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THIS FRIDAY: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option

Iowa House Speaker Pat Grassley

Ross Paustian arranged for Friday's program, Pat Grassley, Speaker of the Iowa House of Representatives.

Speaker Grassley is currently serving his ninth term in the Iowa House. Pat was born on May 26, 1983, in New Hartford. His father, Robin, is a farmer and his mother, Diane, is a teacher's assistant in the Dike-New Hartford School District.

Pat attended Dike-New Hartford schools, graduating in 2002, and went on to Hawkeye Community College where he graduated in 2004. He has taken courses toward a bachelor's degree at the University of Northern Iowa. Pat farms the family farm with his father and grandfather.

He is the proud father of two daughters, Indee and Reagan, and one son, Chancellor. The family attends the New Hartford Methodist Church. Pat has been active with the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation and Oak Hill Cemetery Foundation Board in New Hartford.

He also supports the Dike-New Hartford community by helping coach area youth sports teams. Pat was selected as Speaker of the House in the fall of 2019. Formerly, he served as chair of the Appropriations Committee. Pat serves on the Administration and Rules Committee as well as the Legislative Council.



Pat Grassley

This Friday:

- ✓ Board of directors at 10:30 a.m.
- ✓ Member induction of Carrie Keppy.
- ✓ Last Goodies Auction until next year.
- ✓ Bring Auction items to sell.
- ✓ Turm in Auction dinner resevatons.

Movies/3-4; Auction/5, 8, 10; Foundation/6 Veterans/6-7; Books/9

CALENDAR

Wednesday, Nov. 8: New Member Orientation to qualify for Blue Badges at the Scott County Library, 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 9: "Pay It Forward to Veterans," at Alan Shepard Elementary, Long Grove. 1:00 p.m. We will be assisting the students in preparing a goodie bag of toiletries and a personal note of gratitude to veterans served by the Veterans Outreach Center in Davenport.

Friday, Nov. 10: Board of directors, 10:30 a.m. at Steeplegate. 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: Friendly Friday at North Scott Junior High, arrive 7:15-7:30 to welcome and show support to students.

Friday, Nov. 17: North Scott Rotary Auction and 50th Anniversary at Rhythm City Casino, doors open 5:00 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 24: (No meeting, Thanksgiving)

Friday, Dec. 1: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, YWCA program arranged by **Marcia Brandt**.

Friday, Dec. 8: Board of directors, 10:30 a.m. at Steeplegate. Any member may attend.

Friday, Dec. 8: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, **Tony Knobbe**.

Friday, Dec. 15: (Week of Holiday Party)

Friday, Dec. 15: Friendly Friday at North Scott Junior High, arrive 7:15-7:30 to welcome and show support to students.

Friday, Dec. 22: (No meeting, Christmas)

Friday, Dec. 29: (No meeting, New Year's)

Friday, Jan. 5: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option: Iowa Secretary of State **Paul Pate**, Human Trafficking Prevention, arranged by **Chris Cournoyer** for **Deanna Jensen-Valliere**.

Friday-Saturday, Jan. 6-7: District 6000 Rotary Youth Exchange Winter Retreat, Paul Kalainoff.

Friday, Jan. 12: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, **Richard Pokora**.

Friday, Jan. 19: **Dr. Barbara Wilson**, president of the **University of Iowa**, arranged by **Chris Cournoyer**.

Friday, Jan. 26: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, Rotarian **Mark Harvey**, CEO, Central Scott Telephone and CST Communications, arranged by **Drew Wilson**.

Friday, Feb. 2: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBS, **Richard Horst**.

Friday, Feb. 9: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, Valentine Party, tentative.


Friday, Feb. 16: **Michelle Hargrave**, Executive Director & CEO of **The Figge**, arranged by **Rita Rawson**.

Friday, Feb. 16: District 6000 AG Orientation, DMACC Newton Campus, 6-9 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 17: President-Elect Orientation and District 6000 Annual Meeting, DMACC Newton Campus, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.


Friday, Feb. 23-Saturday, Feb. 24: North Central President-Elect Training Seminar (NCPETS), hybrid, venue TBA.

Friday, Feb. 23: Happy 119th Birthday, Rotary International! Regular meeting at the Steeplegate, with Zoom



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option, program TBA, **Marcia Brandt**.

Friday, March 1: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, **Bill Tubbs**.

Saturday, March 2: Grant Management Seminar, West Liberty Community Center, 8:30-11:30 a.m.

