

The Rotary Club of Clinton

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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MEETING LOCATION

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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 2019-2020:

- Brian Wright: President
- Shannon Sander-Welzien: Pres.-Elect
- Christie Collins: President-Elect
- Jennifer Graf: Past-President
- Douglas Harridge
- Dale Dalton: Treasurer
- Idell Klein: Community Service
- Jill O'Neill: Secretary
- Braydon Roberts: Scholarships
- Rod Tokheim: Membership
- Sue Watkins: Membership

Rotary Foundation Board of Directors for 2019-2020:

- 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

Sorry to interrupt your scrolling but I just wanted to say that you're amazing and you deserve to be happy.

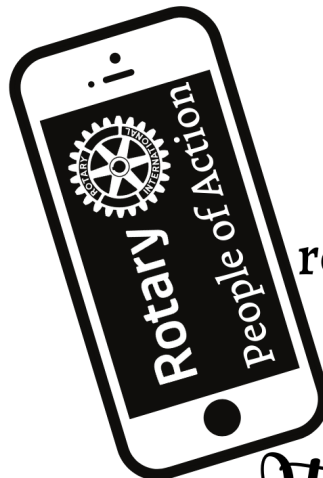
Updates from our President

- **All Rotary meetings and activities are on hold during this time.**
- **If you need any help or assistance, please don't hesitate to contact any member of the Rotary board. We are all here for each other.**
- **Please check for updates on our website: www.rotaryclubofclinton.com.**

If You Read Nothing Else... *Read this!*

The Board values each and every one of our members. We are reaching out to YOU to see if there's any support we may provide you during this time. Please contact our Secretary, Jill O'Neill, and she will connect Rotarians to Rotarians to help you if possible.

**** All requests will remain anonymous.**

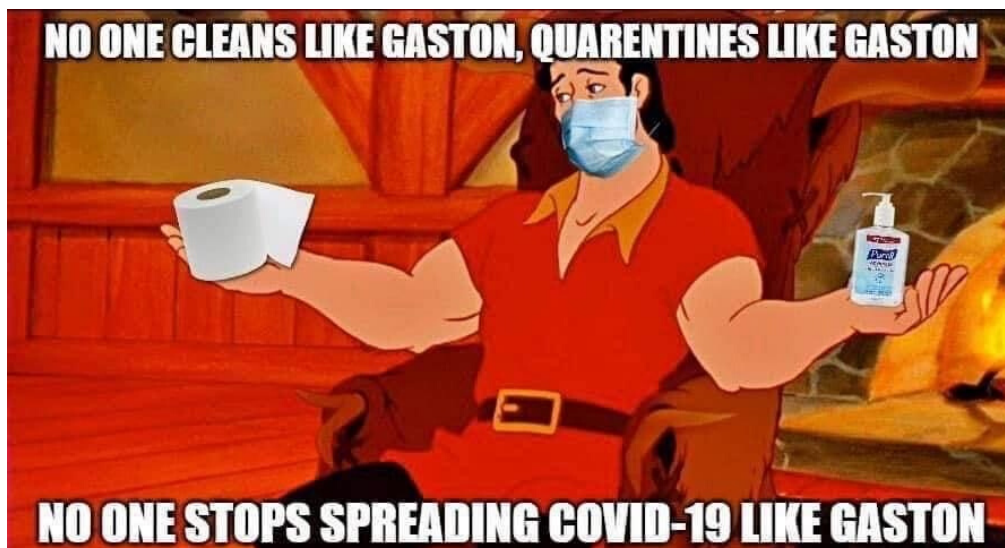
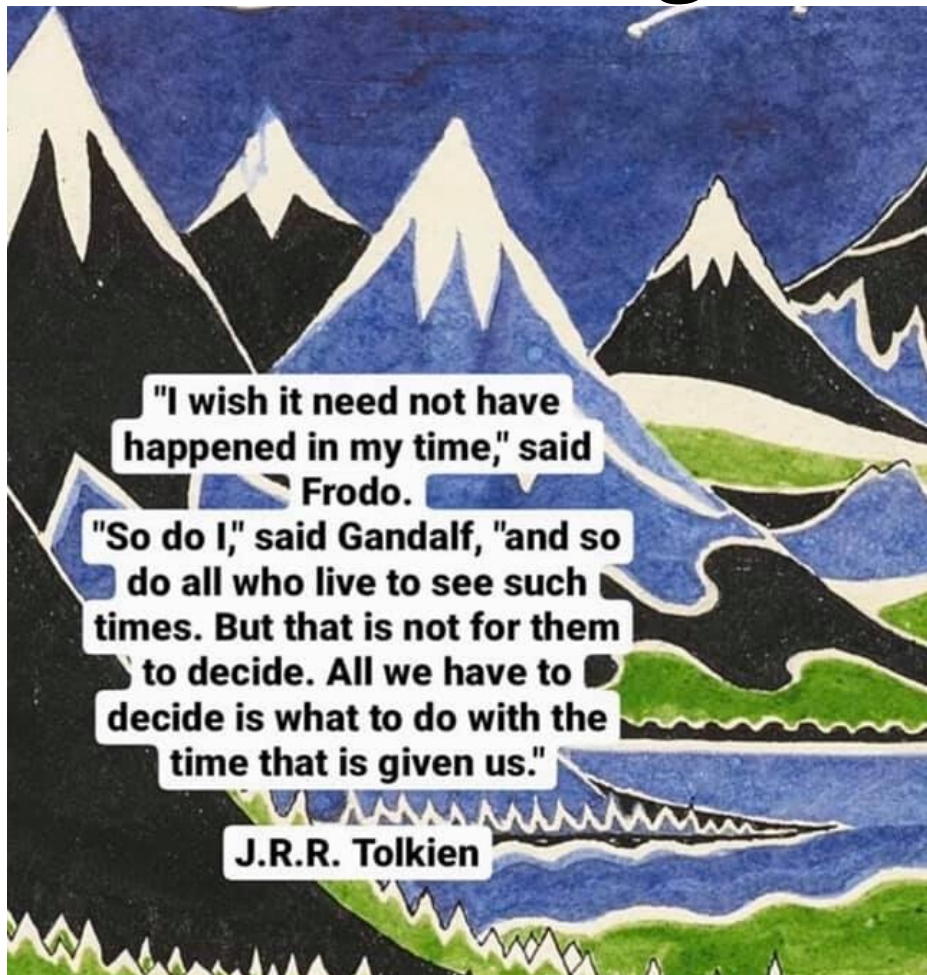


