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This pump was purchased with a Rotary Foundation Global Grant in partnership with the Rotary Club of Greenville. It allows Partners in Agriculture to water crops—like the peanuts being sorted—during the dry season, and is just one of many projects a team from 7750 saw while visiting Haiti in February. See the update on our work in Haiti on page 11.

# GREAT REASONS to register for the All Club Conference

APRIL 22-24 AT GREENVILLE HYATT

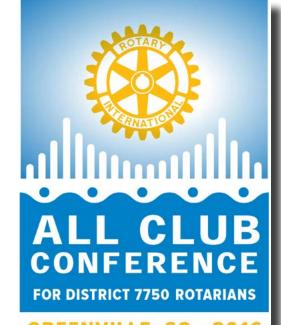
The upcoming All Club Conference, April 22-24, 2016 is an event you won't want to miss. Why?

First, **the content** itself. Of over 300 survey respondents, several said they hadn't attended conferences before because, "I wasn't sure it would be worth my time and money." We've added speakers and breakout sessions on non-Rotary topics. A "My Life" breakout track includes self-improvement and life planning ideas everyone can use. Or course, we have great speakers and breakouts on Rotary topics, as well.

Second, **the options**. Some survey respondents asked, "Couldn't the Conference be shorter?" and some said the cost was keeping them away. We solved both of those problems. If you're short on either time or money, you can participate in this conference for only 1/2 day for only \$40. Most Rotarians are taking advantage of a bundled price for the whole conference, but you can cherry-pick whatever appeals to you.

Third, the value. Some asked, "Can't we do something meaningful on Saturday afternoon?" referring to the fact that conferences have historically treated that as leisure time or free time. Yes, we can. Our Saturday afternoon program (optional, of course) includes nine different breakout sessions from which you can choose three. Or split up with your spouse and take in six. Topics include "My Club," "My Community" and "My Life." You be the judge of what's most valuable to you.

Finally, and most importantly, **the Rotarians.** I believe the major value proposition in Rotary is the membership



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Starts with a kick-off party at 6 p.m. on Friday. Concludes around noon on Sunday.

More info at: www.rotary7750.org/ Conference

Register now at: www.Rotary7750.

org/Register

**Link to Conference Agenda** 

itself. By attending this Conference with hundreds of other Rotarians, spouses and guests, you're sure to meet someone who will enrich your life. You'll also see some sides of Rotary you probably haven't seen before, and you will certainly remember why you're a Rotarian.

I'll see you at the Hyatt Regency in downtown Greenville on April 22.

# DO WE HAVE TO CHOOSE BETWEEN **QUANTITY AND QUALITY?** BY DG TERRY WEAVER

As I've traveled the District this year, I've attempted to make the case that there's virtually no Rotary club that wouldn't be stronger if it had more members. Many clubs have apparently taken that idea to heart, as we're growing District-wide this year.

Every now and then someone says, "But we don't want to bring in members who won't be good Rotarians." The implication is that there's some shortage of quality candidates out there, such that to find more members we somehow have to reduce our expectations. I don't believe that's the case. There are plenty of people in each of our communities that already believe in Rotary's values—they just haven't been asked to join a Rotary club yet. Yes, we can have both quality and quantity—we don't have to pick one or the other.

So, what is a quality Rotarian?

In search of a definition of a quality Rotarian, I came across what Bob Barth, a distinguished Past President of Rotary International, once said. Being Swiss, he gave a concise definition of the qualities of a good Rotarian. He once said:

"This lapel badge which I am wearing tells you that I am a Rotarian. You can rely on me, I am dependable, I am reliable, I give more than I take, and I am available."

That's pretty much all we're looking for. I believe we

**BALLOT** WHICH DO YOU **CHOOSE FOR** YOUR CLUB?

(Vote for two)

Quantity

Quality

sometimes over-think the question of whether or not to invite someone to join. If in doubt, do it. In our businesses, we go to great lengths to select just the right person for every job. What's our hit ratio on predicting that? Maybe 50%, at best.

So, I'm not sure you can reliably predict whether someone is going to be a great Rotarian

or not. I've surely been surprised both ways. If you find someone interested and willing to not only join but also pay for the privilege, take a chance. Then it's up to them to prove they're a great Rotarian.





### Aiken inducts record number of Paul Harris Fellows

The Aiken Rotary Club began the 2016 New Year by inducting 29 Paul Harris Fellows and, in the process, set a club record for the most PHF inductions at a single meeting in club history.

"We're really pleased at the response of our members," said club president Joe Lewis who praised the 29 recipients for their support during Rotary Foundation month in November 2015.

Five of the inductees were first-time PHF recipients while six became PHF+1. One club member demonstrated his

continued support of Rotary International and the Aiken Club by receiving his PHF+7.

The November 2015 campaign was led by president Joe Lewis and and Rotary Foundation chair Jon Notestein.



# Why I have a passion for Automated External Defibrillators

#### BY DGE LANCE S. YOUNG

I remember December 6, 1993, as the day that was the beginning of my new life. At that time, I was 39 years old and was stationed at the United States Air Force Academy (USAFA). This particular day I had decided to work out in the cadet gym by lifting weights and riding on a stationary bike. A lieutenant that was working for me went along so he could work out too. After weight lifting we moved to the area where there were stationary bikes and other equipment. About 7 minutes into my bike ride my chest started to hurt and I was feeling a tingling feeling running from my fingertips up my arm and my upper left chest felt like it was going to explode.

I decided to get off the bike and asked Lt. Martin to go back with me to the locker room. As we walked I started to sweat profusely and the pain was not subsiding. We stopped for a few minutes so I could get my breath. As we headed to the locker room, I told Lt. Martin that I wasn't feeling good and needed to lie down on the locker room floor. I asked him to call someone because I thought that I might be having a heart attack. I

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#### **DISTRICT 7750 2016-2017 Signature Project**

### **Automated External Defibrillator**

Sudden Cardiac Arrest is the leading cause of death for 350,000 to 400,000 Americans of all ages every year. Out of hospital survival rate is 9.5%.

#### **WHAT IS AN AED?**

An AED is an Automated External Defibrillator which is portable and virtually fool-proof to operate. Anyone who can listen to the automated voice instructions and press a button when indicated can operate an AED. The AED unit voice tells you where to apply the shock pads and instructs you when to press the shock button if defibrillation is indicated.



#### **HOW MUCH MONEY IS INVOLVED?**

The pricing ranges from \$825 for a Philips OnSite AED in slim case to \$1,600, for a Philips HeartStart FRx AED complete with spare pads, carry case, fast response kit, pediatric key, wall cabinet with alarm and sign and adapter to be compatible with EMS. **This would be a great project for a district grant.** 

#### **HOW CAN WE DO THIS?**

We need as many people as possible to learn CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation) and have available AEDs in place at various venues in our communities so that very time-sensitive defibrillation can be performed rapidly when victims experience Sudden Cardiac Arrest. AEDs should be placed in areas where there are people or in first responders' vehicles.

#### WHY ARE WE SO EXCITED ABOUT THIS PROJECT?

First of all, District Governor Elect Lance Young suffered a heart attack at the age of 39. He is able to tell his story because he was saved by a defibrillator at the hospital (he was in the 9.5% survival rate). Why wouldn't you want to help save lives right in your own community?



# WHAT BENEFITS DO CLUBS DERIVE FROM THIS PROJECT?

There is the benefit to your community in ensuring that victims of Sudden Cardiac Arrest will have a better chance of survival if an AED is available. This project may help with membership development. Branding the AED could potentially bring in non-members

from the community who might want to join an organization that is so conscientious about saving lives within the local community.

#### WHO TO CONTACT?

The contact person for our District is Babette Sabia. She can be reached at bsabia@aol.com, or by phone at 803-547-0280. Babette is also willing to visit your clubs to present more information about the project.



Jerry Rentz was sponsored by past president Fran Wiley.





Stirling Rentz, left, and Sonny Cox, above, were sponsored by club president Kyle Richter.



## **Emerald City inducts new members: two new, one returning**

#### BY PDG LORRAINE ANGELINO

**Emerald City Rotary Club** recently inducted three members: two new, one returning.

Sonny Cox returns after several years away. Sonny is the coroner for Greenwood County.

The new members are Jerry Rentz and Stirling Rentz.

Jerry is works for Capsugel Americas. He had presented a program to the club in January on the history of Capsugel Americas and what they are doing today in Greenwood.

Jerry is also the father of Stirling Rentz. Stirling is a former Miss Charleston, a Rotary alumnus, and a Paul Harris Fellow.

Stirling got a job with Lander University as a Freshman Admissions Counselor. She couldn't join the club right away but when she came to hear her dad make his presentation in January, she said she couldn't wait any longer to join.

