

**Rotary International  
Rotary District 5340**

**Rotary Foundation District Grant Final Report**

Deadline for submission: March 31, 2011

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

Grant Information (to be completed by District Grant contact)

1. District Grant # (check website for #) P771
2. Name of District Grant Bikes for Kids
3. Briefly describe the grant and list any changes that might have occurred (100 words or less).
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

☐ Others: \_\_\_\_\_

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: 2700

Amount of Club funds used in grant: 2700

Amount of other funds used in grant: \_\_\_\_\_

Total

\$5400.

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:

Bonnie Nelson  
Club President

5-5-15  
Date

Mark Matthews  
Club Contact for District Grant

5-6-15  
Date

Last year the La Mesa Rotary was able to hold a competition at Rolando Elementary School for the 3<sup>rd</sup> graders. They had an essay contest to write about how they would make the world better and have more peace. The kids thought that the winner would receive a new bicycle. However they did not know that everyone who wrote an essay would receive a bicycle. The bikes came unassembled, so we had ten Rotarians and ten non-Rotarians put them together before the school assembly, so it became a community group project for these kids.

The Rotary Club of La Mesa  
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Dear Mark,

Bikes for Kids Foundation thanks - The Rotary Club La Mesa, California for your donation in the amount of \$5,400.00. Your donation is 100% deductible. Your donation is used only to purchase bikes and helmets for some really great kids in La Mesa!

Please retain this letter for tax purposes. The Bikes for Kids Foundation tax ID number is 04-3711941. No goods or services were received in exchange for this gift.

Best Regards,

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