Friday, March 8: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **Dougal Nelson, Junior Achievement**, arr. by **Scott Case**.

Friday, March 15: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, **Tony Knobbe**.

Saturday, March 16-Sunday, March 24: District 6000 Project Team to Xicotepec, Mexico.

Friday, March 22: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option: Haley DeGreve of "The Gray Matters Collective," arranged by **Deanna Jensen-Valliere**.

Friday, March 29: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, **Richard Pokora**.

Saturday, March 30: District Assembly and Grant Management Seminar, DMACC Newton Campus.

Friday, April 5: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option: University of Northern Iowa president **Dr. Mark Nook**, arranged by **Chris Cournoyer**.

Friday, April 12: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, **Drew Wilson**.

Saturday, April 13: Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI), Grace Community Church, Boone, 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Friday, April 19: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, **Richard Horst**.

Friday, April 19: District 6000 Rotary Foundation Dinner Gala, Pella, 5:30-9:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 20, 2024: District 6000 District Conference, Pella Opera House, Pella, IA.

Friday, April 26: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option: **Mauricio Diaz**, Executive Director of Dress for Success arranged by **Rita Rawson**.

May 25-29, 2024: Rotary International Convention, Singapore.

Nov. 3, 2023: DOUG MILLER, FILM PRODUCTION

Increased attendance and pre-auction energy

By Bill Tubbs/Volunteer Editor

Nov. 3, 2023: The nine tables of eight were nearly filled at a Friday luncheon. **Brian Ritter, Jim Koehler** and **Eric Langan** were among 65 members and guests. President **Tracy Lindaman** presided, **Terri Wittkowski** played piano and **Kelly Meyer** led singing of "America the Beautiful," "Welcome Song," "R-O-T-A-R-Y" and "Happy Birthday" for November birthdays. **Marcie Ordaz** gave the reflection about choosing leaders in next week's city and school elections, and the importance of the peaceful transition of leaders in our democracy. **Deanna Jensen-Valliere** introduced Visiting Rotarians and guests: **Carmen Galvin** and **Tyler Edwards** (guests of **Rev. Rich Pokora**), and **Shasha Grunwald**. Joining by Zoom were **Tricia Kane, Steve Suiter** and **Dwayne Anderson**.

Announcements:

Legacy Gift: President Tracy said last week's online survey showed a strong preference for Sheridan Meadows Park in Eldridge as the location for a 50-year legacy gift to the community. Rotary will meet with the Eldridge Park Board to discuss.

Impact Grant: Tracy said the 2022-23 Impact Grant (\$15,000) has not been awarded. The club has communicated with applicants. Watch for an announcement in January.

New Member Orientation for members who need to attend to qualify for their Blue Badge will be Wednesday, Nov. 8 at the First Amendment Room at the Scott County Library, starting at 5:30 p.m.

Pay It Forward: President Tracy asked for signups for the Nov. 9 "Pay It Forward" event for veterans at Alan Shepard Elementary (p. 8).

Auction: Pat Olsen said 499 "tickets" have been sold. Doors open at 6:00 for the Nov. 17 auction at Rhythm City Casino. Dinner will be at 7:00. There will be a coat check. See Pat's Auction rundown on page 5.

Personals:

Joe Stutting is proud of the Lancer volleyball team that won the Iowa Class 4A state championship yesterday at Coralville. "It's a 'great team' with 'great girls' and I'm proud of how the coaches development the young women." The Lancer football team will play tonight at Western Dubuque. The winner will advance to the state Class 4A semi-finals at the Uni-Dome.

Bill Tubbs said he was a reporter in 1985 when the Lancers



Richard Horst with speaker J. Douglas Miller at North Scott Rotary, Nov. 3, 2023.

Photo by Editor

won their first state volleyball championship. "Somebody in this room was on that team!" (That someone was our esteemed president, **Tracy Lindaman**.) "The game has changed a lot!" she said.

Stephanie Eckhardt invited all who are interested to the jazz concert tonight (Friday) at the North Scott Fine Arts Auditorium.

Dr. Brad Burt is happy his wife, Katie, seems to be recovering well from heat stroke and concussion protocol. *Wishing a speedy and full recovery, Brad and Katie!*

Sara Tomasson is pleased that 40 percent of tickets are already sold for Countryside Community Theatre's "Charlie Brown Christmas," which she is directing, Friday, Nov. 24 at 3 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 25 at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., and Sunday, Nov. 26 at 3 p.m.

