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HOW TO BECOME A PAUL HARRIS FELLOW

This would happen at our Foundation Meeting on May 18th.

The Foundation Committee and the board of Directors is offering club points as a match to all members to become a first time Paul Harris Fellow (or an additional Paul Harris fellow). This offer is only good until May 2.

Example: If your recognition balance with Rotary International is 2500, you would need to donate \$250 and the club would match with 250 points. Then your balance would be 3000 and Rotary International would award you your third Paul Harris.

The money that goes to Rotary International is the funds that are held and used for District and International Grants. North Scott Rotary has utilized these funds most years.

See more information on page 2:

THIS FRIDAY AT THE STEEPLEGATE



Gunda Davis >> wrote:

Pumpkin Soup and Shrapnel – Growing Up Under the Third Reich, is a memoir of a person who grew up in Berlin, Germany, beginning in 1939. In the process she survived the allied bombing of Berlin, the Russian onslaught through East Prussia, the terrible chaotic days of the horrific final battle for Berlin, and the starvation which ensued thereafter. She was the daughter of early and ardent members of the Nazi party. The book also deals with the indoctrination of a young child in Hitler's Reich and Communist East Germany. She later embraced freedom in West Berlin and studied at the universities of Berlin and Heidelberg.

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GMOG Global Grant: Totally finished!

Dear Rotarians:

Thank you for submitting the final report for Global Grant GG1420604. The report has been reviewed and is complete. The Foundation will now mark the grant closed. Your cooperation in fulfilling this requirement is greatly appreciated.

Many thanks to all the Rotarians who gave their time, funds, and expertise to implement this grant. Your contributions support The Rotary Foundation's mission to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

Sincerely,

Rebeca Mendoza

Regional Grants Officer | Rotary Grants

Dear Merle and All,

Hallelujah! We waited and hoped that this day would come ... “the report has been reviewed and all is complete” ... all “Ts” crossed and “Is” dotted ... and lives changed. THANK YOU, Merle and Robbinah, for the vision and to all who participated and support our project in many ways. Onward and upward thru Rotary.

Bill Tubbs

The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into service projects that change lives both close to home and around the world.

During the past 100 years, the Foundation has spent \$3 billion on life-changing, sustainable projects.

With your help, we can make lives better in your community and around the world.

Why should I donate to The Rotary Foundation?

Your donation makes a difference to those who need our help most. More than 90 percent of donations go directly to supporting our service projects around the world.

How does The Rotary Foundation use donations?

Our 35,000 clubs carry out sustainable service projects that support our six causes. With donations like yours, we've wiped out 99.9 percent of all polio cases. Your donation also trains future peacemakers, supports clean water, and strengthens local economies.

What impact can one donation have?

It can save a life. A child can be protected from polio with as little as 60 cents. Our partners make your donation go even further. For every \$1 Rotary commits to polio eradication, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation has committed \$2.

**Rotary International President
Ian Riseley, Sandringham, Australia**

Governor, Rotary District 6000

Mike Ruby, Muscatine, IA

Ass't Governor

Gary Loss, 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 pmMuscatine, Rendezvous, 3127 Lucas St.
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, noonRock 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, April 27: Program: Mrs. Gunda Davis: Author of Pumpkin Soup and Shrapnel. Her memoir of growing up under the Third Reich in Berlin, Germany. Chris Cournoyer, Host.

Friday, May 4: Program: Paul Boffeli with Build to Suit. Information on the construction of the NEW BettPlex. Tracey Lindaman, Host. New member induction of Tony Knobbe. May birthdays celebrated. 50/50 raffle by Steve Fahrenkrog.

Friday, May 4: 1:00 P.M. Foundation Committee meeting.

Friday, May 11: 10:45 A.M. Board of Directors Meeting at the Steeplegate.

Friday, May 11: Program: Youth Day. Scholarships will be awarded. Alessandro Lomaestro, Rotary Youth Exchange Student from Italy will recap his year, sponsored by Bettendorf Rotary Club. NSJH Interact students will attend.

Friday, May 18: Program: Foundation Day. Chris Connolly, Chair.

Friday, May 25: No meeting. Holiday.

Friday, June 1: Program: Mary Mosiman: Iowa State Auditor and Member of Rotary Club of Ames, IA. Rich Horst, Host. June birthdays celebrated. 50/50 raffle by Greg Schaapveld.

Friday, June 8: 10:45 A.M. Board of Directors Meeting at the Steeplegate. New board members encouraged to attend.

Friday, June 8: Program pending.

Friday, June 15: Program pending.

Thursday, June 21: 5:30 pm Installation of President Elect, Jeff Ashcraft at Sheridan Meadows Park and Inspiration Playground, Eldridge. Families are invited. Watch for sign up opportunities.

Friday, June 22: No meeting, replaced by June 21.

