

# 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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### SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS

- [FACEBOOK](#)
- [LINKEDIN](#)
- [YOUTUBE](#)



Surround yourself  
with people  
that reflect  
who you want to be  
and how you  
want to feel.  
Energy is contagious.

Rachel Wolchin

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# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

## PRESIDENTIAL NEWS

- RON GUTIERREZ AND KRYSTAL MURPHY PRESENTED OUR ROTARY CLUB WITH THE #1 SERVICE GROUP AWARD IN THE ANNUAL CHOICE AWARDS!!
- THE BOO BASH IS COMING UP SO, SO SOON!!!!!! PLEASE CONSIDER SPONSORING FROM YOUR COMPANY \*AND\* SOME ITEMS FOR THE AUCTION!
- YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR DISTRICT'S ANNUAL FOUNDATION DINNERS JUST OPEN THE ATTACHED TO LEARN MORE! VISIT OUR WEBSITE [WWW.ROTARY6000.ORG](http://WWW.ROTARY6000.ORG) FOR THE WEST DES MOINES EVENT HERE AND THE MUSCATINE EVENT HERE ONLINE REGISTRATION AND MORE. COME JOIN US FOR FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP!

## KEY DATES

- SEPTEMBER 12: BRIG TUBBS DISCUSSES THE HISTORY OF OHNWARD BANCSHARES
- SEPTEMBER 19: DAVE ANDREWS PLANT MANAGER 3M CORDOVA ILLINOIS
- SEPTEMBER 26: DEPUTY CHIEF OF POLICE, JAMES BALLAUER

## Check It Out!

### IMAGINE IMPACT

WE'VE ALWAYS PROUDLY SHOWCASED THE MANY WAYS ROTARY DRIVES CHANGE AND MAKES AN IMPACT. THIS YEAR, WE'LL USE A VARIETY OF STORYTELLING APPROACHES TO HIGHLIGHT PROJECTS IN EACH AREA OF FOCUS. OUR GOALS ARE TO RAISE THE VISIBILITY OF OUR WORK; ENGAGE NEW INFLUENCERS, MEDIA, LEADERS, AND POTENTIAL PARTNERS; AND SHARE WHAT WE'VE LEARNED ABOUT HOW CLUBS CAN MAKE PROJECTS IN THEIR COMMUNITIES EVEN MORE EFFECTIVE.

HOW CAN YOU HELP? VISIT THE LEARNING CENTER TO LEARN MORE ABOUT ROTARY'S FOCUS ON INCREASING IMPACT. AND DOWNLOAD RESOURCES FROM ROTARY'S NEWLY UPDATED BRAND CENTER TO TELL YOUR CLUB'S STORY. BY SHARING YOUR CLUB'S SUCCESSES, YOU'RE SHOWING PEOPLE THAT ROTARY IS A SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP ORGANIZATION THAT MAKES A DIFFERENCE.

ROTARY MEMBERS HAVE DEMONSTRATED THAT WHEN WE DREAM BIG – AS WITH OUR FIGHT TO END POLIO – WE CAN MAKE OUR DREAMS A REALITY. THIS YEAR, I'M ASKING YOU TO IMAGINE ROTARY – AND TO IMAGINE A WORLD WHERE WE EACH CONTRIBUTE TO LASTING POSITIVE CHANGE.

SINCERELY,  
JENNIFER JONES  
RI PRESIDENT, 2022-23



The Rotary Club of Clinton Proudly Presents  
the Fourth Annual

# Boo Bash



Friday, October 28, 2022 •  
Vista Grande • 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

