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THIS FRIDAY: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option

DENNIS DRAGER

District Governor's Official Visit

Dennis Drager was raised on a family farm outside of Tipton, Iowa. After high school he enlisted in the U.S. Air Force. After four years of service, he went to Iowa State University, graduating from Veterinary School in 1985. He practiced in Illinois and Wisconsin for a couple of years before moving to Marshalltown.

Following a 36-year career, Dennis semi-retired to follow his next passion in life, service to others. He now works part time doing some specialized knee surgeries.

Dennis joined Rotary in 2000. He has served his Marshalltown Rotary Club on several committees. His passion in Rotary is for the service clubs provide both locally and abroad. One of the Draggers' best Rotary experiences was hosting an international exchange student, Daniel, for a year.

Heidi is from Marshalltown. She joined Rotary in 2021 when Dennis was nominated to serve as District Governor. She was a part of the team that started the Marshalltown evening Rotary extension. She worked many years in the animal industry, with five years as the executive director of the Animal Rescue League in Marshalltown. She now works as a charter representative for Allegiant Airlines, which helps the Draggers fulfill their love of travel. Heidi will be working



District Governor Dennis Drager and Heidi

with Allegiant, arranging fall football team travel, and thus will be unable to be with her husband when he visits North Scott Rotary.

Dennis' only son, Jason, lives in Clive with his wife and two daughters. That is the primary reason the Draggers now live in Urbandale, an hour away from their home club.

A little bird notified us that Friday is Dennis' birthday. It is special, too, because North Scott Rotary will induct two new members: **Monica Hursey** and **Dr. William Hoover**. *Welcome new members!*

Blue Badge/2; Auditor/3-4, 7; Golf/5, 8; Hawaii/6; Auction/9-11

CALENDAR

- Friday, Sept. 8:** Board of directors meeting at Steeplegate Inn, 10:15 a.m. Meet with **District Governor Dennis Drager**. Any member may attend.
- Friday, Sept. 8:** Golf Committee meeting, 11:15 a.m. at the Steeplegate.
- Friday, Sept. 8:** 2023-24 District Governor **Dennis Drager's** Official Club Visit.
- Friday, Sept. 15:** North Scott Rotary Walt Fahrenkrog Memorial **Golf Outing** at Glynn's Creek Golf Course. Tee time, 12:45 p.m.
- Sunday, Sept. 17:** A special event and program for all sponsors of children at the **Imbabazi Center for Women and Children in Kisoro, Uganda**, will take place at the Masonic Building, Veterans Memorial Parkway, Dav- enport, from 4:15-7:00 p.m. (Yes, children are invited, too!)
- Friday, Sept. 22:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **Club Assembly** led by president **Tracy Lindaman**.
- Friday, Sept. 22:** Auction Committee meeting immediately following the regular Rotary meeting, 1:00 p.m.
- Friday, Sept. 29:** Friendly Friday at North Scott Junior High. Rotarians welcome students at 7:15 a.m.
- Friday, Sept. 29:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, report from travelers to **Imbabaze Centre for Women and Children in Kisoro, Uganda**, tentative.
- Friday, Oct 6:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **Quad-City Storm**, arranged by **Drew Wilson**.
- Friday, Oct. 13:** Board of directors, 10:30 a.m. at Steeple- gate. Any member may attend.
- Friday, Oct 13:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **50 Years of North Scott Rotary**, arranged by **Bill Tubbs**.
- Saturday, Oct. 14:** Rotary Leadership Institute, Mt. Pleas- ant, 8:30-a.m.-3:30 p.m.
- Thursday, Oct. 19-Sunday, Oct. 22:** Zone 29 and 25B Rotary Institute, Evanston and Chicago.
- Friday, Oct 20:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **Mercado on Fifth**, with **Maria Ontiveros**, arranged by **Ardita Grunwald** for **Rita Rawson**.
- Tuesday, Oct. 24:** World Polio Day.
- Friday, Oct. 27:** Friendly Friday at North Scott Junior High. Rotarians welcome students at 7:15 a.m.
- Friday, Oct 27:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **Tom Goodall**, "50 Years of Quad-City Theater," arranged by **Scott Case**.
- Friday, Nov. 3:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, **Rich Horst**.
- Friday, Nov. 10:** Board of directors, 10:30 a.m. at Steeple- gate. Any member may attend.
- Friday, Nov. 10:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, Speaker of the Iowa House of Representatives, **Pat Grassley**, arranged by **Ross Paustian**.
- Friday, Nov. 17:** **North Scott Rotary Auction** and 50th An- niversary at Rhythm City Casino.
- Friday, Nov. 24:** (No meeting, Thanksgiving)
- Friday, Dec. 1:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, **Marcia Brandt**.
- Friday, Dec. 8:** Board of directors, 10:30 a.m. at Steeple- gate. Any member may attend.

