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Dear North Scott Rotarians,

Our Rotary Club has committed to give generously to a Rotary International World Matching Grant for God's Mercy Orphanage Center, in the amount of \$3,000.

Here is the web site for God's Mercy Orphanage Center:

www.mercyorphanageug.org

Glen Keppy made a presentation about GMOC to our Rotary Club. However, we failed to emphasize the web site, even though it was on one of the slides in our presentation.

Please take five minutes to review the web site and get better acquainted with GMOC. The web site explains the Mission and Vision Statements, some of their programs and achievements and a little about the founders of GMOC. Be sure to click on "History" and meet some of the beautiful orphans that depend upon GMOC.

As we approach Thanksgiving, we have much to be thankful for. We are grateful for your generosity and that of our Rotary Club. Please keep the orphans at God's Mercy Orphanage Center in your thoughts and prayers.

Thanks again. Yours in Rotary,

Merle Anderson

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THIS FRIDAY AT THE STEEPLEGATE

Rotary Foundation



Calvin Litwiller

Calvin Litwiller "Cal" has been a member of the Mt Pleasant Evening Rotary Club since 1991, serving as Club President, Assistant Gov., Matching Grant Comm. Chair, Dist Gov. (2009-10) as well as currently serving as the District 6000 Rotary Foundation Chair. Both Cal and Rachel are multiple Paul Harris Fellows, making their family a Paul Harris family, and are both Rotary Benefactors.

Cal grew up on a farm in southeast Iowa. He has his Masters Degree in education from the University of Iowa, and has spent his career prior his retirement in 2008, in science education in the Public Secondary schools of Iowa, most recently Mt Pleasant High School. The Litwillers spent some time in Holland where Cal taught in the American International School. This initiated the Litwiller's enjoyment of adventure travel, which has taken them to 5 continents. The Litwillers have two children, Cherie, Currently an administrator with The Qatar Foundation, Doha, Qatar, and Tony who is the VP of sales for a medical device company in Philadelphia, PA. Cal's hobbies are photography, taking care of his honey bees and Rotary. In the last two years Cal had ridden his bike/trike across the US and 1000 miles north from the Gulf of Mexico, both with the support of Rachel in their SUV.



North Scott Rotary's Newest Member
Aimee L. Nash
With Husband Ben
 Ryerson Steel, Eldridge Iowa
 Proposed by Bill Tubbs



Please welcome our newest member, Aimee Nash. She is the General Manager of Ryerson, Inc. located in Eldridge, IA. Aimee has been with Ryerson in different capacities since 2002 and relocated to Eldridge in 2010, from Minneapolis, MN.

Aimee is married to Benjamin, whom works security for Davenport Central High School. They have 2 children, Makenna and Brecken. Aimee is a member of the Chamber of Commerce and Eldridge Business Board. She also volunteers at Alan Shepard Elementary School. In her spare time she likes to shop, golf and spend time with her family and spend time outdoors.

Washington, Illinois Tornado

North Scott Rotarians,

An update on the information I shared at a recent meeting in regards to the Washington, IL Tornado Recovery.

For those of you that were not in attendance at today's meeting. I was able to do some digging and found out some information on how we as individuals and as a club can support that families affected by the F-4 tornado that struck Washington, IL.

The Washington Rotary club has a committee working on delivering the affected people resources through gift cards. We can donate financially to their club and they are handling the purchase and distribution of the gift cards. They are only distributing these to the families most affected by the storms.

There are multiple ways you can donate:

- 1) You can write a check to "Washington Rotary Club Foundation" (this is a 501(c)3 organization).

Checks can be mailed to
 Gary Deiters
 2075 Washington Road
 Washington, IL 61571

- 2) After the meeting, I spoke with Dennis. If you wish, you can write a check to our Rotary Club or have Dennis bill you for a desired amount and the club will write a check and send it to Gary. This might be the easiest way to donate funds.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Once we are cleared to go into the community to help, a number of us plan on going to Washington to help in any clean we can. We do not have any details yet, but I am making a list of potential volunteers. More information to follow. If you would like to be on a list as a potential volunteer, please email me back. We do not have another meeting for 2 weeks, so a lot of this will have to be done through email and phone communication.

Please let me know if you have any questions, I will do my best to answer them.

Thank you.
 Pat Olsen
 563-212-2533

<p>The 4 Way Test Of the things we THINK SAY or DO</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 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?
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**Rotary International President
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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, Trinity Lutheran Church 1313 13th Ave
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, 1143 Cedar Valley Rd
Wednesday, 4:30 pm Ridgecrest, 4134 Northwest Blvd, Davenport
Wednesday 5:00 pm ..North Scott Mini-Meet at Rustic Ridge Eldridge
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, December 6: 10:45 A.M. Community needs committee meeting. Jeff Helms, Chair.

Friday, December 6: PDG Cal Litwiller, Foundation Program. Nancy Glawe, Host. December Birthdays celebrated. Junior Rotarians present.

Friday, December 6: 1:15 P.M. Dictionary distribution at Fillmore Elementary School. Christine Garrow, Chair.

Saturday, December 7: 10 A.M. to 8 P.M. Bell ringing for the Salvation Army at Davenport Fareway Grocery Store. Contact Dougal Nelson to volunteer.

