



Governor Stan Smalley, Rotary District 5160



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## The Rotary Foundation (TRF) Newsletter From Rotary District 5160 March 2008

### ROTARY PEACE FELLOWS, IT'S NOMINATION AND SPRING SEMINAR TIME Susan Cohen-Grossman

It's nomination time! Rotary World Peace Fellows are chosen based on their ability to have a significant, positive impact on world peace and conflict resolution during their future careers. Fellows are potential leaders who will promote national and international cooperation, peace, and the successful resolution of conflict throughout their lives, in their careers, and through service activities. (Students may not attend a school located in their home country.)

Please help find possible candidates! I will do the follow up if you have a possibility. If you could find out if the person is interested and request he/she reads the message on the district website, that would be a great first step.

<http://rotary5160.org/programs/peace.php>

The six Rotary World Peace and Conflict Resolution Program centers are associated with these seven university partners:

- \* Duke University and The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, North Carolina, USA (both universities jointly host one Rotary Center)
- \* International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan (program is conducted in English)
- \* Universidad del Salvador, Buenos Aires, Argentina (Spanish)
- \* University of Bradford, West Yorkshire, England
- \* University of California, Berkeley
- \* The University of Queensland, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia

Applicants for the Rotary World Peace Fellowships must have:

- \* Training, academic background, and work experience in a relevant field for a master's-level program at the Rotary Center university partners
- \* Minimum of three years combined paid or unpaid full-time work experience in a relevant field
- \* Proficiency in more than one language
- \* Excellent leadership skills
- \* A demonstrated commitment to peace and international understanding through their professional and academic achievements and/or personal and community service activities

Possible candidates might currently work with nongovernmental organizations involved in human rights, disaster relief, aid distribution, environmental advocacy, refugee issues, mediation, and arbitration or international organizations and corporations. If you know of a possible candidate, please suggest to him/her to take a look at the district website where my name, phone # and email are posted for further information.

Thank you very much.

Susan Cohen Grossman, District 5160 Chair, Peace and Conflict Fellowship Programs  
Member, Davis Rotary Club, cell: 707 319-1053

**5th ROTARY CENTER SPRING CONFERENCE ON  
PEACE AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION**

Susan Cohen-Grossman

The Rotary Center for International Studies in Peace & Conflict Resolution and  
International & Area Studies University of California, Berkeley, present  
**Fifth Rotary Center Spring Conference on Peace and Conflict Resolution &  
Recognition Ceremony for the Graduating Class of Rotary Peace Fellows**

APRIL 19, 2008 9:30 am to 3:30 pm

Lunch Keynote Speaker, Professor Eric Stover

Faculty Director of the Human Rights Center

University of California, Berkeley

Adjunct Professor of Law and Public Health

Founding member – International Campaign to Ban Land Mines

“The War on Terror and Torture”

Location: Berkeley City Club, 2315 Durant Avenue

Advanced Reservations Required

Reservation Form is attached.

**GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE BBQ AND GSE REUNION**

Steve Kimbrough, Corning Rotary

The current GSE Team will be there with their Chico and Redding Hosts.

Sunday April 20th 2PM to 5PM

HOSTED BY THE CORNING ROTARY CLUB

**At Rotarian Tony and Carmen Kelley's home in Corning,  
22679 Moran Rd. Corning (see directions below)**

Once again, Red Bluff Rotarian Tony & Carmen Kelley are gracious enough to make their fantastic home available for the BBQ. For those who do not know Tony, he is twice Past President of Corning Rotary and Past President of Red Bluff Noon Rotary and a former AG.

Club Presidents, please send this to all of your Rotarians and encourage them to attend and bring any past GSE participants to the Reunion. This is an easy event (& free) to bring prospective Rotarians or others you may want to share this great experience with.

Please give Corning Rotarian Steve Kimbrough [stevek@corning.org](mailto:stevek@corning.org) a count a week or so ahead to be sure we don't run out of food...we never have.

DIRECTIONS: 22679 Moran Rd. Corning; take I-5 to Gallagher (just north of South Ave. and also Corning Road), from Gallagher take the first road east of I-5, Edith Ave, north to Moran and turn right, east, and look for the Rotary emblem and the Kelley's driveway.



## Anyone in Your Club Wanna Climb a Mountain?

In June of 2004, District 5160 organized a Mt. Shasta climb that raised tens of thousands of dollars for Polio Plus. At the time, we were trying to end this crippling disease planetwide by 2005. That goal was not quite met, but Rotary International agreed that we must continue to raise funds to eradicate polio or all fundraising done for this cause the last 20 years will have come to nothing.

This year we have the opportunity to once again climb Mt. Shasta to raise funds to defeat polio. I have volunteered as chair for the district and am now, with this very message, polling clubs for interest in such an endeavor among their membership. If we can get enough commitments I will reserve guides for a three-day event beginning June 23, 2008.

If this comes off, we will be led upward by Shasta Mountain Guides, a well-respected mountaineering company. They will want about \$500 per person for services. This usually comes off the top of pledges members gather to raise funds for the cause. Additional expenses include equipment rentals, which can come in at less than \$100, depending on how much mountain climbing equipment you already own.

Anyone interested can email Richard <dupertuis@siskiyou.net>

## **REACH THE PEAK, To End Polio Worldwide Forever**

Richard DuPertuis, Dunsmuir Rotary Club  
Contact Richard at  
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### **Contact Information**

To contact any of District's Rotary Foundation people, check your District Directory or call or e-mail District Foundation Director Mark von Hoetendorff at [markvon@sbcglobal.net](mailto:markvon@sbcglobal.net)

**Thank you for Sharing in Rotary**  
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