

Rotary International District 5400

ROTARY FOUNDATION DISTRICT GRANT FINAL REPORT

1) District Grant # 1648

2) Program for Refugee Students

3) The project took place at Agency for New Americans on Jefferson Street in Boise. Our primary focus was on the Women's program which was directed by Jodi Larson-Farrow, the Integration Specialist. Activities and topics included parenting techniques, safe communities education, art activities, human rights, nutrition, trauma-informed activities, employment, yoga, drum circle, field trips, etc. Interpreters were present since multiple languages and ethnicities were present in the group. Jodi directed the program but also had guest presenters. The group met weekly from 7/25/18 through 12/5/2018.

4) The beneficiaries of the grant activities were approximately 20 women refugees that are new Americans from approximately 8 different countries.

5) Approximately 8 Rotarians participated in this project, many of them multiple times. Some Rotarians helped set up and take down the room that was used each week, some provided transportation for the women participating in the program, some provided childcare for women participating in the program, some assisted in the actual class for the women, one Rotarian had expertise in trauma/PTSD and provided consultation to the director of the program.

6) No other organizations were directly involved except as guest presenters (Example – law enforcement did a presentation on safe community).

7) The \$500 grant was spent on supplies for the Women's program.

I have uploaded all receipts for good purchased. Those receipts correspond to the items and amounts itemized in the list of expenses above.

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Name of the person filing this report - Deborah K. Every Date - 04/08/2018