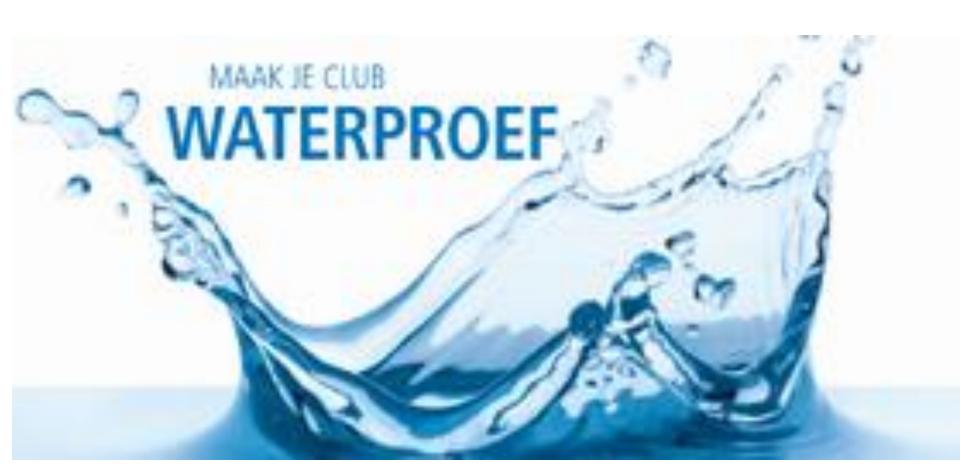
# Water Platform & Rotary Foundation

make your club water proof



#### Water platform district Central Netherlands



**Based on mission WASRAG** 

1.2 billion people without safe drinking water1.5 billion people without sanitation

## Water platform activities



Exchange of experiences
Stimulation & support
Campaign & publicitity
Contacts institutions

Point of call activities
Enterpreneurship
Districts Project
Walk for Water



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#### Course

Diversity in actions

Progressing insights

Long term succes

## Diversity in sponsor actions

- Walk for water
- Auction
- Santa Run
- Puzzle tour
- Cycling for water
- Addition by 'Aqua for all'
- Rotary Grant



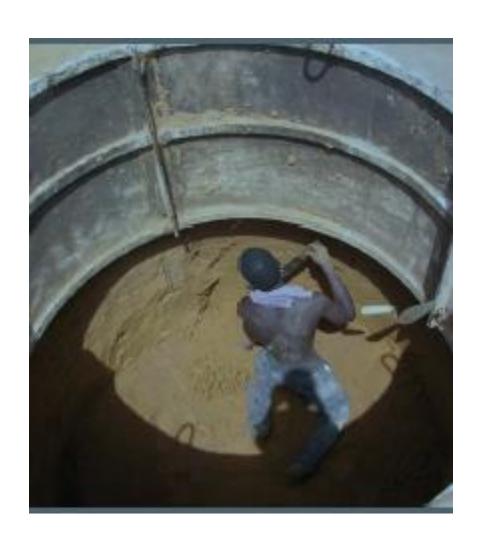
#### Walk for Water

Campaign 2017: 500 Dutch schools 30.000 pupils 36 WASH projects in Africa and Asia € 1,24 million



## Diversity in water projects

- Wells
- Pumps
- Tanks
- Sand dams
- Sanitation
- Water enterpreneurs



#### Diversity in cooperation

RC + personal contacts in host country

+ Dutch aid organisation

+ Local aid organisation

Several RCs, with Dutch and local aid organisations



## **Progressing insights**

Dialogue on succes of different approaches

For whom are you doing this?

Our own good feelings + helping other people



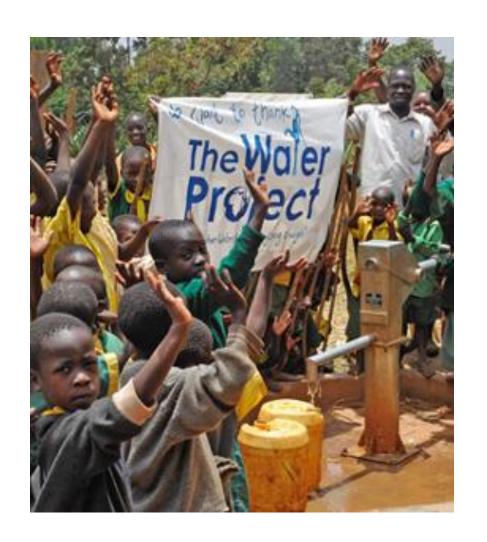
#### How can we help?

