



BRINGING ON A NEW ADMINISTRATION!

President Jenö Berta thanked and lauded those club members who played roles on the Board and served in the leadership of the club this year.



Incoming President Emily Shenk-DeMay looks forward to the new Rotary year and the potential it presents. We can be proud of our accomplishments projects big and small. But, there is always room to expand our service to the community and world. Thinking outside the box will get us a ways. Some suggestions for involvement: Reading to students in schools and at the Y; Riverbend Food Bank "Backpack" program; Women's Hygiene Program.

Perfect Attendance:

Jake Jacks – 2 years
Julia den Blaauwen – 6 years
Dave Borchering – 15 years
Doug Peterson – 8 years



Rotarian of the Year:

JD Walls was presented the Rotarian of the Year Award.
President Berta introduced JD as "extremely dedicated to the causes and to extreme detail and organization/planning".



Armed Forces Pin:

Jenö presented Jeff Kaczinski a token of his appreciation with an Armed Forces pin.



Emily presented Jenö with a set of cufflinks.

GUESTS:

John Demay (Emily's husband)
Lucy Schlicksup (Tim's daughter)
Sumeer Kulkani (prospective member)



ANNOUNCEMENTS:

John Deere Classic golf tournament – Our club is partnering with the North Scott Rotary Club to field marshal volunteers for the 16th hole. **John Gere** says we have good numbers of volunteers for each day. More information will come out regarding logistics for the tournament itself (July 10 through 15).



Rotary Night at the Ballpark will be on July 19th. Our own **Emily Shenk-DeMay** will be singing the National Anthem.

Tim Schlicksup whipped the club into a frenzy with his enthusiasm about our big joint fund raiser Miracle Field Family Fest . He handed out the Sponsorship and Fundraising Plan 2018 with handy notes on how the team concept works and how to make calls on businesses. The plan is similar to last-year's plan, so we should have a running start on this-year's effort. We also have a new enticement, 500 tickets at \$100 apiece for a \$10,000 prize.



SARGE:

Happy/Sad Dollars:

Bob M – (uncharacteristically dressed up) announced that he is retiring after 45 years! Congratulations!

50/50:

C'mon Mike – Five girls were walking down the sidewalk, all holding cell phones, but not talking ... Einstein quote: "I fear the day when technology surpasses our ability to interact. With \$474 in the pot, **Bob Mattison's** ticket was drawn, letting **Lucy Schlicksup** search for the queen ... no winner today.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

July 5 – Open
July 12 – Open
July 19 – Pastor Don Timmerman (W.I.S.H.) – *Tentative*
July 26 – Waylyn McCulloh (Iowa Department of Corrections) – *Tentative*

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Jul 19 – Rotary Night at the Ballpark (Modern Woodmen)
Aug 25 – Joint Fundraiser (Prairie Hill Park)



BIRTHDAYS!!

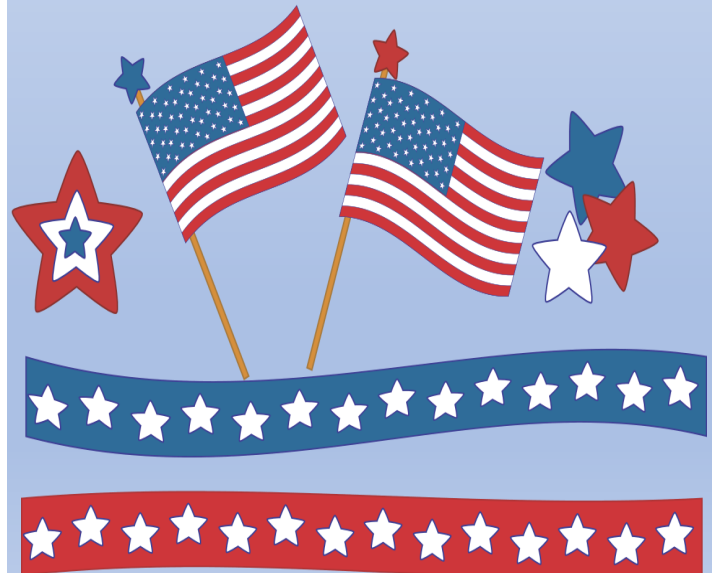
Jul 8—Tom Licea
Jul 10—Missy Gowey
Jul 19—Jeno Berta
Jul 21—Kathleen Logan

CLUB ANNIVERSARIES!!

