



**CREATE HOPE
in the WORLD**

Founded in 1973

North Scottarian

ROTARY CLUB OF NORTH SCOTT

Eldridge/Davenport, Iowa

**Rotary International
President**

Gordon R. MacInally
South Queensferry, Scotland

**District 6000 District
Governor**

Dennis Drager, Marshalltown

Assistant District Governor

Jeff Ashcraft, North Scott

OFFICERS

President

Tracy Lindaman

President-Elect

Greg Schaapveld

Vice President

Deanna Jensen-Valliere

Vice President-Elect

Tony Knobbe

Treasurer

Steve Fahrenkrog

Sergeant-At-Arms

Nate Kessler

Past President

Ex-Officio

Josie Cochuyt

Board Members

2022-24

Tyler Bindrum

Danielle Hines

Ryan Johnson

Sara Somsy

2023-25

Chance Berger

Stephanie Eckhardt

Katie White

Theresa White

Executive Secretary

Deb Peterson

dennis.peterson1@gmail.com

563-570-4185

Volunteer Editor

Bill Tubbs

Vol. 53 No. 42

www.northscottrotary.org

Email: NSRotary@aol.com

May 15, 2024

FRIDAY: At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option

Youth Day: Celebrating new generations



Georgia Brunkan

North Scott Rotary Academic
Scholarship, \$2,000



Kira DeCastecker

North Scott Rotary Academic
Scholarship, \$2,000



Nolan Engelbrecht

North Scott Rotary Academic
Scholarship, \$2,000



Carter Harms

North Scott Rotary Academic
Scholarship, \$2,000



Riley McCoy

North Scott Rotary Academic
Scholarship, \$2,000



Luke Simmons

North Scott Rotary Academic
Scholarship, \$2,000



Anna Sophia Council

Dorothy White Performing
Arts Scholarship, \$2,000



Logan Fluegel

Keith Mattke Vocational
Scholarship, \$1,000



Soren Hundertmark

Dennis Peterson Academic
Scholarship, \$2,000



Kaycee Newman

Carolyn Scheibe Academic
Scholarship, \$1,300



Katherine Van Ness

Carolyn Scheibe Academic
Scholarship, \$1,300

**Also Friday: Hear
Eva Lubben's award-
winning Four-Way Test
speech, and meet
students who will
be attending RYLA,
July 14-19, at Grinnell
College.**

**Read more about
scholarships, including
the two Tubbs Rotary
scholarships for non-
traditional students at
SCC, on pages 16-17.**

