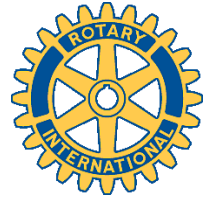




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RE: 8th annual ***Lend a Hand to Education***

Youth and Education are a primary focus of Rotary's outreach to the community. We have once again looked at the needs in our community and see that educational budgets are reduced and so tight that teachers often dig into their own pockets to provide needed materials for students. We are dedicated to continue the "Lend a Hand to Education" teacher mini-grant program.

During seven previous years, the three Rotary Clubs in Petaluma have distributed nearly \$80,000 in grants to Petaluma teachers in grades K through 12 for classroom projects, supplies and field trips that have benefited thousands of students.

We hope that you will consider being a SPONSOR for a 2011-12 ***Lend a Hand to Education*** grant. You can also specify a certain program, school or teacher.

To fund a grant, payment to "Petaluma Valley Rotary Trust" may be mailed to the above P.O. Box. Grant funds will be distributed to school districts in December.

Many thanks for your support of youth and education in our community.

All donations to the ***Lend a Hand to Education*** component fund of Petaluma Valley Rotary Trust, a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation, Tax ID# 68-0222925, are tax deductible.

Most sincerely,

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