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FRIDAY—AT CASI

## Russian Children's Choir Golden Gates Singers



The "Golden Gates" group was created in 1993. Children from Author's Aesthetic-Music secondary school 435 with profound subjects of Music and Aesthetic Culture became first members of the group. The center of the intellectual-creative preschool children development "Umka" was the first sponsor of the project. The group's name is symbolic. Through the Traditional Russian

songs we are open our hearts and souls, knowledge of our source as gold. Since 1993 the "Golden Gates" group took a part of many different cultural events, folk festivals and concerts in Russia as well as across Europe. Awards from many competitions to "Golden Gates" recognize the children's group as the one of the most talented, exceptional and traditional ambassadors of the Russian folk culture by children. At present time ages of the children vary from 12 to 19 years old. Marina Tourlygina is director of the group. Concert program includes songs, rituals, folk stores and games with elements or moving and dance that has been carefully researched and recreated in performance. Moscow Nights/Golden Gates will be touring with dancers for this tour. Group will be performing traditional dances from Russia and Ukraine, thrilling your audiences with their skillful virtuosity, colorful costumes, syncopation of footwork, and gymnastic leaping of foot-stomping ferocity.

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**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, Hotel Muscatine 101 W. Miss Dr  
 Monday, Noon .....Moline, Christ The King Church  
 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 .....Ridgecrest, 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**

**Thursday, January 14:** Board Meeting, 7 A.M. at the Steeplegate.

**January 14:** Golden Gates Russian Group arrive at Cracker Barrel 6:00 P.M. Rotary home hosts pick up guests. Bylund, Bredbeck, Shipman, Meyer, Mulch, Keppy, Pasheev.

**Friday, January 15:** Meeting at **CASI CENTER** on West Kimberly. Golden Gates Russian Group entertainment. Meal at noon, show at 12:30. Do **NOT** come to the Steeplegate. Bring a guest for only \$10.00 (lunch). Serge Pasheev, program host.

**Saturday, January 16:** 12:30 P.M. Machine Shed: Golden Gates Group, Home Hosts and ALL Rotarians welcome for lunch. Members pay own lunch.

**January 16 & 17:** Youth Exchange Winter Retreat at Camp Wesley Woods, Indianola, IA

**Sunday, January 17:** 3:00 P.M. Golden Gates Russian Group perform at North Scott High School. Free Will offering.

**Tuesday, January 19:** 12:40 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue, IA.

**Friday, January 22:** Program: Ida Johnson, United Neighbors. Margo McInnis, program host. Students

present from Davenport North High School.

**Tuesday, January 26:** 12:40 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue, IA

**Friday, January 29:** Program: Anne Prinze, The Zither Movement. Mary Ellen Chamberlin, program host.

**Tuesday, February 2:** 12:40 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue, IA

**Friday, February 5:** Program: Dr. Bharat Motwani – Community Health Care Regional Virology Center. Dr. Brad Burt, program host. February birthdays celebrated. Students present from North Scott High School.

**Saturday, February 6:** 9:00 A.M. Special Olympics, Basketball Skills & Basketball Team Competitions. North Scott High School, Eldridge. Kelly Meyer, Chair.

**Tuesday, February 9:** 12:40 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue, IA

**Thursday, February 11:** Board Meeting, 7 A.M. at the Steeplegate.

**Friday, February 12:** Special Valentine Lunch, Jody Johnston-Mohr, Chair. Details TBA.

**Friday, February 19:** Tara Barney & Rick Baker: Iowa/Illinois Chamber Alliance. Mary Ellen Chamberlin, program host. Students present from Davenport Assumption High School.

