## Rotary International Rotary District 5340

## **Rotary Foundation District Grant Final Report**

Must be filed electronically on: <a href="http://www.matchinggrants.org/districtgrants">http://www.matchinggrants.org/districtgrants</a>

Grant Information (to be completed by District Grant contact)

- 1. District Grant # P-393
- 2. Name of District Grant: Literacy & Dictionary Project
- 3. Briefly describe the grant and list any changes that might have occurred (100 words or less.

This project focuses on Education & Literacy. It provides dictionaries for 3rd Grade students in 14 elementary schools throughout the Southeast San Diego community. Budget cuts have affected schools in multiple ways including eliminating distribution reference books like dictionaries to each student. The dictionaries are an important tool that helps students improve overall learning, writing skills and comprehension. Timeline for distribution of books is September-November, 2013.

- 4. Provide a brief (100 words or less) of lessons learned in implementing this grant and how this will improve future grant funded projects:
- 5. How has your Club or community been impacted by this grant? (Check all that apply)

Involvement of Rotarians in our Club in humanitarian grants has increased.

Our Club's international Rotary networks have been strengthened.

Annual giving to the Rotary Foundation in our Club has increased.

Club membership has increased.

- 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
- X Others: We've established closer relationships with the principals & teachers at each school and are working with several of them on new projects for their individual schools.
- 6. Given your experience, please provide any suggestions you believe would improve District Grants and the process to receive and implement them.
- 7. Financial Summary

Amount of District Grant funds received: \$ 600.00 Amount of Club funds used in grant: \$ 305.78 Amount of other funds used in grant: \$1,500.00 \$2,405.78

8. 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:

Total

<u>James Jackson, Jr.</u>	4/3/2014
Club President	Date

<u>Dianne Crawford</u>	4/3/2014
Club Contact for District Grant	Date