Four-Way Test/2; Grants/3-5; Police/4; Scholarships/6-7

CALENDAR

- Friday, May 17:** Board of directors meeting, 10:15 a.m., Steeplegate Inn. All members welcome to attend.
- Friday, May 17:** Deadline to notify Deb Peterson of your intent to accept matching funds to achieve your next level of giving to The Rotary Foundation. Contact Deb, 563-570-4185, or dennis.peterson1@gmail.com.
- Friday, May 17:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, North Scott Rotary **Youth Day**, celebrating Youth and recognizing Youth programs and scholarship recipients. **Eva Lubben** will present her award-winning Four-Way Test Speech Contest speech.
- Friday, May 24:** No meeting, Memorial Day weekend.
- Saturday, May 25-Wednesday, May 29, Saturday through Wednesday:** Rotary International Convention, Singapore, **Chris** and **Connie Connolly** will represent North Scott Rotary. *Travel well!*
- Friday, May 31:** Friendly Friday at North Scott Junior High, welcome students at 7:20 a.m.
- Friday, May 31:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program "45 Years of ISU Extension," by North Scott Rotary past president and ISU Scott County Extension Education Director, **Becky Bray**, arranged by Bill Tubbs.
- Saturday, June 8:** Quad Cities Heart Walk, 9 a.m. at Schwiebert Park, Rock Island. Information: Danielle Hines, 563-210-2244, or danielle.hines@edwardjones.com.
- Sunday, June 9:** Strawberry Fest Parade in Long Grove. Parade starts at 11:15, line up at 10:45.
- Friday, June 7:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, program TBA, Marcia Brandt.
- Friday, June 14:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, **Rotary Foundation Day**, celebrating our Rotary Foundation and recognizing new- and next-level Paul Harris Fellows.
- Friday, June 21:** At the Steeplegate, with Zoom option, Iowa budget, state **Rep. Gary Mohr**, arranged by Tony Knobbe.
- Thursday, June 27:** Installation Party, evening, for 2024-25 president **Greg Schaapveld** and thank you to 2023-24 president **Tracy Lindaman**, at Nahant Marsh, a 513-acre wetland complex bordered by the Mississippi, I-280 & HWY 22, at 4220 Wapello Avenue, Davenport.
- Friday, June 28:** No meeting at the Steeplegate.
- July 4-7, 2024:** Rotarians volunteer as "gallery management" at the signature Par 3 Hole No. 16 at the John Deere Classic at TPC Deere Run, Silvis, Ill. Register at: <https://tinyurl.com/yphxf8y3>.
- Sunday, July 14-Friday, July 19:** Iowa RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) conference at Grinnell College. Adult Rotarian counselors needed. Contact Paul Kalainoff, 563-570-7907, or kalainoff@gmail.com.
- Thursday, July 25:** Annual North Scott Rotary Corn Boil at Mississippi Valley Fairgrounds.
- Friday, Aug. 23:** Official Visit of District Governor 2024-25 Dave Cook of Boone and Lisa.
- Friday, Nov. 15:** District 6000 "Magic of Giving Gala" at the World Food Prize Hall of Laureates, 100 Locust Street, Des Moines. An evening celebration of The Rotary Foundation with special speakers and awards.

50 YEARS
OF SERVICE ABOVE SELF

NORTH SCOTT ROTARY

1973



2023

FOUR-WAY TEST

Four-Way Test speech winner will present Friday at Rotary

North Scott senior **Eva Lubben** will attend Rotary on Friday to present her speech about applying Rotary's Four-Way Test to our interactions on social media. Because of the excellence of her message and presentation, she won the \$250 First Prize for the local contest and the \$500 First Prize at the regional contest, and was invited to present her speech at the District Celebration April 27 at Pella.



Eva Lubben

Eva is the 2024 recipient of the \$20,000 Iowa State University Hixson scholarship which is awarded to one student from each county in Iowa for students who qualify for financial aid based on the FAFSA, and who have overcome hardship in their lives. She will attend Iowa State University to study event planning. Additionally, Eva was the recipient of five scholarships from local organizations at the North Scott Awards Night.

MAY 10: COMMUNITY GRANTS DAY

President-Elect Greg Schaapveld (l) and Community Grants Chair Jeff Ashcraft (r) with recipients of grants (l-r): Keith Schneckloth (Eldridge Volunteer Fire Department), Kayla Kiesey (Big Brothers/Big Sisters), Mary Fahrion (King's Harvest), Erwin King (Soles for Children), Shamus Budde (Ed White therapy dog), Joyce Klopp (Hope at the Brickhouse). In front, fourth-grade students Nolan Lewis, Conner Lilly, Gracyn Kibler and Cara Patterson from Ed White who told why they like a therapy dog. – Editor

Grants recipients show their appreciation

By **Bill Tubbs/Volunteer Editor**

Thanks, Deb Peterson, for meeting stats

May 10, 2024: Recipients of Community Grants, Visiting Rotarians and guests – 74 in all – came together on a sunny day when a good spirit seemed to fill the room. Piano music was by **Terri Wittkowski** with **John Maxwell** leading the singing of "America the Beautiful," "Welcome Song" and "R-O-T-A-R-Y." **Matt Maier's** reflected with pride about the good our grants will do, including \$100,000 for the 50-year project at Sheridan Meadows Park. **Tony Knobbe** introduced Visiting Rotarians and guests: **John Olinger** (Rotary Club of Rock Island), **John Gere** (Rotary Club of Iowa Quad Cities), **Duncan Cameron** (Rotary Club of Naples, FL), **Sammy Bindrum** (guest of **Tyler Bindrum**), **Ryley Jones** (guest of **Monica Hursey**), **Brea Harms** (guest of **Sean Eckhardt**), **Joan Maxwell**, **U.S. Rep. Mariannette**

