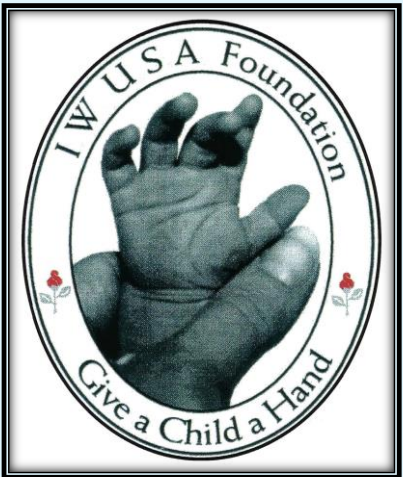




Inner Wheel

Created by the Inner Wheel Club of Slidell





Our Purpose Today-

- ▶ Who we are
- ▶ What we do
- ▶ Why it is important

Rotary and Inner Wheel Connections



Paul Harris



Margarett Golding

Rotary



Paul Harris

- ▶ Created Rotary - Chicago 1905
- ▶ Men Only Club
- ▶ Service Organization
- ▶ New Clubs Spread
- ▶ Rotary reached Great Britain



Margarette Golding

- ▶ Manchester England Wives
- ▶ Formed First Inner Wheel Club
- ▶ January 10, 1924
- ▶ 65 years later women allowed in Rotary in the US

