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North Scott Rotary Serves



NEW MEMBER – Theresa White

Theresa White joined North Scott Rotary on Friday, August 16, 2019. She is a retired educator and fulfilled duties as a teacher, counselor and assistant administrator, in the Davenport, Muscatine and North Scott School Systems. Her sponsor is Dick Cole.

Theresa lives in Eldridge, is married to Bob and has four adult sons. She is active in her church, likes to volunteer and plays golf and pickleball. She also enjoys swimming, biking and traveling.

Please welcome Theresa to Rotary!

This Friday at the Steeplegate

Brian Ritter



Brian Ritter is the Executive Director of Nahant Marsh and the Director for Conservation Program through the Eastern Iowa Community Colleges (EICC). He has been with EICC since 2002 and serving at Nahant Marsh since 2007. He holds a BS in Psychology and a minor in Biology from St. Ambrose, an MS in Community Health from Western Illinois University, with additional graduate level and field training in ecology. He also owns raises

goats and produce on his small farm on Highway 22.

Thank You's from our Scholarship Recipients

Dear North Scott Rotary,
Thank you so much for choosing me as a scholarship recipient this year! I am grateful and honored to use this award to further my education. I hope it will assist me in my studies in biochemistry so I might one day become a doctor who can give back to her community.

Thank you,
Sincerely, Alannah Skinner

Alannah Skinner

Dear NS Rotary,

Thank you so much for selecting me to receive one of your scholarships this year! The funds will help me to continue my education at Iowa State University in the fall. I thoroughly enjoyed having lunch and meeting some of the Rotarians.

Thanks again,
Colin Wiersema

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Esmee Belzer

Dear North Scott Rotary,
My name is Esmee Belzer, and I am a recent graduate of North High in Davenport. Earlier this year, I was awarded one of your scholarships! As I enter my final weeks before departing for the University of Iowa, I cannot help but wonder where I would be without the generosity of organizations such as yours. I just wanted to say thank you, for your immense support for me and the Quad Cities community. I will remember and follow in the steps of your philanthropy for years to come, in college and beyond.

Again, thank you so much for your generosity!

Esmee Belzer

I would like to thank the members of the Rotary Club for awarding me with your 2019 scholarship. This will be a great help in my next year at Iowa State, where I plan to work hard furthering my education.

Thank you,
Keaton
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Mark Daniel Maloney, Decatur, Alabama, US

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Erna Morain, Waukee, IA

Ass't Governor

Tim Lane, Bettendorf, 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

Wednesday, August 21: 11:30 am Harvest Party Committee meet at Corner Deli to begin planning event.

Friday, August 23: Program: Brian Ritter; Flood Impact Study comments on Nahant Marsh. Rich Horst, Host.

Thursday, August 29: 12:00 Noon. Auction Committee is meeting in the Steeplegate Restaurant. All are welcome! Questions? Contact Patrick Olsen.

Friday, August 30: NO Meeting; Labor Day Holiday

Friday, September 6: 10:30 am Board of Directors, Committee Chairs and all interested, meet with DG Erna before regular meeting. Steeplegate Inn.

Friday, September 6: Program: District Governor Erna Morain: Goals and Ideas for her year: Rotary Connects the World. September birthdays celebrated. 50/50 drawing by Jeff Martens.

Saturday, September 7: 11:00 am Groundbreaking of Habitat House that NSR is supporting. 716 East 6th Street, Davenport.

Friday, September 13: 10:45 am. Board of Directors meeting in the bar area of the Steeplegate.

Friday, September 13: Program: Kirk Liske with the Waste Commission
of Scott County. Chris Cournoyer, Host.

Friday, September 20: Golf Outing at Springbrook Country Club, DeWitt, IA. \$35 for nine holes of Golf. Guest meals \$13 each. PLEASE sign up by Friday, September 13. Tom Messer, Chair.

Friday, September 27: Program: Empower House; Brain Injury Support Group. Chris Cournoyer, Host.

Friday, October 4: Program: Mark Russell Smith; Director of the Quad City Symphony Orchestra. Chris Connolly, Host. October birthdays celebrated. 50/50 drawing by Tracy Lindaman.