Bill Tubbs asked a special remembrance of Corliss Klaasen, who died Oct. 30 at age 84. Corliss was District Gov-

NOTES, continued

QC movies: 'Bix,' 'Sugar' and 'The Backyard'

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error in 2005-06. He is the fourth Past District Governor who has died since May: Dennis Skinner (2003-04), Dellwyn Bluhm (2006-07) and Gary Welch (2010-11).

Goodies Auction raised \$695 with a new auctioneer, **Jeff Ashcraft** (see p. 5).

Sergeant-at-arms Eric Langan Googled to learn the expectations of the sergeant and found two pages of duties: Maintain decorum at meetings, keep badges in order, monitor seating to avoid cliques, oversee food serving, ensure late arrivals don't disrupt the meeting, be sure no one annoys the speaker by talking during the program, and issuing fines, real or imagined. "You can make (stuff) up!" he concluded. He raised \$115 with fun fines for Dale Grunwald's Santa beard ("see you at the mall!"), Deb's birthday table, "where were you last week?" and \$1 because Nov. 3 is "National Give Someone a Dollar Day."

Program: Richard Horst introduced his longtime friend, **J. Douglas Miller** who talked about film production as economic development. Thanks to Jan Touney for program notes:

By Jan Touney

The list of famous people with whom **J. Douglas Miller** has worked during his career is eye-popping. Politicians. Public figures. Musical performers. Entertainers. Actors. Meeting **Louis Armstrong** as a teenager and being the production coordinator for the **Bob Hope** Christmas show in Vietnam in 1970 were just a few of the experiences he shared with North Scott Rotarians on Friday, Nov. 3.

The introduction to "**Satchmo**" **Armstrong** at the RKO/Orpheum Theatre (now the Adler Theatre) made a strong impression on him. "I was so starstruck," he said. "Louis Armstrong is still one of my great heroes." He was eager to tell Armstrong that his father was a friend of **Bix Beiderbecke's** brother, which brought a wide-eyed reaction from the noted jazz cornetist/trumpeter.

Within a year's time, Miller was working at the Orpheum, for 50 cents an hour. "I was the gofer, the head usher. I did everything from painting the dressing rooms to stocking the candy stand, selling programs. You name it, I did it," he said.

He was drafted in 1969 and sent to Vietnam. "I was not a war hero. I worked for high-ranking officers," he said.

The **Bob Hope** show, put on before 25,000 troops, "was an experience the likes of which you cannot imagine," he said.

When he returned to the Quad Cities, he studied in the communications program at Palmer Junior College. By the late 1970s, he was working as a production assistant at the WOC Broadcasting Company in Davenport, which was an NBC affiliate. After serving as director for corporate development of WOC's parent company, Palmer Communications, in Des Moines, he co-founded a multimedia company which acquired the **WOC-AM** and **KIHK-FM** properties from Palmer Communications. That led to the creation of one of the first audio-visual digital production companies in the Midwest, **Signal Hill Productions**.

A documentary on a proposed World Trade Center of Agriculture which he produced brought him to the attention of then-**Gov. Terry Branstad**. He worked closely with Branstad to found the **Iowa Film Office** as a member of the Iowa Board of Economic Development.

Miller spoke of his relationship with the film industry. "I'm not a movie buff of anything like that. I work for professionals and so I have a much different attitude about what I see on the screen," he said.

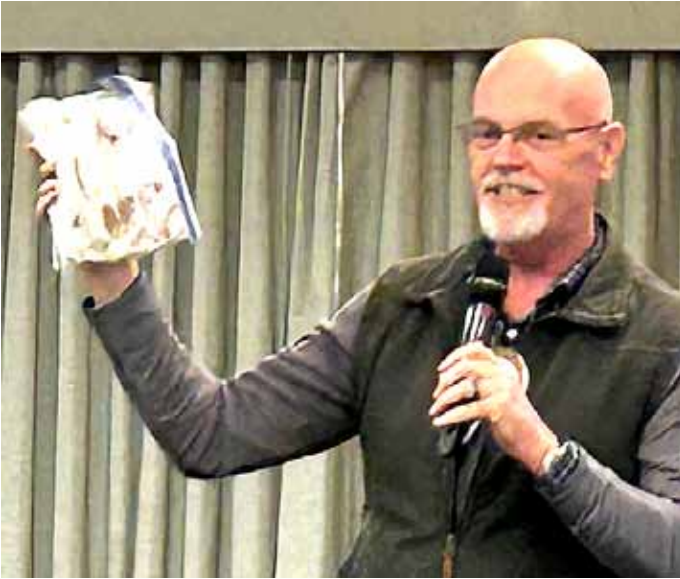
He told the Rotarians about how an Iowa audience first saw the pilot of what was to become the ground-breaking television show "**All in the Family**" and how creator **Norman Lear** "credited Iowa with getting a pilot that nobody wanted to produce."

