

February 6, 2017

Dear President-Elect,

Our focus this week is **participating in The Rotary Foundation**. One of the most important things you can do for Foundation support is to be a contributor yourself. Appointing the right person as your Club Foundation Chair is another critical element. You should be familiar with the giving history of your club and determine your goal for club participation in both financial and program support of The Rotary Foundation. Utilize our District Foundation Chairman to assist you and be sure to schedule a Rotary Foundation program at your club.

Please review the answers to the following questions.

- What is the mission of The Rotary Foundation?
- Why is The Rotary Foundation different from other charitable organizations?
- What is the source of funding for The Rotary Foundation?
- What is the difference between a District Grant and a Global Grant?
- What programs of The Rotary Foundation is your club currently involved with?

Please read chapter 6 from the Club President's Manual as preparation for our discussion on The Rotary Foundation at PETS. You will learn the basics of how to enter your Foundation and other club goals in Rotary Club Central on the Rotary web site during PETS.

If you are a newly elected PE or PEN, you can access all PETS letters that have been distributed to date by visiting [http://rotary5440.org/event/2017-president-elect-training-seminar-\(pets\)/](http://rotary5440.org/event/2017-president-elect-training-seminar-(pets)/). If you have any questions on the materials or need assistance during registration, please contact our District PETS registrar Kellie Tovar at rotary5440@yahoo.com.

This is the last e-mail broadcast message before we meet in Denver on February 24th.

Yours in Rotary,

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