



### Relief efforts are under way for victims in four U.S. districts

Following the tragic events of 11 September in New York and Washington, D.C., the governors of the affected U.S. districts have initiated relief efforts.

More than 6,300 people from 88 nations are feared dead after the collapse of the World Trade Center towers in New York, including hundreds of rescue workers who rushed to the scene. Damage to property from the crash is estimated at more than \$80 billion. Hundreds of lives were lost and an estimated \$500 million of property damage was sustained in the wake of the crash at the Pentagon near Washington, D.C.

In the Washington, D.C., area, the governors of Districts 7610 and 7620 are jointly seeking assistance to provide long-term support to those injured and to the families of the victims of the disaster. In New York, the governors of Districts 7230 and 7250 are seeking assistance to provide aid to the recovery efforts as well as to help in the long-term needs of the families who have lost loved ones in the World Trade Center attacks.

*Note: Our club has sent over \$1500.00 to the Rotary Club of New York to help in assisting those in need.*

### Visiting Russian judges console U.S. Rotarians

Russian judges who were in the U.S. the week of 8-15 September through the U.S. Open World Russian Leadership Program watched the tragedy unfold on television. Jolted by the images, the judges consoled their Rotarian hosts in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; St. Paul, Minnesota; and Denver, Colorado.

"Our visitors were devastated by the tragedy, as if it had happened to them," reported Rotarian Marion Londino, who helped Program Chair Jose Ravano with logistics for the visit of five Russian judges in the Pittsburgh area. Londino said that one of the Russians told her that the USA had taken on a personal character for him. "It's not a Goliath, but people," he told Londino. "It was an enlightening experience for all of us," she added.

In St. Paul, a senior Russian judge expressed his sympathies through an interpreter in a "very compassionate, incredibly warm" statement, according to Robert Walz, who chairs the program there. St. Paul Rotary clubs have hosted Russian Leadership Program visitors for three straight years. "Ironically, a previous visit of the Russians coincided with bombings in the Moscow subway," Walz said. "We showed our solidarity with the Russians then."

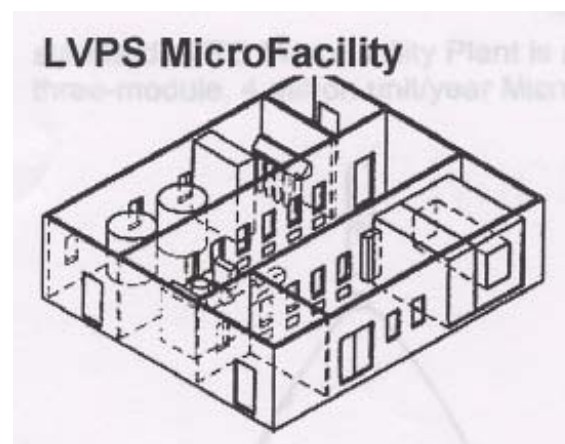
### CRAFT TALK

Ross Boling, President of LVPS MicroFacility, Inc gave us a very interesting as well as eye opening craft talk on his classification of Pharamacuetical Manufacturing.

Ross travels around the world for his business, establishing complete, turnkey, state- of- the- art micro-manufacturing plants that produce intravenous solutions for parentteral (without assimilation through the digestive tract) requirements as well as other solution needs.

A complete Micro-Facility is set up in a given location and when completed, the facility produces the solutions from local water sources, fills, and seals plastic containers and autoclaves the finished product for quality assurance testing, quaranteed storage and distribution.

Constructed in a modula design (see right), it is fabricated tested and certified and then diassembled for shipment to the plant site overseas. The plant helps solve the problem of pateint dehydration in countries where facilities and supplies are lacking



President Bill models "White Elephant Robe" furnished by a hotel recently visited by Jack Keegan!!

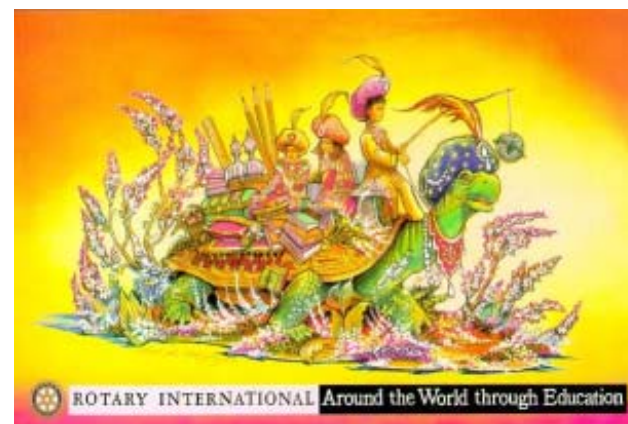


Note: Bill did not come with the robe!!

Succesful bidder remains a secret but it brought in about \$25.00 to our memorial fund!!

### ROTARY ROSE PARADE FLOAT 2002 ENTRY

Our entry this year promotes education throughout the world. Watch for it come New years Day!



### WEEKLY PROGRAMS

- 10/16 - Farland Chang - former CNN Business News Anchor. Also former Rotary Scholar and Paul Harris Fellow "How to Package Your Company's Message into a Good Story for the Media."
- Oct. 23 - Col. Krishna Mathur and Jack Keegan Panel Discussion, open forum Adjusting to the new world reality and dealing with the current crises.
- Oct 30 - Mary Rayburn - Director, Toby's House - Pregnant women in crises.
- Nov 6 - Dr. Harry Olsen - Former Chaplin, Dallas Cowboys. Interim Pastor Community Lutheran Church - RSM.

### WHITE ELEPHANT

- Oct 16 Scott Walker
- Oct 23 Jack Wallace
- Oct 30 Len White
- Nov 6 Victoria Avery
- Nov 13 Bob Blohm
- Nov 20 Ross Boling
- Nov 27 Dr Pushpa Chandwani

### COMING EVENTS

- Entertainment Books Now to-December 31st 2001**
- Walk Against Drugs October 20, 2001
- Door of Faith Vision Screen TBA
- Yard Sale FundRaiser November 10, 2001
- Chuck E Cheese Party December 11, 2001
- Sports Pool FundRaiser Deecember 15, 2001
- Club Christmas Party Dec 16, 2001 MVCountry Club  
Cocktails 5:30pm Dinner 6:30pm
- Christmas In April March 27, 2002
- Mayor's Prayer Breakfast May 2, 2002 MVCountry Club
- Teacher Appreciation May 10, 2002 Laguna Cliffs Marriott
- District Conference May 14-16 2002
- Scholarship Awards May 20, 2002
- Rotary International Convention June 23-26 2002

**Next Board Meeting Wed Nov 7 , 2001 7am YMCA**

### ROTARY YARD SALE Fundraiser

Saturday November 10, 2001  
0700 to 1300 Hours  
atConstancia Cul-De Sac (Keegan's House)  
Save any appropriate items  
including large pieces of furniture  
Note: Please exclude rummage sale type items