50 YEARS OF SERVICE ABOVE SELF

NORTH SCOTT ROTARY

1973



2023



Blue badge

President Tracy Lindaman presented a Blue Badge to new member Riley Grunwald.

Photo by Editor

BUFFET MENU SEPT. 8

Pork loin, fried potatoes, corn, mixed green salad.

AUGUST 25, 2023: STATE AUDITOR ROB SAND

Seventy-one for Auditor Rob Sand

By **Bill Tubbs/Volunteer Editor**

Aug. 25, 2023: It was a HOT day, but attendance jumped to 71 – 63 members and eight guests – with kids in school and State Auditor **Rob Sand** as speaker. **Tricia Kane** and **Steve Suiter** joined by Zoom. **Paul Holzworth** led singing of "America the Beautiful," "Welcome Song" and "R-O-T-A-R-Y" with **Ron May** at the piano. **John Maxwell** gave a reflection with a prayer of thanks. Visiting Rotarians and guests: **Duncan Cameron** (Rotary Club of Naples, FL), **Connie Connolly** (guest of **Chris Connolly**), **Monica Hursey** (guest of **Bill Tubbs**), **Rich Webster** (guest of **Rich Pokora**), **Laura Williams** (guest of **Rita Rawson**, snuck in late), pianist **Ron May**, speaker **Rob Sand** and his mother, **Leslie**.

Announcements

President Tracy Lindaman presented a Blue Badge to **Riley Grunwald** (p. 2).

Golf Outing: **Tyler Bindrum** urged members to get their teams together for the Sept. 15 Golf Outing at Glynn's Creek. (Signup sheet on p. 8.)

Auction: **Pat Olsen** said the goal is 500 in attendance for the 50th Anniversary Auction the evening of Nov. 17 at Rhythm City Casino. We are reaching out to former members. The member assessment of \$100 includes two dinner tickets. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. **Cody Allen** talked about new sponsorship levels, from Bronze (\$500) to Platinum (\$5,000). Details on pp. 9-10. The sponsorship goal is \$50,000.

Governor's Visit: **President Tracy** reminded that **District Governor Dennis Drager** and **Heidi** will make their Official Visit Sept. 6. Please come and show your support!

Personals

Becky Bray, following up on last week's program about mental health, said brochures about farm stress are available from ISU Extension.

Scott Case asked support and prayers for our friend and Rotarian **Jim Koehler**, who has given much to North Scott Rotary. "Remember Jim!"

John Maxwell said he and Joan reached out to Angela Boelens, who presented at Rotary earlier this year about Iowa Nice, which aids Ukrainian refugees. "Joan is half Ukrainian," he said. The Maxwells will sponsor a Ukrainian family the next two years. *Thank you!*

Pat Olsen said he and **Megan** saw the "Yin Panda" project



New member Erica Schroeder-Cerda with Auditor Rob Sand and his mother, Leslie.

Photo by Editor

which provides reassurance and comfort to children, when they took their daughter to school. Yin was a project of Rotary which was promoted by **Josie Cochuyt** in 2022-23.

Dick Cole raised awareness of the Walnut Grove Pioneer Village open house Labor Day weekend at Scott County Park.

Merle Anderson urged sponsors of children at the Imbabwe Centre for Women and Children in Kisoro, Uganda, to RSVP for the Sunday, Sept. 17 meeting at the Masonic Building, Veterans Memorial Parkway, Davenport. The team that traveled there in June will share information about their children. Starts at 4:15 and ends 7:00 p.m.

Stephanie Eckhardt is proud of her daughter who is ranked fourth among 14-15-year-old Iowa girls' golfers. *Congrats!*

Drew Wilson said our member, **Matt Rus**, and his wife are parents of a daughter, born July 26. *Congratulations!*

Tracy Lindaman said **Jack Schinckel** has a new pacemaker. *Best wishes for good health, Jack!*

Sergeant-at-arms Kelly Meyer raised \$65 in fun fines, including \$1 for the new blue badge, for a cattle article featuring **John Maxwell**, and \$1 for early leavers.

