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FRIDAY—AT THE STEEPLEGATE

Kurt Lokenvitz

Hertz Farm Management



Kurt joined Hertz Farm Management in July 2008 as Vice President of Corporate Marketing, working out of the company's Geneseo, IL office. He graduated from the University of Iowa in 1993, and has spent the last 15 years working in advertising and marketing with a wide variety of companies across the country.

In his position, Kurt is responsible for overall brand management, as well as supervising all marketing efforts including advertising, direct mail, online, sponsorships, seminars and trade shows. Kurt grew up in eastern Iowa and spent much of his childhood on his grandparents' farms in north-central Iowa. In his efforts to continually understand the needs of the industry, Kurt regularly attends numerous agriculture outlook seminars and classes. He is a member of the National AgriMarketing Association, American Marketing Association and is active in the Bettendorf Rotary Club.

Rotary Area Wide Meeting with Past RI President Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar Iowa Wireless Center

North Scott Attendees: Charlie Jones, Chuck Briegel, Steve Suiter, Walt Bredbeck, Bill Tubbs, Dennis Peterson, Ken Tank, Kim Wilkins, John Pheiffer, and others.

By PDG Bill Tubbs/North Scott

Excerpted from Eldridge North Scott Press. Polio, a disease that crippled 9,193 Iowans and claimed the lives of 388 in this state in the 1950s is on its last legs, a past president of Rotary International told Quad City Rotarians Dec. 13. Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar, of Göteborg, Sweden, served as worldwide president of Rotary in 2005-06. He was in the Quad Cities as one of several prominent Swedes invited to help Augustana College celebrate its 150th anniversary.

In a meeting attended by 240 at the i-wireless Center in Moline, Stenhammar said the case count is significantly lower this year in the four remaining countries where the wild polio virus is endemic. In India, there have been just 40 new cases of polio compared with 659 last year; in Nigeria, 13 compared with 386; and Afghanistan, 22 compared with 31. There is difficulty in Pakistan this year due to flooding, but the overall trend points toward global eradication – a goal of Rotary International since 1987. Rotary is ahead of schedule in its \$200 million challenge to match \$355 million from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, but that is the tip of the iceberg, said Stenhammar. When eradication is achieved, hopefully by the end of 2012, Rotary will have raised \$900 million of the \$5 billion cost.

"Polio has been and will be Rotary's top priority until it is solved. This is our program. We started it and we are in the driver's seat," said Stenhammar as he acknowledged worldwide support and partnerships.

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Makeup's at nearby Rotary Clubs

Monday, NoonClinton, Rastrelli's Restaurant, Lyons
 Monday, NoonDavenport Outing Club, 2109 N. Brady St.
 Monday, 12:10 pm.....Muscatine, Hotel Muscatine 101 W. Miss Dr
 Monday, NoonMoline, 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, noonRock 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 pmDavenport 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 NoonNorth Scott, Steeplegate Inn, Davenport

ROTARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, January 13: 7:00 A.M. Board Meeting at the Steeplegate
Friday, January 14: Program: Kurt Lokenvitz from Hertz Farm Management. Margo McInnis, Program Host.
January 15-16: D6000 Youth Exchange Winter Retreat at Camp Wesley Woods, Indianola, Iowa
Tuesday, January 18: 12:30 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary, Donahue, IA. John Maxwell, Chair.
Friday, January 21: Program: Kristi Crafton, Executive Director of Habitat for Humanity. Jack Schinckel, Program Host. Students present from Davenport North. Induction of new member, Marty O'Boyle.
Tuesday, January 25: 12:30 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary, Donahue, IA. John Maxwell, Chair.
Friday, January 28: Program: Steven C. Bahls, President, Augustana College. Bill Tubbs, Program Host.
Tuesday, February 1: 12:30 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary, Donahue, IA. John Maxwell, Chair.

Friday, February 4: Program: Speaker from Isabel Bloom. Margo McInnis, Program Host. Students present from North Scott High School. February Birthdays celebrated.

Saturday, February 5: 9:00 A.M. East Area Special Olympics Basketball Skills at North Scott High School Gym.

Tuesday, February 8: 12:30 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary, Donahue, IA. John Maxwell, Chair.

Thursday, February 10: 7:00 A.M. Board Meeting at the Steeplegate.

Friday, February 11: Special Valentine Lunch at the Steeplegate. More details available soon. Jody Johnston-Mohr, Chair.

Tuesday, February 15: 12:30 P.M. Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary, Donahue, IA. John Maxwell, Chair.

Friday, February 18: Program: Douglas Johnson, USDA Conservationist. Jack Schinckel, Program Host. Students present from Davenport Assumption High School.

