm, Women's University Club, 1105 6th Avenue, Seattle
For tickets: [facebook.com/events/475806816503471](https://www.facebook.com/events/475806816503471)

WUC FOUNDATION Rotary District 5030 World Without Hate MAPS-AMEN Seattle Human Rights Commission SOCIAL JUSTICE FILM FESTIVAL Seattle 4 Rotary PopUp Justice Meaningful Movies Project

Special showing on July 24, 2019 at 6:15pm - 8:30pm,
Women's University Club, 1105 6th Avenue, Seattle

Link for information and tickets: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/secret-life-of-muslims-screening-panel-discussion-tickets-62241719659?aff=ebdssbea>

Pilot Program - Young Professional Exchange



Rotarian Bret Tauscher from the Rotary Club of Issaquah has been developing a pilot program for young professionals. It is called the Young Professionals Exchange Program (YPE) and it is a Rotary Club program designed for young professionals ages 21 - 30. The purpose is to build a new generation of Rotarian global leaders with global perspectives and experience. Another purpose is to build goodwill and peace between nations and clubs by building personal and professional relationships between young professionals in other countries. This leads to mutual understanding of different cultures on both a business and personal level.

[Read More](#)

Volunteers Needed

On August 3 and 4 we will be packing thousands of lightly used books to send to Kenya through Rotary Books for the World. Up to 200 volunteers are needed. It will be in the back warehouse of NW Harvest.

Please consider helping. There is a link below to sign up with Signup Genius. Young people are welcome to help. This is a good activity for anyone who needs volunteer hours - and it counts as a Rotary make-up. Thank you in advance. Your help is much appreciated. ~ JudyGinn

[Books for the World packing](#)

Joint District Polio Plus Night

Click on the picture below
To Register or Donate

PolioPlus Night with the AquaSox
District 5050 and District 5030

NEW!
JUST ANNOUNCED

August 3rd



SAVE THE DATE - AUGUST 3RD

District Grant Information and Applications

The deadline for District Grant applications is September 15, 2019.

Thanks to Jeff Brennan, District Rotary Foundation Committee Chair, all District Grant information is now accessible at www.5030grants.com.

It includes information and downloads for grants. Please take a look at it.

It includes information on:

- District Grants
- AG Express
- Rotaract Grants

Jeff will be adding global grant information to it shortly.



Event Registraton

To register for the following events please click on the image.



District Conference
April 3-4, 2020



Rotary International Conference
June 6-10, 2020