The Inner Wheel symbol has a smaller cog inside larger wheel

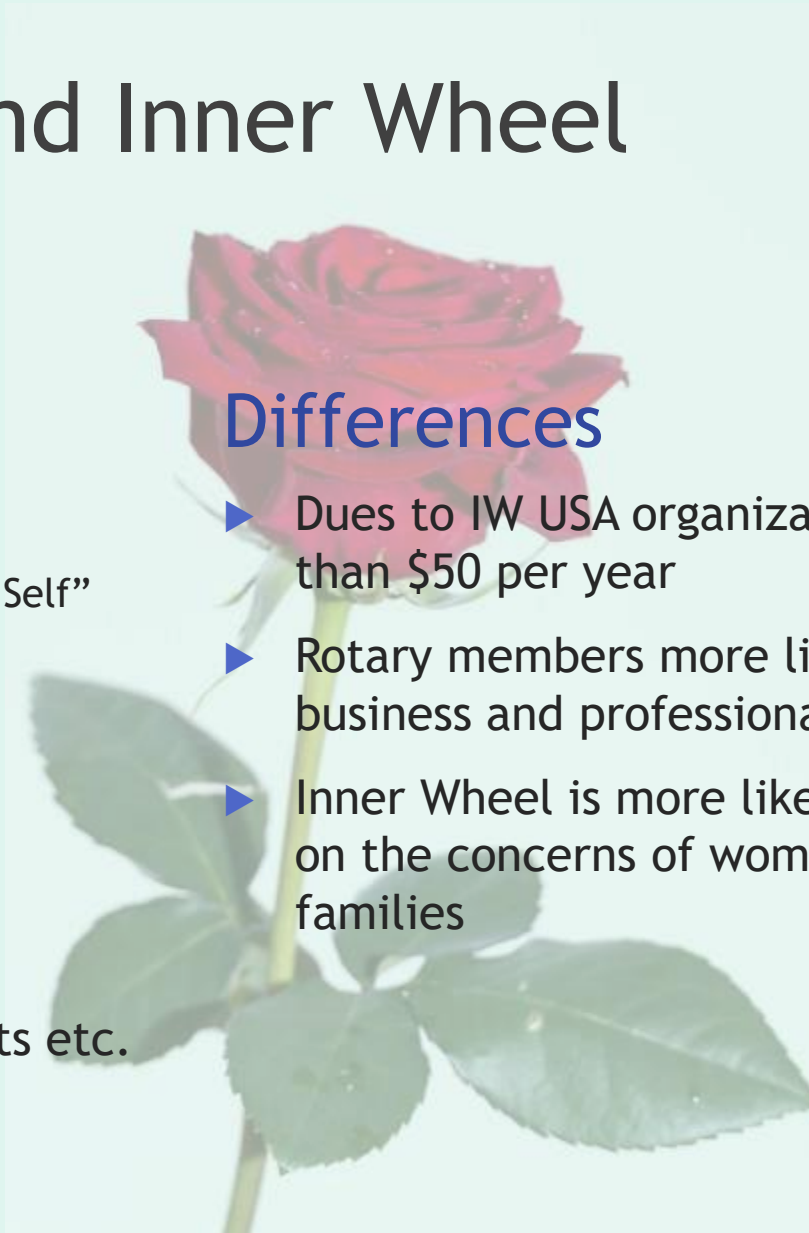
Rotary and Inner Wheel

Similarities

- ▶ Service to the Community
 - ▶ Rotary's Motto "Service Above Self"
- ▶ Promote Friendship
 - ▶ Inner Wheel's Rose
- ▶ International Good Will
 - ▶ Required for IW President's Achievement Award
- ▶ Organized with Clubs, Districts etc.
- ▶ Focused on networking

Differences

- ▶ Dues to IW USA organization less than \$50 per year
- ▶ Rotary members more likely to be business and professional leaders
- ▶ Inner Wheel is more likely to focus on the concerns of women and families



International Inner Wheel

- ▶ 120,000 Members
- ▶ 100 Countries
- ▶ 4,200 Clubs
- ▶ January 10th International Inner Wheel Day

UNITED NATIONS REPRESENTATION



UN Economic and Social Council- Address Issues such as:

