

RCBS Zoom Meeting Minutes- January 27, 2021

- President Sarita opened the zoom meeting with the 4-Way Test.
- Twelve members attended this meeting. There was also Danison Buan as a guest and our guest speakers, Elisa Wettstein and Ayu Setia from Kawan Bail Indonesia Foundation.
- PAG/PE/ Chairman of Membership and TRF (The Rotary Foundation), PE/PAG Patrick VK reviewed the status of the membership of RCBS. Presently there are 37 Members with 4 Honorary Members. Since the membership now includes USD 25, there is 100% participation with contributions to TRF, totaling USD 3,000, with the goal of USD 5,000 by the end of the term. Below are graphs that PE Patrick presented at the meeting exhibiting different aspects of membership with comparisons of previous aspects of club growth, club growth for the District 3420, age trends and annual fund trends for RCBS.



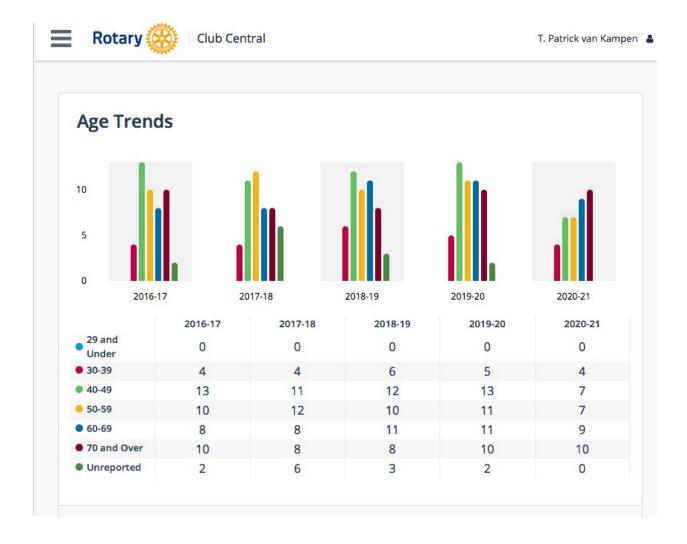
Chairman of Membership and TRF

PAG/PE Patrick Van Kampen



Rotary 🛞	CLUB GROWTH For Rotary Year (2020 - 2021)					
Club Growth for District #3420		01-Jul	01-Jul	31-Dec-20		

Club ID	Club Name	2019 - 2020	2020 - 2021	#	% Growth
58409 Ball Seminyak		50	52	36	(31%)
Total Member Count For District #3420		50	52	36	(31%)





PE Patrick also explained the workings and operation of TRF, which returns 50% of the funds contributed by members from 3 years previously to be implemented by RCBS for District Grants, Projects, Global Grants and District Projects.

Guest Speakers



Elisa Wettstein and Ayu Setia – Kawan Baik Foundation

Access to Healthcare in Rural Areas- East Sumba , Tenggara Timur

The population of East Sumba is 250,700 people and the area is 7,000 km2. The main problem of this area is access to water, since it is such a dry area. The vulnerable part of the population concerns children having access to school. Most children have to walk to school and many do not have shoes. Thus, there is a high incidence of feet injuries among the students. Assistance is needed for children from 8 -15 ages.

Presently there are only 20 schools with a lack of qualified teachers, since there are no schools for higher education beyond High School.



The other vulnerable area of concern are adults who lack knowledge and information. Also, there is a lack and insufficient medical care available. There are 18 medical centers in this area (Puskesmas) and only 2 hospitals available for 22 districts. The hospital facilities can only perform 2 operations per month, one for children and one for adults. The departments of the Dinas Social and Dinas Kesehatan are involved with seeking assistance. Partners involved with the program are: Fair Future Foundation, Kawan Baik Foundation, Charis Sumba Foundation and SOPAN (Women and Children Solidarity, Sumba Volunteers, Health Centers (Puskesmas), Shaman (Traditional doctors), and Dinas Social. The motto of this program is , " We believe that the role of an NGO is to create a bridge between the communities and the government."

The objectives of the program are to provide primary medical care to the population through school centers, training of teachers and volunteers, and the creation of an information book in Sumabnese and Indonesian to instruct the population of modern and traditional medicines and injury prevention. There would be monitoring and evaluations of the program for short- and long-term progress.

Rtn. Jeni suggested a very good book, "Where there is No Doctor: A Village Health Care Handbook" by David Werner, as a good source for information for rural villages in 3rd world countries.



President Sarita

The meeting was adjourned at 1:30 pm.

(Minutes written by Sec. Anita)