



# the SCOTTARIAN

*35 Years of Rotary Service*

*They profit most who serve the best*

**ROTARY CLUB OF NORTH SCOTT - BULLETIN**



Vol. 36 No. 32

www.northscottrotary.org e-mail NSRotary@aol.com

March 11, 2009

FRIDAY—AT THE STEEPLEGATE

## Larry G. Patten

### World Leadership Institute

James Patten, program host.



**Larry G. Patten**

Larry G. Patten's professional career includes over forty years in leadership, administration, and management in a broad range of fields including technology, education, government, as well as commercial and public broadcasting. He has also started several companies and has provided consulting programs and services with both profit and not-for-profit organizations.

His career began in high school when, at the age of sixteen, he started a custom audio recording company that in 1965 became the leading producer of custom phonograph records in the upper Midwest. Here in the Quad Cities he did records for both Central High School and Sudlow Junior High. Larry's diverse background includes Kirkwood Community College, CEO of Iowa Public Television, Teleconnect Company, General Assembly of the State of Iowa, and as a consultant to agencies of both the state and federal government

Larry G. Patten discovered his true passion for working with and improving people's lives and Developing Champion Organizations. Through his broad range of experience Larry brings new perspective to the ways we think about change. Change Happens, we all know this, yet it is how much we positively integrate that change into our life that matters.

Inspired by a drive to understand why some flourish while others flounder especially during those time of change has led Larry on a Journey to better understand What Matters Most, one of the cornerstones of the Champion Series Programs. His Champion series inspires self-reflective thinking around areas of our lives many of us struggle with every day.

**Rotary International President**

D. K. Lee; Seoul, South Korea

**Governor, Rotary District 6000**

Susan Herrick, Boone

Ass't Governor: Jim Stein, Muscatine

**Officers, Board of Directors**

July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009

President—Gary Lynch

Vice President, President-Elect—Charles I. Briegel

Vice President—Charles Jones

Secretary—Becky Bray

Treasurer—Walter W. and Steven C. Fahrenkrog

Sergeant-At-Arms—Gene Hoth

Past President (Ex-Officio) - Scott Kurtz

Executive Secretary—Dennis Peterson

**DIRECTORS:**

(Term expires 6/30/09).....(Term expires 6/30/10)

Roger Amhof.....Nancy Glawe

Jeff Helms ..... Bob Grove

Dr Teresa Paper .....Carolyn Scheibe

Stephen Suiter ..... Steve Swisher

**Makeup's at nearby Rotary Clubs**

Monday, Noon .....Clinton, Rastrelli's Restaurant, Lyons

Monday, Noon .....Davenport Outing Club, 2109 N. Brady St.

Monday, 12:10 pm..... Muscatine, Muscatine Holiday Inn

Monday, Noon ..... Moline, Calvary Church of the Quad Cities

Monday, 6:00 pm..... Quad Cities Illinois, 1530 5th Ave, Moline  
RT's Italian Village

Tuesday, 7:15 am ..... River Cities, Brothers Restaurant, Rapids City, IL

Tuesday, noon .....Rock Island, QC Botanical Center

Wednesday Noon ..... Bettendorf, Fortune Garden

Wednesday, Noon ..... Maquoketa, Eagle's

Wednesday, Noon ..... Tipton, Cedar Lanes Red Pin Lounge

Wednesday, 4:30 pm ..... Ridgcrest, 4134 Northwest Blvd, Davenport

Wednesday 5:00 pm .....Davenport Mini-Meet at Lunardi's

Thursday, 7:00 am..... Iowa Quad Cities, The Lodge, Bettendorf

Thursday, 12:15 pm.....East Moline, Christ United Methodist Church

Thursday, Noon ..... Milan, Milan Community Center, Hwy. 67

Friday Noon .....North Scott, Steeplegate Inn, Davenport

**ROTARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**Tuesday, March 10:** Rotary Reads 12:30  
John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue, IA

**Thursday, March 12:** Board Meeting: 7  
A.M. at the Steeplegate.

**Friday, March 13:** Program: Larry Patten,  
World Leadership Institute. James Patten,  
program host.

**March 14 – 22:** Xicotepec Project Team Trip.  
Anita Wubbena, Scott Kurtz and family  
participating.

**Friday, March 20:** Program: Club Business.  
Member Testimonial by Sheila Volrath. Paul  
Harris Fellows and other member awards given.

