

## FOUNDATION TALK

February 24, 2008

Hello everyone: Just two quick things this week -

1) a reminder about our Al Brooks 100% Sustaining Member club award, awarded to clubs who have obtained 100% sustaining member status AS AT April 30, 2008. These awards will be given out at the District Conference in Parksville during the Awards lunch. Please email me when your club reaches 100% status i.e. EVERY club member has contributed a minimum of \$100US to our Foundation. Let's make sure I need a wheelbarrow to take to the engravers!

2) another reminder about our PolioPlus Campaign in the month of March - Governor Norm has outlined the particulars in a message below and the instructions are self-explanatory. Please note that when you send in your contributions on behalf of members, *only ask RI for tax receipts if the donation is \$50 or more.*

Thanks to all of you for what your are doing for our Foundation and have a great week!

Joan

### District 5020 Spring PolioPlus Partners Initiative

PolioPlus partners is a Rotary Foundation program by which Rotary clubs, districts, and individual Rotarian may voluntarily assist in reaching Rotary's goal of a polio-free world. Contributions support the immunization activities of Rotary and its worldwide partners – World Health Organization (WHO), United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), and the US Center for Disease Control (CDC).

Beginning March 1, 2008 Rotary clubs, the district, and individual Rotarians can support this program. To submit all contributions two steps should be followed;

1. Use one of the forms noted below, complete it, and send a check/cheque to the appropriate address. In US dollars to: The Rotary Foundation, 14280 Collections Center Drive, Chicago, IL 60693 USA. In Canadian dollars to: The Rotary Foundation (Canada), Box 9322, PO Box 9100, Postal station F, Toronto, Ontario, M4Y 3A5. [Please note that Foundation tax receipts will only be issued for individual donations of \$50 or more.]

2. Then from US and Canadian clubs a note should be sent stating the total amount of the donation submitted to the Rotary Foundation to keep track of our \$ district contributions. Send this note to District PolioPlus Partners Chair, Peter Gooch, of the Rotary Club of Saanich.  
Rotarian Peter Gooch: [pgooch@shaw.ca](mailto:pgooch@shaw.ca)

If Rotarians ask how much should be donated, we would ask for a donation of \$20 per member, but every contribution is sincerely appreciated.

PolioPlus Partners Contribution Form

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