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THIS FRIDAY: At Steeplegate Inn, with Zoom option

Circa '21 Dinner Playhouse

Scott Case arranged for Kimberly Calhoun of Circa '21 Dinner Playhouse, one of the Quad Cities' premiere attractions, to present our program and answer questions this Friday.

Kimberly works in marketing and design for Circa '21 Dinner Playhouse. Originally from central Illinois, near Peoria, she moved to Rock Island almost 35 years ago to pursue her communications degree at Augustana College and has been a Quad-Citizen ever since. She lives in Rock Island with her husband, and they have two adult daughters – one is a Circa '21 Bootlegger! In her free time, Kimberly enjoys theater, reading, travel, and all things Disney related. She is a proud member of the Rotary Club of Rock Island, and would be happy to sell you raffle tickets for their Wine & Dine fundraiser!

Circa '21 Dinner Playhouse is one of two dinner theatres in the country with a performing waitstaff, the Bootleggers. After extensive remodeling, Circa '21 opened in June of 1977 as the Quad Cities' professional theatre.

The concept of dinner theatre was unique to the Quad Cities at the time and has since provided the area with over 250 productions of comedies, dramas, musicals, mysteries, children's shows and celebrity attractions such as Tony Bennett, Mickey Rooney, Phyllis Diller, Pat Boone, The Smothers Brothers, The Lettermen, Dennis Miller, and Roseanne. It is also one of



Kimberly Calhoun

Circa '21

two dinner theatres in the country with a performing wait staff, The Bootleggers.

Circa '21 is housed in the historic Fort Armstrong Theatre, in downtown Rock Island, which opened in 1921. The theatre was originally a vaudeville and silent movie house, among one of the most popular and unique of its day.

In 1978, following the opening of Circa '21, the Fort Armstrong Theatre was listed on the National Register of Historic Places.



New Members/3, 5; IA NICE/4; Polio/6; Quiz/7; Foundation/8

CALENDAR

Friday, March 11-Sunday, March 20: District 6000 Project Team in Xicotepec, Mexico.

Friday, March 17: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **Circa '21 Dinner Theatre**, arranged by Scott Case.

Friday, March 24: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, North Scott Rotarian **Marcie Ordaz**, executive director, **Lift Women's Foundation**. Marcia Brandt program.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, March 22, 23, 24, Virtual North Central President-Elect Training Seminar, 5-7 p.m.

Thursday, March 30: Rotary clubs will host a blood drive at the Steeplegate Inn. Watch for details.

March 31-April 2: Bill and Linda Tubbs, AKS Induction at Rotary International Headquarters, 1560 Sherman Ave., Evanston, Ill.

Friday, March 31: Friendly Friday at North Scott Junior High, welcome students at 7:20 a.m.

Friday, March 31: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **"Our amazing Scott County Library System,"** with library director, Rotarian **Tricia Kane**. Richard Horst.

Friday, April 7: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **"Understanding Your Real Estate Tax Bill,"** with **Tony Knobbe**, Rotarian and Treasurer of Scott County.

Friday, April 14: Board of Directors, 10:30 a.m. at the Steeplegate Inn. Members welcome!

Friday, April 14: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, children's author Allen McCauley, arranged by Drew Wilson.

Saturday, April 15: Rotarians volunteer at the softball throw at East Area Special Olympics track and field competition at NSJH.

Saturday, April 15: District 6000 Regional Conference in Carroll at Carrollton Inn, 5:00-8:45 p.m.

Monday, April 17: Online registration opens for volunteer course marshals at John Deere Classic. Learn more at www.johndeereclassic.com.

Friday, April 21: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **"Vehicle Fraud,"** with **Matt Dingbaum**, fraud investigator, Iowa Department of Inspections, arranged by Tony Knobbe.

Saturday, April 22: District 6000 Regional Conference in Coralville at the Radisson Hotel, 5:00-9:00 p.m.