## Gold Sponsors



David Jr & Rita Sivright

## Silver Sponsors



Dale & Bobbie Dalton  
Paul B Sharar Foundation

## Bronze Sponsors

730 Enterprises, LLC • Abstract & Tile Guaranty Company • Aegis Credit Union •  
The Alverno • Beckwith Commercial Roofing Inc. • Brent's Firehouse Coffee, LLC. •  
C & M Refrigeration Ltd • Carpetland USA of Clinton • Christine Cournoyer •  
Clinton Printing • Comprehensive Rehab • Custom Pak •  
Kathy DeLacy - The Vintage Paint Brush on Etsy • Christopher L Farwell • Richard & Kathryn Forrest •  
A. John & Cheryl Frey • Dr. Angela Gabel, Gabel Chiropractic • IMS Chiropractic/Kortni D Richards •  
Johnson Oil Company • Kwik Trip • Miles Communications, LLC •  
Ronald J. McGaurvan • Shive-Hattery, INC. • Sterling Federal Bank • Srp Law PLC •  
TrueNorth Companies/Core Vens Insurance • Karen & David Vickers •  
Shannon Sander-Welzein & Jeff Welzein • Kelly Wright • XYLEM, LTD.

# WEEKLY ROUND-UP

## WEEKLY STATS

### **SCHOLARSHIP FUND:**

AUGUST 29: \$56

YTD TOTAL: \$1187

### **ATTENDANCE:**

ONLINE: N/A

IN-PERSON: 25

TOTAL FOR AUGUST 29: 25

### **GUESTS:**

- ANN EISENMANN
- CLITON HENIK
- MARGO HANSON
- BRIEANNE MUHN
- KRYSTAL MURPHY
- JOSH BOAM

YTD: 24

### **MEMBERS:**

- CURRENT MEMBERS:  
80
- MEMBERSHIP GOAL:  
84



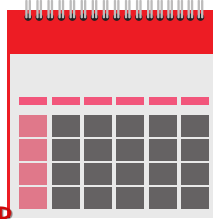
BRIAN KELLY, PRESIDENT OF CLINTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE SHARED AN OVERVIEW OF THE ARBORETUM'S VISION TO INCREASE USABILITY AND ACCESSIBILITY AROUND THE GROUNDS. IT WILL FEATURE MORE EVENT AND CONFERENCE SPACE ALONG WITH EASY-TO-ACCESS LANDSCAPED PATHWAYS.

CLINT HENIK IS FROM MOUNT VERNON AND HAS ALWAYS LOVED WOOD CARVINGS AND STARTED MAKING HIS OWN IN 2015. NOW HE CARVES FULL-TIME TAKING CUSTOM ORDERS INCLUDING STAND-ALONE WORKS, FURNITURE, AND TREES THAT WERE DAMAGED IN THE 2020 DERECHO. EVERY DESIGN IS UNIQUE AND CAN TAKE ANYWHERE FROM A FEW HOURS TO 5 DAYS TO COMPLETE. HE USES VARIOUS TOOLS AND CHAINSAWS THAT VARY FROM 6 INCHES TO 8 FEET LONG. HIS WEBSITE IS [CARVERWAY.COM](http://CARVERWAY.COM) AND HE CAN BE FOUND ON SOCIAL MEDIA AT @CARVERWAY. CLINT RECENTLY WON 1ST PLACE FOR A CARVING AT THE WOOD, WINE & BLUES FESTIVAL IN STORM LAKE, IOWA WHICH TOOK HIM AROUND 15 HOURS TO MAKE. 12 PIECES OF HIS WORK ARE ON DISPLAY AT THE ARBORETUM FOR ART AT THE ARB THROUGH THE END OF AUGUST AND ARE AVAILABLE FOR SALE. THURSDAY NIGHT IS THE ANNUAL GARDEN PARTY FROM 5-7 PM ALSO AT THE ARBORETUM LOCATED AT 340 S. 14TH ST. IN CLINTON.

