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FRIDAY—AT THE STEEPLEGATE

Tesi Klipsch - Water for Christmas

Liberia, Africa



Zach & Tesi Klipsch and Family

Tesi Klipsch is a mom to 5, 3 of those kids were adopted from Ethiopia, Africa. After coming home from Ethiopia for the first time, just 3 years ago, she became inspired to live for something bigger than herself. Tesi gathered a small group of close friends and together they started Water for Christmas. The group was meant to last just one Christmas season, but once people learned about the water crisis around the world it snowballed, in a very good way. 3 Christmas seasons later and Water for Christmas has raised over \$300,000 for the organization charity: water. What that means to people on the ground in Liberia, Africa is that 60 communities are now with clean water who weren't before. Water for Christmas is hoping to

have an even bigger holiday season this year, starting with an event on the 3rd floor of the Redstone Building this Saturday, November 13, from 7-10pm. It's open to the public! If you would like more information on Tesi or Water for Christmas please visit

www.water4christmas.com.

Who we are:

Water for Christmas is a grass roots movement bringing both awareness and real "on the ground" change to Africa's water crisis. Stated simply, we see no reason for 4500 mothers to bury children every day for lack of clean water. And in most places, clean water flows just below the surface. With a little help, local African communities can tap into safe, clean water. Helping provide clean water and basic sanitation is thus one of the first and simplest steps to ending water-borne diseases and their accompanying cycle of poverty in the world.

All money donated here goes directly to [charity: water](http://charity:water) who in turn uses 100% of their donations to drill for fresh water. We'd love for you to partner with us by making donations directly to our charity: water account using the links above. All donations are tax-deductible.

"There are two primary choices in life; to accept conditions as they exist, or accept the responsibility for changing them." (Denis Waitley)

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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, NoonTipton, 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, November 11: 7:00 A.M. Board Meeting at the Steeplegate.
Friday, November 12: Program: Tesi Klipsch: Water for Africa. James Patten, Program Host. Students present from Davenport Assumption.
Thursday, November 18: Presentation of Spring & Summer Sportsmanship Awards 7:00 PM at Bettendorf High School.
Friday, November 19: Foundation Day! Bill Koellner, West Liberty, D6000 Chair of Annual Giving Committee, will speak about the Rotary Foundation. Steve Suiter, Program Host. Students present from Davenport North.
Saturday, November 20: Last Home Football Game. Hawkeyes vs. Ohio State. Game time 2:36 P.M. Car pool leaves Farm & Fleet 10:00 A.M. Call Leroy at 391-5149 to volunteer to work.
Friday, November 26: No Meeting: Holiday Week
Friday, December 3: Program: Chris Presson, President of the Quad City Mallards Hockey Team.

Margo McInnis, Program Host. December birthdays celebrated. Students present from North Scott.

Thursday, December 9: 7:00 A.M. Board Meeting at the Steeplegate.

Friday, December 10: Program: Patricia Niemann with Ashford College. Steve Powell, Program Host. Students present from Davenport Assumption.

Friday, December 17: 6:30 P.M. Holiday party at Hotel Blackhawk, Davenport. Entertainment by the current Miss Iowa, Pauli Mayfield and high school carolers from Davenport Central High School. Jody Johnston-Mohr, Chair. Remember to sign up at a meeting and choose chicken or salmon. \$30.00 per person.

Friday, December 24: No Meeting: Holiday Week

Friday, December 31: No Meeting: Holiday Week

Friday, January 7: Regular Meeting back at the Steeplegate. January Birthdays celebrated.

Thursday, January 13: 7:00 A.M. Board Meeting at the Steeplegate

MAKE-UPS TURNED IN

October 23: Bill Tubbs, Paul Kalainoff: D6000 Dinner with Rotary International President Ray Klinginsmith
 November 2 - 5: Tom Messer: Auction Financial Reconciliation
 November 5: Margo McInnis, Mike Thavenet, Jack Schinckel, James Patten, Bill Tubbs: Program Committee Meeting
 November 6: Jody Johnston-Mohr: Rotary EClub

ASSIGNMENTS

November 12: Set up/Tear down: Don Brandt; Greeters: Roger Amhof & Bill Puck; Invocation: Adam Kerns; Song Leader: Jeff Ashcraft; Sergeant: John Maxwell
November 19: Set up/Tear down: Dick Cole; Greeters: Walter Bredbeck & Leroy Paustian; Invocation: John Pheiffer; Song Leader: Mike Thavenet; Sergeant: Eric Langan
December 3: Set up/Tear down: Lee Ittenbach; Greeters: Dick Cole & Roger Amhof; Invocation: Steve Powell; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Sergeant: Anita Wubbena

December 10: Set up/Tear down: Glen Keppy;
 Greeters: Chris Connolly & Joy Schneckloth;
 Invocation: Jan Trimble; Song Leader: Angela
 Reese; Sergeant: Kelly Meyer
December 17: HOLIDAY PARTY: Set up &
 Greeters: Jody Johnston-Mohr & the social
 committee; Invocation: Jim Koehler

NEW MEMBER PROPOSAL

Ms. Lori Rochau of rural Davenport has been approved for membership by the board of directors and the classification committee. She has been proposed by Dennis Peterson and is an interior designer at Knilan's Furniture in Davenport. Lori and Scott Rochau are Scott County farmers and live on their Century Farm near Farm & Fleet. They have 5 children and 4 grandchildren. Any comments about Lori should be directed to the Board of Directors.

