

District/Governor's/Rotaract Grant Final Report 2021-2022

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District Grant # (from matchinggrants.org) __P-3815_____

Rotary Club: Kemmerer Rotary Club

Project Title: _____SL Nursing Home Security Fence_____

Project Description:

- 1. Is this a scholarship governor's grant report? Yes ____ No _X_ (If yes, go directly to line 16)
- 2. Briefly describe the project. What was done and where did the project activities take place? Explain how the beneficiaries and other community members were involved? The idea behind this project was to get the Nursing Home residents outside for fresh air during COVID and yet keep them safe by putting up a fence so that they would not wander off. We wanted to make a safe and beautiful place for the Nursing Home residents at South Lincoln Hospital Nursing Home in Kemmerer, Wyoming. The main focus for this project was our Nursing Home residents. Many people in our community have relatives and friends in the Nursing Home and we wanted to make a place where they could all enjoy the outdoors. We live in a beautiful area and many of the residents have lived here in Wyoming for most of their lives. They enjoy the fresh air and beauty of Wyoming.
- 3. How many Rotarians participated in this project? ____20____
- What did they do? Please give at least two examples. The Rotarians painted the cement wall that the flower beds were put on, they also planted flowers and put together yard furniture.
- 5. How many non-Rotarians benefited from this project? __Over 100___

The Nursing Home residents and their families and the hospital employees and staff can take advantage of the renewed and updated courtyard at the Nursing Home. The same week that we completed the project, one of the local Nursing Home residents celebrated her 101 birthday! She was able to have her family and friends come to the Nursing Home Courtyard to celebrate with her. She had over 50 people come celebrate this huge milestone with her, this is not something that could have happened two years ago, before Kemmerer Rotary beautified the area and made it safe for residents.

6. Who are the beneficiaries and what is the expected long-term community impact of this project?

The Nursing Home residents are the main beneficiaries of this project. The whole idea behind this project was to get the Nursing Home residents outside for fresh air during COVID and keep them safe by putting up a fence so that they would not wander off from the hospital grounds. The Nursing Home Courtyard is now a beautiful place that the residents can go out and enjoy. Now they can have birthday parties and guests outside who come and visit them. Nursing home staff can plan outdoor activities for residents as well. We are expecting an increase in visitors to the Nursing Home with longer visits because of the accommodations that have been added.

- 7. If a cooperating organization was involved, what was their role? The Kemmerer Rotary Club worked with the South Lincoln Hospital District and their Nursing Home to complete this project. The Kemmerer Rotary Club members worked with the hospital staff and the nursing home residents to repaint the wall, plant flowers, and put together outdoor furniture. The installation of the Nursing Home Fence was completed by the hospital maintenance crew due to security and liability issues.
- 8. Income:

Income Source	Amount
District Grant	\$4,973.42
Kemmerer Rotary Club	\$2,500.00
Total Project Income	\$7,473.42

9. 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)	Budgeted Amount	Actual Amount
Home Depot-Lumber for Flower Beds	1	1960.00	1300.88
Bomgaars-Flowers	2	1960.00	172.99
American Fence Company-Fence and Gate	3	5437.00	1683.35
ACE-PP Exterior 10X6 51lb	4	5437.00	93.98
ACE-Hardware and Spray	5	203.00	37.99

Sherwin Williams-Paint	6	1960.00	64.00
Home Depot- Yard Furniture	7	1960.00	1038.16
Amazon-Umbrellas	8	1960.00	973.35
Amazon- Yard Games and Hummingbird Feeders	9	1960.00	436.68
Amazon- Bird Feeders and Bird Food	10	1960.00	77.68
ACE- Paint Brushes and Wire Brush	11	1960.00	14.68
Gunter's-Flowers	12	1960.00	479.73
Nielson's-Yard Furniture	13	1960.00	1099.95
Total project expenditures		\$7,500.00	\$7,473.42

10. Please explain any variance of more than 5% between the budgeted amount and the actual amount including the reason for the variance and why the alternative was chosen.When we first got quotes for the fence and the flower beds, everything was very expensive.However, because of the postponement of the project, by the time we went to buy the fencing and the flower beds the prices had dropped. The idea behind this project was to make a safe and beautiful place that the Nursing Home residents could enjoy. The cost of the fence was cut drastically and we reallocated those funds into the flower beds and yard furniture for the residents

to use outside. We also added bird feeders so the residents could watch the birds and yard games for the residents to use with their families when they came to visit. This made the project overall 100 times better than what it was planned to be and we came in \$26.58 less than expected.

	Project Score	Comments
The overall project was successful	5	When we were able to complete the project it was very successful.
The grant process worked well	5	The grant process went smoothly as always, the hard part was actually accomplishing the finial project because of COVID.
My interaction with partner clubs was good	N/A	We only worked with our local hospital on this project.
We achieved the results we expected	5	We would say that we not only achieved the results that we were hoping for but we exceeded them!

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

 Did you upload photos in your project on matchinggrants.org under the Photos tab? (If not, please do so) Yes, we did!

- 13. What worked well on this project and why? The project was postponed and that turned out to be a blessing in disguise.
- 14. What did not work well and how would you suggest improving it? COVID! This was a great project, however, it was postponed a few times because of the lack of availability of supplies and then the ability to get into the Nursing Home due to the scare of spreading COVID. We know there were other projects that were postponed because of COVID, so we understand.
- 15. How was this project publicized? This project was publicized on Facebook on our Community Page and on our Kemmerer Rotary page. Facebook is the most effective means of communication in our community.
- 16. Scholarship Governor's grant only
 - a. Name of scholarship awardee _____
 - b. Current school
 - c. University of college they will be attending ______
 - d. Course of study _____
 - e. Starting date _____

Project Inventory

Please list all items provided in this grant that are over \$500 in value and are not expendable.

Item Purchased	Date of Purchase	Cost	Initial Destination/ Location	Comments
Lumber for flower beds	6/17/2022	\$1300.88	Nursing Home	
Fence and gate	6/27/2022	\$1683.35	Nursing Home	
Yard Furniture	5/16/2023	\$1038.16	Nursing Home	
Umbrellas	5/17/2023	\$973.35	Nursing Home	
Yard Furniture	6/21/2023	\$1099.95	Nursing Home	

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: _____

Print name

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