Miller-Meeks and **Racheal** (guests of **John Maxwell**), Davenport Police Chief **Jeff Bladel**, **Officer Jamie Brown**, **Owen Farrel** (guests of **Patrick Olsen**). Also grants recipients (above). Joining by Zoom were **Dwayne Anderson**, **Steve Suiter**, **Charlie Jones** and **Matt Russ**.

Announcements

John Maxwell introduced **U.S. Rep. Mariannette Miller-Meeks** who will be his guest this afternoon at North Scott's Regional Innovation Center, under construction in Eldridge. The congressman explained how she was able to procure a grant of \$2 million



NOTES/continued on p. 4 **Rep. Miller-Meeks**

MAY 10: COMMUNITY GRANTS DAY

Davenport Police commend North Scott Rotary

NOTES, *continued*

for the project, which she said "will be a role model for districts across the country."

Pat Olsen was happy to have Davenport Police Chief **Jeff Bladel**, officer **Jamie Brown** and **Owen Farrel** as guests. The chief was present to present a "Chief's Commendation" plaque to North Scott Rotary in appreciation of the 15 lunches which Rotarians have served to police. He was happy to announce, as well, a 25 percent reduction in gun violence.

John Gere, the Iowa Quad Cities Rotarian who has organized course marshals at Hole No. 16 at the John Deere Classic for 27 years (with help from North Scott Rotarians), asked for volunteers. "We're two thirds of the way" toward covering the four days, July 3-7. "You need to register online," he said, at <https://tinyurl.com/yphxf8y3>, and you need to let him know.



John Gere

President-Elect Greg Schaapveld, presiding while president **Tracy Lindaman** is caring for her new granddaughter in South Dakota, reminded members of the May 17 deadline (this Friday) to notify Deb Peterson of your intent to accept the matching offer to become a Paul Harris Fellow or to achieve your next level of giving. Contact Deb at 563-570-4188, or dennis.peterson1@gmail.com. (See p. 8).

Theresa White said teachers at Alan Shepard Elementary in Long Grove are looking for readers. She hopes to hear from Edward White Elementary in Eldridge, too. Contact Theresa at 563-370-3767, or tswhite777@gmail.com.



On behalf of the Davenport Police Department, chief Jeff Bladel (second from right) presented a "Chief's Commendation" plaque to the Rotary Club of North Scott, in appreciation of serving lunch to officers and staff. Accepting for the club were President-Elect Greg Schaapveld and Pat Olsen. Officer Jamie Brown is at right.

Photo by Editor

Personals

Deanna Jensen-Valliere, reflecting on Hayley DeGreve's message on mental health (at our March 22 meeting), said today is the "Day of Hope." "Do a random act of kindness."

Drew Wilson is happy his daughter, a student at Iowa State, has a job in Perry with ISU Extension. He's excited to see the Empress 2816 locomotive engine in downtown Davenport.

Sergeant-at-Arms Ross Paustian, keeping his message brief, raised \$21 with fun fines, including if you haven't read *The NorScottarian*.

Program

Greg Schaapveld introduced **Jeff Ashcraft** who invited our grants recipients to tell their stories. Thanks to **Jan Touney** for program notes.

By Jan Touney

North Scott Rotarians heard firsthand from recipients how thousands of dollars in Community Grants will impact their organizations.

Before receiving their checks at the meeting of Friday, May 10, representatives of the organizations spoke about how the funds will make a positive difference in the work they do.

Jeff Ashcraft, chair of the Community Needs committee, explained the difficult process of deciding on which of 40-plus applications would be funded, with a total of \$15,000 to disburse for community needs grants.