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AUGUST 25, 2023: STATE AUDITOR ROB SAND

State Auditor proud of P.I.E. program

NOTES, continued from page 3

Bill Tubbs introduced Auditor of State Rob Sand, who introduced his mother, **Leslie**.

The auditor thanked members that North Scott Rotary is "rowdy," in a good way, like his club, Des Moines AM. He thanked **Scott Case** for lifting up **Jim Koehler** and asked members to reach out to Jim. "If we approach the world and our lives like that, the world will be a better place!"

Below is a report about Sand's message at North Scott Rotary, reprinted with small revisions from *NorScottarian* editor Bill Tubbs' "Impressions" in the Aug. 30 issue of *The North Scott Press*.

Decorah native Rob Sand, 41, was doing well during his seven years in the Iowa Attorney General's office, giving white collar criminals their just rewards. Most notable among them was Eddie Tipton, the mastermind of the largest lottery rigging scheme in American history. Sand's book about the attempted heist, "The Winning Ticket: Uncovering America's Biggest Lottery Scam," rates 4.5 stars on Amazon.

A self-described "good government nerd," he wanted more.

In a talk Aug. 25 at North Scott Rotary he explained: "If you're a cop, there's an amazing amount of work you can do that's fundamentally good. You can save a person's life, locate a missing child, or get somebody's cat down from a tree. When you're a prosecutor you're only looking at the worst things human beings do to each other. My outlook on life was changing (not for the better).

"Then I saw that the state auditor's office has broad authority to promote efficiency in government and they weren't doing it. As auditor, I could wake up every day and think of new ways to save taxpayers' money. What an op-

portunity to go from reacting to the worst, to finding new ways to make things work better."

So the young idealist ran for Auditor of State – and won – in 2018. Four years later, he was the only Democrat to win a statewide election in what has become a deep red state.

It's politics, though, that he eschews. "I don't like political parties. We would be better off without any of them. That's what the founders warned about.

"George Washington, in his farewell address, warned against foreign influence and partisanship. John Adams said, 'the greatest evil possible in this country will be two great parties united only in their hatred of one another.'

"Bingo! Welcome to 2023. Who among us says their highest calling in life is to be a member of a political party? If the amount of effort parties spend fighting each other was put toward solving problems, we would be better for it."

Actions, not words

Upon taking office, the young Sand let actions speak louder than words. "My first two appointments were Republicans who gave money to my opponent. I've got people in my own party who are angry with me about it all the time. I don't care. It's the right way to do it. And that to me is important.

"I have criticized Hunter Biden and defended Kim Reynolds."

Sand is proud of the PIE program which he started which promotes efficiency. PIE stands for **Public Innovations and Efficiencies**. "It's a nine-page checklist that governments can look at; things they can do to save money. We send it out every year and ask that they check practices they do or don't do. That enables us to give out rewards to local participants for saving money.

"If government is running the way it's supposed to, the policy tends to be better, even if people don't get what they want, because they appreciate the process.

"The PIE program is a good way to lift up public servants

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Mahesh Sharma and John Maxwell with Auditor of State Rob Sand.



Auditor Sand with Dale and Jill Grunwald and Kim Wilkins.

Photos by Editor

MAKEUPS/ROTARY ENGAGEMENT

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

Wednesday, Aug. 23: Bill Tubbs, Rotary Club of Maquoketa.

Wednesday, Aug. 23: Mini-meet at Maloney's: Rob White, Hank Runge, Rev. Rich Pokora, Merle Anderson, Jerry Coussens, Marty O'Boyle, Dick Cole.

Wednesday, Aug. 30: Mini-meet at Maloney's: Rob White, Jerry Coussens, Merle Anderson, Rev. Rich Pokora, Jason Happel, Dick Cole, Marty O'Boyle, Jim Smith, Bill Tubbs.

