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Students at the Bujjo Primary School in the Mpigi District of Uganda enjoy the lunch provided through a Rotary project supported by a Rotary Foundation Health, Hunger and Humanity Grant. The multifaceted project addresses vocational, educational, health, hunger, and economic development needs for nearly 4,000 villagers living in Kasamu-Kyali parish.



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The mission of The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

Cumulative	2008-09	\$223.8 million	\$2.395 billion
Annual Programs Fund	\$99.3 million	\$1.602 billion	
Permanent Fund	\$11.6 million	\$166 million	
PolioPlus Fund	\$109.7 million	\$601 million	
Other	\$3.2 million	\$26 million	
Program Awards and Operations	\$167.6 million	Since 1947: \$2.202 billion	
Arch C. Klumph Society	27	238	
Major Donors	1,311	11,416	
Bequest Society	524	6,623	
Benefactors	2,897	80,673	
New Paul Harris Fellows	61,998	1,188,782	

SUMMARY STATISTICS

As of 30 June 2009 in US\$ — 2008-09 data unaudited

Doing good in the world



THE ROTARY FOUNDATION
OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

2009 FACTS

PROGRAMS

PolioPlus. Rotarians have mobilized by the hundreds of thousands to ensure that children are immunized against this crippling disease and that surveillance is strong, despite the poor infrastructure, extreme poverty, and civil strife of many countries. Since the PolioPlus program's inception in 1985, more than two billion children have received oral polio vaccine. To date, 210 countries, territories, and areas around the world are polio-free, and 134 of these have been certified. As of June 2009, Rotary has committed more than \$881 million to global polio eradication. **2008-09 program awards were \$87.8 million.** (includes PolioPlus Partners grants)

Rotary's US\$200 Million Challenge is The Rotary Foundation's response to the two grants totaling \$355 million from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation to help eradicate polio. Every dollar given to PolioPlus will be counted toward the \$200 million match, which must be completed by 30 June 2012.

Health, Hunger and Humanity (3-H) Grants fund large-scale, two- to four-year projects that enhance health, help alleviate hunger, or improve human development. Since 1978, 340 projects in 78 countries have been funded at a cost of almost \$87 million. **In 2008-09, 16 new projects were approved. Program awards were \$3.4 million.**

Matching Grants provide matching funds for international service projects of Rotary clubs and districts. Since 1965, more than 30,000 Matching Grant projects in 199 countries have been funded at a cost of more than \$362 million. **In 2008-09, 1,560 new grants were approved for projects in 122 countries. Program awards were \$26.8 million.**

District Simplified Grants support the short-term service activities or humanitarian endeavors of districts in communities locally or internationally. This program began in 2003-04, and more than 2,300 grants have been awarded to 500 districts in 75 countries totaling \$35 million. **In 2008-09, 407 grants were approved. Program awards were \$7.2 million.**

Volunteer Service Grants support the international travel of qualified Rotarians and their spouses to provide a needed service to a community or to plan the implementation of a needed project. This program began in 2006-07, and to date 596 grants have been awarded to support travel to 76 countries at a cost of almost \$3 million. **In 2008-09, 167 grants supported travel to 52 countries. Program awards were \$0.7 million.**

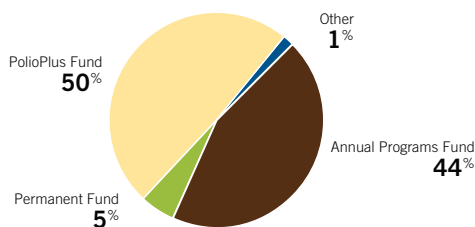
Rotary World Peace Fellowships. Each year, up to 60 fellows are sponsored to study at one of the Rotary Centers for International Studies in peace and conflict resolution for a master's-level degree. Since the program's inception in 2002-03, over 430 fellows from over 80 different countries have participated at a cost of more than \$27 million. **In 2008-09, 50 peace fellows from 33 countries began studies at the Rotary Centers totaling \$3.8 million for the two-year program; additionally, 36 received professional development certificates for a total of \$0.5 million.**

Ambassadorial Scholarships. The Foundation sponsors one of the largest international scholarship programs in the world. Scholars study in a country other than their own where they serve as unofficial ambassadors of goodwill. Since 1947, almost 40,000 scholars from over 130 countries have received scholarships at a cost of more than \$517 million. **In 2008-09, 651 scholars from 71 countries studied in 87 countries. Program awards were \$13.2 million.**

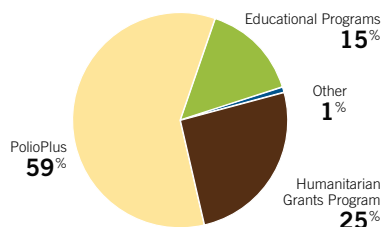
Rotary Grants for University Teachers are awarded to faculty members to teach in a developing nation for 3 to 10 months. Since 1985, over 500 university teachers have shared their expertise with a college or university in a developing country at a cost of \$5 million. **In 2008-09, 22 university teachers from 6 countries taught in 17 countries. Program awards were \$0.3 million.**

Group Study Exchange (GSE). These annual awards are made to paired Rotary districts to provide travel expenses for a team of non-Rotarians from a variety of professions. Rotarian hosts organize a four- to six-week itinerary of vocational, educational, and cultural points of interest. Since 1965, about 67,000 individuals (14,106 teams) from 202 countries and geographical areas have participated at a cost of more than \$105 million. **In 2008-09, 565 teams traveled abroad. Program awards were \$4.0 million.**

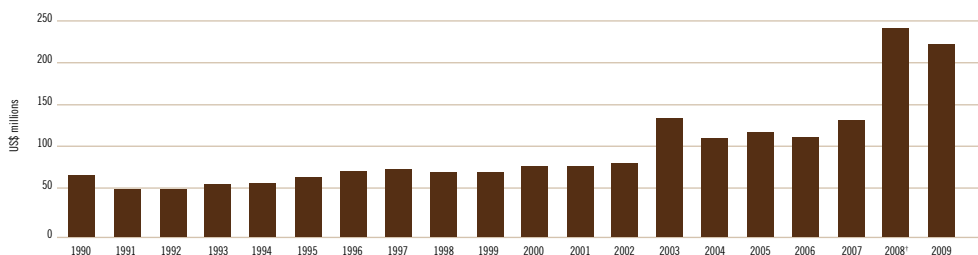
2008-09 TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS (\$223.8 million)



2008-09 PROGRAM AWARDS (\$149 million)



THE ROTARY FOUNDATION TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS OVER 20 YEARS



† Includes \$100 million and \$3.5 million grants for polio eradication received, respectively, from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and Google Foundation, both U.S. organizations.