

## 2019 – 2020 District Grant Final Report

**Final reports are due within 30 days of the project ending, and no later than June 1, 2020.** Please complete this form by filling in the fields below. You must also provide a scanned copy of valid Proof of Payment (PoP) for all expenses listed. Acceptable PoPs include: cancelled checks, bank statements, bonafide itemized receipts. Once you have completed the report, please save it as a pdf document at <http://www.matchinggrants.org/district/> on the Documents tab of the project page before clicking the "Reported" button on the Administration page.

**Rotary Club** Rotary Club of Chicago Lakeview **District Grant # P-3146**

**Project Title** Outbound Youth Exchange

1. Briefly describe the project. What was done, when and where did project activities take place, and who were the beneficiaries? List any changes that might have occurred.

Our club was presented with our first opportunity to sponsor an outbound youth exchange student. The student Fletcher Fraher, was an applicant from Whitney Young High School in Chicago. After interacting with several members at District 6450's RYLA, it was approved that we would sponsor Fletcher for his exchange in the 2020-21 school year. Use of DDF and club matching paid for the \$800 sponsorship fee, with plans for the remaining \$132 to help support Fletcher in any needs, meeting attendance, or materials. Due to COVID-19, the status of the exchange is unclear, so we have not been able to apply the final \$132 yet.

2. How many Rotarians participated in the project?  
From Chicago Lakeview – Amy Hopkins, Kyle Capone, Dre Neal, Nonnie Lyketsos  
From District 6450 Youth Exchange Committee – Sue DeBolt, Cheri Vana  
Total: 6

3. What did they do? Please give at least 2 examples.

All Chicago Lakeview members served as facilitators and counselors for District 6450 RYLA, interacting with and leading groups Fletcher was a part of. Amy Hopkins further served as the club's Youth Exchange Officer, and completed required trainings from Central States Youth Exchange and Rotary International. She coordinated with Fletcher and his family to complete club required paperwork, as well as communication about scheduling club visits and presentations.

Sue DeBolt is the outbound exchange coordinator and worked with Fletcher on applications, documents, and acceptance procedures. Cheri Vana is the inbound exchange coordinator and serves on the same committee helping to determine outbound candidates.

4. How many non-Rotarians benefitted from this project?

Three – Fletcher Fraher and his parents. Without RYE, he would not have had this opportunity and his parents are excited about the program and eager to learn more.

5. What are the expected long-term community impacts of the project?

Fletcher is a leader in his school community, we expect that what he learns about other cultures, cooperation, peace building, and tolerance will only continue and enhance his potential to do good in the world through his leadership.

6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?

Central States Rotary Youth Exchange, coordinating exchange and matching student to country

7. How did you share the news of your project?

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Chicago Lakeview’s social media channels and website. Posts were made when Fletcher’s matching country was revealed, further posts planned when/if the exchange begins and through its duration.

**Financial Summary – Be sure that Income equals Expenditures!**

8.	<u>Income</u>		<u>Amount</u>
	District Grant funds received		\$466
	Club contribution		\$466
	Other funding (specify)		_____
	Total Project Income		\$932

9. Actual Expenditures Valid Proof of Payment must be saved in pdf on <http://www.matchinggrants.org/district/>

<u>Date</u>	<u>Expense Type</u>	<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Amount</u>
12/4/2019	Youth Exchange Sponsor	Rotary District 6450	\$800
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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	Total Project Expenditures		\$800

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