FOUND: GLOVES

Found on a table near the door, after the auction, one pair of brown leather gloves. They have an extra strap on the back of them. Believed to be women's gloves. See Deb to claim at Rotary meeting.

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?

Auction Summary

Auction Pie raffle	1,220.00
3091 · Auction Assessments	4,450.00
3092 · Auction Guest Meals	1,220.00
3093 · Auction Bids	12,725.00
3094 · Auction Silent	7,177.00
3095 · Auction Cash Donations	1,700.00
3096 · Auction 50/50	335.00
3097 · Auction Raffle	<u>2,792.00</u>
Total 3090 · Auction	31,619.00
5010 · Auction Expense	
Auction Items Purchased	-1,300.00
Auction Meals	-3,185.00
5010 · Auction Expense - Other	<u>-303.83</u>
Total 5010 · Auction Expense	<u>-4,788.83</u>
	<u>26,830.17</u>

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Why water?

At Water for Christmas, we've allowed the existing conditions to break our hearts and spur us to action.

We want to: join others in solving the world's water crisis, where 1.1 billion people on the planet don't have access to safe, clean drinking water.

We don't want to: accept the conditions where unclean water and the lack of basic sanitation cause 80% of all sickness and disease and kill more people every year than all forms of violence, including war.

We are convinced that: 4500 children should not die every day from the lack of access to clean water.

From its inception in November 2008, Water For Christmas has raised over \$300,000--for the building of wells in the most desperate areas of need in Liberia, West Africa. Hundreds of people discovered the joy of getting and giving Water For Christmas

To carry the message of Water For Christmas throughout all seasons, '12 People' was developed as our monthly giving program. People from around the country have committed to \$20 a month in an effort to raise our voices in support of clean water. You can join us by signing up [here](#) for the recurring giving option.

As Margaret Mead argued : "*Never underestimate the ability of a small group of committed individuals to change the world; Indeed, they're the only ones who ever have.*"

Again, all money goes through and directly to [charity: water](#) -- a trusted and highly rated non-profit organization which moves quickly and efficiently to build sustainable clean water projects around the world. Our particular partnership directly contributes to the building and maintenance of clean water wells in Liberia, West Africa

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DAVE LAYTON: Bi-State Literacy Council and Retired Senior Volunteer Program

November 5, 2010

Dave Layton is a man of many hats. He is the co director of RSVP, president of the Bi-State Literacy Council and has many more affiliations, as mentioned on the front page of last week's newsletter. He says that seniors are treasures. He especially was complimentary of Dorothy's piano playing and her activities at her age! People can join RSVP at age 55 and become involved in a vast array of activities. Volunteer opportunities are available with more than 100 non profit and governmental organizations. Some require a little training and some are just common sense assignments. A popular one is being an usher at concerts at the Adler Theater and Living Lands & Water meal site.

With the Bi-State Literacy Council, he seeks people who need a literacy program and helps them get the help they need. Dave was also aware, from meeting with James, that the area Rotary clubs are big into literacy projects. You can become a mentor after a 10 hour instruction seminar.

Sixty five members, students and guests were present on Friday. Guests attending were, Lori Rochau, guest of Dennis Peterson, Brent King, guest of Steve Fahrenkrog and Loren Rickard, guest of Bill Tubbs. Also Nancy Glawe had the first students of the fall present from North Scott High School. It was great to see Jeff Schwiebert back...where were you all

summer?

Our two students were seniors Ronnie Frantz and Travis Dierickx. Ronnie lives in Eldridge and is active in Football, Wrestling and Track. He will be attending ISU and enrolling in Pre Med. Travis lives at the Pride of the Wapsi. He is involved in Football, Wrestling, Track, Church, FFA, 4H, Band and National Honor Society. He also plans to attend ISU and study engineering.

Jim Koehler thanked all of the members and especially his auction committee again for a job well done. He received at least 2 rounds of applause for the wonderful job he did chairing the auction. Dr. Anita was the sergeant and collected \$53 in fines. She asked a few people where they were on auction night. Also Mardy Morrow was reported to be seen texting while driving and Dave Schnorrenberg was late. (He has a good reason). Angela Reese and Scott Case had praises for John Maxwell, so John had to pay up.

November birthdays were celebrated and \$17 was collected for cake.

Walter Bredbeck announced that he is going on the honor flight on November 8, sponsored by Hy-Vee stores. Hope you have a great experience Walter!