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Activities supported by North Scott Rotary include:

180 Zone for persons in transition
 Boy Scouts of America
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 Chris Norton inspirational message
 Community Action Eastern Iowa
 Davenport North Art Department
 Davenport North Band Boosters
 Davenport North Culinary Arts
 Davenport North Honor Society
 Student Dictionaries for 4th Graders
 Fillmore Elementary Trauma Room
 God's Mercy Orphanage (Uganda)
 Global Polio Eradication
 Handicapped Development Center
 HavLife Foundation
 Iowa MOST cleft palate repair in Guatemala
 John Deere Classic Birdies for Charity
 Junior Rotarian Support

LeClaire Rd beautification in Eldridge
 Make A Wish Foundation
 Mississippi Valley Fair
 North Scott Fine Arts Awards
 North Scott Interact
 Operation Warm Coats for Kids
 Ponseti Method clubfoot repair
 Reading to students at area schools
 Rotary International Youth Exchange
 Rotary Youth Leadership Awards
 Salvation Army
 School Shop (supplies for local students)
 Scholarships for high school graduates
 Scholarships for Scott Community
 College students
 Scott County Library projects
 Special Olympics volunteers & more
 Youth Harvest Party
 (And many more!)

As Shown in North Scott Press full page ad

THIS FRIDAY AT THE STEEPLEGATE



Doug Cropper President and Chief Executive Officer, Genesis Health System

Areas of Responsibility: Directs all operational and strategic plans for the health system and its entities. Provides leadership for one of the nation's top 100 Integrated Health Systems, advancing the organization's mission "to provide compassionate, quality health services to all those in need," while ensuring quality, profitability, service excellence and growth.

Bio: Cropper grew up in Salt Lake City, Utah, where his father was a dentist and volunteered at the local children's hospital. It made enough of an impression on him that he decided to pursue his own career in health care. His first job was an operating room orderly. Now, with more than 30 years of health care experience, he has fulfilled a life-long career goal to lead a health system. With a focus on safety and quality, Cropper is working to guide Genesis to national recognition for its patient care.

Prior to joining Genesis in 2008, Cropper served as an executive vice president with Inova Health System, based in Falls Church, Virginia, and campus administrator of the more than 900-bed

Inova Fairfax Hospital, named by U.S. News & World Report among "America's 50 Best" hospitals in seven specialties. Between 1991 and 2003, Cropper held various leadership positions with HealthEast, based in St. Paul, Minnesota. His last assignment with HealthEast was CEO of St. Joseph's Hospital and health system vice president. He is a 1984 graduate of the University of Utah and holds a Master's degree in Health Care and Hospital Administration from the University of Minnesota. An Eagle Scout, Cropper has volunteered for many years with the Boy Scouts of America. Cropper and his wife, Lynne, have four children.

Doug will share his perspective on the changes brought about by the Affordable Care Act, "Obamacare", and will also share his hopes and concerns as the new Congress seeks to repeal / replace this legislation. Hopefully, we will be better schooled as healthcare consumers to watch this change be debated, and as new legislation is proposed to take its place.

About Genesis Health System

Genesis Health System, its affiliates and partners, offer a continuum of health care services for a 12-county region of Eastern Iowa and Western Illinois. Our affiliates include: Acute and tertiary hospital care at Genesis Medical Center, Davenport and DeWitt, Iowa and at Genesis Medical Center, Silvis and Genesis Medical Center, Aledo, Ill.; home health and hospice services through Genesis VNA and Hospice; Genesis Workplace Services, including occupational health, employee assistance program and wellness services for employers and their employees; the Clarissa C. Cook Hospice House; senior living communities offering rehabilitation and long-term care; Genesis Health Group, with more than 200 health care providers; the Genesis Quad Cities Family Practice Residency program; Genesis Psychology Associates; three Genesis Convenient Care clinics; and Genesis Home Medical Equipment. Partners include Genesis Medical Park, Crow Valley and Spring Street Surgical Center, Davenport and Genesis Imaging Centers. Genesis manages Jackson County Regional Health Center, Maquoketa, Iowa. Genesis is one of the largest employers in the Quad Cities region with more than 4,800 employees. For more information, visit our Web site at www.genesishealth.com.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE 2017 DISTRICT 6000 CONFERENCE May 4-6, 2017 Coralville Marriott Hotel & Conference Center

The 2017 District Conference Team has a tentative schedule of keynote speakers and panels of storytellers, here are some of the schedule highlights.

