



Rotary Opens Opportunities

District/Governor's/Rotaract Grant Final Report 2021-2022

This report must be completed and uploaded on matchinggrants.org within 30 days after completion of the project but no later than 2 years after the date of approval of the project. For scholarships, the report is due 30 days after payment of funds.

District Grant # (from matchinggrants.org) P-4293

Rotary Club: Casper 5 Trails Rotary Club

Project Title: Dictionaries for Third Graders

Project Description:

1. Is this a scholarship governor's grant report? Yes ☐ No ☒ (If yes, go directly to line 16)
2. Briefly describe the project. What was done and where did the project activities take place? Explain how the beneficiaries and other community members were involved?

This was our club's 18th year in a row of providing dictionaries to every 3rd grader in the Natrona County School District #1 (NCSD #1). The project dictionaries were delivered to one of our club member's business warehouse. Once they were delivered, several of our club members met and put club's handout in them with a short description of what our Rotary club does and what Rotary is. These dictionaries provide every third grader with a bound book that they are able to reference for school work and keep as their own.

3. How many Rotarians participated in this project? 20

4. What did they do? Please give at least two examples.

1. Club Rotarians helped sort the dictionaries into the correct number to be distributed to each classroom.
2. Club Rotarians delivered all of the dictionaries to the third graders of NCSD #1 by hand delivering them to each classroom.

5. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project?

1. All of the third graders in the Natrona County School District #1

6. Who are the beneficiaries and what is the expected long-term community impact of this project?

The beneficiaries are all of the third graders that received a dictionary. The long-term impact is that everyone of the students, regardless of access to technology, has a dictionary to help them with their educational needs.

7. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was their role?

No other organizations were involved.

8. Income:

Income Source	Amount
5 Trails Club general operating funds	\$1,696
District DDF Grant	\$2,000
Total Project Income	\$3,696

9. Expenditures: (number receipts starting with 1 and indicate a receipt # (s) for each expenditure) (Do not include travel expenses)

If international project convert amounts to US dollars	Receipt # (s)	Budgeted Amount	Actual Amount
Dictionaries	1	\$3,700	\$3,696
Total project expenditures	1	\$3,700	\$3,696

10. Please explain any variance of more than 5% between the budgeted amount and the actual amount including the reason for the variance and why the alternative was chosen.
1. The overall expenditures were within 3% of the budgeted amount.
 2. We did not receive any corporate sponsorships due to the requests being made to late. The decision was made to take the difference out of our club's general operating budget as we had excess funds raised from our club's annual fundraiser.

11. Project score (5=strongly, 4=agree, 3= neutral, 2=disagree, 1=strongly disagree)

	Project Score	Comments
The overall project was successful	5	
The grant process worked well	5	
My interaction with partner clubs was good	5	
We achieved the results we expected	5	

12. Did you upload photos in your project on matchinggrants.org under the Photos tab? (If not, please do so)

No

13. What worked well on this project and why?

We were able to deliver dictionaries to all the third graders in NCSD #1 for the 18th year in a row prior to the end of the school year (3 weeks early).

14. What did not work well and how would you suggest improving it?

1. The delivery of all the dictionaries was hard to coordinate as one our member of the club that had space at their business was in the middle of a remodel and we had to move up our date of delivery.
2. We will try and address this issue earlier on in the project request to make accommodations.

15. How was this project publicized?

1. We did not publicize the event. This will need to addressed next year so that our club receives recognition for our work in the community.

16. Scholarship Governor's grant only

- a. Name of scholarship awardee _____ NA _____
- b. Current school _____ NA _____
- c. University of college they will be attending _____ NA _____
- d. Course of study _____ NA _____
- e. Starting date _____ NA _____

Project Inventory

Please list all items provided in this grant that are over \$500 in value and are not expendable.

There were not items that were not expendable in our project.

Item Purchased	Date of Purchase	Cost	Initial Destination/ Location	Comments

By signing this report, I confirm that to the best of my knowledge these District Grant funds were spent only for eligible items in accordance with Trustee-approved guidelines, and that all the information contained herein is true and accurate. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures are attached. I also understand that all photographs submitted in connection with this report will become the property of RI and will not be returned. I warrant that I own all rights to the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant the District, RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or in the future, through the District and the world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or developed. This includes the right to modify the photographs as necessary in the District's and RI's sole discretion. This also includes, without limitation, use on or in the web sites, magazines, brochures, pamphlets, exhibitions and any other promotional materials of the District, RI, and TRF.

Please attach all receipts or an invoice and a copy of the check used to pay the invoice. Funds over \$100 not used must be returned to the district grants treasurer.

Certifying signature of primary contact



Date:

5-31-23

Print name

Robert Robinson - Club President Casper 5 Trails Rotary

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