

# The Rotary Club of Clinton

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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### MEETING LOCATION

**Rastrelli's Restaurant:**  
**Tuscany Event Center**  
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**WHATEVER YOU'RE DOING  
TODAY, DO IT WITH THE  
CONFIDENCE OF A 4 YEAR OLD  
IN A BATMAN T-SHIRT.**

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# CLUB UPDATES

## Presidential News

- **Keep your eyes open for our member invite to the "nonevent" Boo Bash! There will be ways to sponsor our club included!**
- **On the days where our meeting ends early, feel free to stick around and have fellowship with your fellow Rotarians!**
- **Don't forget that the One Rotary Summit will be held virtually, on Oct 22!**

## District News

To all District 6000 Rotarians,

The district is looking for good candidates to be nominated to serve as District Governor in 2023-24. If you have served as club President and are interested in being nominated, please contact your current club President as soon as possible, the deadline for nomination is October 12, in 9 days. If you know a past club President that you think would be a good District Governor, please talk to that person and encourage them to consider this opportunity.

**Materials are attached about the qualifications and guidelines for nomination. [CLICK HERE FOR MATERIALS!](#)**

Thank you!

John Ockenfels

District Nominating Team Chair

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## Key Dates

Oct 13: Camanche Police Chief Reid

Oct 19: Erica Cole, Founder of No Limb-its

Oct 19: 1:00 Board Meeting

Oct 22: Virtual One Rotary Summit

**Click [this link](#) to join on October 22, no preregistration is needed.**

Oct 24: World Polio Day

Oct 26: Michelle Cullen on COVID/Flu update

If You Read Nothing

Else... *Read this!*

**From now on, we will NOT have separate log-ons to our Zoom meetings.**

**Every Rotary meeting will be accessible with the same meeting ID and passcode:**

**Meeting ID: 873 2965 9821  
Passcode: 1361**

**This will still be emailed to you weekly, but please write these numbers down for future use.**



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# THE WEEKLY ROUND-UP



Jenna Sanders, co-owner of 392 Caffè, was our guest this past Monday. Sanders, who grew up in Camanche, and her husband, Jay, met while working at Gucci on Rodeo Drive. After studying different coffee environments, they decided to develop a concept for a coffee shop for Melrose Avenue in Los Angeles. Sander's dad had purchased a building in downtown Clinton and told her she could use it, so Jenna and Jay loaded up their car and came back to Clinton in October 2011.

When they opened the doors of 392 Caffè, no one could have prepared them for how busy they would be and the success they would see. "You're just not prepared for that, but fast forward nine years and we have been incredibly blessed and humbled by the support of this community. Being around for almost a decade is something I take great pride in and I love being in this community and being a part of the community," Sanders remarked. The success of 392 Caffè has been so strong, Jenna and Jay have opened up a new location in Davenport, called 392Dport.

In March, when most of the world shut down due to COVID-19, 392 Caffè and staff quickly pivoted to an online and text ordering platform and slightly adjusted the way they did business. "Again, the community rose to the challenge also and supported us just ten fold. We feel so honored and proud that, not only did we make it through the last six months, we're actually going to end this year up from last year, which is amazing, but that's just a testament to all of the hard work that our team put together." In addition to the wonderful success they've seen, 392 Caffè didn't cut hours or any employees for either location during this time.

The 392 Caffè team has created a culture of inclusivity, kindness, love, and community within their coffee shop. Customers don't come for "just" a cup of coffee, but the kindness and love that is outpouring within 392. For the last six years, every November 1, they put a coat rack out and created a "**Take a Coat, Leave a Coat**" program, where people within the community can give and take a coat, no questions asked. Also starting on November 1, you can also become a "**Coffee Angel**." The Coffee Angel costs \$6 and is split between helping to pay for a random person's coffee and the other half goes into a jar until January 1. People can put a charity that is near and dear to their heart on a piece of paper and they will pull out of it at the end of the year and all of that money is donated to the charity that gets pulled out. 392 Caffè also has participated in **The Giving Tree**, which is connected with RSVP. Between the Clinton and Davenport locations, they gave out 250 gifts!

Finally, Sanders adequately stated, "We want to be a part of this community. Our roots are in this community, and we love to do whatever we can. So if any of you have ways that we can give back or partner with you in any sort of way we would love to be a part of it."

You can hear more from Jenna by watching our meeting on [YouTube!](#) Or turn into the Podcast "[Keys to the Shop](#)."

## WEEKLY STATS

### FELLOWSHIP FINES:

Oct 5: \$126

YTD: \$1578

### ATTENDANCE:

In-person: 22

Online: 14

Guests: 1

**Total for Oct 5: 37**

### GUESTS:

- Jenna Sanders: Speaker, G/O Jill O'Neill

YTD: 38

### MEMBERSHIP:

- Current Members: 80
- Resignation: Phil Barger
- Membership goal: 95

### BIRTHDAYS:

- |                    |        |
|--------------------|--------|
| • Julie Eggers     | Oct 01 |
| • Ron McGauvran    | Oct 04 |
| • Patti Stark      | Oct 08 |
| • Doug Bertrand    | Oct 12 |
| • Keith Hook       | Oct 22 |
| • G. Wylie Pillers | Oct 29 |

"2020 is almost over. We're in the homestretch!"