Friday, April 28: Friendly Friday at North Scott Junior High, welcome students at 7:20 a.m.

Friday, April 28: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, Sara Cross with First Tee of the Quad Cities, arranged by Marcia Brandt.

Saturday, April 29: Presentation of Community Fine Arts Awards at North Scott High School, evening.

Saturday, April 29: District 6000 Regional Conference in West Des Moines at Hilton Garden Inn, 4:00-8:00 p.m.

Friday, May 5: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, Bill Tubbs.

Friday, May 5: Flight to End Polio takes off from Cedar Rapids Airport.

Saturday, May 6: Rotary Leadership Institute at Shive-Hattery, West Des Moines, 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Friday, May 12: At the Steeplegate, **Rotary Foundation Day** at North Scott Rotary, tentative.



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Friday, May 19: At the Steeplegate, **Annual Youth Day** at North Scott Rotary, scholarship awards and youth recognition, tentative.

Friday, May 26: Friendly Friday at North Scott Junior High, welcome students at 7:20 a.m.

Friday, May 26: No meeting, Memorial Day weekend.

Saturday, May 27-Wednesday, May 31: Rotary International Convention in Melbourne, Australia; North Scott Rotarians Chris and Connie Connolly will attend.

Friday, June 2: Community Grants Day at North Scott Rotary, tentative.

Friday, June 9: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, Richard Horst.

Friday, June 16: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program **"Countryside Community Theatre,"** arranged by Scott Case.

Sunday, June 18-Friday, June 30: Team of North Scott Rotarians and one other travels to Imbabaze Centre for Women & Children in Kisoro, Uganda.

Friday, June 23: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom, "Support of Guard & Reserve," arranged by Drew Wilson.

Friday, June 30: (Week of Installation Party)

Wednesday, July 5-Sunday, July 9: North Scott Rotarians serve as volunteer course marshals at John Deere Classic Hole No. 16 with Iowa Quad-City Rotarians.

July 16-21: Iowa RYLA conference at Grinnell College.

Friday, Sept. 6: 2023-24 District Governor Dennis Drager's Official Club Visit.

Friday, Nov. 17: North Scott Rotary Auction and 50th Anniversary at Rhythm City Casino.



MARCH 10, 2023: ANGELA BOELENS, IOWA NICE

North Scott Rotary membership reached an all-time high of 110 with the induction of four members March 10, (l-r): Jim Smith, sponsor of Paul Thronson; Mark Harvey with sponsor Tyler Bindrum; past president Pat Olsen; Ardita Grunwald and sponsor Jill Grunwald; and Rily Grunwald and sponsor Dale Grunwald.

Photo by Editor

Membership is 110, most ever for NS Rotary!

March 10, 2023: Fifty-nine attended in person at the Steeplegate Inn and two by Zoom: **Dr. Don Sierk** and **Steve Suiter**. **Tewanta Lopez** played piano, **Jeff Ashcraft** led singing of "America the Beautiful" and "Welcome Song," and **Chance Berger's** reflection was "the most important lesson from my grandfather: always leave something better than you found it!" **Deanna Jensen-Valliere** introduced visiting Rotarians and guests: Rita **Rawson** and **Erica Schroeda-Cerda** (guests of **John Maxwell**), **Steve Berish** (guest of **Drew Wilson**), and **Geraldine Thronson** (guest of **Paul Thronson**).

President-Elect Tracy Lindaman subbed for president **Josie Cochuyt**, who had a family priority. She presented a Blue Badge to **Mitch Amhof**. A special welcome to **Mike Thavenet**, back at Rotary after months away because of health! "Gratitude to everyone who was on this journey with me. I'm free as a beast!"



Mike Thavenet

Welcome back!

New members

Four members were inducted (photo, above). Thank you to sponsors, and welcome, all! With the inductions, North Scott Rotary reached an all-time high of 110, surpassing 106 in 2006.

