

## COMMITTEE CHAIR REPORT TO BOARD

DATE: May 20, 2015\_\_\_\_\_COMMITTEE Ambassador's report\_\_\_\_\_

HIGHLIGHTS: We met in March to plan our presentation for the Spring Workshops. We planned to add our district statistics re: contributions and use the ZIF powerpoint to highlight the International Projects. This presentation would help our members realize the quality and intent of our projects. We felt that we would offer new ideas to the club presidents for donations from our members such as the "virtual yellow rose bouquet" to honour our March 8 <sup>th</sup> International Women's Day. Members were encouraged to take the donation form back to their club, ask for time on their meeting's agenda and ask members to consider not only a club donation but individual donations as well.  Please view our District 4 Power point presentations that we used for all of the workshops on the D4 website. We are both available to bring our program to you as a club offering if you would like us to speak to your members.  At the Niagara Falls workshop, we received 12 donations, at Erie, PA 4 donations and Woodstock 5 donations. It was heartening to see clubs picking up the donation forms from the table.
CHALLENGES: We still have clubs who do not donate to the Foundation.  The Ambassadors are willing to speak to the clubs but do not receive invitations from the clubs (many clubs do support the Foundation and so probably don't feel a need to call upon us)——
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