The homestretch...



## ANNIVERSARIES:

- Susan Mesecher  
1 year; Oct 01 2019
- Tom Determann  
25 years; Oct 02 1995
- Pete Clausen  
29 years; Oct 07 1991
- Paula Schneckloth  
3 years; Oct 09 2017
- Erin Cole  
2 years; Oct 15 2018
- Val Hill  
17 years; Oct 20 2003
- Juliann Bray  
17 years; Oct 27 2003
- Shannon Sander-Welzein  
7 years; Oct 28 2013

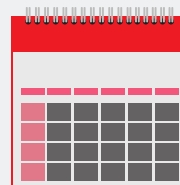
## COMMITTEE CHAIRS

- Christmas Program: Doug Bertrand
- Community Service: Idell Klein
- Dictionaries Committee: \*John Frey
- Fellowship/Program Sign-up: Doug Bertrand, \*Brian Wright
- Financial Committee: \*Dale Dalton
- Foundation: Mark Rutenbeck
- Fundraiser Committee: Jill O'Neill and Nicole Hinman
- 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: Andrew Kida
- Public Relations: Jill O'Neill
- Scholarships: Braydon Roberts and Peggy Sellnau
- Showboat Event Committee: David Sivright
- Student Service/ Weekly Student Guests: Peggy Sellnau
- Sunshine: Christie Collins

# LOOKING FORWARD

## OCTOBERS PROGRAMS

Oct 13: Camanche Police Chief Reid  
Oct 19: Erica Cole, Founder of No Limb-its  
Oct 26: Michelle Cullen on COVID/Flu update



## INVOCATION



OCTOBER 13: NICOLE HINMAN  
OCTOBER 19: BOB HOLESINGER  
OCTOBER 26: PAUL HOLMER

GREETER ON HOLD DUE TO COVID.

## PROGRAM CHAIRS

OCTOBER: ROTARY BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
NOVEMBER: NORLAN HINKE  
DECEMBER: CARRIE DONAIRE, DOUG BERTRAND



## FELLOWSHIP CHAIRS



OCTOBER:  
NORLAN HINKE AND DOUG HARRIDGE  
NOVEMBER:  
CHRISTIE COLLINS AND DAVE SIVRIGHT  
DECEMBER:  
CARRIE DONAIRE AND DOUG BERTRAND

Me: Sorry i'm late. I broke down on the way to work.  
Boss: Is your car working fine now?  
Me: Car?  
Boss:  
Me:

# FOUNDATION MINUTE

Welcome to Week 1 of October, the Economic & Community Development Month of Rotary International.

This month's theme used to be Vocational Service. TRF supports disaster relief and recovery efforts through grants from the Rotary Disaster Response Fund.

These District Grants (DG), termed a Community Service Grant, is a block grant from TRF to a Rotary International district. These grants are used to support short-term projects to help solve humanitarian concerns within a specific community initiated by clubs in that district.

Over two months ago, a Derecho pounded parts of the Midwest, leaving miles of overwhelming destruction across eastern Nebraska, across the middle of Iowa from the Missouri to the Mississippi River. Some cities within District 6000 got help from their Rotarian neighbors when the District 6000 Disaster Response Committee allocated \$5,000 toward recovery efforts. TRF has added \$25,000 for Derecho relief, especially in Cedar Rapids, Iowa City and Dubuque. Interested clubs should contact Troy Thompson, Chair of the District's Disaster Relief Committee for an application (Thompson.go@gmail.com).

As part of its goals to improve literacy, TRF matched a \$5,800 Rotary Club of Cleveland Noonday grant for the Raider Reader Program in the City of Cleveland Schools. The \$11,600 will provide every first and second grade student with a book to take home and keep before each of the five extended breaks (Fall, Thanksgiving, Winter, Spring and Summer). **Carolyn Ingram, a member of the Noonday Rotary Club, said "This program is one of the best things that we have done to promote literacy in our schools. I am thrilled to be a part of it."**

## October 2020 Reminders:

5-11: Rotary Alumni Reconnect Week

22: One Rotary Summit; Via Zoom; 6:30-7:30 PM Central

24: World Polio Day

In Rotary,  
Olabisi Gwamna Ph.D,  
Rotary Club of Mt. Pleasant  
Foundation Minute Editor

## DG'S DAKIN'S FIFTH TEST

A dose of humor,  
hopefully to help  
start your Rotary  
week with a smile.

Proud to be a  
Rotarian,  
Steve Dakin, District  
Governor 2020-21  
steve@retiredfun.net

Did you hear about  
the fellow whose  
entire left side was  
cut off???

He's all right now.

## 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 2020-2021:

- Shannon Sander-Welzien: President
- Christie Collins: President-President Elect
- Andrew Kida: President Elect-Elect
- Braydon Roberts: President Elect-Elect-Elect
- Brian Wright: Past-President
- Dale Dalton: Treasurer
- Jill O'Neill: Secretary
- Idell Klein
- Douglas Harridge
- Peggy Sellnau
- Rod Tokheim
- Nicole Hinman

## Rotary Foundation Board of Directors for 2020-2021:

- 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.



