# **Rotary District Grants**

Service focused projects (both local and international), especially joint projects, will be the most likely to receive funding. A maximum total of \$2,000 will be allocated to Rotaract clubs in our district. **This form is due August 1, 2019 at midnight.** Submit it by emailing it to District Grants Chair Mike Whitehurst: mike@mccuen.us

### Your Information

Your Name: Sophie Chance

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## Submit a New Project

**Project Title:** Rotaract Interact Spring Exchange (R.I.S.E.)

Rotary Year: 2019-2020 Project Country: USA

Project Location: San Diego State University

#### **Project Summary:**

Benefit San Diego high school Interactors by advancing professional development and preparing for life after high school.

#### **Project Description:**

The Rotaract Club of San Diego State University is requesting funding to help put on the Rotaract Interact Spring Exchange (R.I.S.E.) again in the Spring of 2020. R.I.S.E. is a time for Rotaract and Interact members to meet and prepare for life in college and beyond.

R.I.S.E. will take place in mid-March and is an all-day activity. Our goal and mission for the event is to educate high school students on what Rotaract is, and show them how to become their best selves. R.I.S.E. features keynote speakers and collaborative workshops that focus on professionalism, public speaking, team building, leadership, and goal setting. Developing these skills increases the students' confidence and helps them visualize their potential for future accomplishments.

R.I.S.E. is a time for high school students to get exposure to how many opportunities there are for students in college. Additionally, their interactions with Rotaract members who are both active in the community and friendly faces will help the Interact members feel more comfortable on a college campus. SDSU's Rotaract wants to see our communities excel, and getting the next generation excited about service above self early on is the best way to do so.

We are requesting funding to allow for this event to take place again this year, as it has in the past. Each year we were able to serve and touch more students, and we hope to do the same this upcoming March. Our funding request is estimated based off of previous costs and expenditures.

## **Project Contact Person**

**District Number: 5340** 

Rotaract Club of: San Diego State University

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Sponsoring Rotary Club: Club 33

Sponsoring Rotary Club Contact: Carole Ledford

Sponsoring Rotary Club Contact's Email: accounting@rotary33.org

If a Rotaract club defaults on a grant loan, the sponsoring Rotary club will be responsible for

paying it back. Make sure your sponsoring Rotary club is aware of this possibility.

## **Project Budget**

Total Budget: \$1500

Rotaract Club Contribution: \$500 District Contribution (DDF): \$1000

This is the amount you're requesting from the district for the grant. It can be from \$500-\$1000.

## **Payment Information**

Bank Account Transfer #: 121000248