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Rotary Club of Rock Island

Rock Island, Illinois

Meeting Tuesdays at Noon – Quad City Botanical Center

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Fred Houlton Scholarship and Jordan Catholic School EarlyAct Club

May – June Calendar

- May 26 - R.I. Rotary Legacy a Tribute to us!
- June 2 - Community Grants Presentation – Frank Lambert
- June 9 - TBA
- June 16 - TBA
- June 23 - TBA
- June 30 - John Oliger & Noa Smith
- July 7 - 2026-27 Installation of Club officers and directors

Fred Houlton (pictured) joined Rock Island Rotary in 1963 and ranks as one of just ten Rock Island Rotarians in our 112 year history that rose through the ranks to become Governor of District 6420 for the 1985-86 Rotary Year. His dedication to our Rotary Club is evidenced by his 60 years of membership and 56 years of “perfect attendance”. He earned Paul Harris Fellow honors and bestowed that designation on thirteen members of his family. In 2021 Fred and his wife Virginia established “The Share Foundation” with a substantial financial gift to District 6420 the income from which provides grants to all clubs in the district for Rotary Projects. In September of 2023 Upon his passing at the age of 96. Rock Island Rotary created a permanently endowed scholarship to be presented annually to a Rock Island High School senior. The



scholarship, named “The Fredrick R. Houlton Service Above Self Scholarship” is administered by the Rock Island Milan Education Foundation and Rock Island Rotary participates in selecting the winner of the scholarship. **Our 2026 recipient is Tyler Whitten**, the son of Tanja and Jeff Whitten.



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The **Jordan Catholic School EarlyAct Club** was chartered in 2017 by our Rock Island Rotary Club. Now in it’s 10th year the club has a membership of more than thirty 5th and 6th grade students. They meet every other Friday before school at 7:30am and serve their school, community, and the world throughout the year with many projects, both big and small. Today we welcomed the EarlyAct officers, Ailie McClarity, Lia Howe, Sophie Noack, and Angela Soegging who reported on this year’s club projects. In November members visited each classroom and challenged students to “Stuff the Turkey” with cash donations. The project, held annually by the Club raised \$1,400.00 used to purchase Christmas gifts for children and families in need. Club members met at Target and did the shopping to provide 18 children with gifts. At the annual Jordan Gala, EarlAct auctioned off a “Parent’s Night Out” event that provided entertainment and babysitting for an evening.

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Program Chair 2025-26

Rebecca Arnold

Presenters

July:	Tom Hammar
August:	Erin Williams
September:	Dave Hodge
October:	Yolanda Pugh & Rebecca Arnold
November:	Rebecca Arnold
December:	Bob Swanson
January:	Gary Rowe
February:	Kai Swanson
March:	Yolanda Pugh & Rebecca Arnold
April:	Angela Campbell
May:	John Wetzel
June:	Tom Hammar

Club Notes & Announcements!

- ★ **WELCOME GUESTS** – Today we were happy to welcome visiting Rotarian Duncan Cameron from the Naples, Florida Club. Also joining us was Kelly Noack a guest of Lindsay Adolphs and Amy Beauchamp a guest of Eric Westphall. A special guest today was Tyler Whitten, our Fredrick Houlton Service Above Self Scholarship winner. We had several special guests from Jordan Catholic School. Jenn Heckenkemp and Katy Saucedo, the Jordan EarlyAct faculty sponsors were present along with the officers of the EarlyAct Club, Ailie McClarity, Lila Howe, Sophie Hoack, and Angela Soebbing. We are very proud of our club and love to have guests visit to see why we are The Number One Club!
- ★ **NEXT WEEK IS THE FINAL CHANCE TO SIGN UP FOR – A free professional photo** for use in our upcoming Club Directory. Photos will be taken Wezz DeLaRosa Photography Tuesday, June 2nd, prior to our meeting starting at 11:30am.
- ★ **SAVE THE DATES!** - **Rotary at the Ball Park** – Friday, June 5th 6:30 Game Time. Tickets will be \$20 each which includes \$10 in Bandit Bucks for concessions! You, your family, friends, and guests are welcome. Baseball & Fireworks! Last chance to signup is next Tuesday! **Rotary At The Backwater Gamblers** AND **family potluck picnic**, Sunday, August 2nd. Rotary will provide chicken and beverages for the picnic in the shelter prior to the ski show. Yard and table games will start at 4:15pm and eat at 5:15pm. We will have a signup to attend coming in July for our chicken & beverage count.
- ★ **A LAUGH FROM BUD** – Relationships are a lot like algebra. Have you ever looked at your X and wondered Y?
- ★ **EARLY START NEXT WEEK** – President John announced today that he will be calling our meeting to order next Tuesday at 12 Noon. Please come a bit early to get through the lunch line and seated by 12 if at all possible. We will be having a very special “Rock Island Rotary Legacy” meeting honoring our members who have supported and worked as club members for a much as 51 years! Did you know that 33% of our members have been in our club for less than 3 years, almost half have 5 years or less. But we also have 15 members with more than 25 years of membership, 11 with 35 or more years of membership and 7 with more than 40 years of membership. Wonder what meetings were like 30 years ago. You’ll get a small taste and lots of fun next Tuesday!
- ★ **HAVE ITEMS FOR OUR NEWSLETTER?** – Our newsletter goes out via email every Tuesday afternoon. Send to, bobdebswanson@att.net.

The Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND: High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian’s occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian’s personal, business, and community life;

FOURTH: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

The Four-Way Test

(of the things we Think, Say or Do)

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

MAY ROTARY BIRTHDAYS

Jen Osing	May 1	Wezz DeLaRosa	May 13
Brett Hitchcock	May 2	Christine Murdock	May 16
Beth Kauzlarich	May 5	Ann McIntyre	May 21
Ruth Lee	May 6	Cindi Gramenz	May 24
Angela Campbell	May 9	Eric Westphall	May 28
Kimberly Calhoun	May 11	Chuck Sorensen	May 30

Fred Houlton Scholarship— Continue from page 1

Tyler has earned a 3.8 grade point average on a 4.0 scale. He is a Charles O. Austin, Jr. Scholar, having earned a grade point average above 3.5 for every semester of his high school career. Tyler is one of the most talented musicians at Rock Island High School, earning a spot in the prestigious Chamber Choir and in the Pride of Rock Island Marching Band where he served as drill sergeant of the percussion section and was section leader. Rocky's band won "Best Percussion Section" at almost every competition during his senior year. As a member of the Chamber Choir Tyler performed at nursing homes, senior centers, schools, and community organizations, including Rock Island Rotary. Tyler is also a dedicated member of Scouting America, having earned the Eagle Scout Award and served as Senior Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Instructor, Camp Councilor, Leadership Development Training Chair, and OA Representative. Tyler's commitment to Community Service is evidenced by his participation in trash pickups at local parks, sorting school supplies at the beginning of the school year, and planting trees at forest preserves. His Eagle Scout service project that he proposed, planned, and executed as a Rocky freshman was remodeling the high school band room and adding trophy shelves made from reclaimed bleacher seats. The total time logged from planning to execution was 235 hours. The project was an immense success and will be enjoyed by generations of future Rocky band students. For the past two years he has been interning as a student director with the Washington Junior High School band program. Working with their two band teachers, Tyler has served as a teacher and has used his skills to help to maintain and repair drums and other percussion instruments. While students are on break or not in the classroom, he has replaced drumheads, cords, and done general cleaning. Without these repairs the instruments could deteriorate and end up costing the band thousands of dollars to replace. Recently his teacher mentors at Washington invited Tyler to conduct the Washington Band in their finale performance of the 2026 school year. Tyler is a member of Edgewood Baptist Church and serves as the Camera/Livestream technician devoting three to four hours every month. For the past three years he has worked at Loud Thunder Scout Reservation on their camp staff working as a Dining Hall Stuart, Handicraft Assistant and Handicraft Director. Tyler also holds a part-time job at Pizza & Subs in Rock Island where he has done everything from washing dishes, making pizza, helping customers, and delivering food. Next fall Tyler intends to study Music Education at Illinois State University with the ultimate hope of becoming a music teacher and band director.

Rock Island Rotary is pleased to present the 2026 Fredrick L. Houlton Service Above Self Scholarship to Tyler Whitten. We are confident his commitment to service will grow and benefit countless students as his education and future teaching career unfolds.

