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### FRIDAY—AT THE STEEPLEGATE

## Chris Presson

President Quad City Mallards



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Mallards Team  
President

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Chris Presson brought with him ample experience when he joined the Mallards as team president in July, 2010. Immediately prior to arriving in the Quad Cities, Presson acted as General Manager of the INTRUST Bank Arena in Wichita during that building's construction and opening while also overseeing the closing of Wichita's Kansas Coliseum. Before moving into arena management, Presson spent 15 years in minor league hockey-primarily in the Central League-as an assistant general manager, general manager, team president and consultant for five different organizations-the CHL's Oklahoma City Blazers, Topeka ScareCrows, Wichita Thunder and Mississippi RiverKings and the American Hockey League's New Haven Knights. Presson was named CHL Executive of the Year in 1998 and again in 2004. In addition, under his leadership the Blazers were named CHL Franchise of the Year in both 2001 and 2002. During Presson's time with the RiverKings, the club was named both the CHL's Marketing Franchise of the Year and the league's Most Improved Franchise. Beyond hockey, Presson has been president and minority owner of the Wichita Wingnuts baseball team and taught sports marketing at Wichita State University. He has also served as a board member for the Ronald McDonald House, YMCA, Boys & Girls Club, Rotary Club and Big Brothers/Big Sisters in various cities.

### Rotary Volunteer Opportunities

Hello - Here is a note from a lady I connected with via Rotary ProjectLINK. I provided Past District Governor Cal Litwiller with her information. In September, Cal and Rachel worked as a Volunteer in Western Province Zambia. I'm sure they had an interesting venture.

If you have interest in Volunteering, or if you know a fellow Rotarian that might have interest, this contains several contacts.

Yours in Rotary, Merle Anderson

### Begin Information

I am a Rotarian serving in District 9210 Livingstone Zambia (Africa) my name is Paula Van Zyl (Winland). In addition to being on the Board, Membership Chair, International and Local Projects committee member. I also run a very unique volunteer organization in Western Province Zambia.

In September 2010 just past District 6000 ( Iowa) Governor Calvin Litwiller and his wife Rotarian Rachel Litwiller volunteered with us for 26 days. Although Calvin and Rachel concentrated most of their energies to our primary concern in Mwandi, that of building traditional huts for the AIDS orphans and their elderly care givers, we offer volunteering for many interest and/ or vocations attached is a brief list of the volunteer projects we offer.

We are located 130km from Livingstone, home of Victoria Falls and 70km from Botswana and Chobe National Park. Included in the volunteer program is a 4 night 5 day safari to Botswana 2 nights in a luxury "Bush Camp" and 2 nights in Kasane a Chobe game drive and river safari. Mwandi is a village still rich with the Lozi traditions and culture and is very safe and welcoming.

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**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  
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Sergeant-At-Arms—Gene Hoth  
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**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, 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

**Volunteer: continued from page 1**

We are listed on Great Causes USA a Rotary connectivity network go to [www.projectsupportcenter.org](http://www.projectsupportcenter.org) and scroll down to building huts in Africa and you will see us there. We also have a web site [www.mwandi.co.uk](http://www.mwandi.co.uk) and I am on facebook under Paula Winland. Our project is on the Rotary Project web site "ProjectLINK number W05885". Although donations to build the huts is important our main objective is to bring volunteers here to experience a unique wonderful traditional and culture African village and make a difference to people who greatly appreciate your efforts of their behalf.

If interested in volunteering with us in Mwandi please contact me [paula.winland@yahoo.com](mailto:Paula.winland@yahoo.com) for further information. Rotarian Calvin Litwiller will be happy to contact anyone interested in hearing of his and Rachel experience with us.

Thank you for your time and attention and let us know if any of our projects are of interest to you. I will be happy to forward on the full itinerary and additional information.