Thursday, May 4th

Xicotepec Project Reports: at the Marriott in the afternoon

Conference Kick-off Reception: Iowa Car Museum and Johnson County Historical Society Museum at Iowa River Landing. Heavy appetizers and refreshments: \$30 per person, after 4/1 \$35

Friday, May 5th

Opening Ceremonies

House of Friendship: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Story Telling: Rotary projects both near and far

Fund Raising: The Why and How

Luncheon: Lunch with author David C. Forward - author of "A Century of Service: The Story of Rotary International" & "Doing Good In The World, The Inspiring Story of The Rotary Foundation's First 100 Years."

Home Hospitality - Dinner in the homes of local Rotarians



Saturday, May 6th

Breakfast Buffet

House of Friendship: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Story Telling: D6000 Youth Programs, Stories from Parents

Engaging and Growing Membership

Serving Generations

Luncheon: Speaker, Andrew Carter

District Governor's Reception and Dinner (Black Tie Optional): Keynote Speaker is Richard Roland, Rotary International President's Representative

Go to our District 6000 website for more details and to REGISTER: <http://www.rotary6000.org>

NOTE The Early Registration Discount is APRIL 1

**Rotary International President
John Germ, Chattanooga, TN, US**

Governor, Rotary District 6000

Chris Knapp, Iowa City, IA

Ass't Governor

Brock Earnhardt, Davenport, IA

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, Tanglewood Pavilion
Wednesday, Noon Tipton, 1143 Cedar Valley Rd
Wednesday 5:00 pm ... North Scott Mini-Meet at Maloney's, Eldridge
Thursday, 7:00 am..... Iowa Quad Cities, J-Bar Elmore Ave.
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, February 17: 10:30 A.M. Community needs committee meeting. Jeff Helms, Chair.

Friday, February 17: Program: Doug Cropper; President and CEO Genesis Health Systems. Jim Koehler, Host.

Tuesday, February 21: 11:00 A.M. Rotary Reads by Jeremy Kaiser and Josh Cobie at John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue.

Friday, February 24: Program: John Hayes with Hayes Pure Water. Tom Messer, Host.

Tuesday, February 28: 11:00 A.M. Rotary Reads by Dennis Peterson and Seth Porter at John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue.

Friday, March 3: 10:45 Board of Directors Meeting

Friday, March 3: Program: Jean-Romain Pourin: Youth Exchange Student from France, hosted by Bettendorf and Iowa Q.C. Rotary Clubs. March birthdays celebrated.

March 4-5, 2017: D6000 Youth Exchange Winter Retreat, sponsored by N. S. Rotary at the Steeplegate.

Tuesday, March 7: 11:00 A.M. Rotary Reads by Glen Keppe and Joe Stutting at John Glenn Elementary, Donahue.

Friday, March 10: Program to be arranged by Brad Burt.

March 9-11, 2017: North Central President Elect Training, Scheman Building, Ames, Iowa.

Friday, March 17: Program to be arranged by Rich Horst.

Tuesday, March 21: 11:00 A.M. Rotary Reads by Jan Touney and Eric Langan at John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue.

Tuesday, March 28: 11:00 A.M. Rotary Reads by Jan Touney and Paul Holzworth at John Glenn Elementary School, Donahue.

May 4-6, 2017: District 6000 Conference, Coralville Marriott Hotel and Convention Center. Register to attend on the district website.

