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THIS FRIDAY: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option



New year, new leadership

Installation Picnic, June 23 (at left): Past president Jeff Ashcraft subbed for Dr. Brad Burt and gave the past president's plaque to Pat Olsen; (at right): Pat give the club charter (really?) to 2022-23 club president Josie Cochuyt. See more on pages 2-3.

Photos by Editor

THIS FRIDAY: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option

Michelle Juehring: Race Director, Quad-City Times Bix 7

North Scott Rotary will kick off the new year with a program from the leader of one of the great events in our region: Michelle Juehring, race director of the *Quad-City Times Bix 7*!



Michelle Juehring

Installation/2-3; Governor's Award/6; Adventures/8

CLUB SERVICE



Club history

For the record: At the Installation Picnic, with Addison watching, past president and volunteer newsletter editor Bill Tubbs gave 2021-22 president Pat Olsen a three-ring binder with printed, color copies of club newsletters, The NorScottarian, during his year.,

Photo by Josie Cochuyt

Saturday: Join the parade at 1:00 p.m., and help at the Moonlight Chase at night!

Come, join fellow Rotarians on Saturday in the Rotary float at the Eldridge Summer Festival. Parade lineup is at 1:00 on East Franklin Street. The parade begins at 2:00. Saturday evening, July 9, North Scott Rotary will again be manning the Water Stop on North 9th Street, Eldridge, for the Moonlight Chase race. We need several volunteers! Please let Deb Peterson know if you are able to help from 7:30-10 p.m. Also let Deb know your T-shirt size if you are able to volunteer: dennis.peterson1@gmail.com.

CALENDAR

- Friday, July 8:** Friday luncheon at the Steeple, with Zoom option, Michelle Juehring, race director, Quad-City Times Bix 7, arranged by Jan Touney.
- Saturday, July 9:** North Scott Rotary float at Eldridge Summer Festival Parade, 2:00 p.m., lineup at 1:00 on East Franklin Street.
- Saturday, July 9:** Moonlight Chase water stop on North 9th Street, Eldridge, after 8 p.m.
- Friday, July 15:** Board of Directors, 10:30 a.m. at the Steeplegate Inn.
- Friday, July 15:** Friday luncheon at the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, Colonel Shari Bennett, commander, Rock Island Arsenal, arranged by Warren Hodge.
- Sunday, July 17-Friday, July 22:** Iowa Rotary Youth Leadership Awards conference (RYLA) at Grinnell College.
- Friday, July 22:** Friday luncheon at the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, Sarah Ott, Chief Strategy Officer for the City of Davenport, and Major Bladel with the Davenport Police, arranged by Richard Horst.
- Thursday, July 28:** CORN BOIL at Mississippi Valley Fairgrounds.
- Friday, July 29:** No meeting (replaced by Corn Boil).
- Friday, Aug. 5:** Friday luncheon at the Steeplegate, with Zoom option: "North Scott Vision 2025: Improving Facilities and Educational Opportunities," with Joe Stutting, North Scott superintendent of schools.

CLUB SERVICE ROSTER

SET UP:

- July 8:** Marty O'Boyle
- July 15:** Dick Cole
- July 22:** Warren Hodge

SONG LEADERS:

- July 8:** Bill Tubbs
- July 15:** Sara Dierick
- July 22:** Kelly Meyer

GREETERS:

- July 8:** Roger Amhof & Jack Schinckel
- July 15:** Deanna Jensen-Valliere, Theresa White
- July 22:** Rich Horst, Josh Cobie

PIANO:

- July 8:** Teri Wittkowski
- July 15:** Marguerite Holzworth
- July 22:** Josh McKinney

SERGEANT:

- June 17:** John Maxwell

JULY MENUS

- July 8:** Grilled Chicken Asiago Sandwich with Tomato Dill Soup.
- July 15:** Jambalaya served with Garlic Bread Stick
- July 22:** Sloppy Joes with Ranch Seasoned French Fries

NORTH SCOTT ROTARY CLOTHING

To order North Scott Rotary clothing: handicappeddevelopment.org/north-scott-rotary

JUNE 23: INSTALLATION PICNIC

Family of North Scott Rotary Installation Picnic

June 23, Installation Picnic was attended by 42 members, 36 adult guests and 17 kids at Sheridan Meadows Park in Eldridge, including (above, left): President-Elect **Josie Cochuyt**, Past President **Becky Bray** and President Nominee **Tracy Lindaman**; and (above, right): **Nate** and **Adrien Kessler** and family, **Carson**, 13, **Hannah**, 11, and **Olivia**, 8. **Tyler Bindrum** (below, left) brought margarita mix, and **Rick Willows** of Smokin Butt BBQ (below, right) served the meal. **Tony Knobbe** offered invocation, **Jeff Ashcraft** praised **Pat Olsen's** year of leadership ("One of the great presidents of North Scott Rotary!"), **Pat** thanked his family and Rotary members, and **Josie Cochuyt** said she is excited about the year to come. "Rotary Adventures" and police luncheons will continue." Read more on p. 6.

