



Service Above Self

Rotary Club of Ankeny

Ratchet

Tuesday, June 14, 2011

Club Web Site

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Future Speakers

Jun 14 2011

Glenn DeStigter, Chairman

"The Weitz Company"

Jun 21 2011

Sara Young

"Candeo's Supported Employment Team"

Jun 28 2011

"No Meeting"

Jun 30 2011

Golf Outing and Annual Meeting

Jul 5 2011

Shar Dunlap

Jul 12 2011

On-With-Life

Jul 19 2011

Faith Baptist Bible College

Upcoming Events

No Meeting

Jun 28 2011

Annual Meeting & Golf Outing

Jun 30 2011

Ankeny Summerfest Parade

Jul 9 2011

Ankeny Summerfest Golf Ball Drop

Jul 11 2011

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Summerfest Golf Ball Drop

by Burnham, Nate

The tickets for the golf ball drop to take place on Sunday evening July 10th at the conclusion of Ankeny Summerfest have been printed and will be distributed at this week's meeting, June 14th. It would be great if each member could sell at least 20 tickets. The cost of each ticket is \$10, but there is a coupon for a free blooming onion from Outback Steakhouse on each ticket, a \$7.00 value.

Each ticket is numbered and will correspond to a number on a golf ball. At approximately 9:00 PM on Sunday evening, all the balls are put in a bucket and taken about 60 feet in the air by the Ankeny Fire department ladder truck. They are then dropped at the same time towards a hole. The first ball in the hole, or closest to the hole if none goes in, wins \$1,000 for the person with the ticket matching the number on the ball. The second ball in the hole or closest, wins \$500 and the third ball in the hole or closest wins \$250.

We will be selling tickets at the Chamber Golf outing on June 15th at Brairwood and Otter Creek golf courses. In addition the club has reserved a vendor space during Summerfest to sell tickets as well as provide information about Rotary and our club. Contact Tom Friedman with questions or if you are available to help sell tickets on the 15th.

Donation Guidelines Committee

by Burnham, Nate

At last week's Board meeting, it was decided a committee should be appointed to develop guidelines for making cash contributions to charities or to fund service projects. The guidelines should include the types of activities and charities we want to help and appropriate amount to be donated.

Let Doug Beech know if you would like to serve on this committee.

July 12th and July 19th Meetings

by Burnham, Nate

The Ankeny Rotary Club **will not be meeting at the Ankeny Golf & Country Club on July 12th and 19th.** On July 12th, we will be meeting at **On-With-Life**, 715 SW Ankeny Rd. and on the 19th we will be meeting at **Faith Baptist Bible College** at 1900 NW 4th Street.

Ankeny Rotary Annual Meeting & Golf Outing - June 30, 2011

by Burnham, Nate



The Ankeny Rotary Club's annual meeting and golf outing will be held June 30, 2011, at the Ankeny Golf & Country Club. Online registration through our web site is now available.

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For those golfing, registration will begin at 5:00 pm with a shotgun start at 5:30 pm. The format is a four-person best shot (golfer designate foursomes or sign up individually and you will be assigned to a team). The cost for golf is \$20 per person for both Rotarians and guests. The golf is designed to be a fun-oriented event with no skill required. Golf sponsorships are available at \$50 each and donations of prizes are always welcome.

Dinner is free to members and one guest and will be served at approximately 8:00 pm after golf. The charge for additional guests for dinner is \$10 per person. Golf prizes, our annual meeting, and awards will follow dinner. You may register by logging on to our web site and clicking on "**Annual Meeting & Golf Outing**" under "**Upcoming Events**" or just advise Nate Burnham if you plan to attend at one of our next meetings.

When registering, please indicate the name of your guest(s), if any, and if you and/or your guest(s) will golf. Also, indicate if you are willing to sponsor a hole or provide some prizes.

There will be no regular meeting on Tuesday June 28th

Greeters

by Burnham, Nate

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

6/14 - Julie Cooper

6/21 - Tim Cox

6/28 - No Meeting

7/5 - Teri Crist

7/12 - Meet at On-With-Life

7/19 - Meet at Faith Baptist Bible College



June Rotarian Birthdays

by Burnham, Nate



The following Ankeny Rotarians will be celebrating birthdays in June:

6th - Ben Norman

14th - Sue Gibbons

17th - Dave Mercer

20th - Steve Van Oort

21st - Mike Lydon

26th - Carmen Davis

Candeo's Annual Wheelchair Basketball Competition

by Burnham, Nate

Teams from Iowa State and Drake will be facing off against each other in Candeo's Annual Wheelchair Basketball Competition on June 25th, 2011 at 7:00 PM at the American Institute for Business College Activities Center, 2280 Bell Ave, Des Moines.



Sponsorships for this event are available from \$250 to \$1,500 and individual tickets are now on sale for \$5 each. Visit www.candeoiowa.org or call Candeo offices at 515-289-4781 for more information and sponsorship opportunities.