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Coordinators Seminar Successfully Completed in Bucharest

Zone 20B - Zone 19P (New Zone 21) Coordination Meeting successfully completed on 21-22 June 2019 in Bucharest Marriott Hotel.



Coordinators Seminar Successfully Completed in Bucharest

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European Philosophy Rotarian Fellowship Actively Participated t...

"Western Philosophy" was the subject of the 3rd Symposium of the European Philosophy Rotarian Fellowship which took place in Hamburg on the occasion of the 2019 Rotary International Convention, with the participation of Rotarians from Greece, Italy, Germany, Austria, France, USA and others. RIDN Katerina Kotsali-Papadimitriou and DG 2470 D Dora Kemos addressed the participants. The Chair of the Fellowship, Rtn Th. Panagos DGE D 2470 welcomed and informed the participants on the future activities of the Fellowship. Rtn

Sergio Sernia, DGE 2120 D, Vice Chairman of the Fellowship spoke on «The Advent of Democracy in Greece and the Repercussions in Europe». Rtn Lorentzos Chazapis PDG 2470 D referred to «Ancient Greek Philosophers and the roots of modern Management» and Rnt Theodore Panagos, DGE 2470 D, spoke about «The Philosophical Thoughts of Umberto Eco». The Fellowship reserved also the 3701 Booth in the House of Friendship.

RI President Barry Rassin &...



European Philosophy Rotarian Fellowship Actively Participated to The Convention

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District 2482 Conference Completed Successfully in Pomorie

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District 2420 Conference Successfully Completed in Istanbul

District 2420 Conference successfully completed in Istanbul from 29 to 30 June 2019 at Swissotel Bosphorus Hotel



District 2420 Conference Successfully Completed in Istanbul

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Press Releases in ...



District 2420

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District 2451



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District 2482 ICC Meeting - Bulgaria - Slovenia - North Macedonia

District 2482 organised an ICC Meeting - Bulgaria - Slovenia - North Macedonia on 08 April 2019.



District 2482 ICC Meeting - Bulgaria - Slovenia - North Macedonia

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District 2452 Realised a Rotary Laboratory by a Global Grant in ...

District 2452 Successfully realised a Rotary Laboratory Project in Cyprus by a Global Grant. The opening ceremony held on 5 April 2019 with the participation of the President of The Republic of Cyprus.



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District 2452 Realised a Rotary Laboratory by a Global Grant in Cyprus

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District 2483 Conference Completed Successfully in Belgrade

District 2483 Conference successfully completed from 14 to 16 June 2019 in Belgrade.



District 2483 Conference Completed Successfully in Belgrade

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District 2430's Global Grant - Dialysis Machines to Akcakoca Sta...

Akacakoca Rotary Club of District 2430 successfully completed a Global Grant, providing 5 Dialysis Machines to Akcakoca State Hospital with Project Partners from Korea and USA.



District 2430's Global Grant - Dialysis Machines to Akcakoca State Hospital

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District 1913 and District 2483 E-Clubs had a Joint Online Meeting

Joint meeting of Rotary E-club of Serbia and Rotary E-Klub Hrvatska gathered Rotarians, Rotaractors and Interactors from 15 cities from Serbia, Croatia, Slovenia, Montenegro, Germany and Ethiopia. There was discussion about the projects, club activities and future cooperation.



District 1913 and District 2483 E-Clubs had a Joint Online Meeting

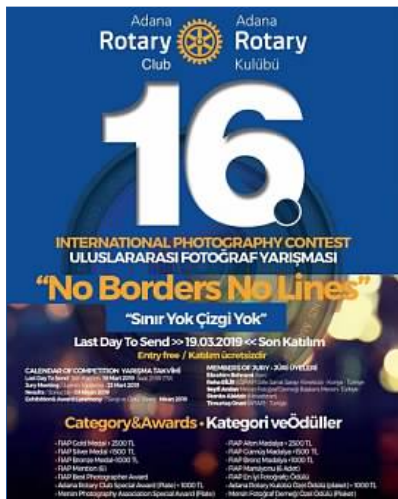
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110th Rotary International Convention Successfully Completed in...

110th Rotary International Convention is taking place in Hamburg from 1 to 5 June 2019. Before the Convention on 30-31 May, Peace Symposium, Rotaract Pre-Convention and Youth Exchange Officers meetings are organised. This year 25.000 Rotarians and Guests are expected. More information and content can be found at the following [web page](#)



110th Rotary International Convention Successfully Completed in Hamburg

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European Editors Meeting Took Place in Hamburg

30 Rotary magazine editors from around the world met in Hamburg from 30 to 31 May 2019 before Rotary International Convention.



European Editors Meeting Took Place in Hamburg

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District 2484 Took Action for Disabled

On May 10th, the President Anna Pavlidou and members of the Rotary Club Kavala West, proceeded to another solidarity movement, this time to the Kavala's Prefecture Association for People with Disabilities. A substantial amount of several thousand plastic caps was added to those of the Association's for the purchase of a wheelchair. This action started during the presidency of Vassilis Makris and was completed shortly before the current President's term expired



District 2484 Took Action for Disabled

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District 2482 DG Veselin Dimitrov Official Visit to Rotary Club Di...

District 2482 DG Veselin Dimitrov official visit to Rotary Club Dimitrograd



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District 2430 Founded 9 New Rotary Clubs in 2018-19



In 2018-2019 District 2430 founded 9 new Rotary Clubs and increased his membership figures from 2196 to 2494. 3 more Rotary Clubs are on the way. We congratulate DG Altan Arslan and his Team for this big achievement.



District 2430 Founded 9 New Rotary Clubs in 2018-19

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District 2482 - Visit to Mayor of Dimitrovgrad Municipality

DG Veselin Dimitrov and PDG d-r Lyuben Atanasov visited Ivo Dimov, the Mayor of Dimitrovgrad Municipality on 19 March 2019



District 2482 - Visit to Mayor of Dimitrovgrad Municipality

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District 2484 Donated Books to a Elementary School in Kavala

A donation of 100 books at the of the , was delighted to fulfill the Rotary Club of West Kavala. A delegation of members of the Group visited the school during the morning hours of May 8th, 2019 and gave books of material appropriate for primary school children. A few days ago, students, parents and teachers, refurbished one of the prestigious school's classrooms - an ornament from 1906 - and its shelves will host the books that the Group gave them. The President of the Rotary Club of West Kavala, Anna Pavlidou, thanked the Director of the Primary School, Mrs Penny Theodorou, the teachers and the students for the touching reception they put together, which included the presentation of dances and theatrical plays and congratulated them for the high quality educational work they provide. The Rotary Club of West Kavala will continue the Book Collection Action to enrich libraries inside and outside the .



District 2484 Donated Books to a Elementary School in Kavala

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District 2482 DG Veselin Dimitro Visited RC Razgrad

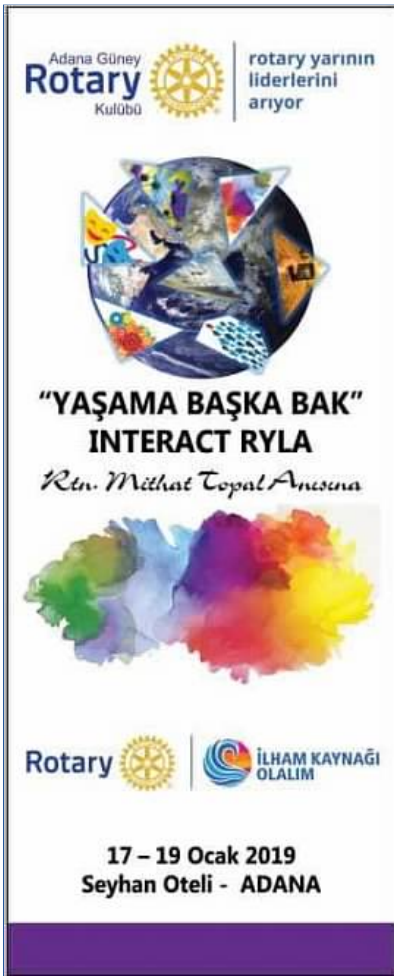
District 2482 DG Veselin Dimitrov, meeting RC Razgrad in March 2019



District 2482 DG Veselin Dimitro Visited RC Razgrad

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District 2482 - DG Veselin Dimitrov Visited RC Popovo

District 2482 DG Veselin Dimitrov visited RC Popovo in March 2019.



District 2482 - DG Veselin Dimitrov Visited RC Popovo

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District 2452 Took Care of Children at the Oncology Center

The Rotary club of Sulmaniya along with CSR society visited the Children Oncology Centre at the Salmaniya Hospital on Tuesday the 21st May 2019. The members wanted to spread love and joy to all children and families by distributing more than 100 educational gifts to patients and other visitors. The Rotary's aim is always Service Above Self, serving this beautiful Kingdom of Bahrain.



District 2452 Took Care of Children at the Oncology Center

May 27, 2019

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District 2430 Organised a Rotary Day to Promote Peace

Emek Rotary Club of District 2430 organised a Rotary Day in Ankara on 26 May 2019 to Promote Peace.



District 2430 Organised a Rotary Day to Promote Peace

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District 2452 Organised a Joint Gergaon Night

A joint Rotary club Gergaon night was organised on Monday 20th May at Nakheel Centre in Saar. The event was jointly organised by Rotary club of Sulmaniya, Rotary club of Manama, Nakheel Centre and the CSR society. Children from many charity organisation were invited to take part in a cultural Gergaon night. Around 200 children attended from various groups such as orphans, children with disabilities and children with terminal diseases. 240 gift bags were distributed containing traditional Gergaon sweets and nuts as well as 300 BD worth of EID gift vouchers. The Gergaon night program was filled with traditional Bahraini music and activities. A traditional Bahraini band was playing music and traditional dancing along with the wooden horse or "friesa". There was activities for children to enjoy such as face paintings, hena painting and snakes and ladders. Ladies were live cooking with traditional Bahraini food were happy to participate with the children.

District 2452 Organised a Joint Gergaon Night

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Congratulations District 2482 PDG Kalcho Hinov

On 18 May 2019 PDG of District 2482 Kalcho Hinov was presented with the Peace Tolerance Award by the Shimon Peres Center for Peace. He feels very honoured and has accepted it as a recognition for the work of all Rotarians in Bulgaria to promote peace, tolerance and understanding. Peace is one of the main goals of Rotary and we have to work for it, to invest in it and to trust in it. Tolerance and mutual understanding are steps on the way to peace and the Future is our greatest ally.



Congratulations District 2482 PDG Kalcho Hinov

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'Women are the Inspiration' Rotary Conference Successfully Co...

'Women are the Inspiration' Rotary Conference successfully completed on 19 May 2019 in Prague

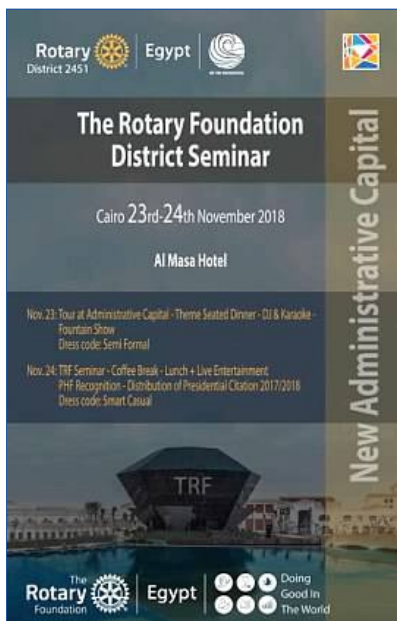


'Women are the Inspiration' Rotary Conference Successfully Completed in Prague

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April 29, 2019

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District 2420 Organised a Rotary Day in Istanbul

Atasehir Rotary Club of District 2420 successfully organised a Rotary Day from 4 to 5 May 2019 in Istanbul. Concerts, Live Performances, Food & Beverage Sales Stands, Activities for Children and Childrens Theatre, Activities, Kermess Stands and various Workshops are organised to promote Rotary to local Community.



District 2420 Organised a Rotary Day in Istanbul

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May 21, 2019

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District 2420 Organised a Ski Camp for Visually Disabled Children

Istinye Rotary Club of District 2420 organised a Ski Camp in Bursa Uludag Ski Resort for visually disabled children from 10 to 13 March 2019



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District 2420 Organised a Ski Camp for Visually Disabled Children

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District 2240 Conference Successfully Completed in Prague

District 2240 Conference successfully completed from 17 to 18 May 2019 in Prague.



District 2240 Conference Successfully Completed in Prague

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May 19, 2019

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District 2430 Conference Completed Successfully in Baku

District 2430 Conference Successfully completed from 2 to 5 May 2019 at Hilton Hotel in Baku Azerbaijan.



District 2430 Conference Completed Successfully in Baku

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May 12, 2019

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District 2482 Organised a Membership Seminar in Sliven

District 2482 successfully organised a Membership Seminar in Sliven on 20 April 2019 in conjunction with the Celebration of 20th Anniversary of RC of Sliven.



District 2482 Organised a Membership Seminar in Sliven

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Holger Knaack Named as Nominee for 2020-21 Rotary President

Holger Knaack, Rotary Club of Herzogtum Lauenburg-Mölln (Germany), appointed to serve as President of Rotary International in 2020/2021

<https://my.rotary.org/en/holger-knaack-named-nominee-2020-21-rotary-president>



Holger Knaack Named as Nominee for 2020-21 Rotary President

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District 2430 Ankara Bahcelievler RC's GG Project Successfully C...

District 2430 Successfully completed a Global Grant Project in Polatlı, Ankara. RIPR and TRFT SangKoo Yun visited the project site on 8 May 2019.

ECONOMIC - SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT ANATOLIAN WOMEN ENTREPRENEUR COOPERATIVE MILK AND CHEESE PLANT
The Rotary Global Donation Project was established under the leadership of Ankara Bahçelievler Rotary Club in Polatlı City, Ankara, TURKEY. With this big project, 5,000 people will have business and income. The project will open in 2019 May. The official opening of the project will take place within 3 weeks and announcements will be made within 2 weeks.

The cost of all machinery and equipment of this facility (95.450 USD) was met by Rotary. However, the economic size of the facility together with all the contributors is 2 million TL. The facility has 400 m² (4.305 ft²) closed area.

With this important project, a significant number of families in Ankara Polatlı will learn to process dairy products and develop their household economy in their region.

This project designed as a cheese production plant project by Bahçelievler Rotary Club. But, the project is also Economic and Social Development a model for women, peasants and young people in Turkey.

Ankara Bahçelievler Rotary Club President Rtn. Murat DOĞRU and his wife Nursun told about the project.

"Thanks to the project, approximately 5,000 people, including villages, learn quality milk production including villages, women entrepreneurs realize cheese and dairy products, and they develop a model for local cheese production techniques. Moreover, hygiene problems due to milk will be eliminated by this project. Thanks to the project, an annual value of TL 5 million will be provided in our country."

Women who do not have a job and skill have been employed and trained to produce cheese with this facility. Women will produce cheese, milk culture in the region will become widespread and the cheese they sell will provide a significant income for their family economy.

Moreover, the lack of hygiene in the dairy processing in the region will also eliminated. The plant will save community hygiene. The milk production and development model in villages will have a multiplier economy effect.

This giant project realized under the leadership of Ankara Bahçelievler Rotary Club. Project realized with the support of many international regions and clubs. Ankara Bahçelievler Rotary Club, International Rotary District 2430, International Rotary District 3650, International Rotary District 3630, Italy Augusta Rotary Club, İstanbul Fındıklı Rotary Club Mission Valley Sunset Rotary Club USA, Ankara Oran Rotary Club, Ankara Tandoğan Rotary Club, Ankara Gazi Rotary Rotary Club, Ankara Rotary Rotary Club, Ankara Kavaklıdere Rotary Rotary Club, Ankara Maltepe Rotary Club, Ankara Rotary Club, Ankara Anıttepe Rotary Club are contributed this important project.

The project has been visited by the Rotary Foundation's Board of Trustees Member and Treasurer, Rtn.SangKoo YUN and his wife Eunsun. Rtn.SangKoo YUN believed and supported the project at the beginning. The project, which was also supported by SangKoo himself. SangKoo was very happy to see that the project was over.

Rotary Foundation Treasurer Rtn.SangKoo YUN who does not hide his admiration in the project visit, said: Happiness and pride. This project is not a project that can only be done with money. The important thing is that a club performs this work as a family with heart and effort. Rotary is not just funds or money. Rotary is to touch people, Rotary is to reach out to people. You have done this work as a club by giving time, giving yourself the essence of the work. That's what is admirable, Rotary is not just money. Rotary Found Treasurer Rtn.SangKoo YUN said congratulations to Ankara Bahçelievler Rotary Club. He also said, this project could be a development model for milk and agriculture to the whole world.

