



Dear Rotarians,

The annual, biggest giving event for The Rotary Foundation is the 35h Foundation Celebration and it is going to be unique and special! This event began as a way to encourage Rotarians and Rotary Clubs to increase their recommended contributions of at least \$100 per member per year. Mark your calendars for Sunday, October 27, 2019, at the Taglyan Complex, 1201 Vine Street, Los Angeles 90038, 5pm to 10pm.

The **Silent and Live Auctions** along with the **Drawing Tickets** raise funds to for The Rotary Foundation providing such projects as Global Grants and District Community Grants helping around the world and in local communities, supporting education, promoting peace, fighting disease, providing clean water, growing local economics, saving mothers and children.

THERE ARE SEVERAL WAYS TO SUPPORT THE ROTARY FOUNDATION AND EACH CLUB!

1) Attend! There will be a wonderful dinner and live music, fun and fellowship. Reserve your ticket through your club or purchase online at Rotary5280.org. Tickets are \$130 per person. For ticket information contact, Wendy Clifford, 213-369-6065, 5280picnic@gmail.com.

2) Donate items for the Auctions. One half the Foundation Credits from the sale price comes back to the donating Rotarian or Rotary Club, the other half goes to the purchasing Rotarian or Rotary Club. For the Silent Auction, donate items valued at least \$300. Join together with others for an even better auction item. Please use the Auction Form for information accuracy and to be sure Foundation Points are properly credited. To donate to the auction contact, Auction Chair Carmela Raack, 310-641-0142, carmraack@aol.com.

3) The Drawing Ticket Books contain 12 drawing opportunities. Buy or sell the tickets for \$10 each or the book of 12 for \$100. You could be a winner! Make checks payable to The Rotary Foundation. Please use the Multi Donor Form for accurate credits. For tickets and information contact, Drawing Tickets Chair Tom Johnstone, 310-350-0896, unreasonabletom@gmail.com

4) Be an event sponsor! There are a variety of advertising and sponsorship opportunities. Become a sponsor or purchase an ad in the program for the event. Details and pricing are contained in the Sponsor and Advertising Forms. For more information contact, Sponsors and Advertising Chair Karen Greenberg, 310-266-7567, kareninrotary@gmail.com.

One of the goals of The Rotary Foundation is a least \$100 donation from "Every Member, Every Year." District 5280 makes it more fun and interesting by offering the opportunity to donate or purchase of Silent and Live Auction items or Drawing Tickets. Thank you for your continuing support of The Rotary Foundation.

In Rotary Service,
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