June 23 – 27: Rotary International Convention in Toronto, Ontario. Contact Erna Morain for information at morain4rotary@gmail.com. Or call 515-987-9593.

Friday, June 29: Program pending.

Thursday, July 19: 5:30 P.M. Rotary Night at the Ballpark for Miracle Field. All area clubs will have the opportunity to attend this game in support of the Miracle Field. General admission tickets will be available to purchase for \$8 each, later in May, at the regular meetings.

MAKE UPS TURNED IN

April 16: Matt Maiers: Rotary Club of Davenport

April 17: Merle Anderson: Rotary EClub

April 18: Dr. Anita Wubbena: Rotary EClub

April 18: Jeff Ashcraft, Jeff Helms, Brad Burt, Jeremy Kaiser, Dennis Peterson: Executive Board Meeting

April 18: Rob White, Donn Wilmott, Tom Messer, Jerry Coussens, Nathan Kessler, Nikki Dillon, Rich Golinghorst, Marty O'Boyle, Jim (Bev) Smith, Glen (Jean) Keppy: Mini meet at Maloney's

April 19: Bill Tubbs: D6000 Public Image Committee Conference Call

April 20: Dennis Peterson, Jeff Ashcraft, Jeremy Kaiser, Brad Burt, Steve Fahrenkrog, Josh Cobie, Deb Peterson, Jeff Helms, Tricia Kane, Nathan Kessler, Patrick Olsen, Ryan Varner, Marty O'Boyle, Greg Schaapveld, Donn Wilmott, Bill Tubbs, Steve Suiter: Board of Directors Meeting

April 24: Jeff Ashcraft: QC President Elect's meet with AG Gary Loss

ASSIGNMENTS

April 27: Set up/tear down: Deb Peterson; Greeters: Jack Schinckel and John Hutchcroft; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Piano: Tewanta Lopez; Invocation: Scott Case; Sergeant: Brad Burt

May 4: Set up/tear down: Loren Rickard; Greeters: Chris Cournoyer and Charlie Jones; Song Leader: Jan Trimble; Piano: Teri Wittkowski; Invocation: Rev. Rich Pokora; Sergeant: Pat Olsen

May 11: Set up/tear down: Deb Peterson; Greeters: Marcia Brandt and Jan Touney; Song Leader: Paul Holzworth; Piano: Tewanta Lopez; Invocation: Jan Touney; Sergeant: Kelly Meyer

May 18: Set up/tear down: Dick Cole; Greeters: Matt Meirs and Sean Finch; Song Leader: Kelly Meyer; Piano: Marguerite Holzworth; Invocation: Jan Trimble; Sergeant: Eric Langan

May 25: No meeting

DUES INCREASE

Due to rising costs for the operations of the North Scott Rotary Club, (International and District Dues increase. Small increase in the cost of meals, which when multiplied by 13 meals a quarter, does add up to more than you would think), the board of directors has voted on a \$5.00 per quarter, increase in dues, effective July 1, 2018. The basic dues for a 3 month period will then be \$175 and the required giving to the Paul Harris Foundation will remain at \$25. The new total per quarter will be \$200.00. There has not been an increase in dues for 4 years. Thanks to everyone for understanding

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LAST WEEK

LAST WEEK – April 20, 2018 – Jeff Ashcraft: Goals/Ideas for 2018-19 Presidential Year

Sixty four attended on Friday, including guests Ryan Johnson and Gregg Hancock. Also present were Tracy Denahy, North Scott HS counselor and Jiwaporn Kup, an international student from Thailand.

Dennis thanked the membership for their support of the Mini District “Toast” meeting, the previous week. Cody Allen gave a quick recap of the Q.C. Big Table events of the weekend and the Foundation Committee match was explained.

Becky Bray was happy to announce that she has been with Scott County Extension for 40 years and sad for the death of a former co-worker. Jim Koehler thanked everyone for the continued prayers for his granddaughter Sophia, as she remains cancer free. Rich Golinghorst announced that his son recently became a corporal with the U.S. Army. Alex Dirck is happy about a job change on May 1, as she will be employed by Bush Construction. Our entertaining sergeant, Jim Smith, collected \$131 in fines!

The new board members and person in line for president for July 1, 2018 were presented for a vote to the club. Board members will be Rich Horst, Josie Seymour, Dr. Don Sierk, Josh Cobie and Tyler Bindrum, as sergeant of arms. The presidential candidate is Patrick Olsen. John Maxwell made the motion to accept these members and Ryan Varner seconded. The lineup was approved.

President elect Jeff Ashcraft divided the room into four sections. Each had an easel to record ideas for Jeff to ponder for changes for his year. The categories he touched on were: What shall the club do MORE of? What should the club do LESS of? What do you LIKE? What do you DISLIKE? We will anxiously await the recap of answers from Jeff. (Apologies to Jeff if I forgot something). Each member was asked to select some committees they would like to serve on next year!

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?