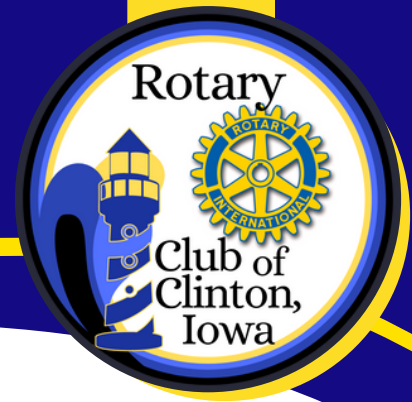


ROTARY CLUB OF CLINTON NEWSLETTER



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NEWS FOR THE WEEK OF
APRIL 08, 2024

MEETING LOCATION

Monday Rotary

Rastrelli's Restaurant:
Tuscany Event Center
2417 Cleveland St.
Clinton, IA

Thursday Night Rotary:

Second and Fourth Thursday
of the month at 5:30,
Rusty Barrel Lounge
(224 5th Ave S, Clinton, IA)

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- [Facebook](#)
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- [YouTube](#)

Calm is
a super power.
Don't let stress
kill your
happiness.

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ROTARY CLUB OF CLINTON EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Presidential News

- Quarterly dues invoices were emailed on April 1, 2024 between the hours of 1:30 PM and 2:30 P.M. Check your email account and your spam file as the email comes from Dale's email but the address is "Intuit E-Commerce Service" quickbooks@notification.intuit.com. Please email Dale at ddalton@wpcfcpa.com if you have any questions or did not receive the invoice on April 1, 2024. Thank you for your service to Rotary!

• Be Good and Do Good!

• Save the Date for our Boo Bash!!!

Key Dates

- April 08: Gabi Torres/GabiBird Art
- April 15: Pam from Morrison Hospital
- April 22: Nate Vander Bleek/General Mgr/Clinton LumberKings
- April 29: Adam from Atlas Roofing
- May 06: Pratima Khatri (Senior at Pleasant Valley, running for Miss Iowa)

Check It Out!



Rotary Club of Clinton Iowa

The Rotary Club of Clinton
proudly presents
Boo Bash

Friday, October 25
Vista Grande

Sponsorship Opportunities Available

ROTARY CLUB OF CLINTON WEEKLY ROUND-UP

WEEKLY STATS

ATTENDANCE:

Online: N/A

In-person: 22

Total for April 01: 23

GUESTS:

- Lesley Webster
YTD: 180

SCHOLARSHIP FUND:

April 01 Meeting: \$ 69
YTD: \$5,860.00

Foundation deposit from
Community Fund of Greater
Dubuque - Designated for
Scholarships \$2,080.00

MEMBERS:

- Current Members: 65
- Membership Goal: 84



Lesley Webster



Watch our
Meeting HERE



Lesley Webster, Director of Placemaking and Tourism, joined us on Monday and showed us all of the amazing things that she's been doing in our community. Webster stated, "I've been in my job just over three years now January was three years so that's long enough to finally feel like I know what I'm doing and to be working on new things." Webster covers both the Clinton area and Fulton and feels that we "are stronger together" and are not a community that is divided by a river, but joined by bridges.

Webster talked about new initiates in her presentation to our Rotary Club. The first one can be accessed by scanning the above QR Code, which will direct you to www.growclinton.com/plan-your-trip, where you can download two "digital passports" with fun activities you can do in Clinton. There is an art trail, which was launched earlier this year and has about sixty different locations in Camanche, Clinton, and Fulton, for you to visit. The other passport is the River Cities Shopping Spree, which just went live last week and is now available to download! This was created for this weekend's Consignment Crawl Resale and has 40 businesses that are participating. You can win points by getting these passports and win prizes, too, just by checking in. Coming soon – Summer Fun Pass (June 2024) and Bites and Beverages (August 2024). Webster stated that these all bring tourists in, but just as important, they increase our community's quality of life.

