

Causes supported

The Club and the Rotary Club of Ayr Benevolent Fund (Registered Charity No. SC013822) have made donations and awarded grants to 40 (2024 – 40) different causes and charities in the last FOUR years to June 2025 amounting in total to **£ 92,800** (To June 2024 **£81,215**)

Members of Ayr Rotary and other volunteers assisted in fund raising each year in November for the Scottish Poppy Appeal giving rise to a total over the four years to June 2025 of **£66,722** being raised directly in the name of Poppy Scotland

Members have provided substantial voluntary support for other local community projects such as providing food for the Ayr Salvation Army Food Bank and organising the annual local Beach Clean.

Local Charities and community projects

Ayrshire Hospice	8,700
Newton Shred Skatepark	3,250
VASA – T/C	250
Whiteleys Retreat	8,700
360 Ayrshire Ltd – T/C	250
Wheels in Motion	2,500
Ayr Gaiety Theatre	2,300
Auchincruive River Garden – T/C	250
Ayrshire Cancer Support	8,700
Crocus Appeal	175
Ayr Salvation Army Food Bank	7,552
Newton Wallacetown	
Foodbank & Essentials Hub	8,030
VE80 Celebrations	150
Harbour Ayrshire – T/C	500
Ayrshire Coastal Path	2,787
Ayrshire Hospital Radio – T/C	250
Craigie Intergenerational Gardening – T/C	250
VIC's Community – T/C	300
Crosshouse Children's Fund	2,600
Ayrshire Festivals	100
Other Treasure Chest grants	500
Total	<u>£58,094</u>

National

Walking Without Age	4,000
Aberlour Children's Trust	250
Kids Out Toy Appeal	1,625
Alzheimer's Scotland	3,720
Scottish Poppy Appeal	12
Scotland's Charity Air Ambulance	250
Guide Dogs for the blind	250

RNLI	<u>2,000</u>
Total	<u>£12,107</u>

International

Aquabox	2,110
Ugandan Orphanage Appeal	124
Malawi Fruits	1,285
Rotary Foundation	<u>8,630</u>
Total	<u>£12,149</u>

Youth & School Projects

Alloway School – T/C	219
Schools Career Fair	2,195
Ayr Boys Brigade – T/C	500
Ayr Young Carers	2,853
Kincaidston School -T/C	500
Belmont School Interact Club	555
Schools Youth Speaks	1,643
Schools Young Citizen etc	145
Ayr Sea Cadets	500
Rotary District RYLA sponsorship	<u>1,340</u>
Total	<u>£10,450</u>