



Rotary Club of Chariton eBulletin

Service Above Self

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Future Speakers

Apr 8 2011

Bobby Hansen
"Iowa Speedway"

Apr 15 2011

Dave West
"Security Officer"

Apr 29 2011

Allen Wiese
"Salvation Army"

Jun 3 2011

Gloria & Mark Willis
"Trip to Haiti"

Upcoming Events

District Conference, Marriott Courtyard, Ankeny
Apr 28 2011

District Assembly, Marriott Courtyard, Ankeny
Apr 29 2011

Community Wide Clean-Up
May 4 2011

Roadside Clean-Up
May 14 2011

Rotary International Convention, New Orleans, LA
May 21 2011

Relay for Life
Aug 5 2011

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Membership: 55

ATTENDANCE:

April 1, 2011

Rotarians: 38

Guests: Becky Davis, Karen Jones, Phil Brown

Students: 3

Fine Balance: \$804.00

Program 4/08: Becky Struve
Reader 4/08: Ford Brockman

Bobby Hansen, Presenter on April 8th

A resident of West Des Moines, Iowa, Bobby played for Lute Olson and The University of Iowa Hawkeyes from 1979-1983. As a freshman in the 1979-80 season, he helped the Hawks reach the Final Four in Indianapolis, Indiana. He graduated in 1983 as the 10th all-time leading scorer in Hawkeye history. Drafted in the 3rd round by the Utah Jazz he played 9 seasons in the NBA. Traded to the Sacramento Kings in 1990 and eventually to the World Champion Chicago Bulls where he helped the Bulls rally from a 15 point 4th quarter deficit with a 3 pointer and steal while subbing for Michael Jordan in the final game.

After retirement, Bobby joined the Hawkeye Radio Network as color analyst and has established himself as one of college basketballs finest radio analysts. Currently starting his 20th season in the broadcast booth, Bobby teams up with Gary Dolphin for all Hawkeye broadcasts. He also currently works for the Iowa Speedway located in Newton, Iowa in sales and marketing.

Welcome New Member Shantel Dow



Shantel Dow joins Rotary as the new Executive Director for the Chariton Chamber & Development Corp. Shantel holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from the College of St. Benedict in St. Joseph, MN and has started work on a master's degree in non-profit management at the University of St. Thomas in Minneapolis. She has worked as a Grant Writer for non-profit organizations and schools across the country for the past 25 years.

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Shantel & her husband Dan have three children.

Rotarian in the News

Dave Paxton, an Albia Rotarian and editor of the Chariton & Albia newspapers said in his column in the Chariton paper last week that he was always impressed with the quality of programs Chariton Rotary has.

"**Sandra Knebel's** coverage of those programs creates something akin to the old Chautauquas, where renowned speakers would tour small communities, bringing politics, science and culture to people at the turn of the century".

Dave finds himself a better, more informed person reading these reports of the Rotary programs.

District Newsletter

Please [click here](#) to find 2 Chariton Rotarians in the District Newsletter on page 5 and 13.

Board Meeting April 8, 2011

The Rotary board will meet this coming Friday, April 8, 2011 at 11 a.m. at Carpenter's Hall. It's an easy way to make up a missed meeting.

Child Abuse Luncheon

by Maxine Willadson

Please plan to attend the Lucas County Child Abuse Prevention luncheon this coming Thursday, April 7th from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Carpenter's Hall. The luncheon cost is \$8.00 and is the primary fundraiser to sponsor our activities over the year.

We, also, have a silent auction for Easter baskets of all types donated by the community that will extend until Easter.

Amber Russell, Prevention Specialist for Prevent Child Abuse Iowa, will speak on child abuse prevention to the public from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. in the west room at Carpenter's Hall.

We hope you will be able to attend and support us.

Matching Grant in Peru Approved by TRF

The Matching Grant in Peru has been approved by The Rotary Foundation (TRF). The Rotary clubs contributing are Boise Sunrise Rotary, RC Puno, RC Waukee, RC Colima, MX, and **RC Chariton**.

This integral literacy/agricultural development project will be located in the two communities of Rinconado and Jaylihuaya, Peru. Both rural communities are located on the altiplano outside of Puno, Peru, and have demonstrated strong commitment to improving the quality of life in their communities. The first need addressed by the project is illiteracy, which has been assessed by District 4300 as a prioritized focus for Rotary projects in Peru. In addition to the need for literacy education, this project will serve as a pilot project to address a second serious agricultural need. Located at 12,500 ft. in elevation, this region has 5-6 months of a winter dry season which is cold and provides no rain. During this time when crops cannot be cultivated, these subsistence farmers have a diet nearly void of nutritious foods such as vitamin-rich fruits and vegetables. This malnutrition contributes to their high incidence of influenza, colds and

pneumonia in this region.