"As you know, that show totally changed television," he said.

Miller also spoke about how an idea for a movie in which a farmer hears voices telling him to cut down his corn became the much-beloved "**Field of Dreams**," shot in Dyersville. "Only three films have that kind of cache in the entertainment business," he said, the other two being "**It's a Wonderful Life**" and "**Wizard of Oz**."

He also revealed that the **Avati brothers**, noted Italian filmmakers, will be shooting a film in the Quad-Cities, probably after the first of the year. They have previously made nine motion pictures in the area. Perhaps the best known is "**Bix**," a 1991 film directed by **Pupi Avati** about the final years of the famed Davenport cornet player. "They came here in the fall of 1989, and they liked what they saw," he said. "We have a great crew base here and quite a bit of talent in this area, both in front of and behind the camera." A tentative title for the new movie is "**The Backyard**," and it's based on a book written by Pupi Avati.

GOODIES AUCTION



There's a new auctioneer in the house. Welcome, Jeff Ashcraft!

Photo by Editor



Week No. 4 Goodies Auction

Red raspberry pie, baked by Linda Paustian
purchased by Jim Smith, \$200

Choe Kahlua cake, donated by Deanna Jensen-Valliere
purchased by Dr. William Hoover, \$125

Fancy cupcakes, donated by Jill Grunwald
purchased by Patrick Olsen, \$100

Cinnamon rolls, donated by Tracy Lindaman
purchased by Eric Langan, \$100

Ninja cake pops, donated by Stephanie Eckhardt
purchased by Tracy Lindaman, \$50

Homemade caramels, donated by Stephanie Eckhardt
purchased by Sara Tomasson, \$30

Homemade caramels, donated by Stephanie Eckhardt
purchased by Jan Touney, \$30

Homemade caramels, donated by Stephanie Eckhardt
purchased by Jill Grunwald, \$30

Homemade caramels, donated by Stephanie Eckhardt
purchased by Mindy Leahy, \$30

BUFFET MENU NOV. 10

Swiss steak, mashed potatoes and gGravy, mixed vegetables, mixed green salad.

AUCTION

Rotary Auction: 'We are on the home stretch!'

A few updates on the 50th Celebration Dinner and Auction from **Pat Olsen: THANK YOU** to our generous sponsors. We are currently up to \$43,500!

Last call for auction items! We are working to get everything in by this Friday, Nov. 10. If you have items, please bring them on Friday. Experiences, booze, food, baskets, you name it, we will take it. Are you going to lunch or dinner today or tomorrow? Can you ask for an oil change or a hotel room from someone you know? Is there a business you frequent that might give a gift certificate?

Any help on this would be greatly appreciated! If you don't want to basket the items, we will do that for you! Weekend getaways, airbnb/vrbo stays, sports tickets, car detail, beer, wine, booze, restaurants, local businesses, your business, are just some ideas. We could really use your help. The letter we have been using to ask for items states, "We are hoping to raise over \$100,000 to go directly back to our local community through projects, grants and scholarships. We already have over 400 people in attendance and our goal is 500. Would you like to donate an item to our auction to help us out?" I think it is a good ask.

We do have a block of rooms at Rhythm City under North Scott Rotary. The rates are: 1-King suite \$189, 2-Grandmasters \$339, 2- Concierge suites \$209. If that is something you are interested in, you would need to make those reservations with Rhythm City directly.

If you have any questions or need any help with an item ask, sponsor ask, please let us know! We are in the home stretch here with only a couple of weeks left!

