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*They profit most who serve the best*

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FRIDAY—AT THE STEEPLEGATE

## Member Vocational Program

Mardy Morrow & Adam Kerns



Mardy Morrow started out in sales and marketing in the hospitality industry and did so for over 16 years; in 2006 she went back to school in Owatonna Minnesota. Currently has 5 years Insurance experience in Property and Casualty, Employee Benefits and Medical Mal Practice. Mardy has been with Ruhl and Ruhl/Two Rivers Insurance for almost 3 years. Enjoys spending time with daughter Tonimarie, who is 12 and is involved in sports, choir, and performing arts. In Mardy's free time, you can find her volunteering at a local charity or community events.



Adam Kerns has been with Ruhl & Ruhl Insurance since the beginning of this year. He has 5 years of experience in the Insurance industry to include working with companies on insuring both the property and casualty and employee benefits. He has a finance degree from the University of Northern Iowa. Adam is happily married to his wife Kim for 2 years and they reside in Parkview.

Along with being a Rotary member, Adam serves on the board of the local toastmasters club, young adult leader at the Vineyard church, and volunteers for Big Brothers Big Sisters. In his free time, he enjoys being outdoors which involves anything from hunting and fishing to running. He also enjoys candlelight dinners and long walks on the beach with his wife.

**Rotary International President**  
**Ray Klinginsmith, United States**  
**Governor, Rotary District 6000**  
 Gary Welch, Ankeny  
 Ass't Governor: Becky Eiting, Davenport  
**Officers, Board of Directors**  
 July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011  
 President—Charlie Jones  
 Vice President, President-Elect—Becky Bray  
 Vice President—John Maxwell  
 Secretary—Steve Suiter  
 Treasurer—Steven C. Fahrenkrog  
 Sergeant-At-Arms—Gene Hoth  
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 Executive Secretary—Dennis Peterson

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 (Term expires 6/30/11).....(Term expires 6/30/12)  
 Eric Langan..... Cody Allen  
 Serge Pashev ..... Dr Brad Burt  
 Jan Trimble..... Kellie Esters  
 Kim Wilkins..... James Patten

**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 ..... 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

**NORTH SCOTT ROTARY  
 CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**Friday, March 4:** Membership Committee Meeting at 11:15 A.M. to discuss participation in Pilot Membership Program at the International level. Kellie Esters, Chair.  
**Friday, March 4:** Program: Mardy Morrow & Adam Kerns with Ruhl & Ruhl Insurance. Member Vocational Program. Students present from Davenport North High School. March Birthdays celebrated.  
**Friday-Saturday, March 4-5:** North Central Multi-District President Elect Training. All day Friday to Noon Saturday at Grand River Center, Dubuque, IA.  
**Tuesday, March 8:** 12:30 P.M. Final Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary, Donahue, IA. John Maxwell, Chair.  
**Thursday, March 10:** 7:00 A.M. Board Meeting at the Steeplegate.  
**Friday, March 11:** Program: Kim Crosby and Emily Jepsen with Big Brothers Big Sisters. Margo McInnis, Program Host.  
**Friday, March 18:** Regular Meeting-- Program: TBA  
**Friday, March 25:** Program: Brock Earnhardt, Davenport Rotarian, International Rotary Projects,

including Nigeria well project partially funded by North Scott Rotary. Bill Tubbs, Program Host. Students present from North Scott High School.

**Sunday, March 27:** Rotary Youth Exchange Outbound Student Orientation 9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M. at Central College, Pella, Iowa. Paul Kalainoff, Chairman.  
**Friday, April 1:** Program: Dr. Jordon Cohen with the University of Iowa. Margo McInnis, Program Host. Students present from Davenport Assumption. April Birthdays celebrated.

**Friday, April 8:** Club Assembly with President Elect, Becky Bray. Becky will present her projects and goals for her presidential year and encourage members to select committees they wish to serve on.