The funds came from the proceeds of the club's annual auction in November. The club also has decided to spend \$50,000, matched by **Bill** and **Linda Tubbs** to \$100,000, to fund construction of a bandshell in Sheridan Meadows park as part of its 50th anniversary celebration.

NOTES, *continued on next page*

MAY 10: COMMUNITY GRANTS DAY

Community grants impact local organizations

NOTES, *continued*

"The grants we're awarding here today, and which the board approved, really hit all the buttons for the committee," Ashcraft said.

Here's a list of the grants awarded and what recipients had to say:

\$2,000 to Edward White Elementary in Eldridge for a new therapy dog. Third-grade teacher **Shamus Budde** introduced four students – **Cara, Connor, Nolan and Gracyn** – who read statements they wrote on why a therapy dog is important to their school. They said that a therapy dog helps calm students and brings smiles to their faces. (Their heartfelt statements also brought lots of smiles to the faces of Rotarians!) The new dog will be brought to the community in June, after Budde travels to Kansas for a week of training.

\$3,000 to Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Mississippi Valley to provide furniture and supplies for a Rotary room which will be used as a resource for mentoring young people. **Kayla Kiesey**, director of events for BBBS, in thanking the club, invited Rotarians to visit "our space" at 3247 E. 35th St., Davenport.

\$2,500 to King's Harvest Ministries, for kitchen equipment and accessories. **Mary Fahrion**, who has been a volunteer there for more than 17 years, said the organization serves three hot meals a week. The grant will fund new cookware, utensils, pan liners, brooms and other items such as bus tokens and backpacks for those in need.

\$5,000 to Hope at the Brickhouse for furniture for a new addition. The facility at 1431 Ripley St., Davenport, provides numerous services to people in the neighborhood, including an afterschool program serving a hot meal Mondays-Thursdays. Director **Joyce Klopp**, the only full-time employee, spoke of the great need in the area that the Brickhouse serves.

\$2,500 to the Eldridge Volunteer Fire Department, for five Automated External Defibrillator replacements. Chief **Keith Schneckloth** noted that 87 percent of the calls to the fire department are for medical emergencies. Rotarian Bill Tubbs related how the department provided lifesaving assistance to him in the early morning hours of Christmas last year. Schneckloth also noted that the number of compressions per minute required to perform successful CPR is roughly the same as the number of beats per minute in the Bee Gees song, "Stayin' Alive."

Following the announcement of the five awards, **Ashcraft** said there was an additional request for \$2,000 from an organization called **Soles for Children** that the committee "just kept talking about it and talking about it" and wanted to find a way to fund it. So the committee took the request to the board and the decision was made to use funds from the club's School Shop program, which has existed since 2005 to pay for students' special needs.

Erwin King, founder of Soles for Children, said he began the organization because he witnessed kids coming to school with holes in their shoes and no socks, and that they were being bullied because of it. He started out by getting 200 pairs of shoes. Today, in its ninth year, the organization will provide not only shoes, but coats, hats and mittens for up to 1,000 children on both sides of the river.

Ashcraft also reported on construction progress for a new outdoor activity zone area for **Empowering Abilities**, funded by the Rotary club's \$15,000 Impact Grant.

HEART WALK

How you can support Heart Walk

Dear North Scott Rotarians,

Please consider supporting our North Scott Rotary Heart Walk team! You can help us by donating, walking, or just tracking activities.

It's super simple! Click <https://tinyurl.com/5684rka3> to go to our NS Rotary Heart Walk page. Once there you can click the link to sign up for our team if you'd like to walk. To donate, go to our Heart Walk Page and press donate!

You can also bring cash/check to our next few meetings and we will get it donated to the team, too.

The actual walk is Saturday, June 8 at Schwiebert Park, Rock Island. We will meet at 8:30 for a group photo and then the real fun begins at 9:00. The walk is about 3 miles, or you can turn before arsenal and make it a 1-mile walk!

In an effort to raise more for the Heart Walk we are taking a break from T-shirts, enabling 100 percent of donations to go to the American Heart Association. Walkers are encouraged to wear Red!