Announcements

Reading: Theresa White said to watch for signups to read to students at Ed White Elementary in

Eldridge in April. (See schedule for Alan Shepard on p. 5.)

District Conference: **Tracy** encouraged signups for the District Conference, April 22 at Coralville. A signup sheet is in your newsletter.

Community Needs: **Tracy** reported the board earlier today designated \$30,000 for Community Needs grants, and \$15,000 for one Impact Grant.

Rotary Quiz: Four members emailed the answer of Rotary Youth Exchange: **Stephanie Eckhardt, Dr. Brad Burt, Merle Anderson** and **Deb Peterson**. Members who have been home hosts (with their families) or counselors over the years included Dennis and Deb Peterson, Scott Case, Paul Kalainoff, Bob Bainter, Bill Tubbs, Lori Rochau, Dr. Fred Mulch, Glen Keppy, Joe Stutting, Scott Kurtz, Bob Grove, Fr. Bill Kaska and James Campbell.

Personals:

Danielle Hines is happy she and her husband passed the Certified Financial Planner exam. They are off to New Zealand! (Have a GREAT trip!)

Michele Darland thanked the volunteers at the shoe project at Monroe Elementary.

Jeff Ashcraft is excited about Quad City Music Guild's "RENT," which he is directing. Shows are March 24, 25 and 26, and April 1 and 2. He tipped his hat to scenic designer, **Crista Ashcraft!**

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MARCH 10, 2023: ANGELA BOELENS, IA NICE

10 Ukrainian families received annually

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Matt Rus is anticipating parenthood for the first time. Congratulations!

Sergeant-at-arms Dr. Brad Burt remarked about meeting a stranger in Arizona who knew **John Maxwell**. Brad raised \$47 in fun fines, including all Iowa State fans, and new members.

Bill Tubbs introduced **Angela Boelens** who told about Iowa NICE receiving refugees from Ukraine.

Angela Boelens has a bachelor of arts degree from Western Illinois and an MBA from the University of Iowa, and teaches corporate citizenship, business and marketing at Augustana College, but the resident of DeWitt is making Ukrainian refugees feel at home through her work with the 501C3 she and others created, Iowa Nice.

Speaking at Rotary on March 10, she recalled attending our meeting when Augustana president Dr. Tarentino spoke in January. She will be joining the Rotary Club of Iowa Quad Cities, because the breakfast meeting fits her schedule, but, she said, "I feel a connection to this group (North Scott Rotary)."

Shortly after Putin's armies invaded Ukraine in February 2022, Angela went through training to be a sponsor for refugees. She told the story of Anna and Pasha Zaharchenko, who fled Kyiv, and the hardships and decisions they had to make. He is a big man, a wrestler, and was going to stay and fight. Then a rocket fell on their neighbors' house and killed a family of eight. Their daughter, Sophia, has special needs. He decided to stay with the family. "They got in touch with me and made travel plans. They put their faith in us."

By Nov. 2 they were on a plane with two suitcases and \$200. Angela received a picture when they were on the plane. Most refugee families are with Youth for You, or United for Ukraine. "These people have been through so much!"

Twenty donors in DeWitt gave \$20,000. Because of their generosity, a 501C3 was formed. "This is such a generous community!" Since October 2022, Iowa Nice has helped eight families and three pets. "All have new homes and happiness in Iowa. All have employment and are on track for self-sufficiency within 120 days of their arrival. They love this area. We have been able to get them to self-sufficiency. We navigate ways to help."



Angela Boelens.

Photo by Editor

Iowa Nice is helping with housing, cars, doctors, English language, and financial resources. "It's not a board of directors; it's a community."

The goal is to help 10 more families in 2023, and then 10 every year. Some training is needed to be a sponsor – the people who fill out the I-24 documents and provide financial and technical expertise. What's needed, Angela said, "is time investment and a heart to be a sponsor."

