



District Grant Report 2017-2018

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District Grant # P -1666 Progress Report Final Report

Rotary Club: **Greeley Centennial Rotary**

Project Title: **Honduras Furniture/Clean Stoves**

Project Description:

1. Briefly describe the project. What was or will be done and where did or will the project activities take place? Explain how the beneficiaries and other community members were or will be involved?

The original project was to purchase furniture and install clean cooking stoves in the schools where possible. The Rotary Club of Craig, the After Hours Rotary Club of Greeley and Greeley Centennial Rotary combined club funds to add a classroom to one of the schools (no grant money was involved). We were able to install the clean cooking stove with those funds. We subsequently learned that uniforms are required for the children to attend school many families could not afford to purchase them. Therefore, children were not permitted to attend without uniforms. We were able to purchase all the furniture and uniforms with funds from this project.

2. How many Rotarians participated in this project? (estimate if progress report) **2**

Two people coordinated the purchase of the furniture and uniforms through a local contact in Honduras. The WCS Committee members were involved in reviewing the progress and control of the project.

3. What did or will they do? Please give at least two examples.

See above for the committee members' involvement. One of the Centennial Club members along with several teachers from Greeley were in Honduras in Summer of 2017 to do some maintenance work on the schools. One of the teachers from Dos Rios Elementary is a native of Honduras. Her father was our local Honduras contact on the project.

4. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project? (estimate if progress report)

There are about 150 children enrolled in these schools.

5. Who are the beneficiaries and what is or will be the expected long-term community impact of this project?

All the Honduras children enrolled in these schools are the beneficiaries of this project, as well as the teaching of sharing by the students and parents of the Greeley/Evans Dos Rios School. With the furniture purchase and new uniforms, these 150 Honduran children with now have regular admittance into school with sufficient work space in which to learn.

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

The Dos Rios Elementary School in Evans, Colorado. They continue to send school supplies to the Honduras schools. There is another work trip planned for Summer 2018 to support the development of a vocational sewing center to make additional uniforms and make other clothing repairs for the sustainability of the current project. This planned trip for the vocational center is being coordinated through the SSKIDS foundation in Greeley, Colorado.

7. Income:

Income Source	Amount
Greeley Centennial Rotary	4,018.63
District 5440 Matching Grant	4,000.00
Total Project Income	8,018.63

8. Expenditures: (number receipts starting with 1 and indicate a receipt # (s) for each expenditure) (Do not include travel expenses)

If international project convert amounts to US dollars	Receipt # (s)	Amount
Desks (18,171.96 Lps)	1	\$771.31
Desks & Chairs (146,550.78 Lps)	2	\$6220.32
Uniforms (23,018.12 Lps)	3	\$977.00
Wire Fees	4	\$50.00
Total project expenditures		\$8,018.63

9. Project score: (5=strongly, 4=agree, 3= neutral, 2=disagree, 1=strongly disagree)

	Project Score	Comments
The overall project was successful	5	
The grant process worked well	5	
My interaction with partner clubs was good	5	
We achieved the results we expected	5	

10. What worked well on this project and why?

The coordination of the three clubs made this a pleasant and rewarding project. Through the purchasing negotiations we were able to complete more than expected.

11. What did not work well and how would you suggest improving it?

We communicated with two Honduras Rotary Clubs in an attempt to get their clubs involved in this project and more importantly in future projects.
We plan to make direct contact by visiting one or both clubs during the next trip to Honduras

12. How was this project publicized?

We have a meeting set up for an interview with a staff report from the Greeley Tribune March 13. We also need to prepare an article for the Rotarian. Ongoing articles are published about the collaboration through the Dos Rios Elementary School monthly newsletter.

13. (Progress report only) What still remains to be completed on this project?

N/A

Project Inventory

Please list all items provided in this grant that are over \$75 in value and are not expendable.

Item Purchased	Date of Purchase	Cost	Destination/ Location	Comments
Desks-Chairs	Feb. 16, 2018	6,991.63	Schools in Botanical Garden	
Uniforms	Feb. 21, 2018	977.00	Some Given to Children, others held for future distribution	

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 the information contained herein is true and accurate. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures are attached. 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 to the photographs, including copyright, and hereby grant the District, RI and TRF a royalty free irrevocable license to use the photographs now or in the future, through the District and the world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or developed. This includes the right to modify the photographs as necessary in the District's and RI's sole discretion. This also includes, without limitation, use on or in the web sites, magazines, brochures, pamphlets, exhibitions and any other promotional materials of the District, RI, and TRF.

Please attach all receipts or an invoice and a copy of the check used to pay the invoice. Funds over \$100 not used must be returned to the district grants treasurer.

Certifying signature of primary contact



Date: 03/29/2018

Print name and Club name

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