Here's what Stirling said about Rotary: "In 2010, I was selected to attend RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) as a delegate and was sponsored by the Emerald City Rotary Club. After being a Junior Counselor at RYLA the following two years and being a Senior Counselor for the past

two years, it's hard to believe I am nearing my 6th year of involvement with this incredible program that changed me forever.

"Yesterday was a special day, because I had the privilege of joining the Rotary club that sponsored me almost 6 years ago. This club is the reason why I have a heart for high school age students, the reason why I chose "Youth Leadership" as my platform for Miss South Carolina, and the reason why "service above self" will always be a phrase I live by."

# **AED's** — continued from page 3

also asked him to find my wife, Lenna.

As Lt. Martin ran out I started to lose consciousness, but I recall the fire department arriving and saying the ambulance was on the way. I was lucky because there was a hospital at USAFA, and it was only about 10 minutes away from the gym. I recall the fire personnel taking my vitals and confirming that I was having a heart attack. The first responders picked me up, and I was taken to the ambulance. As we were riding to the hospital, I can remember the medic yelling at me to keep breathing. I was going in and out of consciousness at the time. While I recall beginning to feel calm and having no pain, I do not recall arriving at the hospital.

I was told that when I was taken out of the ambulance

that I was as blue as my Air Force pants and that I had stopped breathing on the way to the hospital. The medics forced

a breathing tube down my throat to keep oxygen in my system. They had called in a Code Blue as they rolled up to the emergency entrance. A doctor met the ambulance and used lifesaving defibrillator paddles to get my heart pumping again. It worked! The doctor told me that I had been clinically dead for almost 5 minutes and that I had an angel on my shoulders that day.

Needless to say, I am a firm believer in Automated External Defibrillators and I'm blessed to have survived a cardiac arrest. Please support the AED program in District 7750.





#### **Vocational Service**

# Rotary Club of Batesburg-Leesville hosts Career Fair at B-L High

The Rotary Club of Batesburg-Leesville hosted its annual Rotary Career Fair on February 9 at Batesburg-Leesville High School. More than 40 local businesses, governmental agencies, colleges and armed services were on hand to share knowledge with juniors and seniors about a wide variety of careers.

Also on hand was Brooks Harper, a Career Development and Soft Skills Speaker in America. He provides keynotes, workshops, and training material for students and professionals helping them discover, develop, market and sell their talents, skills and abilities that bring tangible value to the market place.

Brooks shared his knowledge and expertise on getting jobs with all B-L High students during a 45-minute presentation in the Fine Arts Center.

The SC Department of Commerce sponsored him as the keynote speaker.

The 2016 Rotary Career Fair was a great way for students to get first-hand knowledge about the careers that await them once they leave B-L High and provided them the opportunity to start networking with employers in our area.



Emerald City club members Gray Stallworth and president nominee Rosemary Bell. The sign says "Thank you Rotary."



From left: Greenwood club members, Larry Rollison, Carl Brock and Sam Leaman, with Emerald City member PDG Lorraine Angelino, Emerald City.

### **Rotary Has Heart 2016 in Greenwood**

The Rotary clubs of Emerald City and Greenwood worked together on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Rotary Has Heart project and collected food for about 180 bags of food. Together we packed the bags and then distributed the food to the YMCA, La Puerta, Community Initiatives, and other groups in Greenwood. The project was headed up by Rosemary Bell from the Rotary club of Emerald City and Sam Leaman from the Rotary club of Greenwood. On Friday, February 12, two color pictures were on the front page of the Index-Journal along with the caption, "ENDING HUNGER ONE BAG AT A TIME."







Rotarian Robert Guess introduced Missy Wilkes and Monica Greene from United Way of the Piedmont to the club. Missy, Union County Relationship Manager, and Monica, Senior Director of Resource Development, talked to the club about the various resources that United Way offers to our community.

Rotarian Frank Hart spoke to the club about the importance of education, how times have changed with respect in the classroom, and the cost of education. (Pictured: Frank Hart and wife, Nell)





Rotarian John Gregory introduced Lori Dochterman and the Arthur State Bank – Junior Board of Directors to the club. The JBD talked about their background and their projects. They encouraged everyone to share kindness around Union. (Pictured: Lori Dochterman-Director of the JBD, Mariana Glenn Toland, Mary Beth Hanvey, Kasie Roark, and John Gregory)



Click to see more photos and ino about this event.



# Clover Interact continues Valentine Week tradition

The Clover Interact Club on Feb. 10 continued its fouryear Valentine Week tradition of helping to feed the less fortunate in the community.

The Interact club met with its sponsoring Rotary clubs— Clover and Lake Wylie—during the week of Valentines Day to support God's Kitchen. This organization has a long tradition of delivering hot meals daily to the elderly and shut in members of the community that otherwise might not get a hot meal or have someone check in on them daily.

This year, God's Kitchen hosted a lunch provided by Clover Rotary Club. Clover Interact brought 50 members who had each donated \$10 to God's Kitchen to attend. A total of about 100 people were present.

The group heard about the food delivery ministry and the homeless ministry sponsored by God's Kitchen and testimonies from residents who credited their recovery to the good work performed by the homeless shelter.

The two Rotary clubs and the Interact club presented a check for \$800 to the ministry.

# District grant, other fundraisers help **Union Rotary fund community projects**

#### BY ANNIE SMITH

The Rotary Club of Union applied for a 2015-2016 District Grant and was awarded \$3,000 to help purchase a piece of playground equipment for the Miracle League of Union County's All-Inclusive Playground at the Timken Park in Union. We presented a check in the amount of \$10,000 to Amy Austin, Director of the Miracle League of Union County, at our meeting on January 26.

Union Rotarians will assist the Miracle League with the installation of playground equipment in the near future. During another meeting on February 9, we presented checks to the following: Union County Dixie Girls, Union County Healthcare Foundation, Boy Scouts - Palmetto Council, Three Rivers district that serves Union and Cherokee, and

the Union County Dixie Boys.

The Union County Healthcare Foundation is a network of citizens whose goal is to identify and secure additional funding for the medical community of Union County. They raise funds through charitable donations and fundraising events that are applied to the healthcare need.

The Dixie Youth baseball and softball programs provides a recreational outlet for many ages.

The Palmetto Council is chartered by the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America to provide support to local Scouting programs in 6 counties in South Carolina. The Three Rivers District of the Boy Scouts Palmetto Council placed as a *Journey To* Excellence (JTE) Bronze District in 2015.



Rotary President Torance Inman, Miracle League Director Amy Austin, and Rotarian Robbie Littlejohn. Check presented in January to the Miracle League. Made possible by a district grant.











Club president Lewis Jeter presented checks to (from left to right): Tori Rochester, and Erica Byrd with the Union County Dixie Girls; James Townsend, Senior District Executive for Boy Scouts – Palmetto Council, Three Rivers district; Tommy Ford with the Union County Dixie Boys; and Greta Bailey, Union County Healthcare Foundation Executive Director.

# Looking ahead to 2016-17: Rotary Serving Humanity



RI President-elect John F. Germ chose Rotary Serving Humanity as his theme for 2016-17. Noting Rotary's unique ability to bring together committed professionals to achieve remarkable goals, Germ believes that "now is the time to capitalize on our success: as we complete the eradication of polio, and catapult Rotary forward to be an even greater force for good in the world."

# **PETS | March 17-19**

Get ready to support your president-elect. The Presidents-Elect Training Seminar is March 18-19 in Greensboro. It's not only a time for PEs to learn their jobs but to meet 500 other people from North and South Carolina who are also preparing for their year as club president. They will be working with the theme of Rotary Serving Humanity. 

# Rotary GREENVILLE EVENING



Sandy Rogers Wright & Eric Krichhaum



Alan Calloway & Ann Golden



Decorating the duck props.



# POWDERSVILLE MIDDLE EARLYACT HOLDS BOOK DRIVE

Powdersville Middle School's EarlyAct First-Knight Student Council, sponsored by The Rotary Club of Greenville Evening, held a book drive in their school in December as a community service project. They donated over 1500 books to Greenville Literacy Association

# Duck Derby preparation is underway

The Rotary Club of Greenville Evening works almost year round preparing for each year's Duck Derby. Now that all the work of bringing in sponsors is complete, the focus turns toward preparing for the 12th year of the Duck Derby—May 7 in Falls Park in Greenville.

On Feb. 20, club members were involved in two different events.

At the Duck Adoption Team kickoff, team set goals for the number of adoptions they would work toward in order to fund the projects. Members also had a lot of fun decorating ducks to use as props at any duck adoption event they participate in.

