# Rotary Club of Clinton EEKLY NEWSLETTER

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#### MEETING LOCATION

RASTRELLI'S RESTAURANT: TUSCANY EVENT CENTER 2417 CLEVELAND ST. CLINTON, IA MEETING BEGINS AT 12:00

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#### SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS

- FACEBOOK
- LINKEDIN
- YOUTUBE

The meaning of life is to find our gift. The is to give it away - Pado Picasso

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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

# PRESIDENTIAL NEWS

- LAST CHANCE TO ATTEND
  OUR BOO BASH ON FRIDAY,
  OCT 29!!! GO TO THE
  WEBSITE: RCC.CBO.IO
- JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS! PLEASE CONTACT CHRISTIE FOR MORE INFORMATION!
- JEFFERSON READING
   VOLUNTEERS DESPERATELY
   NEEDED -- PLEASE SIGN
   UP!!!
- OUR DISTRICT GOVERNOR
   WILL BE IN HERE NEXT
   WEEK!!!!!
- ANDREW KIDA WANTS YOU
   TO SHARE, SHARE, SHARE
   OUR SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS! IT
   HELPS BRING AWARENESS
   INTO THE CLUB.

## KEY Dates

- OCT 29: THIRD ANNUAL BOO BASH FUNDRAISER!!
- NOV 01: DG ALKA KHANOLKAR VISITS
- NOV 08: DISTRICT FOUNDATION CHAIR CHRIS KNAPP
- NOV 15: CLINTON CLUB PRESIDENT CHRISTIE COLLINS
- NOV 22: GARY DOLPHIN -- THE VOICE OF THE IOWA HAWKEYES!
- NOV 29: UNITED WAY WITH BRENT ALBRECHTSEN

# Check It But!

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER FOR THE BOO BASH!!!!!!!!!! (WWW.RCC.CBO.IO)

# WEEKLY ROUND-UP

### WEEKLY STATS

#### SCHOLARSHIP FUND:

OCTOBER 25

MEETING: \$175.00 YTD: \$1929.00

#### ATTENDANCE:

ONLINE: 4

IN-PERSON: 40

TOTAL FOR OCT 25: 44

### **GUESTS:**

- LES SHIELDS: G/O DAVE ROSF
- BRENT BRIGHTMAN: G/O ANDREW KIDA
- ASHLEY SUSIE: G/O ANDY FERGURSON
- RACHELLE SUSIE: G/O ANDY FERGURSON
- MELISSA WORLEY: SPEAKER
- JR WANFORD: PRINCE OF PEACE
- MATT SMITH: PRINCE OF PEACE

YTD: 34

### **MEMBERS:**

- CURRENT MEMBERS:72
- MEMBERSHIP GOAL:84



WATCH OUR MEETING
HERE!

HY-VEE DISTRICT STORE MANAGER, MELISSA WORLEY, JOINED US ON MONDAY TO DISCUSS THE AMAZING THINGS THAT HY-VEE DOES! AS MANY PEOPLE KNOW, HY-VEE IS AN EMPLOYEE-OWNED BUSINESS, WITH OVER 900 STORES IN THE MIDWEST! OUR LOCAL HY-VEE EMPLOYS OVER 400 PEOPLE. WORLEY DISCUSSED HOW CUSTOMER SERVICE IS AT THE FOREFRONT OF EVERYTHING SHE AND HY-VEE DOES AND SHE MAKES A CONSCIOUS EFFORT TO BUILD A CULTURE OF RELENTLESS SERVICE. "WHY SHOP AT HY-VEE? WE DO ANYTHING FOR OUR CUSTOMERS." WORLEY THINKS IN TERMS OF "WHAT WOULD BE THE BIGGEST IMPACT TO OUR CUSTOMER."

"THE SKY IS THE LIMIT. LET'S TRY ANYTHING!" WORLEY SAID.
WORLEY IS ALWAYS LOOKING FOR WAYS TO WORK WITH THE
COMMUNITY AND HAVE EMPLOYEES BE INVOLVED AND BUILDING EACH
OTHER UP WITHIN THE COMMUNITY.

WORLEY CONTINUED TO DISCUSS ALL OF THE AMAZING REASONS TO WORK AT HY-VEE, INCLUDING A 10% DISCOUNT, PROFIT SHARING, PART-TIME HEALTH INSURANCE AND 401K MATCH! "WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING AT WAYS TO ENGAGE OUR EMPLOYEES." HY-VEE ALSO HAS CONTINUED LEADERSHIP TRAINING. AS WORLEY STATED, "KNOWLEDGE IS POWER AND I REALLY LOVE BUILDING UP ALL OF MY TEAM MEMBERS." THANKS FOR MEETING WITH US, MELISSA!