CLUB SERVICE

GREETERS

Nov. 10: Ardita Grunwald,
Jan Touney

Dec. 1: Roger Amhof,
Deanna Jensen-Valliere

Dec. 8: Donn Wilmott, Rich
Horst

PIANO

Nov. 10: Tewanta Lopez

Dec. 1: Terri Wittkoski

Dec. 8: Tewanta Lopez

SONG LEADER

Nov. 10: Drew Wilson

Dec. 1: John Maxwell

Dec. 8: Sara Tomasson

REFLECTION

Nov. 10: Dick Cole

Dec. 1: Becky Bray

Dec. 8: Tony Knobbe

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

Nov. 10: Kelly Meyer

Dec. 1: Patrick Olsen

Dec. 8: Jim Smith

PAY IT FORWARD FOR VETERANS

Pay It Forward for Veterans

Here are the signups for North Scott Rotary's first Pay it Forward event which will be at Alan Shepard Elementary in Long Grove. Rotarians will work with the students on "Paying it Forward" to Veterans, Thursday, Nov. 9 at 1:00 p.m. We will be assisting the students in preparing a goodie bag of toiletries and a personal note of gratitude to veterans who are served by the Veterans Outreach Center in Davenport. A representative of the Outreach Center will be present.

Becky Bray
 Scott Case
 Sean Eckhardt (veteran)
 Stephanie Eckhardt
 Arditia Grunwald
 Jill Grunwald
 Danielle Hines
 Monica Hursey
 Deanna Jensen-Valliere
 Paul Kalainoff

Carrie Keppy
 Tracy Lindaman
 Fred Mulch
 Deb Peterson
 Erica Schroeder-Cerda
 Paul Thronson (veteran)
 Bill Tubbs (veteran)
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ROTARY FOUNDATION

Our Rotary Foundation

Welcome to November, **Rotary Foundation Month**. Since its formation in 1917, **The Rotary Foundation** has transformed a mere \$26.50 donation into a multi-billion-dollar global conglomerate, with a 4-Star Charity reputation. TRF has invested much in its mission to achieve world understanding and peace, largely through the following programs:

PolioPlus: Since 1988, Rotary and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, among other partners, have immunized nearly 3 billion children against polio. As of June 2022, Rotary had committed more than **\$2.3 billion** to global polio eradication. In 2021-22, program awards, including PolioPlus Partners grants, totaled \$150.5 million.



Olabisi Gwamna
 Editor, Foundation Minute
 for Rotary District 6000

Rotary Peace Centers: Each year, the Foundation supports the training of peace fellows at Rotary Peace Centers, where they earn master's degrees or professional development certificates. Since 2002-03, **1,600 fellows from more than 140 countries** have participated. In 2021-22, 130 fellows from 57 countries began their studies at the **Rotary Peace Centers**, and program awards for the fellows and centers totaled \$3.9 million.

District Grants: District grants support small-scale, short-term projects related to the Foundation's mission. In 2021-22, the Foundation approved 478 district grants which districts awarded to clubs for projects in their own communities, and program awards totaled \$27.2 million.

Global Grants: Global grants fund large-scale international activities with sustainable, measurable results that support Rotary's Areas of Focus. Activities include humanitarian projects, scholarships, and vocational training teams. In 2021-22, the Foundation approved 1,199 global grants, and program awards totaled \$72.7 million.

Disaster Response Grants: Rotary's Disaster Response Grants support relief and recovery efforts in areas that have been affected by natural disasters within the past six months. In 2021-22, the Foundation approved 207 disaster response grants, and program awards totaled \$7.8 million.

Programs of Scale Grants: Programs of Scale grants empower Rotary members to work with experienced partners to implement large-scale, high-impact projects over three to five years to benefit a large number of people. Based on a model that has succeeded in reducing the maternal and neo-natal mortality rate in Nigeria, the member-led Together for Healthy Families in Nigeria program was awarded the 2021-22 grant of \$2 million, which was matched by \$4 million in funding from our partners. In Rotary,

Olabisi Gwamna, PhD
 Mount Pleasant Rotary
 Editor, District 6000 Foundation Minute

QUILTS OF VALOR



Quilt of Valor

North Scott Rotarian and U.S. Navy veteran Sean Eckhardt was presented his "Quilt of Valor" Sunday afternoon in ceremonies at the Quad City Botanical Center which honored veterans of the Quad Cities for their service. NorScottarian editor Bill Tubbs was with the Davenport Chordbusters who sang "Star Spangled Banner" and other patriotic song, and honors Sean with this photo.

