



Rotary Club of Chariton eBulletin

Thursday, December 29, 2011



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Future Speakers

Dec 30 2011

Jessica Flatt, Area Forester
"Stephens State Forest "

Jan 6 2012

Club Assembly

Jan 13 2012

Ronald Boyd
"Midwest Family Mutual Ins. Co."

Upcoming Events

**District Conf. 2012 Riverside
Casino & Golf Resort**

Apr 12 2012 - Apr 14 2012

**RI Convention - Bangkok,
Thailand**

May 6 2012

News

Next Board Meeting Jan. 13, 2012

How to Make-Up a Missed
Meeting

Where to Make-Up a Missed
Meeting

Where to Makeup a Missed
Meeting Online

Paul Harris Fellows

Multiple Paul Harris Fellows

The Rotary Foundation
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Membership: 54

ATTENDANCE:

Dec. 16, 2011

Rotarians: 32

Students: 3

David Apolo - RYE

Make-Ups:

Jerry Davis, Corliss & Jeanne Klaassen - Backpack Buddies Delivery 12/15

Mike Miller - Rotary eClub of 3310 -12/15

Fine Balance: \$985.00

December 30, 2011

Program: Lisa Junkman

Song Leader: David Laing

Prayer: Bill Ballard

Rotary Minute: Craig Scott

Jessica Flatt, Program Dec. 30

Jessica grew up in Boone, IA. While living there, she visited Ledges State Park often and decided she wanted to work in the natural resource field. After high school she moved to Iowa City and attended Kirkwood Community College where she majored and received a degree in Parks and Natural Resources. It was in Iowa City that she met her future husband, Matt. After Kirkwood, Matt and Jessica moved to Flagstaff, AZ to pursue her degree in Forestry. After living there a year and missing their families and Iowa too much, they moved back and Jessica finished her Bachelor's degree in Forestry at Iowa State University. While she was attending college, she held many natural resource jobs including an internship with the Iowa Natural Heritage Foundation and summer work with the DNR, landscaping companies, and a tree farm.

After she received her degree in Forestry, she took a temporary position with the forestry crew at Polk County Conservation. After her position there ended, she started working for a private forestry consultant as a crew leader. During that time, she and Matt got married. After two years with that company, she began working for the DNR running an urban forestry program in the Des Moines office. After a few months on the job, the position at Stephens opened and she applied. Jessica started at Stephens in April of 2008. She and Matt live in Pleasant Hill with their 14 month old son, Samuel and dog, Lily.

This week's Rotary Foundation Thought is about The Annual Programs Fund.

The Annual Programs Fund is the primary source of unrestricted support for the programs of The Rotary Foundation. It funds programs in more



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than 160 countries on seven continents. From digging clean water wells for villages in Africa to teaching basic literacy skills to children in Latin America, during any given moment in a day, thousands of Rotarians volunteering their time and expertise ensures that all contributions given to The Annual Programs Fund are spent wisely on quality Rotary projects.

Only if *Every Rotarian* makes a gift to The Annual Programs Fund *Every Year*, will we be able to continue to do the great work of our Rotary Foundation.

Board Minutes, Dec. 9, 2011

To read the Dec 9 Board Minutes please [Click Here](#).

Upcoming Programs

Jan. Song Leader: Dan Kent
Jan. Prayer: Allen Wiese

Jan. 6
Program: Club Assembly
Rotary Minute: Corliss Klaassen
Reader: Veronica Fuhs

Jan. 13
Program: Dan Kent
Reader: Paula Wright

Jan. 20
Program: Kris Patrick
Rotary Minute:
Reader: Adam Bahr

Jan. 27
Program: Burt Cross
Rotary Minute: Veronica Fuhs
Reader: Clark Fielding

The Russell-Hampton Company

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Oct, Nov, Dec, 2011 District 6000 Newsletter

To read the Oct, Nov, Dec, District Newsletter please [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).

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)

Rotary International District 6000

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District Administrator-Carolyn Scharff-877-976-8279-District Office-Pella

President, Rotary International 2011-12 - Kalyan Benerjee - Gujarat, India

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."*

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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.

Club Officers & Directors

Kris Patrick, President

Corliss Klaassen, Secretary/Treasurer

Betty Hansen, Immediate Past President

Bill Shelton, President-Elect

Board of Directors:

(Term ends 6/30/12)

Sandra Knebel

Becky Struve

(Term ends 6/30/13)

Veronica Fuhs

Nancy McDonald

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?