**Tuesday, March 24:** Rotary Reads 12:30  
John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue, IA

**Tuesday, March 24:** New Member  
Orientation 6:30-8:00 P.M. Scott County Library,  
Eldridge, IA. Presented by Bob Bainter.

**Friday, March 27:** Program: Roger  
Fuerstenberg and Jim Thyne: Hot Air Ballooning  
– The Chase. Becky Bray, program hostess.  
Students present from North Scott High School.

**Friday, March 27:** President Elect training,  
10:00 A.M. – 8:30 P.M., DMACC Campus,  
Newton, IA

**Saturday, March 28:** District Training  
Assembly, 7:30 A.M. – 1:30 P.M., DMACC  
Campus, Newton, IA

**Sunday, March 30:** D6000 Outbound Youth  
Exchange Training, Simpson College, Pella, IA

**Friday, April 3:** Program: Shawn Hamerlinck:  
State Senator, Scott County. Becky Bray,  
program hostess. Member testimonial.  
Birthday cake served. Students present from  
Davenport Assumption High School.

**Saturday, April 4:** Special Olympics: Track  
& Field at North Scott Schools. Opening  
Ceremonies at 9:00 A.M.

**Thursday, April 9:** Board Meeting: 7 A.M. at  
the Steeplegate.

**Friday, April 10:** Club Assembly: Discuss  
items and committees for next Rotary year, lead  
by Chuck Briegel.

**Thursday, April 16:** RYLA conference at  
Camp Dodge, Des Moines, IA 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

**Friday, April 17:** Program: Joel Himsl,  
Garrison Manager of the Rock Island Arsenal.  
Mary Ellen Chamberlin, program hostess.

**Friday, April 24:** Program: Richard Cole,  
pictures and comments on his two trips to  
Russia. Students present from Davenport North  
High School.

**April 23-25:** District Conference in Ankeny, at  
the new Courtyard by Marriott. Register at:  
[www.district6000conference.com](http://www.district6000conference.com) Only \$100 for  
the whole conference, register before Mar 14.

**Up Coming Items to Remember**

**New Member Orientation Tues March 24**

**Pets, District Assembly March 27 to 28**

**Special Olympics, Softball, April 4**

**District Conference, Ankeny IA, April 23 to 25**

## **MAKE-UPS TURNED IN**

Makeup's count 2 weeks before and after a meeting date. A list of opportunities appear elsewhere in this newsletter. Be sure and turn them in to Dennis.

March 3: Merle Anderson: Tucson, AZ Sunset Club  
March 3: Keith Mattke: Tempe, AZ Rotary Club  
March 3: Jan Trimble, Deanna Jensen, Adam Kerns, Randy Zobrist, John Maxwell: Rotary Reads  
March 4: Hank Runge, George White, Gene Hoth, Angela Reese: Mini Meet at Ridgecrest  
March 5: Elza Sager: Rotary Eclub  
March 7: Angela Ganzer-Bovitz: Rotary Eclub  
March 7: Dennis Peterson, Bob Bainter: Youth Exchange  
March 8: Dennis Peterson, Bill Tubbs: Youth Exchange

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

March 13: Set up/Tear down: Steve Swisher; Greeters: Cody Allen & Julia Blazevic; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Invocation: Jim Koehler; Sergeant: John Maxwell  
March 20: Set up/Tear down: Dick Cole; Greeters: James Patten & Chris Connelly; Song Leader: Jody Johnston-Mohr; Invocation: Kellie Esters; Sergeant: Eric Langan  
March 27: Set up/Tear down: Al Tank; Greeters: Kellie Esters & Tom Messer; Song Leader: Mike Thavenet; Invocation: Rev. Roger Butts; Sergeant: Kelly Meyer  
April 3: Set up/Tear Down: Don Brandt; Greeters: Marian Petersen & Paul Seelau; Song Leader: Jeff Ashcraft; Invocation: Steve Powell; Sergeant: Anita Wubbena  
April 10: Set up/Tear down: Lee Ittenbach; Greeters: Rich Golinghorst & Jan Trimble; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Invocation: Nancy Glawe; Sergeant: Mike Thavenet

## **ROTARY READS ASSIGNMENTS**

**John Glenn Elementary School  
Donahue, IA 12:30 to 12:50 PM**  
Please be a few minutes early!

March 10: Dennis Rucker, Eric Langan  
March 12: Mickey the Medic  
March 24: Eric Langan, John Maxwell

