

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: Kaeley O'Shea and Conor Abberton

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Submit a New Project

Project Title: WAPI Project 2020

Rotary Year: 2019-2020

Project Country: United States

Project Location: La Jolla

Project Summary:

Rotarians, Rotaractors, and other members of the San Diego community assemble Water Pasteurization Indicators (WAPIs) to be sent to refugees in Eastern Africa (specific location to be decided upon).

Project Description:

In much of East Africa water sources are unsafe to drink and must be heated in order to kill disease-causing bacteria. Individuals generally heat their water to its boiling point (212°F) in order to ensure the water is safe to drink. However, water is pasteurized at 149°F, well below boiling temperature. This means individuals unnecessarily waste valuable resources bringing their water to a full boil before drinking. WAPIs visually indicate water's pasteurization temperature so that individuals do not have to unnecessarily bring their water all the way to a boil in order to know their water is safe to drink.

The WAPI Project 2020 will provide WAPIs to individuals in East Africa who have limited resources and unsafe water sources. The event itself will be held sometime in March and the completed WAPIs will be sent to East Africa within two months of the event.

Because we have held this event several times before, we will reuse most of the equipment purchased in past years. Additionally, we will receive funding from UCSD for the room and food for the event. Our funds will therefore be used to purchase the necessary materials to make the WAPIs themselves and to ship the completed WAPIs to East Africa. All members who attend the event assemble the WAPIs and interested club members receive training and instruct others on WAPI-assembly during the event.

You should include what needs have been identified, how the project will meet those needs, and the timeline for your project. Please specify what the project funds will be used for and how club members will be involved.

Project Contact Person

District Number: 5340

Rotaract Club of: UCSD

Contact Name: Kaeley O'Shea and Conor Abberton

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Sponsoring Rotary Club: La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary Club

Sponsoring Rotary Club Contact: Marty Rosenstein

Sponsoring Rotary Club Contact's Email: shamartr@hotmail.com

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: \$2,000

Rotaract Club Contribution: \$1,000

District Contribution (DDF): \$1,000

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

Payment Information

Bank Account Transfer #:

Rotaract Club at UCSD

Account # 0081310257

Routing # 322281691