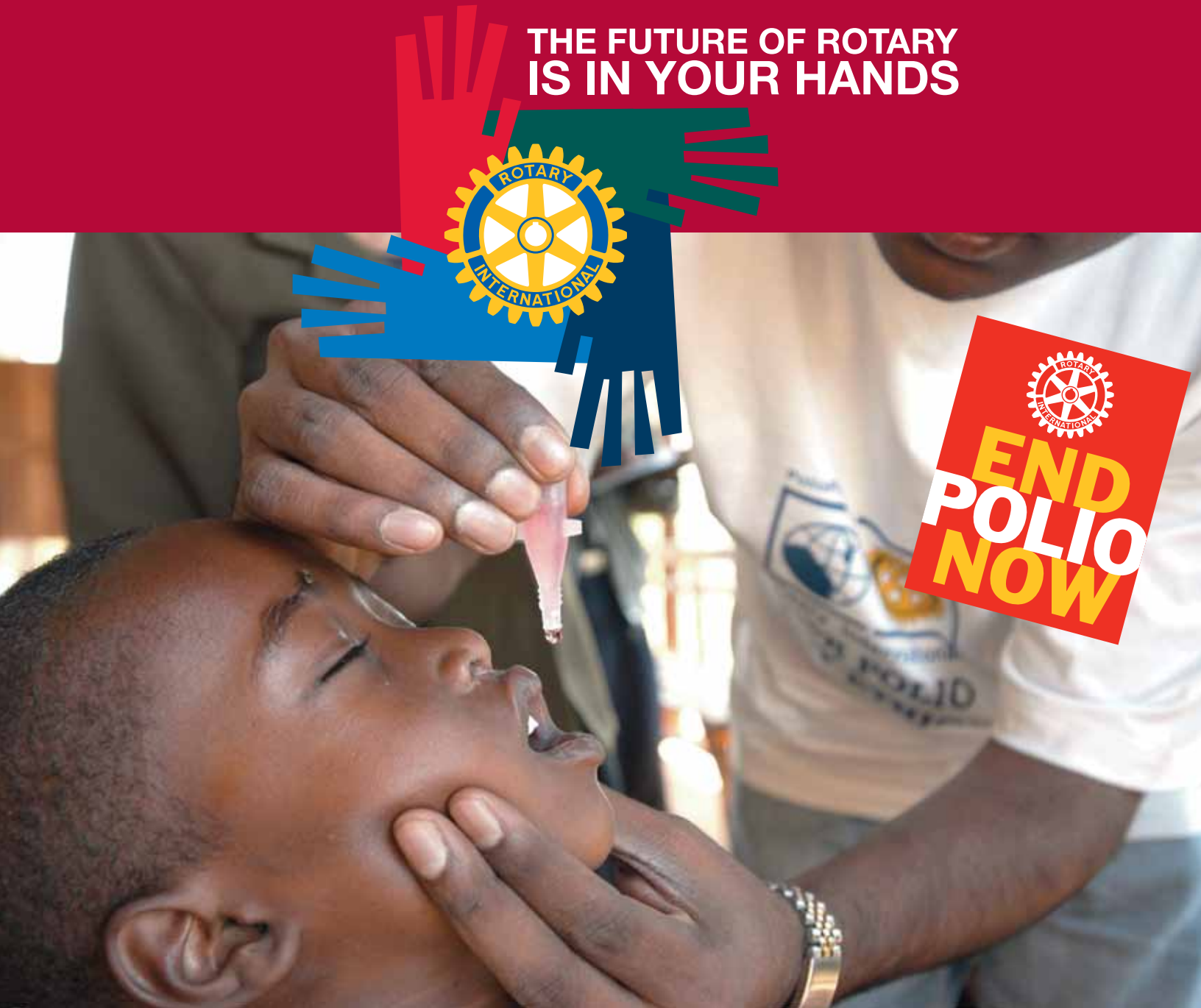


ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 5450 CONFERENCE

THE FUTURE OF ROTARY
IS IN YOUR HANDS



April 30 - May 2, 2010
Hilton Fort Collins
Fort Collins, Colorado

The Future of Rotary Will Be In Our Hands as we Gather Together in Fort Collins...

We invite you to join us for a delightful, exciting, educational, and celebratory 2010 District Conference.



See you there! Carrie and Mike Oldham

The Hilton Fort Collins is an exceptional hotel offering wonderful meeting and guest rooms, great food, all within a stone's throw of the scenic foothills of the Rockies. There will be care provided for children who will enjoy their special activities while their parents enjoy the Conference. We will have information about the greater Fort Collins community so that, if desired, you can plan excursions before or after the Conference.

This will be your opportunity to renew acquaintances, share with one another, hear outstanding speakers, and learn about our youth, Foundation, and membership programs. Some speakers will inspire us with their stories of overcoming significant adversity and then to reach out in service. We will be charmed and excited by a Trustee of the Rotary Foundation who will share some extraordinary humanitarian work. Woven through the weekend will be wonderful music to warm and delight us including a fine swing band so we can "cut a rug" on Saturday evening.

