

Service Above Self

Rotary Club of Ankeny

Ratchet

Tuesday, February 15, 2011



Club Web Site

Editor: Nate Burnham

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

Future Speakers

Feb 15 2011

Terry Geiger

"District 6000 and Nigeria"

Feb 22 2011

Josh More, Alliance Technologies

"Malware and ID theft, how to protect against it"

Mar 1 2011

Ankeny Public Schools

"Transition Team to report on the transition of the schools"

Mar 8 2011

Darin Haack, Director of Ankeny Bands

"Highlights of the program and the transition to two schools"

Mar 15 2011

Troy Boelman

Mar 22 2011

Brad Botos

Mar 29 2011

Jamie Pollard

"Director of Athletics ISU"

Apr 5 2011

Nate Burnham

Apr 12 2011

Jeffrey Byrn

Apr 19 2011

TBD

Apr 26 2011

No meeting

"District 6000 conference this week"

May 3 2011

Mary Cochran

Upcoming Events

2011 District 6000 Convention

Apr 28 2011 - Apr 30 2011

RI Convention - New Orleans

May 21 2011 - May 25 2011

Terry Geiger to Speak on Nigeria

by Burnham, Nate

Terry Geiger, District 6000 Governor Nominee for 2012-13, will be our speaker on February 15th. He recently returned from Nigeria and will be sharing his observations of the humanitarian projects there that were supported by Rotary District 6000 and in part by the Ankeny Rotary Club.



Terry grew in the small town of Ulysses, Nebraska. He received a BA in Economics from Lawrence University in Appleton, Wisconsin and an advanced banking degree from the University of Wisconsin in Madison. After 35 years in bank management Terry retired from Great Western Bank in Leon in 2008.

Terry has been a Rotarian for over 22 years and is currently a member of the Rotary Club of Decatur County in Leon. He and his wife Peggy have 6 children and 11 grandchildren.

Westerkamp Nominated for Vice President Position

by Burnham, Nate



Dirk Westerkamp was nominated by the Board at last week's meeting to serve as Vice President for the 2011-2012 Rotary year and President Elect for 2013-14. Dirk is the President of Woodruff Design.

The Board is also looking for other Rotarians that would like to assume a leadership role in the Ankeny Rotary Club. Any club member that would like to be considered as a committee chair, board member, or officer is encouraged to contact President Tim Hawkins and express their interest.

Prospective New Member

by Burnham, Nate

Brian Hoff has submitted an application for membership to the Ankeny Rotary Club.

Brian is a State Farm Insurance Agent in Ankeny. He is also active in youth activities with two sons ages 10 and 7. His wife, Julie teaches in Norwalk. Brian is being proposed for membership by Dave Mercer.



Comments regarding this proposed membership may be submitted to any board member.

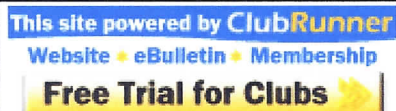
District 6000 Conference - April 28-30, 2011

by Burnham, Nate

This eBulletin has been generated by **ClubRunner** club communication software. Visit clubrunner.ca for details.

© 2002- 11 Doxess. All Rights Reserved.

ClubRunner Sponsors



Please visit our Sponsors.
To place your ad [click here](#).

Club Site Sponsors



Please visit our Club Website Sponsors.
To place your ad [click here](#).



The 2011 Rotary District 6000 annual conference will be hosted by the Ankeny Rotary Club April 28-30 and held at the Ankeny Courtyard by Marriott.

The conference will begin with a 4-person best shot golf outing on Thursday, April 28th at Otter Creek with lunch at 11:00 and a shotgun start at noon. Another of the highlights of the conference will be an appearance by Simon Estes at the district-wide Rotary luncheon on Friday. The regular Tuesday meeting of the Ankeny Rotary club on April 26th will be cancelled and all members are encouraged to attend this luncheon. On-line registration will soon be available for the conference.

Also, there are sponsorship opportunities for any business that would like to place an ad in the Rotary District 2011 Conference Program. These ads range from \$100 for a 1/4 page ad to \$350 for a full page ad or \$500 for a premier placement, back cover - subject to availability, ad. Contact Nate Burnham for a sponsorship form

Rotary International Convention in New Orleans

by Burnham, Nate

Now is the time to register for the 2011 Rotary International Convention to be held in New Orleans May 21-25 to get the best rates and accommodations and **"Let the good times roll ...again"**.



To attend the convention and experience the fellowship of Rotary at an international level, register for the convention, reserve your hotel, purchase tickets to host events, and check the preliminary schedule to help plan your trip. If you register before March 15th, the base registration cost is \$340 for most attendees. To register, go to the Rotary International web site, www.rotary.org, and click on the convention logo at the bottom of the **"Home page"**.

Greeters

by Burnham, Nate

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

2/8 - Pat Stilwill

2/15 - Sandy Strong

2/22 - Kraig Vry

3/1 - Nathan Wahl

3/8 - Jen Walters

3/15 - Todd Wehr

3/22 - Gary Welch

3/29 - Dirk Westercamp

February Rotarian Birthdays

by Burnham, Nate

The following Ankeny Rotarians celebrate birthdays in February:



2nd - Mike Goedeke

8th - Terry Peter

16th - Jen Walter

26th - Jody Savage

26th - Steve SchraderBachar