# LOOKING FORWARD...

## PROGRAMS

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## INVOCATION

SEPTEMBER 12: BRIAN WRIGHT  
SEPTEMBER 19: BRENT ALBRECHTSEN  
SEPTEMBER 26: DOUG BERTRAND



## GREETER

SEPTEMBER 12: MARK RUTENBECK  
SEPTEMBER 19: SHANNON SANDER-WELZEN  
SEPTEMBER 26: MARY BETH SMITH



## PROGRAM CHAIRS

SEPTEMBER: JENNIFER GRAF  
OCTOBER: AMY BERENTES  
NOVEMBER: NORLAN HINKE  
DECEMBER: DOUG BERTRAND & JENNIFER GRAF



## FELLOWSHIP CHAIRS

SEPTEMBER: MARK RUTENBECK & ANDY FERGURSON  
OCTOBER: BRIAN WRIGHT & JENNIFER GRAF  
NOVEMBER: CHRISTIE COLLINS & DAVE SIVRIGHT  
DECEMBER: CARRIE DONAIRE & DOUG BERTRAND



## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS:

- CHRISTIE COLLINS SEPT 05
- MIKE KROEMER SEPT 13
- KATHY KLAHN SEPT 15
- KAREN VICKERS SEPT 15
- CHERYL FREY SEPT 17
- JULIE DUNN SEPT 20
- ANDY FERGURSON SEPT 21
- BRIGHAM TUBBS SEPT 21
- JAMES BRUHN SEPT 22

## SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES:

- RON MCGAUVAN
  - 44 YEARS; SEPT 01 1978
- DOUGLAS BERTRAND
  - 26 YEARS; SEPT 16 1996
- GREGORY JASPER
  - 27 YEARS; SEPT 18 1995
- KAREN VICKERS
  - 26 YEARS; SEPT 23 1996
- JAMES BRUHN
  - 26 YEARS; SEPT 30 1996

### 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

## 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 KLAHN*  |
| • KATHY FORREST  | • LYNN MCGRAW   |
| • JENNIFER GRAF* | • BRIAN WRIGHT* |

## FOUNDATION MINUTE

WELCOME TO WEEK 1 OF RI'S MONTH OF BASIC EDUCATION & LITERACY.

THIS MONTH'S THEME COULDN'T HAVE BEEN BETTER MANIFESTED THAN THE STORY OF MADISON JACKS AND HER SEARCH FOR HIGHER EDUCATION. MADISON JACKS IS A RECENT GRADUATE OF POLITICAL SCIENCE FROM ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY WITH A ZEST FOR STUDYING ABROAD. AFTER RESEARCHING NUMEROUS POTENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES, SHE ZEROED IN ON TRF AND ITS GLOBAL GRANT SCHOLARSHIP. WITH THE HELP OF ROTARY CLUB NORTHLAKE MANDEVILLE, DISTRICT 6840 LOUISIANA, USA, NO STONE WAS LEFT UN-TURNED. IN A REPORT BY GRACE BUTZMAN, A CONTRIBUTING WRITER WITH NOLA.COM, NORTHLAKE MANDEVILLE ROTARY QUICKLY ADOPTED JACKS AND BECAME HER LOCAL SPONSORING CLUB FOR HER APPLICATION. TOGETHER, THEY CONTINUED THE LENGTHY PROCESS.

NEXT, THEY NEEDED TO GET SPONSORING CLUBS ON THE INTERNATIONAL LEVEL. JACKS WAS ABLE TO DO THAT WITH THE HELP OF GREG LIER, ALSO WITH DISTRICT 6840. LIER VOUCHED FOR JACKS AT THE ANNUAL ROTARY 2022 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION IN HOUSTON. WHEN LIER SPOKE ABOUT JACKS TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONTACT, THE DISTRICT CONTACT WAS FULLY ON BOARD. JACKS THEN RECEIVED SUPPORTING CLUBS IN FRANCE, LONDON AND INDIA.

AFTER MUCH LENGTHY PAPERWORK WAS COMPLETE, JACKS WAS APPROVED FOR THE GLOBAL GRANT SCHOLARSHIP JUST UNDER \$90,000. MADISON JACKS WILL BEGIN HER DUAL MASTERS' PROGRAM, FIRST IN INTERNATIONAL GOVERNANCE IN DIPLOMACY AT THE SCIENCES PO IN FRANCE. THE OTHER MASTER'S PROGRAM WILL BE IN DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT AT THE LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS

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