



Rotary Club of Centennial Colorado



Centennial, Colorado

March 28, 2017



Gail Lehrmann, the District 5450 Chair for the Rotary Foundation, gave an update to the club on the Rotary Foundation.

The basic question is where does all of the money go in Rotary. The dues members pay to the club goes to 3 different areas: Meals, District operations, and RI operations. The money that is raised during club events goes into the club foundation. The club foundation uses the money for three different areas: Club projects, international projects, and community service projects. There are several sources of money that goes into the Rotary Foundation. One source is the Every Rotary, Every Year (EREY). A second source is the money that gets an individual to be a Paul Harris Fellow and this is from giving \$1,000. Another source is the Paul Harris Society where a Rotarian commits to donate \$1,000 per year to the Rotary Foundation. The two remaining sources of funding for the Rotary Foundation is from Major Donors and Bequests. Money given to the Rotary Foundation can be directed to Rotary Polio Plus, money that is used to eradicate polio worldwide.

What happens to the funds that go into the Rotary Foundation? It goes to Polio Plus, the Endowment Fund, and to the Annual Fund after 3 years. This money is split 50:50 between the DDF and Global Grants. Through the grant process, the money donated by our club is available to our club 3 years after it was donated.

Some of the projects that District 5450 clubs are doing is as follows:

- Brighton—clothing
- Summit County—community meals
- Brighton and Carbon Valley—dictionaries to 3rd graders
- Grand Lake—energy project
- Boulder Flatirons—family respite
- Parker, Longmont Twin Peaks—food banks
- Denver Mile High—health fair
- Centennial—seniors programing
- Castle Pines—teen suicide prevention
- Platteville—play ground

Some of the international projects that District 5450 clubs are doing:

- Education – Breckenridge (India), Commerce City (Nicaragua), Commerce City (Mongolia), Denver Mile High (Zimbabwe), Englewood (Senegal), & Summit County (Guatemala), Energy – Breckenridge Mountain (Nepal)
- Health – Denver Cherry Creek (Dental – Dominican Republic) & Wheatridge (Philippines)
- • Water & Sanitation – Denver Mile High (Nepal), Evergreen (Kenya), Longmont Twin Peaks (Nicaragua), Niwot (Nepal), & Parker (Haiti & India)

GUESTS

Brandy Miller (Mt Foothills) talking about the upcoming District Conference

Bill Benson

GIFTS

Byron was in Norway and brought back some porcelain eggs and a troll plaque

2015-2016 Club

Officers

President—Randy Earnest

President Elect—John Berry

Secretary—Mary Alice Jackson

Treasurer—Barbara Medina

Sergeant at Arms—Paul Horiuchi/
John Weksler

Past President—Randy Pye

Directors

Club Administration—Roxy Hahn

Community & Club Innovation—
Andrea Tagtow/Elle Vatterott

Local & International Service—
Mike Tagtow

Technology Innovations—John
Peterson

Membership Growth & Enrichment—
Trip Butler

Rotary Foundation—John

CLUB BUSINESS

- Lucheo's birthday is April 6
 - District Conference will be at the Cheyenne Mountain Resort April 28—30. the last date for guaranteed room rates in April 7.
 - Centennial Rotary Foundation. The following club members were voted in as new foundation board members— Jack Creagan, Roxy Hahn, and Mary Alice Jackson.
 - John Berry presented a banner from the Sun City West Rotary Club. He said our club is not old compared.
 - Rally for Kids luncheon April 27. This is a CASA event at the Inverness Hotel
 - Bowling Social April 9
 - Bone Marrow Drive April 23
- Blue Marble—no winner this week.

UPCOMING

EVENTS

APRIL 4—ROTARIAN FROM
KENYA

DISTRICT 5450 FOUNDATION
AND POLIO +

APRIL 11—DANIEL SEDDIQUI,
“CONNECTING THE DOTS”

VOCATIONAL SERVICE

APRIL 13—ANNUAL STATE OF
THE CITY

APRIL 18—HALISI VINSON,
ROCKY MT EMPLOYMEE OWN-
ERSHIP CENTER

APRIL 25—CLUB ASSEMBLY