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FRIDAY—AT THE STEEPLEGATE

William H. Koellner PE Rotary Foundation

Member, District 6000 Paul
Harris Society, Benefactor,
since 2001
Major Donor, Level 2, Annual
Program Fund.
See Bio Page 3

Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar, Rotary Foundation Trustee Chair-elect, stated the goals for the Rotary Foundation for 2010-11 as the following: Four main areas we need to concentrate on in 2010-11. **First** and foremost, of course, is PolioPlus. Our **second** goal is implementing the Future Vision Plan pilot. **Third** is rebuilding our Annual Programs Fund through Every Rotarian, Every Year, and **fourth** is continuing to build our Permanent Fund, which will assure Rotarians that our programs will be secure in the future.

Polio eradication has been, is, and will remain our top priority until the job is done. It started as a 3-H national immunization program in the Philippines in the late 1970s. It became so successful that Rotary decided to approach the World Health Assembly in Geneva, Switzerland, an annual gathering of health entities from all countries of the world. In 1988, immediately following the announcement of the success of our PolioPlus fundraising campaign, the 166 member states of the World Health Assembly unanimously adopted a resolution to stop the transmission of the wild poliovirus — our Global Polio Eradication Initiative was launched. We shall never forget that this is our program.

Fundraising is a vital part of the success of The Rotary Foundation (TRF). **Every Rotarian,**

Every Year is a slogan we have used during the last few years. We want to see all Rotarians make a contribution every year of a \$100.00. A gift to TRF of \$100 can be a lot for some, but at the same time many, many Rotarians can give much, much more. We are asking all Rotarians to contribute according to our means and possibilities. Traditionally, these contributions have been invested for three years; the earnings have paid for all administration, and then the contributions were paid back to districts/clubs through our SHARE system. Our investment strategy has been tremendously successful, and during the late 1990s the strong investment returns enabled us to direct almost \$100 million of earnings to programs such as Children's Opportunities Grants, PolioPlus, and Matching Grants. Rotarians are very generous in their contributions to eradicate polio, but contributions to the Annual Programs Fund fell.

Again, last year the average giving in District 6000 exceed \$100 per Rotarian per year. Each club has submitted goals for 2010 -11, and many of these goals exceed \$100 per member. We want to thank you for your gifts in the past, and ask your membership to again remember us this year.

On behalf of District 6000 leadership, I would like to thank you for your gift to the Annual Programs fund by Rotarians in your club at an average of **\$153.00**. **In addition, I would like to thank you for your estimate for this year of \$12600 or \$128.57 per member to the Annual Programs Fund**

**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
Past President (Ex-Officio) - Chuck Briegel
Executive Secretary—Dennis Peterson

DIRECTORS:

(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, 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 NoonBettendorf, Fortune Garden
Wednesday, NoonMaquoketa, Eagle's
Wednesday, NoonTipton, Cedar Lanes Red Pin Lounge
Wednesday, 4:30 pmRidgecrest, 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, NoonMilan, Milan Community Center, Hwy. 67
Friday NoonNorth Scott, Steeplegate Inn, Davenport

.ROTARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wednesday, November 17: 7:00 P.M. Presentation of Spring & Summer Rotary sponsored Sportsmanship Awards in Bettendorf High School cafeteria.

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. Induction of new member, Lori Rochau.

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.

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.

Monday, December 13: 12:00 Noon. Quad City area meeting at the iWireless center, planned by Moline &

Rock Island clubs. 2005-06 Rotary International President Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammer will be the speaker & is helping Augustana College celebrate 150 year anniversary. Includes lunch. Reservations needed. See Dennis for tickets by Dec. 1,

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: Program: Gerry Jones from the Martin Luther King Center. Margo McInnis, Program Host. January Birthdays celebrated.

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.

Friday, January 21: Program: Habitat for Humanity. Jack Schinckel, Program Host. Students present from Davenport North.

MAKE-UPS TURNED IN

October 20: Bill Tubbs: Harvest Party

November 5: Bill Tubbs: Tipton Rotary Auction

November 5: Elza Sager: Classification Committee

November 6: Fred Mulch, James Patten, Anita Wubben: Davenport Club "Murder in a Double Wide"

November 11: Charlie Jones, Becky Bray, John Maxwell, Steve Suiter, Steve Fahrenkrog, Gene Hoth, Dennis Peterson, Chuck Briegel, Eric Langan, Jan Trimble, Kim Wilkins, Brad Burt, James Patten, Steve Swisher, Bill Tubbs: Board of Directors Meeting

November 11: Elza Sager: Classification Committee

November 11: Margo McInnis: Milan Rotary Club

November 12: Rick Dywiak: Rotary EClub

ASSIGNMENTS

November 19: Set up/Tear down: Dick Cole; Greeters: Mike Auliff & 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 Wubben

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

Thank You

Deb & Dennis wish to thank you all for your thoughts, prayers, and kind words during this time of trial for Deb's Mother. We are presently undergoing another major setback, and spent this last week end and this week in Jefferson, IA. The Doctors are trying to stabilize her very low blood pressure and continuing infection problems.

LOST & FOUND:

Lost: Lia Sophia Jewelry delivered to Bill Tubbs at the October 15 Rotary meeting. Contact Bill if you know anything about it.

Found: Brown Women's Leather Gloves, left at the Starlight, after the auction. See Deb to claim at Rotary meeting.