Sincerely,  
Rotarian Paula  
Paula And Dan Van Zyl  
United Church of Zambia Mission Partners P.O. Box 61259  
Livingstone Zambia

**Traveling with Rotary Friendship Exchange  
to New Zealand**

If you would like to join the trip:

- a) The dates are March 1 - March 16, 2011.
- b) It will be a United/Air New Zealand flight
- c) Participants will each have a choice of flying out of Des Moines, Cedar Rapids or Moline to San Francisco. The group will meet up in San Francisco to fly together to Auckland, New Zealand.
- d) We will be hosted by district 9910 which is a beautiful area north of Auckland. They will host a maximum of 10 persons.
- e) The cost will be approx. \$2000 per person. (The cost would be even less if we were able to book today.)
- f) Gary and Karen Murphy will lead the group. Gary spent 6 months living there years ago on an exchange. We were back to visit families about 15 years ago.
- g) For additional information, please call the Murphys on their cell phone numbers. Gary 319-461-0914 or Karen 319-653-8816. We will be out of state but will return calls and try to check our e-mail [bandana319@yahoo.com](mailto:bandana319@yahoo.com) often.
- h) Deadline to contact the Murphys to go on this trip: December 10th, 2010.

**ROTARY CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- 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 at iWireless Center, Moline. Rotary Clubs of the Quad Cities present 2005-06 Rotary International President Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammer. Lunch included. Call Dennis (285-8784) for tickets at \$20.00 each. Reservations needed by December 3.
- Friday, December 17:** 6:30 P.M. Holiday party at Hotel Blackhawk, 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.

**Friday, January 28:** Program: TBA. Bill Tubbs, Program Host.

## MAKE-UPS TURNED IN

November 2: Mary Macumber-Schmidt: Rock Island Rotary

November 3: Chris Connolly: Bettendorf Rotary

November 8: Chris Connolly: Mason City Noon Rotary

November 10: Hank Runge, Rob White: Mini Meet at Ridgecrest

November 13: Bill Tubbs: PDG Holiday Party, Des Moines

November 17: Nancy Glawe, Rob White: Mini Meet at Ridgecrest

November 17: Bill Tubbs: Rotary Club of Manchester & D6000 PR Committee Meeting

November 17: Bill Tubbs: Sportsmanship Awards at Bettendorf High School

November 19: Merle Anderson, Jan Trimble, Charlie Jones, Bill Tubbs: Vocational Committee Meeting

November 20: Margo McInnis, Paul Seelau, Bob Bainter, Dick Cole, Steve Suiter + 6 non Rotarians: Hawkeye Game

November 20: Bill Tubbs: Rotary Club of Greater Des Moines

November 23: Charlie Jones, Chuck Briegel, Becky Bray, John Maxwell, Dennis Peterson: Officers Nomination Meeting at Thunder Bay Grille

## ASSIGNMENTS

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

January 7: Set up/Tear down: Steve Swisher; Greeters: Roger Amhof & Jack Schinckel; Invocation: Adam Kerns; Song Leader: TBA; Sergeant: TBA

January 14: Set up/Tear down: Lorraine Lynch; Greeters: Jeff Helms & Carolyn Scheibe; Invocation: John Pfeiffer; Song Leader: TBA; Sergeant: TBA

January 21: Set up/Tear down: Don Brandt; Greeters: Deb Hughes & Steve Swisher; Invocation: Steve Powell; Song Leader: TBA; Sergeant: TBA

## DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

December 16: Dick Cole

December 17: Dr. Teresa Paper

December 24: Dr. Fred Mulch

December 31: Richard Horst

Happy Birthday to these Rotarians. Enjoy a free piece of birthday cake and all others pay \$1.00.

## CARL-WILHELM STENHAMMAR

### Monday, December 13 in Moline

The Rock Island and Moline Rotary Clubs are sponsoring a Quad City area wide meeting at the iWireless center at noon on Monday, December 13, with Carl as the speaker. He is from Sweden and was the 2005-06 Rotary International President. He is also helping Augustana College celebrate their 150 year anniversary. A choir ensemble from Augustana will be performing. Tickets are available from Dennis Peterson for \$20 each, which includes lunch. Last chance to buy tickets will be Friday, December 3 at the regular meeting. Call 285-8784 or send an email for reservations or questions. Thanks!