WHERE OTHER CLUBS MEET

Monday, Noon..... Clinton, Rastrelli's Restaurant, Lyons
Monday, Noon..... Davenport, Bittner YMCA
Monday, 12:10..... Muscatine, Rendevoz, 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, 1st and 3rd Wednesdays
.....Tipton, 208 W. Fifth St., Tipton
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

CLUB SERVICE**GREETERS**

Sept. 8: Jody Johnston-Mohr, Pat Olsen

Sept. 15: (golf outing)

Sept. 22: Marcia Brandt, Leroy Paustian

Sept. 29: Jack Schinckel, Warren Hodge

PIANO

Sept. 8: Terri Wittkowski

Sept. 15: (golf outing)

Sept. 22: Tewanta Lopez

Sept. 29: Marguerite Holzworth

SONG LEADER

Sept. 8: Kelly Meyer

Sept. 15: (golf outing)

Sept. 22: Jeff Ashcraft

Sept. 29: John Maxwell

INSPIRATION

Sept. 8: Scott Case

Sept. 15: (golf outing)

Sept. 22: Deanna Jensen-Valliere

Sept. 29: Tony Knobbe

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

Sept. 8: Pat Olsen

Sept. 15: (golf outing)

Sept. 22: Jeremy Kaiser

Sept. 29: Dr. Brad Burt

WALT FAHRENKROG GOLF OUTING

Signups received thus far for the North Scott Rotary Golf Outing, Friday, Sept. 15 at Glynn's Creek (see signup sheet, p. 7). Signup this Friday, or contact Deb Peterson, dennis.peterson1@gmail.com, or call 563-570-4185.

TEAM 1

Messer, Tom

TBD

TBD

TBD

TEAM 9

Powell, Steve

Stutting, Joe

TBD

TBD

TEAM 2

Maiers, Matt

Bindrum, Tyler

Coble, Josh

Varner, Ryan

TEAM 10

Fahrenkrog, Steve

Fahrenkrog, Owen

TBD

TBD

TEAM 3

White, Theresa

White, Bob

TBD

TBD

TEAM 11

Burt, Dr. Brad

White, Rob

Olsen, Patrick

Kaiser, Jeremy

TEAM 4

Helms, Jeff

Helms, Mindy

Knobbe, Tony

Knobbe, Lorene

TEAM 12

Mulch, Dr. Fred

Cramer, Tim

Connolly, Chris

Connolly, Connie

TEAM 5

Runge, Hank

Runge, Anna

TBD

TBD

LUNCH ONLY

Amhof, Roger

Anderson, Merle

Ashcraft, Jeff

Bray, Becky

Case, Scott

Cole, Dick

Cournoyer, Chris

Golinghorst, Rich

Grunwald, Ardita

Grunwald, Dale

Grunwald, Jill

Grunwald, Rily

Horst, Rich

Kessler, Nathan

Lindaman, Tracy

Maxwell, John

Paustian, Leroy

Paustian, Ross

Peterson, Deb

Schinckel, Jack

Schroeder-Cerda, Erica

Smith, Jim

Somsky, Sara

Tomasson, Sara

Tubbs, Bill

TEAM 6

Hurning, Kerri

Hurning, Ike

TBD

TBD

TEAM 7

O'Boyle, Marty

TBD

TBD

TBD

TEAM 8

Hursey, Monica

Jones, Rylee

TBD

TBD

Wear your Rotary pin with pride!

HAWAII: GOVERNOR'S CALL TO ACTION

Dear Rotarians: As you are aware, Maui was devastated by fire and they need our help. Below is a letter from District Governor Mark Merrimack from Hawaii. I have included a link to donate if you are able. Please continue to keep those affected in your prayers. Please consider assisting if you are able. Sincerely,

Dennis Drager, District Governor
Rotary District 6000, Iowa

August 9, 2023 was a tragic day for our Rotarians, families and friends on the Island of Maui. The fires across the island have changed lives forever. Truly devastating. Our sympathy, thoughts and prayers are with everyone impacted.

As people of action, we can take immediate action. As we come together to recover and rebuild, we need to support each other. We need to Create Hope for Maui. Through our Rotary District 5000 Foundation, a relief fund has been established. Foundation President Dave Hamil and Treasurer Sharon Amano will handle all donations. A committee will be organized shortly to find the greatest needs for distribution of monies. A single fund will be the most helpful over time to provide the most significant benefits.

Please consider donating to this special fund, Maui Fires Relief Fund. Mahalo to the Rotary Club of Waikiki for collecting monies at their lunch meeting today. These are the first contributions to the fund. Please also widely share this opportunity to help. Stay safe, take care and mahalo for creating hope.