Saturday, October 5: Shop with Hops, LeClaire, IA. We need 10 volunteers to help with the event. More details to come.

Wednesday, October 9: 2 – 6 pm. Harvest Party at Pride of the Wapsi. Jeremy Kaiser, Chair.

Friday, October 11: 10:45 am. Board of Directors meeting in the bar area of the Steeplegate.

Friday, October 11: Program: Representative Dave Loeb sack. Bill Tubbs, Host.

Friday, October 18: Program: George Ryan: I-74 Corridor Manager. Chris Cournoyer, Host.

Friday, November 22: Annual Rallies for Youth Auction. Rogalski Center on St. Ambrose Campus. **SAVE THE DATE!**

MAKE UPS TURNED IN

August 7: Merle Anderson: Mini meet at Maloney's (missed last week)

August 14: Rob White, Jason Happel, Jerry Coussens, Hank Runge, Tom Messer: Mini meet at Maloney's

August 15: Merle Anderson: Rotary Club of Iowa Quad Cities; Honored as that club's Rotarian of the Year.

August 16: Jeremy Kaiser, Dr. Brad Burt, Pat Olsen, Josie Seymour, Steve Fahrenkrog, Dennis & Deb Peterson, Tyler Bindrum, Jeff Ashcraft, Rich Horst, Dr. Don Sierk, Tracy Lindaman, Jeff Martens, Brian Williams, Ryan Varner, Bill Tubbs: Rotary Board of Directors meeting.

August 16: Nikki Dillon, Ryan Varner, Josie Seymour, Warren Hodge, Terrye Kishiue, Tyler Bindrum, Merle Anderson, Tracy Lindaman, Pat DeLuca, Jon Cole, Todd Gullickson, Jeremy Kaiser, Heather Wagner, Fred Mulch: Mud Run Committee meeting.

ASSIGNMENTS

August 23: Set up/tear down: Jim Smith; Greeters: Tricia Kane and Terrye Kishiue; Song Leader: Brian Williams; Piano: Tewanta Lopez; Invocation: Rev. Rich Pokora; Sergeant: Jim Smith

August 30: NO meeting.

NEW WAY TO PAY YOUR DUES

We are now offering a new way to pay your dues. Through First Central Bank, you can sign up for automatic deduction of your dues from your checking account. It can either be once a quarter or a monthly amount. This is an ACH payment and forms are available at the regular meeting. If you have questions or concerns, contact Dennis Peterson.

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LAST WEEK

LAST WEEK - August 16, 2019 – Scott Tunncliff; Hilltop Campus Village

Sixty-eight attended on Friday, including visiting Rotarians, Duncan Cameron, Naples, FL, Mark Carlson, Moline Rotary and Scott Tunncliff, Davenport Rotary. Other guests were Kyle Pruett, Connie Connolly, Jennifer Johnston and Elexus Mowery. Past president, Jeff Ashcraft welcomed Theresa White as the newest member of Rotary in the whole world!

President Jeremy Kaiser was proud to announce that his District Community Services Grant was approved to add 2 large interactive musical instruments to the Inspiration Play Zone at Sheridan Meadows. He hopes to get those installed before the ground freezes. He also announced the Harvest Party date as Wednesday, October 9 at the Pride of the Wapsi.

Jan Trimble announced the groundbreaking for the Habitat of Humanity House that NSR is partially funding. This will be Saturday morning, September 7. Josie Seymour was the sergeant and collected \$110 in fines. At the end of her game, she gave \$20 and announced that she will be having a baby in February of 2020.

Scott Tunncliff has been in Economic Development with Davenport for 10 years. He started out just when the CAT plant was closing, and 5 large buildings were for sale. Scott is proud of all the revitalization in the Hilltop area. Many older structures have been remodeled and maintained. Several new loft apartment buildings have been built and/or renovated. There are plenty of tattoo parlors, saloons/bars and numerous churches. The growth of Palmer College has helped the area be something to be proud of. Hilltop is a state of mind. He hopes that the Greatest Grains building will be sold soon.

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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?