



# Nor'Wester

Rotary Club of Northwest Des Moines

[www.clubrunner.ca/northwestdesmoines](http://www.clubrunner.ca/northwestdesmoines) / Fridays @ Noon - UGCC 4000-86th St. Urbandale

August 17, 2018

***This Week's Program:***

Julianna Dubin  
USCRI

Arranged By:

Beth Goedken

Greeter:

Kasey Vogel

Invocation:

Joe Kobes

Sergeant:

Jim Lipscomb

Scribe:

Jenifer M-K

## ***2018-19 Officers & Directors***

Penny Luthens, President

Beth Goedken, President Elect

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Bill D. Corwin, Membership

Brenda AM, Youth Services

Kasey Vogel, Public Image

Ed Arnold, Club Svs & Programs

Leray Glendenning, Past President

## ***Future Programs***

**8/24:** Tom Narak  
District Governor

**8/31:** Aaron Putze  
Iowa Soybean Association

**9/7:** TBA

## Prez Sez

*Penny Luthens*



Question: Why should you always bring two pairs of pants with you when playing golf?

Answer: Because you might get a hole in one!

Ok now that I have your attention, let's talk about golf. Last Friday we had a committee meeting to discuss our upcoming 6th annual golf tournament being held at UGCC on Friday, September 21st. If you have been busy with Summer activities, let me take this opportunity to update you. This is a great way to get friends together and enjoy a Friday afternoon of golf and libations. There are many ways that you can support this event. You can choose to play, volunteer on the day of the event, or be a sponsor. Maybe you know someone who would be willing to sponsor a tee and or green. There are many levels to choose among. A lunch sponsor is \$100, tee or green sponsor is \$250, and a tee and green sponsor is \$400. Please consider reaching out to someone or some business and ask them for support on this.

This event will help us kick off our fundraising efforts this Rotary year. We are so very lucky to have the leadership in our Club to begin the organization process, but we need everyone's help to make it a success.

Our goal this year is to have 18 foursomes golfing and 20 sponsorships. Together we can make this happen!

Now let's get to the "why." These dollars are going towards our helping our community help children be successful in school a number of ways. We as a Club are committed to supporting literacy, lifting up youth leadership and making sure that children stay warm during the winter with warm coats. Additionally, we support helping our teachers secure the classroom materials for having the best possible learning experience.

In conclusion, my ask to you is that you find someone to golf and reach out to a potential sponsor. If you have any specific questions, please contact Ed Arnold. As always, thanks for all that you do to make our Rotary club a great one.

## Scribbles...

***Donna Moore &  
Rachel Eggum Cinader***

### ***Dress a Girl Around the World***

The August 10, 2018 meeting of the Rotary Club of Northwest Des Moines was very informative on several levels. Sergeant Mark McAndrews quizzed the group on what we learned last week from District Foundation Chair, Chris Knapp. Results were mixed! We discovered (were reminded) that our Club has some very interesting, active and talented members and spouses.

Our speaker, Rachel Cinader, founder of Dress a Girl Around the World, was introduced by Donna Moore, spouse of Rotarian Bob Moore.

Three years ago, Donna started a local "Dress a Girl" chapter, coordinating the sewing and distribution of t-shirt and pillow case dresses around the world. The charitable work has evolved into sewing dresses from patterns and teaching women in Ghana, Uganda, and Honduras how to sew using the ever popular Singer "treadle" machines. Ten years later, the Hope 4 Women International not only has provided over One Million dresses in 82 countries, but has begun to teach women in year-long programs to run their own businesses. The women are taught English, budgeting, and business ethics.



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## Other Locations

### Monday

West Polk County, Toyota of Des Moines, (Noon)

### Tuesday

Ankeny, Ankeny Golf & Country Club, (11:45)

Johnston, Hyperion Golf & CC, (7:00 am)

Dallas Center, Memorial Hall, (Noon)

Norwalk, Echo Valley Golf Course, (6:30 am)

West Des Moines, DM Golf & CC, (Noon)

### Wednesday

East Polk County, Prairie Meadows, (7:00 am)

Adel, Patrick's Restaurant, 211 S 7th St, #C, (Noon)

The Greater Des Moines Club, check the District 6000 website for time and location

### Thursday

Waukee, Des Moines Golf & Country Club, (6:45 am)

Des Moines, Wakonda Club, (Noon)

Winterset, Pizza Ranch, (Noon)

### Friday

Des Moines, AM, Wakonda Club at 3915 Fleur Dr. (7:00 am)

### Upcoming Events

#### August Board Meeting

Tuesday, August 21st - 5:00 pm - Urbandale Library

#### CFUM

Monday, August 27.

Contact Larry Sample to sign-up.

#### 50-year Anniversary Celebration

founding of the NW Des Moines Rotary Club.

Thursday, October 11, at Hyperion Country Club.

Items for the Nor'Wester should be submitted by end of the day each Monday. Please send to:

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## This & That

### Trivia Question!

Rotarians are members of their clubs. The clubs are chartered by the global organization Rotary International (RI) headquartered in Evanston, Illinois. For administrative purposes, there are more than how many clubs around the world? Please email penny.luthens@dmymca.org with the answer.



### Scribe Continued...

Hope 4 Women International is a 501(c)(3) organization. For more information about dressing girls, international mission trips, and empowering women visit the websites: [www.H4WI.org](http://www.H4WI.org) and [www.dressagirlaroundtheworld.com](http://www.dressagirlaroundtheworld.com).

Ed Arnold, Scribe



### Birthdays

Aug 11 Bill D. Corwin

Aug 12 Julia Taylor



## Future Information



### Beth Goedken - Program Chair

<u>Program</u>	<u>Greeter</u>	<u>Invocation</u>	<u>Sergeant</u>	<u>Scribe</u>
Aug 24 - District Governor	Roger Nyberg	Bob Moore	Jim Arthur	Greg Hartley
Aug 31 - IA Soybean Assoc.	TBA	Brad Helgemo	Wendi Wilson	Bill Grask
Sept 7 - TBA	Dianne D-Nelson	Doyle Sanders	Pat Arthur	Wyatt Earp
Can't complete your assigned duty? Please assist Penny by finding your substitute!				