



Service Above Self

Rotary Club of Ankeny

Ratchet

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Club Web Site

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If you have any comments or questions, email the editor.

Future Speakers

Mar 9 2010

Lynhon Stout

"Iowa Foster & Adoptive Parents Association"

Mar 16 2010

Dave Bradley & Scott Brunscheen

"Meals from the Heartland"

Mar 23 2010

Todd Eipperle

"100 Years of Scouting"

Mar 30 2010

Alette Vance

"Ankeny Art Center"

Apr 6 2010

Interact students

"Xicotepec, Mexico, trip report"

Apr 13 2010

Sandy Sanderson

"Life after the Ankeny Press Citizen"

Apr 20 2010

Sue Gibbons

May 4 2010

Lt. General Ron Daris

"The Rebuild Iowa Program"

Upcoming Events

March Rotary Board Meeting

Mar 11 2010

PETS Training

Mar 26 2010 - Mar 27 2010

District 6000 Convention

Apr 23 2010

RI Convention

Jun 0 2010 - Jun 23 2010

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DG Recognizes Ankeny Club

by Burnham, Nate

In District Governor, Cal Litwiller's "March Communique", to District 6000 Presidents and Secretaries, he recognized the Ankeny Rotary Club for their contributions to the Iowa National Guard Officer's Auxillary "Teddy bear Project".



DG Littwiller refers to several District 6000 opportunities in his "Communique" including the Iowa National Guard Officer's Auxillary "Teddy Bear Project". he states the "Teddy Bear Project" is off to a great start thanks to several clubs that have already invited this organization to present their program. **Additionally, I would like to suggest that your club consider following Ankeny's lead and thank your program presenters by donating a bear in their name.** The INGOAux will provide your clubs with certificates of appreciation to be awarded to your guests each week at a cost of only \$6 per bear.

To view the entire communique, check out the "Downloads" on the Ankeny Rotray web site.

Greeters

by Burnham, Nate

The greeting schedule for the next several weeks is as follows:

3/9 - Ron Bode

3/16 - Jeff Byrn

3/23 - Justin Carlton

3/30 - Julie Cooper

4/6 - Mary Cochran

4/13 - Tim Cox

4/20 - Teri Crist

March Rotarian Birthdays

by Burnham, Nate

The following Rotarians will be celebrating birthdays in March:

3rd - Craig Block

7th - Andrew Larson

8th - Tamera Robinson

9th - Trent Murphy

11th - Kendall Sather

12th - Zane Smith

21st - Troy Boelman

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Invite a Prospective Member Cards

by Burnham, Nate

Business size cards are now available with the 4-way test on one side and an invitation to "Be My Guest" on the back. Club members are to carry these cards with them and give them to prospective members while inviting them to attend one of our meetings as our guest.

2010 - 2011 Officer Nominees

by Burnham, Nate

Teri Crist has agreed to be our nominee for Vice President for 2010-2011 and move into the presidency of our club in 2012-2013 after Tim Hawkins in 2010-2011 and Doug Beach in 2011-2012.

Any club member that would like to become more involved in the leadership of our club as a committee chair, board member, or officer is encouraged to contact President Troy Boelman and express their interest. A final vote on the officer slate will take place in about 4 weeks.

March Board Meeting

by Burnham, Nate

The March Board meeting of the Ankeny Rotaty Club will be held:

When: Thursday March 11th

Time: 12:00 Noon

Where: Wig N Pen, 2005 South Ankeny Blvd.

All members are welcome and it counts as a make-up!

Templeton Rye Sighting

by Burnham, Nate

As Scott bush advised us a few weeks ago, there is often a waiting list to purchase Templeton Rye.

Last week Dirk Westercamp saw some at the West Hy-Vee in Ames for just under \$40 per bottle. Let Dirk know if you would like him to see if they have any left and you would like him to pick up a bottle for you.