Jordan EarlyAct – Continued from page 1



The winning family and their guests were treated to a fun night of making pizzas, playing games, making an art project, and receiving manicures by EarlyAct members. EarlyAct members also

spent an afternoon hanging lights at the Quad City Botanical Center for the annual Winter Nights Winter Lights exhibit. Rock Island Rotarians Bud Phillis and Bob Swanson paid EarlyAct a visit and the kids learned about the LifeStraw Water Filters that Rotary provides for children in Kenya. EarlyAct members saw the filter in action and got to sample the purified water. In April Early for Earth Day, EarlyAct ordered sapling trees available free through the Neighborhood Forest Program and distributed them through the neighborhood to all wanting to have a new tree for their yard.



From November through April, EarlyAct partnered with Midland Davis and the Millions Can Recycling Contest competing with schools across the nation to collect and recycle aluminum cans. Club members visited younger classrooms at Jordan and shared a



story about recycling and taught the younger children about the recycling. The club also collected a giant tub full of pop-tops which just this month

were donated to the Ronald McDonald House at the University of Iowa Children's Hospital. When rain wiped out a planned Easter Egg Hunt for the Jordan Kindergarten Class, the EarlyAct Club jumped into action and hid the eggs throughout the school library so the kindergarten kids could enjoy an indoor, dry, egg hunt. EarlyAct also made and delivered encouraging treats for all grade levels at Jordan prior to the annual standardized testing. Club members also joined with others to help with two major school wide fundraisers. For the annual Olde Towne Bakery fundraiser, The EarlyAct Club packaged and delivered the orders throughout the school. For the annual Jordan Golf Outing fundraiser, the EarlyAct Club stuffed all the "Goodie Bags" that were given to the golfers. Rock Island Rotary is extremely proud of the Jordan EarlyAct Club and celebrate their 10th year of actively serving their school, community, and the world. We are particularly appreciative of their faculty sponsors, Jenn Heckenkamp and Katy Saucedo who devote countless hours and energy to ensure that kids have a fun experience, a wholesome learning experience, and gain an appreciation for the importance of "Service Above Self."

Kevin Says, Don't Forget To Make Your Pledge!

Birdies Chairman Kevin Koski struck again today with “Music for the Birds”! We heard “Aura Lea” an 1861 Civil War era song (there is mention of a “Blackbird in a Willow Tree”). Elvis later changing the words and had a hit “Love Me Tender”. Kevin reported eighteen pledges have been received on our way to a goal of 38. We have over 103 members. If your one of the 85 members who have not pledged, please consider doing so. It is quick and can be as inexpensive as you want it to be. Pledge \$10 or \$20 dollars. Every bit helps. Your pledge comes directly to our club plus a John Deere bonus. See the **pledge form on page seven.**



FINES & HAPPY DOLLARS

Julie did a great job today bringing in funds for Club charitable giving. She fined Eric Westphall and Amber Wood for leaving early, and John Olinger, Geno DelPreore, and Monta Ponsetto for being spotted at the Farmer's Market. Kevin Koski had a bunch of happy dollars celebrating his granddaughter Quinn Koski who won the “Invention Convention” 3rd Grade State Championship for her “BusterNutBar” that keeps squirrels from damaging the family's wood deck. Quinn will advance to National competition representing Illinois. Congratulations! John Phillips had a happy dollar for the White Sox beating the Cubs 2 out of 3 last week. Steve Morenz joined in that Happy Celebration. Katie Resig had a happy dollar for a recent visit with her son in Tulsa and bringing her daughter home after a successful freshman year in college. Monta Ponsetto had a Happy Dollar celebrating the Rock Island Milan Education Foundation handing out \$250,000 in scholarships last week! Great job Monta and thanks to our community for generous support of the Education Foundation. Sue Rector celebrated CASI raising \$200,000 in their recent fundraiser and Cindi Gramenz had a happy dollar for Christian Care who hosted their biggest Trivia Night ever last Friday. Steve Morenz sold almost a \$1,000 in 50/50 tickets! Finally Bud Phillis added five Happy dollars for Joran EarlyAct members being with us today.

