

Inspired by Service Fulfilled by Friendships



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The Heart of San Jose

Serving Our Community

San Jose Rotarians serve youth, the homeless and disadvantaged, arts organizations, senior programs and veterans groups in our community by volunteering our time, providing hands on assistance and leveraging our financial resources to support other nonprofit groups.

The RotaCare clinic at Washington School provides free medical care for those without medical coverage. The Rotary Club of San Jose has deep roots in the community and takes action wherever and whenever a need arises.





100 Years of Service

From installing the first street signs in 1915 to building the Rotary PlayGarden in 2015, the Rotary Club of San Jose has been at the forefront of efforts to build the infrastructure and social fabric of our community.

San Jose Rotarians have volunteered more than 3,000,000 hours of community service and have given more than \$5 million in direct grants to over 100 community organizations.



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Impact Your Community



Supporting Local Students is a Priority

Students in San Jose are the beneficiaries of many Rotary programs. Inner city third graders go fishing, fourth graders go on field trips, fifth graders get scholarships to science camp. Seventh and eighth graders visit The Tech. Students participate in service clubs sponsored at five different high schools. High school juniors attend our three day Enterprise Leadership Conference and scouts of all ages participate in several groups chartered by the Rotary Club of San Jose. At Washington Elementary School, San Jose Rotarians support the students, staff and families with clubs, scholarships, College Night and even a student exchange to China.



Humanitarian Service

Changing Lives Around the World

As part of a global organization with over 1.2 million members, the Rotary Club of San Jose has several international service committees that provide wheelchairs to the disabled, life changing Rotaplast surgeries, youth exchange programs and over \$300,000 to support Rotary International's efforts to eradicate polio.





Youth Exchange Programs



We Partner With Other Humanitarian Organizations

Rotaplast International – we have sponsored 13 medical missions that have performed more than 1,000 surgeries.

The Wheelchair Foundation – delivery of more than 1,000 wheelchairs to six different countries.

ShelterBox – has delivered our relief boxes to Haiti (hurricane), Pakistan (earthquake) and the Philippines (typhoon).

VNHELP – seven different projects bringing clean water and school furniture to schools in Vietnam.

KIVA – Micro Loans to 50 different countries.

Better Our World



Eradicating Polio

Since 1985, Rotary International has led the effort to eradicate polio in the world. The number of cases has fallen from 350,000 in 1985 to under 100 in 2015. Rotary, and our partners, are very close to eliminating this crippling disease.



Students Share China Exchange

San Jose Rotarians Make an Impact Around the World

In addition to sending hundreds of wheelchairs, ambulances, mammogram machines and medical equipment around the world for international projects, the Rotary Club of San Jose has also sponsored 13 international Rotaplast missions to repair cleft lips and palates.

We sponsored major relief projects in Slidell, Louisiana (Katrina) and Karaikal, India (tsunami), as well as sending assistance to Haiti, the Philippines and Pakistan following their natural disasters.

100 Years of Big Ideas



Rotarians are Community Builders





In San Jose We Have Built or Made Major Contributions to:

1915 - San Jose's First Street Signs

1922 - Downtown Drinking Fountains

1925 - Ryland Pool

1929 - Rose Garden Reflecting Pool

1936 – Alum Rock Park

1940 - USO Building

1958 - Happy Hollow Park and Zoo

1968 - Peralta Adobe Restoration

1975 - O'Brien's Candy Store Replica

1986 - Children's Discovery Museum

1990 - Gordon House Restoration

1992 - Morrone Gardens Senior Center

1996 - The Tech Museum

2003 - Rotary Summit Center

2015 - Rotary PlayGarden

Leadership + Fellowship



The Rotary Club of San Jose is a Leadership Organization

The Rotary Club of San Jose is the ultimate network. Our members include local business, professional and civic leaders.

We meet weekly, hear from great speakers and form lasting friendships.

It is our shared values of service and our friendship bonds that result in the Rotary Club of San Jose getting so much done in this community – and beyond.



90 Years of Rotary Barbecues

Club Mission

Engage San Jose leaders in meaningful service within our community and humanitarian projects around the world, while embracing opportunities for friendship and providing informative programs.

Fun and Friendship

More than 4,000 community leaders have shared the fun and friendship of being members of the Rotary Club of San Jose while upholding the ideals of service and high ethical standards.



What do you care about?

Impacting Your Community?
Creating a Better World?
Building New Friendships?

CONNECT - TAKE ACTION

Join Community Leaders Become a Member

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