

**District Grant Report**

Rotary Club: Newport Beach Sunrise Rotary Club  
Project Title: Helmets in a Box Program

Progress Report       Final Report

1. Briefly describe the project. What was done, when and where did project activities take place, and who were the beneficiaries?

Helmets in a Box Program

Our program will be designed to help Rotarians educate students and young adults to wear a helmet when biking or participating in sports.

Google Rotary and Helmets and you will find hundreds of clubs around the country giving away free helmets with programs like "Lids for Kids".

A Rotarian in our club lost her 18-year-old son and is giving away free helmets in our area and starting a foundation called "Love and Support for Gary".

All of these programs help provide free helmets and some guidance, but AAA and The Newport Beach Police Department say the biggest challenge is educating and motivating people to wear them!

A helmet cannot protect you if you don't wear it!

Our "Helmets in a Box" program will offer a turnkey solution for clubs to adopt schools in their city into the program and promote Rotary in the process.

We have partnered with AAA to provide free current literature and instructional materials. The Chief of Police of Newport Beach is a member of our club and he has assigned his lieutenant of traffic Tom Fischbacher to support us on this project.

We will design the programs to share with any Rotary Club that would like to participate.

Our Website will have all the current information and downloadable forms, guidelines, etc.

Project funds will be used for website development and promotional materials not supplied by AAA.

4 Rotarians from our club will help design and implement the program in our area but we hope that all clubs in the US can benefit from this program. We will have approximately 30 members help with the program once it is developed.

We will complete the project in the 2017-2018 Year.

2. How many Rotarians participated in the project?

30

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

Helped design the program and volunteered to pass out helmets

4. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project?

70 so far but many in the future

5. What are the expected long-term community impacts of the project?

Educating people to wear helmets and providing helmets to children that cannot afford them

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

**Financial Report – Be sure that Income equals Expenditures!**

7. Income

Amount

1. District Grant funds approved by the District	1687.00
2. Club contribution	1813.00
3. Other funding (specify)	
<b>Total Project Income</b>	<b>3500.00</b>

8. Expenditures - please be specific and add lines as needed - receipts must be attached

1. Graphic Artist	500.00
2. Website design and hosting	1,000.00
3. Printing and Supplies	1,300.00
4. Helmets	700.00
5.	
6.	
<b>Total Project Expenditures</b>	<b>3500.00</b>

9. 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. Receipts for all grant-funded expenditures have been provided to the district. 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 world in any manner it so chooses and in any medium now known or later developed. This includes the right to modify the photograph(s) as necessary in 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 RI and TRF.

Certifying Signature



Date: 4-14-2018

Print name, Rotary title, and club

Steven Bender - Past President  
 Newport Beach Sunrise  
 Rotary Club