



Rotary Club of Taradale Charitable Trust

Our Charitable Trust contributes to many local and overseas causes, both financially and or by provision of labour and expertise.

Donations and support have been made to the following causes:

Polio Plus-Towards eradication of Polio worldwide

Cure Kids

Emergency Response Kits-Provision of disaster emergency shelter

Rotary Pathways Trust-Cycleways throughout Napier & Hastings

Puketapu Cycle Shelter

Dolbel Reserve Taradale

Provision of school book shipments to Solomon Islands & Samoa

Provision of school desks & chairs to Solomon Islands

Children's Christmas Appeal

HB Child Cancer Support Foundation

Rotary International Foundation

EIT Scholarship Awards of Excellence

Rotary Youth Leadership Awards

Rotary Youth Programme for Enrichment

International Youth Student Exchange

Summer Science School

Science Technology Forum

Puketapu School

And many miscellaneous ongoing grants to local people and community groups.

The Rotary Club of Taradale has also formed the following Charitable Trusts for specific purposes, which it naturally strongly supports financially, with Trusteeship and manpower.

Oliver Smailes Memorial Trust: Established in 2005 to provide for the training and education of nurses and support staff of HB children's services.

Kelvin Tremain Memorial Education Trust: Established in 1979 to provide funding assistance for local students undertaking tertiary education.

Camp Kaitawa Trust: Established in 1967 to operate an outdoor education facility adjacent to Te Urewera National Park which is used by schools and community groups.

Brigato International Student Exchange: Established in 2003 to foster an annual two way exchange of viticulture and wine making students between EIT Taradale and Scuola di Viticoltura ed Enologia, Conegliano, Northern Italy.