



Service Above Self

Rotary Club of Ankeny

Ratchet

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Club Web Site

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Future Speakers

- Sep 6 2011**
Joddey Hicks
"Computing in the clouds"
- Sep 13 2011**
Dr. Boylan
"Japans Fukushima Nuclear Plant Disaster"
- Sep 20 2011**
District Governor
- Sep 27 2011**
Rotarian Responsible for Speaker : Jim Gocke
- Nov 15 2011**
Sarah Willeford
"Ankeny Library Director"

Upcoming Events

- DG Don Patterson official visit.**
Sep 20 2011
- Ankeny Shred Day**
Sep 24 2011
- Dinner & Wicked**
Dec 1 2011

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Kathy Sibbel Wins 50/50 Pot

by Burnham, Nate

With 35 cards left in the deck and the pot standing at \$250, **Kathy Sibbel** drew the "**Ace of Hearts**" and won the pot on August 30th. **Congratulations Kathy!!**



Greeters

by Burnham, Nate



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

- 9/6 - Tom Friedman
- 9/13 - Chuck Gassman
- 9/20 - Jim Gocke
- 9/27 - Dennis Hanson
- 10/4 - Tim Hawkins
- 10/11 - Brian Hoff
- 10/18 - Patty Hoffman

September Rotary Board Meeting

by Burnham, Nate

The September board meeting for the Ankeny Rotary Club will be:

When: **Thursday, September 8th**
Time: 12:00 Noon
Where: Wig N Pen, 2005 South Ankeny Blvd.



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

New Members - Digmann & Martin

by Burnham, Nate



On August 23, two new members were inducted into the Ankeny Rotary Club, Ben Digmann and Vikki Martin.

Ben is a Long Term Care Insurance Agent with Genworth Financial in Ankeny. He was formerly a member of the Centennial, Colorado Rotary Club. Vikki is the Manager of Graham Tire in Ankeny and was proposed for membership by Jody Savage.

New Member - Bruce Kimpston

by Burnham, Nate

Bruce Kimpston was inducted as a new member of the



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Ankeny Rotary Club on August 30th. Bruce is the Associate Superintendent of Schools in the Ankeny Community School District. Bruce was proposed for membership by Gary Welch.

September Rotarian Birthdays

by Burnham, Nate



The following Rotarians will be celebrating birthdays in September:

7th - Teri Crist
7th - Tom Friedman

7th - Mark Martin
16th - Todd Wehr
20th - Kevin Brooks
29th - Tim Hawkins

District Governor Patterson Visit on September 20th

by Burnham, Nate

Please mark your calendar to be sure to attend our regular meeting on September 20th when District Governor Don Patterson and his Rotary Partner Becky will be making their official visit to the Ankeny Rotary Club.



Don would like to meet with our **board members at 10:30** prior to our regular meeting. Let's plan to have as many board members as possible at this meeting as well as many members as possible at our regular meeting.

Welcome Home Barbeque in Johnston September 15th

by Burnham, Nate



The Johnston Rotary Club will be presenting a "**Welcome Home Barbeque**" on September 15th at the Simpson Barn in Johnston from 5 to 7 pm. All proceeds from the event will go to the Gold Star Museum at Camp Dodge.

Mike Scoville of the Johnston Club attended our meeting on August 30th and was presented a check in the amount of \$100 by President Beech. This donation will make the Ankeny Rotary Club a Silver Sponsor for this event. The evening will include a military re-enactment, police/fire//military vehicles, live music, military fly-over, Vietnam POW Larry Spencer, Medal of Honor Parent Rose Giunta, Teacher of the Year Sarah Brown- Wessling and a raffle drawing. Tickets are \$5.00 each and may be purchased at the door or by contacting Mike Schoville at 515-306-8487.

District 6000 Fall Training Seminar - September 20th

by Burnham, Nate

A series of District 6000 Fall Training seminars will be held in September including one in Ankeny at the DMACC campus in the FFA Building, on September 20th. The seminar will begin at 6:00 PM and end at 9:00 PM.

Who should attend? It is hoped that each club can be represented by the following: Club President, President-Elect, Foundation Chair, Membership Chair, Youth Exchange Officers, Secretary, Treasurer, and all other interested Rotarians from District 6000. A light meal will be provided.

Registration is required and the deadline is September 13th. Please let Nate Burnham know if you are planning to attend and he will get you registered.