During these difficult times, remember to stay in touch.

It could make all the difference.

THE WEEKLY REVIEW

No Meeting



WEEKLY STATS

FELLOWSHIP FINES:

YTD \$7,045.00

MEMBERSHIP:

- New Member: Danny Thomas
- Current Members: 82
- Membership goal: 95

GUESTS:

Guests YTD: 230

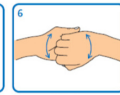
Hand-washing technique with soap and water **The 4 Way Test**



TRUTH?

3. Is it FAIR

4. to all



After years of wanting to thoroughly clean my house but lacking the time, this week I discovered that wasn't the reason.

PROGRAM CHAIRS

MAY: MARY CONNELL AND DALE DALTON

JUNE: DOUG HARRIDGE AND JILL O'NEILL

FELLOWSHIP CHAIRS

MAY: JENNIFER GRAF

JUNE: OPEN

BIRTHDAYS:

Ron Gutierrez	Apr 04
Sue Watkins	Apr 04
Ryan Veenstra	Apr 09
David Pillers	Apr 12
Christopher Farwell	Apr 18
Michael Nass	Apr 19
Kathy Forrest	Apr 27

ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES:

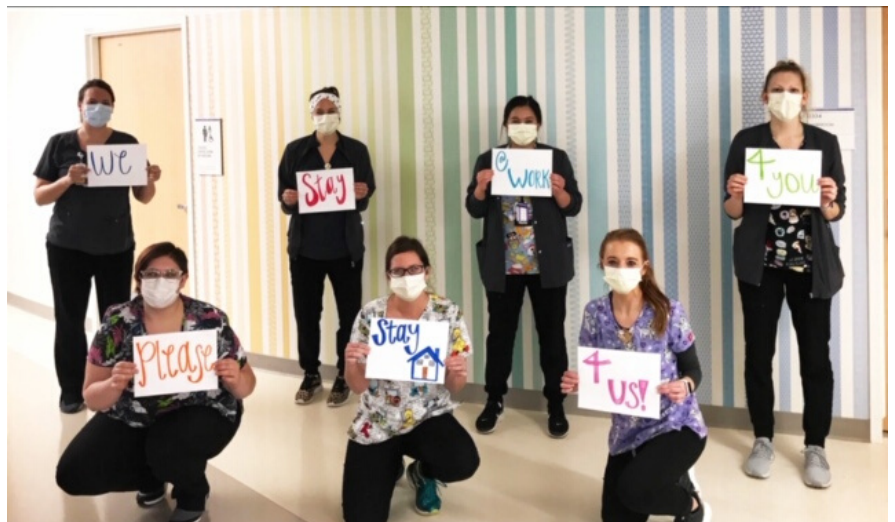
Dee Willoughby	Apr 01 1984 - 36 years
Christie Collins	Apr 03 2017 - 3 years
Dennis Lauver	Apr 04 1999 - 21 years
Paul Holmer	Apr 06 2005 - 15 years
Rita Hart	Apr 8 2019 - 1 year
Ryan Veensta	Apr 11 2011 - 9 years
Julie Eggers	Apr 17 2017 - 3 years
Kathy Forrest	Apr 18 2016 - 4 years
Rich Klahn	Apr 18 2011 - 9 years
Norlan Hinke	Apr 19 2004 - 16 years
Christopher Farwell	Apr 21 1997 - 23 years

LOOKING FORWARD

Do you know how to sew? Help out the Mask Taskforce of Clinton and Jackson Counties! See instructions and patterns by clicking [HERE](#) and give to Lori Freudenberg. Thank you!

