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Pictured left to right: Marty O'Boyle, grandson, Mike Thavenet, Loren Rickard, Glenn Eakes, Kim Wilkins, Jerry Coussens, Ken Tank

On a Beautiful day (as I promised?! North Scott Rotary and other volunteer groups planted a total of 50 trees Saturday at Marquette Park in Davenport along Duck Creek. A combination of ornamental trees (magnolias and flowering crabs) and other different trees (Kentucky

Coffee trees, white oak, and others) will help beautify and shade the park for generations to come. A big thank you to all those who helped- Loren Rickard, Glenn Eakes, Jerry Coussens, Mike Thavenet, Ken Tank, Marty O'Boyle and his grandson, Tim Whitty, and Kim Wilkins. After we finished, we picked up trash for a while along Duck Creek and then went to the Davenport Public Works building for free tacos and drinks. A T-shirt was also provided for all. Chris Johnson, Davenport City Arborist, stated this was probably the nicest day he's seen for an Arbor Day planting.

Kim Wilkins

THIS FRIDAY AT THE STEEPLEGATE



Uganda, with Merle Anderson

North Scott Rotarian Merle Anderson will tell us of his trip to Uganda.

As a starting Reference I am reprinting the beginning of a letter from Merle at that time.

Merle Wrote

Just a note to let you know I arrived in Uganda safely last Tuesday evening. It took two extra days for my luggage to arrive, but it finally made it. I spent 2 days and 3 nights in the capital city of Kampala. Uganda is about the size and shape of the State of Washington. But, the population is **34 million** people here. About 10% of them live in metro Kampala.

I met with Samuel Owari on Wednesday. He was an RI Director 2010-12 and a Trustee on the Rotary Foundation 2012-16. I met with him the last time I was here. He is a banker and pretty influential person in Uganda. We had a nice visit about Rotary and the current situation in Uganda.

I am now in Masaka, which is about 2 1/2 hours southwest of Kampala. I will be working with a coffee cooperative that was formed about a year ago. I will help the Board and Management develop a Strategic Business Plan, among other things.

Come hear the rest of the story on Friday.

**Rotary International President
Sakuji Tanaka, Japan**

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Terry Geiger, Leon, IA
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Make ups available 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, 12:15 pm Moline, Christ The King Catholic Church
Monday, 6:00 pm Quad Cities Illinois, Hy Vee 42nd Ave, Moline
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 Tipton, Cedar Lanes Red Pin Lounge
Wednesday, 4:30 pm Ridgecrest, 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, Pinnacle Country Club
Friday Noon North Scott, Steeplegate Inn, Davenport.

**NORTH SCOTT ROTARY
CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Friday, May 3: Program: Merle Anderson: Highlights of Volunteer work in Uganda, Africa. May birthdays celebrated. First 50/50 auction raffle will be held.

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

Friday, May 10: Youth Day: Bring your graduates, as guests of the club. Junior Rotarians, Scholarship winners and RYLA campers present.

Friday, May 10: 1:00 P.M. Scholarship Committee Meeting, Carolyn Scheibe, Chair.

Friday, May 17: Meeting OFFSITE at Thunder Bay Grille: Program: Matt Schultz: Secretary of the State of Iowa; Margo McInnis, Host.

Friday, May 24: NO Meeting: Holiday weekend.

Friday, May 31: 10:45 A.M. New Member Orientation Committee, Becky Bray, Chair.

Friday, May 31: Foundation Day: Numerous Paul Harris awards presented: DG Terry Geiger will speak. Teresa Pa-per, Host.

Friday, June 7: Who's who in North Scott Rotary? Membership Committee, Host. June Birthdays celebrated. Second 50/50 auction raffle will be held.

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

Friday, June 14: Meeting OFFSITE at Cinnamon Ridge Dairy Farm. Tour John's new robotic dairy barn and have "lunch with the cows". Don't miss it!!

