

Individual Project Final Report

Rotary Club: Rotary Club of Anchorage East

Project Title: Scholarships, Puerto Vallarta

Project Description

1. Describe the project. What was done, when, and where did project activities take place?

The project provided scholarships to junior high (secundaria), high school (preparatoria) and college (Universidad) students from families with limited economic resources to help them continue their studies. There were two scholarship distributions: to one group of 31 students on November 7, 2015; and to the second group of 14 students on January 16, 2016.

2. How many people benefited from this project?

45 students
directly, plus
their families

3. Who were the beneficiaries, how were they impacted by this project, and what humanitarian need was met?

The beneficiaries were intelligent students from families with limited economic resources but who had demonstrated academic ability. The humanitarian need was both education and economic development, since the students can stay in school, earn degrees and diplomas and be prepared for better jobs, thereby helping their families and their communities. In many cases, graduating students say their top economic priority is to earn money to help their siblings stay in school.

4. How many Rotarians participated in the project?

More than 20 as
organizers and
donors and
distributors,
including Rotarians
from Puerto Vallarta

5. What did they do? Please give at least two examples, not including financial support provided to the project.

Rotarians in Puerto Vallarta select the students and follow their academic progress to make sure they continue to qualify for a scholarship. Several Anchorage East Rotarians participated in the distribution ceremonies and one spoke in Spanish to the scholarship recipients at the ceremonies.

6. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was its role?

See above. The Puerto Vallarta Sur Rotary club created and maintains the scholarship program in which Anchorage East participated by providing funding and attending the scholarship distribution ceremonies.

Financial Report (District must retain receipts of all expenditures for at least five years)

Currency Used: USD Exchange Rate: Varied dramatically = 1 USD

7. Income

Sources of Income	Currency	Amount
1. District Grant funds received from the District	USD	\$4500
2. Rotary Club Contribution (Anchorage East)	USD	\$4500
3. Other funding (specify) Individual Donors	USD	\$4850
Total Project Income	USD	\$13,850

8. Expenditures (please be specific and add lines as needed)

Budget Items	Name of Supplier	Currency	Amount
1. 45 scholarships		USD	\$13,850
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
Total Project Expenditures			\$13,850