Anyone wishing to help, or wanting information, contact Angela at 563-299-7956, or aboelens@ianice.org.



Mitt Amhof received his blue badge from president-elect Tracy Lindaman.

Photo by Editor

CLUB SERVICE

GREETERS

March 17: Jack Schinckel,
Jan Touney
March 24: Jeff Martens,
Chance Berger

PIANO

March 17: Josh McKinney
March 24: Marguerite
Holzworth

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

March 17: Jim Smith
March 24: Deanna Jensen-

Valliere

March 31: Jeremy Kaiser

SONG LEADER

March 17: Drew Wilson
March 24: Jody Johnston-
Mohr
March 31: Paul Holzworth

REFLECTION

March 17: Deanna Jensen-
Valliere
March 24: Drew Wilson
March 31: Becky Bray

MAKEUPS/ROTARY ENGAGEMENT

Please turn in makeups to **Deb Peterson** at: dennis.peterson1@gmail.com, or nsrotary@aol.com.

March 7: Jordan Williams and Jill Grunwald, Rotary Reads at John Glenn Elementary, Donahue.

March 8: Josie Cochuyt and AG Jeff Ashcraft (Iowa QC presidents' meeting).

March 8: Mini-meet at Maloney's: Hank Runge, Jerry Coussens, Jason Happel, Rev. Rich Pokora.

March 9: Tracy Lindaman, Jordan Williams, Dick Cole, Rotary Reads at Alan Shepard.

March 10: Merle Anderson, Rotary Club of Catalina, Tucson, AZ ("They made \$35,000 to \$40,000 selling beer at the Rodeo and 3-day golf tournament. Not one penny was internal money. All outside funds!")

March 10: Board of Directors: Tracy Lindaman, Deanna Jensen-Valliere, Patrick Olsen, Mindy Leahy, Heather Wagner, Tyler Bindrum, Danielle Hines, Ryan Johnson, Sara Somsy, Deb Peterson, Bill Tubbs, Ardita, Rily, Jill and Dale Grunwald.

ROTARY READS

Alan Shepard Elementary in Long Grove schedule is below. We will read at Ed White Elementary, Eldridge, in April.

Alan Shepard (Long Grove)

Tuesday, March 21: Katie White, Dick Cole

Thursday, March 23: Matt Maiers, Jordan Williams

Tuesday, March 28: Dr. Diane Cole, Bill Tubbs

Thursday, March 30: Jordan Williams, Matt Maiers

NORTH SCOTT ROTARY CLOTHING

To order North Scott Rotary clothing:
handicappeddevelopment.org/north-scott-rotary

OUR NEW MEMBERS

Mark Harvey is originally from Eldridge and is the new president/CEO of Central Scott Technologies, Inc. His father, the late **Norm Harvey**, was a charter member of North Scott Rotary. Mark and his family (**Tara, Brianna, Brooklyn**) currently live in Grimes, IA, but hope to relocate to the North Scott area soon. He was brought into Rotary by **Tyler Bindrum** and has a degree in telecommunications. Mark is involved with financial mentoring and the volunteer fire department. His hobbies include boating, hunting, and riding his motorcycle.

Paul Thronson and his wife, **Geraldine**, live in Davenport and have two adult children and three grandchildren. He was born and raised in Seattle, WA, but came to the Quad Cities to take a job with PCT Ebeam. Paul was in the aerospace business for the first half of his career. In retirement, he is a substitute teacher for elementary grades at North Scott. He has been a pilot since he was 16 and connected with **Jim Smith** (his sponsor) at the EAA chapter that is building an experimental aircraft in the NS bus garage.