Sunday, December 8: 1:30 P.M. Winter Band/Choir concert at North Scott High School. Fine Arts awards will be presented.

Thursday, December 12: Board meeting 5 P.M. at the Suiter residence. 6361 Crow Valley Drive, Bettendorf. Call Steve at 370-2386 for directions. NOTE TIME CHANGE

Friday, December 13: Program: Todd Zachary, Headmaster at Rivermont Collegiate School. Margo McInnis, Host.

Saturday, December 14: 10 A.M. to 8 P.M. Bell ringing for the Salvation Army at Davenport Fareway Grocery Store.

Wednesday, December 18: 6:00 P.M. Holiday party in the Gold Room at Hotel Blackhawk. Multiple food stations will be set up. Entertainment by the Party of 4 Saxophone Quartet. \$25 per person. Sign up at regular meeting. Jody Johnston-Mohr, Chair.

Friday, December 20: No Meeting – Holiday

Friday, December 27: No Meeting – Holiday

Friday, January 3, 2014: Membership Day, Charlie Jones, Host. January Birthdays celebrated.

Thursday, January 9: 8:00 A.M. Board Meeting at the

Steeplegate.

Friday, January 10: Program to be scheduled by Rich Horst.

Friday, January 17: Program: Ken Spranger: West End Project with less fortunate children. Scott Case, Host

Saturday, January 18: Special Olympics Basketball Skills at North Scott High School. Time to be announced.

Friday, January 24: Mike Vondran: Hav Life. Steve Powell, Host.

Friday, January 31: Program to be scheduled by Bill Tubbs.

MAKE UPS TURNED IN

November 11: Kim Wilkins: Flower Bed Maintenance

November 12: Tom Wilkerson: Dictionary Distribution

November 18: Merle Anderson: Deliver weekly newsletters to Post office

November 18: Merle Anderson, Steve Suiter, Nancy Glawe: Rotary Club of Davenport

November 19: Eric Langan: Rotary Club of Marion-East Cedar Rapids

November 19: Rich Golinghorst, Jack Schinckel, Gene Meyer: Mini Meet at Rustic Ridge

November 20: Hank Runge, Steve Suiter: Sportsmanship Awards at Bettendorf High School.

November 20: Bill Tubbs: 75th anniversary of Rotary Club of Maquoketa

November 22-25: Dennis Peterson: Host Brazilian Youth Exchange student from Muscatine

November 22: Charlie Jones, Becky Bray, Jim Smith, Steve Suiter, Scott Kurtz, Dennis Peterson: Membership Committee Meeting

November 23: Paul Kalainoff: Interviews for 2014 youth exchange students, Simpson College, Indianola, IA

November 29: Scott Case: Rotary EClub

December 2: Merle Anderson, Glen Keppy, Steve Suiter: Rotary Club of Davenport (Merle gave program)

ASSIGNMENTS

December 6: Set up/tear down: Jerry Coussens; Greeters: Todd Gullickson & Carolyn Scheibe; Song Leader: Jody Johnston-Mohr; Piano: Carol Bordner; Invocation: Scott Case; Sergeant: Eric Langan

December 13: Set up/tear down: Rick Dywiak; Greeters: Jerry Hansen & Jack Schinckel; Song Leader: Jody Johnston-Mohr; Piano: Cathie Strieter; Invocation: Paul Holzworth; Sergeant: John Maxwell

December 18: Holiday Party: Social Committee; Invocation: Jim Koehler

January 3: Set up/tear down: Glen Keppy; Greeters: Jeff Helms & Paul Seelau; Sergeant: Margo McInnis

January 10: Set up/tear down: Greg Schaapveld; Greeters: Jody Johnston-Mohr & Ken Tank; Sergeant: Patrick Olsen

January 17: Set up/tear down: Jim Smith; Greeters: Glen Keppy & Jillian Townsell; Sergeant: Jim Smith

Note: Song Leaders, Piano and Invocation Leaders: New assignment lists coming out soon.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

December 16: Richard Cole
December 17: Dr. Teresa Paper
December 24: Dr. Fred Mulch
December 27: Todd Gullickson
December 28: Jerry Coussens
December 31: Richard Horst

Happy Birthday to these Rotarians. Please sit together at the table with balloons and enjoy a free piece of cake.

LAST WEEK

LAST MEETING – November 22, 2013 – Werner Zankow-WWII U.S. Air Force

Werner was born in Germany and came to Buffalo, Iowa as an infant. Eventually he became bilingual from hearing English spoken, along with German. He enlisted in the Air Force at 18 years old. He had many “stories” to tell about his time serving in the Air Force. He attended Iowa State after the war was over and graduated in 1950.

Cody Allen was the sergeant and directed all collections to the residents of Washington, IL for losses they suffered in the recent tornado. \$83 in cash was received, along with \$55 from Dick Cole for his 55th wedding anniversary and \$200 from Ken and Annette Tank. Other pledges have been received, and are still welcome.

Aimee Nash joined on November 22. Past President, John Maxwell gave the charge. She is sponsored by Bill Tubbs. Guests present were: Ben Nash, Bob Morrison, Gary Sosniecki and Laura Kopp. Seventy members and guests attended, along with the Junior Rotarians and sponsors.