What is RAGM?

The Rotarian Action Group for Microcredit (RAGM) is the official microcredit vehicle of Rotarians focusing on alleviating poverty.

RAGM proudly offers, through its approximately 500 members and 1,500 e-mail circulation list, help for successful microcredit projects.

RAGM members are supported in writing articles, stories and vignettes for publication.

RAGM co-hosts microcredit conferences in Toronto, Calgary and Victoria with more conferences being planned.

RAGM trains members to find donations.

RAGM members are early adapters to the suite of financial services being developed for the poor.

RAGM helps source field trips, study and employment opportunities in developing countries.

RAGM Leadership

OUR MISSION:
To broaden and deepen Rotarians’ understanding of Microcredit and enable them to participate in effective Microcredit programs

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RAGM can help by offering the following:

- Information such as grants and funding opportunities.
- Availability of microfinance institutions operating in different regions and countries.
- Assistance in building partnerships with other Rotary clubs to formulate a Rotary Matching Grant project.
- Microcredit conferences, training sessions for Rotary clubs or districts.
- Speakers Bureau for presenters.
- Communication through social media is available for member networking.
- Enhanced website featuring a wide variety of self-published articles of interest to RAGM members through blogs to which members can contribute.

Microcredit loans with interest have an amazing 97% repayment rate.

“Our movement is not just about money, it is about unlocking human dreams. We seek to employ financial capital to unleash human potential”.

Nobel Peace Prize Laureate Muhammad Yunus

RAGM Membership around the globe is growing daily; Some of the reasons Rotarians, their partners, Rotaractors and Interactors join RAGM include the following:

1. Access to RAGM membership data base containing leaders in microcredit finance.
2. Periodic up-dates, through RSS feeds including newsworthly publications, conference announcements, project news, etc.
3. Opportunities to serve in microcredit projects, such as field trips, fundraising, speaking engagements and various forms of education.
4. Association with a Rotarian Action Group, which is a global humanitarian leader.
5. Members know they make a difference through Rotary - An effective poverty fighter.

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Annual US$25.00 - Lifetime US$100.00
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