FOUNDATION MINUTE

The news this week is from District 6000 (which includes the Iowa Quad Cities) where several clubs have been actively contributing to the mission of The Rotary Foundation. The report, explains: “This Rotary year our district received nearly \$40,000 from previous gifts to endowments. Those funds supported our club's community grants, gifting 100 books to a school library in Boone, Iowa funding beds for Sleep in Heavenly Peace in Ankeny, Iowa and helping to fund a Life Skills Program for Special Education Students in Chariton, Iowa.

The endowment fund, which allows donors to leave a lasting impact through outright gifts and estate planning, ensures that Rotary can continue its humanitarian work in perpetuity. Contributions to the endowment are invested, and a portion of the earnings is used each year to support Rotary programs. “The endowment represents Rotary's commitment to future generations,” said John Hewko, General Secretary of Rotary International. “Through the foresight and generosity of our donors, we are ensuring that critical programs addressing pressing global challenges will not only survive but thrive.”

As The Rotary Foundation approaches its 110th anniversary in 2027, the endowment serves as a testament to the organization's enduring dedication to making a difference. With its steady growth, the Rotary Foundation endowment is not just a financial asset—it is a promise of hope, resilience, and service to humanity. In 2023 alone, the Foundation distributed over \$400 million in grants and awards, touching lives in over 130 countries.

Rotary International Foundation Raffle



Today the raffle featured a 50/50 cash drawing and a bottle of fine wine. EarlyAct students assisted Bud Phillis in pulling tickets and announcing the winners. The first lucky winner announced was Katie Resig who took the cash and donated it to the Rotary International Foundation. The second winner taking home the wine was Eric Westphall. Congratulations to today's winners and thank you to everyone who purchased tickets.



ROTARY NIGHT AT THE BALLPARK!

FRIDAY, JUNE 5th – 5:30 GAME TIME

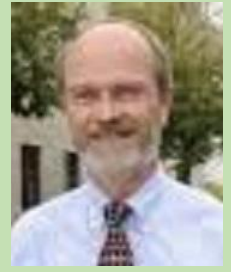
\$10 Bandits Bucks Card for use at concessions, carnival rides,

or Bandit's Store Items. Family and Friends are invited to purchase tickets at this excellent group rate! Do not miss the action and fun of professional baseball, The Bandits vs. The South Bend **CUBS**.

Next Tuesday is the last opportunity to sign up for tickets!

JOHN PHILLIPS – FOUNDATION TUESDAY

Today Foundation Tuesday concentrated on our local Rock Island Club Foundation. Club Foundation chairman, John Phillips thanked those who participated in last month's Million Dollar Milestone which successfully push our Foundation past One-Million-Dollars in assets! John asked those who have not already done so to see him about making arrangements for paying the pledge. He also noted that members who did not pledge are still need and can do so through the Birdies for Charity drive currently underway. All funds donated to our Birdies campaign are returned to the Club Foundation along with a bonus donation from the John Deere Charitable Foundation.



ARE YOU A POLIO PLUS SOCIETY MEMBER?

If not, you can be. See the signup form attached as page 8. The Polio Plus Society designates Rotarians who have agreed to pay \$100 each year until Polio is eliminated. (It is a voluntary charitable contribution so if your circumstances change and you are unable to continue your donations there is no penalty or dunning for payment.) Payments are made on a "Rotary Calendar Year" so donations for 2025-28 if not already made, are due by June 30th.

Rotarians not yet a member of the Society can sign up any time by completing the form and returning it to our Foundation Chair, Sue Rector.

Here are the Rock Island Rotarians who are currently Polio Plus Society Members

Amber Wood	Angela Campbell	Bill Stengel	Anne McGlynn (continued by Fred)
Bob Swanson	Cindi Gramenz	Bud Phillis	Danielle Scott
Duncan Cameron	Eric Westphall	Forrest Meyer	Fred & Virginia Houlton
Frank Lambert	Gary Rowe	Howard Beck	John Oliger
Jeff Dismer	John Phillips	John Wetzel	Kathy Lelanek
Justin Peterson	Luis Moreno	Marcy Bell	Mary Fislar (Continued by Dick)
Mark Mayeski	Molly Shattuck	Monta Ponsetto	Rick Devinney
Pete Wessels	Sue Rector	Tammy Weikert	Tracy Pugh
Tom Hammar	Wezz DeLaRosa		

What is Truly Meant by Becoming a Paul Harris Fellow?