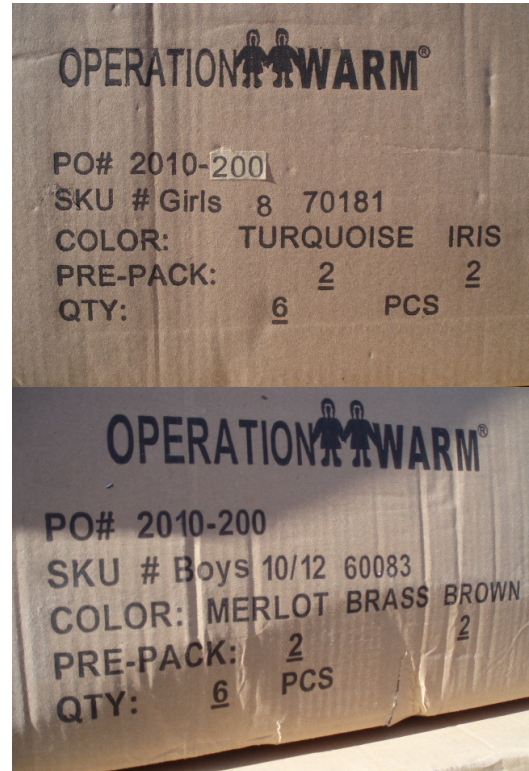
## HOLIDAY PARTY AT THE HOTEL BLACKHAWK, Friday, December 17

The Social Committee, chaired by Jody Johnston-Mohr has planned this year's Holiday Party at the newly remodeled Hotel Blackhawk in downtown Davenport. It will begin at 6:30 P.M. Miss Pauli Mayfield from Davenport, the current Miss Iowa will be the entertainment. She will tell about her experiences and perform her vocal talent. Also carolers from Davenport Central High School Vocal Department, directed by Mike Reese, will sing during dinner.

The menu is: Baby Spinach Salad with apples & pecans & vinaigrette dressing. Rolls and butter. Entrée Choices are Roasted Chicken Breast with crushed sweet potatoes **OR** Caribbean Spiced Glazed Salmon with soft herb polenta cake. Southern style pecan pie for dessert. The cost per person is \$30. A cash bar will be available.

If you have not signed up, remember to do so at the December 3 or December 10 meeting! (On a green sheet). Or you can sign up online at [northscottrotary.org](http://northscottrotary.org). Go to the bottom of the home page to event registrations and select Holiday Party. Or call the Peterson's (285-8784). Feel free to bring guests, spouses, neighbors, other Rotarians, relatives or your card club. Remember that you need to choose Chicken or Salmon.

Please note: If you sign up for the Holiday Party, you will be charged the \$30 per person price. If for some reason you need to cancel out, the cancellation must be received by Dennis, by noon on Monday, December 13, to avoid the \$30 charge. Thank you for understanding!



Lori Rochau is the newest member of The Rotary Club of North Scott. She was inducted on Friday November 19th by Past President Chuck Briegel. Lori and her husband Scott operate a family Century Farm in Scott County, just west of Farm and Fleet. Lori said that she has now had the opportunity to fulfill one of her dreams by pursuing a job as a Interior Designer at Knilan’s Furniture in Davenport. Her boss is also a Rotarian and enthusiastically supports her membership. Lori and Scott have 5 children, Adam, Sarah, Erin are married with children. Hannah is a student at Yale University, and Zach is an 8th grade student at North Scott Junior High. They have four grandchildren.

Lori, Scott and their family were foreign exchange student hosts to Ludovica Gieselberti from Italy in 2005. Welcome Lori when you see her.

### Operation Warm

THREE HUNDRED coats have arrived at Deb and Dennis’s house for distribution to area schools as part of our District Simplified Grant for 2010. Part of these will be distributed in association with the AEA as part of our School Shop Program.

Others will be delivered directly to schools in Davenport.

### PROPOSED FOR MEMBERSHIP

The following 3 people have been approved by the board of directors and the classification committee for membership. They are open for comments from the membership for one week.

Jerome (Jerry) Coussens is a self employed remodeling contractor with J.D. Coussens, Inc. from Davenport, IA. He is proposed by Jim Smith.

Brent King is an insurance agent with Sentry Insurance. He lives in Eldridge and is proposed by Steve Fahrenkrog.

Dr. Loren Rickard is a retired veterinarian from Eldridge and is proposed by Bill Tubbs.