## **NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION**

Bob Bainter will be conducting a new member orientation meeting on Tuesday, March 24, 2009 at 6:30 P.M. at the Eldridge branch of the Scott County Library. Those who need to attend are: Adam Kerns, Angela Ganzer-Bovitz, David Schnorrenberg, Deanna Jensen, Donna Seiver, Joy Rasche, Leo McGarry, Margo McInnis, Maureen Baldwin & Rachelle Troje. This is one of the requirements to obtain a permanent blue badge. Bob will explain the history of Rotary, the projects the club participates in, the social functions the club has and various aspects of ROTARY itself. Please plan to attend and bring your spouse! Call Bob (285-4748) if you have any questions.

## **SPECIAL OLYMPICS – Track & Field**

Every spring, the East Area Spring Games for the special education students are held at North Scott Schools. These Special Olympic Games are attended by many students from the eastern section of Iowa. Therefore, many volunteers are needed to help organize and keep track of the participants. Kelly Meyer is the chair person from North Scott Rotary and she needs volunteers. Yellow sign up sheets are available at the Friday meetings. Please consider volunteering your time. Opening ceremonies are held at 9 A.M in the school and the games begin shortly thereafter. Family members are also welcome to help!

# NOR SCOTTARIAN

Periodical Postage Paid at Eldridge, Iowa

## ROTARY CLUB OF NORTH SCOTT

PO Box 52  
Eldridge, IA 52748

NorScottarian (USPS 339-290) is published weekly except the weeks of July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving and the week between Christmas and New Year's, for \$5 per year by the Rotary Club of North Scott, PO Box 52, Eldridge, IA 52748. Periodicals postage paid at Eldridge, IA 52748 POSTMASTER: Send address changes to NorScottarian, PO Box 52, Eldridge, IA 52748

## BILL GLUBA, Mayor of Davenport

Mayor Bill Gluba informed 58 Rotarians and guests of the accomplishments that he has made to the City of Davenport, since he has been in office this past year. He has ended the bickering that was taking place at City Hall. He appointed Gene Meeker to the committee of economic development, reduced overtime and cut down on training costs. Thirty positions were not filled when employees either quit or retired. The new budget was approved without any lay offs or increase in property tax.

His concerns are that \$281 million dollars are in the budget for improvements to streets and sewers, over the next six years. Only one new house was built in Davenport in January, 2009. The population of Davenport increased by 94 people in 2008, but he believes that one half of the 94 are homeless. New projects that are pending are the street extension between 65<sup>th</sup> & Brady to Eastern Ave. Also, the building of another new library in the area of 53<sup>rd</sup> & Eastern.

Chuck Briegel presided over the business meeting. Lee Ittenbach did the set up, Tom Bylund was the greeter, Jeff Ashcraft was the song leader and John Maxwell gave the invocation. Randy Zobrist was the sergeant and raised \$15 in fines. He also welcomed back Ann Hanson, as a server for the Steeplegate. Becky Bray introduced guests Mary Macumber-Schmidt, guest of Anita Wubbena, Russ Williams, counselor

from Davenport North High School and students, Walter Hickman & Joe Kern.

Since it was the first Friday in March, birthdays were celebrated. \$19 was collected for the education fund from cake sales. Nina Golden gave \$20 to the education fund in honor of her son attending the Youth Leadership conference in Washington, D.C. John Maxwell had visited Elza & Teri Sager in South Texas and gave the club greetings from Elza. Bill Tubbs promoted the Davenport Chordbusters Annual Spring Show on March 14 at the Capitol Theatre. Tickets are \$15 and he welcomed everyone to attend. Bert Vigen will be chaperoning the second Honor Flight as a guardian with a Ridgecrest residence on April 15. Otto Stender participated in the first honor flight several weeks ago.

Many important dates, meetings and training sessions are coming up throughout the District. Please check the calendar and plan to participate when you can.

Student bios: Walter Hickman is from Davenport and the son of Bennie & Alberta Hickman. He participates in basketball and hopes to study business in college. Joe Kern is also from Davenport and the son of Kim Chant and Greg Kern. He is in football, wrestling, baseball, acceleration and fellowship of Christian Athletes. Both boys attend Davenport North High School.