Construction and furniture sector giant companies like KNAUF, has sponsored the project with gypsum board, wall partitions and furniture. The Development Agency paid the rent and expenses of the plant building place. In addition, many Rotarians personally donated to this meaningful project.

Past Governor Rtn. Malik AVIRAL and his wife, Mihriban, provided support the project with finding funding and supported the project at every stage. Malik Aviral said, "the project was a proud work. One of the biggest projects of Rotary in our country has been realized and we will welcome Rotary delegations coming from abroad to this facility in Ankara. Every person who sees here will see the greatness, power and contribution of Rotary to the public."

Past Director Safak ALPAY and his wife Deniz, whose are visited the project said, "This project is a Rotary success story. In my speeches, I will tell a Rotary story about Ankara Bahçelievler Rotary Club. I will use this meaningful project in my presentations and speeches. This project should be explained in Baku Conference also."

President of Ankara Bahçelievler Rotary Club Rtn.Murat DOĞRU said, First of all, this project is success of the Bahçelievler Rotary Club, all past contributors to the project, who contributed to the Foundation Committee Chairman Rtn. Abdullah KÜREĞİBÜYÜK, Head of Projects Committee Rtn. Erkan ULUKAN, my Rotary Education Leader Rtn. Emre ÖZTÜRK, Club Organizations Committee Chairman Rtn. Kadri GÜNEŞ, Rtn. Ömer Naci YUKARUÇ'a, Rtn. Arif MERDOL, Member of the Committee Rtn. Engin ÜNAL, I would like to thank all committees and committees. My Governor Rtn. Altan ARSLAN and Deputy Governor Rtn. Bekir Sıtkı ASLAN, the project's architect and creator of the big hearted people, a great Rotarian Rtn. Necil BÜYÜKPAMUKÇU and





his wife Feride, who support and support the project voluntarily. Past Governor Serdar ÜNLÜ and Nilüfer, the GDG who has won our hearts Rtn. Malik AVİRAL, Regional Foundation Chairman of the Committee Rtn.Hasan AKDUMAN and Rtn.Kemal DEMİR and all our committee member of our friendly family member of the Rotary Foundation Treasurer Rtn.SangKoo YUN and his wife Eunsun, my dear supporter always Nursun my son and my son Itc.Yigit Bora Thank you for a debt, he said.

The project will open in May.



District 2430 Ankara Bahcelievler RC's GG Project Successfully Completed

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District 2430 Produced a Special Video For World Polio Day

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Visit of TRFT SangKoo Yun to Distict 2430 GG Project

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District 2470 Conference Completed Successfully in Kamena Vo...

District 2470 Conference successfully completed from 2-5 May 2019 in Kamena Vourla.



District 2470 Conference Completed Successfully in Kamena Vourla (102)
May 05, 2019



District 2470 Conference Closing Ceremony - 5 May 2019 (122)
May 05, 2019

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Turkey-Germany ICC's Organised a RYLA Seminar in Kosovo

Turkey-Germany Inter-Counrty Committees successfully organised s RYLA Seminar from 11 to 14 April 2019 in the City of Prishtina - Kosovo



Turkey-Germany ICC's Organised a RYLA Seminar in Kosovo (4)
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District 2440 Conference Completed Successfully in Canakkale

District 2440 Conference successfully completed in Kolin Hotel from 2 to 5 May 2019



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District 2452 Conference Successfully Completed in Beirut

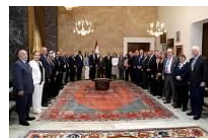
District 2452 Conference successfully completed from 1 to 4 May 2019 in Beirut, Lebanon. A Delegation visited the President of the State of Lebanon - Michel Aoun - Rotary delegation headed by Rotary International Representative John Hewko - Secretary General of Rotary International - on the sidelines of the Rotary District 2452 Conference - in Lebanon - chaired by the Governor Michel Jazar . A large delegation from Rotary Egypt attended the conference .

The leaders of Rotary in the delegation joined the visit of President Michel Aoun - the delegation included District Governor - Abdelhamid Awa - and past governors Assem Abd el Razek, Yasser Assem, Mayan Raslan, Hamada Zahran, and Governor Elect Sherif Waly . Congratulations to District governor 2452 Michelle Jazzar and to our colleague Jawad Mouawad, chairman of the conference's organizing committee - for the success of the conference and great organization.



District 2452 Conference Successfully Completed in Beirut (1)
May 05, 2019





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District 2483's Humanitarian Project Will be Repeated in USA

After the Rotarian humanitarian project "55 marathons in 55 days" organised in the District 2483 (Serbia and Montenegro) Goran Nikolić a sandblind athlete will continue his humanitarian and sports challenge. He will run 77 marathons in 77 days in United States. The aim of all these activities is rising funds for sport and athletic center for kids and youth with disabilities, in his born town of Kragujevac. At the begging of his project in US Goran met with the incoming RI President Mark Maloney



District 2483's Humanitarian Project Will be Repeated in USA

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District 2451 Floating Hospital Mega Project Realised with Grea...

District 2451- Egypt Mega Project - The FLOATING HOSPITAL

Our District had a dream; a world with healthy Kids who can eat healthy, play safe and enjoy a better life in any living conditions .

We aimed at developing kids throughout health and awareness , and educate kids, mothers and care givers on the right basics of general health and proper nutrition.

Our project is A Floating hospital - that cruises across the Nile through the south of Egypt - in some the most poorest Governorates in Egypt - A boat equipped with different medical clinics that can provide screening and checkups and Médecine to the most needy people that has no access to other medical outlets .

The historical launch event held in swan on Feb. 26th, 2019 in the authentic city of Aswan was honored with the presence of RIP Barry Rassin, H.E. Minister of Health and Population, H.E. Aswan Governor and a large crowd of top notch key official, social and business figures .

The period of launch was from March 1st to April 30th, 2019 .

The first Floating Hospital, in the MENA region powered by Rotary Egypt embarked towards a better future for our kids in the less fortunate Upper Egypt governorates including 8 Governortes - Aswan. Luxor, Qena, Sohag, Assiout, Menia, Beni Suef and Giza carrying on a crew of pioneers amounting a total of 800 doctors, consultants, nurses and more than 600 volunteers (among which Rotarians and Rotaractors) joined hands to provide primary and advanced medical services.

In parallel, awareness campaigns and vocational training took place on ground catering for spreading awareness and correct misperceptions related to the kids right mental, physical and psychosocial development. Our main focus was kids from one day to 12 years as well as mothers, nurses and care givers all benefiting of the 18 medical units including specialized clinics, laboratory, scan center and pharmacy besides two conferences rooms on board for training and awareness

We exceeded the target number of beneficiaries (amounted at 50,000 pax) to reach out a total of 66,000 kids diagnosed and treated besides more than 200 awareness sessions conducted in eight governorates covering right nutrition, general health care, early literacy and special needs and a total number of 2,450 nurses and doctors enrolled in the training programs.

Primary health care covers the specialization of Pediatric, Audiology, ENT, Dermatology, Nutrition, Special Needs, Pediatric Surgery, Productive Health, Diabetes & Endocrime, Cardiology, Pulmonary, Ophthalmology, Orthopedic, Scoliosis, Allergy and Immunity, Neurology besides an in house laboratory, scan centre and pharmacy who issued over the whole project more than 850,000 medicines. Advanced health care covers surgeries and compensations tools including eye glasses, hearing aids and artificial lemps scheduled to be delivered and conducted during the period of May-Dec. 2019.

The Rotary Egypt Mega Project was conducted under the auspices of the ministries of health and population, Tahia Misr Fund as well as 62 partners including NGOs, corporate, multinationals, medical entities and official bodies.

It was widely covered by Media - Press - TV interviews and all Social Media tools .



District 2451 Floating Hospital Mega Project Realised with Great Success

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District 2484 Launched a Medical Examination Program

District 2484 (Northern Greece) of Rotary International implemented a 10-days free preventive medical examination program for poor people. The program was implemented in cooperation with the Municipality of Thessaloniki, Prefecture of Macedonia, the Orthodox Church of Thessaloniki and the Thessaloniki HELEXPO from 10th to 20th of April. Thirty three doctors Rotarian and non-Rotarian took place in the program. This program will be continued after the District Conference in the Cultural Centre Hall of Thessaloniki's Municipality.



District 2484 Launched a Medical Examination Program

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District 2484 Donated a Playground to a Childrens Day Care Ce...

Kavala-West Rotary Club of District 2484 in the frame of its continuous social offer to the local community donated a playground to the children's day care center of Zygos in the city of Kavala on March 29th. The inauguration ceremony had a large media coverage

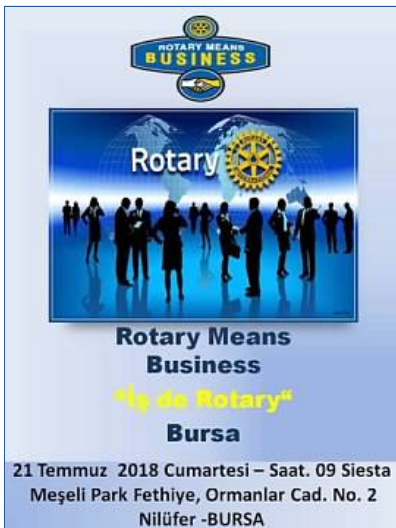


District 2484 Donated a Playground to a Childrens Day Care Center

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2019 COL Successfully Completed in Chicago

2019 Council on Legislation, the "Parliament" of Rotary took place in Chicago Illinois USA from Sunday 13th thru Thursday 18th April 2019. Representatives of Rotary Districts approved changes that will influence the future of Rotary. Among the most important, the Council elevated the status of Rotaract. Rotaract Clubs may seek admission to membership in R.I. The change intends to increase the support that Rotaract Clubs receive from R.I. and intensify their commitment to serve. Representatives voted also to preserve club flexibility



2019 COL Successfully Completed in Chicago

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District 2470 Article on The Rotarian Magazine April Issue

Congratulations to RC Korinthos Rotary Club of District 2470 for the blood donation in favor of the victims of the wild fires in Attica in July 2018. A related article appears in The Rotarian of April

District 2470 Article on The Rotarian Magazine April Issue

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April 24, 2019



Videos from District 2420



District 2420 Word Polio Day Activity Edit | View video



End Polio Now Activity with Barry Rassin Edit | View video



District 2420 Sponsoring Free Diving World Record for Disabled Edit | View video



Canakkale RC Dardanelles Swimming Competition Edit | View video

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Videos from District 2430



World Polio Day Video Edit | View video



DG Altan Arslan on Merkez TV Edit | View video



DG Serdar Unlu On Air Edit | View video



District 2430 Summer Camp for Autistic Children Edit | View video



District 2440 - DG Serdar Unlu on Kanal 52 Edit | View video

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Videos from District 2440



2018-19 Activities Edit | View video



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District 2430 PETS and Training Assembly Successfully Complet...

District 2430 PETS and Training Assembly successfully completed from 10 to 14 April ain Xanadu Holiday Resort in Antalya. [Dropbox Link](#)



District 2430 Training Assembly Photo Album (265)
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District 2430 PETS and Training Assembly Successfully Completed (249)
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Dubrovnik Rotary Institute 2019 Web Site is Now Online

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TRF Chair-Elect Past RIP Gary Huang Visited Turkey

TRF Chair, Past Rotary Internatinal President Gary Huang and his spouse Corinna visited District 2420 and District 2430 from 7 to 13 April 2019



32nd Dardanelles Swimming Competition

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32nd Dardanelles Swimming Competition Promotion

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Uludag RC - 11th Cross Races among Students

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Manisa RC Bicycle Tour 2017

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District 2440 - DG Lutfi Demir on TV

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District 2440 - TV Program on Tophane RC Bicycle Tour

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District 2470 on TV

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District 2440 - Tophane RC Bicycle Tour



TRF Chair-Elect Past RIP Gary Huang is Visited Turkey

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RLI Meeting Held in District 2482 Sofia

Rotary Leadership Instiyute RLI Representatives from all over Zone 19P and 20B gatheted in Sofia from 5 to 6 April 2019.



RLI Meeting Held in District 2482 Sofia

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April 14, 2019

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District 2484 PETS Completed Successfully

The P.E.T.S. for the year 2019-2020 was organized with great success by the Rotary Club of Larisa East, in the city of Larisa on Saturday 23rd and Sunday 24th of March . The venue was the Hotel Metropol. Incoming officers of the Rotary Clubs from the Ionian Islands, Epirus, Macedonia, Thrace, the North Aegean Islands and Thessaly attended the training seminars and interactive workshops. On Saturday night a Gala dinner took place , attended by the following representatives of the local authorities: father Vissarion representing the Metropolis of Larisa and Tyrnafos, the thematic (health issues and policies) Regional Vice Governor Pinakas Vasilios, the Vice Mayor (Cultural and Training affairs) Sapkas Panagiotis, the Consul of the Italy for Thessaly Mrs. Tsopela Katia, the 2484 R.I.D. Governor Rotarian Aspasidis Theodoros, as well as the P.D.G's Apostolopoulos Demosthenes, Kouzinoglou Nikolaos, and Makris Vasilios. In his closing remarks incoming D.G. Aristoteles Apostolidis urged the attendees to strive to make a reality the 2019-2020 moto: "Rotary Connects the World"



District 2484 PETS Completed Successfully

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District 2440 PETS and Training Assembly Successfully Completed

District 2440 Presients Eect Traiing Seminar and Training Assembly successfully completed from 4 to 7 April 2019 in Altinyunus Holiday Resort, Cesme - Izmir



District 2440 Training



District 2440 PETS - 4 April 2019



District 2440 PETS - 5 April 2019


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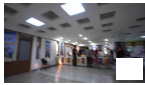
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Assembly - 6 April 2019

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District 2420 Training Assembly Completed Successfully

District 2420 Training Assembly successfully completed on 30 March 2019 in Istanbul with an record attendance of more than 900 participants.


District 2420 Training Assembly Completed Successfully

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Tirana Public Image Seminar Successfully Completed

District 53 & 55, Albania and Kosovo sSuccessfully organised a Public Image Seminar on 23 March 2019 in Tirana Albania under the auspices of RIDN-RPIC Katerina Kotsali-Papadimitriou. The initiative belongs to R.I.President Representative PDG Murat Celik. Attendance by Rotarians and Rotaractors has been significant. ARPIC-PDG Gunes Ertaş, 2470 RID DPIC-PDG Maria Delivoria and Rtn Dr Shkelzen Marku delivered inspired presentations while during the innovative workshops participants had the opportunity to interact and obtain significant information on Rotary's Public Image. Congratulations to RIPR-PDG Murat Celik to DPIC Agnesa Vuthaj and to the Organizing Committee, for the excellent performance of the Public Image Seminar and heartfelt thanks to Albanian Rotarians for their warm hospitality. Please visit this [link](#) for Seminar Coverage


Tirana Public Image Seminar Successfully Completed

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District 2420 Organised a Ski Camp for Visually Disabled

Istinye Rotary Club of District 2420 Successfully organised 16th Ski Camp in Uludag, Bursa for visually disabled.


District 2420 Organised a Ski Camp for Visually Disabled

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New Rotary Rotary Clubs Chartered in District 2430


Charter Ceremony of District 2430 Ankara Tunalihilmi RC

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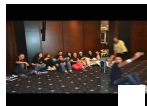
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Rotary Egypt District 2451, Multi District Membership Seminar 2016 2017

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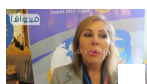

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Charter Ceremony of District 2430 Adana Taskopru RC

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Charter Ceremony of District 2430 Ankara Yeni Mahalle RC

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District 2470 Training Assembly Completed Successfully

District 2470 On Sunday March 17th , DG Dora Kemos opened the business of the General Assembly and then DGE Theodoros Panagos analyzed the President's Mark Daniel Maloney Theme ROTARY CONNECTS THE WORLD and referred to the objectives of the District for the Year 2019 -20, presenting its Strategic Plan. During the General Assembly, D 2470 PDGs with inspired presentations highlighted the importance of Membership, The Rotary Foundation and Public Image. Also the members of the Electoral Committee of the 59th District Conference and the members of the Special Account Committee were elected, while in the afternoon of the same day a Rotaract Seminar was held



District 2470 Training Assembly Completed Successfully

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March 26, 2019

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District 2484 Rotaractor Participated to RI Assembly in San Diego

On Wednesday, 20th of February, during a Rotaract meeting which was organized by the Rotaract Club of Thessaloniki East, was held the New Year's pie cutting of the Rotaract clubs of Thessaloniki in the presence of the DG of District 2484 Rtn. Theodoros Aspasidis and the President of the RC of Thessaloniki East, Rtn. Christos Karakostas. The lucky winners of the gold coin were the Rotaract . club of Thessaloniki Anatolia, along with the Rotaract . club of Panorama. During the meeting we had the pleasure to host as a speaker the New Generations Youth Services Committee Chair of District 2484 Foteini Papadimou. She gave a speech with the title: "What I've Learned from My Trip to America" where she presented her experience of the training she received during the Rotary International Assembly 2019 in San Diego as one of the 60 Rotaractors who invited by the RI President to train along with the District Governors. In the end, two new Rotaractors joined the Rotaract . club of Thessaloniki East.



