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North Scott Rotary Serves

Foundation Minute for Week of August 6

Ricardo Roman was shopping with his wife at a department store in Chile in 2012 when a woman in her early 20s approached him. He didn't recognize her – for two good reasons – he had last seen her more than a decade earlier and her smile had changed drastically!

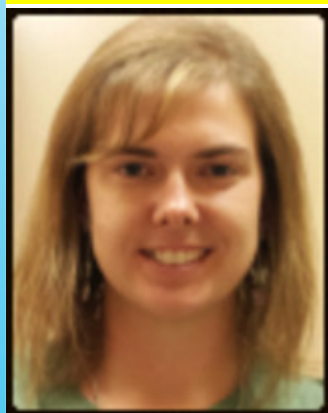
Roman, a member of the Rotary Club of Renaca, Chile, is the national coordinator of a program that has helped thousands of children in Chile with cleft lips, palates, and other birth defects – including this stranger who now wanted to give Roman a hug.

She told me, "This is my Rotarian smile," Roman recalls, his voice full of emotion, "It was a very gratifying moment."

Since 1993 Rotarians in Chile and the United States have teamed up to provide life-altering reconstructive surgeries. The project was started by California Rotarians and has evolved into a nonprofit organization that has since sent teams to 26 countries.

This is another example of Rotary's People of Action and how Rotarian's ability to give works! Thank you

THIS FRIDAY AT THE STEEPLEGATE



QUAD CITIES BOTANICAL CENTER GARDENS, EDUCATION, AND PROJECT SUPPORT:

Kate Mapes

Title: Gardens & Special Projects Manager

Kate Mapes is an assistant gardener and special projects manager. She enjoys overseeing the Children's Garden river maintenance and watching children and families enjoying the water! Kate grew up on a dairy farm in Port Byron, where the outdoor world inspired her to pursue a career in plants. After earning a Bachelor of Science degree in Ornamental Horticulture at the University of Wisconsin - Platteville, she interned at the Living with the Land ride in Epcot at Walt Disney World. Kate has been with the Center on a part-time basis since 2007 and was excited to join the staff full time in 2014. In 2017, she received the honor of "Top 40 under 40" from Greenhouse Product News.



Gods Mercy Orphanage Kitchen

Dear Dennis, Jeff, and all NS Rotarians

Here is a photo of the exterior of the new kitchen at "God's Mercy Orphanage Center" in Kisoro, Uganda. Except for gutters and a downspout that goes into the water storage tank used for rain harvesting, the exterior is nearly complete.

The Rotary Club of North Scott provided \$1,000 for the construction of the permanent kitchen. However, my estimate was not quite enough.

In order to put in windows, a charcoal stove and pantry, I authorized Robbinah to use a portion of the \$750, contributed by North Scott Rotary to update the chicken house with roosts and nest boxes. Due to market conditions and lack of labor, we are not operating the chicken house right now anyway.

We also fell short of completing the Security Fence that goes around the perimeter of the property. I authorized Robbinah to use most of the remaining \$750 to complete the fence and repair the steel gate.

I hope this action meets the approval of the North Scott Rotary BOD. I have asked the Program Committee to give me a date in October to give an update to our membership on our two major construction projects and why I took the actions I did.

I also want to show the handover of the water system from Rotary to the Community of 10,000 villagers that now benefit from our Global Grant with clean water. I also will show the graduation of 28 adult women that learned to read, write and do simple math as a result of our GG. Finally, I want to demonstrate how easy it is to sponsor a deserving orphan or vulnerable child at GMOC.

Mary Lou and I are leaving on Friday to take a vacation out west. We will be in S. Dakota, Wyoming, Colorado and Nebraska and expect to return home after Labor Day.

I am available by E-mail or cell phone.

Yours In Rotary,

Merle

Rotary International President
Barry Rassin, New Providence, Bahamas

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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

Thursday, August 9: 7:00 a.m. Club Finances Committee meeting, Steeplegate Restaurant. . Co-Chairs: Dennis Peterson and Steve Fahrenkrog

Friday, August 10: 10:45 a.m. Board of Directors meeting at the Steeplegate.

Friday, August 10: 1:00 P.M. Golf Committee meeting. Co-Chairs: Tom Messer and Josh Cobie

Friday, August 10: Program: Kate Mapes: Quad City Botanical Center. Rich Horst, Host. **COLLECTION OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES;** Please consider donating.

Friday, August 17: Program: Brendan Iglehart: Founder & Owner of altSTATES Travel; Interesting trip to North Korea. Chris Connolly, Host. **COLLECTION OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES;** Items and/or cash accepted.

