



Dear Rotarian Colleague,

Yes, it's that time of the year again with Rotary International! The start of the **New Year** and the kick-off for the District 5150 **EVERY MEMBER EVERY YEAR** fundraising campaign!

Governor Bob has set his goal for the 2012-2013 Rotary Year of asking **EVERY MEMBER** in District 5150 to donate \$200 to The Rotary Foundation (TRF). This will be used in the future not only for international projects, such as Matching Grants and Peace Fellows, but also at the District and local level.

On Sunday, September 30th is our Foundation Event to be held in the Bay Model in Sausalito. It promises to be an evening of **FUN and FELLOWSHIP!** Prior to the event, every member is being given ten drawing tickets WORTH \$200—or \$20 per if sold as an individual ticket. That will be applied toward your TRF Annual Fund gift. You can either buy or sell the tickets and have a chance to win one or more of the great prizes! **SO SAVE THE DATE AND JOIN THE FUN!**

Please review the included forms that are being provided for your convenience. The first is the TRF Contribution Form. If you prefer to consider signing up the monthly or quarterly option using a credit card authorization for installment payments, then you can use the Rotary Direct (formerly TRF Direct) Form. After filling out the desired form based on your choice in the type and amount of contribution, please give everything to your Club Foundation Chair, who in turn will report your gift to The Rotary Foundation and send me a copy. If you have questions, feel free to contact either your Club Foundation Chair or I'll be happy to help.

Note: If you made a donation to The Rotary Foundation in any amount since July 1, 2012, or you use The Rotary Direct option, your Club Foundation Chair will give you the number of drawing tickets equal to your donation **FOR THE ENTIRE 2012-2013 ROTARY YEAR!**

Thanking you in advance for your commitment to the ongoing work of The Rotary Foundation. During 2012-2013 let's continue bringing **PEACE THROUGH SERVICE!**

Yours in Rotary,

Bob Pope

Annual Fund Co-Chair, 2012-2013