June 10-14, 2017: Rotary International Convention, Atlanta, Georgia World Congress Center. Register to attend on the district website.

MAKE UPS TURNED IN

January 5, 12, 19, and 26: Steve Suiter: Rotary Club of Marco Island, FL

February 7: Jeff Helms, Steve Fahrenkrog, Jeff Ashcraft, Josh Cobie, Glen Keppe, Jeremy Kaiser, Dennis Peterson: Executive Board Meeting at Strieter Motor

February 8: Jerry Coussens, Bill Tubbs, Scott Case, Tyler Bindrum, Leroy Paustian, Marty O'Boyle: Mini meet at Maloney's

February 9: Lori Rochau, Carolyn Scheibe, Becky Bray, Josie Seymour, Jan Trimble, Terry Kishiue, Dr. Anita, Lorraine Lynch, Marcia Brandt, Nancy Glawe, Tricia Kane: Ladies mini meet at Los Agaves

February 10: Jan Touney: Interact Club at NSJH

February 10: Charlie Jones, Tricia Kane, Jim Smith: Play-ground Funding Committee

ASSIGNMENTS

February 17: Set up/tear down: Deb Peterson; Greeters: Loren Rickard and Scott Earl; Song Leader: Jan Trimble; Piano: Jody Johnston-Mohr; Invocation: Bill Tubbs; Sergeant: John Maxwell

February 24: Set up/tear down: Loren Rickard; Greeters: Lori Rochau and Rich Horst; Song Leader: Scott Earl; Piano: Jody Johnston-Mohr; Invocation: Jan Trimble; Sergeant: Brad Burt

March 3: Set up/tear down: Don Sierk; Greeters: Tyler Bindrum and Charlie Jones; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Piano: Teri Wittkowski; Invocation: Scott Case; Sergeant: Jim Smith

March 10: Set up/tear down: Dick Cole; Greeters: Jack Schinckel and Jody Johnston-Mohr; Song Leader: Jody Johnston-Mohr; Piano: Tewanta Lopez; Invocation: Jan Touney; Sergeant: Pat Olsen

March 17: Set up/tear down: Scott Earl; Greeters: Jim Smith and Don Sierk; Song Leader: Lonnie Behnke; Piano: Marguerite Holzworth; Invocation: Jim Koehler; Sergeant: Eric Langan

March 24: Set up/tear down: Mike Donahue; Greeters: Jan Touney and Ken Tank; Song Leader: Jeff Ashcraft; Piano: need a volunteer; Invocation: Scott Earl; Sergeant: Bill Tubbs

March 31: Set up/tear down: Jim Smith; Greeters: Jan Trimble and Fred Mulch; Song Leader: Brian Williams; Piano: Marguerite Holzworth; Invocation: Jan Touney; Sergeant: John Maxwell

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LAST WEEK

LAST WEEK – February 10, 2017 – Diane Martens: Scott County Kids

Sixty one members and guests attended on Friday, including two visiting Rotarians. Ken Beck from Davenport Rotary and Wayne Steen from West Liberty Rotary were present along with Kathy Pezley, Miles Thompson, Nathan Wilkerson, Kristen Ockerman, and pianist, Tewanta Lopez.

Bill Tubbs was the sergeant and entertained everyone with a Valentine quiz. \$61 was collected for right/wrong answers. Charlie Jones gave \$20 to the education fund and announced that as of his last doctor appointment on February 6, he was CANCER FREE! President Jeff Helms offered Auto Show tickets to the membership and collected \$37.

Diane Martens presented interesting information about Scott County Kids; Early Childhood Iowa. The organization believes that every child has the right to be safe, healthy, stimulated and nurtured. Diane works to obtain money to run the various programs that they offer. Many are paired with existing Quad City organization like the Scott County Extension Office, Family Resources and the Head Start program. Their philosophy is that we can have a greater impact on children's lives by working together, rather than working separately. If you desire more information, please go to www.scottcountykids.org

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?