Also on Feb. 20, members worked with Habitat for Humanity volunteers to build the playhouse that is the second place prize at the Duck Derby. There will be at least one or two more days dedicated to completing this build.

# Mail CART checks now for 2016 grants

If your club has been waiting for the right time to mail in your CART donations, now is the time. The CART Board will decide on the number and amount of 2016 CART Alzheimer's Research grants during the month of March.

Send your club's CART donations today to insure that your donation will be given in a 2016 grant.

Please send a check today to: District 7750 CART Fund c/o Steve Black P.O. Box 1564 Aiken, SC 29802





# 2015-16 CART Giving by Club

(as of 1/1/16)

Abbeville	
Aiken	\$3,572.65
Aiken Sunrise	\$481.21
Anderson	
Batesburg-Leesville	\$191.00
Blacksburg	
Chester	
Clemson	
Clemson-Calhoun	\$310.00
Clinton	\$200.00
Clover	\$468.86
Easley	
E Club	\$175.00
Emerald City	\$8,162.14
Fair Play	
Fort Mill	\$1,310.14
Fountain Inn	
Gaffney	
Golden Strip Sunrise	
Greater Anderson	
Greater Greer	
Greenville	\$1,369.51
Greenville Breakfast	
Greenville Evening	\$6,311.19
Greenville East	
Greenwood	\$1,264.61
Indian Land	
Inman	

Lake Wylie	\$2,387.95
Lancaster	
Lancaster Breakfast	
Laurens	\$201.00
Mauldin	
Newberry	\$185.76
North Augusta	\$77.86
North Greenville	\$160.88
North Spartanburg	\$185.70
Pickens	\$134.00
Pleasantburg	
Rock Hill	
Seneca	
Seneca Golden Corner	\$145.67
Simpsonville	\$672.63
Spartan West	\$213.00
Spartanburg	
The Foothills	
Twin City	\$1,410.68
Union	\$641.00
Walhalla	
Westminster	
Winnsboro	
Woodruff	
York	\$793.13
Special Events	\$689.00
TOTAL	\$31,714.57

# **UPCOMING** D-7750 Events

March 12, 2016	Greenwood	Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI)
March 17-19, 2016	Greensboro, NC	Presidents-Elect Training Seminar (PETS), required for PEs & AGs
April 13, 2016	Furman University	Peace Conference sponsored by Greenville club
April 22-24, 2016	Greenville	All Club Conference for District 7750 Rotarians
May 29 - June 1, 2016	Seoul	International Convention in Seoul, Korea
June 23, 2016	Greenville	Awards & Installation Banquet

# Rotary Leadership Institute Zone 33 Divison

Next event in our district is in Greenwood

on March 12.

Also coming up is an event on Saturday, Apr. 2 in Mooresville, NC

CLICK TO REGISTER FOR ANY OF THESE EVENTS.

RLI offers an opportunity for members to gain a broader view of Rotary at the club, district, zone and International levels.



The boards are filling up for the 10+1 challenge. Many Rotarians, including district treasuer Linda Cassell, Rotary Club of Pickens, have signed up to participate.



# Governor's 10+1 Challenge still gaining momentum

#### **BY DG TERRY WEAVER**

I have been amazed and impressed with the generosity of our members in response to the Governor's 10+1 Challenge. More than 75 members have become new Paul Harris Society members, with a pledge of \$1,000/year to The Rotary Foundation. Many are doing it through Rotary Direct on their credit cards at \$85 per month.

The 10+1 Challenge is this: For every 10 Rotarians joining the Paul Harris Society this year, I'll kick in \$1,000 of my own money.

If you have the inclination and the giving capacity for this challenge, see if you can break the Governor! If you've missed signing a 10+1 Challenge board so far, you can do it at the All Club Conference in April, or any time by email (DG@Rotary7750.org).

Each Board has 10 names on it, with my name in the 11th slot. You've filled up almost eight boards, and I can get more!

### 2015-16 Grant Preparation Schedule for District 7750 Clubs

- March 31, 2016 Deadline for completion of District Grants and filing of final reports for the current Rotary year (2015-16)
- April 30, 2016 Deadline for submitting 2016-17 District **Grant Applications**

# 2015-16 District 7750 **Rotary Foundation Giving**

## through 2/254/2016 66.7 % of year complete

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Annual Fund Goal	\$ 405,771
	(53 of 53 – 100%)
Annual Fund Total	\$ 245,553
	(60.52% goal)
Annual Fund Per Capita	\$ 93.37
	(2630 members)
Endowment Fund	\$ 31,917
PolioPlus Goal	\$ 99,630
	(53 of 53 – 100%)
PolioPlus	\$ 32,700
	(32.82% goal)
Total Giving	\$ 310,170
\$0 AF Clubs	1
	(52 of 53 – 98.11%)
\$0 Polio Clubs	15
	(38 of 53 – 71.70%)
DDF Transfer – Polio	\$ 30,111
Major Gifts	2
Major Donors	5 – Level 1
·	2 – Level 2
	1 – Level 3
Paul Harris Fellows	182
Paul Harris Society 10+1	76
Bequest Society	5
Benefactors	43
Rotary Direct	82
EREY	1,404
	(53.38%)
Sustaining Members	641



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(24.37%)

#### **UPDATE** — ROTARY 7750 IN HAITI

# Most money for Cange suspended; other major projects continue

#### **BY DG TERRY WEAVER**

Five D-7750 Rotarians, including Pam and me, visited Haiti in February to see the work Rotary and The Rotary Foundation have done over the past 20 years.

We visited the operations of Zanmi Agrikol (Partners in Agriculture) in Corporant, which includes hundreds of acres of commercial-scale farming of crops like carrots, beans, bananas, peanuts, peppers, and mangoes. They also raise rabbits, chickens, goats and fish to help Haitian families become self-sufficient economically. Additionally, a Vocational School is now producing graduates with knowledge of woodworking, construction, carpentry and the use of computerized tools to support those disciplines.

We were unable to visit the library established by Partners in Literacy Haiti (PILH) in the village of Cange, where our library development work began in 2011. Unfortunately, the

village of Cange is the site of a dispute between the Episcopal Diocese of Haiti and Zanmi Lasante (Partners in Health). This conflict has brought humanitarian efforts from outside to a standstill.

The Episcopal Diocese of Upper South Carolina, a longtime supporter of aid to Cange, has suspended its financial support there, with the exception of the water supply, which is seen to be essential to daily life in the village, pending the resolution of these differences.

We have chosen to follow the lead of the Episcopal Diocese, and have suspended our financial support to the Cange Library, with the exception of a \$100 per month subsidy of the librarian's salary. The library is one of the few neutral zones where the factions can meet, and is still being used by villagers. We believe keeping the librarian on site is essential to protect

our investment in the library until the outcome of this local dispute becomes clear.

In summary, the future of the Cange library is unclear. Contributions to PILH for its support and enhancement remain in the hands of Rotary 7750 Charities, our District charitable foundation. We will spend a nominal amount to protect our investment in the library until its future is clear.

The large investment we have made over several years through Rotary Foundation Global Grants to Zanmi Agrikol, the farms and the vocational school in Corporant, 30 minutes down the mountain from Cange, remain fully operational and thriving. These projects have nothing to do with Cange and continue to positively impact the lives of thousands in Haiti, the poorest nation in the western hemisphere.



Click on the photo to hear the daughter of Fritz Lafontant speak about the work. She was interviewed on Feb. 20 in Corporant, Haiti, by the 7750 team who was visiting there.

# 7750's connection to the central plateau

Our Rotary connection to the central plateau of Haiti began through our connections with the Episcoapal Diocese of Upper South Carolina and eventually Partners in Health.

Through those partnerships, we worked with Fritz Lafontant, an Episcopal priest who founded Cange after a river flood forced families to move up the mountain; and with Paul Farmer, a doctor who has now founded many clinics and hospitals in the area.

One of our first projects was to send packages of dried food that could be made into a soup. The soup was served to children coming to the new school who had nothing to eat. That work has expanded greatly. Partners in Agriculture was formed by Gillaine and Charles Warne (Greenville Rotary Club) and Gillaine has spent much of her time in the past 17 years in Haiti teaching them to grow food and raise livestock.

#### TREAD THE BLOG FROM THE 7750 HAITI TEAM.

The team included DG Terry Weaver, district administrator Pam Weaver, PDG Sue Poss, Greenville president-elect Stephanie Lewis, and Past Greenville president Charles Warne. Non-Rotarian Liz Anderson of Greenville also participated.



