

# Underground Weekly

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## Extra, Extra, read all about it!

Plans are being made for the Farewell Dinner of President Steve and the Induction of PE John. Please make yourself available to assist in the preparation.



## Last Meeting In The News: 3 May 2011 Business Meeting

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### Attendance—:

Present: 10      Make-up: 2      Apology: 1  
Silent: 0      Total:      Attendance: 93%

### Collections:

Sweep:	K120,000	Foundation:	K120,000
Late:	K15,000	Fines:	K110,000
Other:	K170,000	Total:	K535,000

### Visitors

None



## This Week In Rotary

District Conference News & Reviews

### Next Week

Our RI Convention Experience—PP Mike & PP Nozipho

### Duties for May

Grace: Julie  
Attendance: Leonard  
Sheriff: George

### Birthday/Anniversary:

### Rotaract:

Wednesday, 17:30hrs. at Chito's. Members wishing to visit, please feel free.

**Rotary Golf Shirts:** Please come prepared with your money at Business Meeting. Light Blue is the club color but if you wish more than one shirt and the second in a different color, let the secretary know. Sizes: M, L, XL, XXL K100,000 per shirt, K50,000 per cap

## Report from the District Grants Chair

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It is my pleasure to present the following report on the activities of the Clubs of D9210 over the last 10 months in relation to grants.

We began the year with US\$81,477.96 in DDF. We close the year with US\$10,902.96. The breakdown of the distribution is:

Matching Grant Projects:	US\$55,575
Scholars:	US\$10,000
Japan Tsunami	US\$ 5,000
Total distribution:	US\$70,575

Over the course of the grant application period, it was my privilege to oversee the review and approve 139 applications. Only one application was withdrawn. Currently there are 18 applications pending at The Rotary Foundation while 17 grants have been approved but remain unpaid. There are 69

grants open and paid while a total of 35 have been closed between July 2010 and the end of April 2011.

The total value of grants for the 2010-2011 Rotary year totals nearly K6,000,000 which is an increase of US\$500,000 from last year.

Sadly we have 17 interim and final reports outstanding thus bringing our World Reporting Status down from 86% in October to 77% the end of March. This kind of reporting will not clear D9210 for participation in the Future Vision Program come 2013. Let us clean up our grants and report in a timely fashion to The Rotary Foundation.

Otherwise, our District has seen a very successful year in Building Communities and Bridging Continents.

In Rotary Service,  
Sherry I. Coleman, DGSC

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## The Seven Habits of Highly Effective Rotarians

### ATTENDANCE:

They always make it a point to attend as many Rotary meetings of their clubs and also of other clubs, as is possible. They are aware that attending Rotary meetings is a very important part of being a Rotarian. They do not miss any chance to attend such meetings. They also attend meetings of various committees of which they are members and even some others if they are invited. They are keen to attend various district functions and all projects of their club. They are proud to attend the district assembly and the district conference every year. They would try to attend the Rotary convention at least once in five years.

### FELLOWSHIP:

They enjoy meeting other Rotarians. They often feel that in some of the Rotary functions meeting and exchanging greetings with others is often as important as actual transactions of the meeting. They go out of their way to talk to those whom they do not know. They go by the dictum that a stranger is a friend whom you have not yet met. Even outside Rotary they enjoy meeting people and getting acquainted with them. At large gatherings of Rotarians they try to meet members from other clubs, rather than fraternizing with members of their own club.

### VOCATION:

They have respect for every vocation. Vocation and classification are the basis of Rotary. They firmly believe that each vocation provides a cog in the wheel and each one has its own importance, however insignificant it may appear by itself in comparison with others. They firmly subscribe to the view that each person should try to excel in whatever he is doing and try to help others to reach a higher level of efficiency in their work.

### DISCIPLINE:

They believe that no useful work can be achieved in a productive manner without discipline, both within and outside. They appreciate the value of self-discipline because

they are aware that like charity, discipline begins at home. Not only do they practice discipline but will also enforce it when needed.

**TIME, MONEY AND ENERGY:**

They know that they are in Rotary for a purpose. They fully realize that they have to earmark a certain amount of time, money and energy for Rotary as a part of being a Rotarian. They also realize that they are members of a society where all these three items are to be shared for their vocation, family and the community. They see to it that a proper balance is maintained while rationing out these commodities.

**EMPATHY:**

They put themselves in the position of the other person, especially if the other person is in difficulty. They know that mere sympathy is never enough. They feel the pain and experience difficulties of others themselves. They also understand that what they are doing for the community is merely returning a very small part of what they have received from it. They know that it is only human to expect some kind of recognition for what they are doing but do not hanker after getting credit for it.

**IMAGE OF ROTARY:**

There may be moments when they feel that all is not right with Rotary. They may feel that there is 'politics' in Rotary. They know that there are some elements in Rotary who should not be there. They, however, look at the good aspects of Rotary. In public and outside Rotary, they always make it a point to project the best face of Rotary. They would not like to let the public image of Rotary get tarnished.

This article was first written for Rotarians on the Internet (ROTI) and has been published in over 150 Rotary club bulletins and translated into French, Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, German and Thai languages after being on the ROTI site of internet.

Dr. Jagdish was a charter member of ROTI.

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**TRF Donor Recognition Totals**

With the important contributions of these generous donors, The Rotary Foundation is fulfilling its promise of creating a polio-free world, helping children and families live healthier lives through Rotary's Humanitarian Grants Program, and educating young people about cultures worldwide. Rotary World Peace Fellows are engaging in the study of peace building, which may allow them to participate in resolution efforts in some of the world's most challenging situations. Below are totals as of 31 March 2011. Learn more about the individual recognition that these donors receive.

- Arch C. Klumph Society members -- 304
- Major Donors -- 13,548
- Bequest Society -- 7,522
- Benefactors -- 85,311
- Paul Harris Fellows -- 1,274,780

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**Upcoming**

- 10 May District Conference News & Reviews
- 11 May Club Admin/Membership/Public Relations Meeting
- 17 May Our RI Convention Experience—PP Nozipho & PP Mike
- 18 May Service Projects/Rotary Foundation
- 24 May RI Convention Update—News from Abroad (Coleman's)
- 31 May Fellowship Night

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**District Conference—Siavonga, April 2011**

**Pictorial Overview**

*Opening Ceremony with guest of honor Festus Mogae', past president of Botswana:*



*RIPPR Sam Owori of Uganda*



*Rtn. Paul enjoying some traditional dancing*



*PP Mike receiving Paul Harris Fellows Recognition*



*The end of a lovely evening on Lake Kariba*



*Photographs courtesy of PAG Moses Machula, RC of Kitwe*

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| Steve: 0966 768697    | David: 0955 861 230   |
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