**Tuesday, February 23:** 12:40 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue, IA

**MAKE-UPS TURNED IN**

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

- Dec. 2: Teresa Paper: Mini Meet at Ridgecrest
- Dec. 8: Bill Tubbs: Maquoketa Rotary Club
- Dec. 22: Teresa Paper: Rotary Eclub (x3)
- Dec. 30: Bill Tubbs: Maquoketa Rotary Club
- Jan. 4: Serge Pasheev: Golden Gates Program
- Jan. 5: Paul Kalainoff: Youth Exchange
- Jan. 6: Kellie Esters: Bettendorf Rotary Club
- Jan. 6: Bob Fox, Don Brandt: Mini Meet at Ridgecrest
- Jan. 7: Paul Kalainoff, Dennis Peterson: Interview Youth Exchange Student
- Jan. 7: Sheila Volrath, Anita Wubbena: School Shop: Boots & gloves presented to Neil Armstrong Elementary
- Jan. 8: Merle Anderson: Catalina Rotary Club, Tucson, AZ
- Jan. 8: Jan Trimble, Teresa Paper, Kellie Esters, Chuck Briegel: New Ideas Committee Meeting
- Jan. 8: Jody Johnston-Mohr, Mary Macumber-Schmidt, Mardy Morrow, Julia Blazevec, Scott Case, Angela Reese, Dennis Peterson, Chuck Briegel: Social Committee Meeting
- Jan. 8: Serge Pasheev: Golden Gates Program
- Jan. 9: John Maxwell: Rotary Reads schedule
- Jan. 9: Angela Ganzer-Bovitz: Rotary Eclub
- Jan. 10: Rob White: Rotary Eclub (x4)

## ASSIGNMENTS

January 15: Meeting at CASI..Invocation: Scott Case

January 22: Set up/Tear down: Deb Hughes; Greeters: Joy Rasche & Carolyn Scheibe; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Invocation: Adam Kerns; Sergeant: Anita Wubbena

January 29: Set up/Tear down: Lee Ittenbach; Greeters: Leroy Paustian & Marian Petersen; Song Leader: Jeff Ashcraft; Invocation: Jim Koehler; Sergeant: Randy Zobrist

February 5: Set up/Tear down: Al Tank; Greeters: Roger Amhof & Chris Connolly; Song Leader: Mike Thavenet; Invocation: John Maxwell; Sergeant: Jeff Ashcraft

## ROTARY READS ASSIGNMENTS

January 12: Nancy Glawe, Jack Schinckel, Randy Zobrist

January 19: Teresa Paper, Brad Burt, Eric Langan, James Patten, Jeremy Kaiser

January 26: Don Brandt

## THANK YOU'S RECEIVED

December 23, 2009

Rotary Club of North Scott

Dear Chuck and my fellow Rotarians;

Thank you for impacting the lives of many great children and their families. Thank you for all you do for the community!

On behalf of the entire Scott County Family Y and the thousands of children and families we serve, please accept our sincere appreciation for your recent \$1000 gift to the 2010 Partner with Youth/Kids-to-Camp annual campaign. Your support enables your YMCA to continue our commitment to include all children and families regardless of their financial situation. We are meeting this challenge while expanding and providing more character development programs and services throughout our community to an even greater number of very deserving children and families, many of whom are facing financial challenges.

Again, thank you for your generous support! You are truly making a difference!

Sincerely,

Frank J. Klipsch, President/CEO  
Scott County Family Y

December 30, 2009

Rotary Club of North Scott

Dear Friends at North Scott Rotary,

Thank you for your generous gift of \$500. Your gifts help us to continue our year round, people helping programs in the Quad Cities. Your support means so many different things to the hurting neighbors we help.

-To a struggling family coming to us for the first time, your gift is the discovery of new hope when the utility bill can be paid.

-And to a homeless single mother, it is a clean bed, nutritious food, and a chance for a fresh start at life.

-To an elderly woman, too frail to go out, it is a friendly visit and the knowledge that someone cares.

-To a child of poverty, it is school supplies and a new pack back, or a pair of new shoes.

Thank you again for your kind and compassionate gift. It will provide vital assistance to people experiencing difficult times.

Happy New Year,  
David C. Luft, Major  
The Salvation Army

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North Scott Rotary,

Your kind and thoughtful expression of sympathy is deeply appreciated and gratefully acknowledged.

The family of Myrtle Keppy thanks you for your thoughtfulness. The flowers you sent were beautiful and appreciated.