District 2484 Rotaractor Participated to RI Assembly in San Diego

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Rotary Zone 21

District 2470. The PETS of the 2470 District for the Rotarian Year 2019-20 took place in Athens on March 15th-16th 2019. The training of the Assistant Governors took place on Friday March 15th and the following day the business continued with the training of Assistant Governors, R.C. Presidents Elect and the Chairs of the District Committees. During the Seminars, 2470 D PDGs developed issues related to Growth and Expansion, Rotary Foundation, Public Image and Youth. All the best to incoming District Leaders



District 2470 PETS Completed Successfully
March 26, 2019 (10)

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Rotary Foundation Trustee Örsçelik Balkan dies

Rotary Foundation Trustee Örsçelik Balkan, a member of the Rotary Club of Istanbul-Karaköy, Turkey, died unexpectedly on 6 March. Rotary Foundation Trustee Örsçelik Balkan was a member of the Rotary Club of Istanbul-Karaköy, Turkey. Balkan, a Rotary member since 1973, was the executive senior board director of the **EAE Elektrik Company**, a manufacturer of electrical products in Turkey and Russia. He was a developer in the field of renewable energy. He also taught strategic planning, effective communication, and project planning for an MBA program at Istanbul Kültür University. "Örsçelik was a Rotarian's Rotarian," says Rotary Foundation Chair Ron D. Burton. "He knew and loved Rotary and exemplified Rotary principles in everything he did. He always put others before himself. His Rotary work worldwide is a true testament to his commitment." He served Rotary as a district trainer, district governor, and RI director. He also served on numerous committees, including as chair of several. In 1999, he led disaster relief services in Turkey after a devastating earthquake. He also helped bring Rotary services to Bosnia-Herzegovina and initiated a heart surgery project for Iraqi children. He convened Rotary Presidential Peace Forums in Sofia, Bulgaria; Istanbul, Turkey; and Nairobi, Kenya. Balkan was recognized with the Service Above Self Award and the **Rotary Foundation** Citation for Meritorious Service. He and his spouse, Yasar Afet, were Major Donors and Benefactors of The Rotary Foundation. He is survived by his spouse, Yasar Afet, sons Aydin and Gökçe, and grandchildren Aylin and Ozan. Memorial services will be held in Istanbul and Aydin, Turkey, on 8-9 March.



Rotary Foundation Trustee Örsçelik Balkan dies
March 08, 2019 (3)

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RIP Barry Rassin Visited District 2451 Egypt

District 2451 - Egypt hosted RIP Barry Rassin, For a 3 days visit - celebrating the 90th anniversary of Rotary in Egypt -

The visit started with an encounter with Rotaract and Youth where

A Gala dinner was organized attended by 300 Rotarians , where a cake was made to celebrate the 90th anniversary of Rotary in Egypt .

RIP Barry Rassin delivered an inspiring speech on Youth Projects and Membership .

Major Donors were pinned from RIP Barry Rassin including PDG Hamada Zahran who was pinned as Major Donor level 4 .

RIP Barry met the youth of Rotaract & Interact & delivered an inspirational speech for them -while they presented a lively and motivating speeches , songs & dances .

The second day of his visit , RIP Barry , accompanied by District Governor Abdelhamid Al-Awa and his wife Fellow Rotarian Maryam Fayez and the Deputy Governor of Luxor inaugurated the Rotary Clubs Project, which is the development of Al Amir Village of Esna in Luxor.

The inauguration was attended by PDG Mayan Raslan, Governor Elect Sherif Wali, and a large number of presidents and Rotarians.

The project was coordinated by past president Ola al-Nouri, chair of the community service District committee . The project includes the installation 250 water extensions for 250 houses and the total reconstruction & renovation of 50 houses , installing toilets and sewage erosion . The houses were decorated by the people in accordance with their heritage with the technical support of the Faculty of Fine Arts, Helwan University and the decorative school in Luxor.

President Rassin , inspected the houses, the development projects and the distribution of goats to the families . He visited the medical convoys of the eyes and the heart , then handed over chairs for the disabled and blankets for the people .

65 clubs from Rotary Egypt participated in the project serving 3000 citizens at a cost of 3.5 million pounds On his 3rd day - RIP Barry moved to Aswan to inaugurate the project of Rotary Floating Boat hospital -

The minister of Health was present with the Governor of Aswan -

The project is coordinated by PP Inji Moneib and PP Sherif Abdel Aal -

The floating hospital sails to serve 8 Governorates within 2 months diagnosing , checking and Médecine offering to cure 10000 citizens mainly Mothers & children - and delivering training to women on the best hygienic means & tools for disease prevention -

The visit of RIP Barry was covered by several media channels and newspapers .

RIP Barry Rassin left Egypt with a high impression on projects , service and youth of District 2451- Egypt



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District 2470 - Visit of RIP John Germ to Athens

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RIP Barry Rassin Visited District 2451 Egypt

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District 2483 Celebrated 90 Years of Rotary in Serbia

Rotary District 2483 (Serbia and Montenegro) Celebration of the 90th Anniversary of chartering of the first club in the [Rotary District 2483](#) was organized on Saturday, March 2nd 2019. It was opportunity to show respect to the tradition of Rotary in this region, but also to thank to all Rotarians for their contributions to the Rotary Foundation and deliver to them their PHF pins. Rotarians from the District 2483 hosted at this event representatives of Serbian Ministry of Education, IT companies participating in the project of digitization of schools, ambassadors of United States and Bosnia and Herzegovina, and young talents recipients of the Rotary scholarships. The results of the Global Grant "100 for 100" with 500 hundred computers for primary school were presented by the [Vladimir Matić D2483 Governor 2018 - 2019](#).



District 2483 Celebrated 90 Years of Rotary in Serbia

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March 09, 2019

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First Public Image Seminar in Kazakhstan Successfully Completed

District 2430 The first ever Rotary's Public Image Seminar in Kazakhstan successfully completed in Almaty under the auspices of DG Altan Arslan on March 1st 2019. RIDN- RPIC Katerina Kotsali-Papadimitriou, ARPICs Vesna Baltezarevic and Gunes Ertas and DPIC Tijen Turelli , travelling from far away participated as speakers. High-level presentations covered all main topics of Public Image and an interactive session gave the opportunity to exchange ideas and highlight the importance of Public image in a country where all efforts should focus on increasing membership. D 2430 Rotaract Representative Batuhan Berk Yasar, Rotaractors from Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan attended the Seminar bringing hope for the future of Rotary and Rotaract in the area. Congratulations to the President of RC Almaty Tokyn Ablidayeva and the organizing committee for the excellent performance of the sessions . Heartfelt thanks to all local Rotarians, to the President of Almaty Rotaract Club Ksenia Khivintseva and the Rotaractors for their warm hospitality that made our visit to Kazakhstan an unforgettable experience.

Please click this [link](#) for Seminar Coverage



First Public Image Seminar in Kazakhstan Successfully Completed

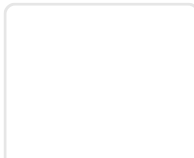
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District 2470 Supported Firefighters

Pendeli Rotary Club of District 2470 offered through a District Grant twelve special suits with the Rotary logo to the volunteer fire-brigade of Rafina. The brave volunteer fire-fighters risking their own life saved many people during the disastrous wild fires in Eastern Attica in July 2018, where we mourned one hundred victims.



District 2470 Supported Firefighters

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An Exciting Year Ahead - Esther Rassin, Partner of the RI President-elect Edit | View video



You are the Leader - Jeffrey Cadorette Edit | View video



The Future of Membership- Larry A. Lunsford, Membership Development Committee Chair Edit | View video



Leadership - John Hewko, RI General Secretary Edit |
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Core Values - Michael Colasurdo Sr., Past RI Director Edit |
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Turkish Rotarians Raised Funds for Education at Runatolia Marat...

Around 120 Rotarians from Turkish Districts participated to the annual Runatolia Marathon on 3 March 2019 in Antalya and raised significant amount funds for Scholarships.



Turkish Rotarians Raised Funds for Education at Runatolia Marathon (16)
March 03, 2019

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District 2470 Rotarians from Greece Visited District 2440 in Izmir

A Greek Delegation from District 2470 is visited Izmir Region in District 2440 from 20 to 24 February 2019.



District 2470 Rotarians from Greece Visited District 2440 in Izmir (47)
February 24, 2019

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District 2440 Organised a Rotary Day in Bursa

Rotary Clubs in District 2440 in Bursa Region organised Rotary Days from 22 to 24 February 2019 in a Shopping Mall



District 2440 Organised a Rotary Day in Bursa (20)
February 24, 2019

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District 2470 Organised a Vocational Service Seminar

District 2470 successfully organised a Vocational Service Seminar in the island of Rhodes on February 9th. Distinguished speakers highlighted the importance of the vocational service, inspired leadership, the parameters of ethical standards in professional life and the role of Rotary in the current difficult socio-economic reality.



Putting Life in Our Clubs
- Nicki Scott, RI Training
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**Understanding Different
Generations** - Amanda
Wendt [Edit](#) | [View video](#)



**Transforming Rotaractors
and Alumni to Rotary** -
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Our Youth — Our Future
- Haresh Ramchandani,
Past District
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**Enhancing Engagement
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Beth Growney Selene,
Rotary Foundation
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2018-19 Theme Address
- Barry Rassin, RI
President-elect LR
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**Transformational
Projects** - John F. Germ,
Rotary Foundation
Trustee-elect [Edit](#)
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**The Power of the Service
Project** - Mary Jean
Gallagher [Edit](#) | [View video](#)



Global Grants - Fary
Moini [Edit](#) | [View video](#)



Foundation Goals - Ron
D. Burton, Rotary
Foundation Trustee
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**Doing Good in the
World** - K.R. Ravindran,
Rotary Foundation
Trustee [Edit](#) | [View video](#)



Working Toward Peace -
Summer Lewis, Rotary
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**District 2470 Organised a Vocational Service
Seminar**

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District 2484 - Volos RC - Donated a Mini-Bus for Disabled People

A mini-bus for disabled people has been donated to the institution "Ippokambos" in the city Volos, with the contribution of the Church of Volos, RC Volos and the great philanthropist Charalambos Tsimas



**District 2484 - Volos RC Donated a Mini-Bus for
Disabled People**

February 24, 2019

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District 2451 Organised 4th Vocational Service Seminar

Under the theme "Be the source of inspiration ... towards sustainable vocational services projects", the 4th Vocational Service Seminar was held during 10-12 January 2019, in Hurghada.

The Seminar was held under the patronage of General Ahmed Abdulla, Governor of the Red Sea and DG Abdelhamid Al Awa, Governor of District 2451 and headed by PP Nevine Abdelkhalek – D2451 Vocational Committee

Rotary Clubs, who have implemented outstanding projects covering a wide range of training to build our capacity, upgrade qualification and motivate entrepreneurship of various handicrafts were recognized.

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed with Egypt ICT – Trust Fund established by Ministry of Communications and Information Technology (MCIT) and UNDP represented by Mrs. Hoda Dahroug – Head of Central Division for Community Development. The purpose of the MOU is to train 2000 youth in 4 governorates on a variety of skills to equip them to work based on the needs of companies and factories in the governorates.

Dr. Yousra Attia, Deputy Governor of the Red Sea, praised the role of Rotary-Egypt in supporting the State's efforts for sustainable development that aligns with Egypt's 2030 strategy.

On the sidelines of the forum, an exhibition of Egyptian and international products and handicrafts was held, displaying product from the countries of Russia, Switzerland, the Netherlands, Italy and Morocco.

The forum was covered in more than 15 reputable newspapers in Egypt and abroad and circulated through social media.



**District 2451 Organised 4th Vocational Service
Seminar**

February 24, 2019

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District 2470 Organised a Conference on Leadership in Confuse...

District 2470 organized a Conference in the frame of the Institute for the Promotion of Young Entrepreneurship (IPYEN) under the title "Leadership in confused times" RC Kifissia –Politia was the sponsor club. An excellent seminar with eminent guest speakers Dimitris Bourantas Rector of New York College and Panos Pahatouridis, Partner Ecosystem Manager in Facebook.



**District 2470 Organised a Conference on
Leadership in Confused Times**

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Polio Countdown to History - TRF Chair Paul Netzel Edit ▼ |
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2018 Toronto Convention - Gordon McNally, 2018 Toronto Convention Committee Chair Edit ▼ |
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Economic and Community Development - Juliet Riseley, Partner of the RI President Edit ▼ |
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The Power of Great Events - John T. Blount, Past RI Director Edit ▼ | View video



Water and Sanitation - Marga Hewko, Partner of the RI General Secretary Edit ▼ |
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Disease Prevention and Treatment - Ann Lee Hussey Edit ▼ |
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People of Action - John C. Smarge, Aide to the RI President-elect Edit ▼ | View video



Rotary's Brand Essence, Value, and Voice - Bradford R. Howard, RI Communications Committee Chair Edit ▼ | View video



2019 Hamburg Convention - John T. Blount, 2019 Hamburg Convention Committee Chair Edit ▼ |
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Assembly to Action - Barry Rassin, RI President-elect Edit ▼ | View video



District Leadership Plan and How to Lead Your Team - Mark Daniel Maloney, RI President-nominee Edit ▼ |
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How to Manage Change - Noel Trevaskis, RI

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District 2440 Organised a RYLA Seminar

Nilufer RC of District 2440 Successfull Organşsed a RYLA Seminar in Bursa from 22 to 24 February 2019.



District 2440 Organised a RYLA Seminar (55)
February 24, 2019

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District 2452 Celebrated Rotary's 114th Anniversary

Rotary Club of Metn, Beirut, Lebanon (D2452) celebrated the 114th Anniversary of Rotary International and Rotary Club of Metn's 33rd club chartering Anniversary!!!

CONGRATULATIONS to all 🙌
Rotary Club of Metn - District 2452
Rotary People of Action
Rotary Public Image Zone 20B
Rotary D.2452 media center

Courtesy PP May Monla Chmaitilly, Beirut, Lebanon

All 3 Rotary Clubs and Rotaract Club in Bahrain jointly organized a social evening to celebrate the 114th year Anniversary of Rotary International at the Le Med restaurant in the Ritz Carlton Hotel on Wednesday 20th February 2019. The clubs involved in organizing the event were Rotary club of Manama, Rotary club of Sulmaniya, Rotary club of Adliya and Rotaract club of Bahrain. The social evening was a long night of an open buffet dinner, international mix of music, dancing, raffle draw with prizes and concluded with a cake cutting.

The Rotaract club of Bahrain helped in organizing the event and their energy and enthusiasm as well as their active participation made the event successful. Over one hundred and ten people attended, which includes Rotary members and their guests and high profile special guests like the US Ambassador H.E. Mr Justin Siberell, the UN Resident Coordinator H.E. Mr Amin El Shakrani and local media mogul Mr. George Middleton attendant the event.

The 114th year Anniversary shows that the legacy of Rotary International is long lasting due to the message of friendship and fellowship all over the world. The Rotary has a strong history in Bahrain and with its continual support of the local community it will hopefully continue to strengthen and prosper for many years to come.