If you have any issues with signing up or donating please let me know! I'm happy to help at the next meeting, or contact me: 563-210-2244, or danielle.hines@edward-jones.com.

Danielle Hines

CLUB SERVICE

REFLECTION

May 17: Bill Tubbs

May 31: Drew Wilson

May 31: Chance Berger,
Rily Grunwald

PIANO

May 17: Teri Wittkowski
(Holzworths in
Montana)

May 31: – Tewanta Lopez

GREETERS

May 17: Roger Amhof, Jack
Schinckel

SONG LEADER

May 17: John Maxwell
May 31: Sara Tomasson

ABOUT OUR SCHOLARSHIPS



Dorothy White



Keith Mattke



Dennis Peterson



Carolyn Scheibe



Linda Tubbs



William Tubbs

Rotary Club of North Scott scholarships

Keith Mattke Vocational Scholarship

Our first scholarship of \$1,000 is in memory of **Keith Mattke** who was a Rotarian for over 40 years. Keith proudly served our country in the Marine Corps during the Korean War. Following his discharge, he graduated from Iowa State University, where he earned his degree in education, and later, his master's degree. He was a talented carpenter, crafting many wonderful projects. He began his industrial arts teaching career at Davenport High School and transitioned to Davenport West when they opened their doors. He also served as the administrator of vocational education for the entire school district, and helped start the Vocational Center. He was proud that this Center helped students find avenues to career paths they otherwise wouldn't have had.

This year's recipient of the Keith Mattke scholarships is **Logan Fluegel**.

Dorothy White Performing Arts Scholarship

Dorothy White began a life-long love affair with the piano at the age of 3 and, with her siblings, entertained the neighborhood from the family porch. She then progressed to playing background music in the silent movies, with the scene cues for the movies' moods and tempos standing her in good stead with her playing over the years. After retiring from running the office of her veterinarian husband, Dr. J. B. White, she embarked on yet another career, as a pianist at Von Maur in NorthPark Mall. When customers walked through the doors, they could "just tell" it was Dorothy at the piano. Dressed in coordinating outfits with matching bows in her snow white hair (she was dressed "bow to toe"), Dorothy would be a feature there for 18 years, retiring reluctantly at the young age of 97. She continued to play on Fridays here at North Scott Rotary from 1985 through her 98th birthday and was a recipient of the Paul Harris Fellowship. Dorothy shared her musical talent and will be fondly remembered by all who were fortunate to hear her play or meet her. In short, she was an unforgettable lady! We are proud to continue to honor her memory with this \$2,000 scholarship.

This year's recipient is **Anna Sophia Council**.

Dennis Peterson Scholarship

The next scholarship is in memory of **Dennis Peterson**. He was a devoted North Scott Rotarian from 1999 until his death in 2020. Dennis graduated from Iowa State University with a degree in Mechanical Engineering and a minor in Computer Science. Writing computer programs became his passion and he wrote many customized accounting programs for several businesses in Des Moines and the Quad Cities. Dennis and his wife, Deb, served many years on the District 6000 Rotary Youth Exchange committee and hosted many students from other countries.

A \$2,000 scholarship is awarded to **Soren Hundertmark** in his honor.

North Scott Rotary Academic Scholarships

For the **North Scott Rotary Academic Scholarship**, students are awarded points based on a rubric that was developed by Rotary's Scholarship Committee. Points are awarded for students' Grade Point Average, ACT score, Leadership and Extracurricular activities, Employment and community involvement, and on their Essay.

This year's North Scott Rotary Academic scholarships are awarded to **Georgia Brunkan, Kira DeCastecker, Nolan Engelbrecht, Carter Harms, Riley McCoy** and **Luke Simmons**.