Rily and **Ardita Grunwald** joined Rily's parents, **Jill** and **Dale** as new members of North Scott Rotary. They live near Eldridge and have four young children. They both graduated from Western Illinois University with a degree in engineering. **Rily** has a machine shop in Long Grove and belongs to the EAA and QC Engineering and Science Council. He enjoys flying, yard work, playing in the snow and fixing anything that needs to be fixed. **Ardita** speaks multiple languages, teaches at St. Ambrose, and has her own photography business. She belongs to the QC Chapter of Project Management Institute and WIU Women in Engineering Society.

- by Deb Peterson

Please take time to welcome these four new members!!

MAKEUP OPPORTUNITIES

Monday, Noon..... Clinton, Rastrelli's Restaurant, Lyons

Monday, Noon..... Davenport, Bittner YMCA

Monday, 12:10..... Muscatine, Rendezvous, 3127 Lucas St.

Monday, 12:15..... Moline, Trinity Lutheran, 1313 13th Av.

Monday, 6:00 p.m. .Quad Cities Illinois, HyVee, 42nd Ave., Moline

Tuesday, Noon .. Rock Island, Quad-City Botanical Center

Tuesday, 7:15 p.m. River Cities, Brothers Restaurant, Rapid City, Ill.

Wednesday, Noon..... Bettendorf, Tanglefoot Pavilion

Wednesday, Noon..... Tipton, 1143 Cedar Valley Rd.

Wednesday, Noon..... Maquoketa, Eagle's Club

Wednesday, 5:00 p.m. North Scott Rotary Mini-Meet, Maloney's, Eldridge

Thursday, 7:00 a.m. . Iowa Quad Cities, J-Bar, Elmore Ave.

Thursday, 12:15 p.m. East Moline, Christ United Methodist Church

Thursday, Noon Milan, Pinnacle Club

Friday, Noon North Scott, Steeplegate Inn, Davenport

FLIGHT TO END POLIO

Flight to End Polio takes off May 5



FLIGHT TO END POLIO

This is the current route for the "Flight to End Polio," departing May 5 and returning the last week of July. It is subject to change due to weather, mechanical, safety or local government issues, or at the discretion of the pilots, who plan to stop for several days between most of the destinations. You can follow the flight and find informaton for donating to PolioPlus at www.flighttoendpolio.com.

T-shirts support cause

On May 5, PDG John Ockenfels of the Rotary Club of loa City AM and his cousin's husband, Peter Teahen, will depart the Eastern Iowa Airport in Cedar Rapids on their around-the-world "Flight to End Polio. Their goal is to raise \$1 million for PolioPlus, the No. 1 priority of Rotary International.



PDG John Ockenfels

Toward that goal, they are offering you the chance to purchase a Flight to End Polio t-shirt. The shirts are \$21 (\$11.50 shirt, \$1 packing fee and \$8.50 goes to The Rotary Foundation PolioPlus Fund!

You can order directly from the Wee's Tees Web Store by going to <https://end-polionow.itemorder.com/shop/home/>. Shirts are made of 50 percent cotton and 50 percent polyester. You can choose to have the shirt shipped to you for an additional \$5 or pick the shirt up at Wee's

Tees storefront in Ankeny. District Governor Steve Wieneke will also have a few shirts for sale at the District 6000 Regional Conferences in April 2023. The deadline for the first batch of shirts is March 31, 2023. Those shirts can be picked up or will be shipped on April 14, 2023.