Lance with the greatgrandson of Winston Churchill

# Visiting Rotary clubs can be fun and educational

#### **BY: DGE LANCE YOUNG**

Going to visit other Rotary clubs can be fun and educational. During my time in Houston, I decided to visit the Pasadena Rotary club in D5890. PDG John Painter from that district is a friend of D7750 PDG George Rodgers. The club is located east of Houston and I was interested in meeting other Rotarians, see how they run their meeting and to hear their program. Wow, was I surprised: Their speaker was Jonathan Sandys the great-grandson of Britain's wartime Prime Minister Sir Winston Churchill.

Johnathan has done extensive research to include interviewing Sir Martin Gilbert, Churchill's official biographer, on his great-grandfather (Jonathan calls him, Great-Grandpapa) and has written a book, God & Churchill--How The Great Leader's Sense Of Divine Destiny Changed His Troubled World And Offers Hope For Ours. Jonathan's presentation is based on how it is believed that it was God's will, "Devine Destiny," that Churchill was to lead his country during World War II.

When Churchill was sixteen his vision for the future was that he would be in command of the "defenses of London, and ... it will fall to me to save the Capital and save the Empire." Through his career Churchill had many failures, but in the end he rose to power as the Prime Minister and Secretary of Defense of Britain and lead the country with the Allies to victory over Nazi Germany. He believed was that he was saving "Christian civilization."

Jonathan's grandmother was Churchill's eldest daughter, and her son, Julian, was Jonathan's father. He had heard "stories from family and friends who had intimate, firsthand knowledge of Sir Winston" while growing. This is what sparked his interest to pursue more study on Churchill and tell his story about the values, leadership skills, morals and Christian beliefs of his greatgrandpapa.

Needless to say, it was a very educational experience, fun and one that I will never forget. So, when you are traveling or just want to visit another Rotary club in your district, please do. You will never know what you missed if you didn't take a step out of your comfort zone from your club to visit another one. The other Rotarians at the Pasadena Rotary Club were very welcoming and I felt that they really cared about my visit.

# Zone 33 giving more than \$30,000 ahead of last year for PolioPlus

#### BY AMELIA NELSON, D7750 POLIO CHAIR

The latest polio update as of Feb. 24 from the World Health Organization (WHO) listed ONLY TWO cases of polio so far this year and both have occurred in Pakistan. We finished last year with 74 cases down from over 300 cases in 2014, so with your continued assistance we are making excellent progress.

So where does Zone 33 stand in the Fight to End Polio? Did you know the World Fund also matches a portion of PolioPlus giving along with the Gates Foundation?

According to our Zone 33 report, as of January 2016, Zone 33 transferred \$285,289 in District Designated Funds and clubs and districts have contributed \$684,856 to PolioPlus. Overall in the Zone, we are \$30,229 ahead of last year.

District 7750 has contributed \$30,311 in District Designated Funds (DDF), which is 20% of our DDF and the suggested amount from The Rotary Foundation.

In addition, the District and clubs have contributed \$32,700. The goal set by the clubs is to contribute \$99,630 to Polio Plus. With four months left in the Rotary year we have some work to do, but this is also traditionally when clubs have Polio fundraising events. Do you know your club's Polio goal? Find out what your club's goal is and help to achieve that goal.

District Governor's Challenge – The District Governor has challenged clubs to beat \$50 per capita during the Rotary year (July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016). I am a competitive person and would like to encourage everyone to meet DG Terry Weaver's challenge. Try skipping two meals of eating out and donating the cost of those meals to PolioPlus. An easy way to meet your District Governor's challenge. Many clubs have fundraisers and contribute the proceeds to PolioPlus on behalf of their members. Get creative and have FUN!

As the 2015-16 Rotary
Foundation Chair Ray Klinginsmith
said "I hope you will take great
pride in how your contributions are
providing a positive impact . . . and
we have moved even closer to a poliofree world. None of this would have
been possible without you!"

See the Foundation Report beginning on page 16 for full Foundation/Polio giving and your club's goal.

### Interactors help fight polio

#### **BY AMELIA NELSON, D7750 POLIO CHAIR**

District 7750 Interactors' fundraiser—Swamp Rabbit Hockey Game—was a success. What started as Pleasantburg Rotary member Bob Grazio's idea of a fun outing for his club-sponsored Interact Club turned into a district-wide event. Led by PDG Tom Faulkner, District Interact Chair Jimmy Roach, and of course, Interators, ticket sales in Interact Sections were 145 and ticket sales in the Rotary Section were 95.

This fundraiser was to benefit PolioPlus and Rotary received a portion of each ticket sold, a portion of pucks sold and all proceeds from our Purple Pinkie painting. The

three Interact Clubs that volunteered to help with Chuck a Puck and Purple Pinkie were St. Joseph's

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Ticket Sales	\$540
Chuck a Puck	\$827
Purple Pinkies	\$55
Total	\$1,422

How we raised \$1 422

Catholic School, Southside High School (both of Greenville) and Clover High School. Also, kudos to the Pleasantburg Rotary Club for providing six volunteers plus two spouses to help with Chuck a Puck and Purple Pinkie. It was quite fun to watch the "adults" Chuck-a-Puck. I am not sure who had the most fun—Interactors or Rotarians.





PHOTOS FROM THE EVENING.



#### 7750 Membership & Attendance for January Club **Members** Current Meetings Attend. % Change Members 7/1/2015 Held Abbeville 44 45 4 68.00 Aiken 176 180 4 3 80.00 0 Aiken Sunrise 41 41 4 79.43 81 79 -2 2 51.33 Anderson Batesburg-Leesville 14 13 -1 4 82.14 Blacksburg 10 10 0 3 54.17 0 4 Chester 52 52 52.74 Clemson 89 92 3 3 89.89 Clemson-Calhoun 2 24 26 3 73.61 Clinton 29 29 0 4 47.52 Clover 24 22 -2 4 66.30 E-Club of the Carolinas 26 30 4 4 82.41 53 1 4 Easley 54 74.63 **Emerald City** 55 55 0 4 75.80 Fair Play 2 4 12 14 80.40 Fort Mill 74 85 11 4 43.28 37 3 Fountain Inn 33 -4 72.92 3 4 71.63 Gaffney 62 65 Golden Strip Sunrise 14 14 0 4 75.00 60 64 4 4 Greater Anderson 66.25 Greater Greer 15 17 2 4 76.00 -13 2 Greenville 275 262 61.73 Greenville Breakfast 19 1 3 59.60 18 Greenville East 21 23 2 3 55.38 Greenville Evening 34 39 5 2 59.00 107 9 2 Greenwood 116 65.28 -7 Indian Land 34 27 4 36.11 0 4 80.00 Inman 20 20 Lake Wylie 20 23 3 4 78.65 67 64 -3 4 Lancaster 72.00 67 57 -10 4 63.44 Lancaster Breakfast 4 77.72 49 49 0 Laurens Mauldin 29 28 -1 4 78.57 Newberry 70 71 1 2 81.00 17 2 4 North Augusta 15 56.25 North Greenville 36 36 0 3 66.67 2 North Spartanburg 45 47 4 87.95 Pickens 43 45 2 4 81.98 Pleasantburg 41 41 0 4 79.31 0 Rock Hill 103 103 0 63.56 41 3 4 Seneca 38 65.58 Seneca Golden Corner 20 19 -1 4 84.72 Simpsonville 47 47 0 5 99.54 Spartan West 25 24 -1 4 68.75 7 Spartanburg 187 194 4 47.42 The Foothills 16 17 1 2 61.76 Twin City 3 15 18 4 85.51 Union 47 45 -2 4 58.29 0 Walhalla 33 33 3 62.50 Westminster 35 38 3 0 0.00 72.00 Winnsboro 34 -3 4 31 Woodruff 4 59.00 15 16 1 York 32 35 3 4 77.20 Totals 2630 2665 35 3.47 68.11 53 of 53 clubs reporting



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org. You can see it used throughout this newsletter with club names. If your club is still using the old blue and gold logo, please update your materials to the current Rotary branding guidelines.

# ROTARY GLOBAL REWARDS

Rotary Global Rewards is a member benefit program designed to make membership even more rewarding for Rotarians. This program includes discounts on products and services such as travel, car rentals, hotels, dining and entertainment. It's our way of giving back to those who give so much.

See the discounts Learn more about the program Visit the Member Center

Rotary Global Rewards: the good you do comes back to you.

