

Program	How can we get involved?	What will it cost?	CONTACT
Emergency Aid			
<p>AQUABOX Aquaboxes are rapidly deployed to disaster areas to provide safe water treatment.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donate funds to assemble Aquaboxes • Publicise and raise funds in your community, particularly at times of major disasters. 	<p>All contributions appreciated Std Aquabox (2,000L water & humanitarian goods) \$480 Aquabox30 (33,000L water) \$750</p>	<p>Ian Thomas R C Eltham thomas_ij@yahoo.com.au 0419 178 679 www.aquabox.com.au</p>
<p>SHELTERBOX Shelterboxes are rapidly deployed to disaster areas providing emergency shelter & useful goods.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donate funds to purchase Shelterboxes • Publicise and raise funds in your community, particularly at times of major disasters. 	<p>All contributions appreciated. A Shelterbox (tent, cooking equipment & goods for family of 9) \$1200</p>	<p>Alan Jones RC Diamond Creek alan@thedrinkman.com 0414 861 558 www.shelterboxaustralia.org.au</p>
<p>DISASTER AID AUSTRALIA Disaster Aid Australia provide humanitarian aid, shelter and sustainable water systems to people affected by natural & other disasters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donate funds to sponsor Family Survival packs, "Sky hydrant" water purification units or a temporary School education package 	<p>All contributions appreciated. Family survival pack \$800 School package (80 children) \$2,500 Sky Hydrant (10,000litres/day) \$5,000</p>	<p>RC Endeavour Hills 1300 881 913 www.disasteraidaustralia.org.au</p>
General			
<p>RAWCS (Rotary Australia World Community Service Ltd)</p> <p>RAWCS is an umbrella company for Rotary World Community Service projects and programs.</p> <p>Projects include building projects, RAWCS volunteers, Safe Water Save Lives, Donations in Kind, Education and training programs, health care & medical aid.</p> <p>Teams of 6-8 RAWCS volunteers mainly go to SE Asia and the Pacific for approx.2 weeks to work with the locals on building projects. Projects include construction / refurbishment of housing, schools, hospitals, water supply and sanitation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review list of current RAWCS projects (on rawcs website) for suitability for your involvement. • Partner with a local or overseas Rotary club. (refer to ProjectLINK on Rotary website) • Develop a new RAWCS project • Raise funds and sponsor projects • Put together a Volunteers team made up of Rotarians and non-Rotarians with some building skills and possibly sponsored building apprentices • Contribute to the cost of providing and shipping equipment (water tanks, pumps, solar panels, filters etc) to selected locations 	<p>Sponsorship as appropriate to scale and nature of project. (Consider application for RFI Matching Grant)</p> <p>Assist team members with travel costs. Air fares are tax deductible.</p> <p>Sponsor an apprentice to join a volunteer team.</p> <p>Provide tools for a team to leave behind in the country.</p> <p>Sponsor cost of transport of specialist materials to the work site.</p> <p>Sponsor local workers in ongoing work.</p>	<p>Tony Thomas R C Yarrowonga Mulwala yarrowongabuilding@bigpond.com 0409 794 816</p> <p>www.rawcs.com.au www.rotary.org/en/serviceandfellowship/projectresources/projectlink</p> <p>(Deputy: Wendy-Grace Williams RC Pascoe Vale 0438 733 056)</p>
<p>Donations In Kind (DIK) The program involves the collection, sorting, packing, dispatch and distribution of donated items to countries in need of these goods.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Publicise the program and source goods in your community • Sort and maintain goods at the warehouse • Pack shipping container (Club Working Bee) • Sponsor transport costs 	<p>Contribute say \$500 towards cost of a container. Sponsor the container shipping costs of around \$2,500 to \$4,000</p>	<p>David Meller RC Strathmore dmeller@optusnet.com.au 0409 165 553 www.rotary9790.org.au/4a/dik</p>

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International Education to support education programs overseas which enable people to improve their chances of becoming more self sufficient and enabling them better opportunities in life particularly in the areas of women's issues and sustainable development in their communities.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support a child for a year Support building of schools Support one of the Rotary Action Group for Population Growth and Sustainable Development Projects (RFPD) web site http://www.rifpd.org/Projects/RFPDProjects.shtml Support an International Fair Trading Group web site http://www.seed09.wordpress.com 	From less than \$100 for a year's education for a single child to tens of thousands for a whole school. RFPD projects can be from \$100 to many thousands. It is up to the individual club- every little helps	D9790 Co-ordinator to be advised.
Health			
Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for Children, ROMAC. This program provides children under the age of 15 with treatment for major surgical problems that are unable to be treated in their own countries. The treatment is performed by surgeons in Australia and New Zealand who donate their time free.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Donate to sponsor the program/ or a particular patient. Provide accommodation and/or travel support for patient and/or family member while in Victoria/NSW. Provide friendship and recreation opportunity as a break from hospital for patient & family member. Promote community awareness and support for the program 	Sponsorship as appropriate to the situation. In-kind support re travel and hospitality	D9790 Co-ordinator to be advised. www.rotary9790.org.au/4a/romac
INTERPLAST Is a multi District Program which is a joint venture with the Australian College of Surgeons, which provides expertise in plastic and reconstructive surgery, through volunteers teams of surgeons and nurses, going to the South Pacific and countries north of Australia.	The Interplast team travels to provide treatment in the patients' home country. Your club can: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Donate to sponsor the program / or a particular Interplast team. Promote community awareness and support for the program. 	Sponsorship of any amount is always appreciated. Sponsorship of \$40,000 for a complete team for 2 weeks, permits a representative to travel as observer with the team.	D9790 Co-ordinator Colin McDonald R.C. Benalla 0418 174 363 Glenda Sherwin-Lane (Interplast ANZ) 9249 1231 www.interplast.com.au
Rotarians Against Malaria RAM "The prevention of mortality, and a reduction in morbidity and social and economic loss caused by malaria through a progressive improvement and strengthening of local and national capabilities in malaria control."	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Raise funds and donate to RAM "Adopt a Village"- allows every man, woman and child in your adopted village the opportunity to sleep under a Life Saving Treated Bed net each night Promote community awareness and support particularly through publicity and events for Malaria Awareness Day 	Sponsorship of any amount is always appreciated. A small village may cost \$1,000, a medium size village may cost \$2,000 and a large village may cost \$3,000	D9790 Co-ordinator to be advised. www.rawcs.com.au/RAWCSPrograms
Fellowship			
Rotary Friendship Exchange Co-ordinates exchanges between Rotarians in a number of countries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Host an incoming RFE group in your home for a few days, participate in trips with a group on visits around District Participate in an outward RFE group 	In-kind hosting Personal fares etc borne by outgoing Rotarians	Laurie Fagan R C Mooropna alfagan@multimedia.com.au 0428231594 www.rotary9790.org.au/4a/rfe
Rotary Recreational and Vocational Fellowships This program offers opportunities to make friends with Rotarians who share a common vocation, hobby or recreational interest.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Encourage members to join Rotary Fellowships to link with other Rotarians nationally and internationally sharing common recreational or vocational interests. 	No costs to club, individuals/ couple pay own air fares and expenses whilst away.	www.rawcs.com.au/RAWCSPrograms
Club Projects			
Your club may also choose to identify, develop and implement an international project(s) relevant to the interests, skills, resources and contacts of your members; outside of the above established Rotary programs.			

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