MAKE-UPS TURNED IN

December 17: Scott Case, Steve Fahrenkrog, Chris Connolly, Serge Pasheev, Adam Kerns: Lunch at Steeplegate
 January 5: Nancy Glawe: Mini Meet at Ridgecrest
 January 5: Bill Tubbs: D6000 WCS Grants Committee
 January 5: John Maxwell: Phone calls/planning Rotary Reads
 January 7: Jody Johnston-Mohr, Jan Trimble, Mardy Morrow, Deb Hughes, Mike Thavenet: Social Committee Meeting
 January 11: Jan Trimble, Jeff Schwiebert: Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary, Donahue

ASSIGNMENTS

January 14: Set up/Tear down: Lorraine Lynch; Greeters: Jeff Helms & Carolyn Scheibe; Invocation: John Pheiffer; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Sergeant: Eric Langan
January 21: Set up/Tear down: Don Brandt; Greeters: Deb Hughes & Steve Swisher; Invocation: Steve Powell; Song Leader: TBA; Sergeant: Kelly Meyer

January 28: Set up/Tear Down: Dick Cole;
Greeters: Regen Johnson and Roger Amhof;
Invocation: Jim Koehler; Song Leader: Mike
Thavenet; Sergeant: John Maxwell

February 4: Set up/Tear down: Lee Ittenbach;
Greeters; Jody Johnston-Mohr & Roger Amhof;
Invocation: Jim Koehler; Song Leader: Jody
Johnston-Mohr; Sergeant: Gene Hoth

February 11: Valentine Lunch: Set up/Tear
down: Glen Keppy; Greeters: Fred Mulch & Jan
Trimble; Invocation: Adam Kerns; Song Leader:
Angela Reese

February 18: Set up/Tear down: Steve Swisher;
Greeters: Mike Auliff & Leroy Paustian;
Invocation: John Pheiffer; Song Leader: Jody
Johnston-Mohr; Sergeant: John Maxwell

**WELCOME NEW MEMBER
JEROME (JERRY) COUSSENS**



Jerry Coussens & Sponsor Jim Smith

Jerry Coussens joined Rotary last Friday, January 7, 2011. He is a remodeling contractor and president and general manager of J.D. Coussens, Inc. in Davenport. He was proposed and introduced by his friend, Jim Smith.

Jerry is from New Liberty and farmed there with his father until 1983. At that time he became a carpenter and has built a successful business since then. Jerry has been married to his wife, Julia for 32 years, has 3 sons & a daughter. He builds airplanes for a hobby and is a member of the Aircraft Association, as well as NAHB Remodel Counsel.

THANK YOU'S RECEIVED

Dear Rotarians,
I appreciate the Christmas gift given to me. I look forward to serving as your treasurer in the future.

Steve Fahrenkrog

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Dear Rotary Club-

Thank you so much for the donation of winter coats. We will definitely use them at Fillmore. Thank you for thinking of our school. God bless all of you.

Sincerely,
Fillmore Elementary School
7307 N. Pacific Street
Davenport, IA

**Fun in South Texas
Elza Sager**



Elza Writes:

Had an opportunity to play with Don Mullen from Mountain View, Arkansas. He played with Grandpa Jones for 8-9 years and has been touring with his own band for the past 20 years. Don is the guy in the pictures with the long beard, does mostly comedy stuff and is quite an entertainer. I'm sure I'll get the chance to play with him again this winter, now we'll have to stop and see him in Mt. View sometime this summer. As you can tell, we are having lots of fun in the South Texas Tropics!

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Meeting Notes January 7, 2011

Jerry Jones, Executive Director of Martin Luther King Center

Mr. Jones has been employed by The City of Rock Island, with the MLK Center since 1998. He first was the youth program coordinator and since 2001 has been the executive director.

Jerry has been married for 17 years to Kathy and has an 8 year old son and a 6 year old daughter. He is guiding the MLK center on its mission in promoting opportunities for a diverse population through a variety of services. Jones has also participated in numerous task forces for the Rock Island/Milan School District #41 and The City of Rock Island towards the strengthening and betterment of the Rock Island Community. Children and teens, ages 5-14, attend the MLK center at no charge after school. About 60-65 come every day and eat a balanced meal before returning home. This improves their attitudes and skills. They receive help with homework and the older kids help the younger ones with special projects. The MLK depends on grants for their working capital. They are currently building an addition and renovation which will be completed in 2012. The center will be able to serve 200 youth upon completion. They employ 5 full time people and use a host of volunteers.

President Charlie thanked Jody for planning a wonderful holiday party. He also announced that Jim Koehler is the club's

candidate for the Paul Hellwege "Guardian of Integrity" Award. He also mentioned the resignation of Jeff Ashcraft and gave an update on the coat project.

Dick Cole will be collecting soft cover books in February for donation to the Scott County Jail. Bill Tubbs told about a project fair that he may attend in Mexico. Becky Bray encouraged women to attend a conference for rural women on February 10-11 at the Isle Casino in Bettendorf. Rotary Reads began on Tuesday, January 11 at John Glenn Elementary. John Maxwell is currently vacationing in South America, but arranged enough readers for January before he left. A few February and March dates are available.

Dr. Anita was the sergeant and collected \$21 in fine money. January birthdays were celebrated and \$20 was collected in cake money. Attendance was 65 members and guests.

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?