Our parents enjoyed Rotary members and their activities. Glen Keppy and family

## CONGRATULATIONS!

CODY ALLEN, Investment & Trust Officer at Northwest Bank & Trust Company's Investment Management Group, was recently awarded the Certified Retirement Services Professional (CRSP) designation from the Institute of Certified Bankers, a subsidiary of the American Bankers Association. The CRSP designation is awarded to individuals who demonstrate excellence in the field of retirement services.

Cody has over eight years experience in the financial industry. He has attended the Cannon Trust School for administration and retirement planning and received his undergraduate business degree from Clarke College in Dubuque. His responsibilities include business development, new customer relationships, and retirement administration for Northwest Bank & Trust Company's Investment Management Group. Cody is also a member of the North Scott Rotary.

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GLEN KEPPEY was inducted into the Iowa Cooperative Hall of Fame at the Iowa Institute of Cooperatives' Annual Meeting in Ames in November, 2009. Glen has served on numerous boards at the local, state and national levels. He has served on the River Valley Cooperative Board, the CHS and CHS Foundation Boards. Glen was appointed in 2006 by President Bush as the assistant administrator for the Farm Service Agency for the Department of Agriculture.

Glen has been active in his community by working with inner city youth in Davenport and is an active member of North Scott Rotary. Glen and his family operate grain and livestock farms in Scott County.

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### Last Week – Jill Esbaum – January 8, 2010

Jill Esbaum from rural Dixon, took an adult education class at Scott Community College thirteen years ago called the ABC's of children's books. She was determined to become a children's book author, no matter how much rejection she received. She quickly found out that getting a book published was about as likely as winning the lottery or getting struck by lightning. The first thing that she had accepted was a poem. She was excited over that and sent in many more poems, just to have them rejected. When Jill finally had a manuscript accepted, it was still a long time before it actually came out in hard cover. A person had to be found to illustrate the book and his work had to be approved by her.

Jill now has five children's books published with a sixth one coming out soon. She also authors a nonfiction picture book series for National Geographic. These are soft cover books and one about spring is due out soon. Jill frequently speaks at book festivals and conferences around the Midwest. She loves to read and keep up with her other literary friends, via her regular blogs at [www.jillesbaum.com](http://www.jillesbaum.com).

78 members and guests were present on Friday. Visiting Rotarians present were: Chelsea Powers from the Bettendorf club and Bill Burress from the Davenport club. Other guests were: Leo Pasheev, father of Serge Pasheev, Jean Schinckel, Annette Tank and Bernice Meier, all wives of Rotarians. Birthday cake was served and \$30 was added to the education fund. Don Brandt also gave \$100 to the education fund.

John Maxwell announced that the next round of Rotary Reads begins on Tuesday, January 12 at John Glenn Elementary School in Donahue, Iowa. The reading begins at 12:40 P.M. to the first and second graders. This project will continue for 10 weeks. John is making phone calls, asking for volunteers. He would like to have 4 readers

every week. Blue sign up sheets will be at the meetings for a few weeks, so PLEASE sign up to help. Counts as a make up!

Serge told about the Russian dance group that is arriving on January 14. They will be the program for Rotary on Friday, January 15. (At CASI). They will also give a concert at North Scott High School on Sunday, January 17, at 3:00 P.M. The Golden Gates Group is raising money to purchase a van in Russia to transport them to their obligations.

Kelly Meyer is taking volunteers for the Special Olympic Basketball skills on Saturday, February 6, also at North Scott High School. Blue badges were awarded to Mardy Morrow and Mary Macumber-Schmidt. Steve Fahrenkrog and Dorothy White received gift cards as a Thank you from the club, for all the volunteer time they give the club.

Eric Langan was the sergeant and collected \$27 in fines. Harlan paid \$10 because he got a new F150 truck from his wife. Eric asked if they would adopt him and buy him one too! Others had to pay who had been south and were leaving early.

### **The 4 Way Test** **Of the things we THINK SAY or DO**

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?