

Rotary Club of SENDAI OHU Since July, 2021 仙台奥羽ロータリークラブ 仙台市青葉区下愛子字観音堂 1-1 3) e-mail: sorc@munakata-cl.jp

# Monthly Report (#26(3) September 2023)

Your time is limited, so don't waste it living someone else's life. (Steve Jobs)

### Report: August 2023

#### 1) Board of Directors

- A) Approval for promotion of Healthy Mowing Promotion (HEAMOP) project: Weed control during gardening and afforestation Weed control is unavoidable when growing plants, such as gardening and afforestation, which require a great deal of physical stress. Mowing for weed control places a heavy burden on the body, which can lead to degenerative spondylosis and lumbar disc herniation, which can lead to impairments in ADL. We recommend the use of wood chips to reduce the burden on the above. We provide garden shredders for woodchip production. The recipient will be the Oku Akiu Nojiri District Neighborhood Association. Raw materials are easily available in the area, and woodchip production, which can be completed with light labor, is expected to contribute to regional revitalization and branding in the aging area. The club's supplementary budget will be 100,000 yen.
- **B)** Approval regarding the operation of the homepage member-only site: Expand access privileges to supporting members to ensure quick sharing of information within the club. Stored information includes governor's monthly letter, regular meeting minutes, committee minutes, and other (club articles of incorporation, club bylaws, etc.)
- **C)** Increase the capacity of club management Google Drive (100GB purchase: 250 yen per month) and approve the club secretary's authority to delete unnecessary information
- D) Approval of revisions to club bylaws Clarification of authority order for executive officers
- E) Approval to hold the 2023-24 first term club general meeting November 19, 2020 at Hotel Monterey Sendai
- F) Approval regarding the election of president nominee: The Club Management and Operations Committee has jurisdiction over the Election Management Committee. The election will be announced on September 26th and held at the club general meeting on November 19th.
- G) Approved the expenditure of 20,000 yen for the 11 Rotary Clubs in Sendai's social golf tournament.
- H) Preliminary member registration approval Mr. Kazuo Sakuramoto (Watari Orthopedic Clinic) Occupational classification (1-6 Judo therapist) Recommendation by Mr. Takashi Kuze, Dr. Yasuhiko Munakata

### 2) Club Assembly

September 5<sup>th</sup>. : Official visit of Governor Akimasa Morikawa of Rotary International District 2520 Guests: Governor Akimasa Morikawa, Assistant Governor Kozo Matsuzaka, Representative Secretary Shoichi Yokoyama

We were given guidance on the governor management guidelines. We explained our club's activity policy and plan for this year and received general feedback.

▼Sep.5. Official visit of Gvn. Morikawa

▼Sep. 3. Extraordinary Meeting



### 3) Club Forum

- September 12<sup>th</sup>. Facilitator: Mr. Osamu Kumagai
- September 19<sup>th</sup>. Facilitator: Mr. Yuji Iwabuchi
- September 26<sup>th</sup>. Facilitator: The supporting member designated by the president

Visitor participation

- September 5<sup>th</sup>. Ms. Yoko Akita (Vice president of RC of Sendai Rainbow)
- September 12<sup>th</sup>. Ms. Yoko Akita (Vice president of RC of Sendai Rainbow)

## 4) Extraordinary Meeting

# September 3<sup>rd</sup>. (Sunday) 8:00-9:00 Extraordinary meeting (MR Open Cafe)
Speaker: Mr. Yuta Itami (Manager of Air First Ltd. Sendai Office)
Title: "Our contribution to the health field with insoles - From sports to daily life-"

## 5) Activity reports of Committees

- A) September 6<sup>th</sup>. 19:00~: Service Project Committee Green Team Subcommittee (ZOOM remote meeting) About HEAMOP
- B) September 9<sup>th</sup>. 19:00~: Public Image Committee Meeting (ZOOM remote meeting) About club homepage/Google Drive management
- C) September 10<sup>th</sup>. (Sunday) 08:00: Camino de Banzan hike leader training hike
- D) September 17<sup>th</sup>. (Sunday) 08:00: Camino de Banzan hike leader training hike

- E) September 25<sup>th</sup>. 19:00~: Service Project Committee Blue Team Otona-daigaku (Lecturer: Mr. Sakurada)
- F) Membership Development Committee: Club pamphlet completion report



#### 6) Activity at District

September 24<sup>th</sup>. 2023-24 Yoneyama Memorial Scholarship Training Session Participation by Club Secretary Mr. Uehara and Rotary Foundation Committee Chair Mr. Sato

#### Meeting Schedule in October

#Oct. 1. Sunday 08:00~ Rotary Day

BMAF Project: Mowing at the 1<sup>st</sup>. Urushi Field in Marumori

#Oct. 3. The 105<sup>th</sup>. Regular Meeting Club Assembly

# #Oct. 8. Sunday o8:00~09:00 Extraordinary Meeting Lecture: Great East Japan Earthquake "12 years of dreaming of Yuriage recovery" Speaker: Mr. Naomitsu Kakui (Representative of Fram Natori General Incorporated Association)

#Oct. 10. The 106<sup>th</sup>. Regular Meeting Club Forum Facilitator: Ms. Tanaka

## #Oct. 15. Sunday 08:00~ URISHI PROJECT Mowing at the 1<sup>st</sup>. Urushi Field in Marumori

#Oct. 17. The 107<sup>th</sup>. Regular Meeting Club Forum Facilitator: The supporting member designated by the president

The earth is our native land. Why don't we respect and protect it ?

# #Oct. 22. Sunday o8:00~ Camino de Banzan End Polio Charity Hike Hike-Leader: Mr. Suzuki All participation fees (1,000 yen/person) will be donated to the Rotary Foundation PolioPlus Fund.

#Oct. 24. The 108<sup>th</sup>. Regular Meeting Club Forum Facilitator: The supporting member designated by the president

#Oct. 29. Sunday o8:00~ Camino de Banzan End Polio Charity Hike
Hike-Leader: Dr. Munakata
All participation fees (1,000 yen/person) will be donated to the Rotary Foundation PolioPlus Fund.

#Oct. 31. 19:00~ Moving Extraordinary Social Meeting

- •Attendance report: Attendance rate: 42% (October)
- •Withdrawal report: None
- Regular member registration: None
- ORegular members #24 (personal #12/ corporate #12)

OReserve members #1

- OAlternate members #7
- OSupporting members #32/38 units (personal #28/34 units; group #4/4 units)