Cammeo Medici, a Chariton native, has traveled to Peru and was able to see first hand the specific needs they have there. She asked our club to contribute to this Matching Grant during Ray Meyer's year as president. The Matching Grant got held up at TRF because the lead club hadn't completed a previous Matching Grant.

This Week's Foundation Thought is about...

Matching Grants. Your contribution to the Annual Programs Fund can literally be the bridge to a better life for people in need. In El Salvador, a US\$17,600 Matching Grant project built three bridges that improved the lives of approximately 2,500 people. The bridges increased agricultural trade, economic growth, and access to health care and education. An unexpected benefit of the project: During excavation for one of the bridges, a high-quality water source was discovered which residents can now access --by crossing the bridge.

Upcoming Programs & Readers

April 15

Program: Bob Ulrich

Reader: Nancy McDonald

April 22

Program: Tim Vastine

April 29

Program: Alan Wiese

Reader: Mike Miller

May 6

Program: Max Willadson

Reader: Linda O'Connell

RYLA - April 12, 2011

Alex Wright, son of Rotarian Paula & Gene Wright and **Leah Dow**, daughter of new member Shantel Dow have been chosen to attend RYLA.

This year's conference will be held from 9:15 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. at Hope Lutheran Church in West Des Moines, Iowa on Tuesday, April 12th. RYLA is a daylong leadership program for sophomore students, which demonstrates Rotary's respect and concern for youth.

Board Minutes - March 11, 2011

Please [click here](#) to read the March 11 board minutes.

GSE Team

The Group Study Exchange, GSE, team is in New Zealand from March 16 to April 15. To see the team members, visit their blog. The team will be blogging during their trip so if you would like to check in to see what is happening the blog address is: <http://gse6000to9910.blogspot.com/>

District 6000 Humanitarian Fund

In response to the disaster in Japan, District 6000 is setting up a line item through the Humanitarian Fund to deposit donations for Japan's recovery. District Governor Gary Welch is asking each of you to give to this fund to assist our fellow Rotarians' recovery in Japan. Please make your check payable to:

District 6000 Humanitarian Fund (Memo line - Japan)

Please send your donations to:

Sandy Pickup, H.E.F. Treasurer

818 Third Avenue

Iowa City, IA 52245

Membership Directory

To check your information in the Directory, update missing information, or change incorrect information, go to <http://www.clubrunner.ca/chariton>

username: yourfirstname.yourlastname.1637

password: 1637 (Unless you have changed your username & password)

DISTRICT CONFERENCE 2011 APRIL 28-30

It's going to be a FUN event with games, "laughing monkeys", a service project, both a silent and a live auction, great entertainment, awards, something for everyone! Details and registrations can be found at www.rotary6000.org.

**** REGISTRATION DEADLINE 4/22**

The Rotary Foundation (TRF)

The Rotary Foundation of RI is a not-for-profit corporation whose mission is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

The Mission of The Rotary Foundation

**OUR VISION FOR THE ROTARY FOUNDATION - WHY WE EXIST -
ENABLING ROTARIANS TO ADVANCE WORLD UNDERSTANDING,
GOODWILL AND PEACE.**

**OUR MISSION - WHAT WE DO - IMPROVING HEALTH, SUPPORTING
EDUCATION AND ALLEVIATING POVERTY.**

OUR MOTTO - WHAT WE SAY - "DOING GOOD IN THE WORLD."

How To Log Into The Website

To find out how to log into the website [click here](#).

Membership Proposal Form

To propose a new member you will need to [click here](#) to fill out the form and return to the secretary (Corliss).

ROTARY'S MISSION

The mission of Rotary International, a worldwide association of Rotary clubs, is to provide service to others, promote high ethical standards, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through its fellowship of

business, professional, and community leaders.

Rotary International District 6000

District Governor 2010-11- Gary Welch & Colleen gwelch3002@msn.com
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 President, Rotary International -Ray Klinginsmith - Kirksville, MO

Club Officers & Directors

Betty Hansen, President
 Roger Struve, President-elect
 Corliss Klaassen, Secretary/Treasurer
 Ray Meyer, Immediate Past President

Board of Directors:
(Term ends 6/30/11)
 Veronica Fuhs
 Jeri Reeve

(Term ends 6/30/12)
 Nels Christensen
 Kris Patrick
 Sandra Knebel

The Object of Rotary



The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and in particular, to encourage and foster;

- I. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- II. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- III. The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian's personal, business and community life;
- IV. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

THE FOUR-WAY TEST of the things we think say or do

first

Is it the TRUTH?

second

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

third

Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

fourth

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?