

# The Paddlewheel

## Moorhead Rotary Club

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### Moorhead Rotary Club 1405 District 5580

President Gina Monson
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Dave Sederquist, Eric Johnson & Jean Hannig

Program Chair Jean Hannig
Pianist Sharon Fangsrud
Song Leader Bob Hanna
Trivia Master Brent Brandt
Photographer Russ Hanson
Paddlewheel Editor

Nancy Edmonds Hanson

#### **April Birthdays**

Bill Woods April 30

#### **Wedding Anniversaries**

Parries, Kay & Dan Apr 08 1989 33 years

Wilkie, Eric & Rebekah Apr 14 2011 11 years

Hanson, Russ & Nancy Apr 19 1975 47 years

#### **Rotary Anniveraries**

Sederquist, David	30 years
Apr 01 1992	
Riley, Tom	1 year
Apr 06 2021	
Johnson, Gregory	10 years
Apr 10 2012	
Matthees, Charles	29 years
Apr 13 1993	
Astrup, Steve	4 years
Apr 16 2018	
Hetland, Dale	20 years
Apr 16 2002	





#### Coming Up Tuesday, April 12

Kory Wolden of Family Health Care talks about the program's Mobile Clinic at Tuesday's meeting. Bill Craft is our sergeant at arms, and Cindy Nolte is Rotarian of the day.

# Kinzler offers early-season tips for beautiful lawns and gardens"

Acting president Jean Hannig welcomed Rotarians, guests Tom Riley and Ken Rossum of FM AM Rotary and the club's favorite speaker, gardening expert Don Kinzler, to the Moorhead Schools Operations Center for the club's regular meeting.

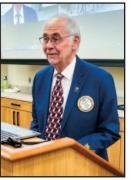
#### Centennial dinner is a month away

She reminded members to get their reservations in for the club's centennial dinner on Wednesday, May 4, at Concordia College. "We need 100 people to attend to break even," she said, "so please invite others." District officials, club presidents and members of neighboring clubs have received invitations; friends and family are also welcome. A link for making reservations is in the email that carried this Paddlewheel.

#### Recital with a Cause coming up April 21

John Andreasen shared updates on the Recital with a Cause, the FM Rotary Foundation's fund-raising concert for Polio Plus and area musical organizations. The concert takes place at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 21, in First Lutheran Church's new recital hall. John brought posters and blue







Photos/Russ Hanson (Top left) NDSU Extension horticulturist Don Kinzler gave Rotarians some tips on getting their gardens and yards ready for spring, if it ever comes. Jean Hannig looks on as

Jean Hannig looks on as Travel Raffle chair Dale Hetland announces April's winners.

John Andreasen. Sergeant at Arms Cindy Nolte. Rotarian of the Day Randy Farwell.



#### **Meetings**

Tuesdays — noon Moorhead Schools Operations Center, 1401 30th Ave. S.

#### Participate via Zoom:

https://us04web.zoom.us/j/742305 775?pwd=V0ZTMVI1NldkY2xMM nIHNEdPdlRxdz09 Meeting ID: 742 305 775 Password: 630851

#### Other F-M Rotary Meetings

Monday: FM/PM Rotary
5:30 p.m., Lucky 13 Pub
Monday: Fargo West Rotary
Noon, Holiday Inn
Wednesday: Fargo Rotary
Noon, Radisson
Thursday: FM/AM Rotary
7 a.m., Ramada Plaza

envelopes for gathering donations to the causes, recommending, "Get your donations in so your name or business can be recognized in the program booklet." The deadline is Thursday. He also provided extra posters and suggested members share the word on social media.

#### **Travel Raffle winners announced**

Travel Raffle committee chair Dale Hetland announced April's winners of the monthly drawing. They include third-place winner of a \$100 Rustica dining certificate, Justin James, who bought his ticket from Jean; Karen and Larry Schaefer, who won the \$200 second prize on a ticket sold by Steve Schaefer; and lucky Robert Erbes, who bought a ticket himself and will be vacationing in Moab, Utah, in July.

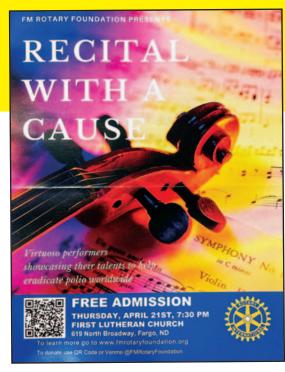
Rotary's new president is first women

Sergeant at Arms Cindy Nolte shared the news that the first woman will be inaugurated as president of Rotary International at its convention. Canadian Jennifer Jones — selected for her qualifications, not her gender — has chosen as her theme "Imagine Rotary."

Happy dollars were offered for the centennial dinner, basketball championship, and many for John and his recital committee's good work. Eradication of polio remains the highest goal of Rotary; wisdom gained from the fight may help wipe out Covid-19.

#### Kinzler advises on 'Waking Up Garden'

Rotarian of the Day Randy Farwell introduced our speaker, Extension horticulturist Don Kinzler of



NDSU, but first mentioned good news of his own: Moorhead Rotary will be sponsoring three RYLA students this summer, two from Moorhead and one from Hawley.

Don, who grew up in Lisbon, said he may be the only guy who has moved the same 1895 house not once, but twice in 25 years ... first from Fergus Falls to a site along University Drive, and again after the flood of 2009 to its present location on higher ground.

Among the many tips he shared was one that helps pollinators do their job in spring. It's better to leave the tops on your perennials over the winter to help native bees and other pollinators survive the season to pollinate your apples and cucumbers in the spring. Cut back when green begins to show.

But when you cut them back, keep the cut-off foliage around for awhile to let the pollinators hatch and emerge as the weather warms.

#### **Looking Ahead**

#### April 12

Sergeant at Arms......Bill Craft
Rotarian of the Day .....Cindy Nolte
Program.....Kory Wolden, Family Health Care
Mobile Clinic

#### April 19

Sergeant at Arms......Jerry Rogers
Rotarian of the Day....Steve Astrup
Program .....Karla Isley, United Way

#### **April 21** — Recital with a Cause

7:30 p.m. .....First Lutheran Church

#### **April 26**

Sergeant at Arms.....Teresa Joppa Rotarian of the Day.....Ernie Simmons Program ..McKenzey Braater, EPIC Companies

#### May 4 — Centennial Dinner

5:30 p.m.....Concordia College Centrum

#### **May 10**

Sergeant at Arms .......Tim Hiller
Rotarian of the Day ......Kay Parries
Program ......Sheri Larson, Moorhead
Business Association