Photos by Editor



PROGRAM INTRODUCTION

Juehring recognized as emerging leader

PROGRAM, *continued from page 1*

This program was arranged by **Jan Touney**, who provided this introduction: The *Quad-City Times* Bix 7 turns the streets of Davenport for one Saturday each July into a sea of runners and walkers, costumed characters, musicians and lawn parties.

But it takes the other 364 days of the year to plan and execute the 7-mile road race, work with sponsors, oversee T-shirt orders, manage the thousands of volunteers, keep up on the latest in race trends, and monitor a myriad of details for what has become almost a full week of activities.

As the race director of the Bix, Michelle Juehring knows the drill well. She will talk about the upcoming July 30 race (the 48th), some new additions for 2022, and how the event bounced back from Covid, when she addresses the North Scott Rotary on Friday, July 8.

After serving as assistant race director under longtime Bix director **Ed Froehlich**, **Juehring** was named to the top job after the 2019 race, Froehlich's 40th. At the end of 2019, in an interview with the *Quad-City Times*, Juehring described the challenge before her as "a labor of love."

Little did she know what was coming up on the horizon.

In February of 2020, she was at a national conference of race officials.

"A month later, the world stopped," she said of the Covid-19 pandemic. "There was no plan book for this." Like race directors around the world, Juehring and the Bix medical safety and support team worked to redefine what could be accomplished, considering the ever-developing public health situation in a world that did not yet have a vaccine for Covid.

It was estimated that more than 7,000 races were canceled, postponed or took on a virtual format because of the pandemic.

For the Bix, the decision was made to host a virtual race, giving people the opportunity to run or walk the 7 miles or the 2-mile Quick Bix at a site of their choosing, during a four-week period in July. Participants were able to submit their times online and print out their own finisher's certificate.

Last year, the event returned to its usual in-person format, with more than 9,750 people registering for the various Bix races, according to race officials.

Juehring was recognized in November as an emerging industry leader at the National Sports Safety and Security Conference. The recognition came in the Marathon/Endurance category.

Prior to her position as race director (and before that, assistant race director) of the Bix 7, **Juehring** was the director of children's and family ministries at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Davenport, and before that, worked in marketing at the *Quad-City Times*. The native of Onalaska, Wisconsin, is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse.

The breast cancer survivor is a fitness guru herself, having completed marathons and Ironman triathlons.

Also on Friday, we will welcome **Ross Paustian** as our newest member.



Michelle Juehring at the Quad-City Times Bix 7.

Provided by Jan Touney

MAKEUPS

Please turn in makeups to Deb Peterson at: dennis.peterson1@gmail.com, or nsrotary@aol.com.

June 21: Rotary Adventures at Modern Woodmen Park: Jeff Martens, Tracy Lindaman, Tyler Bindrum, Josie Cochuyt (Sydney), Deanna Jensen-Valliere, Dr. Fred Mulch, Tricia Kane, Drew Wilson (Evan), Becky Bray, Tom Messer, Danielle Hines, Charlie Jones, Bill Tubbs, Marcie Ordaz, Pat Olsen (Mary Jo), Catherine Meinsma, Merle Anderson (Mary Lou), Katie White, Pat DeLuca (Mary Ann), Greg Schaapveld, Jeremy Kaiser, Todd Gullickson, Tiffany Lensch, Rich Golinghorst, Dick Cole, Heather Wagner, Jeff Ashcraft, Theresa White (Gracie).

June 22: Bill Tubbs, Rotary Club of Bettendorf.

June 22: Mini-meet at Maloney's: Rev. Rich Pookora, Merle Anderson, Jerry Coussens, Hank Runge, Rob White.

June 23: Merle Anderson, Rotary Club of Iowa Quad Cities.

June 26: Bill Tubbs and Linda, District Change Meeting at Ankeny.

June 29: Mini-meet at Maloney's: Rev. Rich, Merle Anderson, Jerry Coussens, Steve Fahrenkrog, Jason Happel, Jim Smith, Marty O'Boyle, Rob White. Late arrivals: Donn Wilmott, Bill Tubbs.