Rights of the Child

Aging

Concerns of Families

Narcotic Drug Trafficking and Abuse

Status of Women

Human Trafficking

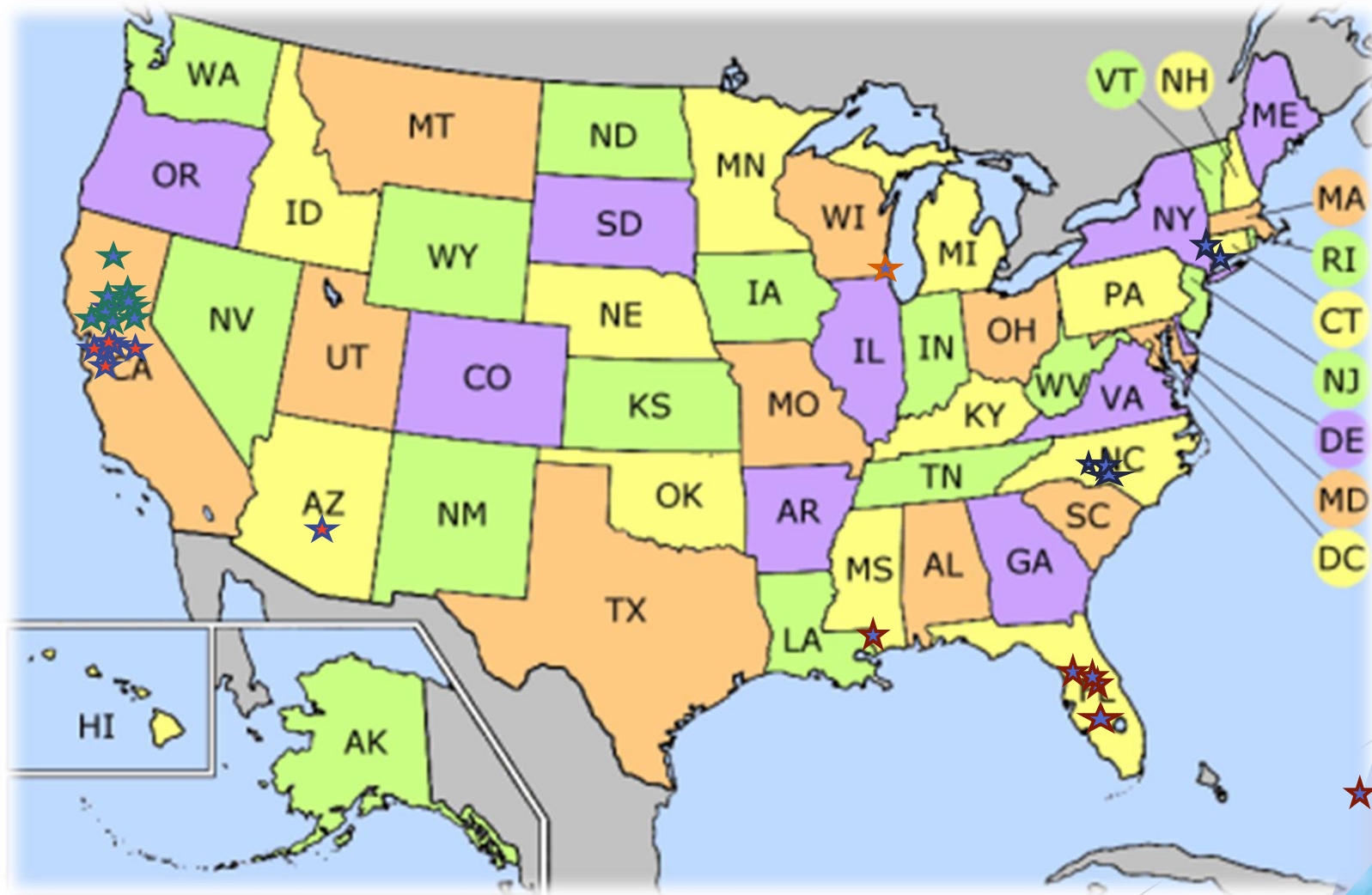
Economic Sustainability



Infinite variety of service projects



Inner Wheel USA



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Inner Wheel USA Details

- ▶ 4 districts
- ▶ 29 clubs
- ▶ 500 members
- ▶ Triennial Conference
- ▶ Governing Board and Semi-Annual National Meeting
- ▶ Anyone can join
 - ▶ No need to be related to Rotarian or Inner Wheel Member
 - ▶ New Club must have 10 members- Chartered in 6 months