DATE	Locations (Airport ID)	Flight Duration
1.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa USA (KCID)	950 mi., 5 hr., 36 m
2.	Portland, Maine USA (KPWM)	701 mi., 4 hr., 7 m
3.	Narsaruaq, Greenland (BGBW)	676 mil, 3 hr., 58 m
4.	Reykjavik, Iceland (BIRK)	670 mi., 3 hr., 56 m
5.	Wick, Scotland ((EGPC)	640 mi., 3 hr., 45 m
6.	Roskilde, Denmark (EKRK)	527 mi., 3 hr., 5 m
7.	Rotterdam, Holland (EHRD)	350 mi., 2 hr., 3 m
8.	Waterford, Ireland (EIWF)	426 mi., 2 hr., 30
9.	Carpiquet, France (LFRK)	311 mi., 1 h4., 49 m
10.	Lisbon, Portugal (LPPT)	727 m., 4 hr., 16 m
11.	Grenoble, France (LFLLS)	756 mi., 4 hr., 27 m
12.	Munich, Germany (EDDM)	321 mil, 1 hr., 53 m
13.	Iraklion, Greece (LGIR)	982 mi., 5 hr., 45 m
14.	Aquaba, Jordan (OJAQ)	605 mi., 3 hr., 42 m
15.	Abu Dhabi, UAE (OMAL)	1,148 mi., 6 hr., 45 m
16.	Karachi, Pakiston (OPKC)	633 mi., 3 hr., 43 m
17.	Nagpur, India (VANP)	696 mi., 4 hr., 19 m
18.	Colombo, Sri Lanka (VCBI)	455 mi., 2 hr., 40 m
18.	Phuket, Thailand (VTSP)	1,098 mi., 6 hr., 27 m
19.	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (WMKK)	379 mi., 2 hr., 13 m
20.	Bali, Indonesia (WADD)	1,058 mi., 6 hr., 13 m
21.	Darwin, Australia (YPDN)	953 mil., 5 hr., 36 m
22.	Cairns, Australia (YBCS)	905 mi., 5 hr., 19 m
23.	Brisbane, Australia (YBBN)	749 mi., 4 hr., 38 m
24.	New Calendoncia (NWWW)	784 mi., 4hr., 51 m
25.	Nadi, Fiji (NFFN)	684 mi., 4 hr., 14 m
26.	Pago Pago, American Samoa (NSTU)	714 mi., 4 hr., 25 m
27.	Christmas Island, Kiritimati (PLCH)	12,58 mi., 7 hr., 47 m
28.	Honolulu, Hawaii USA (PHNI)	1,155 mi., 7 hr. 9 m
29.	San Diego, California USA (KSAN)	2,271mi., 14 hr., 4 m
30.	Temecula, California USA (F70)	50 mi., 0 hr., 19 m
31.	Denver, Colorado USA (KAPA)	693 mi., 4 hr., 17 m
32.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa USA (KCID)	615 mi., 3 hr., 48 m
Approximate Totals		25,338 mi., 157 hrs
(Schedule subject to change)		

NOTES

UGANDA: Seven from North Scott Rotary and **Doug Peterson** from Iowa Quad Cities Rotary are making plans to travel to Kisoro, Uganda, to meet the people and visit our international project at the Imbabaze Centre for Women and Children, June 18-30. Organizer **Merle Anderson** reports that the Rotary Club of Tipton is sending \$500 plus \$200 from president **Laurie Brandenburg**. "We will add that to the \$3,000 from North Scott Rotary and \$1,000 from **Lois (Auliff) Murdoch** for a total of \$4,700. That will allow Robbinah to do about six of the priorities on her 'Wish List.'" Traveling to Uganda from North Scott Rotary will be **Merle Anderson, Jeff and Crista Ashcraft, Dick Cole, Pat DeLuca, Sara Somky and Bill Tubbs**.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE: North Scott Rotarians thus far registered for District Governor Steve Wieneke's "Imagine" District Conference April 22 at the Coralville Radisson are: **Tracy Lindaman, Theresa White, Deanna Jensen-Valliere, Merle Anderson, Bill Tubbs (Linda), and Deb Peterson** and her guests, **Danelle and Ron Knoche**. This is an abbreviated District Conference, from 5-9 p.m. on Monday. Come, join like-minded people to celebrate Rotary. A registration form is on page 9 of this newsletter.

