



NOR'WESTER

Rotary Club of Northwest Des Moines
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October 1, 2010

Prez Sez...

Eric Dickinson

David Crandall

Rotary Foundation

Arranged By:

Doyle Sanders

Greeter:

David Crandall

Invocation:

Jim Pittman

Sergeant:

Beth Goedken

Scribe:

Marcus Dunn

I recently read a letter from our Zone 28 Rotary Coordinator Mary Beth Growney-Selene. The letter talked about how we assist in building bigger, better, and bolder Clubs. Beth talked about what happened when she attended a Club Assembly. The Club President was a "leader" as they led the Assembly. All of the Avenues of Service Chairs were prepared. Each of the program/project committee chairs were prepared for their specific program presentations. With this, all members were encouraged to participate in all events or as many events as their busy lives would permit. This is a "Rotary Family".



The best part about this was the fact that everyone was involved!

Everyone was having fun! Everyone was smiling and laughing!

And last but not least, everyone was proud to be a Rotarian.

Scribbles

2010 Officers & Directors

Eric Dickinson, President
Wanda Armstrong, President Elect
Brad Helgemo, Secretary
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Ed Arnold, Director
Jim Arthur, Director
Dan Boes, Director
Jenifer M-K, Director
Diane Porter, Director
Wendi Wilson, Past President
Dianne D-Nelson, Exec Sec
Bill Corwin, Exec Treas

Future Programs

10/8: Rosalyn Lehman
IA Water & Land Legacy
10/15: Rachel Caufield
Drake University
10/22: Moodle Expert

Chris Beck

Science Center of Iowa

The Science Center of Iowa will be celebrating its 40th anniversary October 9, said Chris Beck, SCI Marketing Director. He added that the SCI is one of the oldest science centers (not museum) in the world.

SCI has the following mission:

- Encourages life long learning
- Emphasizes NOT what but HOW to learn
- Strives to engage and inspire as a community resource

The Science Center of Iowa currently has six interactive experience platforms, 150 hands on activities, 7,000 hours of scheduled programming and over 12,000 COSMIC JUKEBOX shows have been created.

It also boasts the only domed IMAX theatre in the state. The Blank IMAX theatre is 6 stories high and shows not only documentaries but also Hollywood blockbuster movies.

Also housed in the SCI is the Iowa Learning Center that has been visited by over 80,000 high school students and the SCI preschool that can accommodate up to 150 students annually.

New for this fall at the SCI is DA VINCI, the genius. The 14,000 sq. ft. exhibit is the largest exhibit the SCI has had as yet and it will run Oc. 2 - Jan.16.

For more information on the Science Center of Iowa visit their website at www.SCI.org



Dianne Downing-Nelson, scribe

Fun Day of Golf!

Big Checks!!!



Reach Out & Read
 Left to Right:
 Eric Dickinson,
 Deb Salowitz,
 Kay Runge,
 Molly Olinger Topf,
 Mary Ann Abrams,
 Wendi Wilson,
 Chuck Corwin

Urbandale Parks & Rec
 Left to Right:
 Chuck Corwin,
 Eric Dickinson,
 Jan Herke



Urbandale Police
 Left to Right:
 Chuck Corwin,
 Roxx McCarty,
 Eric Dickinson



We'll Be Singing . . .

TBA

Karen Acres
 Left to Right:
 Jade Fox,
 Chuck Corwin,
 Eric Dickinson,
 Wendi Wilson,
 Linda Ennen



Items for the Nor'Wester should be submitted every Wednesday by Noon. Please send to:

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BIRTHDAYS

Sep 28 Roger Nyberg

Future Information

<u>Program</u>	<u>Greeters</u>	<u>Invocation</u>	<u>Sergeant</u>	<u>Scribe</u>
<i>Chairperson:</i> Leslie Malcom	<i>Chairperson:</i> Wanda Armstrong	<i>Chairperson:</i> Jim Pittman	<i>Chairperson:</i> Beth Goedken	<i>Chairperson:</i> Larry Sample
Paul Kirpes, Oct 8	Dick Cummings, Oct 8	Roger Nyberg, Oct 8	Marv Johnson, Oct 8	Randy Taber, Oct 8
Doyle Sanders, Oct. 15	Bill Corwin, Oct. 15	Heidi Negel, Oct. 15	Kevin Smith, Oct. 15	Gene Gabus, Oct. 15
Julia Taylor, Oct. 22	Gil DeRoos, Oct. 22	David Nagel, Oct. 22	Gene Gabus, Oct. 22	Randy Gambill, Oct. 22