

Individual Project Final Report

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Rotary Club: Girdwood Rotary
 Project Title: Promoting Literacy

Project Description

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

Girdwood Rotary Club helped the Anchorage Imagination Library donate books to 47 children in Girdwood.

This project made it possible for more young children to receive a book a month for a full year, at no cost to their families.

Research indicates that putting books in a child's home—giving him or her exposure to the world of reading—has an enormous impact on that child's future. Not only can children enter kindergarten with a greater chance of success, but the benefits can last far into the rest of their lives.

Anchorage Imagination Library is committed to improving the educational opportunities for the children in our community through early literacy. And we are so glad to have your support in this effort. Today, we are sending books to 47 Girdwood children at 1d more than 9,000 children from birth to age 5 in the Anchorage area every month. And it happens because of contributors like Girdwood Rotary Club.

2. How many people benefited from this project? 47

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

The beneficiaries were 47 children in Girdwood. The humanitarian need met was increased literacy.

4. How many Rotarians participated in the project? 3

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

The club donated \$1,000. Erin Eker, Howard Earl, and Hugh Gellert provided coordination and administrative support for this project.

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

N/A

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

Currency Used: \$2,000 Exchange Rate: 1 = 1 USD

7. Income

Sources of Income	Currency	Amount
1. District Grant funds received from the District	USD	\$1,000
2. Rotary Club Contribution	USD	\$1,000
3. Other funding (specify)		
Total Project Income	USD	\$2,000

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

Budget Items	Name of Supplier	Currency	Amount
1. Books	Anchorage Imagination Library	USD	\$2,000
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
Total Project Expenditures		USD	\$2,000

Certifying Signature

By signing this report, I confirm that to the best of my knowledge these District Grant funds were spent only for eligible items in accordance with Trustee-approved guidelines, and that all of the information contained herein is true and accurate. I also understand that all photographs submitted in connection with this report will become the property of RI and will not be returned. I warrant that I own all rights in the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or at any time in the future, throughout the

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Date: 7/16/2016



Print name, Rotary title, and club

Howard Earl