Carolyn Scheibe Scholarships

This year, two scholarships of \$1,300 are being awarded in memory of **Carolyn Scheibe**, who was an active member of North Scott Rotary for 23 years until her death on March 22 at age 70. In her 15 years as executive director of the Eldridge-North Scott Chamber of Commerce, she was actively involved with the North Scott Food Pantry and was director of the popular Moonlight Chase road race. In Rotary, she provided leadership with the annual Auction and Scholarship committees. Because of Carolyn's passion for scholarships, Rotary club members personally contributed the funds for these two scholarships.

SCHOLARSHIPS, continued

Rotary Club of North Scott scholarships

William F. and Linda Z. Tubbs Rotary Scholarships for Non-Traditional Students at Scott Community College

In 2018, **Bill and Linda Tubbs** established an endowed fund through the Community Foundation of the Quad Cities for Rotary scholarships for non-traditional students at Scott Community College. Bill and Linda were publishers of *The North Scott Press* for 52 years, retiring in 2022. Bill is the last active charter member of North Scott Rotary (1973) and served as District 6000 District Governor in 2004-05. Bill was chair of Public Image for Rotary International in North America from 2007-10 and was the Official Representative to District Conferences for RI Presidents John Kenny in 2010 and Gary Huang in 2014. The Tubbses increased the awards in 2019 to two \$1,000 scholarships annually, in perpetuity.

This year's recipients are **Mana Kpade**, from Benin, and **Ahoefa Agbemadon**, from Togo. Stories of how they came to the U.S. and their career aspirations are below. They plan to attend North Scott Rotary Youth Day:

Mana Kpade

My name is **Mana Kpade**. I am 29 years old. I am a Certified Nursing Assistant. I am a Scott Community College student and I am studying for my associate degree in nursing. My long-term goal is to become a pharmacist because I am curious to know

more about infections and how to fight them. I have two handsome boys and a lovely husband. I am a Christian and love dancing and singing gospel music.

Originally from Benin, located in West Africa. I moved here in USA in 2016. I am from a family of seven daughters. I have five sisters and two stepsisters. I am the youngest sibling. My sisters consider me the troublemaker and the funniest one.



Mana Kpade

What I do in my free time is Bible meditation, helping orphans and underprivileged children through the HOUC Africa organization and traveling with my family.

Some people say they eat to live, but as for me, I live to eat because I love food!

Ahoefa Agbemadon

My name is **Ahoefa Agbemadon**, and I am a non-traditional student from Scott Community College. I was born in Togo, located in West Africa. Growing up in West Africa, I always dreamed of being a nurse. However, I did not have the funds or opportunities to go to school in Togo. In Togo you must be wealthy to even think about going to school.



Ahoefa Agbemadon

I moved to the United States of America through a VISA program in 2015. After moving to the USA, I started school with Muscatine Community College in 2019, as a student in the English as a Secondary Language program. While working on this program, I began to study for my general education classes that would allow me to be admitted into Scott's nursing program. I became a U.S. citizen in 2021.

My hope is to one day become a nurse in the OB-GYN field. I want to be able to show mothers compassion as they give birth. This can be very stressful, and I want to do everything I can to remove that stress. As a mother of three kids, I want to help usher babies safely into this world. Babies should be welcomed in a room that is full of love and warmth.

I want to thank the donors of the William and Linda Tubbs Rotary Scholarship. I would not be able to go to school without donors and scholarship like this one. As a student from a foreign country, there is not always a lot of funding available to me.

Thank you for what you do.

MEMBERSHIP PROPOSALS

Sandy Pistle is a former member of the Rotary Club of West Liberty. She recently moved to Eldridge and is an Independent Cabi Stylist. She has been approved by the Board of Directors and the Classification Committee. She has attended Rotary at least five times in the last few weeks. She is sponsored by **Bill Tubbs** and is an active member of the Eldridge Chamber of Commerce. Seven days for written objections.

Bryan Bolin also lives in Eldridge and is in Business Development with Tri-City Electric/Technologies. He is proposed by **Matt Maiers**. He has been approved by the Board of Directors and the Classification Committee. He is a member of the QC Chamber, Grow Clinton and Iowa City, Inc. He enjoys playing and coaching sports with his three kids. Seven days for written objections.