Courtesy: Rtn. Faisal Juma
Rotary Club of Sulmaniya
Public Image chair in Bahrain
Distict 2452




District 2452 Celebrated Rotary's 114th Anniversary - Bahrain RC's and RAC's (10)
February 24, 2019



District 2452 Celebrated Rotary's 114th Anniversary - Metn RC Beirut (8)
February 24, 2019

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District 2470 Donated Medical Equipments to a Hospital in Samos

D 2470. RC Samos offered three medical diagnostic devices to the hospital of the island



District 2470 Donated Medical Equipments to a Hospital in Samos
February 24, 2019

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District 2452 Organised a Rotary Awareness Day in Bahrain

On Wednesday 13th February 2019 Rotary Club of Sulmaniya (Bahrain D2452) organized the "Rotary Awareness Day" during their regular lunch meeting. Guests included club members, friends of the club and members of the local media. In-house speaker was Past President and Honorary member H.E. Abdulla Juma who spoke about his "Experiences with Rotary Club of Sulmaniya". He was one of the founding members of Rotary club Sulmaniya and he started the first annual fund raising event the Raft Race. He reminisced about the first few years of the Rotary club of Sulmaniya, who designed the logo and how they arranged the very first Raft Race. This day was chosen because it's one week before the 114th year anniversary of Rotary International on February 23rd. Next Wednesday the 20th of February, a social evening is organized between the four clubs, Rotary Club of Manama, Rotary Club of Sulmaniya, Rotary Club of Adliya, and the Rotaract Club of Bahrain to celebrate the event. The joint effort is to show that all clubs can work together to achieve a larger goal of friendship and fellowship.
Courtesy: Faisal Juma, RC Sulmaniya, Bahrain
Country Public Image Chair, District 2452




District 2452 Organised a Rotary Awareness Day in Bahrain
February 22, 2019

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District 2451 Zamalek RC Inaugurated 2nd Mobile Dental Clinic

As an extension of its continuous efforts to serve the community, Rotary Club of Al Zamalek , inaugurated the second mobile dental clinic project in cooperation with the Housing and Development Bank, Global Telecom Holding and the British University in Egypt. The cost of the clinic exceeded one million pounds and lasted 11 months to be complete. The new clinic includes an integrated dental unit equipped with a ray unit, and will travel to schools, orphanages and care for the elderly in different parts of the Country according to the priorities of the most needy areas of health care. It is worth mentioning that this clinic is the second to be opened by Rotary Club Zamalek, after having given the first Car clinic to the Faculty of Oral and Dental Medicine at Cairo University, but with the right of management of the club for all operating and maintenance expenses , to ensure continuity of the clinic in the provision of services on sustainable basis.



District 2451 Zamalek RC Inaugurated 2nd Mobile Dental Clinic
February 17, 2019

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District 2482 Petrich RC Launched a Health Campaign

Rotary Club Petrich launched a joint campaign with Rotary Club Sofia for prophylactic ultrasound examinations of students from municipal secondary schools in the town of Petrich for the early diagnosis of thyroid diseases. The examinations are conducted with a portable echograph of highly qualified specialists, provided by Rotary Club Sofia. With this campaign, Rotarians are committed to raising citizens' awareness and focusing on the key importance of the prevention of further difficult-to-manage health conditions!



District 2482 Petrich RC Launched a Health Campaign (3)
February 17, 2019

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Zone 20B Meeting Successfully Completed in Gaziantep

Zone 20B Meeting sucessfully completed from on 8 to 10 February 2019 in Gaziantep with participation of Rotarians & Guests from Zone 20B and Zone 19P. For Pictures, Videos & Presentations Please follow this [link](#).



Zone 20B Meeting - Opening Plenary Session - 8 February 2019 (312)
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Zone 20B Meeting - 9 February 2019 (396)
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Zone 20B Meeting - 10 February 2019 (151)
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District 2452 Organised a Membership Seminar in Armenia



District 2452 Organised a Membership Seminar in Armenia (34)
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District 2470 Organised a PI Seminar in Amaroussio

District 2470 Rotary's Public Image Seminar took place in the Town Hall of Amaroussio on Sunday January 27th. The Seminar was organized by 2470 RID under the auspices of RIDN-RPIC PDG Katerina Kotsali-Papadimitriou in collaboration with DG Dora Kemou and DPIC- PDG Maria Delivoria. The Mayor of Amaroussio and President of the Medical Association Mr George Patoulis addressed the audience. The inspired presentations covered all significant topics of Public Image and the interactive session offered the opportunity of vivid participation. The innovative Seminar has been a great success in all respects.



District 2470 Organised a PI Seminar in Amaroussio (20)
February 02, 2019



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Turkish Districts Organised a New Member Orientation Camp in...

Turkish Districts successfully organised a New Member Orientation Camp in Eskisehir for 1 to 3 February 2019.



Turkish Districts Organised a New Member Orientation Camp in Eskisehir (183)
January 24, 2019

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District 2452 Organised a Special Event to Mark Vocational Servi...

To mark the Vocational Service Month, RC Sulmaniya, Bahrain of District 2452 organized a vocation outdoor meeting at Eagle Hills Marrassi at Diyar Al Muharraq, Bahrain on Wednesday, 23rd of January 2019. The club members were given a tour of the new apartment building development, its model plan, procedure and progress and a complementary lunch. The aim of the vocational outdoor meeting is to increase awareness of the club members of new projects and experiences happening in Bahrain while sharing warm fellowship with the members of the projects. Courtesy: Rtn. Faisal Juma, Public Image Committee Chair Bahrain



District 2452 Organised a Special Event to Mark Vocational Service Month (5)
February 02, 2019

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District 2484 Organised a Joint Membership, PI and TRF Semina...

District 2484 successfully organised a joint Membership, TRF, Public Image Seminar was successfully held in Komotini on January 20th, 2019



District 2484 Organised a Joint Membership, PI and TRF Seminar in Komotini (6)
February 02, 2019

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District 2470 Organised a Special Meeting for Vocational Service...

District 2470 on the occasion of the month of vocational service, January, RC Athina-Goudi, invited as guest speaker at a Club meeting Doctor-Psychologist Stelios Kypourouopoulos, an excellent scientist, an eminent personality, a fighter for life. The Club welcomed also a new member Rtn Takis Papas



District 2470 Organised a Special Meeting for Vocational Service Month (4)
February 02, 2019

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RID Yinka Babalola Elected as Vice President of RI for 2019-2020



RID Yinka Babalola Elected as Vice President of RI for 2019-2020 (2)
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2019-2010 International Assembly Successfully Completed in Sa...

RIPE Mark Daniel Maloney, a member of the Rotary Club of Decatur, Alabama, USA, unveiled the 2019-20 presidential theme, *Rotary Connects the World*, to incoming district governors at Rotary's annual training event, the International Assembly, in San Diego, California, USA, on Monday, 14 January 2019.

Rotary International President-elect Mark Daniel Maloney explained his vision for building a stronger Rotary, calling on leaders to expand connections to their communities and to embrace innovative membership models. RI President-elect Mark Daniel Maloney announces the 2019-20 presidential theme, *Rotary Connects the World*, to incoming district governors in San Diego, California, USA.

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"The first emphasis is to grow Rotary — to grow our service, to grow the impact of our projects, but most importantly, to grow our membership so that we can achieve more," Maloney said.

Maloney believes that connection is at the heart of the Rotary experience.

"(Rotary) allows us to connect with each other, in deep and meaningful ways, across our differences," Maloney said. "It connects us to people we would never otherwise have met, who are more like us than we ever could have known. It connects us to our communities, to professional opportunities, and to the people who need our help."

Maloney also called on every Rotary and Rotaract club to identify segments of their community not represented in their club by creating a membership committee with diverse members.

"Through Rotary, we connect to the incredible diversity of humanity on a truly unique footing, forging deep and lasting ties in pursuit of a common goal," he added. "In this ever more divided world, Rotary connects us all."

Maloney urged leaders to offer alternative meeting experiences and service opportunities to make it easier for busy professionals and people with many family obligations to serve in leadership roles.

"We need to foster a culture where Rotary does not compete with the family, but rather complements it," Maloney said. "That means taking real, practical steps to change the existing culture: being realistic in our expectations, considerate in our scheduling, and welcoming of children at Rotary events on every level."

Maloney said many of the barriers that prevent people from serving as leaders in Rotary are based on expectations that are no longer relevant.

"It is time to adapt, to change our culture, and to convey the message that you can be a great district governor without visiting every club individually, and a great president without doing everything yourself."

During 2019-20, Rotary will host a series of presidential conferences around the world, focusing on Rotary's relationship with the [United Nations](#) and the UN's sustainable development goals that many Rotary service projects support. More information will be available in July.

In 2020, the United Nations will celebrate the 75th anniversary of its charter and its mission of promoting peace. Rotary was one of 42 organizations the United States invited to serve as consultants to its delegation at the 1945 San Francisco conference, which led to the UN's charter. For decades, Rotary has worked alongside the United Nations to address humanitarian issues around the world. Today, Rotary holds the highest consultative status that the UN offers to nongovernmental organizations.

"Rotary shares the United Nations' enduring commitment to a healthier, more peaceful, and more sustainable world," Maloney said. "And Rotary offers something no other organization can match: an existing infrastructure that allows people from all over the world to connect in a spirit of service and peace and take meaningful action toward that goal."

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District 2440 Launched a Web Site for his Breast Cancer Awaren...

Uludağ Rotary Club of District 2440 in Bursa Launched a web site to create awareness on Breast Cancer. Please visit [web site](#) for details



District 2440 Launched a Web Site for his Breast Cancer Awareness Project

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January 24, 2019

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District 2482 Supported University Hospital "Kanev" in Ruse, Bu...

Donation of over \$ 300,000 received the University Hospital "Kanev" in Ruse, Bulgaria. The donation is from the Bulgarian Help Charity Foundation in England and was implemented through the Ruse Rotary Club and the Ruse Danube Rotary Club (D2482, Bulgaria) The first container, containing hospital furniture, equipment, and medical supplies, has arrived. There are specialized hospital beds, mattresses, toilets, walkers, wheelchairs, cleaning equipment, etc. The humanitarian aid received will be allocated to the hospital wards as needed. The first container of 14,292 kg has a total value of over \$ 300,000. The donor coordinator from England is Mrs. Christine Dagwell from the Rotary Club of Hull, England, which has organized several English Rotary Clubs to collect humanitarian aid specifically for Kanev University Hospital.

<https://bit.ly/2ClqxB>



District 2482 Supported University Hospital "Kanev" in Ruse, Bulgaria

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January 19, 2019

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District 2452 Supported Tennis Tournament for Disabled

Tennis Tournaments played by people with special needs organized by Bahrain Sports Federation for Disabilities on 6th January 2019 at Bahrain Tennis Club.

Please view the tournament at Youtube link: <https://youtu.be/ql7H3jE7nfl>

The 3 Rotary Clubs in Bahrain jointly donated specially designed wheel chairs to tennis players with special needs.



District 2452 Supported Tennis Tournament for Disabled

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January 11, 2019

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District 2482 Raised Funds for Education

A Charity Cause Brought Together Rotary Club and Pomorie Municipality. At the initiative of Rotary Club Pomorie (D2482, Bulgaria) in the building of the secondary school "Iv. Vazov "started the reconstruction of a room, which will be transformed into a sensory room for the needs of children with special educational needs during and outside the educational process. The project is worth EUR 12 500.00 and is realized with the assistance of the Municipality of Pomorie and Center for psychology and psychotherapy "Insight". Pomorie Municipality provides the premises and the Pomorie Rotary Club supplies and assembles the necessary facilities and furniture for the project. The initiative aims to help the adaptation of the children with special educational needs in the learning process and to facilitate their successful coping with classroom work.

<https://bit.ly/2VTkZ9M>



District 2482 Raised Funds for Education (1)
January 19, 2019

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District 2451 Organised a Pre-PETS Seminar

District 2451 organized it's Pre-Pets Seminar for one day - for the Incoming Presidents & Secretaries on Saturday 5th of January2019.

DG Abdul Hamid inaugurated the Seminar - & DGE Sherif Waly présentes an overall preliminary vision and strategic plan of the Rotary Year 2019/2020

Training Topics included :

- Rotary Public Image and it's effect on the society -
- Branding
- How to be a Vibrant Club
- Strategic Planing & Effective Leadership
- Effective Administration in the Rotary Clubs

The Seminar was attended by Incoming Presidents - Incoming Secretaries - PDGs - DGN - District Trainer - District Secretary - District Treasurer - District aid - Incoming District Secretary , - and the organizing committee of the seminar

Every one was enthusiastic to start the preparation for the incoming new Rotary Year 2019/2020



District 2451 Organised a Pre-PETS Seminar (17)
January 09, 2019

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District 2470 Rotarians Organised a Christmas Concert for Elder...

Rotary Club of District 2470 donated 500 liters of heating oil to the nursing home of Athens. Rotarians visited the premises and for the third successive year they organised a Christmas celebration Maestro George Kongas offered a christmas concert to the elderly



District 2470 Rotarians Organised a Christmas Concert for Elderlies in Athens (4)
January 09, 2019

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District 2482 Gathered Funds for the Talented Children

Rotarians Gathered Funds for the Talented Children of Gorna Oryahovitsa and Lyaskovets. 7300 BGN were collected at this year Christmas Ball of Rotary Club Gorna Oryahovitsa and Lyaskovets (District 2482 Bulgaria).

The funds will fill the Fund for Stimulating Gifted Children from the two municipalities - a cause that local Rotarians support from the rebuilding of the club. For nearly 15 years now, Rotary Club Gorna Oryahovitsa and Lyaskovets has turned into a mission to support the children from the two municipalities, which have achieved significant successes during the school year by giving scholarships on the eve of June 1st. Most of the funds are collected at the traditional charity auction, which is organized on the eve of Christmas. The campaign also includes friends from neighboring Rotary clubs, local government officials and businesses in both municipalities. [#rotarybulgaria](#), [#rotarydistrict2482](#), [#rotarygornaoryahovitsa](#), [#rotaryinternational](#)
<https://bit.ly/2EJlZA>



District 2482 Gathered Funds for the Talented Children (1)
January 09, 2019

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District 2470 Offered Radiators to Dispenseries in Samos

Samos Rotary Club of Distict 2470 offered through a District Grant 2018-19 radiators to the twelve municipal dispensaries of the island



District 2470 Offered Radiators to Dispenseries in Samos (5)
January 09, 2019

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District 2484 Awarded Distinguished Music Students

Kerkyra Rotary Club of District 2484 presented an award of excellence to the distinguished students of the philharmonic orchestra and the children's choral of Corfu. [Video](#)



District 2482 Awarded Distinguished Music Students (1)
January 09, 2019

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District 2482 Organised Charity Auction in Gotse Delchev

BGN 15,000 gathered on their tenth anniversary of the Christmas Ball Rotarians from the club in Gotse Delchev (District 2482, Bulgaria). At the ball tender, the invited people with precious hearts bid for works of art, expensive jewelry, branded drinks, clothing, accessories, delicacies and culinary delights. Besides, a charity bazaar is organized during the ball, the revenue of which is also added to the amount for the respective cause. And the cause of this year's initiative of Rotary Club Gotse Delchev is to create a Children's Art Center. Link: <https://bit.ly/2PUXxEU>



District 2482 Organised Charity Auction in Gotse Delchev (1)
January 01, 2019

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District 2482 Samokov RC Supported Gifted Children

Funds to support talented children in the field of natural-mathematical science gathered the local community of the Rotarians for their traditional Christmas celebration, which took place on December 1 in the restaurant of the Flora Hotel in Borovets. Over 150 people responded to the invitation and not only had fun with friends in a cozy setting, but also opened their souls and hearts for good deeds. The big sum was gathered from donations, as well as from other charitable endeavors - auction and lottery. The idea of creating a fund to support gifted children was born 3 years ago and up to 15 students have benefited from the fund. link: <https://bit.ly/2EJvojc>



District 2482 Samokov RC Supported Gifted Children

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January 01, 2019

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District 2482 Created a Recreation Area in the Yard of a Hospital

A cozy place to visit and a place where the patients of the municipal hospital in Gotse Delchev can take a breath of fresh air were opened in the yard of the health care facility. The initiative is at the local Rotary club, with much of the money collected during last year's Christmas Charity Ball of the organization. link: <https://bit.ly/2Aa1BfH>



District 2482 Created a Recreation Area in the Yard of a Hospital

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January 01, 2019

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District 2482 Lovech RC Sponsored an Exhibition in Pazardzhik

An exposition of the case and personality of one of the most famous Bulgarian rulers, Khan Tervel, was opened in the foyer of the Maestro Georgi Atanasov Hall. The exhibition visits the district town at the invitation of the Pazardzhik Rotary Club. It has an exceptional historical value and shows little known facts. The exhibition, which was presented in Pazardzhik, was provided by the Rotary Club - Lovech. Pazardzhik is the 17th city in which the exhibition is displayed. link: <https://bit.ly/2BActi9>



District 2482 Lovech RC Sponsored an Exhibition in Pazardzhik

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January 01, 2019

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District 2482 Collected Funds for the Special Children of Burgas

The traditional charity Christmas ball of Burgas Rotarians gathered from auction and raffle EUR 7500. last night to give them a unique project that will transform the courtyard of the former special school "Vasil Levski" in a modern innovative playground. The project is the work of four friends-Rotarians, who presented to the members of the three clubs - Rotary Club Bourgas, Rotary Club Bourgas-Pyrgos and Rotary Club Bourgas-Primorye, the idea of outdoor playground, which will be in the courtyard of the Center for Special Education Support . If the facilities are built in their entirety and the project is realized in the end, as is the idea of the Rotarians, the amount will exceed about EUR 75,000 - without the voluntary work.