A majority of our members are Paul Harris Fellows and many of them have designated members of their family, close work associates, and friends they highly respect as Paul Harris Fellows. But what does it really mean.

There are many recognitions in Rotary. Medals, certificates, badges, ribbons, and titles long enough to make your name badge look like a shipping receipt! But there is something just a little different about a Paul Harris Fellow recognition. A Paul Harris Fellow is one of Rotary's most special honors and it's not about the pin or about how much was donated. It's about being recognized.

For those outside the Rotary world, the Paul Harris Fellow was established in honor of Rotary founder Paul Harris and recognizes contributions made to The Rotary Foundation. Traditionally, a donation of \$1,000 to the Foundation is linked to the recognition. Sounds simple enough on paper. A pin, a certificate, a handshake, maybe a slightly awkward photo while someone tells you to "move a bit to the left near the banner."

But emotionally! It's much more than that. Because when somebody chooses to recognize you with a Paul Harris Fellow, what they are really saying is: "We see you." "We appreciate you." "We notice what you do, even when you think nobody else does." And in a volunteer organization like Rotary, where so much happens quietly behind the scenes, that means a lot.

Most Rotarians don't do what they do for awards. If we did, we probably chose the wrong hobby. There are easier ways to spend evenings than sitting through committee meetings, discussing the roster for who is help with the club project and whether the raffle tickets were counted correctly. Yet people continue to show up.

And importantly, a Paul Harris Fellow isn't always about the loudest person in the room. Sometimes it's the quiet achiever stacking chairs at the end of the night. The person making welfare calls. The one who never seeks the spotlight but keeps the wheels turning anyway.

That's why receiving a Paul Harris Fellow can hit people right in the heart when they least expect it. It says your contribution mattered. Your kindness mattered, Your leadership mattered, Your humanity mattered.

That's the magic of Rotary at its best. A Paul Harris Fellow pin may only be small, but the feeling attached to it can stay with someone forever.

Excerpted from an article by \Evan Burrell

OUR ROCK ISLAND ROTARY CLUB SPONSORS!



In Memory Of
Fred Luckenbill



Edward Jones
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING
Mark Mayeski – Rock Island



Rock Island Rotary



May 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Save the Date – Rotary at the Ball Park June 5 Save the Date- Backwater Gamblers Aug. 2	Support the RI Rotary Club Foundation through Birdies for Charity	Save the date for the End Polio Now District Walk on Oct. 24	Save the date for Service project – June 4 – RI Public Library Summer Reading Program Kick-off		1	2
3	4	5 Noon Meeting RIHS Entrepreneur Incubator Program	6	7	8 RYLA	9 District 6420 Training Assembly
10 Happy Mother's Day	11	12 Noon Meeting Mary Fislar Scholarships and Club Foundation program	13	14	15	16
17	18 Rotary Board Meeting Noon Studio 483 Conference Room	19 Noon Meeting Houlton Scholarship and Jordan EarlyAct Club	20	21 Birthday Books Earl Hanson 2:15 pm	22	23
24/31	25	26 Noon Meeting TBD	27	28	29	30

Programs: **John Wetzel** Invocations: **Linda Golden**

Rock Island Rotary

CHARITY SOLICITED FOR

937

BIRD NUMBER



I PLEDGE TO DONATE:

\$ _____ to the charity noted above.
(one time, flat donation amount) All pledges due by July 1, 2026.

GUESS THE BIRDIES TO WIN A TWO YEAR LEASE ON A 2026 LEXUS!

I guess that _____ birdies will be made.

*Only one grand prize will be awarded.
Void where prohibited by law. Guesses due to BFC office by July 1.*

BIRDIES SCORED BY YEAR	1,929 (2023)
1,918 (2017)	N/A (2020)
2,355 (2018)	1,905 (2021)
2,091 (2019)	2,041 (2022)
	2,102 (2025)

MAKE MORE MAGIC with the BONUS FUND

YES, I would like to make an additional donation to the Birdies for Charity Bonus Fund in the amount of \$ _____ to help provide the minimum 5% match to all participating charities.

PLEDGE & DONOR INFORMATION (please print)

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

PHONE AND/OR EMAIL _____

By providing an email, you are opting in to email updates from Birdies for Charity.