Friday, August 17: Mud Run Committee meeting at Warren Hodge home to assemble swag bags, Time to be announced.

Saturday, August 18: Mud Run: 3 mile obstacle run will be held in Coal Valley, IL. This is a new adventure for NSR, chaired by Ryan Varner. For more information, or to register to participate go to www.mississippimudder.com

Friday, August 24: Meeting at Eldridge Community Center. Speaker: Marty O'Boyle; Mayor of Eldridge.

Friday, August 31: NO MEETING Labor Day Weekend.

Friday, September 7: Program: PDG Chris Knapp, D6000 Foundation Chair. Host, Chris Connolly. September birthdays celebrated. 50/50 drawing by Jeremy Kaiser.

Friday, September 14: Golf Outing at Glynn's Creek Golf Course, Scott County Park. Tom Messer and Josh Cobie, Co-Chairs

Friday, September 21: 10:45 a.m. Board of Directors meeting at the Steeplegate.

Friday, September 21: Program: John Maxwell: Robotics, Genomics, Agriculture updates.

Friday, September 28: Program pending.

MAKE UPS TURNED IN

July 25: Jim Smith and Jerry Coussens: Rotary Club of Oshkosh Southwest, WI

July 26: Corn Boil desserts furnished by: Crista Ashcraft, Dr. Anita, Linda Paustian, Anna Runge, Sheila Volrath, Jean Schinckel, Mary Ann DeLuca, Jan Touney, Nikki Dillon, Tracey Lindaman, Mary Golvinghorst.....many thanks!

July 27: Kelly Meyer: RAGBRAI with West Liberty Rotarians
August 1: Joe DePaoli, Merle Anderson, Marty O'Boyle, Rob White, Dick Cole, Jim Smith, Jerry Coussens, Tom Messer: Mini meet at Maloney's

August 3: Sheila Volrath, Marcia Brandt, Hank Runge: Jim Victor Memorial Service

August 3: Rich Horst, Chris Cournoyer, Scott Case, Bill Tubbs, Deb Peterson: Program Committee Meeting

ASSIGNMENTS

August 10: Set up/tear down: Jack Schinckel; Greeters: Sean Finch and Gregg Hancock; Song Leader: Jan Trimble; Piano: Tewanta Lopez; Invocation: Steve Powell; Sergeant: Josie Seymour

August 17: Set up/tear down: Marty O'Boyle; Greeters: Josie Seymour and Rich Horst; Song Leader: Paul Holzworth; Piano: Marguerite Holzworth; Invocation: Jan Touney; Sergeant: John Maxwell

August 24: Set up/tear down: Peterson's; Greeters: Marty O'Boyle and Nikki Dillon; Invocation: Deb Peterson; Sergeant: Jim Smith

August 31: NO meeting- - - Labor Day weekend

September 7: Set up/tear down: Deb Peterson; Greeters: Jody Johnston-Mohr and Charlie Jones; Song Leader: John Maxwell; Piano: Teri Wittkowski; Invocation: Jan Trimble; Sergeant: Bill Tubbs

September 14: Golf Outing. Invocation: Scott Case

September 21: Set up/tear down: Dick Cole; Greeters: Chris Cournoyer and Fred Mulch; Song Leader: Jeff Ashcraft; Piano: Tewanta Lopez; Invocation: John Maxwell; Sergeant: Brad Burt

September 28: Set up/tear down: Loren Rickard; Greeters: Jeff Helms and Kristen Ockerman; Song Leader: Jody Johnston-Mohr; Piano; Marguerite Holzworth; Invocation: Jim Koehler; Sergeant: Eric Langan

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LAST WEEK

LAST WEEK – August 3, 2018 – RYLA Students; Josie Meyer and Megan Triplett

Forty nine members and guests attended on Friday to learn about the experiences that two of our RYLA students experienced in July at the Rotary Youth Leadership Award Conference, held at Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa. Kelly Meyer was proud to introduce the girls. They told that the days were broken into different activities, such as presentation time (listening to speakers); team time, indoor/outdoor activities and large group activities.

The student's remark every year that it is so awkward at the beginning of the week, because you are thrown into a small group of 10-12 students that you don't know anything about and expected to get along and accomplish tasks and solve problems. As the days go by, you become extremely close and have an entire group of new friends, from around the state.

Guests on Friday were: Mary Jo Weber, Josie Meyer's grandma and Andrea Triplett, Megan's mother. Also Megan Rogennitter, guest of (absent) Patrick Olsen. Ryan Varner was the winner of the August 50/50 drawing and took home \$85. Kelly Meyer was the sergeant and collected \$112 in fines, \$50 from Rob White, as he and Pam are recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

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?