# LEAVENWORTH ROTARY NEWS



THE YEAR 2015-16 HAS HAVE BEEN VERY BUSY FOR THE LEAVENWORTH ROTARY CLUB.

We are happy to report the following:

Our largest project \$15,000

Gleaning Van for Upper Valley MEND - \$30,000 Leavenworth Rotary \$15,000 + District Match

\$250 to Chelan Douglas CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates)

\$1000 to Boy Scout Troop 19 for installation of Trail Sign in Tumwater Canyon

\$900 to Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Foundation
This will send 3 Cascade High Students to Leadership Seminars

\$2700 to Leavenworth YMCA Camp
This will allow 6 Leavenworth Students to attend summer camp

\$1,000 Donated to Nikoilale Primary School in Kenya a Joint venture with Lake Chelan Rotary Club

\$500 to Sponsor Hole (Cascade Medical Golf Classic)
In memory of Jim Adamson-Founder & Rotarian

Our Seventh Annual Bicycle Collection allowed us to send over 250 bikes to Africa

Established an Interact Club at Icicle River Middle School 2015-

2016 We continue to support the following Youth Programs

RYLA – Rotary Youth Leader Association - FBLA – Future Business Leaders of America

Student of the Month - Exchange Student Program - Holly Butler from Australia

#### Scholarships

3 High School Seniors Total ing \$4,500 - Distinguished Young Women \$1500 2015-2016 onetime \$500 donation to memorial scholarship for The Dean Allen — Shine On Scholarship Fund

#### Ongoing projects

Free Clinic - \$1200/year - Community Cupboard Food Bank - \$1200/year
Pump Track Donation - \$5000 - Guatemala Literacy Project - \$1000 (for 17th year)
Ship surplus medical supplies to Project C.U.R.E. for distribution to developing countries
About 30 boxes Cost \$300 to ship

# Summary of President Ken Kohnhorst Rotary Year 2015-2016

The year started with a visit from our District Gov. Greg Luring and his wife Jan. Our July Board Meeting reported \$622.00 in donations from Kinderfest, Bird Project.

I also proposed three new committees: Fund Raising, Youth Committee, and Major Projects Committee.

### Here is a list of Fellowships:

"Drop in Friday" "Road Rally"

"Sip,Taste and Mingle" "A Bike Halloween"
"Relax and Rewind" "Thirsty Thursday"
"Silvara Winery Tasting" "St Patrick's Day"

"Christmas Party"

#### Our Annual Fund Raiser

Rotaryfest – Theme: "Tailgate Party" - Netted \$19,000

## Other Noteworthy Happenings:

Awarded 8 Paul Harris Awards

Established Interact at IRMS

Hosted group from Australia

Mike McComas and John Fishburn go to Africa

Awarded \$5000 to Dr. DeFever of Marysville Rotary as winner of "Bavarian Raffle"

Welcomed 3 new Members

Promoted 4 members to Blue Badge

Sandy Owens Carmody named "Rotarian of the Year"

Gary Schuster awarded "Unsung Hero Award" at District Conference

Leavenworth Rotary receives "Presidential Citation"

Leavenworth Rotary receives "Best Public Relations Award"

#### Some interesting weekly programs:

Hiking the Pacific Crest Trail Climbing Mt/ Everest

Local YMCA Camp Honor Flight

Brad Blackburn: "Hiking the Enchantments" Project Hope located in Plain – Africa