Mark Merriam, District Governor
Rotary District 5000, Hawaii



SEPTEMBER MEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Sept. 1: Matt Rus
SEPT. 6: Sara Somsy
SEPT. 10: Hank Runge
SEPT. 10: Dr. Don Sierk
SEPT. 13: Kim Wilkins
SEPT. 14: Merle Anderson
SEPT. 17: Tracy Lindaman
SEPT. 19: John Maxwell

SEPTEMBER WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Sept. 3, 1988: Fahrenkrog, Steve & Tammy, 35 years
Sept. 7, 1968: Jones, Charlie & Rita, 55 years
Sept. 12, 1981: Bray, Becky & Mark, 42 years
Sept. 30, 1962: Schinckel, Jack & Georgine, 61 years
Sept. 30, 1989: Anderson, Dwayne & Pamela, 34 years

SEPTEMBER NORTH SCOTT ROTARY INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES

Sept. 1, 1995: Eddie Newman, 28 years
Sept. 5, 2003: Glen Keppy, 20 years
Sept. 8, 2017: Tracy Lindaman, 6 years
Sept. 19, 2014: Tricia Kane, 9 years
Sept. 19, 2014: Deb Peteron, 9 years

SEPTEMBER SPOUSE BIRTHDAYS

Sept. 9: Diana Messer (Tom)
Sept. 19: Natalie Amhof (Mitch)
Sept. 21: Linda Paustain (Leroy)
Sept. 24: Jami Stutting (Joe)

(Above information generated by ClubRunner, provided by Deb Peterson. Please contact Deb at dennis.peterson1@gmail.com if "spouse birthdays" or any other information is incorrect or incomplete.)

NORTH SCOTT ROTARY CLOTHING



North Scott Rotary clothing –
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PROGRAM

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at the local level. So we give out PIE awards. I'll travel the state later this year and give out a certificate they can hang on the wall and a pie they can eat very quickly.

"It's a public service, but if I have to eat five pieces in a day traveling around eastern Iowa on your behalf, I will!" he joked.

Scott County recipients of PIE awards last year were **Bettendorf, Davenport** and **North Scott** schools, **Scott County**, and the cities of **Blue Grass, Davenport, Long Grove, Riverdale** and **Walcott**.

"The program has been a hit. We have participants from every county every year. The state of Mississippi has already adopted it. It is getting copied in Maryland and Tennessee. Oregon and Washington are looking at it, as well.

"We collect ideas local folks have come up with and add it to the program. So anybody can come up with an idea and add to the program. We put it in there. Those are called **Pie Recipes**. They get spread across the state within a year."

Proudest and least proud moments

When asked by **John Maxwell** to explain his proudest moment, Sand said it was when he did not press charges against a defendant in the film tax credit scandal who he said was, "Definitely not a good bookkeeper. Definitely not organized. But I don't think that he's a criminal."

He explained, "When you're a prosecutor you're in a position of power and you can pretty much squeeze a plea out of anyone if you want to, but you're not supposed to do that. I dropped the charges entirely. It seemed to be the right thing to do. Did I make a mistake? I can't tell you I didn't. But I didn't compound the mistake."

His least proud moment, he said, was not explaining the research his office had done in a report regarding the state's prohibition against officials using tax dollars to promote themselves. "It's a good rule," he said.

At issue was Gov. Reynolds featuring herself in paid ads about Covid. The law allows an exception for emergencies, which Sand said his office considered before issuing its report, but failed to mention this. "That led to the tremendous misunderstanding that we had not done a piece of the work which in fact we had done. Our mistake led to that misunderstanding. And it made that report seem like something it wasn't."

Covid funds

Answering a question from **Pat Olsen** about Covid funds, the auditor said Iowa received \$1.25 billion from CARES. "We looked at every piece of it and found two uses that were not appropriate. One was a software program for state government. It was never going to qualify (as a legitimate use). The administration had asked the legislature to fund it the year prior and they said No. The administration said 'we'll just use these Covid funds – \$20 million.' It wasn't particularly close to the line. The federal government agreed and Iowa had to return that money." There was also \$450,000 for salaries in the governor's office which didn't qualify.

ARPA funds totaling \$1.4 billion were distributed to local governments. "Everybody got it. We had a lot of people asking questions from a local level. We didn't find spending that was not in compliance." The biggest reason was they could do what they want with amounts under \$10 million. "You can't go buy beer, but you can spend it on whatever government spends money on."

