

The Rotary Club of Clinton

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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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 IN RASTRELLI'S
BALDACCI ROOM
(238 MAIN AVE, CLINTON, IA)

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

PRESIDENTIAL NEWS

- WE WILL BE FOCUSING ON BOO BASH PREP NEXT WEEK -- PEOPLE JOIN US AND HELP US MAKE THIS YEAR AMAZING!
- WE HAVE 13 (!!) POLIO CASES THIS WEEK
- IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN JOINING DARREN'S ROTARY MEETING (OUR FRIEND FROM THE UK), PLEASE SEE THE ZOOM INFORMATION BELOW. MEETINGS ARE ON TUESDAY EVENINGS, AT 7PM UK TIME (1 PM IOWA TIME).

PLYMOUTH ROBOROUGH ONLINE MEETING NEXT TUESDAY EVENING WHICH WILL START AT 19:00 LONDON TIME.

[HTTPS://US02WEB.ZOOM.US/J/83097392324](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83097392324) MEETING ID: 830 9739 2324

KEY DATES

- AUGUST 01: WES GOLDEN, PORTRAIT OF A GRADUATE
- AUGUST 01: ROTARY NIGHT AT THE LUMBERKINGS
- AUGUST 03: HOMERUN READERS + LIBRARY NIGHT AT THE LUMBERKINGS!
- AUGUST 08: INTRODUCTION TO NEW CHS PRINCIPAL, THERESA SHULTZ, UPDATE ON CHS CONSTRUCTION
- AUGUST 15: STEVE WIENEKE, DISTRICT GOVERNOR 2022-23
- AUGUST 22: INTRODUCTION OF NEW ACTIVITIES DIRECTOR, KEVIN BEHR, AND HEAD FOOTBALL COACH, NATE HERRIG

Check It Out!

THE ROTARY CLUB OF CLINTON HAS BENEFITED FROM NUMEROUS DISTRICT 6000 COMMUNITY SERVICE GRANTS FUNDED THROUGH THE ROTARY INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION. THESE GRANTS HAVE HELPED THE CLUB COMPLETE VARIOUS LOCAL PROJECTS SUCH AS JOSH THE OTTER, THE BACKPACK LITERACY PROJECT, AND MORE.

RECENTLY THE DISTRICT WAS APPROVED FOR A \$25,000 EMERGENCY DISASTER GRANT TO ASSIST WITH INTERIM HOUSING FOR A COMMUNITY IN UKRAINE THAT HAS HAD 85% OF THE LOCAL RESIDENCES DESTROYED RESULTING IN THOSE FAMILIES HAVING NO ACCESS TO A RESTROOM, WATER, A PLACE TO SLEEP OR EAT. THE HOUSING PROJECT WILL PROVIDE 300 HOMES TO LOCAL RESIDENTS OVER THE NEXT THREE MONTHS. THIS WILL BE A SUSTAINABLE PROJECT AS PLANS ARE IN PLACE THAT IF AND WHEN THE FAMILIES CAN CONSTRUCT PERMANENT HOUSING, THESE HOUSES WILL BE UTILIZED IN OTHER SOCIAL HOUSING NEEDS THROUGHOUT UKRAINE.

WEEKLY ROUND-UP

WEEKLY STATS

SCHOLARSHIP FUND:

JULY 24: 244.00

TOTAL: \$635

ATTENDANCE:

ONLINE: 3

IN-PERSON: 23

TOTAL FOR JULY 24: 26

GUESTS:

- CHRISTOPHER SMITH

YTD: 9

MEMBERS:

- NEW MEMBER:
JOSEPH BROWN
- CURRENT MEMBERS:
80
- MEMBERSHIP GOAL:
84

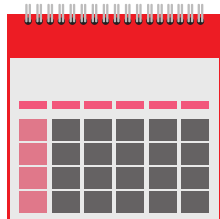


WE FOCUSED ON THE BOO BASH FOR OUR BREAKOUT COMMITTEE DAY. PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE HELP WITH SPONSORSHIPS AND THOSE "BIG TICKET" ITEMS FOR THE AUCTION! CONTACT CARRIE DONAIRE OR JULIE DUNN FOR ANY QUESTIONS!

LOOKING FORWARD...

PROGRAMS

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 AUGUST 08: INTRODUCTION TO NEW CHS PRINCIPAL, THERESA SHULTZ, UPDATE ON CHS CONSTRUCTION
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 AUGUST 29: BUILDING OPERATOR PATHWAY PROGRAM, JULIE WEISSHAAR



INVOCATION

AUGUST 1: BRIGG TUBBS
 AUGUST 8: RYAN VEENSTRA
 AUGUST 15: KAREN VICKERS
 AUGUST 22: SUE WATKINS
 AUGUST 29: DEE WILLOUGHBY



GREETER

AUGUST 1: RON MCGAUVVRAN
 AUGUST 8: THERESA NIELSEN
 AUGUST 15: JEFF REED
 AUGUST 22: BRAYDON ROBERTS
 AUGUST 29: DAVID ROSE



PROGRAM CHAIRS

AUGUST: GARY DELACY

FELLOWSHIP CHAIRS

AUGUST: BRIG TUBBS & RICH KLAHN



JULY BIRTHDAYS:

- JENNIFER GRAF JULY 01
- BRENT BRIGHTMAN JULY 12
- TOM DETERMANN JULY 21
- SABRINA LIPPENS JULY 31

JULY ANNIVERSARIES:

- P. MICHAEL RASTRELLI
 - 33 YEARS; JUL 01 1989
- JILL O'NEILL
 - 4 YEARS; JUL 02 2018
- DOUGLAS HARRIDGE
 - 22 YEARS; JUL 20 2000
- MARY CONNELL
 - 26 YEARS; JUL 29 1996
- AMY BERENTES
 - 4 YEARS; JUL 30 2018
- GARY DELACY
 - 5 YEARS; JUL 31 2017
- ROD TOKHEIM
 - 16 YEARS; JUL 31 2006

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS:

- RICH KLAHN AUG 05
- LEATHA MELTON AUG 12
- CHARLES PELTON AUG 15
- GREGORY JASPER AUG 23
- VAL HILL AUG 30

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES:

- CHARLES PELTON
 - 46 YEARS; AUG 01 1976
- SAM GENSON
 - 1 YEAR; AUG 02 2021
- JEFF REED
 - 18 YEARS; AUG 02 2004



R.I. ADMIN

ONE SUMMIT



Contact: Carolyn Scharff

OUR FALL TRAINING EVENT; ONE SUMMIT, IS FOR CLUB LEADERS TO EXCHANGE IDEAS ON ENERGIZING AND BOOSTING YOUR CLUBS GROWTH, SERVICE AND PUBLIC INTERACTION. ROTARIANS ARE LEADERS! ENGAGE FRESH NEW THINKING AND TAKE AWAY TOOLS TO STRENGTHEN MEMBERSHIP, PUBLIC IMAGE AND INVOLVEMENT IN ROTARY FOUNDATION PROGRAMS. THIS IS A LEARNING EXPERIENCE AVAILABLE FOR ALL ROTARIANS!

THURSDAY'S PROGRAM & DISCUSSION BEGINS AT 6 PM.

ADVANCED REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED, [CLICK HERE.](#)

REGISTRATION CLOSSES SEP 28

Rotary Board of Directors for 2022-2023

- ANDREW KIDA: PRESIDENT
- BRAYDON ROBERTS: PRESIDENT-ELECT
- DALE DALTON: TREASURER
- SUSIE MESECHER: SECRETARY
- CARRIE DONAIRE
- CHERYL FREY
- ROD TOKHEIM
- JILL O'NEILL
- CHRISTIE COLLINS: PAST PRESIDENT
- ANDY FERGURSON: FOUNDATION

Rotary Foundation Board of Directors for 2021-2022:

- GARY FOSTER*: PRESIDENT
- MARK RUTENBECK*: VICE-PRESIDENT
- JOHN FREY*: SECRETARY
- DALE DALTON*: TREASURER

Directors

- JIM BRUHN*
- KATHY FORREST
- JENNIFER GRAF*
- KATHY KLAHN*
- LYNN MCGRAW
- BRIAN WRIGHT*

FOUNDATION MINUTE

WELCOME TO WEEK 4 OF RI'S MONTH OF TRANSITION!

RECOGNIZING THAT EDUCATION IS A PATHWAY OUT OF POVERTY, TRF HIGHLIGHTS THE PROVISION OF QUALITY EDUCATION AS ONE STERLING MEANS OF ADVANCING WORLD UNDERSTANDING, GOODWILL AND PEACE. BARB ROBERTS, A MEMBER OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF TAREE ON MANNING (AUS) HAD BEEN TEACHING IN THE MANNING VALLEY SCHOOLS FOR MANY YEARS, BEFORE DECIDING IN 2015 TO TRAVEL TO BHUTAN FOR 16 DAYS ON A PHOTOGRAPHY TOUR. ON HER RETURN, AND FOR THE NEXT THREE YEARS, THIS ROTARIAN RAISED FUNDS TO RETURN TO THE REMOTE CORNERS OF EASTERN BHUTAN WITH TEACHING RESOURCES AND BOOKS WRITTEN IN ENGLISH. ROBERTS' EFFORTS WERE CROWNED WITH TREMENDOUS SUCCESS WHEN TRF AWARDED HER CLUB US\$30,000 FOR VOCATIONAL TRAINING IN BHUTAN. SHE HAS SINCE RETURNED TO THE TANG VALLEY IN CENTRAL BHUTAN TO INTRODUCE WESTERN STYLE LIBRARY SERVICES TO SCHOOLS IN ISOLATED AREAS OF BHUTAN. CONGRATULATING ROTARIAN ROBERTS AND HER CLUB, THE FOUNDATION DIRECTOR, MAURIE STACK EXPLAINED THE POSSIBILITY OF MORE FUNDS. "AT THE MOMENT, IT IS A US\$30,000 PROJECT AND IT IS GREAT TO HAVE THOSE FUNDS APPROVED THROUGH THE FOUNDATION; HOWEVER, MORE FUNDS CAN ENABLE BARB TO MEET TRANSPORT COSTS AND PROVIDE MORE BOOKS."

TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE LITERACY FUNDS, GO TO: MY.ROTARY.ORG/EN/DONATE. CLICK "GLOBAL GRANT" ENTER GRANT NUMBER: 2015686

IN ROTARY,
OLABISI GWAMNA, CLUB SECRETARY
MOUNT PLEASANT ROTARY,
EDITOR, FOUNDATION MINUTE