AKS: The weekend of March 31-April 2, **Bill and Linda Tubbs** will be among 40 couples from 14 countries inducted into the Arch Klumph Society Trustees' Circle for contributions to The Rotary Foundation, at RI Headquarters in downtown Evanston, Ill. This is a special occasion for the Tubbses, who invite Rotarians to join them for a day(s) of Rotary Inspiration. If interested, contact Bill at 563-579-7402, or btubbs@northscottpress.com.

Rotary Quiz**Test your Rotary knowledge!**

- 1) Since 1977, North Scott Rotary has provided volunteers for an organization serving differently-abled persons. Rotarians have continued their support annually to the present (except during Covid). We will do so again on Saturday, April 15 at North Scott Junior High. What is the name of the organization?
- 2) In support of this organization, Rotarians traveled to Ames in July 2006 to volunteer at what special event?

Email answers to: btubbs@northscottpress.com.

If you have not had a turn at being Mystery Rotarian, please call Bill at 563-579-7402, or email btubbs@northscottpress.com with fun facts about yourself!

YOUTH EXCHANGE**Rotary Youth Exchange**

The editor received this photo last week from **Nicolas Ingaramo**, a Rotary Youth Exchange student from Argentina whose home hosts were the Glen and Jean Keppy family in 2003-04. "Sending my regards to the great North Scott community!" he wrote on LinkedIn. Nicolas was an outgoing young man with a bigger-than-life personality who had high personal aspirations. His current position, according to LinkedIn, is "Global SME Product Director for Fintechs and Enablers at Mastercard."

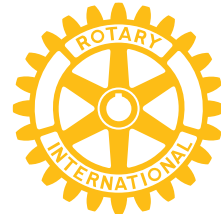
BUFFET MENU

Menu for March 17: Pork loin served with mashed potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, and a mixed green salad. We will also offer a meatless option of Mushroom and Spinach alfredo pasta.



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Rotary Foundation Matching Funds

North Scott Rotary has a proud tradition of support for programs of The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International. From now until April 14, your gift to advance to your next level of giving will be matched.

Example 1: Your cumulative giving is \$500. Your gift of \$250 will be matched to achieve \$1,000 Paul Harris Fellow recognition.

Example 2: Your cumulative giving is \$1,200. Your gift of \$400 will be matched to achieve \$2,000 Paul Harris Fellow + 1. Etc.

Club exec secretary (Deb) can tell you your cumulative giving total. Give your checks to Deb on or before April 1. Donors will be recognized at North Scott Rotary's Rotary Foundation Day, May 12.

The mission of The Rotary Foundation is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

Rotary Foundation Recognition Levels:

- \$1,000-1,999, PHF, original PHF pin
- \$2,000-2,999, PHF+1, one sapphire
- \$3,000-3,999, PHF+2, two sapphires
- \$4,000-4,999, PHF+3, three sapphires
- \$5,000-5,999, PHF+4, four sapphires
- \$6,000-6,999, PHF+5, five sapphires
- \$7,000-7,999, PHF+6, one ruby
- \$8,000-8,999, PHF+7, two rubies
- \$9,000-9,999, PHF+8, three rubies
- \$10,000-24,999, Major Donor level 1, one diamond
- \$25,000-49,999, Major Donor level 2, two diamonds
- \$50,000-99,999, Major Donor level 3, three diamonds
- \$100,000-249,999, Major Donor level 4, four diamonds
- \$250,000-499,999, Arch Klumph Society Trustees' Circle
- \$500,000-999,000, Arch Klumph Society Chair's Circle
- \$1,000,000+, Arch Klumph Society Foundation Circle

The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International receives Charity Navigator's highest rating of 4-Stars annually for efficiency and transparency and is ranked in Charity Navigator's top 5 foundations in the world of more than 5,000 that are rated!

The Rotary Foundation's Areas of Focus:

1. Maternal and Child Health.
2. Water and Sanitation.
3. Disease Prevention and Treatment.
4. Basic Education and Literacy.
5. Economic-Community Development.
6. Peace and Conflict Resolution.
7. Environment Protection.