D-2482 Collected Funds for the Special Children of Burgas

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January 01, 2019

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District 2482 Sliven RC Gathered over BGN 15 000 for an Impor...

At the charity Christmas Ball, which took place in the restaurant Central of the city, the Rotary Club Sliven united people with generous hearts in order to increase the safety of the pedestrian zones in the city. The event was attended by Rotarians from different parts of the country and many friends of the charity. The President of Sliven Rotary Club Mincho Afufov welcomed the guests and announced that the funds, that will be collected, will be designed for directional illumination of the most risky hiking trails in Sliven. link: <https://bit.ly/2Akm5m7>



District 2482 Sliven RC Gathered over BGN 15 000 for an Important Cause

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January 01, 2019

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District 2451 Hosted PRID Dr. Saowalak Rattanavich

Under the auspices of DG Abdul Hamid El Awa (RC Kasr El Nile) and PDG Zakria El Shafei (RC Cairo) the Basic Education and Literacy Committee - Rotary District 2451 – Egypt chaired by PP. Eman El Ghamrawy (RC Heliopolis) invited PRID Dr. Saowalak's to visit Egypt in order to review the achievements of Rotary District 2451 - Egypt in the field of literacy and education using the CLE program and her special recommendations for any updates that occurred during the last period concerning the application of the program, also to update the Rotary Trainers and train them on the new methods of the program, especially the use of the program in schools and with Special Needs (especially those with mental disabilities) being implemented for the first time this year by the Committee of Basic Education and Literacy, beside her recommendations for using the program strategically in schools and to be up-to-date with the technological development and how to convert CLE to Web Site & Mobile App.

Accordingly, Formal invitations through the Office of the Minister of Education was issued to the leaders of various departments (Curriculum Development Center - Basic Education - Arabic Language - Department of Special Education - Community Participation Department) to attend the training that will be conducted by PRID Dr. Saowalak to know more about the program and check its suitability for future use and according to the plan of the Ministry of Education, also inviting the leaders and trainers who were previously trained from the General Authority for Adult Education and Literacy (our main partner since Rotary adopted CLE program in Egypt) (Leaders from the Ministry of Social Solidarity - Rotary Trainers from previous years - Our partners from various civil society organizations, mainly Vodafone Egypt Foundation for Community Development and The Road for Development Association in Fayoum)

It was also put into consideration that the visit program includes a meeting with some Rotary clubs for friendship and also a tourist entertainment part to know the landmarks of our country Egypt and convey a positive image of the good reception and hospitality.

At the end of PRID Dr. Saowalak's visit, she recommends that we start converting CLE program to Web Site & Mobile App for Teachers, as first phase to help them implement the program easier and so that we can be up-to-date with the technological development, Keep using CLE program with Special needs students and to keep number of special needs per class from 5 to 8 and to always let them work in groups, Use the CLE program as Pilot Program in 5 - 10 schools after getting the Minister of Education approval and by using a Global Grant and finally to Let Egypt be CLE Light House Center in the Middle East due to our achievements in the program implementation.



District 2451 Hosted PRID Dr. Saowalak Rattanavich

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December 29, 2018

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District 2440 Organised a RYLA Seminar in Salihli

District 2440 Successfully organised a RYLA Seminar in Salihli from 21 to 23 December 2018



District 2440 Organised a RYLA Seminar in Salihli

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December 08, 2018

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District 2451 Organised a Public Image Seminar in Cairo

District 2451 - Egypt Organised a successful Public Image Seminar on 15 December 2018 in Cairo. Under the theme "Rotary Egypt & the media", the Public Image committee at District 2451 chaired by PP Emad Abdel Wahab organized a PI seminar under the auspices and attendance of DG Abdul Hamid El Awa. The seminar focused on the importance of media and social media channels and their impact on public opinion.

The seminar aimed at :

Highlighting the Rotary achievements and contributions to community development and showcasing the current and future projects of clubs that exceed 100 clubs, and in a way that best reflects the good image and status of Egypt - Introducing the Media & Press Celebrities to Rotary -- Coordinate Rotary District public image committee to communicate and cooperate with media & press to highlight the clubs projects - Create a bridge of communication between Rotary and the media as a whole there by enhancing the best Public image of the Rotary District 2451

The Seminar was attended by :

- PDGs Yasser Assem, Ahmed Saada, Adel Hafez, and Hamada Zahran
 - More than 380 Rotarians - Editors in Chief of Egyptian newspapers & Magazines
 - The seminar was covered by newspapers, TV channels, e-media websites and social media channels as well.
- The clubs achieved 1000 media release, which exceeded the 500 media goal set by the District this year 2018/19



District 2451 Organised a Public Image Seminar in Cairo

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December 19, 2018

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District 2451 Project Fair Completed Successfully

District 2451 successfully completed a Project Fair on 1-2December 2018 in Cairo with the participation of TRF Chair PRIP Ron Burton.



District 2451 Project Fair Completed Successfully

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December 19, 2018

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District 2420 Organised a Public Image Seminar in Istanbul

District 2420 successfully organised a Public Image Seminar in Istanbul on 6 December 2018. The Turkish Translation of RI Publication Effective Public Relations #257 Officially Launched and introduced to participants.



District 2420 Organised a Public Image Seminar in Istanbul (619)
December 06, 2018

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District 2484 Organised a Training Seminar for Rotary Clubs

District 2484 organised a Rotary Seminar for Clubs of North-West Greece which took place with success in the city of Ioannina on December 2nd 2018.



District 2484 Organised a Training Seminar for Rotary Clubs (3)
December 08, 2018

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District 2484 Organised a Membership Seminar in Volos

District 2484 Membership Seminar successfully completed in Volos under the auspices of DG Theodore Aspasides on November 25th 2018.



District 2484 Organised a Membership Seminar in Volos (10)
December 08, 2018

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RIP Barry Rasin Visited Turkish Districts

Rotary International President Barry Rassin made an official visit to Turkish Districts 2420, 2430 and 2440 from 29 November to 2 December 2018. During his visit he visited Founder of Turkish Republic Atatürk's Mausoleum, various Touristic Sites, Rotary Projects and attended 3 Gala Dinners in Izmir, Ankara and Istanbul, gathered with Turkish Rotarians & Rotaractors.



RIP Barry Rassin in District 2420 (37)
December 02, 2018



RIP Barry Rassin in District 2430 (59)
November 30, 2018



RIP Barry Rassin in District 2440

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November 18, 2018



RIP Barry Rassin in District 2440 - Photo Album 2

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November 30, 2018

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District 2482 Karlovo RC Raised Funds for Children with Disabilit...

Charity Ball of Rotary Club Karlovo (D2482, Bulgaria) has gathered the tools for equipping specialized halls and cabinets for therapy of children with specific needs. The event took place on 26.11.2018 in restaurant Karlovo and was in support of the project "Let's give a hand to our children" of Social Center - Karlovo. The amount collected is over 13 000 Euro. The children, attending the Social Center, received homemade cakes and sweets. Rotary Club-Karlovo chose this year to support the construction of a sensory room for work with children with autism spectrum disorders, treatment rooms and a meeting room for mothers of children with special needs, Rotary President Petar Lambrev said.



District 2482 Karlovo RC Raised Funds for Children with Disabilities

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December 01, 2018

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District 2451 Organised a TRF Seminar in Cairo

Minister of Finance Dr Mohamed Maeet and General Ahmed Zaki Abdeen, Chairman of the New Administrative Capital, with attendance of DG Abdul Hamid Al Awa and District Rotary Foundation Committee chair PDG Mayan Raslan, inaugurated the annual Rotary Foundation Seminar that was held by Rotary Egypt - at Al Masa Capital Hotel in the New Administrative Capital - on Friday and Saturday, 23-24 November 2018

The seminar aims every year to familiarize the local community with the most important achievements of the Foundation and its role in developing the Egyptian society by highlighting the most important developmental & Humanitarian projects that Rotary is developing through partnerships with government agencies, international donors, businessmen and other NGOs.

The Rotary Foundation Seminar hosted as speakers Mr. Ali Faramawy, Vice President of Microsoft, representatives of UNICEF and ALFI Association for Education. It also hosted Rotary leaders such as Past Rotary International Director Philip Silvers from US, Regional Rotary Foundation Coordinator Yesim Yoney From Turkey, PDG Ignace Moawad D 2452- from Lebanon, Vanessa Court- Payen RI office Zürich & Dr Behrooz Morvaridi, Director of Peace centre of Bradford University, in addition to many Egyptian Rotary leaders.

More than 600 members of Rotary Egypt attended and 55 Rotaractors

A dinner party was held on the first night of the seminar, which included all attendees and included musical intervals.

A group of Rotaractors participated in the organization of the seminar, and had a clear impact on its success. A large number of Rotaractors from all clubs attended the event, with the coordination of the DRR Ahmed Ghandour. A parallel program was organized for them to benefit from all Rotary & Rotary Foundation information.

The seminar was covered widely on TV and great e- media channels & social media tools

At the end of the seminar, New Paul Harris fellows were pinned, Presidential citations of RY 2017/18 were distributed & the organizing committee was recognized by AG Pakinam El Ramlawy, Organizing Committee chair.

The speakers were also recognized and thanks was delivered to the donors, sponsors and contributors of the Rotary Foundation and the distinguished clubs for their activities and projects.



District 2451 Organised a TRF Seminar in Cairo

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November 26, 2018



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District 2470 Organised a TRF Seminar

District 2470 organised an excellent, in terms of presenters, speech contributories and attendance number, a Rotary Foundation Seminar on Sunday 18 November. The said mentioned seminar was an excellent opportunity: to inform all present on our Foundation's programs, to improve our relationships with each other, to engage in the fight to eradicate Polio, to get in touch with and gain hands on experience on the current Global Grants and District Grants programs and initiatives. At the course of the seminar, the clubs were awarded for their activities and achievements during the previous Rotary year. The main objective of the seminar was to encompass and understand the role we are called upon to play, not as mere observers but as the key activists of a society in need. Surely following the path of knowledge and perpetual information, we can work more efficiently and continue to inspire through Rotarian actions.



District 2470 Organised a TRF Seminar

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November 24, 2018

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Zone 22 Institute will be Organised in Sharm El Sheikh

An Egyptian delegation from District 2451, headed to Lagos - Nigeria to attend the Zone 20A Institute , and to promote the next Zone 22 Institute which will be held held at Sharm El Sheikh October 1st - 6th , 2019. The delegation consisted of DG Abdelhamid El Awa , DGE Sherif Waly , Chair if Institute 2019 PDG Mayan Raslan and Zine Committee Advisor IPDG Hamada Zahran . Attended as a guest speaker was the PP Hisham El Bakry , master of training. Egypt was highly looked upon with respect as leading country in Africa . All Africans are enthusiastic to attend our Zone at Sharm El Sheikh , Egypt , District 2451



Zone 22 Institute will be Organised in Sharm El Sheikh

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September 16, 2018

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District 2482 Interact Club Ruse with a New Charity Action

The youth from Interact Club Ruse to Rotary Club Ruse (D2482, Bulgaria), organized a charity concert entitled "The Family - Coziness and Heat" on November 22 at 18:30 in Rousse Hall. The purpose of the event was to collect new or used children's clothes, books and toys, as well as remind the Ruseans of the importance of family values, security and unity. Entrance was free, and anyone who wants to support the cause, but has failed to prepare the appropriate allowances for that day, will be able to contact the club in the coming days or make a donation, according to their capabilities.



District 2482 Interact Club Ruse with a New Charity Action

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November 23, 2018

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Membership Seminar in Tirana with Rotarians from Albania & Ko...

A Membership Seminar is organised in Tirana with the participation of Rotarians from Albania and Kosovo on 17 November 2018



Membership Seminar in Tirana with Rotarians from Albania & Kosovo

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November 20, 2018

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District 2484 Rotarians Visited Ecumenical Patriarch in Istanbul

DG Theodore Aspasides and members of District 2484 visited the Ecumenical Patriarch Mr. Bartholomew in Istanbul.



District 2484 Rotarians Visited Ecumenical Patriarch in Istanbul

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November 24, 2018

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District 2452 Adliya RC Organised a Youth Forum

"7ewar" RC ADLIYA PROJECT FOR YOUTHS: On 11th Nov. 2018 RC Adliya, Bahrain (D2452) conducted the first 7ewar forum at the BIBF campus, with the aim of providing a unique platform for Millennials to meet and debate with Generation X and Baby-boomers. (photo courtesy Bahrain This Month)



District 2452 Adliya RC Organised a Youth Forum

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November 24, 2018

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District 2482 Held "Give Way to life" Seminar in Kyustendil, Bul...

For two years members of the Rotary clubs from Sofia and Plovdiv (D2482, Bulgaria), psychologists from the Institute of Psychology at the Ministry of Interior and lecturers and artists from the New Bulgarian University have been working on a project to eradicate aggressive behavior on the road. However, they have chosen the way of prevention - through education from early school age, and later in high school, to build tolerance and non-aggressive behavior patterns among young people. Two of the developed programs are designed for students from 9 to 12 years of age and for young people aged 16-18 from high schools and secondary vocational schools. The third program is for the teachers from different parts of the country and members of Rotary clubs in Bulgaria. It started with a seminar in Kyustendil /November 7&8/, during which about 30 teachers from schools in Sofia, Blagoevgrad, Kyustendil and Pernik took over the innovative tools developed by the psychologists to use them in the training classes on road safety, which the MES introduces during the new school year. The seminars will continue in other cities in the country. They are organized and run by Rotary clubs in partnership with the Syndicate of Bulgarian Teachers.



Two-day Seminar "Give Way to life" was held in Kyustendil, Bulgaria

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November 24, 2018

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District 2452 Organised a Cricket Tournament

RC Adliya (Bahrain, D2452) organized Cricket Tournament on 2nd Nov. 2018 at the Rugby Club, Saar, Bahrain to raise fund for the Diraz Park Renovation Project. The tournament was a great success! Dadabai Holding won with great spirits. RC Adliya thanks all the teams for their participation.

TEAMS: - Alpha Fire Services - Awali Taverners - BMMI - Bahrain Rugby Juniors - Dadabai Holdings - Dadabhai Travel - Y.K. Imoayyed - Yateem Air-conditioning

RC Adliya thanks all the sponsors for their kind support and cooperation.



District 2452 Organised a Cricket Tournament

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November 24, 2018

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Zone 20B Institute Successfully Completed in Dead Sea - Jordan

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World Polio Day Celebrations in District 2482

Rotarians from Plovdiv Celebrated Together the World Polio Day
In the days around October 24 many are involved in polio eradication work. Rotarians, clubs and their youth programs prepare events to inform their community, make personal and club donations to the Rotary Foundation Polio Plus, disseminate information about what Rotary has done so far among their fellow citizens, and raise funds. On Oct. 24, in Rotary Park, Rotarians from Plovdiv (D2482, Bulgaria) together celebrated the World Polio Day, sharing the achievements and challenges of this battle with the disease. On the stage of Rotary Park in residential area „Trakia“, Rotary club scholars have delivered a rich musical-dance program. The event was also supported by Rotaract and Interact Youth Societies, residents of the region, other NGOs and humanitarian organizations.



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District 2452 Launched Career Program For Youngsters

RC Adliya, Kingdom of Bahrain of District 2452 announced the launch of two new community projects for the youth and young generation: Career Tasters and 7ewarbh. 1. Career Tasters is a high school program for 16 to 18 years old school students both male and female. Its main objective is to make students aware of many professions that are hidden within certain subsectors of the industry enabling them to offer themselves as potential opportunities of employment or even entrepreneurship choices. 2. 7ewar is the project that enhance employee engagement and productivity for workers of age 21 to 25 years ond. Young workers need platform for Discussion. The main objective of the project is to create Quarterly Discussion Platform by which both generations of workers can present their challenges in a professional and open manner aiming at mutual understanding and affecting each other's thoughts.



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World Polio Day Celebrations in District 2482

Rotary Club Sofia - Vitosha of District 2482 -Bulgaria, Rotaract Club Sofia - Vitosha and Interact Club at American College in Sofia marked the historical results achieved in the fight for the elimination of polio in the world. The information campaign of clubs from the family of one of the largest humanitarian organizations in the world - Rotary International was held in Sofia in the form of talks with passers-by on key pedestrian sites of the World Polio Day, 24 October. Rotarians from Sofia are among the thousands that aim to raise awareness of the need to fund and support efforts to destroy polio. This preventable illness still jeopardizes the health of children in many parts of the world. On October 24 Rotarians and members of the youth divisions of the organization - Rotaract (18-30) and Interact (12-18 years) took to the streets of the capital and told about the achievements of the Global Initiative to eliminate polio.