**Saturday, April 9:** East Area Special Olympics Track & Field, Softball throw at North Scott Junior High. Opening ceremonies at 9:00 A.M. Competition begins at 10:00 A.M.

**Tuesday, April 12:** Rotary Youth Leadership Award Seminar, 9:15 A.M.-3:15 P.M. at Hope Lutheran Church, West Des Moines. North Scott Rotary will send 6 sophomore students total, from 3 High Schools. Paul Seelau will chaperone on the bus.

**Thursday, April 14:** 7:00 A.M. Board Meeting at the Steeplegate.

**Friday, April 15:** Program: Christa Merritt, Generations Area Agency on Aging. Margo McInnis, Program Host.

**Thursday-Saturday, April 28-30:** Rotary D6000 Conference at Courtyard by Marriott, Ankeny, IA. More details when become available.

**MAKE-UPS TURNED IN**

February 21: Lorraine Lynch, Steve Powell, Dick Cole, Jack Schinckel, Jeff Helms, Paul Seelau: Lunch with Chuck Grassley at the Steeplegate  
 February 24: Bill Tubbs: Rotary Club of Naples (FL) Sunset  
 February 26-27: Paul Kalainoff, Dennis Peterson, Charlie Jones: Youth Exchange Retreat at the Clarion  
 February 28: Nancy Glawe, Dennis Peterson, Paul Seelau: Communications with schools concerning RYLA conference  
 March 1: Margo McInnis, Regen Johnson: Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary School

**ASSIGNMENTS**

March 4: Set up/Tear down: Don Brandt; Greeters: Dick Cole & Joy Schneckloth; Invocation: Jan Trimble; Song Leader: Mike Thavenet; Sergeant: Kelly Meyer  
March 11: Set up/Tear down: Dick Cole; Greeters: Chris Connolly & Bill Puck; Invocation: Jim Koehler; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Sergeant: Eric Langan  
March 18: Set up/Tear down: Lee Ittenbach; Greeters:

Carolyn Scheibe & Roger Amhof; Invocation: Adam Kerns; Song Leader: Angela Reese; Sergeant: Gene Hoth

March 25: Set up/Tear down: Glen Keppy; Greeters: Jeff Helms & Jack Schinckel; Invocation: John Pheiffer; Song Leader: Jody Johnston-Mohr; Sergeant: John Maxwell

April 1: Set up/Tear down: Steve Swisher; Greeters: Deb Hughes & Jim Smith; Invocation: Steve Powell; Song Leader: TBA; Sergeant: Dr. Anita Wubbena

April 8: Set up/Tear down: Lorraine Lynch; Greeters: Regen Johnson & Steve Swisher; Invocation: Jan Trimble; Song Leader: TBA; Sergeant: Kelly Meyer

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Paul Kalainoff Isabela from Spain Rita & Charlie Jones

## MARCH BIRTHDAYS

March 2: Bill Puck  
March 7: Bob Grove  
March 9: Dr. Bradley Burt  
March 11: Paul Seelau  
March 16: Charlie Jones  
March 18: Sheila Volrath  
March 20: Pete Wislander

Happy Birthday to these Rotarians. Enjoy a free piece of Birthday Cake. All others pay \$1.00 for a piece.

## ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE

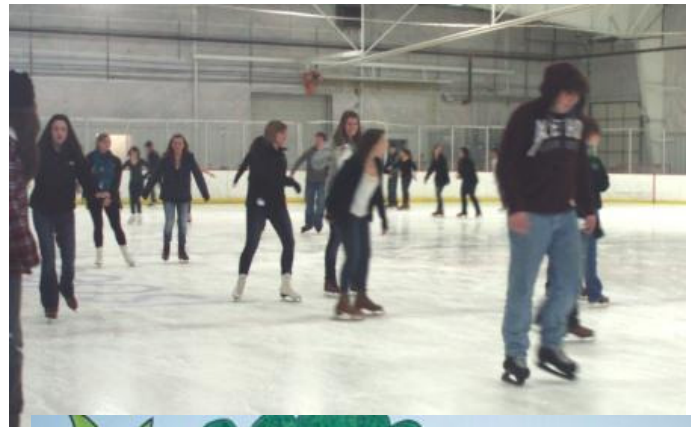
The North Scott Rotary Club is proud to be sponsoring Nat Gaston as an outbound exchange student leaving in August, 2011. Nat is a senior at Davenport West High School and is the son of Lee and Lisa Gaston. He will be going to Ecuador. His sister, Eleanor Gaston was also sponsored by North Scott in 2009, when she spent 10 months in Argentina. Paul Kalainoff is responsible for placing all the students to the various countries.

### HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

North Scott would like to sponsor 2 inbound students this next year. One is Mikel from Spain, whose application is pending. When Mikel arrives he will attend Bettendorf High School and be hosted by Scott & Dixie Kurtz. Two families are needed to host another student. If you are interested, or would like more information, please contact Paul Kalainoff (285-7725) or Dennis Peterson (285-8784).

## D6000 DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Plan to attend the District Conference at the Courtyard by Marriott in Ankeny, April 29 & 30. Some of the special speakers and entertainment are: Dr. Simon Estes, Ankeny Community Chorus, Jennifer Jones, PDG from D6400 and Doug Oberman, polio survivor. Reserve your room now for \$99 per night until March 25, 2011. Other details are pending.



Our Nearly Adult Rotex Chaperones  
Shari Amber Lucas

### 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?



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### Meeting Notes: February 25, 2011

#### Bill Nelson: Rock Island Parks & Recreation

Mr. Bill Nelson is definitely a train enthusiast! He and Margo both had conductor hats to prove it. A Train Festival will be held in Rock Island July 21-24, 2011. Bill & Margo are both so excited about this grand event. Numerous opportunities are available to purchase tickets for rides to Walcott, Iowa City & combination adventures with the Celebration Belle Riverboat. You can order tickets online at [www.trainfestival2011.com](http://www.trainfestival2011.com). Don't wait, as the tickets are going fast. Train enthusiasts have inquired from all 50 states and 63 foreign countries.

The main railroad Bill is working with is the Iowa Interstate Railroad. There are 4 railroads total that will bring equipment by truck for use in the Quad Cities for the festival. Ticket sales are expected to be close to one million dollars. This will be America's largest celebration of railroading. People will come just to see the trains being unloaded. The festival will be a huge boost to the QC hotels, restaurants, and shopping venues.

A very popular steam engine is coming, the 1225, which is just like the one on Polar Express. There will also be engines fired by coal, wood and oil. Garden model trains will be on display, as well as model trains and mini model trains. There will be various railroad

vendors and a kid's area.

Regen gave \$25 to the education fund to advertise the QC Area Realtor Texas Hold 'Em Tournament to benefit Habitat for Humanity. Eric Langan was the sergeant and raised \$13. He let Chelle Troje "charge" her fine of \$5, until next week. Seems she was busy selling raffle tickets in the lobby for the John Glenn Carnival prizes and made quite a haul!

Charlie Jones gave Dick Cole a leather bookmark from the Handicap Development Center, in thanks for collecting paperback books to present to the Scott County Jail. (You can still bring donations for 2 more weeks.) John Maxwell encouraged members with Rotary Reads assignments, to contact their schools and get the dates and student numbers to Dennis. Bill Tubbs will be printing an "Andy & Elmer" activity booklet for each student.

Anita will be having a new member orientation soon for the 8 members with red badges. Paul Kalainoff gave a promo for Youth Exchange. A fun 24 hour retreat was held this past Saturday and Sunday for 20 assorted inbound and outbound students. Charlie & Rita Jones stopped by to welcome the students. The YE committee thanks the club for funding the rooms at the Clarion.

57 people were present on Friday, with no guests.