#### APRIL NEWSLETTER

# **Deadline**

**Mar. 25** 

Send your items to newsletter editor

PDG Sue Poss pdgsueposs@gmail.com

# Membership Champions (new members and their sponsors in January)

New Member	Club	Sponsor	Classifcation
Adolf, Peter (PETER)	North Spartanburg	Erwin J. Holbein	
Anderson, Mark (MARK)	Twin City	Ira Steve Enlow	
Beason, Patricia P (TRISH)	Inman	Marsha B. Clark	
Britton, Jim (JIM)	Fort Mill	Patrick M White	
Chambers, Doug (DOUG)	Fort Mill	Trudie Heemsoth	
Cochran, W. Scott (SCOTT)	Spartanburg	Koger Bradford	Higher Education - Private - Administration
Conrad, Laura Smith (LAURA)	Clemson		
Cosentino, Richard E. (RICH)	Greenwood	Ralph E. Patterson	Education - University
Culp, Cameron (CAMERON)	Gaffney	Charles P. Orr Jr.	
Davis, Jeff (JEFF)	Fort Mill	Geri Rucker	
Davis, Kathryn Hawarah (KATHRYN)	Mauldin		
Dearing, Niccie M. (NICCIE)	Gaffney	Jonna L. Turner	
Dillard, Jackson Richard Jr. (RICHARD)	Spartanburg	Angela W. Halstead	Associations - United Way
Fike, Gary (GARY)	Fort Mill	Roger Metz	
Glenn, John Jr. (JOHN)	Anderson	Robert Austin	Plumbing
Green, Nathaniel L. Clayton (NAT)	Aiken	Paul R. Dusenbury	Banking-Mortgage
Hill, Michael Jason (JASON)	Spartanburg	Robert M Tillotson	Utilities - Natural Gas
Jones, Cindy (CINDY)	York	R. Grier Sandifer Jr.	
Kalshoven, Peter J. (PETER)	Rock Hill	Harvey C. Heise	Marketing and Sales
Loscuito, Chamlee M. (CHAMLEE)	Spartanburg	Molly Talbot-Metz	Associations: Childrens' Services
Mitchem, Melisa (MELISA)	Fort Mill	Roger costner	
Owens, Allison Weir (ALLISON)	Spartanburg	John F. Perry	
Price, Zachary (ZACH)	Easley	Alex C. Dye	Foundation Director
Smith, Jeffrey Lyle (JEFF)	Greenwood	Angelle R. LaBorde	Foundations - Community
Steese, Stephen (STEPHEN)	Easley	Kent E. Dykes	City Manager
White, David A (DAVID)	Inman	Marsha B. Clark	
Whittle, William Grady (WILLIAM)	Aiken	Robert J. Forrest	Retailing-Agricultural Implements
Young, Ronald (RONNIE)	Aiken	Clay Killian	Government-County
Young, Vicki (VICKI)	Greenville	Scott Stephens	Business Development
		Stinson Ferguson	

### FOUNDATION AND MEMBERSHIP PAGES AHEAD: Check the trends

Following this page are several pages of information on Foundation giving and membership trends.

# Rotary District 7750 Membership Gain & Rotary Foundation Monthly Progress Report

A r e a	Club	Current Members 2/25/2015	Member Gain 2/25/2015	AF Actual 2014-15	AF Goal 2015-16	% of AF Goal Achieved 2015-16	AF Per Capita 2015-16	AF MONTH	AF YTD 2015-16	Polio Total 2014-2015	Polio YTD 2015-16	Polio Per Capita 2015-16	Polio Goal 2015-16	Polio % of Goal
1	Anderson	80	-1	9,127	\$12,500	10.6%	\$16	\$10	\$1,330	\$1,839	\$1,613	\$20	\$3,200	50.4%
1	Clemson	92	3	6,470	\$4,875	157.4%	\$86	\$405	\$7,673	\$1,400	\$305	\$3	\$1,000	30.5%
1	Clemson-Calhoun	27	3	2,988	\$3,600	50.3%	\$75	\$115	\$1,810	\$1,840	\$1,215	\$51	\$1,500	81.0%
1	Greater Anderson	64	4	6,003	\$5,650	128.5%	\$121	\$1,210	\$7,260	\$3,000	\$40	\$1	\$2,000	2.0%
	AG Crossie Cox	A-1 Totals	9	24,588	\$26,625	67.9%	<b>\$71</b>	\$1,740	\$18,073	\$8,079	\$3,173	\$12	\$7,700	41.2%
2	Fair Play	14	2	1,170	\$1,100	18.2%	\$17	\$0	\$200	\$10	\$0	\$0	\$100	0.0%
2	Seneca	41	3	5,236	\$6,700	116.2%	\$205	\$1,691	\$7,783	\$1,840	\$1,729	\$45	\$1,700	101.7%
2	Seneca Golden Corner	19	-1	2,350	\$3,120	46.8%	\$73	\$85	\$1,460	\$247	\$352	\$18	\$640	55.0%
2	Walhalla	32	-1	975	\$12,400	22.5%	\$84	\$0	\$2,787	\$120	\$0	\$0	\$25	0.0%
2	Westminster	38	3	5,037	\$4,000	112.0%	\$128	\$1,000	\$4,480	\$1,150	\$1,435	\$41	\$1,750	82.0%
	AG Steve Bahan	A-2 Totals	6	14,767	\$27,320	61.2%	\$121	\$1,776	\$16,710	\$3,367	\$3,516	\$25	\$4,215	83.4%
3	Greenville	271	-4	57,912	\$48,450	74.9%	\$132	\$2,678	\$36,300	\$5,300	\$2,590	\$9	\$5,000	51.8%
3	Greenville Breakfast	20	2	4,917	\$3,100	110.8%	\$191	\$1,600	\$3,434	\$10	\$2,390	\$0	\$900	0.0%
3	Greenville East	23	2	3,837	\$4,850	44.8%	\$104	\$100	\$2,175	\$1,150	\$245	\$12	\$1,100	22.3%
3	North Greenville	36	0	3,560	\$4,400	75.7%	\$93	<b>\$0</b>	\$3,330	\$1,010	\$96	\$3	\$1,850	5.2%
3	Pleasantburg	41	0	6,889	\$4,600	127.8%	\$143	\$169	\$5,878	\$3,202	\$1,629	\$40	\$2,200	74.0%
	AG Beth Padgett		0	77,115	\$65,400	78.2%	\$131	\$4,547	\$51,116		\$4,560	\$12	\$11,050	41.3%
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4	Inman	20	2	2,100	\$2,850	57.9% 43.3%	\$83 \$79	\$0 \$2,550	\$1,650	\$10 \$1,309	\$111 \$0	\$6 \$0	\$1,000 \$2,750	11.1% 0.0%
4	North Spartanburg Spartan West	47 24		3,545	\$8,250	43.3% 77.7%		. ,	\$3,575	\$1,309 \$792	\$855	·	\$2,750 \$1,400	
4	Spartan vvest	194	- <u>1</u>	3,953 5,180	\$4,200 \$18,250	7.3%	\$131 \$7	\$20 \$10	\$3,265 \$1,330	\$192 \$10,263	\$1,130	\$34 \$6	\$1,400	61.1% 12.6%
4	AG Franca Meloncelli		8	14,778	\$33,550	29.3%	\$35	\$2,580	\$9,820	\$10,203	\$1,130	\$8	\$14,150	14.8%
	AG Franca Meioncein	A-4 Totals	o	14,776	, ,	29.370		Ψ2,500	φ2,020	. ,	\$2,090		. ,	14.0 70
5	Blacksburg	10	0	10	\$2,300	23.0%	\$53	<b>\$0</b>	\$530	\$10	\$0	\$0	\$50	0.0%
5	Clover	22	-2	3,772	\$6,000	24.9%	\$62	<b>\$0</b>	\$1,495	\$3,081	\$1,540	\$64	\$4,000	38.5%
5	Gaffney	65	3	3,733	\$3,450	71.4%	\$40	\$1,248	\$2,465	\$100	\$160	\$3	\$100	160.0%
5	York	35	3	7,129	\$7,200	68.8%	\$155	\$0	\$4,956	\$1,174	\$630	\$20	\$1,500	42.0%
	AG Gene Moorhead	A-5 Totals	4	14,644	\$18,950	49.8%	<b>\$74</b>	\$1,248	\$9,446	\$4,365	\$2,330	\$18	\$5,650	41.2%
6	Fort Mill	83	9	20,576	\$18,000	51.4%	\$125	\$185	\$9,245	\$1,852	\$0	\$0	\$2,000	0.0%
6	Indian Land	27	-7	1,515	\$4,001	32.7%	\$39	\$45	\$1,310	\$285	\$0	\$0	\$300	0.0%
6	Lake Wylie	23	3	2,712	\$3,000	54.7%	\$82	\$0	\$1,641	\$542	\$242	\$12	\$700	34.6%
6	Rock Hill	103	0	5,624	\$8,020	106.9%	\$83	<b>\$0</b>	\$8,577	\$1,711	\$30	\$0	\$2,550	1.2%
	AG Chad Bordeaux	A-6 Totals	5	30,427	\$33,021	62.9%	<b>\$90</b>	\$230	\$20,773	\$4,390	\$272	\$1	\$5,550	4.9%

