



Thirsting to Serve

international clean water projects



5TH ANNUAL WATER CONFERENCE
SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2009
WATER, WOMEN AND HOPE

*Hosted by Rotary District 6290 with
 Rotary District Partners: 6360, 6380, 6400 & International Aid*

8:30 AM	Welcome	Calvin College
8:35 AM	Convene	6290 DG Bob Gandolfi
8:45 AM	Thirsting to Serve – Progress Report	Pres. Jim VanDyke
9:00 AM	Hope for Women – India Story	Mary Dailey Brown www.sowhope.org
9:30 AM	Women, Water and Time	Lamisi Mbillah, Miss World Beauty w/Purpose; Carter Center; PhD Candidate
10:00 AM	Water Privatization and Impact on Women	Suzanne Golas, csjp Founding Mother, www.waterspirit.org
Break 10:30		

BREAKOUT SESSIONS:

Each Breakout Session panel includes a specialist in the region's water issues, a Rotarian Representative and Rotary Foundation grant staff. Morning session will allow each of the three experts to lay groundwork and to speak to needs, obstacles and challenges of the region. Afternoon session will be a working session to respond to participant questions, efforts to collaborate and work in region. Water 101 and Water Grants 101 are presentations with time for questions.

11-11:45 AM PANEL SESSIONS

WATER 101 - 6380	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC / HONDURAS – 6360	GHANA / KENYA – 6400	DGE BOARDROOM - 6290
Engineers w/out Borders Valerie Fuchs, PhD	David Manz PhD, Robert Hildreth 4060, Rotarians Tony Medina 4250, The Rotary Foundation Rep.	Mark Sobsey PhD, Rotarian John Boot, Lamisi Mbillah, The Rotary Foundation Rep	Ron Denham, WASRAG PDG Ross Conran, Zone Water Chair, TRF Rep

NOON – Lunch networking time with seating done by region of interest.

1 PM-2 PM PANEL SESSIONS

Water Grants 101 Ken Lahey & TRF	Caribbean & Latin America continued	Sub-Saharan Africa continued	DGE Boardroom continued
2:30 PM	Water, Path to Peace – Kenya Story		John Boot, Rotarian, WASRAG Video
3:15 PM	Closing & Project Display Awards		DG Bob Gandolfi

EXHIBITS:	WASRAG	Calvin Bookstore	International Aid
6290	6380	6400	6360
5970	4060	6310	6330
6600	6630	6650	7090
7280	7300	7330	

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First HydrAid™ BioSand Filter Network Conference
Friday March 6, 2009 9AM-3PM

Prince Conference Center of Calvin College
Grand Rapids, MI

REGISTRATION FORM

NAME:

EMAIL:

ROTARY CLUB:

DISTRICT:

CHOOSE ONE: ROTARIAN CLUB OFFICER DIST WATER CHAIR PDG DG DGE DGN

OR

ORGANIZATION:

COUNTRY OF INTEREST (OPTIONAL) _____

HAVE YOU ATTENDED THIRSTING TO SERVE CONFERENCES BEFORE: YES ____ TIMES; NO

REGISTRATION IS COMPLETE UPON RECEIPT OF CHECK:

Registration for both Fri and Sat events: \$95

Registration for Thirsting to Serve, Saturday: \$80

Checks payable to T2S mailed to Thirsting to Serve, PO Box 514, Grand Haven MI 49417

NOTE: AT the DOOR registration will have 'as available' lunch

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