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North Scott Rotary Serves



Rotary Inspiration Playground Dedication

Sheridan Meadows Park

October 21, 2017

THIS FRIDAY AT THE STEEPLEGATE See Page 2 also



North Scott Rotary Member

Kathy Pezley works at QC Career Connections, a department of Eastern Iowa Community Colleges, as a Career Coordinator. In her role she covers a wide territory bringing work-based learning opportunities to middle and high school students. In her previous position at the Small Business Development Center, she heard from business owners of the need for skilled workers. The key for many of these businesses finding their next generation of workers is inspiring today's students to obtain skills now. Pezley earned her undergrad from Iowa State University and is currently working on a Master's of Business Administration from St. Ambrose University. She has worked for EICC in various positions for the last 5 years. Pezley is married and has two sons. In her spare time, she holds leadership roles in several organizations, enjoys knitting, and volunteering.



Speaker this Friday
Dr. Lyn A. Cochran
President Scott Community College

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Dr. Lyn Cochran is our newest President of Scott Community College (SCC). Lyn grew up in Sioux City, IA and first began her career in higher education at Western Iowa Tech Community College in 1992, where she taught courses in history, geography, English, and English Language Acquisition.

Lyn's previous experience includes serving as Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs at North Iowa Community College in Mason City; Dean of the College of Arts, Letters and Sciences at Southwest Minnesota State University in Marshall, MN; Campus Executive Officer and Dean at University of Wisconsin-Richland; Dean of Liberal Arts and Sciences at Central Lakes College in Brainerd, MN; and Assistant Dean for Communications and Industrial Technology at Metropolitan Community College in Omaha, NE.

Prior to beginning at SCC, Lyn served as Assistant Vice President for Organizational Development at Iowa State University Extension and Outreach, where she was responsible for leadership and administration of the Extension and Outreach Units including leading conferences, events and professional development opportunities for 1,200 faculty and staff, and 900 elected officials across the state of Iowa.

Lyn holds a B.A. in history from Coe College, a M.A. in modern European history from University of Notre Dame, and a Ph.D. in education from Iowa State University. She has served as a lecturer for both Drake University and Iowa State University in the areas of Qualitative Research Methodology.

Lyn is married to Doug Cochran, a truck driver and country musician. Lyn has three stepsons: Eric, of Appleton, Wisconsin; Ethan, of New Braunfels, Texas; and Charlie, of La Quinta, California. They also have two Miniature Schnauzers, Kaiser and Lulu, both of whom are rescue animals.

Lyn and Doug enjoy live music, traveling, and driving their 1970 Chevy C10 pickup truck. The Cochrans are passionate about animal rescue and hope to start a musical benefit for animals over the next few years.



Rotarians, family members and other supporters and community members were present for the dedication.

Rotary Inspiration Play Zone Dedication

Oct. 21, 2017
Sheridan Meadows Park,
Eldridge



Dedication and ribbon cutting ...



Hello, Quad Cities!



Ribbon cutting with Mayor Marty O'Boyle, Jeff Ashcraft, Eldridge Park Board and kids.

Rotary Inspiration Play Zone Dedication

Oct. 21, 2017
Sheridan Meadows Park, Eldridge



Jordan Jones, Cameron Jones and Mia Miller are ready to use the playground!



Invocation was by Scott Case.



Club president Dennis Peterson made opening remarks.



Photos by Bill Tubbs
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Dear President Dennis,

I am asking the Rotary Club of North Scott Board of Directors to consider funding God's Mercy Orphanage Center to do one or more of the projects that we have on our "Wish List." We would begin these projects after December 1, 2017. I can provide more details, if requested.

Rent on an acre of cropland for a 3-crop season land lease (just over one year) plus seeds, plant food and pesticides. \$400

Building a Kitchen with a Roof and Pantry \$750

Adding nest boxes, roosts with above-floor manure pit for poultry house \$750

Repopulate the poultry house with layer chicks, starter feed, grower feed and vet. \$500

Remodel goat house to house Rabbits \$300

Transportation Fund to help cover bus fare from Kampala to Kisoro every other week. \$1,200

Salary for Part-Time Teacher and animal caregiver \$1,200

Thank you,

Merle Anderson
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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, 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, October 27: Vocational program: Rotarian Katherine Pezley; Career Coordinator with the Blong Technology Center.

Friday, October 27: After meeting: "Grab for Grub" hunt. Join Patrick and others to call on local businesses for auction donations. Questions? Call Patrick: 563-212-2533.

Friday, November 3: Last day to bring items for the auction to the Steeplegate!

Friday, November 3: Program: Jeff Harrison: Iowa Department of Natural Resources. Chris Cournoyer, Host. November birthdays celebrated.

Friday, November 10: 10:45 A.M. Board of Directors Meeting at the Steeplegate

Friday, November 10: Program: Judge Marlita Greve: Chief Judge of Iowa's Seventh Judicial District. Bill Tubbs, Host.