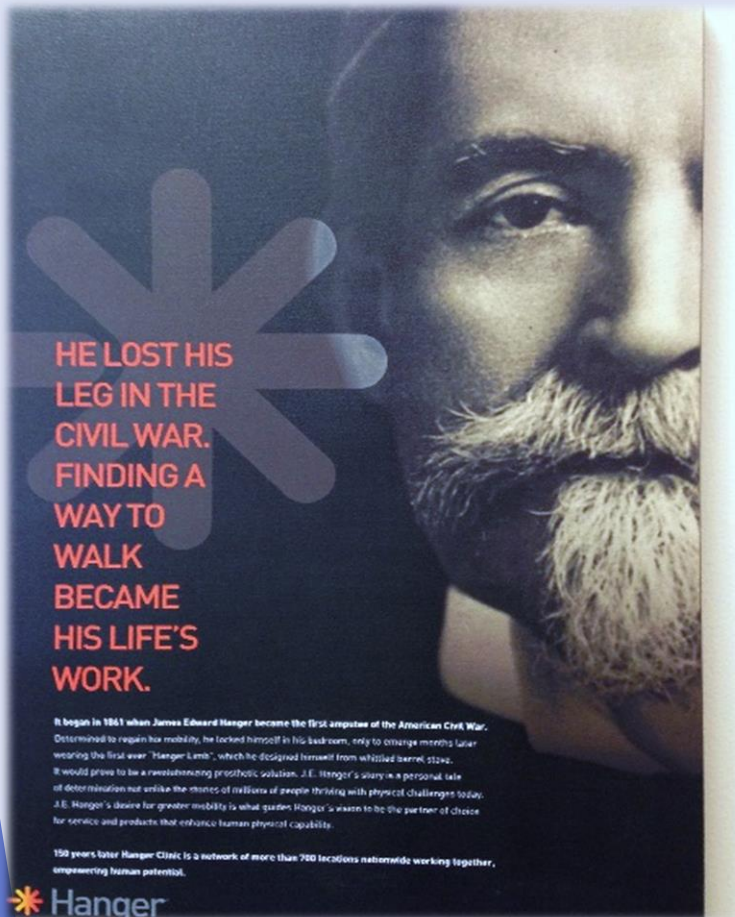
Inner Wheel USA Foundation History

- ▶ Non-Profit Created in 1988 by Inner Wheel USA Leadership
- ▶ Goals
 - ▶ Philanthropy
 - ▶ Charity
 - ▶ Education
- ▶ Chose a project with national outreach and support
- ▶ 1997 National Children's Myoelectric Limb Bank
 - ▶ Address the needs of limb-deficient children with financial needs
 - ▶ Adopted motto "Give a Child a Hand" and Logo
 - ▶ Partnered with Packard Children's Hospital in Palo Alto, CA
 - ▶ Connecticut Children's Medical Center



Inner Wheel USA Foundation Today

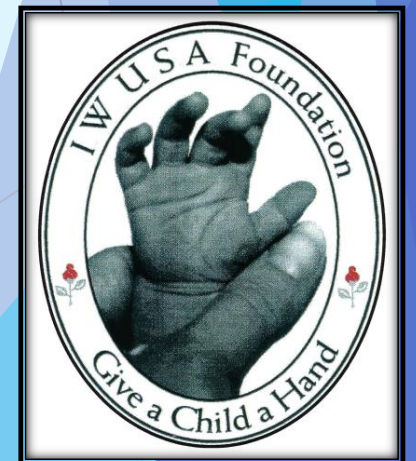
- ▶ The Foundation partners exclusively with Hanger Clinic
- ▶ Started by James Edward Hanger
- ▶ 800+ clinics nationwide



The Hero Arm

Hanger Clinic Partnered With Open Bionics

- ▶ 3-D Printed
- ▶ Lightweight <2 lbs
- ▶ Completely customizable
- ▶ Multi-grip versatility
- ▶ Uses lights, sounds, vibrations
- ▶ 12 hour battery
- ▶ Can lift up to 17.5 lbs
- ▶ Swappable covers
 - ▶ Star Wars BB-8, Marvel's Iron Man, Disney's Frozen + more



Giovanna Dubuc doesn't let much stand in her way. Born without her right arm below the elbow, the active teen plays the violin, rock climbs competitively, rides her bike, and is a self-proclaimed book nerd.



The New MyoPro Arm

- ▶ Used for children 12+ years old with hand or arm paralysis
- ▶ Reads faint nerve signals from the wearer
- ▶ Amplifies the signals to the brace
- ▶ MyoPro arm for children 5 - 11 years old is in development



Inner Wheel Foundation Recipients

“Turning Possibilities into Realities”



The Foundation Supports Camp No Limits



Provides therapeutic camps
for young people with limb
loss and limb difference


Camp
NO LIMITS
www.NoLimitsFoundation.org

Supporting the Foundation



- ▶ Fundraising events held by the Districts and Clubs
 - ▶ Each entity contribution of \$1,000- Eligible for Rose Council Pin.
 - ▶ Continued contributions adds Jewel to Pin for each level
 - ▶ Foundation Reached \$2 Million in assets.
 - ▶ Hanger's only supporting Foundation
 - ▶ Disbursed \$1 Million to "Give a Child a Hand" Programs

Inner Wheel is a Good Fit If You Are Interested In:

- ▶ The Myoelectric Limb Project to “Give a Child A Hand”
 - ▶ Your efforts will help a child, swim, play, hug---be happier
- ▶ Local Service Projects that Focus on Women and Families
 - ▶ The sky is the limit on how you can help
- ▶ Affordable Annual Dues
 - ▶ Inner Wheel Club members pay about \$50 per year to IWUSA
- ▶ Growing your Skills and Talents and Help Others
 - ▶ Many leadership opportunities, local and national level

In Summary



- ▶ Inner Wheel works side-by-side with Rotary
- ▶ Smaller organization- makes a big impact
- ▶ We are using women power to make a better world to improve lives and help our communities



QUESTIONS?