# LOOKING FORWARD

### **PROGRAMS**

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### **INVOCATION**

NOVEMBER 01: JOHN FREY NOVEMBER 08: GARY FOSTER NOVEMBER 15: CHERYL FREY NOVEMBER 22: KATHY FORREST NOVEMBER 29: SAM GENSON

#### **GREETER**

NOVEMBER 01: DEE WILLOUGHBY NOVEMBER 08: BRIAN WRIGHT NOVEMBER 15: AMY BERENTES NOVEMBER 22: DOUG BERTRAND NOVEMBER 29: JULIE BRAY





### <u>PROGRAM CHAIRS</u>

**NOVEMBER:** 

NORLAN HINKE

**DECEMBER:** 

MARY SWANSON

### FELLOWSHIP CHAIRS

**NOVEMBER** 

MARK RUTENBECK & DAVE SIVRIGHT

**DECEMBER** 

CARRIE DONAIRE & DOUG BERTRAND



## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS:

CLAIRE BUYERT NOV 09
ELIZABETH SRP NOV 09
DALE DALTON NOV 15
DAVID ROSE NOV 20
DAVID SIVRIGHT NOV 22

### NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

- DALE DALTON
  - 43 YEARS; NOV 01, 1978
- MARGO HANSEN
  - o 11 YEARS; NOV 08, 2010
- PATTI STARK
  - 13 YEARS; NOV 10 2008
- BRAYDON ROBERTS
  - o 3 YEARS; NOV 12, 2018
- DAVE SIVRIGHT
  - 29 YEARS; NOV 16, 1992

### 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?

# R.I. ADMIN

# DG'S ALKA KHANOLKAR'S R.I.S.E

THE R.I.S.E. ACTION TEAM WILL PROVIDE RESOURCES FOR INSPIRATION AND SPECIAL EVENTS THROUGHOUT THIS NEW ROTARY YEAR.

"GIVE EVERY DAY THE
CHANCE TO BE THE MOST
BEAUTIFUL DAY OF YOUR
LIFE".

- MARK TWAIN

IN ROTARY FELLOWSHIP
ALKA K KHANOLKAR | DISTRICT GOVERNOR 2021-22
ROTARY DISTRICT 6000

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#### Rotary Board of Directors for 2021-2022

- CHRISTIE COLLINS: PRESIDENT
- ANDREW KIDA: PRESIDENT-ELECT
- BRAYDON ROBERTS: PRESIDENT ELECT-ELECT
- DALE DALTON: TREASURER
- SUSIE MESECHER: SECRETARY
- CARRIE DONAIRE
- CHERYL FREY
- ROD TOKHEIM
- JILL O'NEILL
- SHANNON SANDER-WELZIEN: 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
- SHANNON SANDER-WELZIEN\*

### **FOUNDATION MINUTE**

WELCOME TO WEEK 4 OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL'S MONTH
OF BASIC EDUCATION & LITERACY.

THIS IS THE LAST WEEK OF RI'S MONTH OF FOCUS ON BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY, ROTARIANS ARE GETTING READY TO WELCOME THE NEXT MONTH'S THEME: ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT. IN THE MEANTIME, TWO CLUBS ORGANIZED AND SECURED A ROTARY FOUNDATION GLOBAL GRANT TO IMPROVE SANITATION FOR A RURAL COMMUNITY IN KENYA. THIS GLOBAL GRANT IS A PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTH HAVEN, MI AND THE ROTARY CLUB OF MILIMANI, NAIROBI, KENYA. TOGETHER WITH ROTARIANS OF DISTRICT 6360, MI, THEY HAVE RAISED \$74,731 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A 600,000 LITER (APPROX. 160,000 GALLONS) CONCRETE WATER STORAGE CISTERN FOR THE NGOSWANI MATERNAL AND CHILD HOSPITAL. BEFORE THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE HOSPITAL, THE NEAREST HEALTH CARE WAS A THREE-HOUR DRIVE (TWO DAY WALK) FROM NGOSWANI. THE CISTERN SYSTEM WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE SOLAR POWER ALREADY BEING PROVIDED TO THE NEARBY HOSPITAL. IT WILL HAVE TWO FILTERING SYSTEMS TO PROVIDE SAFE DRINKING WATER. THE GRANT ALSO SUPPORTS THE CONSTRUCTION OF LATRINES OUTSIDE THE HOSPITAL, HAND WASHING AND DRINKING WATER STATIONS.

THE POPULATION SERVED BY THE HOSPITAL NUMBERS 300,000 MASAI. UNTIL RECENTLY, 95% OF THE BIRTHS IN THE COMMUNITY WERE DELIVERED BY UNTRAINED MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY IN THE TRADITIONAL MUD/DUNG HOMES OF THE MASAI. THE DEATH RATE OF BABIES AND CHILDREN UP TO FIVE YEARS OF AGE HAS BEEN AS HIGH AS 30%.

IN ROTARY,

OLABISI GWAMNA PH.D, ROTARY CLUB OF MT. PLEASANT EDITOR, FOUNDATION MINUTE