

# DISTRICT ASSEMBLY 2024

## *FOUNDATION*

Irene Childerley

Rotary  
in East Anglia



# The Rotary Foundation

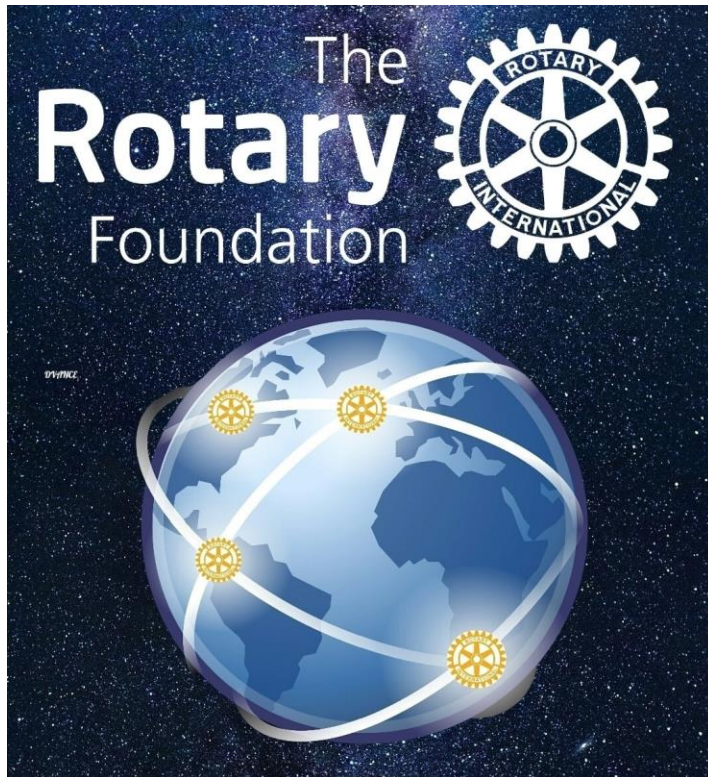
*IRENE CHILDERLEY*

DISTRICT 1080 - FOUNDATION CHAIR

# District Foundation Team Members

- ▶ **District Foundation Chair – Irene Childerley (Cambridge Sawston)**
- ▶ **Grants Subcommittee Chair (DGC) – Kate Maskall (Norwich Blackfriars)**
- ▶ **Rotary Scholars (Global & District) – Tony Platt (Sudbury)**
- ▶ **PolioPlus – David Prichard (Wroxham Bure Valley)**
- ▶ **Stewardship – Les Chant (Aylsham)**
- ▶ **Secretary – Steven Seager (Blythe Valley)**

# The Rotary Foundation has a story to tell



Over one \$Million a day spent on

- District Grants
- Global Grants
- Disaster Recovery Grants

Over 4 \$Billion spent to date

# Simply the Best!!!



# 4 Reasons Why - Charity of Choice

- ▶ Lowest expenses of any charity – 9p in £
- ▶ Ability to designate where your donation goes
- ▶ Stewardship – the money is controlled end to end
- ▶ Cadre – Experts in their chosen field

# Cadre

- ▶ Community Assessment/Feasibility Study
- ▶ Cost/Benefit Analysis
- ▶ Monitor & Evaluate
- ▶ Sustainability
- ▶ Stewardship
- ▶ Rotarians Manage from end to end
- ▶ 650 around the world – 32 in the UK

# Funds of The Rotary Foundation



**PolioPlus Fund**  
End Polio Now



**Annual Fund**  
For support today



**Endowment**  
To secure tomorrow



# What happens to your money – You Choose!!

- ▶ Area of Focus
- ▶ Annual Share Fund - Global Grants
- ▶ District Grants via DDF – District Designated Fund
- ▶ End Polio Now
- ▶ Global Scholars
- ▶ Peace Scholars
- ▶ VTT – Vocational Training Team
- ▶ Youth Exchange

# Seven Areas of Focus



Peacebuilding and conflict prevention



Disease prevention and treatment



Water, sanitation and hygiene



Maternal and child health



Basic education and literacy



Community economic development



Supporting the Environment

# Global Grants – Their Impact

- ▶ West Bengal, India – D3240 – Clean Water & Washing hands – 2,500 helped - cost - \$70K
- ▶ Durgapur City – D3240 – Toilet Blocks/Sanitation – 1,000 helped – cost \$50K
- ▶ Durgapur City – D3240 – Covid Protection – 2,500 helped – Cost \$30K
- ▶ North Lebanon – Water Filtration – 1,000 schools – 600,000 children – clean water
- ▶ Nigeria – D9110, 9125, 9141, 9142 - 'Together for Healthy Families' – Maternal Health - \$2 Million - Program of scale
- ▶ Guatemala – Literacy project – 23 years – 48 grants - \$6.5 million – 800 clubs in 90 districts.
- ▶ Zambia – Fighting Malaria – 7 districts – trained 2,500 health workers serving 1,250,000 patients. Cost \$2 million – another program of scale.



▶ WHO?



▶ YOU!