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7	Chester	52	0	3,800	\$3,250	21.5%	\$13	\$0	\$700	\$150	\$1,220	\$23	\$1,500	81.3%
7	Lancaster	64	-3	1,738	\$5,704	1.8%	\$1	<b>\$0</b>	\$100	\$510	\$70	\$1	\$1,500	
7	Lancaster Breakfast	59	-8	2,665	\$9,850	16.6%	\$24	\$85	\$1,638	\$10	\$100	\$1	\$1,500	6.7%
7	Winnsboro	30	-4	1,545	\$5,550	53.5%	\$87	\$5	\$2,970	\$250	\$0	\$0	\$1,500	0.0%
	AG Rebecca Melton	A-7 Totals	-15	9,748	\$24,354	22.2%	\$25	\$90	\$5,408	\$920	\$1,390	\$6	\$6,000	23.2%
8	Aiken	180	4	21,039	\$29,500	66.4%	\$111	\$131	\$19,594	\$3,853	\$3,790	\$22	\$9,500	39.9%
8	Aiken Sunrise	41	0	5,490	\$10.839	40.4%	\$107	\$0	\$4,375	\$2,946	\$2,166	\$53	\$2,300	
	Batesburg-Leesville	13	-1	2,010	\$1,800	1.3%	\$2	\$0	\$23	\$1,382	\$880	\$63	\$600	
	North Augusta	18	3	2,308	\$2,200	15.9%	\$23	\$0	\$350	\$760	\$295	\$20	\$500	59.0%
	Twin City of Batesburg-			,	φ <b>2,2</b> 00	101770	Ψ20	Ψ	φεεσ	Ψ700	Ψ2>υ	Ψ20	φεσσ	251070
8	Leesville	18	3	2,935	\$1,862	100.4%	\$125	\$85	\$1,869	\$500	\$247	\$16	\$750	32.9%
	AG Dan Rickabaugh	A-8 Totals	9	33,782	\$46,201	56.7%	\$100	\$216	\$26,211	\$9,441	\$7,378	\$28	\$13,650	54.1%
0	Abbeville		2	4.010	Φ.C. 450	<b>5</b> 00/	ф <b>л</b> л	фо	Φ.Ε.Ο.Ο.	<b>#10</b>	фо	φo	Φ1.05 <i>E</i>	0.00/
_	EClub of the Carolinas	46	5	4,018	\$6,450	7.8%	\$11	\$0	\$500	\$10 \$2,380	\$0 \$878	\$0 \$34	\$1,075 \$2,500	0.0%
9		31 55		4,879	\$6,600	39.6% 98.5%	\$100 \$426	\$0	\$2,613	\$2,380 \$1,250		\$34 \$29	\$2,500	35.1%
9	Emerald City Greenwood		9	12,346	\$23,800		\$426 \$57	\$210	\$23,440		\$1,582 \$1,109	\$29 \$10	\$2,000	79.1%
9		116		9,740	\$13,450 \$50,300	45.1%		\$35 \$245	\$6,065	\$1,350		\$10 \$15	\$3,960	28.0%
	AG Andrew Hodges	A-9 Totals	16	30,982	\$50,300	64.8%	\$141	\$245	\$32,618	\$4,990	\$3,569	\$15	\$9,535	37.4%
10	Clinton	30	1	6,054	\$4,350	37.9%	\$57	\$0	\$1,650	\$1,200	\$40	\$1	\$1,200	3.3%
10	Laurens	49	0	6,605	\$7,200	70.1%	\$103	\$2,450	\$5,050	\$2,100	\$0	\$0	\$5,280	0.0%
10	Newberry	71	1	14,299	\$10,650	107.1%	\$163	\$200	\$11,408	\$1,350	\$1,250	\$18	\$2,000	62.5%
10	Union	46	-1	7,288	\$7,350	32.7%	\$51	<b>\$0</b>	\$2,400	\$1,350	\$550	\$12	\$2,200	25.0%
	AG Buddy Smith	A-10 Totals	1	34,245	\$29,550	69.4%	\$105	\$2,650	\$20,508	\$6,000	\$1,840	\$9	\$10,680	17.2%
11	Fountain Inn	33	-4	1,010	\$4,500	70.0%	\$85	\$0	\$3,150	\$10	\$40	\$1	\$200	20.0%
	Golden Strip Sunrise	14	0	470	\$700	40.0%	\$20	\$35	\$280	\$10	\$0	\$0	\$350	0.0%
	Mauldin	29	0	5,028	\$3,750	80.2%	\$104	\$0	\$3,006	\$700	\$900	\$31	\$1,500	
11	Simpsonville	49	2	6,348	\$5,550	61.9%	\$73	\$960	\$3,433	\$2,000	\$0	\$0	\$2,000	
	Woodruff	15	0	563	\$750	0.0%	\$0	<b>\$0</b>	\$0	\$10	\$0	\$0	\$100	0.0%
	AG Candy Surkin		-2	13,418	\$15,250	64.7%	\$70	\$995	\$9,869	\$2,730	\$940	\$7	\$4,150	22.7%
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	Easley	54	1	8,010	\$9,150	10.9%	\$19	\$0	\$1,000	\$10	\$0	\$0	\$1,000	0.0%
12	Greater Greer	16	1	4,497	\$2,750	74.6%	\$137	\$0	\$2,050	\$1,117	\$150	\$10	\$500	30.0%
12	Greenville Evening	39	5	12,170	\$15,000	122.0%	\$538	\$1,030	\$18,300	\$2,700	\$650	\$19	\$3,000	21.7%
12	Pickens	45	2	6,542	\$6,400	34.8%	\$52	\$125	\$2,225	\$2,452	\$586	\$14	\$2,300	
12	The Foothills	17	1	932	\$1,950	73.1%	\$89	\$0	\$1,425	\$10	\$0	\$0	\$500	
	AG Cathy Golson	A-12 Totals	10	32,151	\$35,250	70.9%	\$155	\$1,155	\$25,000	\$6,289	\$1,386	\$9	\$7,300	19.0%
	District 7750							\$0	\$0	\$0	\$250			
	Totals		51	330,643	\$405,771	60.5%	\$93.37	\$17,471	\$245,553	\$73,617	\$32,700	\$12	\$99,630	32.8%

#### **Area Summary**

		Member Gain 2/25/2015	AF Actual 2014-15	AF Goal 2015-16	% of AF Goal Achieved 2015-16	AF Per Capita 2015-16	AF MONTH	AF YTD 2015-16	Polio Total 2014-2015	Polio YTD 2015-16	Polio Per Capita 2015-16	Polio Goal 2015-16	Polio % of Goal
AG Crossie Cox	Area 1	9	24,588	26,625	67.9%	\$71.15	\$1,740	\$18,073	\$8,079	\$3,173	\$12	\$7,700	41.2%
AG Steve Bahan	Area 2	6	14,767	27,320	61.2%	\$121.09	\$1,776	\$16,710	\$3,367	\$3,516	\$25	\$4,215	83.4%
AG Beth Padgett	Area 3	0	77,115	65,400	78.2%	\$130.73	\$4,547	\$51,116	\$10,672	\$4,560	\$12	\$11,050	41.3%
AG Franca Meloncelli	Area 4	8	14,778	33,550	29.3%	\$35.45	\$2,580	\$9,820	\$12,374	\$2,096	\$8	\$14,150	14.8%
AG Gene Moorhead	Area 5	4	14,644	18,950	49.8%	\$73.79	\$1,248	\$9,446	\$4,365	\$2,330	\$18	\$5,650	41.2%
AG Chad Bordeaux	Area 6	5	30,427	33,021	62.9%	\$89.93	\$230	\$20,773	\$4,390	\$272	\$1	\$5,550	4.9%
AG Rebecca Melton	Area 7	-15	9,748	24,354	22.2%	\$24.58	\$90	\$5,408	\$920	\$1,390	\$6	\$6,000	23.2%
AG Dan Rickabaugh	Area 8	9	33,782	46,201	56.7%	\$100.42	\$216	\$26,211	\$9,441	\$7,378	\$28	\$13,650	54.1%
AG Andrew Hodges	Area 9	16	30,982	50,300	64.8%	\$140.59	\$245	\$32,618	\$4,990	\$3,569	\$15	\$9,535	37.4%
AG Buddy Smith	Area 10	1	34,245	29,550	69.4%	\$105.17	\$2,650	\$20,508	\$6,000	\$1,840	\$9	\$10,680	17.2%
AG Candy Surkin	Area 11	-2	13,418	15,250	64.7%	\$69.50	\$995	\$9,869	\$2,730	\$940	\$7	\$4,150	22.7%
AG Cathy Golson	Area 12	10	32,151	35,250	70.9%	\$155.28	\$1,155	\$25,000	\$6,289	\$1,386	\$9	\$7,300	19.0%
	Totals	51	330,643	405,771	60.5%	\$93.37	\$17,471	\$245,553	\$73,617	\$32,450	\$12	\$99,630	32.8%

