

Rob Rose Recognized as Rotarian of the Year for District 5030

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President-Elect Rich Herzberg, Rob & Gina Rose, President Sarah Langton

There are over 3300 Rotarians in the 55 clubs in District 5030, and there is one annual award given out to the Rotarian of the Year. This year, the recipient was Bellevue Rotary Club's Rob Rose.

At the Rotary District 5030 Conference in Victoria, B.C., Rob spoke to attendees from his heart about his ongoing mission to improve the lives of disadvantaged children, children and adults with disabilities, and orphans in developing countries, primarily India and Nepal, and change the perception of people who are Differently-Abled. Many of the Rotarians and guests might not have been aware of the mission that Rob and his wife Gina have been on for over 10 years now. They certainly were when he was done. He talked about his process and progress in leveraging over \$300,000 of funding through the Rotary Foundation 3H Grant program.

Rob was presented with his award by District Governor Jesse Tam in front of an audience of over 500 Rotarians and conference attendees from the district.