June 29-July 3: John Deere Classic Volunteers: Tom Messer, Chris Connolly (Connie), Ken Rohwedder, Dr. Fred Mulch, Drew Wilson, Josh Cobie, Merle Anderson, Heather Wagner.

MAKEUP OPPORTUNITIES

Monday, Noon..... Clinton, Rastrelli's Restaurant, Lyons
Monday, Noon.....Davenport, downtown YMCA
Monday, 12:10..... Muscatine, Rendevouz, 3127 Lucas St.
Monday, 12:15.....Moline, Trinity Lutheran, 1313 13th Av.
Monday, 6:00 p.m. .Quad Cities Illinois, HyVee, 42nd Ave., Moline

Tuesday, Noon .. Rock Island, Quad-City Botanical Center
Tuesday, 7:15 p.m. River Cities, Brothers Restaurant, Rapid City, Ill.

Wednesday, Noon.....Bettendorf, Tanglefoot Pavilion
Wednesday, Noon..... Tipton, 1143 Cedar Valley Rd.

Wednesday, Noon.....Maquoketa, Eagle's Club
Wednesday, 5:00 p.m. North Scott Rotary Mini-Meet, Maloney's, Eldridge

Thursday, 7:00 a.m. . Iowa Quad Cities, J-Bar, Elmore Ave.
Thursday, 12:15 p.m.East Moline, Christ United Methodist Church

Thursday, Noon Milan, Pinnacle Club
Friday, Noon North Scott, Steeplegate Inn, Davenport

**MYSTERY ROTARIAN****Mystery Rotarian**

This week's **Mystery Rotarian** was born and raised on the family farm in Scott County and began his/her education at Lincoln Elementary School in Bettendorf. He/she then attended 3rd grade at Sheridan No. 6, a one-room school with all eight grades in one room for one year, and then attended various one-room schools in the North Scott district through 6th grade, eventually graduating from North Scott Junior/Senior High School. He/she continued his/her education at the University of Iowa, graduating with a degree in civil engineering. His/her working career began in the city of Iowa City in the City Engineer's Office as a traffic engineer for four years, after which he/she returned to the family farm in Scott County. He/she then worked for a local contractor in construction engineering for four years before returning to farming and hauling grain for hire. He/she kept on truckin', operating a family business with a world-wide reach, with his/her brother in Eldridge. He/she has been a member of North Scott Rotary since 1994 when he/she was invited for membership by Rob White. Email answer to btubbs@northscottpress.com.

JULY MEMBER BIRTHDAYS

July 5: Leroy Paustian

July 6: Kelly Meyer

July 13: Donn Wilmott

July 18: Greg Schaapveld

July 22: Jack Schinckel

July 23: Becky Bray

July 24: Chris Cournoyer

July 28: Jeremy Kaiser

July 29: Rev. Rich Pokora

JULY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

July 5, 1969: Merle & Mary Lou Anderson (53 years)

July 17, 2020: Marcia & Bill Brandt (12 years)

JULY NORTH SCOTT ROTARY INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES

July 11, 2014: Jeff Ashcraft, Dr. Pat DeLuca (8 years)

July 13, 2018: Deanna Jensen-Valliere (4 years)

July 13, 2005: Jody Johnston-Mohr (17 years)

July 23, 2006: Paul Kalainoff (16 years)

July 24, 2005: Nancy Glawe (17 years)

JULY SPOUSE BIRTHDAYS

(none)

(Above information generated by ClubRunner, provided by Deb Peterson. Please contact Deb at dennis.peterson1@gmail.com if "spouse birthdays" or any other information is incorrect or incomplete.)

ANSWER TO LAST ISSUE'S TRIVIA QUESTION

Five members of North Scott Rotary who have served as club president of a club that was not North Scott Rotary!



Rev. Richard Pokora
Iowa Quad Cities
2004-05



Mahesh Sharma
Raytown, MO
2015-16



Chris Connolly
Mason City, IA
2004-05



Joe Stutting
Sturgeon Bay, WI
2013-14



Sean Finch
Rock Island, IL
1996-97



Governor's Volunteer Award

Iowa Gov. Kim Reynolds presented the Governor's Volunteer Award to North Scott Rotary on June 15 at Cedar Rapids Prairie High School. The award was accepted on behalf of members by 2022-23 president Pat Olsen. Provided by Pat Olsen

PERSONAL

Tracy Lindaman's mother (and past president **Jack Darland's** sister), **Jeri Moore**, 74, of DeWitt, died June 29 at Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN. Visitation will be 4-7 July 6 at Schultz Funeral Home, DeWitt. A graveside service will be at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, July 7 at Elmwood Cemetery, DeWitt.