# **Top Giving Clubs (Annual Fund)**

#### Top Clubs by % of AF Goal Achieved

1 Clemson	157%
2 Greater Anderson	128%
3 Pleasantburg	128%
4 Greenville Evening	122%
5 Seneca	116%

#### **Top Clubs by AF Per Capita**

1	Greenville Evening	\$538.24
2	Emerald City	\$426.18
3	Seneca	\$204.81
4	Greenville Breakfast	\$190.76
5	Newberry	\$162.97

#### **Top Clubs by Total AF Giving**

1	Greenville	\$36,300
2	Emerald City	\$23,440
3	Aiken	\$19,594
4	Greenville Evening	\$18,300
5	Newberry	\$11,408

# **Top Giving Clubs (Polio)**

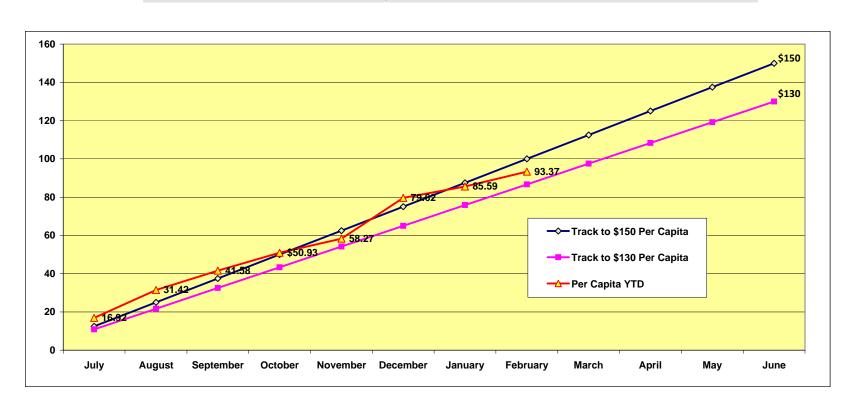
### **Top Clubs by % of Polio Goal Achieved**

1 Gaffney	160%
2 Batesburg-Leesville	147%
3 Seneca	102%
4 Aiken Sunrise	94%
5 Westminster	82%

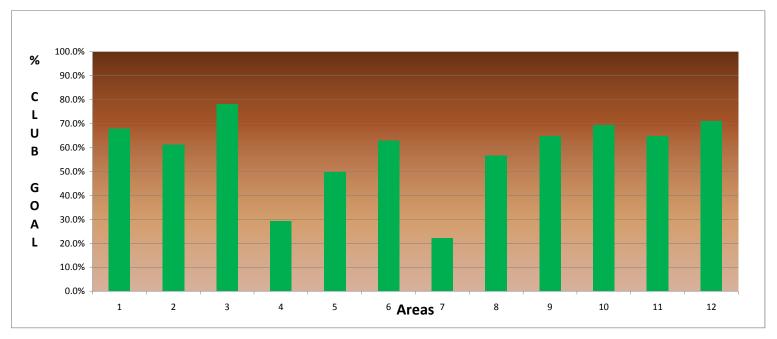
### **Top Clubs by Total Polio Giving**

1 Aiken	\$3,790
2 Greenville	\$2,590
3 Aiken Sunrise	\$2,166
4 Seneca	\$1,729
5 Pleasantburg	\$1,629

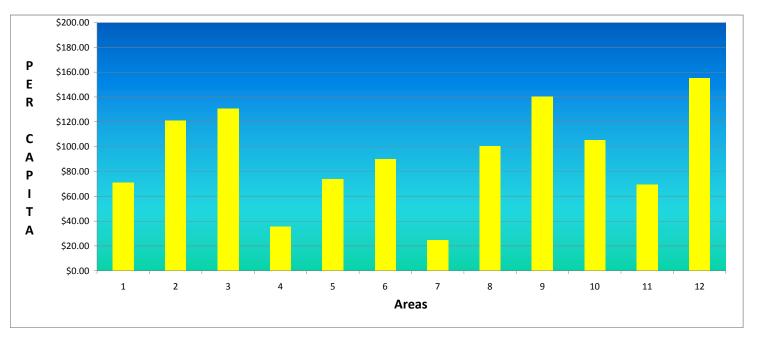
- 10 Clubs have achieved 100% of their AF Goal
- 14 Clubs have achieved 75% of their AF Goal
- 0 Clubs have achieved their AF Challenge Goal
- 3 Clubs have achieved 100% of their Polio Goal
- 6 Clubs are over \$150 AF Per Capita
- 20 Clubs are over \$100 AF Per Capita
- O Clubs have given \$5 Total to the AF (Zero Giving)
- O Clubs have given \$5 Total to Polio (Zero Giving)
- 0 Areas have achieved 100% of their AF Goal
- 1 Areas have achieved 75% of their AF Goal
- 0 Areas have achieved their total AF Challenge Goal
- 0 Areas are over \$200 AF Per Capita
- 6 Areas are over \$100 AF Per Capita



# % of Club AF Goal Achieved - By Area



AF Per Capita - By Area Goal is \$150



# All Clubs Ranked by % of AF Goal Achieved

1	Clemson	157%
2	Greater Anderson	128%
3	Pleasantburg	128%
4	Greenville Evening	122%
5	Seneca	116%
6	Westminster	112%
7	Greenville Breakfast	111%
8	Newberry	107%
9	Rock Hill	107%
10	Twin City of Batesburg-Leesville	100%
11	Emerald City	98%
12	Mauldin	80%
13	Spartan West	78%
14	North Greenville	76%
15	Greenville	75%
16	Greater Greer	<b>75%</b>
17	The Foothills	73%
18	Gaffney	71%
19	Laurens	70%
20	Fountain Inn	70%
21	York	69%
22	Aiken	66%
23	Simpsonville	62%
24	Inman	58%
25	Lake Wylie	55%
26	Winnsboro	54%
27	Fort Mill	51%
28	Clemson-Calhoun	50%
29	Seneca Golden Corner	47%
30	Greenwood	45%

# All Clubs Ranked by % of Polio Goal Achieved

1	Gaffney	160%
2	Batesburg-Leesville	147%
3	Seneca	102%
4	Aiken Sunrise	94%
5	Westminster	82%
6	Chester	81%
7	Clemson-Calhoun	81%
8	Emerald City	79%
9	Pleasantburg	74%
10	Newberry	63%
11	Spartan West	61%
12	Mauldin	60%
13	North Augusta	59%
14	Seneca Golden Corner	55%
15	Greenville	52%
16	Anderson	50%
17	York	42%
18	Aiken	40%
19	Clover	39%
20	EClub of the Carolinas	35%
21	Lake Wylie	35%
22	Twin City of Batesburg-Leesville	33%
23	Clemson	31%
24	Greater Greer	30%
25	Greenwood	28%
26	Pickens	25%
27	Union	25%
28	Greenville East	22%
29	Greenville Evening	22%
30	Fountain Inn	20%

31	Greenville East	45%
32	North Spartanburg	43%
33	Aiken Sunrise	40%
34	Golden Strip Sunrise	40%
35	EClub of the Carolinas	40%
36	Clinton	38%
37	Pickens	35%
38	Indian Land	33%
39	Union	33%
40	Clover	25%
41	Blacksburg	23%
42	Walhalla	22%
43	Chester	22%
44	Fair Play	18%
45	Lancaster Breakfast	17%
46	North Augusta	16%
47	Easley	11%
48	Anderson	11%
49	Abbeville	8%
50	Spartanburg	7%
51	Lancaster	2%
52	Batesburg-Leesville	1%
53		0%

31	Spartanburg	13%
32	Inman	11%
33	Lancaster Breakfast	7%
34	North Greenville	5%
35	Lancaster	5%
36	Clinton	3%
37	<b>Greater Anderson</b>	2%
38	Rock Hill	1%
39		0%
40		0%
41		0%
42		0%
43		0%
44		0%
45		0%
46		0%
47		0%
48		0%
49		0%
50		0%
51		0%
52		0%
53		0%