Holiday Party

2010

		Chicken	Salmon	Veggie					
Auliff	Mike	1							
Auliff	Betty		1		Pheiffer	John	1		
Bainter	Bob		1		Pheiffer	Pat	1		
Bainter	Ann		1		Powell	Steve		1	
Blazevic	Julia	1			Powell	Bonnie		1	
Blazevic	Ogy	1			Rochau	Lori	1		
Brandt	Don	1			Rochau	Scott		1	
Brandt	Janet		1		Schinckel	Jack		1	
Bray	Becky	1			Schinckel	Jean		1	
Bray	Mark	1			Schwiebert	Jeff	1		
Briegel	Chuck	1			Schwiebert	Deb	1		
Briegel	Sherrri		1		Seelau	Paul		1	
Fish	Buck	1			Smith	Jim	1		
Fish	Mary		1		Smith	Bev		1	
Glawe	Nancy	1			Suiter	Steve	1		
Glawe	Jim		1		Suiter	Ann		1	
Golinghorst	Rich	1			Tank	Ken	1		
Golinghorst	Mary		1		Tank	Annette		1	
Hansen	Jerry	1			Trimble	Jan	1		
Hansen	Barb	1			Trimble	Jerry		1	
Hoth	Gene	1			Tubbs	Bill	1		
Hoth	Dorothy	1			Tubbs	Linda		1	
Hughes	Deb	1			Vigen	Bert		1	
Hughes	Randy		1		Vigen	Julie		1	
Johnston-Mohr	Jody	1			Total		36	29	1
Jones	Charlie	1							
Jones	Rita		1						
Kalainoff	Paul	1							
Kalainoff	Susan		1						
Kime	Nancy			1					
Lynch	Lorraine	1							
Mattke	Keith	1							
Mattke	Jo	1							
McInnis	Margo	1							
McInnis	Chad	1							
Mohr	Stan		1						
Mulch	Fred		1						
Patten	James	1							
Patten	Jenifer		1						
Paustian	Leroy	1							
Paustian	Linda		1						
Peterson	Dennis	1							
Peterson	Deb		1						

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### Meeting Notes

#### November 12, 2010

Tesi and Lesley Klipsch told their passionate story on "Water for Christmas" as they educate local people on the desperate need for clean and safe drinking water wells in Africa. Only \$20 will supply one person clean water for 20 years. They are sister-in-laws and also work with the orphan ministry with the Calvary Church in Muscatine. Tesi and Zach Klipsch have adopted 3 boys from Ethiopia and Lesley and Jake Klipsch are in the process of adopting two children also. \$120 was collected in fines and given to Tesi to support her Charity for Water program.

Jeff Ashcraft gave a very moving tribute in honor of all Veterans. The CSI division on NSR showed up again at this meeting to show some very interesting visual data they have collected. The suspect list is getting shorter, as they continue to investigate the theft of the Rotary charter.

Sixty seven members and guests were present on November 12. Julie Fulton, counselor and students Mary Le and Adam Bengfort were present from Davenport Assumption High School. Other guests were: Ardo Holmgrain, Rock Island Rotarian, Brent King, guest of Steve Fahrenkrog, Lori Rochau, guest of Dennis Peterson and Glen Suiter, guest of Steve Suiter.

#### November 19, 2010

Bill Koellner from the West Liberty Rotary Club was the speaker as we recognized "Foundation Month". He informed the members about the Polio Plus program and explained how the Foundation dollars are used and when they come back for use to the local clubs, in the form of District Simplified Grants.

Bill is very active on the District level, having served under every District Governor since 2001, beginning with Herb Wilson. Bill currently is the Annual Giving Chair for D6000 and serves on several other committees on the District level. He is a Professional Engineer, a Rotary Benefactor and Major Donor.

Sixty nine members and guests were present on November 19. Lori Rochau was inducted as a new member by past president Chuck Briegel. Other guests present were Scott Rochau, guest of Dennis Peterson, Brent King, guest of Steve Fahrenkrog, Marty O'Boyle and Loren Rickard, guests of Bill Tubbs. Also Eugene Kazberouk, guest of Serge Pasheev and Fred Luckenbill, Rock Island Rotarian. Present from Davenport North High School were Dr. Betsy Fair, counselor and students BreyAnna Houck and Brandon Ruddell. \$30 was collected in fines.

Recent additions to the education fund are from: Eric Langan \$50, Iowa beat Michigan and Bill Tubbs \$40 for November 22 fortieth wedding anniversary.

### **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?