Rotary International Rotary District 5340

Rotary Foundation District Grant Final Report

Deadline for submission: March 31, 2016

Must be filed electronically on: http://www.matchinggrants.org/district/

Grant Information (to be completed by District Grant contact)

- 1. District Grant # P-1005
- 2. Name of District Grant Dictionary Project
- 3. Briefly describe the grant and list any changes that might have occurred (100 words or less).

We purchased and distributed dictionaries, both English and Spanish/English, to third grade students in the Poway Unified School District as well as distributing Thesaurus to fourth grade students. We also made arrangements with another Rotary Club in District 5340 to match their dictionaries they ship to Philippians, thus providing a bigger impact to the very poor villages of that country.

4. Provide a brief (100 words or less) of lessons learned in implementing this grant and how this will improve future grant funded projects:

The complete participation of Club members is an essential reward for this project. No other project brings the full membership together like this one. We gather for the labeling party at one of the Rotarians home which includes both working and fellowship. From there we develop teams who go out to the schools for distribution. All schools we deliver to warmly receive the dictionaries and we have develop strong relationships with the schools and community through the years.

It would be difficult to articulate a project that has the impact that the dictionary project has. The Club is enhanced, the members become closer for a common cause, the kids benefit, and the local community is better for it. Almost $\underline{6000}$ kids were touched and that does not include the parents and family members.

	5. How has your Club or community been impacted by this grant?
	(Check all that apply)
X	Involvement of Rotarians in our Club in humanitarian grants has increased.
X	Our Club's international Rotary networks have been strengthened.
X	Annual giving to the Rotary Foundation in our Club has increased.
X	Club membership has increased.
X	Our Club's awareness of the needs in our community has increased.
	Participation in a District Grant has not changed our Club in any significant way

6. Given your experience, please provide any suggestions you believe would improve District Grants and the process to receive and implement them.

5. Financial Summary

Amount of District Grant funds received: \$3,500 Amount of Club funds used in grant: \$3,506.18

Amount of other funds used in grant:

Club President

Total

\$7,006.18

6. Receipts and Financial statements
Please include all invoices and receipts in electronic format to your web page on the
District Grants web page: http://www.matchinggrants.org/district/

Approvals:

Club Contact for District Grant

Date

1/25/2016

Date