PRESIDENT

Imagine North Scott Rotary!

Dear North Scott Rotarians,

The 2022-2023 Rotary year is here already! The Rotary International theme for this year is Imagine Rotary.

It's hard to imagine a more vibrant and amazing club than ours. As we begin this year and reflect on how we each imagine Rotary, I thought I would share with you what I've been imagining for North Scott Rotary in 2022-2023:

A club culture that promotes and fosters Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

More focus areas including Human Trafficking, the Safety and Social-Emotional Wellness of At-Risk Youth, and additional Literacy projects.

FUN! Let's continue to have fun and drive our purpose, passion and impact forward!

Committee Sign-Up: There are so many ways to be involved in North Scott Rotary. Maybe you've found your niche, want to try something new or maybe you're brand new to the club and are wondering how you can be more involved.

We have several committees that all play a huge role in the big picture of what North Scott Rotary accomplishes each year. The committee sign up sheet is (a right) and each committee has a description.

Please complete this form (it can be completed/marked up directly on the PDF) and email it back or email me a simple list of the committees you would like to participate on. Please indicate if you would like to Chair or Co-Chair with a "C" next to that committee.

****Technology Committee:** We are specifically looking for members who are comfortable and present at meetings to assist with setting up and running our Zoom connection, as well as, problem solving to improve our connection and virtual presence with members and speakers. If tech is your niche, please sign up! Please return these directly to me at josie.cochuyt@gmail.com at your earliest convenience. Sign up sheets will also be available at the meeting on Friday.

Josie Cochuyt
president 2022-23



Committee Interest Sign-Up

NAME: _____

Please help President Josie Cochuyt organize committees for her year. Check below and bring to Rotary or return to Josie Cochuyt, 2727 43rd St, Moline, IL 61265, or josie.cochuyt@gmail.com. Please mark "C" if you would be willing to chair a committee.

CLASSIFICATION_____

Objective: To ensure that prospective members meet the standards of Rotary and are assigned a classification.

CLUB FINANCE_____

Objective: To review anticipated income and expenses and prepare a budget for board approval.

COMMUNITY IMPACT GRANT_____

Objective: To screen, evaluate and make recommendations for one community impact grant to be gifted annually.

COMMUNITY NEEDS_____

Objective: To evaluate requests and make recommendations regarding charitable donations on the community level.

CORN BOIL_____

Objective: To take charge of arrangements, locations, food and entertainment for our annual Corn Boil.

ENDOWMENT GROWTH_____

Objective: Develop a short-term and long-term strategy for growing the North Scott Rotary Endowment Fund to a level that will self-sustain our annual charitable giving needs.

EDUCATION FOUNDATION_____

Objective: To review anticipated income and expenses of Educational Foundation funds for maximum safety and return; make a recommendation on scholarship amounts according to interest.

ENVIRONMENTAL_____

Objective: To provide leadership on beautification projects, including Eldridge flower beds, Xtream Cleanup, and others.

GOLF OUTING_____

Objective: To plan our Annual Fall Golf Outing

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE_____

Objective: To show members how to become involved with Rotary beyond the club, including Imbabazi Centre for Women and Children in Kisoro, Uganda; Global Grants, Rotary Scholars, Rotary Volunteers, Friendship Exchange, RAG4Clubfoot, and District 6000 projects in Xicotepec, Mexico, and Iowa Miles of Smiles Team in Guatemala.

LITERACY_____

Objective: To work with local schools to arrange Rotarians to read to elementary students; to distribute Student Dictionaries to classrooms and explore other ways to promote and support literacy.

MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT_____

Objective: To develop and execute strategies to involve the membership in actively inviting new members and retaining members, with focus on diversity of underrepresented groups and to promote active inclusivity within our club culture.

NS ROTARY ADVENTURES_____

Objective: To plan and execute events that bring disadvantaged youth the opportunity to learn and have fun.

PAST PRESIDENTS_____

Objective: To provide counsel to club leadership; lead orientation for new members; and select the recipient of the "William F. Tubbs Honor Rotarian Award".

PROGRAM AND VOCATION TALKS_____

Objective: To arrange interesting and timely speakers for club meetings, including Vocational Talks by members.

PUBLIC IMAGE_____

Objective: To create a positive public image for Rotary, including news media, signs, parades, trade shows, etc.

RALLIES FOR YOUTH AUCTION_____

Objective: To plan and execute the annual club dinner and auction fundraiser.