Please refer to Lori for questions at:

lori.freudenberg@gmail.com



UNIVERSITY OF IOWA HOSPITALS AND CLINICS NURSES, MARCH 23, 2020

COMMUNITY INFO DURING COVID-19.

- Be a Heart Hunter
- Online AA Meetings during COVID
- Iowa Senate's COVID Resources
- CRCD's COVID Information
- Check out [this group](#) of restaurants in Clinton that are available for ordering from!
- QuaratinED for Iowa Parents and Caregivers
- City of Clinton
- Clinton Herald

COVID-19 INFORMATION AND RESOURCES

- Fighting Fake News During a Pandemic
- Is It Coronavirus, Flu, or Allergies?
- 5 Things You Should Know About Stress



COMMITTEE CHAIRS

- Christmas Program: Doug Bertrand
- Community Service: Idell Klein
- Dictionaries Committee: *John Frey
- Fellowship/Program Sign-up: Doug Bertrand and Brian Wright
- Financial Committee: *Dale Dalton
- Foundation: Mark Rutenbeck
- Fundraiser Committee: Jill O'Neill
- Grants Chair: Jill O'Neill
- Homerun Readers: Brian Wright
- Interact: Peggy Sellnau
- International Service: Christie Collins
- Josh the Otter Water Safety Committee: *Rich Klahn
- Kicks for Kids: Sue Watkins
- Lumberkings Event Committee: *Dale Dalton
- Membership: Sue Watkins
- Public Relations: Jennifer Graf; Jill O'Neill RCof C Website, Doug Harridge (photos)
- Scholarships: Braydon Roberts and Peggy Sellnau
- Showboat Event Committee: David Sivright
- Student Service / Weekly Student Guests: Shannon Sander-Welzien
- Sunshine: Christie Collins

**ALSO HIGHLY CONTAGIOUS IS -
Kindness, Patience, Love, Enthusiasm,
and a Positive Attitude**

**Don't wait to catch it from others
Be the Carrier**

FOUNDATION MINUTE

The latest Rotary activities that have been either canceled or postponed:

Ockenfels-Teahen Flight to End Polio – **Postponed till July 2020**

The 2020 RI Convention in Honolulu – **Canceled**

Rotary International Guidance regarding international travel for RI leadership, staff and travel associated with Global Grant is listed below. For updated and additional guidance provided by RI, click on the following link: (<https://www.rotary.org/en/rotary-monitors-coronavirus-outbreak>) regarding other cancellations brought on by COVID-19:

*There is an ongoing outbreak of respiratory illness caused by COVID-19 (novel coronavirus) that can be spread from person to person. Older adults and people with chronic medical conditions may be at increased risk for severe disease. **Because there are disease related health risks, and travel assistance and evacuation services cannot be guaranteed, Rotary funded travel to, from and through these countries is restricted until further notice.**

The country is experiencing outbreaks of infectious diseases, and adequate health care is currently not available in most of the country. **Rotary funded travel to this country is restricted. Those with funded assignments to, from or through these destinations should contact RITS@rotary.org for further direction and information.

Regardless of what is stated here, it is the traveler's responsibility to investigate the area to which he/she is going and assess the risks.

Exceptions to this list may only be granted by the Rotary General Secretary.

Funded travel for Staff, Volunteers, Program Participants and Grant travelers is suspended for the following countries as of 18 March 2020.

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| 1. Afghanistan | 2. Burkina Faso |
| 3. Burundi | 4. Central African Republic |
| 5. China* | 6. Dem Rep. of Congo |
| 7. Iran* | 8. Iraq |
| 9. Ireland* | 10. Libya |
| 11. Malaysia* | 12. Mali |
| 13. Pakistan | 14. Palestinian Territories-Gaza City |
| 15. North Korea | 16. Schengen Countries* |
| 17. South Korea* | 18. Somalia |
| 19. South Sudan | 20. Sudan |
| 21. Syria | 22. United Kingdom* |
| 23. Venezuela** | 24. Yemen |

DISEASE OUTBREAK/PANDEMIC BAN LIST

The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has rated the following countries at Level 3; their highest rating and recommends that travelers avoid all nonessential travel to the countries listed below.

*China Mainland (At this time, CDC does not recommend canceling or postponing travel to Hong Kong, Macau, or the island of Taiwan)

*Iran (Iran is already under the travel ban for any funded travel)

*Ireland

*Malaysia

*Schengen Countries - Schengen includes Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, and Switzerland (+Monaco, San Marino, Vatican City)

*South Korea

*United Kingdom – includes England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland

**Venezuela

Looking forward to a much healthier world. In the meantime, we can lift up our spirits daily with the 4-Way Test.

In Rotary,

Olabisi Gwamna Ph.D,

Rotary Club of Mt. Pleasant

Editor, Foundation Minute