XICOTEPEC OPPORTUNITY

All Rotarians are invited to take part in District 6000's big international service project in Xicotepec, Mexico. Registration for the Rotary District 6000 March 2024 trip to Xicotepec, Mexico, is now open! Since 2003, District 6000 has sent a team of up to 75 Rotarians and youth annually. North Scott Rotarians **Bill Tubbs** and **Dr. Anita Wubbena** have participated. Trip dates are March 9-17, 2024. Apply online by going to <https://xicoproject.org> and clicking Apply. Read instructions, apply, and pay \$200 deposit online. Deadline: Nov. 12, 2024. The cost of the 2024 trip varies from \$2,050-2,260. The cost includes all ground and air transportation, lodging, and nearly all meals. Our team of Rotarians, youth, University students, and faculty members will work with the Rotary Club of Xicotepec on some of the most urgent community needs. Examples of past projects include construction of school classrooms and libraries, screenings for diabetes, dental outreach, domestic violence prevention, water projects, and more. If you have questions, contact us at any time. Please forward this to your friends and colleagues who may be interested as well. You may also follow us on Facebook or donate online to help fund our work. Your gifts support life-changing experiences for everyone involved. Thank you.

The Xicotepec Project: info@xicoproject.org
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MAKEUPS/ROTARY ENGAGEMENT

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

- Monday, Oct. 30:** Jordan Williams, Rotary Club of Moline.
Monday, Oct. 30: Stephanie Eckhardt, Rotary Club of Davenport.
Wednesday, Nov. 1: Mini-meet at Maloney's: Merle Anderson, Jeff Helms, Marty O'Boyle, Rob White, Steve Fahrenkrog, Donn Wilmott, Jerry Coussens, Jason Happel, Rev. Rich Pokora, Hank Runge, Jim Smith, Dick Cole, Bill Tubbs.
Thursday, Nov. 2: Deanna Jensen-Valliere, Rotary Club of Rockford, Ill., by Zoom.
Friday, Nov. 3: Impact Grant Committee: Tracy Lindaman, Patrick Olsen, Sean Eckhardt, Greg Schaapveld, Warren Hodge, Tiffany Lensch, Jan Touney, Chris Connolly.
Sunday, Nov. 5: Jeff Ashcraft, District 6000 Nominating Committee meeting at District Office in Pella, IA.

WHERE OTHER CLUBS MEET

- Monday, Noon..... Clinton, Rastrelli's Restaurant, Lyons
 Monday, Noon..... Davenport, Bittner YMCA
 Monday, 12:10..... Muscatine, Rendevouz, 3127 Lucas St.
 Monday, 12:15..... Moline, Trinity Lutheran, 1313 13th Av.
 Monday, 6:00 p.m. Quad Cities Illinois, HyVee, 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

POLIO NID OPPORTUNITY

Here is an opportunity for Rotarians to be part of history with a **Polio National Immunization Day**.

Delhi, India, Polio National Immunization Days. Howard Tours of Oakland, Calif., is organizing a trip to Delhi, India, tentatively Jan. 27-Feb. 6, 2024, which is an opportunity for Rotarians to participate in what might be India's last nationally-sponsored Polio Immunization Days. Owner Brad Howard is a former Director of Rotary International who organized the trip which **Bill Tubbs** was on in 2012 and **John Maxwell** in 2013. We vouch for its credibility.

2024 NID Trip: <https://tinyurl.com/mwnjw2ut>
Jolene Bortz: (510) 834-2260

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In honor of Amy Ratekin

Come Over to My House
by Eliza Hall

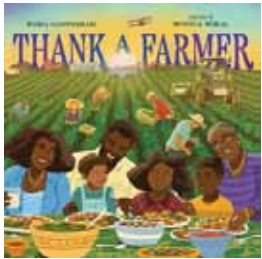
A delightful story that explores the home lives of children and parents who are Deaf or disabled.



In honor of Jerry Fleagle

A Place Called America

by Jennifer Thomas
Explore centuries of history through the lens of the land that has come to be known as America.



In honor of Joe Stutting

Thank a Farmer by
Maria Gianferrari

This story traces the food and clothing that a family uses back to the people who harvested and created them.



In honor of Sarah Ott and Major Jeffery Bladel

What a Map Can Do
by Gabrielle Balkan

A raccoon narrator embarks on a big adventure in this exciting exploration of maps.



In honor of Colonel Shari Bennet

Mine! by Candace
Fleming

This story about sharing features a series of hilariously selfish forest animals with an ending that is sure to surprise!



In honor of Michelle Juehring

Ready, Set, Run!
by Leslie Kimmelman
Follow runners from all over the world as they stretch, make their playlist, eat a spaghetti dinner, and then pound, pound, pound all the way to the finish line.

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?

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North Scott Rotary 50th Anniversary Celebration Donation Form

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