Friday, November 17: 6-9 P.M. Rallies for Youth Annual Auction at St. Ambrose University Career Center, Rogalski Center, second floor. Each member receives 2 tickets. All other tickets are \$35 each and are on sale. Questions? Call Patrick: 563-212-2533.

Friday, November 24: No meeting. Thanksgiving break.

Friday, December 1: Program: Ben Carlson: Program Director of Camp Shalom. Marcia Brandt, Host. December birthdays celebrated.

MAKE UPS TURNED IN

October 6: Marty O'Boyle, Kelly Meyer, Pat DeLuca: Special Olympics Bowling Skills

October 12: Merle Anderson: Rotary Club of Iowa Quad Cities (gave program)

October 19: Merle Anderson: Rotary Club of Galesburg, IL (gave program)

October 20: Bill Tubbs: Rotary Club of Northwest Des Moines

October 21: Jeff Ashcraft, Brad Burt, Scott Case, Dick Cole, Scott Earl, Steve Fahrenkrog, Warren Hodge, Paul Holzworth, Charlie Jones, Glen Keppy, Nathan Kessler, Terrye Kishiue, Jim Koehler, Tracy Lindaman, Kelly Meyer, Marty O'Boyle, Pat Olsen, Deb & Dennis Peterson, Seth Porter, Greg Schaapveld, Carolyn Scheibe, Jack Schinckel, Josie Seymour, Don Sierk, Steve Suiter, Ken Tank, Bill Tubbs, Ryan Varner, Kim Wilkins, Brian Williams: Playground opening/dedication, Sheridan Meadows Park

October 21: Anita Wubbena, Jack Schinckel, Paul Holzworth, Rich Golinghorst, Jeff Helms, Dick Cole, Jim Koehler, Ryan Varner, Don Sierk, Deb & Dennis Peterson: Sophia Koehler Benefit

ASSIGNMENTS

October 27: Set up/tear: Loren Rickard; Greeters: Jan Trimble and Fred Mulch; Song Leader: Scott Earl; Piano: Teri Wittkowski; Invocation: Jan Touney; Sergeant: Bill Tubbs

November 3: Set up/tear down: Scott Earl; Greeters: Scott Earl and Patrick Olsen; Song Leader: Jeff Ashcraft; Piano: Teri Wittkowski; Invocation: Jan Trimble; Sergeant: Jim Smith

November 10: Set up/tear down: Dick Cole; Greeters: Mike Auliff and Leroy Paustian; Song Leader: Brian Williams; Piano: Tewanta Lopez; Invocation: Scott Earl; Sergeant: Eric Langan

November 17: Rallies for Youth Auction: Auction Committee

November 24: No meeting

Fellow Rotarians

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If you would like the personal and rewarding experience of changing the life of an Orphan or Vulnerable Child from a life of certain poverty to a life of hope for a better future, consider being a Sponsor of a child at God's Mercy Orphanage Center in Kisoro, Uganda, Africa.

The base cost is only \$200 per year for a child in Primary Grades 1-7 and \$400 per year when the child reaches Senior level Grades 1-4 and Grades 5-6.

If you would like more details, contact me in person or at mla24@aol.com or 563-343-1912 (C).

Merle Anderson

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LAST WEEK

LAST WEEK - October 20, 2017 – Dr. John Byrne: The Race across the Sky

Sixty three attended on Friday, including Mark Carlson from Moline Rotary, Terry Westbrook from East Moline/Silvis Rotary and Tony Knobbe, guest of Ken Tank. Also present were Abby and Elsa from the North Scott High School Service Club. Mike Thavenet announced that he is a grandpa, again. Bert Vigen is taking a different job in Mason City on December 1. He will miss North Scott Rotary. Donn Wilmott announced the engagement of his oldest daughter. Leroy told about Linda's foot surgery and we heard an update on honorary member, Bill Puck.

Kelly Meyer was the sergeant and collected \$106 in fines. John Maxwell auctioned off the goodies of the week for \$315. Thank you Lori Rochau, Marcia Brandt, Paul Holzworth and Deb Peterson for donating items and also to Warren Hodge, Steve Suiter, Marcia Brandt and Ken Tank for purchasing them.

Merle Anderson and the GMOC are still in need of sponsors for the orphans in Uganda. Jan Touney said that the Junior High Interact Club is selling tee shirts for \$10 for animals affected by the hurricanes in Texas and Florida. You may order them at the meetings until November 3. Patrick asked members to sign the common list for auction tickets, available at the front table during Rotary meetings.

John Byrne was the speaker and gave remarkable details of his four times participating in the Leadville 100 race in Colorado. The race is held at 10,152 foot altitude, is 100 miles long and must be completed in 30 hours. Only 50 per cent finish the race and 40-60 year olds have the highest finish rate. You must follow the race markers and check in at all the check points to complete the race successfully. John has completed the race 3 times and the fourth time he missed a marker in the dark became lost and missed the 70 mile check point. John has many goals in life, including successfully completing 100 consecutive free throws.

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?