# **All Clubs Ranked by AF Per Capita**

		4-00-0
1	Greenville Evening	\$538.24
2	Emerald City	\$426.18
3	Seneca	\$204.81
4	Greenville Breakfast	\$190.76
5	Newberry	\$162.97
6	York	\$154.88
7	Pleasantburg	\$143.37
8	Greater Greer	\$136.68
9	Greenville	\$132.00
10	Spartan West	\$130.60
11	Westminster	\$128.00
12	Fort Mill	\$124.94
13	Twin City of Batesburg-Leesville	\$124.60
14	<b>Greater Anderson</b>	\$121.00
15	Aiken	\$111.33
16	Aiken Sunrise	\$106.71
17	Mauldin	\$103.66
18	Greenville East	\$103.57
19	Laurens	\$103.06
20	EClub of the Carolinas	\$100.48
21	North Greenville	\$92.50
22	The Foothills	\$89.06
23	Winnsboro	\$87.35
24	Clemson	\$86.22
25	Fountain Inn	\$85.14
26	Walhalla	\$84.47
27	Rock Hill	\$83.27
28	Inman	\$82.50
29	Lake Wylie	\$82.05
30	North Spartanburg	\$79.44
31	Clemson-Calhoun	\$75.42
32	Simpsonville	\$73.04
33	Seneca Golden Corner	\$73.00

# **All Clubs Ranked by Polio Per Capita**

1	Clover	\$64.17
2	Batesburg-Leesville	\$62.86
3	Aiken Sunrise	\$52.83
4	Clemson-Calhoun	\$50.63
5	Seneca	\$45.49
6	Westminster	\$41.00
7	Pleasantburg	\$39.73
8	Spartan West	\$34.20
9	EClub of the Carolinas	\$33.77
10	Mauldin	\$31.03
11	Emerald City	\$28.77
12	Chester	\$23.46
13	Aiken	\$21.53
14	Anderson	\$19.91
15	York	\$19.69
16	North Augusta	\$19.67
17	Greenville Evening	\$19.12
18	Newberry	\$17.86
19	Seneca Golden Corner	\$17.60
20	Twin City of Batesburg-Leesville	\$16.47
21	Pickens	\$13.63
22	Lake Wylie	\$12.10
23	Union	\$11.70
24	Greenville East	\$11.67
25	Greenwood	\$10.36
26	Greater Greer	\$10.00
27	Greenville	\$9.42
28	Spartanburg	\$6.04
29	Inman	\$5.57
30	Clemson	\$3.43
31	North Greenville	\$2.67
32	Gaffney	\$2.58
33	Lancaster Breakfast	\$1.49

34	Clover	\$62.29
35	Clinton	\$56.90
36	Greenwood	\$56.68
37	Blacksburg	\$53.00
38	Pickens	\$51.74
39	Union	\$51.06
40	Gaffney	\$39.75
41	Indian Land	\$38.53
42	Lancaster Breakfast	\$24.45
43	North Augusta	\$23.33
44	Golden Strip Sunrise	\$20.00
45	Easley	\$18.87
46	Fair Play	\$16.67
47	Anderson	\$16.42
48	Chester	\$13.46
49	Abbeville	\$11.36
50	Spartanburg	\$7.11
51	Batesburg-Leesville	\$1.63
52	Lancaster	\$1.49
53		\$0.00

34	Clinton	\$1.38
35	Fountain Inn	\$1.08
36	Lancaster	\$1.04
37	Greater Anderson	\$0.67
38	Rock Hill	\$0.29
39		\$0.00
40		\$0.00
41		\$0.00
42		\$0.00
43		\$0.00
44		\$0.00
45		\$0.00
46		\$0.00
47		\$0.00
48		\$0.00
49		\$0.00
50		\$0.00
51		\$0.00
52		\$0.00
53		\$0.00

# **All Clubs Ranked by Total AF Giving**

1	Greenville	\$36,300
2	Emerald City	\$23,440
3	Aiken	\$19,594
4	Greenville Evening	\$18,300
5	Newberry	\$11,408
6	Fort Mill	\$9,245
7	Rock Hill	\$8,577
8	Seneca	\$7,783
9	Clemson	\$7,673
10	<b>Greater Anderson</b>	\$7,260
11	Greenwood	\$6,065
12	Pleasantburg	\$5,878
13	Laurens	\$5,050
14	York	\$4,956
15	Westminster	\$4,480
16	Aiken Sunrise	\$4,375
17	North Spartanburg	\$3,575
18	Greenville Breakfast	\$3,434
19	Simpsonville	\$3,433
20	North Greenville	\$3,330
21	Spartan West	\$3,265
22	Fountain Inn	\$3,150
23	Mauldin	\$3,006
24	Winnsboro	\$2,970
25	Walhalla	\$2,787
26	EClub of the Carolinas	\$2,613
27	Gaffney	\$2,465
28	Union	\$2,400
29	Pickens	\$2,225
30	Greenville East	\$2,175
31	Greater Greer	\$2,050
32	Twin City of Batesburg-Leesville	\$1,869

# **All Clubs Ranked by Total Polio Giving**

1	Aiken	\$3,790
2	Greenville	\$2,590
3	Aiken Sunrise	\$2,166
4	Seneca	\$1,729
5	Pleasantburg	\$1,629
6	Anderson	\$1,613
7	Emerald City	\$1,582
8	Clover	\$1,540
9	Westminster	\$1,435
10	Newberry	\$1,250
11	Chester	\$1,220
12	Clemson-Calhoun	\$1,215
13	Spartanburg	\$1,130
14	Greenwood	\$1,109
15	Mauldin	\$900
16	Batesburg-Leesville	\$880
17	EClub of the Carolinas	\$878
18	Spartan West	\$855
19	Greenville Evening	\$650
20	York	\$630
21	Pickens	\$586
22	Union	\$550
23	Seneca Golden Corner	\$352
24	Clemson	\$305
25	North Augusta	\$295
26	Twin City of Batesburg-Leesville	\$247
27	Greenville East	\$245
28	Lake Wylie	\$242
29	Gaffney	\$160
30	Greater Greer	\$150
31	Inman	\$111
32	Lancaster Breakfast	\$100

33	Clemson-Calhoun	\$1,810
34	Inman	\$1,650
35	Clinton	\$1,650
36	Lake Wylie	\$1,641
37	Lancaster Breakfast	\$1,638
38	Clover	\$1,495
39	Seneca Golden Corner	\$1,460
40	The Foothills	\$1,425
41	Anderson	\$1,330
42	Spartanburg	\$1,330
43	Indian Land	\$1,310
44	Easley	\$1,000
45	Chester	\$700
46	Blacksburg	\$530
47	Abbeville	\$500
48	North Augusta	\$350
49	Golden Strip Sunrise	\$280
50	Fair Play	\$200
51	Lancaster	\$100
52	Batesburg-Leesville	\$23
53		\$0

# All Areas Ranked by % of AF Goal Achieved

1 AG Beth Padgett	78.2%
2 AG Cathy Golson	70.9%
3 AG Buddy Smith	69.4%
4 AG Crossie Cox	67.9%
5 AG Andrew Hodges	64.8%
6 AG Candy Surkin	64.7%
7 AG Chad Bordeaux	62.9%
8 AG Steve Bahan	61.2%
9 AG Dan Rickabaugh	56.7%
10 AG Gene Moorhead	49.8%
11 AG Franca Meloncelli	29.3%
12 AG Rebecca Melton	22.2%

33	North Greenville	\$96
34	Lancaster	\$70
35	Greater Anderson	\$40
36	Clinton	\$40
37	Fountain Inn	\$40
38	Rock Hill	\$30
39		\$0
40		\$0
41		\$0
42		\$0
43		\$0
44		\$0
45		\$0
46		\$0
47		\$0
48		\$0
49		\$0
50		\$0
51		\$0
52		\$0
53		\$0

# All Areas Ranked by AF Per Capita

1	AG Cathy Golson	\$155.28
2	AG Andrew Hodges	\$140.59
3	AG Beth Padgett	\$130.73
4	AG Steve Bahan	\$121.09
5	AG Buddy Smith	\$105.17
6	AG Dan Rickabaugh	\$100.42
7	AG Chad Bordeaux	\$89.93
8	AG Gene Moorhead	\$73.79
9	AG Crossie Cox	\$71.15
10	AG Candy Surkin	\$69.50
11	AG Franca Meloncelli	\$35.45
12	AG Rebecca Melton	\$24.58

# All Areas Ranked by Total AF Giving

1	AG Beth Padgett	\$51,116
2	AG Andrew Hodges	\$32,618
3	AG Dan Rickabaugh	\$26,211
4	AG Cathy Golson	\$25,000
5	AG Chad Bordeaux	\$20,773
6	AG Buddy Smith	\$20,508
7	AG Crossie Cox	\$18,073
8	AG Steve Bahan	\$16,710
9	AG Candy Surkin	\$9,869
10	AG Franca Meloncelli	\$9,820
11	AG Gene Moorhead	\$9,446
12	AG Rebecca Melton	\$5,408