Thursday, October 24: SAVE THE DATE:

Annual Auction at the Starlite Ballroom, Mississippi Valley Fairgrounds. Patrick Olsen, Chair
April Readers at Fillmore Elementary: Christine Garrow (2),

MAKE UPS TURNED IN

Paul Seelau (5), Jan Trimble (2), Mike Brown (7), Eric Langan (2), Dennis Peterson (3), Becky Bray (2), Loren Rickard (5), Margo McInnis (1), Charlie Jones (4), Glen Keppy (4)
April 16: Pat Olsen, Don Brandt (Janet), Lorraine Lynch: Final Rotary Reads at John Glenn
April 19: Glen Keppy: GSE reception at Suiter's
April 20-26: Bill Tubbs: RI Council on Legislation, Chicago
April 24: Merle Anderson: Rotary Club of Tipton (gave program)
April 24: Rob White & Jeff Helms: Mini Meet at Rustic Ridge
April 25: Steve Suiter, John Maxwell, Dennis Peterson: Meeting to go over next Rotary year committee's
April 26: Scott Case: Rotary EClub
April 27: Kim Wilkins, Ken Tank, Jerry Coussens, Glenn Eakes, Loren Rickard, Mike Thavenet, Marty O'Boyle (and grandson Tim Whitty): Planting trees in Marquette Park for City of Davenport

ASSIGNMENTS

May 3: Set up/tear down: Don Brandt; Greeters: Rich Horst & Dougal Nelson; Song Leader: Paul Holzworth; Piano: Tewanta Lopez; Invocation: Steve Powell; Sergeant: Patrick Olsen

May 10: Set up/tear down: Jerry Coussens; Greeters: Dick Cole & Bill Puck; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Piano: Marguerite Holzworth; Invocation: Jan Trimble; Sergeant: Jim Smith

May 17: OFFSITE @ Thunder Bay Grille; Greeters: Chris Connolly & Leroy Paustian; Invocation: Paul Holzworth; Sergeant: Mike Thavenet (No Music)

May 24: NO Meeting: Holiday weekend

May 31: Set up/tear down: Rick Dywiak; Greeters: Roger Amhof & Carolyn Scheibe; Song Leader: Steve Powell; Piano: Jody Johnston-Mohr; Invocation: John Pfeiffer; Sergeant: Dr. Anita

June 7: Set up/tear down: Glen Keppy; Greeters: Christine Garrow & Lori Rochau; Song Leader: Jan Trimble; Piano: Carol Bordner; Invocation: Steve Powell; Sergeant: Eric Langan

June 14: OFFSITE @ Cinnamon Ridge Dairy. Invocation: Jan Trimble; Sergeant: John Maxwell. (No music)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



Wish the Following a Happy Birthday

May 1: Christine Garrow
May 5: Patrick Olsen
May 7: Scott Kurtz
May 9: Cody Allen
May 22: Mike Auliff
May 28: Glenn Eakes
May 29: Steve Suiter

Happy Birthday to all of you!!! Please sit together at the table with the balloons.

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?

LAST WEEK

LAST WEEK – April 26, 2013 – Steve Suiter; President Elect

Fifty three attended on Friday, as Steve Suiter spoke about his venture to join Rotary several years ago. He remembers the call he got from (then president) Gary Lynch, asking him to go through the chairs to become president of North Scott Rotary. And here he is.....in just 8 short weeks. Steve asked members to complete a "committee sheet" so he can get assignments made.

Jillian Townsend and Christina Taylor from Fillmore Elementary School were present to express their thanks to Christine Garrow and other Rotarians that have been helping their students with reading, math and other subjects. Lindsay Thul, Senior sales manager with Hotel Blackhawk also attended with Jody Johnston-Mohr.

Leroy Paustian gave a summary of his Honor Flight trip from the day before. Brad Burt filled in as sergeant and collected \$56 in fines.