ROTARY PRINCIPLES

The Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- FIRST:** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- SECOND:** High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- THIRD:** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- FOURTH:** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Rotary Code of Conduct

As a Rotarian, I will:

1. Exemplify the core value of integrity in all behavior and activities.
2. Use my vocational experience and talents to serve Rotary.
3. Conduct all my personal, business, and professional affairs ethically, encouraging and fostering high ethical standards as an example for others.
4. Be fair in all dealings with others and treat them with the respect due to them as fellow human beings.
5. Promote recognition and respect for all occupations which are useful to society.
6. Offer my vocational talent to provide opportunities for young people, to work for the relief of the special needs of others, and to improve the quality of life in my community.
7. Honor the trust that Rotary and fellow Rotarians provide and not do anything that will bring disfavor or reflect adversely on Rotary or fellow Rotarians.
8. Not seek from a fellow Rotarian a privilege or advantage not normally accorded others in a business or professional relationship.

The Four-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 **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

GOLF OUTING



Walter Fahrenkrog *Golf Outing Sign Up*

What: North Scott Rotary's Annual Golf Outing
Arrive early and get your assignments for golf before meal.

When: Friday September 15, 2023 11:45 AM

Where: Scott County Park, Glynn's Creek Golf Course

Cost: Guest meal \$ 16—Full member meal free
Smokin Butt BBQ Lunch

Golf: \$ 30 per person for nine holes

Format: 4 person, Best Ball, Shot gun start at 12:45 pm

Reservations (and cancellations) needed by September 11.

Call Tom Messer at 309-781-4351 with special requests.

Rotarian's Name	Guest's Name	Golf	Lunch Only

Leave at meeting or email to:
Deb Peterson at dennis.peterson1@gmail.com



North Scott Rotary 50th Anniversary Celebration Donation Form

Do you prefer to be recognized by:

- Company Name
- Individual Name

Company / Individual Name: _____

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Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Website: _____

Donated Item: (please be specific, contents or details that will be helpful to know) _____

Item Value: _____



North Scott Rotary 50th Anniversary Celebration | November 17, 2023 Rhythm City, Davenport, Iowa

We invite you to sponsor and attend the North Scott Rotary 50th Anniversary Celebration on November 17th, 2023, at Rhythm City Casino & Resort in Davenport, Iowa. This year's dinner and auction will also be a celebration of 50 years of Service Above Self in our community!

Our annual dinner and auction is the largest and most important fundraiser of the year for North Scott Rotary. Over the past decade, our annual dinner and auction has raised over \$880,000 and invested it back in the community through our grants, scholarships and projects. Our event will consist of a social hour, dinner, silent auction, live auction, and so much more!

North Scott Rotary has 50 years of history supporting local charitable and non-profit organizations which provide assistance and support to a diverse group of people in and around the Quad Cities. All of the money raised at our annual event goes directly back to the local community.

Our event and our impact is made possible through your help and the help of many others supporting our efforts. We ask that you join us in supporting this year's event on November 17th!

For more information on the 50th Anniversary Celebration, please contact Pat Olsen at olsenpatrickd@gmail.com

2023 North Scott Rotary 50th Anniversary Celebration Sponsorship Opportunities

Platinum Sponsor: \$5,000

- 16 tickets to the event with priority seating
- Featured Sponsor on the online bidding platform
- Priority recognition on the event registration webpage
- Priority recognition in select print/marketing materials and on stage
- Priority recognition website, social media, event slide show and signage at the event
- Priority recognition on the club's weekly member newsletter the "Norscottarian"
- Full page color ad in the program booklet featuring a special welcome to the event by you
- 2 additional drink tickets per sponsorship package ticket

Gold Sponsor: \$2,000

- 8 tickets to the event with priority seating
- Premiere logo placement on the online bidding platform
- Premiere Recognition on the event registration webpage
- Premiere Recognition in select print/marketing materials and on stage
- Premiere Recognition website, social media, event slide show and signage at the event
- Premiere Recognition on the club's weekly member newsletter the "Norscottarian"
- Half page color ad in the program booklet
- 1 additional drink tickets per sponsorship package ticket

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Silver Sponsor: \$1,000

- 8 tickets to the event
- Logo Placement on the online bidding platform
- Recognition on the event registration webpage
- Logo Placement in select print/marketing materials and on stage
- Recognition website, social media, event slide show and signage at the event
- Recognition on the club's weekly member newsletter the "Norscottarian"
- Quarter page color ad in the program booklet

Bronze Sponsor: \$500

- 2 tickets to the event
- Logo listed on the online bidding platform
- Logo listed in select print/marketing materials and on stage
- Logo listed on website, social media, event slide show and signage at the event
- Logo listed on the club's weekly member newsletter the "Norscottarian"
- Logo in the program booklet

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