# POLIO UPDATES

## Dear Polio Eradication Warriors,

**One new Wild Polio case reported this week.**

**What is that Polio Picture? Combination Covid support & Polio immunization campaigns are underway in Afghanistan.**

This picture shows Nasrin Ahmadi who has been working with the Polio program since 2010. Starting as a volunteer, she has moved up the ranks to become a District Polio Officer. "I chose to continue to do public health awareness during the COVID-19 pandemic. I wanted to help save people's lives and continue to serve my people," says Nasrin Ahmadi, a polio worker and volunteer for the COVID-19 response in Mazar, Balkh Province. Seven months since the first COVID-19 case was reported in Afghanistan, female polio program front line workers continue to support outbreak response. Often, they put concerns for their health to the side as they work in areas with many COVID-19 cases. Sometimes, their work brings them into conflict with the social norms of their community and society.

### Let's Take Action! World Polio Day - October 24

A polio-free world is possible, but we can achieve it only by taking action together. With the challenges to vaccination programs posed by the COVID-19 pandemic, it's even more crucial that Rotary continues to build awareness and raise funds for polio eradication. Join the effort to vaccinate children and end polio by organizing a World Polio Day event for your community. In 2019, Rotary members held more than 5,900 events in 136 countries. This year, online events and activities will allow us to expand our reach even more and inspire others to join us. WHO would like to thank the Pakistan Assistance Program of the United Arab Emirates, who have released US\$ 17.9 million to support the resumption of immunization activities, including outbreak response, in high risk districts of Pakistan. Campaigns have resumed following a temporary pause during the early months of the COVID-19 pandemic.

**Now that we are down to the Final Two Polio Endemic Countries** - I will be listing Sixteen Reasons We need to End Polio in Pakistan (from Dawn.com): # 6. Polio can be completely eradicated from the world. Unlike most diseases, the crippling virus can be eliminated through vaccination. There are three strains of the virus and none of them can survive outside of a human body. It will die if it cannot find an unvaccinated person to infect.

**Vaccine Derived Polio Cases** - 403 Vaccine Derived Polio Cases reported in 2020: Afghanistan - 79 (0 in 2019), Angola - 3 (129 in 2019), Benin - 1 (8 in 2019), Burkina Faso - 9 (1 in 2019), Cameroon - 5 (0 in 2019), CAR - 2 (21 in 2019), Chad 66 ((10 in 2019), China - 0 (1 In 2019), Cote d' Ivoire 24 (0 in 2019), DRC - 56 (86 in 2019), Ethiopia - 16 (11 in 2019), Ghana - 11 (18 in 2019), Guinea - 18 (0 in 2019), Malaysia - 1 (3 in 2019), Myanmar - 0 (6 in 2019), Niger - 4 (1 in 2019), Nigeria - 1 (18 in 2019), Pakistan - 64 (22 in 2019), Papua New Guinea - 0 (0 in 2019), Philippines - 1 (16 in 2019), Somalia - 19 (3 in 2019), South Sudan - 3 (0 in 2019), Sudan - 3, Togo - 9 (8 in 2019), Zambia - 0 (2 in 2019), 361 Vaccine Derived Polio cases were reported in 2019.

### Quote of the Day -

**"The world is more malleable than you think, and it's waiting for you to hammer it into shape." Bono**

### The Final Two Polio Endemic Countries:

- Pakistan - One new Polio case reported this week. Seventy-four Polio cases reported in 2020. The most recent case had an onset of paralysis on 09/01/20. Pakistan reported 147 Wild Polio cases in 2019. Nine Polio-Positive Environmental Samples were reported this week in Pakistan.
- Afghanistan - No new Polio cases reported this past week. Forty-seven Polio cases reported in 2020. The most recent cases had an onset of paralysis on 8/22/20. Afghanistan reported twenty-nine Wild Polio cases in 2019. Two Polio-Positive Environmental Samples were reported this week in Afghanistan.

**Our Goal is Global Polio Eradication!!**

## Polio Eradication Update

For The Week Ending 10/03/20



Rotary's World-wide 2020-21 Rotary Year Polio Fundraising Goal is \$150 Million – Including the Gates Foundation \$2 to \$1 Match

**Our Goal is Global Polio Eradication!**

**PolioPlus: Zero Is The Magic Number!**

**Advocate, Donate & Educate to END POLIO NOW & FOREVER!**

19,100,000 Children Saved from the Paralysis of Polio Since 1988

Total paralysis cases	Year-to-date 2020	Total 2019	Total 2018	Total 2017	Total 2016
Globally	121	176	33	22	37
- in endemic countries:	121	176	33	22	37
- in post-endemic countries:	0	0	0	0	0

**Wild Polio cases reported this week:**  
**Pakistan 1, Afghanistan 0**

2020 Wild Polio Case Breakdown by Country (Green Numbers are 2019 Totals)  
**Endemic Countries – 74 Pakistan (2019-147), 47 Afghanistan (2019-29)**

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