

**MAKE A WORLD
OF DIFFERENCE**



District 5160

Newsletter #7

Feb/March 2020

IMPORTANT DATES!

Inbound Student 2019-2020 dates:

- **May 1st- 3rd, 2020:** District Conference (mandatory) In Redding. This is a **Blazer** event! More details to follow.
- **June 11th-13th, 2020:** **Finalized dates!** Santa Cruz Surf Weekend (mandatory): Save the date!
- [YEX Activities Coordinator Cory will send out details as the dates get closer. Coryrose621@gmail.com](#)

Outbound Student 2019-20 dates:

- March 15: Quarterly Report Due

YEO/Counselor dates:

- Monthly reports due: 15th of each month.

Club dates:

- Continue to share how wonderful the Youth Exchange experience is and **invite families to host!**

All Inbound Student Dates:

- Dates, times, locations for the 2019-2020 exchange year are at: <http://yex.rotary5160.net/inbound-students/2019-2020-trips>

Goodbye Weekend

About February or March, students begin to feel the exchange year gradually moving toward the natural end of a life-changing experience. To celebrate the exchange we strive to maximize the time together in fun and support for each other.

This year the mandatory **Goodbye Weekend** falls on **June 11-13** in Santa Cruz with Cory and others, who always boost the energy and laughs. This is a good time to bring out those memory making projects (scrapbooks, autograph tee shirts, videos, etc). Plan to share making something that will be a joy to have and to help stay connected no matter where you are in the world!



Luck o' the Irish to you...



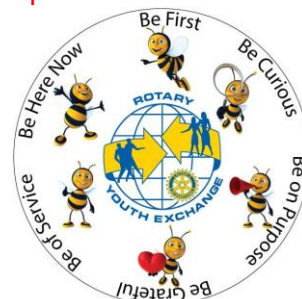
Wearing green and leprechaun costumes on St. Patrick's Day are traditions from the 17th century, when green ribbons and shamrocks were worn on March 17th to honor Ireland's patron saint...Pinching people who didn't wear green reminded them that leprechauns could sneak up on them at any time!

Service above "Selfie"

Over Ski weekend in Incline Village, our 2019-20 IB students gave back to the community by shopping! The students, with funds from local donations, shopped for toys that will be given away next year at the local **Toys for Tots** Christmas toy drive. Rotary job well done!



Important Student Reminders: Bs' & D's



- DON'T:**
DRINK
DRIVE
DATE
Do DRUGS
Disfigurement
Disrespect
Smoke



Faustine IB, France and Anna IB, Austria enjoying Ski Weekend!



L to R: Marcel IB Bolivia, Anna IB Austria (front) Love IB Sweden (back) Matej IB Czech Rep, Axelle IB Belgium, Faustine IB France & Artur IB Brasil enjoying Tahoe time!

2020-2021 OB RYE Student Country Assignment!



Myriam, center, learned she is going to Belgium! She is sponsored by the Rotary Club of Pittsburg, CA.

**MAKE A WORLD
OF DIFFERENCE**



District 5160

Newsletter #6

March/April 2019

**WINTER FUN
2019!!**



(L-R) Skyler, Yi-Chen, Malachy, Diego, Val, Gi, Crysta, Bori, Brad



Card games (L-R back group) Brad, Darcy, Bori, Aidan (around in circle starting with tie-dye shirt) Skylar, Mathieu, Gabriel, Crysta, Gi, Clara, Yi-Chen

SMORES!



(L-R) Skyler, Yi-Chen, Clara, Malachy, Chloe, Mathieu

**Future Outbounds
too!**



(L to R) Katharina S, Austria; Darcy C, McArthur Ca, Outbound to Austria 2019-20; Chloe L, Hat Creek CA, outbound to Sweden 2019-20

Polar Plunge!



Snow line, getting ready to plunge (L-R) Darcy, Val, Gabriel, Clara, Unknown w/ sweatshirt on head, Crysta, Gi, Brad, Malachy, Chloe, Yi-Chen, Mathieu, Diego, Skyler, Bori, Aidan

Skating



HUGE shout out to Cory Busher, RYE Activities Coordinator, who keeps it fun, super organized and safe! Thanks also to Matt Busher for his support.



Lessons (L-R) Instructor, Crysta, Chloe, Diego



(L-R) Malachy (OB 2019-20), Gabriel, Yi-Chen, Diego, Aidan (Rotex to Brazil), Gi, Crysta (OB 2019-20), Brad (OB 2019-20), Skyler (Rotex 2017-18), Glenn (counselor), Bori, Mathieu, Cory, Matt (Top Steps) Chloe, Clara (mid steps) Martin, Carolyn (ground) Val, Katherina, Darcy

WINTER FUN!!