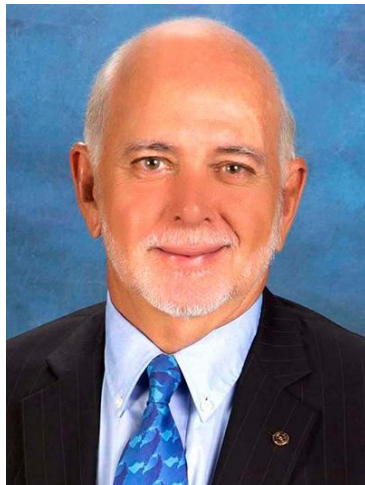
Jul 1—Matt Rednour (4 years)
Jul 14—Deb Gustafson (7 years)
Jul 18—Missy Gowey (27 years)
Jul 23—Steve Jones (3 years)

ANNIVERSARIES!!

Jul 3—Sigrid & Lyle Zaehring (8 years)
Jul 9—Jeno & Dawn Berta (21 years)
Jul 24—Doug & Lou Peterson (47 years)



2018-19 RI President Barry Rassin wants Rotary members to *Be the Inspiration*



Rotary International President-elect Barry Rassin laid out his vision for the future of the organization on Sunday, calling on leaders to work for a sustainable future and to inspire Rotarians and the community at large.

Rassin, a member of the Rotary Club of East Nassau, New Providence, Bahamas, unveiled the 2018-19 presidential theme, *Be the Inspiration*, to incoming district governors at Rotary's International Assembly in San Diego, California, USA. "I want you to inspire in your clubs, your Rotarians, that desire for something greater. The drive to do more, to be more, to create something that will live beyond each of us."

Rassin stressed the power of Rotary's new vision statement, "Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves." This describes the Rotary that leaders must help build, he said.

To achieve this vision, the president-elect said, Rotarians must take care of the organization: "We are a membership organization first. And if we want to be able to serve, if we want to succeed in our goals — we have to take care of our members first."

Rassin asked the incoming district governors to "inspire the club presidents, and the Rotarians in your districts, to want to change. To want to do more. To want to reach their own potential. It's your job to motivate them — and help them find their own way forward."

Progress on polio

Rassin noted that one source of inspiration has been Rotary's work to eradicate polio. He described the incredible progress made over the past three decades. In 1988, an estimated 350,000 people were paralyzed by the wild poliovirus; just 20 cases were reported in 2017 as of 27 December. "We are at an incredibly exciting time for polio eradication," he said, "a point at which each new case of polio could very well be the last."

He emphasized that even when that last case of polio is recorded, the work won't be finished. "Polio won't be over, until the certifying commission says it's over—when not one poliovirus has been found, in a river, in a sewer, or in a paralyzed child, for at least three years," he said. "Until then, we have to keep doing everything we're doing now." He urged continued dedication to immunization and disease surveillance programs.

Sustaining the environment

Rotary has focused heavily on sustainability in its humanitarian work in recent years. Now, Rassin said, Rotarians must acknowledge some hard realities about pollution, environmental degradation, and climate change. He noted that 80 percent of his own country is within one meter of sea level. With sea levels projected to rise two meters by 2100, he said, "my country is going to be gone in 50 years, along with most of the islands in the Caribbean and coastal cities and low-lying areas all over the world."

Rassin urged leaders to look at all of Rotary's service as part of a larger global system. He said that this means the incoming district governors must be an inspiration not only to clubs, but also to their communities. "We want the good we do to last. We want to make the world a better place. Not just here, not just for us, but everywhere, for everyone, for generations."

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ROTARY CLUB AVENUES OF SERVICE:

Club Service
Vocational Service
Community Service
New Generations Service
International Service

NEED TO MAKE UP?

Mon. noon	Davenport—The Outing Club
Mon. 5 p.m.	Davenport—(Mini) Lunardi's
Mon. 6 p.m.	Illinois Quad Cities—HyVee (John Deere Rd)
Mon. noon	Moline—Trinity Lutheran Church
Tue. 7:15 a.m.	River Cities—The Brothers, Rapids City
Tue. noon	Rock Island—Botanical Center
Wed. 7 a.m.	Valley Sunrise—Holiday Inn, Moline
Wed. noon	Bettendorf—Tanglewood Pavilion
Wed. 4:30 p.m.	North Scott (Mini)—Ridgecrest Village
Thu. 7 a.m.	Iowa Quad Cities—Holiday Inn Davenport
Thu. noon	Milan—Pinnacle Country Club
Thu. 12:15 p.m.	East Moline/Silvis—Christ UM Church
Fri. noon	North Scott—Steeplegate Davenport

Make ups count two weeks before or after a meeting.

You can attend another club or make up online at

<http://www.rotaryclubone.org>

CLUBRUNNER ACCESS:

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/CPrg/Home/login.asp?cid=1647&lgValMem=0>

The Object of Rotary:

To encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;

FOURTH. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