Bill Koellner Bio Speaker 11-19-10 Rotary Foundation

B.S. CIVIL ENGINEERING, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa

Post-Graduate work at Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa in Water Resources Engineering

**Chief, Water Control Section, 1976 to present
Hydraulic Engineer, 1967 to 1976**

Design Branch and Operations Division, 1963 to 1967

**REGISTRATIONS: Professional Engineer Wisconsin.
Professional Hydrologist**

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

**Trustee, Muscatine General Hospital, 1976 to 2005
Board Member, Mississippi Bend Area Education Agency, 1977 to present Presently, President of Board of Education
Past President, West Liberty Rotary Club (1973-74, 2001- 02) West Liberty Planning and Zoning Commission, Chairman 1972 to present West Liberty City Council, 1968 – 72 United Way Board of Directors
Chairman, Muscatine Solid Waste Management Agency**

Vice President and Treasurer, West Liberty Heritage Foundation (501c3) Chairman, Community Foundation Greater Muscatine Past Director and Trustee, West Liberty Retirement Community Member, Muscatine County Board of Health, 2006-present

ROTARY SERVICE

Joined Rotary January 1968 of RC West Liberty; Quit 1979 due to work, rejoined 1999

**2001–02: Gov Herb Wilson (Membership Chair; Training Committee, Newsletter Editor, Dist. Conf. Committee 2002-03: Gov Gary Pacha (Assistant Governor; Dist. Training Chair; Newsletter editor; Membership and Extension Chairs)
2003-04: Gov Dennis Skinner (Assistant Governor, District Training Chair; Membership Development Chair; Club Extension Chair; Information Management Chair; District Newsletter) 2004-05: Gov Bill Tubbs (Assistant Governor, District Training Chair; Membership Development Chair; Club Extension Chair; Information Management Chair; co-chair District Billboards)
2005-06: Gov Corliss Klaassen (District Training Co-Chair; Membership Development Co-Chair; Club Extension Co-Chair; Information Management Chair; co-chair District Billboards) 2006-07: Gov Del Bluhm (District Training Co-Chair; Membership Development Co-Chair; Club Extension Co-Chair; Information Management Chair; co-chair District Billboards) 2007-08: Gov Diana Reed (District Training Co-Chair; Membership Development Co-Chair; Club Extension Co-Chair; Information Management Chair; co-chair District Billboards; Club Foundation Chair) 2008-09: Gov Susan Herrick (District Training Co-Chair; Membership Development Co-Chair; Club Extension Chair; Information Management Chair; co-chair District Billboards; Club Foundation Chair) 2009-10: Gov Cal Litwiller: (District Training Committee; Membership Development Co-Chair; Club Extension Chair; Information Management Chair; co-chair District Billboards; Club Foundation Chair; Annual Giving Committee) 2010-11: Gov Gary Welch (Membership Development Committee; Club Extension Chair; Website Technology Committee; co-chair District Billboards; Club Foundation Chair; Annual Giving Chair; Club and District Awards Co-chair; and District Simplified Grants Committee)
Foundation District Service Award – 2004-05 Zone Centennial Salute for Service Above Self by Director Mike McCullough for his work on Membership, Training and Extension – 2004-05**

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Brock Earnhardt in Nigeria

Davenport Rotarian Brock Earnhardt is one of three Rotarians from District 6000 who are currently in Nigeria with Rotarians from North America, including District 6420, northern Illinois. He was present at the commissioning of the sanitation project that North Scott Rotary co-sponsored at an elementary school in Kaduna, and sent the e-mail below. It has been three years since Bill visited sites like this in Kaduna. You may recall that girls were quitting school at ages 10-12 because there were no toilets! As you can see from Brock's report, we have made a difference. A big Thank You to the members of North Scott Rotary who funded our participation. NS Rotary members should appreciate seeing Brock's message, and perhaps this bit of background, so we can be aware of what we have done through our financial support and the work of The Rotary Foundation.

Greetings from Nigeria

I think I was in Abuja, the Capitol, when I was last able to get a message out. After visiting the sites of projects being proposed by the RCs there, we moved on to Kaduna, a Muslim-dominated city to the north. Visited with a number of traditional leaders -- hakimi, emirs and sultans -- seeking their blessings on our work. We commissioned a couple projects of D6000 clubs that had been recently completed, a water and sanitation project at an elementary school done by RCs of NW Des Moines and North Scott and a clinic equipment project done by

Adel. Commissioned two water projects done by an Illinois district to our east, all commissionings (dedications) were great celebrations done with sincere appreciation, lots of hugs and tears and laughs and involved government and traditional leaders. We gave a few hundred polio immunizations, visited the sites of projects the Kaduna clubs are wanting to propose and attended a Rotary meeting every evening. Their meetings start about 7 PM and are mostly over by 10:30. After our work in Kaduna, the group split in half; 6 moved on to Kano, farther north just below the Sahara; 6 to Jos, to the west on the central plateau, and our two doctors stayed on at St. Gerard's hospital in Kaduna. I'm in Jos where the elevation is about the same as Denver and much cooler than the other areas we're visiting, 95 degrees during the day and 50 at night. More Rotary club meetings (There are 5 clubs in Jos.) and a number of proposed project sites to visit. D6000 clubs have not had visitors to Jos before so nothing in progress.

Best wishes to you and all.
Brock

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?