ROTARY FOUNDATION_____

Objective: Develop strategies to promote Every Rotarian Every Year giving to The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International, including Paul Harris Society, Peace Centers, PolioPlus, Benefactors and Bequest Society.

SCHOLARSHIPS_____

Objective: To make recommendations to the board for scholarship recipients.

SCHOOL SHOP_____

Objective: To work with social workers and school officials to provide useful items to students with special needs.

SOCIAL EVENT PLANNING_____

Objective: To plan activities that enhance fellowship and relations to club members; including holiday gatherings.

SOCIAL MEDIA/WEBSITE_____

Objective: To update the club social media accounts and website creating a professional and active media presence.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS_____

Objective: To organize club support for Special Olympics games.

YOUTH EXCHANGE_____

Objective: To promote involvement with the Rotary Youth Exchange program, Outbound and Inbound, including procuring and working with host families.

YOUTH HARVEST PARTY_____

Objective: To work with area Rotary clubs to provide underprivileged children an outing to a pumpkin patch, or other location, in the fall.

YOUTH SUPPORT PROGRAMS_____

Objective: To plan a spring club meeting to recognize Youth; to coordinate attendance of Junior Rotarians at club meetings; to identify students for District 6000 Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA); and promote and support Interact at North Scott.

WEEKLY MEETINGS_____

GREETERS_____

Objective: To arrange for greeters at each club function.

INSPIRATION/INVOCATION_____

Objective: To arrange for an inspirational message at club meetings, respecting the diversity of Rotary membership and promoting inclusivity.

MUSIC_____

Objective: To arrange for pianists and song leaders at club meetings.

SERGEANT AT ARMS_____

Objective: You know the objective. If you don't, "That'll be a dollar!"

SET-UP_____

Objective: To set up and tear down the room for meetings.

TECHNOLOGY_____

Objective: To set up the Zoom option and other tech needs at meetings; Also to research and provide solutions for improving our virtual connection with members and speakers.

JUNE 21: ROTARY ADVENTURES AT MODERN WOODMEN PARK



Rotarians and family members volunteering at "Rotary Adventures" at Modern Woodmen Park were, (l-r): Jeff Martens, Tracy Lindaman, Tyler Bindrum, Josie Cochuyt, Deanna Jensen-Valliere, Sydney Cochuyt, Dr. Fred Mulch, Tricia Kane, Drew Wilson, Becky Bray, Tom Messer, Danielle Hines, Charlie Jones, Evan Wilson, Bill Tubbs, Marcie Ordaz, Pat Olsen, Catherine Meinsma, Merle Anderson, Mary Lou Anderson, Mary Jo Olsen, Katie White, Mary Ann DeLuca, Dr. Pat DeLuca and Greg Schaapveld. Volunteering but not pictured were Jeremy Kaiser, Todd Gullickson, Tiffany Lensch, Rich Golinghorst, Dick Cole, Heather Wagner, Jeff Ashcraft and Theresa White and "Gracie," the therapy dog. Photo by Mike Fetterer

Adventures at the ballpark, thanks to North Scott Rotary



It didn't matter to these youngsters that June 21 was one of the hottest days of the summer. Some 300 children from youth programs in the Quad Cities enjoyed a day at Modern Woodmen Park, home of the Quad Cities River Bandits, compliments of the Rotary Club of North Scott. Children came from Family Resources, Davenport North YMCA, Davenport West YMCA, Hope at the Brick House, Boys and Girls Club Davenport, Boys and Girls Club Moline, and Project Renewal. At left, Rotary club president Pat Olsen and youth wave. With Davenport police also present, 32 Rotarians and family members helped the youth run the bases, ride the Ferris wheel, play in the bounce house and with the balloon art clown. The children were treated to a meal of hot dogs, chips and pop, and received a souvenir backpack with a water bottle and T-shirt. "Rotary Adventures" complemented the fall Youth Harvest Party at the pumpkin patch. Sponsors included the Quad Cities River Bandits and a Community Grant from The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International.

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CORN BOIL SIGNUP SHEET

What: North Scott Rotary’s Annual Corn Boil
Fresh sweet corn, grilled pork chops, fruits, vegetables, drinks, awesome desserts!!

When: Thursday, July 28, 2022—5:30 p.m.

Where: Eichelberger Building:: Mississippi Valley Fairgrounds
2815 W. Locust St., Davenport. (In case of rain, we will move inside the 4-H Building.)

Cost: Full dues members—
Spouses & Guests—To be determined

Rotarian Name	Guests

Leave at meeting or send to: Rotary Club of North Scott, PO Box 52, Eldridge, IA 52748