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District 2482 Supports Children's Vocal Groups

Rotary Club Montana and Rotary Club Targovishte provide financial support to children's vocal groups. The final of the National Performance Ceremony "The Voices of Children's Melody", which is part of the national contest "Children's Melody of the Year" took place on 19 and 20 October in Arena Shumen Hall. 240 children participated. Rotary Club Montana (D2482 Bulgaria) supported the participation of the young singers from the vocal group "Kids Laughter", who qualified for the final of the "Children's Melody of the Year" contest, which will take place on 22 December and will end with a gala concert in Hall 1 of the National Palace of Culture - Sofia. Rotary club Targovishte of District 2482 - Bulgaria supported the participation of the "Pro time" singing group, including children from the towns of Targovishte, Popovo, Shumen and Razgrad. Talented vocalists also qualified for the final of the "Children's Melody of the Year".



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World Polio Day Celebrations in District 2430



World Polio Day Celebrations in District 2430 (18)
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District 2482 Interactors Organised a Charity Reading Event

A Charity Night of Reading took place in Vidin, Bulgaria. The organizer was the local Interact Club, and the event aim was to raise funds for the "Be human, offer dinner to a person in need" initiative, donating dinner to people in need, said Interact Club Vidin's President Maria Nikolova. With the funds raised, provisions for elderly people in difficulty will be purchased. The Interact club was established 5 years ago and is under the guidance of the Rotary Club Vidin od District 2482.



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World Polio Day Celebrations in District 2452



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District 2482 Rotarians Took Action

Rotary Club "adopted" pavement railings in two places in Dobrich
Rotary Club Dobrich (D2482 Bulgaria) launched its new initiative a few days ago. Based on the idea and proposal of the municipal administration of Dobrich, the club "adopted" pavement railings at two places in the city – "Otets Paisiy" Street to the circle and "Tsar Petar Street" to "Hristo Botev" St. The railings are in poor condition, but have a sturdy construction. Rotary Club Dobrich members are committed to repainting them in pre-agreed colors, and then have the opportunity to use their area to promote the organization's activities. Within the framework of the action, members of the club went out with brushes and began painting in blue and yellow. The purpose of the rails is to be refreshed and to acquire a well-maintained appearance.



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World Polio Day Celebrations in District 2440



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District 2470 Set Up a New World Record for The Guinness Boo...

Largest Recyclable Mosaic for The Guinness Book of Records
RID 2470 and Rotarians participated in the huge event known as "Connect Athens" and involved many thousands of Greek Volunteers, including many Rotary clubs and members within our district. "IASIS", also took place. The event was held at the Kallimarmaro Stadium the oldest stadium of Athens, with immense historical value, on Saturday, October 13th and managed to achieve the goal of recording the attempt in the GUINNESS record, by creating the world's largest mosaic of recyclable materials. The aim of the event was to raise

awareness about recycling and environmental care and to mobilize volunteers in participating for the creation of the mosaic with recyclable materials. The initiative and idea for the participation of Rotarians belonged to the President of RC Dionyssos, Yannis Nikolopoulos, who working with his club, strongly supported our participation in the event. We had a booth for showcasing RID 2470, to enhance Rotary public image and activities and provide useful information to prospective members. In our effort, we were supported by many members and friends of Rotary. Our stand was visited by hundreds of people, our fellow citizens and tourists, who were informed of Rotary's humanitarian work in our country and internationally. Everyone shared information material and booklets about Rotary's action. We were interviewed by the state television and other private channels and news outlets and we developed the vision, ideals and wide action of our organization as well as relations with other important public organizations that participated in the event, thus, creating a strong foundation for future joint actions.



District 2470 Set Up a New World Record for The Guinness Book of Records

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District 2482 Supported Stara Zagora Festival

he ancient ritual is performed in different parts of Bulgaria around early winter or midwinter. Groups of kukeri (pronounced KOO-kuh-ree) do elaborate costumes—complete with fantastical masks and belts of massive metal bells—and accompany musicians throughout the village, dancing rhythmically to drive away evil and invite good. The Seventh edition of the “Augustada” Festival of Wine and Cultural Heritage took place in the Regional Historical Museum - Stara Zagora's ancient facilities from 12th to 14th of October 2018. Among the participants and guests of the festival were representatives of wineries, food industry, hotels and restaurants, business, industrial, public institutions, and many other guests and wine connoisseurs. The event generated broad media coverage by numerous regional and national media. The Kukeri Show, "Let's Get Rid of Evil Forces, Get Beretta and Lucky!" was a gift from the Rotary club Stara Zagora-Beroe (D2482 Bulgaria) for the “Augustiada” 2018 city festival.



District 2482 Supported Stara Zagora Festival

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District 2482 Sustained an Aeromodelling Competition for Child...

Rotary club sustained an Aeromodelling competition for children. Rotary club Gorna-Oryahovitsa-Lyaskovec (D2482 Bulgaria) provided financial aid for the organization of the national championship for aeromodelling for children held in Lovech and Valchitran village on October 15th. The children of SK "Modelist" from Gorna Oryahovitsa won three medals in the race. In the team race, the team of SK "Modelist" took the second place after the team of "Modelclub" - Lovech, third remained the team of the CDMI - Targovishte.



District 2482 Sustained an Aeromodelling Competition for Children

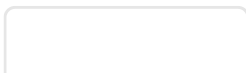
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District 2470 Cos RC's Initiative on Youtube to End Polio

D 2470. Excellent initiative of RC Cos. With an SMS costing 2,5euros to 19200 (Greece) we may vaccinate 3 children against polio
<https://youtu.be/8b-UoGq8LNo>



District 2470 Cos RC's Initiative on Youtube to End Polio

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District 2484 Drama RC celebrated His 60th Anniversary



District 2484 Drama RC Celebrated His 60th Anniversary

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District 2482 Provided Books For 3 Schools in Kardzhali City

Rotarians provided textbooks and books for 3 schools in Kardzhali city
Rotary Club-Kardzhali (D2482 Bulgaria) provided textbooks and books for children from three schools in Kardzhali. The handouts were delivered with the assistance of Rotarians from the Russian city of Rostov to Don and their friends from Turkey. For a second consecutive year, we deliver books and textbooks in Russian language for kardzhali students. The interest is great, noted the president of the Rotary Club-Kardzhali Sabahatin Gökçe.



District 2482 Provided Books For 3 Schools in Kardzhali City

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District 2451 Organised a Career Weekend In Hurghada

The District Vocational Committee launched its Career Weekend Initiative on Thursday 27 September 2018 in Hurghada. The vocational Service Committee, chaired by PP Nevine Abdelkhalek, conducted training courses for youth "Career Week End", under the patronage of D2451-Egypt Governor Abdel Hamid Al-Awa who sent a message to the youth about the importance of work and dedication to work. To sustain the positive vibes, District Governor Nominee 2019-20 Sherif Wali, praised the objective of the initiative and its importance. The Vocational Service Committee, in cooperation with the Interact Committee, chaired by PP Inas Sami, conducted training courses for youth in various locations to qualify them for their preferred career jobs in the hospitality industry. The training took place at the Intercontinental Hotel in Hurghada. Training topics covered numerous sections primarily reception of guests at the front desk, operations, room service, kitchen and its different functions, table arrangements at restaurants according to different types of food and beverage served and recreational activities. The training provided the hotel operations, cognitive and practical impact were highlighted as well as development of friendship between the youth from different governorates. Chairman of the Vocation Service Committee PP Nevine Abdelkhalek stated that there are many other hotel services to be further trained in upcoming sessions to complete the practical training like cooking meals and presenting them to guests. The training concluded with the recognition of youth trainees and all the hotel staff who actively participated.



District 2451 Organised a Career Weekend In Hurghada

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District 2482 Organised a Folkloric Event

"Folkloric Inspiration Thracian Steps 2018"

Rotary Club Stara Zagora - Beroe (D2482 Bulgaria) organized the celebration of Folkloric Inspiration Thracian Steps 2018, which took place on 12, 13 and 14 October 2018 in the town of Stara Zagora. The program included:

- Folk Dances with the participation of Rotarians
- Masked groups from different parts of Bulgaria
- Traditional dance performances involving Rotarians
- Guest at the Gala Dinner "Augusta 2018"
- Participation in the Festival of Wine and Cultural Heritage.



District 2482 Organised a Folkloric Event

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District 2482 Supported Wheelchair Basketball Team

Tools for basketball club for people in wheelchairs Sofia-Balkan. The Basketball Club for People in Wheelchairs Sofia Balkan was established in 2007 by the Rotaract Club and the Rotary Club Sofia – Balkan (D2482 Bulgaria) with the support of the Bulgarian Basketball Federation and the National Sports Academy. Rotary club Sofia Balkan organized in October 2018 the third musical evening in support of its long-standing project - basketball club for people in wheelchairs Sofia-Balkan. The funds collected will be used to provide the necessary specialized wheelchairs.



District 2482 Supported Wheelchair Basketball Team

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District 2451 Organised a TRF Seminar

District 2451 - Egypt TRF District Committee team presented TRF Awareness at a meeting celebrating the foundation Month , organized by RC 6 October Shams Presided by P Rasha El Kassas. The meeting was joint with with 3 other Rotary clubs (Palm Hills - Zayed - Giza Capital) - The meeting was professionally run, and the team introduced, an overview of TRF - Peace Programs - Grants - Polio - Annual Fund - It was a fruitful interactive meeting.



District 2451 Organised a TRF Seminar

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District 2482 Organised a Painting Exhibition

Exhibition "Khan Tervel – the Savior of Europe"

The exhibition "Khan Tervel - the Savior of Europe" containing photos and text material, which is an attractive reading of the life of one of the greatest Bulgarian rulers in our medieval history, is part of the initiative "2018 - the Year of Europe's Cultural Heritage in Lovech Region" within the framework of the Communication Strategy of Bulgaria for the EU. The exposition is prepared by the Bulgarian Memory Foundation, Badnini Foundation and the National Museum of History and is supported by Rotary Club Lovech (D2482 Bulgaria).

Khan Tervel was the Khan of Bulgaria during the First Bulgarian Empire at the beginning of the 8th century. In 705 AD Emperor Justinian II named him Caesar/Kaisar – he was the first foreigner to receive this title. He saved

Europe from the arab invasion in 718 AD. By the early 700s, the Arabs had conquered most of the Middle East, Mecca and Medina, Jerusalem, Syria, Damascus, Persia, Cyprus, Egypt, Cartagena, Spain, and Lisbon. By 716, they besieged Constantinople, the capital of the Byzantine Empire, both by land and by sea. Europe had never seen such difficult times. It was about to be crushed by two Muslim fists, one from the West and one from the East. Constantinople was barely holding after three years under siege until a miracle happened. On August 15th, 718, the Bulgar Khan Tervel took the Arabs by surprise. The Bulgar army annihilated the invaders, who didn't return to the Balkans for at least a few centuries. Thus, the Bulgar khan became not only the savior of the Byzantine Empire, which in fact had always been its greatest enemy, but the savior of the entire European Christian civilization.

What would've happened if khan Tervel had not stopped the Arabs at Constantinople's gates? Some historians think that the European society, and therefore most of the world as we know it today, would have been very different. Khan Tervel was called "Savior of Europe" and canonized as a saint by his contemporaries (although Bulgarians became Christian under King Boris a hundred years later).



District 2482 Organised a Painting Exhibition

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District 2470 Organised a Membership Seminar

D 2470 Membership Seminar took place, in the Town Hall of the municipality of Maroussi on October 7th, organized by RC Amarousio, with great success. Experienced Rotarians talked about the need for retention, feedback and renewal, elements every organization and club that wants to work with freshness and liveliness, should listen to. There is a need for renewal and enrichment with people and members who will listen, who will be inspired by enthusiasm and creative ambition to provide refreshing creative flair to our activities. People with Knowledge, Concerns, Interests and Versatile Education. We do not have the luxury of allowing our inactive fellow citizens, friends and members stand back from their high value code. Many of us within our societies and known colleagues are distinguished in our special fields. This is what we have to activate, we have to integrate this talent into the greater Rotarian family. With the wise and appropriate information and guidance, we and new members can all become a living nucleus for our group and club. Simultaneously, there are also issues of strategic and methodical planning that we must follow to keep our members. During this important seminar, we focused on retaining members and expanding clubs, setting the foundation for creating an environment of powerful groups operating on the basis of bidding and implementing dynamic programs. Because, we as Rotarians know, that powerful clubs, lead to a strong Inspirational Rotary.



District 2470 Organised a Membership Seminar

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District 2482 Organised a Basketball Tournament

The next, fifth, basketball tournament organized by the Rotary Club - Sandanski (D2482 Bulgaria) for young people from the schools of Southwestern Bulgaria and the neighboring Republic of Macedonia took place on October 13th. The competition was funded by the Rotarian hosts and with the support of friendly Rotary clubs from Petrich and Gotse Delchev.

The first among the teenagers were the basketball players of the "Yane Sandanski" High School and among the girls - the team of Kavadaritsi. The best, most useful, most attractive and most respectable racer "Miss and Mister Tournament" were selected by the public.

All participants received sports jerseys, and Atanas Belichky - President of Rotary Club Sandanski, handed buckets, diplomas and basketball balls to the winners.



District 2482 Organised a Basketball Tournament

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District 2451 Organised a Rotary Day on Polio

Alexandria Rotary clubs celebrated World Polio Day , exposing the role of Rotary as a key partner in the fight of eradication of this dreadful disease. The celebration was held on Friday 19 October in Alexandria , at Yacht Club , under the patronage of the Governor of Alexandria, Dr. Abdel Aziz Qanswa, and with attendance of District governor Abdulhamid El Awa, and with the participation of UNICEF. The event was covered by TV and press from channels MBC - DMC- LTC- ONTV & Alexandria TV Channel and many e-media sites. The event started with a marathon from the famous Alexandria Bibliothèque at 8:30 am with the participation of DG Abdul Hamid El Awa , some Rotary leaders , and the participation of some members of civil society, and the jogging and bikers teams. The Marathon ended at the Yacht Club and the winners were honored. A bazaar was organized on the sidelines of the celebration, attended by a number of small entrepreneurs and a number of charitable societies as well as our children with special needs . Rotary items holding " End Polio Now " were sold for the sale of fundraising. The celebration was attended by a number of Arab and foreign countries' consuls , that were presented with Rotary items holding Rotary & " End Polio Now " logos . They were also given Rotary red vests with logos to wear during the even on the sidelines of the celebration, a seminar was held on the role of Rotary as an influential partner through the Rotary International commitment to eradicate polio , and its awareness of the importance of continuing the vaccination until the end of the disease and declaring the world polio free. The seminar included a number of speeches by the Rotary DG , District Rotary Foundation Committee chair PDG Mayan Raslan - chair of End polio Sub Committee PP Ahmed Osman , National Polio Representative PP Ahmed Ghobrial , and representatives of UNICEF , followed by their recognition. The event included a cruise aboard a boat carrying large banners " End polio Now ". It also included a children's entertainment and musical entertainment from the Takhtisa musical band. The ceremony was concluded by thanking and recognizing the members of the organizing committee - The main target of this event was achieved - to deliver the message of Rotary in Egypt and the world to all communities , of the importance of eradicating polio and the role of Rotary in reaching this goal.



District 2451 Organised a Rotary Day on Polio

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District 2452 Organised a Marathon

124 contestants from all over the country took part in the 13th edition of the Rotary Marathon - Batak dam tour. The organizers of the competition were four Rotary clubs from the area. The Rotary Marathon was held for the first time in 2006. Its main idea is promoting a healthy lifestyle. In the 13th edition participated athletes from across the country. The first place of the ladies Super marathon won last year's champion Dima Gacheva. Second finshed Nina Lambova, and third - Ani Yaneva. Super. Men's marathon cup was conquered by Kristian Kirilov. Tsvyatko Mitov was ranked second and bronze went to Georgi Georgiev. Medal also received the oldest participant in the marathon - the 76-year-old Kosta Yankov from Burgas. Rotarian Emil Apostolov, who is founder and irreplaceable organizer of the event, received a special prize.



District 2482 Organised a Marathon

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District 2483 Organised a Successful Rotary Training

D.2483. On Saturday, October 13th, Rotary training was successfully held in Belgrade under the auspices of DG Vladimir Matic. PDGs, DGE , DGN, Club Presidents, Secretaries, District and Club Committee Chairs and members of Rotary Clubs attended the event. Three parallel seminars dedicated to the Rotary Foundation, Membership development and Public Image were organized. At Public Image seminar among the lecturers from District 2483 there were also lecturers from abroad.RPIC Zone 20B 2017-20 PDG Katerina Kotsali-Papadimitriou, ARPIC/PDG D 2452 Nijad Al Atassi and ARPIC D 2482 Ina Agafonova. Over 120 Rotarians participated in the seminars. The previous day the Chartering Ceremony of the IYFR Serbian Fleet took place in Novi Sad with the presence of International Vice- Commodore Robert Burns RC Beograd celebrated 60 years anniversary on Thursday 11th. In the closing ceremony of all events Rotarians enjoyed a great fellowship dinner in a well-known restaurant in Beograd. Congratulations to DG Vladimir and to all those who contributed to this successful Rotary multi-event.