Read all about this exceptional weekend and join us in Fort Collins.

Conference Schedule . . .

Friday, April 30

- ◆ Conference Registration begins at 11:00 am
- ◆ House of Friendship opens at noon
- ◆ Opening Plenary Session at 1:00 pm
Welcome by Sonny Lubick
Presentations on Project Sustainability, Membership, Native Americans, and Polio Plus
Presentation by Peace Fellow and Ambassadorial Scholars
- ◆ Annual District Business Meeting at 4:00 pm
- ◆ No-Host Cocktails in the House of Friendship at 4:30 pm
- ◆ Flag Ceremony at 5:45 pm
- ◆ Keynote Speaker - RI President Representative
- ◆ Awards Banquet and Ceremony at 6:30 pm
- ◆ Social Time/Cocktails at 9:00 pm

Saturday, May 1

- ◆ Continental Breakfast at 7:00 am
- ◆ Second Plenary Session at 8:15 am featuring Youth Programs, Japan GSE teams, Youth Exchange Talent Show
- ◆ Lunch at 12:45 pm followed by a Council on Legislation report
Entertainment by Colorado State University Concert Choir
- ◆ Keynote Speaker Susan Sygall at 2:30 pm
- ◆ Peru GSE Team at 3:15 pm
- ◆ Orphan Train and Open World Presentations at 4:00 pm
- ◆ No-Host Cocktails in the House of Friendship at 5:15 pm
- ◆ Celebration Dinner at 6:15 pm
- ◆ Keynote Speaker Anthony Graves at 7:15 pm
- ◆ Dancing to the Colorado Swing Band

Sunday, May 2

- ◆ Interfaith Service at 7:00 am
- ◆ Celebration of Life at 7:30 am
- ◆ Full Breakfast at 8:00 am
- ◆ Final Plenary Session at 9:15 am featuring Keynote Speaker John Hoich
- ◆ DGE Karen Sekich - invitation to coming year's conference
- ◆ Closing remarks and presentations
- ◆ Conference closes at or before Noon.

Conference Registration . . .

Registration for the Conference will be done online only. It's easy just go to www.rotary5450.org and click on the District Conference link. Then just follow the instructions. Up-to-date conference details are also available on the District website.

For further conference registration information contact Gary Frisch at 303-759-2796 or e-mail Gary at bfrmis@worldnet.att.net.

Hotel Reservations . . .

Book your rooms by visiting our exclusive Hilton Fort Collins website located at <http://www.hilton.com/en/hi/groups/personalized/FNLCOHF-MRO-20100429/index.jhtml.v> Alternatively, you can book your rooms by phone by calling 1-800-Hiltons and identify yourself as a Rotary District 5450 Conference 2010 attendee. Our group code is MRO. Room rates are \$124 per night for a standard king or double bed room or \$144 per night for a king deluxe mountain-view room.



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Conference Program Highlights . . .

Friday Evening . . . AWARDS CELEBRATION

District 5450 isn't ranked among the best in the Rotary world for no reason. Come and help recognize those clubs and Rotarians who have truly exemplified "Service Above Self" at this evening's Awards Celebration.



Susan Sygall CREATING A WORLD AS IT SHOULD BEsm

Susan Sygall is an internationally recognized expert in the area of international development and leadership programs for people with disabilities. She currently serves as the CEO of Mobility International USA (MIUSA), a nonprofit organization she co-founded in 1981. During the course of her career, Susan has focused a spotlight on issues related to women with disabilities.

Saturday Noon . . .

Saturday Evening . . . Anthony E. Graves EVOLUTION: ROTARY IN THE 21ST CENTURY

Anthony E. Graves is the Charter President of the Rotary Club of Five Points Cultural District - one of the newest clubs in District 5450. Anthony was born on the Colorado's Western Slope, earned a B.A. degree in history at DePauw University in Greencastle, IN and an M.B.A. at the University of Denver. Among his many passions, Anthony is dedicated to community outreach. He has run leadership development programs for urban youth and is a guest lecturer at the Gilliam Youth Detention Center. He has also served on several boards for non-profit organizations.



AN EVENING OF DANCING WITH The Colorado Swing Band

The Colorado Swing Band performs an exciting variety of great music including classic Big Band Era swing and popular Las Vegas show style arrangements. They feature the area's top musical talent including great vocalists. Their arrangements feature the music of Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Tommy Dorsey, Glenn Miller, Frank Sinatra, George & Ira Gershwin, Rogers and Hart and many others.

John Hoich IT'S NOT JUST A BUSINESS

Starting a business as a teenager with one lawnmower and enough determination for a dozen men, John Hoich built a career that made him a millionaire by the time he was 30. His businesses have ranged from grounds maintenance contracts at U.S. government facilities to land development and ownership of a Hampton Hotel, a medical office building, apartment complexes, shopping centers, assisted living facilities, a golf course and a fifty-year contract for a military housing development. John is a long-time and very active Rotarian.

Sunday Breakfast . . .