# What is a Rotarian?

- ▶ **A Rotarian is a person:**
- ▶ **Who digs wells from which they will never drink,**
- ▶ **Who vaccinates children they will never meet,**
- ▶ **Who restores sight for those they will never see,**
- ▶ **Who builds houses they will never live in,**
- ▶ **Who educates children they will never know,**
- ▶ **Who plants trees they will never sit under,**
- ▶ **Who feeds hungry people, regardless of race, religion or politics,**
- ▶ **Who makes limbs so people can walk half a world away,**
- ▶ **And - Who knows that there is real happiness in serving others**



# ▶ HOW?

# Take the first step!

## Most substantial donors start off small!!

- Sustaining Member
  - Paul Harris Society
  - **Major Donor**
  - Major Donor +++
    - Arch Klumph Society



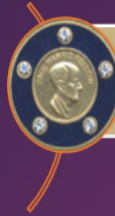
# Personal Giving

- ▶ Sustaining Member - \$100 a year - £7 a month
  - ▶ Paul Harris Fellow – \$1,000
  - ▶ Paul Harris Society - \$1000 a year
  - ▶ Benefactor – 1,000 to \$9,999
    - ▶ Major Donor - \$10,000
    - ▶ AKS - \$250,000
- ▶ Bequest Benefactor – 1,000 to \$9,999
  - ▶ Bequest Society – from \$10,000
  - ▶ Legacy Society – from \$1,000,000

# What will be your legacy?

The things you do for yourself  
are gone when you are gone.  
The things you do for others  
remain your legacy...





## Bequest Society

- A **Bequest Society** member is an individual or couple that has made a provision in their estate plan to gift a minimum \$10,000 to The Rotary Foundation
- **Involves matching the donor's interests with the needs of the Rotary International**
- With a gift of \$25,000 or more, you can establish a named endowed fund, and support an area of focus
- \$250,000 or more to support one area of focus tied to a specified district
- \$500,000 or more to support one area of focus tied to a specified district & geographic specificity

# End Polio Now



# Polio Plus Society

Just \$100 per year to become a PolioPlus Society Member

Would you:

- Consider being a district PolioPlus Society chair?
- Work with your District EPN Coordinator?
- Promote membership at a club meeting?
- Encourage your DRFC to give at least 20% of existing DDF to the ENP fund

**Remember every \$1 becomes \$3 via the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation which will mean 15 children do not suffer from polio.**





# ▶ WHY?

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Why

# ROTARIANS IN ACTION



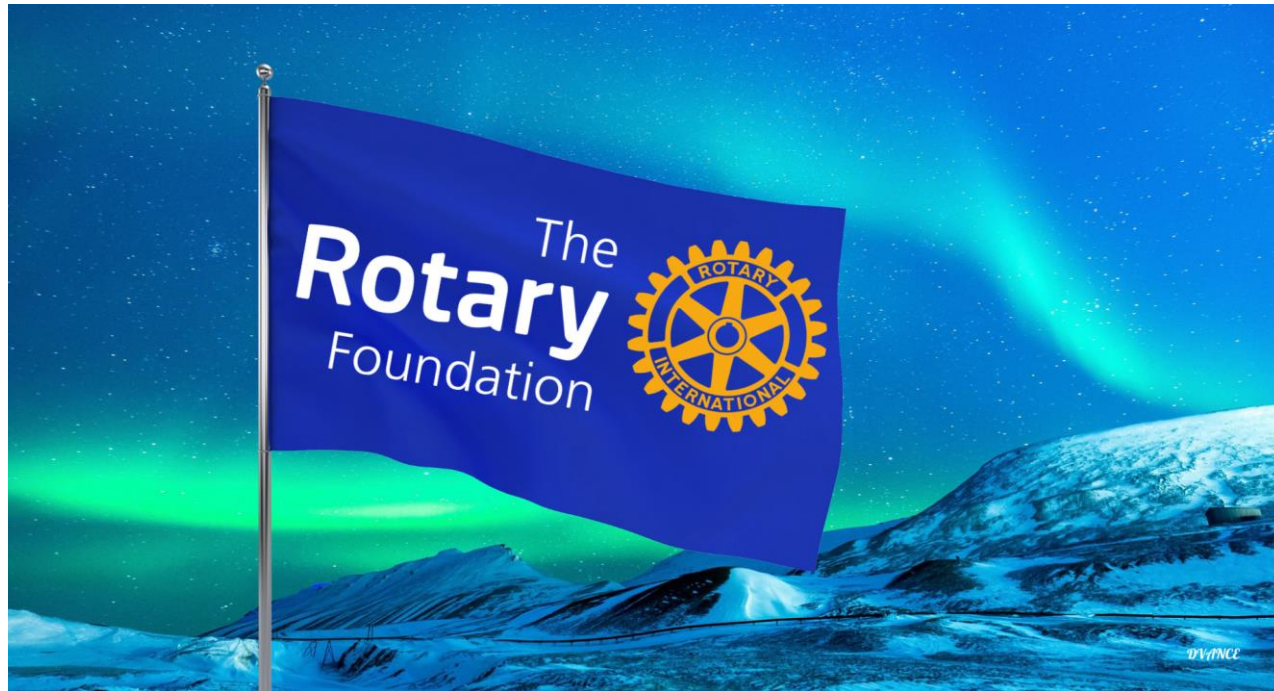


# What does Rotary do?

- ▶ Changes Lives
- ▶ Improves Lives
- ▶ Saves Lives

Every minute of every Day!!!

# 'Doing Good in the World'



- **Become a Sustaining Member**
- **Join the Polio Plus Society**
- **Paul Harris Society**
- **Create a Legacy – Bequest Society**
- **Go up a level!!!**

# Thank You!!

