



扶輪基金會主委文告

每一天的每一個時刻，都有扶輪社員透過扶輪基金會在世界各地行善。他們在地方及國外規劃、資助、推行，及完成服務計畫。這是我們全體都引以為榮的事。

對我來說，這是扶輪社員的特色之一。你可以用你選擇的方式來參與。你可以從頭到尾參加一項計畫，也可以在過程中隨時參與。可是這一切都肇始於你和我捐款給扶輪基金會後，才能有可供運用的資金。

對我們許多人來說，地區獎助金提供最快速、最便利的方式來參與獎助金活動，因為它通常涉及當地的計畫。地區獎助金計畫是個理想方式來展現扶輪、獲得曝光、讓潛在社員以及受益人參與，並且提升你自己社區的價值。

全球獎助金讓我們得以參與和六大焦點領域相關的國際計畫。在我們發展計畫構想之際，我們會進行需求評估來判定該社區的需求、必要的資源和取得方式、以及如何與扶輪社員、夥伴，及相關領域其他人士一起合作推動計畫。我們確認我們的計畫有扶輪社員的參與、讓受益人數最多，並在計畫完成後能夠由當地居民維持以確保長期效果。知道這些步驟都已鉅細靡遺地完成令人倍感欣慰。

此外，因為適當的財務監督與管理，我們都會繼續奉獻我們的時間、才能，及珍視的事物。各位明白，這是我們的基金會，我們以它為榮，它真的改善我們的世界！

Ron D. Burton 朗伯騰
基金會保管委員會主委



A Message from The Foundation Chair

Every second of every day, Rotarians are doing good in the world through The Rotary Foundation. They are planning, funding, implementing, and completing projects, both locally and globally. It is a source of great pride for us all. To me, this is one of the unique features of Rotary membership.

You can get as involved as you choose. You can participate in a project from beginning to end, or you can join in anywhere in the process. But it all starts with you and me making a gift to our Foundation so that funds are available.

For many of us, a district grant offers the quickest and most convenient way to participate in grant activity, because it usually involves a local project. A district grant project is a good way to showcase Rotary, to get publicity, to involve prospective members as well as the beneficiaries, and to add value to your own community.

Global grants offer us a way to participate in international projects in one or more of our six areas of focus. As we develop a project idea, we conduct a needs assessment to determine what is needed in the community, the resources required and how they can be accessed, and how to carry out the project collaboratively with Rotarians, partners, and others in the field. We make sure that our project includes Rotarian involvement, benefits the greatest number of people, and can be maintained by the local residents once it is completed to ensure a long-term effect for the community. We all take comfort in knowing that these steps have been meticulously followed.

And, because of this proper stewardship and accountability, we all continue to contribute our time, talents, and treasure. You see, it is our Foundation. We are proud of it, and it is truly making a difference in our world!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ron D. Burton". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Ron D. Burton
FOUNDATION TRUSTEE CHAIR