Give a fish to taste

Give a net to catch fishes

Teach how to fish

Or do we only teach that in everything we are always better?



#### Search for sustainability



Sustainablity central goal from the start

Building awareness, education and training

Ownership at local organisations

## Range of help

Community wide
The whole water system



#### Aspects of sustainability

Technical: whole life

cycle

Organizational: citizens, enterprises, government

Financial: revenu models

Cultural: embedded in local culture



#### Project Management

Focus on ending the project from the beginning

Do not dominate but coach

Human & Businesslike

Attention to unintended effects



#### The power of Rotary

On your own: "one drop of water on a glowing plate"

With Rotary: "the steady drop of water digs a whole in a stone"



#### District project

17 clubs
Walk for water
Additional sponsor actions
with Simavi and Aqua for all
Uganda, Kenya, Tanzania
Water, sanitation, hygiene







#### **Rotary Foundation**

- Supports mission Rotary International
- Independant governed and managed
- Reception primary from voluntary contributions
- 'Non profit-organisatie' since 1983
- Celibrating 100 years existance: 1917-2017



#### **Rotary Grants**

Annual budget \$ 70 million for 1,100 projects

Vocational training, scholarships, humanitarian projects



## Vocational training

Group study exchange: exchange of experience between young professionals (25-40 year) 500-600 teams annually



### Scholarships

Educational
Graduatie level
800 scholarships per year



#### Humanitarian programs

#### **AREAS OF FOCUS**



SUPPORTING



PROVIDING CLEAN WATER



PROMOTING PEACE



SAVING MOTHERS AND CHILDREN



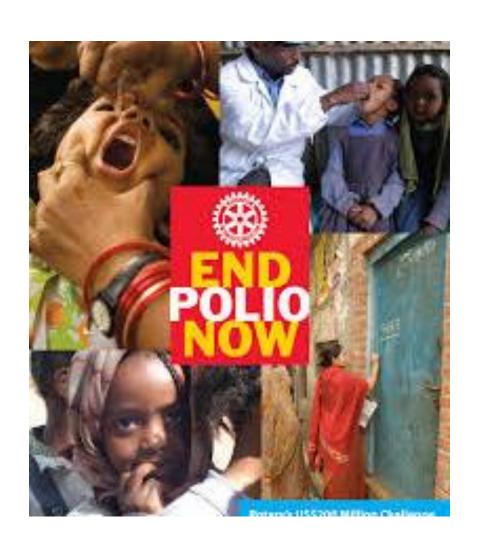
GROWING LOCAL ECONOMIES



FIGHTING DISEASE

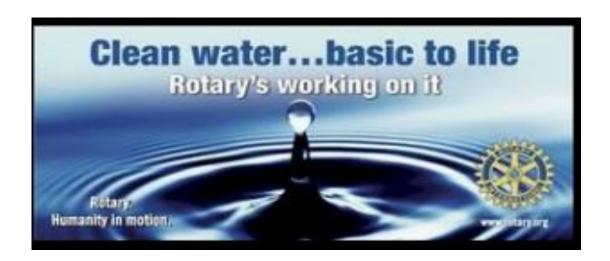
#### **End Polio now!**

Since 1985
2 billion children vaccinated in 122 countries
Disease almost terminated



#### Water and sanitation

- \$ 20 million per year
- \$ 24 to provide 1 person to safe water
- 23 million people have safe water
- 21 million people have sanitation
- 2030 target Rotary: everyone provided



#### Rotary clubs Netherlands

\$ 1 miljoen contribution to the Foundation per year 1/3 for Polio

2/3 by grants to projects, scholarships and programs 60 grants (Global Grants en District Grants)
75% international



#### **Dutch contribution to WASH**

Estimated per year:

€ 2 million collected

80.000 people connected to safe drinking water and sanitation