District 2483 Organised a Successful Rotary Training

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D-2440 Gündoğdu & D-2483 Belgrade Metropolitan RC's Signed...

by Mr. Mithat Sucuoğlu, TRF SCC and ICC Turkey-Serbia

Under the patronage of ICC Turkey-Serbia the first steps were made to establish good and sustainable friendship relations with Serbian rotary clubs. Between September 28th and October 01st, several Rotarians from District 2440 visited Belgrade and were hosted by RC Belgrade Metropolitan. The main purpose was to sign a twin club agreement between RC İzmir Gündoğdu and RC Belgrade Metropolitan. Prior to this visit intentions were expressed by Mr. Mithat Sucuoğlu, TRF SCC and ICC Turkey-Serbia, who had contacted Mrs. Ivana Zdravkovic from RC Belgrade Metropolitan. He recommended RC Gündoğdu, which seemed to be a perfect partner club to Metropolitan. On arrival day, Turkish Rotarians were welcomed by Mrs. Zdravkovic., (Mrs and Mr. Sucuoğlu were hosted in the house of Mrs. Zdravkoic)

In the evening we went to SOBA 207 restaurant, "Wine tasting night" by RC Belgrade Skadarlija, in support of their rotary project for children. After warm welcoming by Mr. Igor Dimitrijević, President RC Skadarlija and by Davkov Sovran, President RC Metropolitan and DGE Mrs. Ljiljana Lainovic. Mrs Lainovic received pin and district flag from Mithat Sucuoğlu. Mrs. LAINOVIĆ underlined her support to establish sustainable relations with both districts and to establish an ICC Serbia-Turkey. During the evening it was a warm and friendly coming together, were all Rotarians introduced themselves, informed about their club and their projects. The Turkish Rotarians were invited to participate in one of Metropolitan's project the next day. This is, why after breakfast, we all went to a home for the elderly, the Gerontology Centre Vozdovac. This institution hosts 265 elderly males and females with the average age of 80. The oldest patient is 97 at the time being. RC Metropolitan had already painted the outdoor walls and the garden utilities, which urgently needed a new look, as this institution was build 45 years ago. We were very happy that we could participate within this project planting flowers. After the visit and our activities at the home for the elderly, we have been hosted for lunch at fancy Graficar restaurant. Our host was Rotarian Milan Knezević, a well known Serbian director and President of Association of Film Artists' of Serbia. In the evening, the twinning ceremony took place at the Hyatt Regency Belgrade. RC Belgrade Metropolitan District 2483 and RC İzmir Gündoğdu District 2440 have signed the official document. In their speeches Mr. Sucuoğlu Chair ICC Turkey-Serbia and Mr. Velimir Stefanovic, PDG, and ARC Zone 20B 2018-19, both emphasized the importance of the ICC for the global peace and international relations fulfilling the Rotary mission. After the speech of Davko Sovran, President of Metropolitan, Selman Uysal made an informative presentation about Izmir and his club. He mentioned that the song Leylim Ley, is originally from Serbia, but with different text and invited Mr. Sovran to sing this song together. It was a lovely and successful night. Day four of our visit, we had a guided morning walk through the city. We have seen Sokullu Mehmet Pasha's fountain and the fortress of Belgrade, with the Kale Megdan. We have learned that Kale Megdan is one of 12.000 common words in Serbian and Turkish Language. In the afternoon, Rotarcat Club Metropolitan hosted us at the Botanical garden and informed us about their Rotary project planting trees. In the evening, we had a farewell dinner at Mrs. Ivana Zdravkovic house, together with several club members and with Nikola Obradovic, Charter president of the RC Metropolitan and his wife, who came directly from Budapest. In his speech Mr. Nikola Obradovic informed about the club's relations they have with other countries. He also expressed his happiness of our twin-club assignment and emphasized his support for a long-lasting friendship. Mr. Sucuoğlu gave thanks to Mrs. Ivana Zdravkovic for her efforts to make this ICC visit come true and her hospitality shown to Mrs. & Mr. Sucuoğlu and all Turkish Rotarians. He also thanked all members of RC Metropolitan who showed Serbian hospitality in a perfect way. Mr Sucuoğlu points out that ICC mission is to connect people to progress an international network of bilateral relations and activities to catch all opportunities in a tuned effort to promote and maintain Peace and Understanding worldwide. We leave Belgrade looking forward to meeting our Serbian friends as soon as possible in Izmir.



D-2440 Gündoğdu & D-2483 Belgrade Metropolitan RC's Signed a Twin Club Agreement

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District 2482 Organised a PI Seminar in Stara Zagora

A Rotary Public Image seminar was held by District 2482 Bulgaria on 06 October 2018 in Stara Zagora. Representatives of Rotary clubs from all over the country attended. The friends of RC Stara Zagora and RC Stara Zagora-Beroe had taken care of the good business atmosphere in the halls of the hotel "City". A special guest at the event was Mrs. Katerina Kotsali-Papadimitriou, Rotary Public Image Coordinator for Zone 20B. The event was hosted by Mr. Veselin Dimitrov, District Governor 2018-19, District 2482 Bulgaria. Presentations related to the priority goal of improving the public image and awareness about Rotary delivered Mrs. Katerina Kotsali-Papadimitriou (RPIC Zone 20B), Mrs. Ina Agafonova, Assistant Rotary Public Image Coordinator for Zone 20B, Mrs. Anelia Dosheva, PDG, Chairman of the Public Relations Committee, Asparuh Karastoyanov, president of RC Sofia Vitoshka, Ivaylo Fichev, Public Relations Committee and Eli Petkova, RC Pazardzhik –Besapara.

"Good Example" was the meeting with a famous journalist – Mrs. Miglena Dimcheva - author and host of

"Looking For", a model for "Success Story and Practical Directions for media relations". The seminar ended with a free discussion in which many attendees took active part and continued in an informal atmosphere at dinner.



District 2482 Organised a PI Seminar in Stara Zagora

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Zone 19P Organised a Zone Conference in Bratislava

Zone 19P Organised a Zone Coordination Conference from 5-7 October in Bratislava.



Zone 19P Organised a Zone Conference in Bratislava

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District 2451 Organised a Great Rotary Day to End Polio

District 2451-Egypt RC Port Said organizes a great "Polio Day"

With presence of DG Abdelhamid Al Awa , District 2451 - Egypt , TRF District sub-committee for Polio Eradication chaired by PP Ahmed Osman, coordinated with the Rotary Club of Port Said presided by P Rabab Ragab the organization of a great Polio day - that ended up to be a great Public Image Rotary Festival under the slogan of "END POLIO NOW" .

The aim of the celebration was to raise the Society awareness of all sectors and ages with the dangers of this dreaded virus and the importance of continuing the vaccination order to ensure the prevention of the re-currency of this virus in Egypt , with its drastic consequences .

The Festival was held on Friday, September 7, 2018, in the area of the Public Library of Egypt in Port Said. The program of the festival was as follows:

- A Moving Show of more than 20 modified and branded Jeep and Jeep Wrangler with the "END POLIO NOW" logo in cooperation with Jeep and Jeep Wrangler Owners and more than 60 motorcycles in cooperation with Falcons Bikers and Port Said Cruisers.
- A symbolic marathon for boys and girls with special abilities followed by a 5 km race for young people in cooperation with Life Style Egypt and Port Said Runners with the awards of valuable cash prizes in kind for the first three winners (young men and women) .
- Awareness seminar about the risks of disease and non-vaccination and prevention methods at the library for the women and mothers in cooperation with the Department of Health Affairs and UNICEF.
- Blood donation campaign.
- A Free Youth concert for Port Said Youth in the open theater in the campus of the Public Library of Egypt with the Band "Al Haffa" .
- A Free fair for "back to school" in cooperation with Dar Ghraib for Printing and Publishing.

A Public Free Festival that was seen by all attendees as a global day with many messages and positive meanings brought about the importance and necessity of continuing polio vaccination to keep our Beloved Egypt and the World free of this dreaded disease.

- The event was covered in the media , electronic press sites and news papers .



District 2451 Organised a Great Polio Day

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District 2430 Climbed Mount Nemrut with Disabled

District 2430 Climed Mount Nemrut on 29 September 2018 with disabled. This is a project of Adiyaman Rotary Club of Adiyaman who is organising this event every year.



District 2430 Climed Mount Nemrut with Disabled

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September 30, 2018

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New RID for Zone 21 Elected - Congratulations Katerina Papadi...

Zone 21B Director Nominating Committee met on 26 September 2018 in Istanbul and elected RPIC Katerina Kotsali Papadimitriou as New Director of Zone 21 to serve on Rotary Years 2020-2022. We congratulate her and wish great success in her Term of Service.



New RID for Zone 21 Elected - Congratulations Katerina Papadimitriou from Distri

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District 2451 Organised a Membership Seminar in Alexandria

Under the Patronage of DG. AbdulHamid El Awa-D2451, District Membership Committee chaired by PDG Adel Hafez organized the Membership Seminar at Alexandrina Bibliotheca in Alexandria City for the second year in row. The Organizing Committee chaired by PP Atman Nazih organized a great Seminar , attended by 886 Rotarians among which were Fellow Rorarians from Lebanon and Jordon -D2452, in addition to Roteractors, Interactors and guests. Among attendees were PDG. Malik Aviral -Rotary Coordinator Zone 20 B, PDGs, DGNs and General Counsels of England, France, Italy, USA., Lebanon, Turkey and Palestine. Guest of honor was Cheif Admiral of Egypt North Zone. Informative sessions and work shops were held about:-
'Updates in the Membership in D2451, Challenges and solutions.'
'Ethics is Drive to healthy Clubs'.
'Assess and Empore your Clubs'
'Stratigic Plan and Leadership Skills'
'How to engage and attract New Members'
'Youth is our future at large'.
Recognitions of participations and attendance where distributed to members and Clubs . Moreover, New Members were pinned.
Rotarians then enjoyed a great night at the Arena of Quitbay Citadal.
It was a magnificent Seminar with all its whereabouts



District 2451 Organised a Membership Seminar in Alexandria

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September 29, 2018

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District 2452 Supported Education

The 3 Rotary Clubs and the Rotaract Club in Bahrain (District 2452) participated in a joint project of distributing school bags to 9 charity societies in Bahrain for the orphan children who cannot afford to buy school bags. The Rotarian and Rotaract members jointly distributed over 600 school bags to children of Al Sanabel Orphan Care Society, Bani Jamra, Society, Barbar Charity Society, Tree Of Life Charity Society, Al Hedaya Society Association, Riffa Woman Culture and charity society, Dar Batelco Capital Charity Association and Bahrain Charity Society. Courtesy Rtn. Faisal Juma, RC Sulmaniya



District 2452 Supported Education (14)
September 29, 2018

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Nuremberg Rotary Institute Completed Successfully

Nuremberg Rotary Institute successfully completed from 21 to 23 September 2018. Governor Elects & Nominees from Zone 19P participated to their GETS & GNTS's.



Nuremberg Rotary Institute Completed Successfully (77)
September 23, 2018

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66th EEMA - Youth Exchange Officers Conference Completed D...

66th EEMA Succuessfully completed in Deauville - France from 14 to 17 September 2018.



66th EEMA - Youth Exchange Officers Conference Completed Deauville - France (19)
September 22, 2018

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District 2452 is Preparing for the Zone 20B Institute in Dead sea ...

RID Yinka Babalola visited Jordan to check the ongoing preparations for the Zone 20B Rotary Institute which will be held in Dead Sea Jordan.



District 2452 is Preparing for the Zone 20B Institute in Dead sea - Jordan (7)
September 22, 2018

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Zone 20A Rotary Institute Successfully Completed in Lagos - Ni...

Zone 20A Rotary Institute successfully completed from 11 to 15 September 2018 in Lagos, Nigeria



Zone 20A Institute Successfully Completed in Lagos - Nigeria (210)
September 16, 2018


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District 2440 Organised a Public Image Seminar in Bursa

District 2440 successfully organised a Public Image Seminar on 15 September 2018 in Bursa



District 2440 Organised a Public Image Seminar in Bursa

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September 14, 2018

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District 2484 Participated to 83rd Thessaloniki International Fair

District 2484 in Northern Greece participated in the 83rd Thessaloniki International Fair (8-16 September 2018) with an excellent booth in the Hall of the Nations ,offering significant information about Rotary in general and about 2484 RID in particular. The opening of the Rotary booth took place on Sunday September 9th. The attendance exceeded any expectation. DG Theodoros Aspasides addressed the audience and thanked the organizing committee and the District for their achievements. R.I. President Barry Rassin and General Secretary John Hewko sent video messages on the occasion. Significant projects of the District were projected on a screen throughout the duration of the Fair. PDG George Vassilikiotis, the representative of the DG of 2241 RID , Romania-Moldova, Gabriel Vlandut and the President of ICC of the Balkan countries and Rtn. Sasa Miloutinovic, representative of the DG of 2483 RID Serbia-Montenegro addressed a greeting and congratulated DG Theodoros Aspasides and the leadership of the District. PDG-RPIC Katerina Kotsali-Papadimitriou in her greeting highlighted the importance of the Rotary presence in an International Fair and congratulated the DG and all those who contributed to the great success of the event. The representative of the General Governor of the 3rd Army Corps Mr Samartzidis addressed also the audience. D2470 Secretary Dimitris Kollias conveyed the congratulations of DG 2470 Dora Kemou. Mr George Aspasides, Regional Counselor represented the Head of the Region of Central Macedonia Mr Apostolos Tzitzicostas. Past Ministers Mr Costas Gioulekas, and Mr George Orfanos, past General Secretary of the Ministry of Public works Mr Stratos Simopoulos and the General Consul of USA honored the event with their presence



District 2484 Participated to 83rd Thessaloniki International Fair

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September 16, 2018

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District 2440 Chartered a New Club in Izmir

Latest Rotary Club of District 2440 Izmir-Varyant held his Charter Celebration on 4 September 2018.



District 2440 Chartered a New Club in Izmir

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September 05, 2018

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Rotarians from United States and Hungary Visited District 2482

Rotarians from United States and Hungary, together with their Bansko-Razlog Rotary Club partners, met with the Mayor of Bansko Municipality – Georgi Ikonov. The meeting was within the visit of Bob Padgett, Scotts Valley Rotary Club (USA) and Henning Sorknaes from Budapest Rotary Club (Hungary) to the local Rotary club.

The two gentlemen have two donor projects, implemented locally, through which the Multiprofile Hospital for Active Treatment- Razlog acquired modern equipment for its Obstetrics and Gynecology Department and Department of Internal Diseases. The visitors talked with the mayor Ikonov, who is Rotarian as well, about the possibilities of supporting the social institutions on the territory of Bansko Municipality and their equipment with household appliances and the means for improving the daily life of people with disabilities.

"Every time I visit the area of Bansko and Razlog with great pleasure. The relationships in life are very important, and here, with the people of Bansko - Razlog, we have created great partnership. We plan to continue with the renewal of the district hospital's apparatus", said Bob Padgett during the discussion.



Rotarians from United States and Hungary Visited District 2482

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September 02, 2018

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District 2452 Organised a RYLA Seminar in Lebanon

District 2452 Organised a RYLA Seminar from 31 August to 2 September 2018 in Lebanon.



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September 02, 2018

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Invitation to District 2451 Egypt Project Fair

By Abdul Hamid El Awa, 2018-19 District 2451 Governor

Fellow Rotarians,

It gives me great pleasure and honor to invite you to the first project fair to be hosted in Egypt, 1-3 December 2018 in the spectacular city of Luxor.

The region's first project fair will bring together Rotarians from two African and one Middle Eastern district, along with many international partners from all over the world. It is expected that over 50 Middle Eastern – North African Rotary clubs will exhibit over 100 humanitarian projects proposals ranging sizes from small to large, aligning with Rotary's six areas of focus that will ensure sustainability and be beneficial to our communities.

During this three-day event, visiting Rotarians will learn more about the beneficiary communities and the projects that seek international partners to help bring change. Rotarians will personally meet project sponsors to establishing important partnerships, find projects to support as an international partner, as well as long lasting friendships.

