Dear Friends:

The Elmbrook Rotary Club is the local affiliate of Rotary International - a global network of 1.2 million neighbors, friends, leaders, and problem-solvers who see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.

Until we are confident that we are fully protected against COVID-19, we continue “Social Distancing” to help prevent COVID 19 from spreading to our family, friends, and neighbors.  That means we have family events over the Internet and our weekly breakfast meetings are still conducted on ZOOM for the time being.

We hope to be able to resume our cherished traditional summer activities soon, but, again this season we have decided to postpone our Elmbrook Rotary Club’s Annual “Spikes for Tykes” Volleyball Extravaganza held in June at Mitchell Park.   Every year since 1987, community members, young and not so young, have gathered with Elmbrook Rotarians to celebrate the end of the school year with friendly games of volleyball, great food and music.

**With the support of many sponsors, donors and friends, we were able to not only reach out fundraising goal in 2020, but exceed our goal, and in some cases increase our community and international support of many programs that have come to rely on our efforts!  In fact, the crisis has increased needs in many ways.**

**We still need your support even more this year!** Because the needs are still there and increasing, we have increased our fundraising goal from **$50,000 to $60,000, raised by June 30, 2021!**

If you would like to renew your past donation, please click here. <https://elmbrookrotary.org/page/donate>

Or use the attached Sponsorship opportunities form to mail in your contribution.

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, the 34th annual Spikes for Tykes will not take place.  Rather, we will gather in June, for a 3K walk in support of one of our international programs, Common Hope.  The walk will be followed by a Picnic Celebration. The picnic will take place on June 5th, 2020 again at Mitchell Park in Brookfield. The current fundraising effort will still benefit dozens of local and international charities.

If you have been a Sponsor of “Spikes for Tykes” in the past – we truly say ***Thank You!***   We hope you will step up again this year.    If you are new to “Spikes” – we hope you will consider one of the many ways you can help.

* Become an Event Sponsor
* Contributions of in-kind items – gift cards or silent auction items

   You can also find more information about Elmbrook Rotary – our programs – when and where we meet – and how you can become involved at [www.ElmbrookRotary.org](http://www.elmbrookrotary.org)

Thanks for your consideration.   We hope we can count on you.

Your Friends and Neighbors at the Elmbrook Rotary Club