Webster continued to discuss "Meet in Iowa," which is a concept to increase tourism in Iowa. Through "Meet in Iowa," you can get up to \$25,000 in reimbursed meeting costs, events must include pre-or-post event tourism component, and eligible costs. If you have any questions, please reach out to Lesley at lwebster@growclinton.com. Webster stated, "I love to tell people the great thing about us is that we're big enough to offer you anything that you want. We have fun activities, we have great venues, but we're small enough that you're going to get me and my attention...and I'm going to work with you and make your event the best it can be."

Thank you, Lesley, for all you do for our community!

LOOKING FORWARD

PROGRAMS

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- April 15: Pam from Morrison Hospital
- April 22: Nate Vander Bleek/General Mgr/Clinton LumberKings
- April 29: Adam from Atlas Roofing
- May 06: Pratima Khatri (Senior at Pleasant Valley, running for Miss Iowa)
- May 13: Linda Wood, Junior Achievement
- May 20: Angela Boblens with Iowa Nice
- May 27: NO MEETING



INVOCATION

April 08: Paul Holmer
 April 15: Andrew Kida
 April 22: Kathy Klahn
 April 29: Rich Klahn

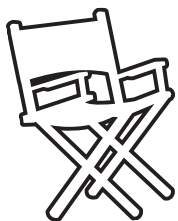
GREETER

April 08: Gary Delacy
 April 15: Tom Determann
 April 22: Carrie Donaire
 April 29: Julie Dunn



PROGRAM CHAIRS

APRIL: SUE WATKINS
 MAY: DOUG BERTRAND
 JUNE: JILL O'NEILL



FELLOWSHIP CHAIRS

APRIL: MARY SWANSON & MARY BETH SMITH
 MAY: ANDREW KIDA
 JUNE: NORLAN HINKE



Celebrations

HAPPY

BIRTHDAY

- Ron Gutierrez April 04
- Sue Watkins April 04
- Ryan Veenstra April 09
- David Pillers April 12
- Joe Brown April 23
- Richard Stubblefield April 27

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

- Christie Collins
 - 7 yrs; Apr. 03 2017
- Dennis Lauver
 - 25 yrs; Apr. 04 1999
- Paul Holmer
 - 19 years; Apr. 06 2005
- Ryan Veenstra
 - 13 yrs; Apr. 11 2011
- Graham Timion
 - 1 yrs; Apr. 17 2023
- Sabrina Lippens
 - 1 yrs; Apr. 18 2022
- Rich Klahn
 - 13 yrs; Apr. 18 2011
- Norlan Hinke
 - 20 yrs; Apr. 19 2004
- Mike Kroemer
 - 11 yrs; Apr. 22 2013
- Lynn McGraw
 - 16 yrs; Apr. 28 2008
- Jennifer Graf
 - 16 yrs; Apr. 28 2008

ROTARY CLUB OF CLINTON

R.I. ADMIN

The Four-Way Test

1. Is it the **truth**?
2. Is it **fair** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **good-will** and **better friendships**?
4. Will it be **beneficial** to all concerned?

Rotary Board of Directors for 2023-2024

- Braydon Roberts: President
- Carrie Donaire: President-Elect
- Andrew Green: President-Elect-Elect
- Dale Dalton: Treasurer
- Susie Mesecher: Secretary
- Carrie Donaire
- Cheryl Frey
- Rod Tokheim
- Jill O'Neill
- Andrew Kida: Past President
- Andy Ferguson: Foundation

Rotary Foundation Board of Directors for 2023-2024

- Gary Foster*: President
- Mark Rutenbeck*: Vice-President
- John Frey*: Secretary
- Dale Dalton*: Treasurer

Directors

- Jim Bruhn*
- Dale Dalton*
- Jennifer Graf*
- Kathy Klahn*
- Lynn McGraw
- Sue Watkins
- Paul Holmer*
- Andy Ferguson

COMMUNITY NEWS



APRIL 11th



Core-Vens Insurance
2301 North 2nd St.

5 - 7PM

Clinton County Mental Health Providers Roundtable

Friday, April 12th

1:30 - 3pm

CCSD Administration Building

M, E, N, T, A, L,

H, E, A, L, T, H,

M, A, T, T, E, R, S,