TORNADO RELIEF

Governor asks aid for tornadoes

Dear District 6000 Rotarians,

April 28: Yesterday tornadoes ripped through the Midwest, affecting several communities within District 6000 and neighboring districts. Damage is still being assessed. What we do know is that across our state many are in need of help with recovery. Please consider offering aid any way that you are able, whether that be with time, talent or treasure.

If you can, consider contacting GoServGlobal at office@goservglobal.org or call 515-448-3131 to see how you can help them as they mobilize to assist within these communities. Please consider making a donation in support of TORNADO RECOVERY for these communities. Please send checks to HEF at:

Rotary District 6000 H.E.F.
PO Box 5774
Coralville, IA 52241-5774

Thank you Rotarians,

Dennis Drager, District 6000 Governor 2023-2024

9525 Winston Avenue

Urbandale, IA 50322

641-485-5486

NORTH SCOTT ROTARY CLOTHING



North Scott Rotary clothing –

To order these and others:

<https://empoweringabilities.org/north-scott-rotary/>

MAKEUPS/ROTARY ENGAGEMENT

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

Friday, May 3: Pay It Forward at Fillmore School, Davenport: Katie White.

Friday, May 3: Marcia Brandt and Paul Kalainoff – Youth Exchange home visit, follow-up.

Monday, May 6: AG Jeff Ashcraf, Rotary Club of Davenport Club Assembly.

Wednesday, May 8: Mini-meet at Maloney's: Hank Runge, Marty O'Boyle, Rob White, Merle Anderson, Steve Fahrenkrog, Rev. Rich Pokora, Jerry Coussens, Dick Cole, Tom Messer, Jim Smith, Jason Happel.

Wednesday, May 8: Stephanie Eckhardt, presented North Scott Rotary scholarships at North Scott scholarship night.

Monday, May 13: Jan Touney, met with Interact students at North Scott Junior High.

WHERE OTHER CLUBS MEET

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

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

Monday, 12:10..... Muscatine, Rendevoez, 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

BUFFET MENU, MAY 17

Pulled pork sandwiches. Baked beans. Coleslaw. Mixed green salad.

Friday, May 17 is the deadline to let Deb know of your interest in accepting the matching funds offer to become a Paul Harris Fellow or to achieve your next level of giving to The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International. 563-570-4185, or dennis.peterson1@gmail.com.



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 May 17, 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 May 17. Donors will be recognized at North Scott Rotary's Rotary Foundation Day, June 14.

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!

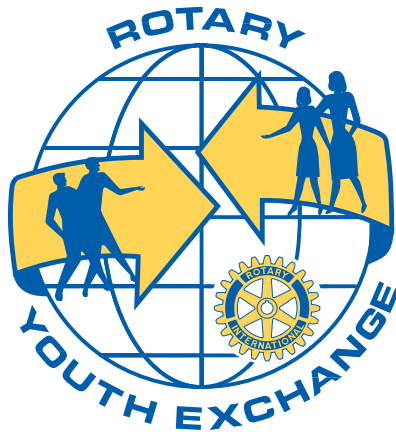
The Rotary Foundation's Areas of Focus:

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.

ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE

Rotary

Club of North Scott



Would you like an international experience of a lifetime, in your own community?

The Rotary Club of North Scott is looking for host families for a Rotary Youth Exchange student for the 2024-25 academic year.

Advantages of Rotary Youth Exchange:

- 1. You will be working with a highly reputable, international organization with coordinators and member contacts in your own community.**
- 2. Home hosts do not need to be Rotarians.**
- 3. Because it is our desire to have two or three home host families, the duration of your commitment will be less than a full year.**
- 4. The Rotary Club of North Scott provides monthly financial support to exchange students.**
- 5. Rotary Youth Exchange students participate in Rotary activities: 1) at the club level with club members who are leaders in the community; and 2) at the district level with students from other countries.**

If you have questions or are interested, please call Paul Kalainoff, Rotary Youth Exchange coordinator for the Rotary Club of North Scott, at 563-570-7907.