On 3 December from 8:30 to 15:00, local Rotarians will be exhibiting their projects to international visitors. Visitors will have the opportunity to visit various project booths and learn about local needs. There will also be optional tours to visit global grant project sites. The project fair will conclude that evening. The fair will begin on 1 December at 19:00 with dinner and entertainment. The next day from 10:00 to 16:00, international visitors will learn more about our region with presentations and round tables discussions with local Rotary members. The Rotary Foundation Trustee- Chair, Ron Burton will also address attendees of the fair. That evening, visitors will have the opportunity to foster new friendships at the gala.

Our visitors will also have the opportunity to explore the great city of Luxor, a modern city featuring ruins of the temples. the world's greatest open-air museum, and nearby monuments, temples and tombs of the West Bank Necropolis. Thousands of tourists from all around the world arrive annually to visit these monuments, contributing greatly to the economy of the modern city.

Please visit [our website](#) or [contact](#) the Middle East – North Africa Project Fair Organizing Committee Chair, Past President Ayman Helal and his remarkable team for more information and registration details. Follow us on [Facebook](#) for more updates.

Let us all embody Rotary's new vision statement: *"Together, we see a world where people unite and take action, to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves."* Let us unite and start taking the needed action by attending our first Middle East – North Africa Project Fair in Luxor, Egypt. Let us *Be the Inspiration*.

[Find information about upcoming fairs](#), including dates, location, program, and registration online.



Invitation to District 2451 Egypt Project Fair (5)

September 02, 2018

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District 2470 Provided Needs for a Special Elementary School

Samos Rotary Club of District 2470 donated various items covering the operational needs of the Special Elementary School of the island: a fridge, a laptop and a scanner, three radio- music players, educational toys and a trampolino. The Administration of the School expressed their deepest thanks for the donation.



District 2470 Provided Needs for a Special Elementary School (8)

September 01, 2018

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32nd Hellespont Swimming Competition Completed Successfully

Turkish Districts jointly organised the 32nd Hellespont Swimming Competition with the participation of 78 Foreign participants out of 614. Canakkale Rotary Club Hosted this major Event.



32nd Hellespont Swimming Competition Completed Successfully (110)

August 30, 2018

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District 2452 Took Care of Orphan Children

On Saturday 11th August 2018 the Rotaract Club of Bahrain in Distreict 2452 organized Eid Al Adha shopping & lunch trip for orphan children from local Charity Societies at the City Center Mall in Seef Area of Manama, Bahrain. The children were partnered up with one or two of the Rotaract members, where they first took the children to a store in order to pick out clothes and toys for Eid, according to the child's choice. The kids were then taken to the local arcade and were given the chance to play with their big buddies during that time. Lastly, the club ended the day by sharing late lunch at the food court with the children. Courtesy Rtn. Faisal Juma.



District 2452 Took Care of Orphan Children (5)

September 02, 2018

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District 2452 - Invitation to Membership Seminar in Armenia

Dear Rotarian friends,
On behalf of 2452 District Governor Michel Jazzar and District Membership Development Chair PDG Nijad Al Atassy it is a great honor for me and Rotary Clubs of Armenia to extend our cordial invitation to you to attend the District 2452 Membership Seminar, scheduled to be held on 30th September 2018 in Yerevan, Armenia, followed by a trip full of Rotary and full of culture.
As you know, membership seminar is one of the most important seminars in Rotary. It is an excellent opportunity to develop effective membership strategies for the club to be vibrant in every respect. We encourage all the Rotarians from district 2452 and beyond, Club Presidents and Club Membership Committee Chair (BOD) in the District to attend or send their club representative to the seminar.
If you have any question concerning seminar and tour please don't hesitate to contact me, Assistant Governor Nika Manukova, nikamanukova@gmail.com, Organizing committee Secretary Vahagn Nazaryan vahagn.nazaryan@gmail.com.
Looking forward to see you in Armenia
Best Rotarian Regards
Ashot Karapetyan



Invitation to Membership Seminar



Registration Form



Membership Seminar Costs



District 2452 Membership Seminar Tour Program

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District 2483 Organised a Rotary Day in Budva

District 2483 Organised for 8th time a Rotary Day in Budva on 18 August 2018.



District 2483 Organised a Rotary Day in Budva

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August 24, 2018

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District 2470 Realised a District Grant For Refugees

District 2470 Rotary Clubs: Pendeli, Agia Paraskevi, Amaroussion, Gerakas, Kifissia-Ekali, Kifissia-Politia offered through a District Grant a shipping container with the interior equipment and the electricity installation to the refugee camp at Thermopyles. The container serves for storing clothing and linen donated to the refugees.



District 2470 Realised a District Grant For Refugees

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August 24, 2018

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Congratulations PDG Jamil Mouawad

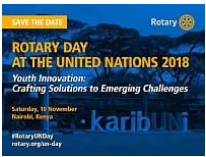
PDG Jamil Mouawad from District 2452 is appointed as Rotary Coordinator for Zone 20B (Region 24) - New Zone 21B for the Rotary Years 2019-2022



Congratulations PDG Jamil Mouawad (1)
August 18, 2018

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Save The Date - Rotary Day at UN in Kenya - 10 November 2018



Save The Date - Rotary Day at UN in Kenya - 10 November 2018 (5)
August 06, 2018

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Rotary Clubs in Armenia, District 2452 Organised a Summer Ca...

Rotary Clubs in Armenia organised a Rotary Youth Summer camp with participation of children from Armenia, Russia, Georgia and Czech Republic with cooperation of the ICC Armenia-Russia



Rotary Clubs in Armenia, District 2452 Organised a Summer Camp For Youngsters (9)
August 05, 2018

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Wildfires Devastated Areas near Athens. District 2470 Rotarians ...

The worst wildfires over a decade, devastated areas in Attiki, near Athens, in Greece on July 23rd 2018. Greece has declared a state of emergency in affected areas and is requesting assistance from the European Union after the wildfires have forced people to flee their homes. This is the third largest destruction Greece has suffered in terms of loss of life since the war. More than 91 people have lost their lives and nearly 200 were injured and admitted to hospitals, 10 of them still in very serious condition. There are also many unaccounted persons, but it is difficult to estimate their final number. From the very first moments there was a wave of voluntary assistance and solidarity from most parts of the society. Both Greek Rotary and Rotaract Districts and Clubs have responded immediately, providing water, food and clothing to people who lost their home. A special medical team of Rotarians organized blood donations in big hospitals. The devastation is so extensive that it will take some time to complete the job of recording and documenting damages and needs. RC Marathon-Nea Makri will proceed to an auction of the flannel of the footballer Zinedine Zidane in order to support the victims of the wildfires. District 2470 has arranged to confer with the Local Authorities of the devastated areas to coordinate for the best possible way our contribution to ease the suffering and address needs these areas are facing or will face in the immediate future. The District designated two focal points for the coordination of the efforts of collection and distribution and opened an account for anyone wishing to contribute.

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Wildfires Devastated Areas near Athens. District 2470 Rotarians has Taken Action (10)
August 04, 2018



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District 2440 Global Grant Successfully Completed

12 pieces of various Medical Equipments for Didim State Hospital Physiotherapy Department delivered within the scope of a Global Grant Project of 40.200 USD. Yearly 2000 Patients will benefit.
Project Partners are ; The Rotary Foundation - District 2440 Didim (Project Leader), Bademli, Çekirge, Ege, Manisa, Mavişehir and Smyrna Rotary Clubs - International Partners District 2470 Cos, District 2232 Lviv, District 1830 Wablingen Rotary Clubs, Districts 2232 Ukraine, District 6060 Missouri – USA – District 2482 Bulgaria and District 1910 Austria.



District 2440 Global Grant Successfully Completed (11)

July 19, 2018

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District 2483 Organised Joint District Assembly & Conference

District 2483 successfully organised his District Training Assembly and District Conference from 1 to 2 June 2018.



District 2483 Organised Joint District Assembly & Conference (296)

June 17, 2018

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District 2440 Organised a Grant Management Seminar

District 2440 organised a Grand Management Seminar on 9 June 018 in Izmir for the Incoming Presidents and Districts Officers of the Rotary Year 2018-19.



District 2440 Organised a Grant Management Seminar (136)

May 24, 2018



Distict 2440 Grant Management Seminar Album 2 (119)

June 09, 2018

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District 2470 DTTS & PETS Completed Sucessfully

District 2470 PETS and DTTS successfully completed at Domotel Kastri Hotel in Kifissia, under the auspices of DGE Dora Kemos on March 17th 2018. The attendance to both Seminars was significant. DG Christos Kitsos, RC Zone 20B Malik Aviral, PDGs Yannis Vlasiades, Spyros Mavrakos, Yannis Mavroulias , Michael Varotsos, Takis Dalianis, Maria Delivoria, Dimitris Tsimpoukis, Yannis Iliakis, Cosmas Choutouriades, Marianna Kaloeida, and DGN Theodore Panagos participated in the Seminars. During the sessions and the breaks the incoming District Leaders had the opportunity to exchange ideas and set up the perspectives of a fruitful collaboration. Congratulations to the Presidents Mari Korkolopoulou and Yannis Terzis and the members of RC Athina-Lycavittos and Nea Smyrni respectively for the excellent organization of the seminars



District 2470 DTTS & PETS Completed Sucessfully (2)

May 09, 2018

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Dsitrict 2482 PETS Completed Successfully

District 2482 PETS Successfully completed from 23 to 24 March 2018



District 2482 PETS Completed Successfully (24)

May 08, 2018

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District 2470 Training Assembly Completed Successfully

District 2470 Assembly took place with great success, under the auspices of DGE Dora Kemou at Domotel Kastri Hotel on March 18th 2018. RCs Athina-Filothei, Amaroussio and Halandri were the sponsor clubs. Warmest thanks to Club Presidents Tassos Kanellos, Lila Kyriakopoulou, Marianna Karamitsa-Frousou and the members of the clubs. The District will organize webinars to train those who couldn't attend the training seminars. DG Christos Kitsos, PDGs Vassilis Papadopoulos, Yannis Vlasiades, Spyros Mavrakos, Yannis Mavroulias, Mari Delivoria, Dimitris Tsimpoukis, Yannis Iliakis, Cosmas Choutouriades, Marianna Kaloeida, and DGN Theodore Panagos attended the District Assembly



District 2470 Training Assembly Completed Successfully (2)

May 09, 2018

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District 2470 Organised a Training Seminar for ADG's

District 2470 Training Seminar of Assistant District Governors was held with great success at Domotel Kastri Hotel in Kifissia under the auspices of DGE Dora Kemou on March 16th 2018. RC Zone 20B Malik Aviral participated in the Seminar as presenter. RPIC Zone - PDG Katerina Kotsali-Papadimitriou, ARC - PDG Kosmas Choutouriades, PADG Panagiotis Katrougalos and incoming District Secretary Dimitris Kollias were the trainers of the Seminar. Special importance was accorded to the duties of the Assistant Governors and the effective communication with the clubs. Congratulations to the President Maria Paradissi and the members of RC Kifissia-Politia for the excellent organization of the Seminar.



District 2470 Organised a Training Seminar for ADG's (4)

May 09, 2018



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District 2482 DTTS Completed Successfully

District 2482 DTTS Successfully Completed on 17 February 2018



District 2482 DTTS Completed Successfully

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May 08, 2018

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District 2484 DTTS Completed Successfully

District 2484 DTTS successfully completed in Thessaloniki under the auspices of DGE Theodoros Aspasides on February 25th 2018. District leaders from all over the areas of the district attended the seminar. DGE Theodoros presented the new Rotary theme by incoming R.I. President Barry Rassin" Be the inspiration" and encouraged the incoming district leaders to take action. DG Chryssa Tselepi addressed the opening of the seminar. PDGs George Vassilikiotis, Peter Apostolides, George Solemetzidis, Panayiotis Tzoumas, Babis Athanassiades, Kyriakos Katsikis, Vassilis Christaras, P. Theodoropoulos, Costas Kotsis, Nikos Kouzinoglou, Vassilis Mylonas, Costas Karvounis, George Christoforides and Costas Petrides participated in the seminar as presenters. Wishing to incoming District 2484 Leaders a successful, prosperous new Rotary year!



District 2484 DTTS Completed Successfully

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May 09, 2018

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District 2484 PETS Completed Successfully

D 2484 PETS successfully completed in Thessaloniki on 10-11 March 2018, under the auspices of DGE Theodoros Aspasides. RID Safak Alpay, RI President Representative for D 2484 always present in all events of the District honored the Seminar with his participation as guest speaker. PRC Doros Jeropoulos from Cyprus, close friend of the District offered his significant Rotary knowledge to the attendees. PDGs Kostas Petrides, George Vassilikiotis, Kyriakos Katsikis, George Christoforides, Vassilis Christaras, Panayiotis Tzoumas, Kostas Kotsis, Peter Apostolides, Vassilis Mylonas motivated the incoming leaders with their inspired presentations. Rotaractors also actively participated in the Seminars. All the best to the incoming District Leaders !



District 2484 PETS Completed Successfully

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May 09, 2018

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District 2430 PETS & Training Assembly Completed Successfully

District 2430 successfully completed his PETS & Training Assembly from 12 to 15 April 2018 in ANTalya Xanadu Resort Hotel.



District 2430 PETS & Training Assembly Completed Successfully

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April 13, 2018



District 2430 Training Assembly Album 2

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April 14, 2018

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District 2420 Training Assembly Completed Successfully

District 2420 Training Assembly successfully completed on 7 April 2018 in Istanbul Swissotel.



District 2420 Training Assembly Completed Successfully

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April 08, 2018

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District 2440 PETS and Training Assembly Completed Successfully

District 2440 PETS and Training Assembly successfully completed from 29 March to 1 April 2018 in Cesme Grand Hotel Ontur



District 2440 PETS and Training Assembly Albüm 1

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March 28, 2018



District 2440 PETS and Training Assembly Albüm 2

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March 30, 2018



District 2440 PETS and Training Assembly Albüm 3

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March 31, 2018



District 2440 PETS and Training Assembly Albüm 4 (427)
March 30, 2018

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International Assembly Completed in San Diego

Rotary International President-elect Barry Rassin laid out his vision for the future of the organization on Sunday, calling on leaders to work for a sustainable future and to inspire Rotarians and the community at large. Rassin, a member of the Rotary Club of East Nassau, New Providence, Bahamas, unveiled the 2018-19 presidential theme, Be the Inspiration, to incoming district governors at Rotary's International Assembly in San Diego, California, USA. "I want you to inspire in your clubs, your Rotarians, that desire for something greater. The drive to do more, to be more, to create something that will live beyond each of us." 2018-19 RI President Barry Rassin announces his presidential theme, Be the Inspiration, at Rotary's International Assembly. Rassin stressed the power of Rotary's new vision statement, "Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves." This describes the Rotary that leaders must help build, he said. To achieve this vision, the president-elect said, Rotarians must take care of the organization: "We are a membership organization first. And if we want to be able to serve, if we want to succeed in our goals — we have to take care of our members first." Rassin asked the incoming district governors to "inspire the club presidents, and the Rotarians in your districts, to want to change. To want to do more. To want to reach their own potential. It's your job to motivate them — and help them find their own way forward." Rassin noted that one source of inspiration has been Rotary's work to eradicate polio. He described the incredible progress made over the past three decades. In 1988, an estimated 350,000 people were paralyzed by the wild poliovirus; just 20 cases were reported in 2017 as of 27 December. "We are at an incredibly exciting time for polio eradication," he said, "a point at which each new case of polio could very well be the last." He emphasized that even when that last case of polio is recorded, the work won't be finished. "Polio won't be over, until the certifying commission says it's over—when not one poliovirus has been found, in a river, in a sewer, or in a paralyzed child, for at least three years," he said. "Until then, we have to keep doing everything we're doing now." He urged continued dedication to immunization and disease surveillance programs. Rotary has focused heavily on sustainability in its humanitarian work in recent years. Now, Rassin said, Rotarians must acknowledge some hard realities about pollution, environmental degradation, and climate change. He noted that 80 percent of his own country is within one meter of sea level. With sea levels projected to rise two meters by 2100, he said, "my country is going to be gone in 50 years, along with most of the islands in the Caribbean and coastal cities and low-lying areas all over the world." Rassin urged leaders to look at all of Rotary's service as part of a larger global system. He said that this means the incoming district governors must be an inspiration not only to clubs, but also to their communities. "We want the good we do to last. We want to make the world a better place. Not just here, not just for us, but everywhere, for everyone, for generations."



2018-19 District Governors (497)
January 20, 2018



International Assembly Completed in San Diego (31)
January 16, 2018



International Assembly - 14 January 2018 (51)
January 17, 2018



International Assembly - 15 January 2018 (86)
January 17, 2018



International Assembly - 16 January 2018

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January 18, 2018



International Assembly - 17 January 2018

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January 20, 2018

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