Please include payment & make checks payable to:
BIRDIES FOR CHARITY

WHY BIRDIES FOR CHARITY?

- Every cent you donate goes directly to your chosen charity!
- We will match your contribution by at least 5%, and up to 10% from our Bonus Fund!
- For your tax records, we are recognized as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization!
- By participating in the contest, YOU have the opportunity to win!

Simply make a one-time flat donation and mail with payment to the Birdies for Charity office at:

15623 Coaltown Road, East Moline, IL 61244

OR



BIRDIESFORCHARITY.COM/DONATE

KEEP FOR YOUR RECORDS

I pledged \$ _____ one-time donation.

I guessed _____ birdies would be made.

Payment was included with pledge

YES \$ _____ NO

CASH CHECK NO. _____

Please make checks payable to:

BIRDIES FOR CHARITY
15623 COALTOWN ROAD
EAST MOLINE, IL 61244

Quad Cities Golf Classic Charitable Foundation is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization, EIN #93-133242, doing business as John Deere Classic & Birdies for Charity.

Chip in for your chance to win!

When you chip in to support local charities, you could win big! But the real champs? Your beloved charities! They score 100% of every donation you make through this program, plus a sweet bonus from the Birdies for Charity Bonus Fund, which guarantees a 5% match. Talk about a win-win!

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS

To enter the contest, guess the number of birdies that will actually be made by PGA TOUR Pros during the tournament, Wednesday through Sunday.



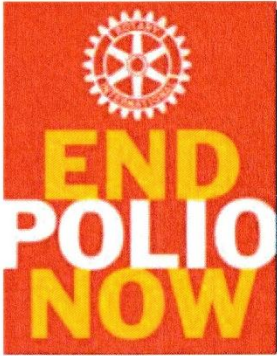
GRAND PRIZE: 2 YEAR LEASE ON A 2026 LEXUS!

One lucky supporter of the **LEXUS SMART LEXUS OF QUAD CITIES** John Deere Classic's Birdies

for Charity program will win a 2 year lease on a 2026 Lexus, courtesy of Smart Lexus of Quad Cities.

CONTEST RULES

- Only 1 grand prize awarded. Ties determined by random drawing
- Open to all participants 21 years or older & a U.S. licensed driver
- The grand prize shall only be delivered within or around the Quad Cities metropolitan area
- All guesses must be on an official pledge card & received at the tournament office by July 1.
- No pledge or purchase required. Need not be present to win.
- Winner responsible for all sales taxes, registration fees, license plate fees, & income taxes on all prizes, including local, state, & federal taxes
- Full list of official rules & details found at birdiesforcharity.com/about/contest



PolioPlus Society Membership Form

As a Rotarian and supporter of Polio Eradication, Rotary's #1 priority, I wish to participate in this humanitarian endeavor as a member of the PolioPlus Society of Rotary District 6420.

Therefore, I hereby commit to making an annual donation to the PolioPlus program of The Rotary Foundation as follows: (select one)

- \$100 per year** (minimum amount to become a society member)
- A contribution of \$_____ per year to PolioPlus** (more than \$100)

Society members will receive a PolioPlus Society membership pin and Paul Harris credit. You can choose to make your donation online at www.rotary.org/donate. Select the PolioPlus Fund annually or you can set up a recurring donation online. If you want to pay through your Club, checks should be made out to The Rotary Foundation with PolioPlus in the memo line. Please return this completed form to your Club Foundation Chair. Club Foundation Chairs should email a copy of your form to the District PolioPlus Society coordinator. Thank you.

District 6420 PolioPlus Society - Email to Sue Rector at srector3614@gmail.com

PolioPlus Society Membership

I pledge to contribute at least \$100 each year until the World Health Organization certifies that Polio has been fully eradicated and the world is polio-free. I do this because...

UNTIL THE LAST CHILD IS IMMUNIZED AND THE WORLD IS CERTIFIED POLIO-FREE, EVERY CHILD IS AT RISK.

Name _____

Signature _____

Club _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Date _____

Please check this box if you wish to remain anonymous for recognition purposes. Occasionally clubs, and our district, wish to celebrate commitments of members at meetings and conferences. We would like to celebrate your commitment!

Thank you!