

# DISTRICT 6000 OFFICERS AND TEAMS 2025 – 2026

## ADMINISTRATIVE

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<b>GOVERNOR 27-28</b>	<b>Gretchen Nollman</b>	<a href="mailto:gretchen.nollman@gmail.com">gretchen.nollman@gmail.com</a>	<b>HOPE</b>

### ADVISORY COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS - All Past District Governors residing in District 6000

#### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

( - ) Denotes end of term

*(Objective: To provide vision, leadership and coordination of district programs and activities.)*

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#### BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

*(Objective: To provide for the oversight and fiscally responsible use of district resources.)*

Steve Wieneke, Chair	C) 515-250-0507	<a href="mailto:swieneked6K@gmail.com">swieneked6K@gmail.com</a>	Ankeny Evening
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Tim Trudeau, Treasurer	C) 515-298-1135	<a href="mailto:timtrudeau58@gmail.com">timtrudeau58@gmail.com</a>	Boone
Jean Sheets, Accountant	C) 515-291-9666	<a href="mailto:jean.sheets@strand.com">jean.sheets@strand.com</a>	Ames Morning

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#### ASSISTANT GOVERNORS

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Steve SchraderBachar (26-27)	C) 515-360-5179	<a href="mailto:Steve.SchraderBachar@rate.com">Steve.SchraderBachar@rate.com</a>	Ankeny
Wayne Steen (27-28)	C) 563-607-3367	<a href="mailto:pythagoras78@gmail.com">pythagoras78@gmail.com</a>	Iowa City Downtown
Park Woodle (25-26)	C) 641-891-2335	<a href="mailto:park.rotaryd6000@gmail.com">park.rotaryd6000@gmail.com</a>	Ames

## DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR

Megan Van Kooten	C) 877-976-8279	<a href="mailto:dis6000admin@Lisco.com">dis6000admin@Lisco.com</a>	Pella
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## DISTRICT ACCOUNTANT

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## DISTRICT TREASURER

Tim Trudeau	C) 515-298-1135	<a href="mailto:timtrudeau58@gmail.com">timtrudeau58@gmail.com</a>	Boone
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## DISTRICT SECRETARY

Gretchen Nollman	C) 319-541-1462	<a href="mailto:gretchen.nollman@gmail.com">gretchen.nollman@gmail.com</a>	HOPE
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## DISTRICT CPA REVIEW

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## DISTRICT PARLIAMENTARIAN

Doyle Sanders	C) 515-771-1997	<a href="mailto:sanders.doyle@bradshawlaw.com">sanders.doyle@bradshawlaw.com</a>	NW Des Moines
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## COUNCIL ON LEGISLATION

Chris Knapp, 2025-28	C) 319-621-4977	<a href="mailto:chrisknapp5012@gmail.com">chrisknapp5012@gmail.com</a>	Iowa City AM
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Alternate, TBD

## DISTRICT CONFERENCE TEAM May 1-2, 2026, Hyatt Regency, Coralville

(Objective: To organize and plan the year end District Conference.)

Vernette Knapp, Co-Chair	C) 319-621-5633	<a href="mailto:vernettekknapp@gmail.com">vernettekknapp@gmail.com</a>	Iowa City AM
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Chris Knapp, Co-Chair	C) 319-621-4977	<a href="mailto:chrisknapp5012@gmail.com">chrisknapp5012@gmail.com</a>	Iowa City AM
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## DISTRICT LEARNING TEAM

(Objective: To organize education events: One Summit, AG Orientation / PELS & District Assembly.)

Gretchen Nollman, Chair	C) 319-541-1462	<a href="mailto:gretchen.nollman@gmail.com">gretchen.nollman@gmail.com</a>	HOPE
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## NOMINATING COMMITTEE ( - ) Denotes end of 3-year term

(Objective: To encourage nominations for future District Governors and conduct interviews for same.)

Steve Wieneke, Ch (25-26)	C) 515-250-0507	<a href="mailto:swieneked6K@gmail.com">swieneked6K@gmail.com</a>	Ankeny Evening	1 <sup>st</sup> term, PDG
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TBD (25-26)

Mark Ruggeberg (25-26)	C) 319-331-0820	<a href="mailto:markluggageberg@gmail.com">markluggageberg@gmail.com</a>	Iowa City DT	2 <sup>nd</sup> term
Jim Patton (26-27)	C) 712-830-3736	<a href="mailto:jlpattson.rotary@gmail.com">jlpattson.rotary@gmail.com</a>	Ames	2 <sup>nd</sup> term, PDG
Jennifer Chittenden (26-27)	C) 515-313-6239	<a href="mailto:jchittenden7@gmail.com">jchittenden7@gmail.com</a>	Des Moines AM	1 <sup>st</sup> term
Tori Riley (26-27)	C) 515-370-3087	<a href="mailto:news@greencountynewsonline.com">news@greencountynewsonline.com</a>	Jefferson	1 <sup>st</sup> term
Bonnie Lowry (27-28)	C) 641-485-4568	<a href="mailto:bonnie.lowry73@gmail.com">bonnie.lowry73@gmail.com</a>	Marshalltown	2 <sup>nd</sup> term
Dennis Drager (27-28)	C) 641-485-5486	<a href="mailto:dennisdrager@gmail.com">dennisdrager@gmail.com</a>	HOPE	1 <sup>st</sup> term, PDG
Frank Shults (27-28)	C) 641-990-3658	<a href="mailto:fsshults@gmail.com">fsshults@gmail.com</a>	Grinnell	1 <sup>st</sup> term

## PREVENTING AND ADDRESSING HARASSMENT AND DISCRIMINATION REVIEW TEAM

(Objective: To be knowledgeable of Rotary's policy and to help create a harassment-free environment in the district and clubs. The team can provide steps for those being harassed, and for those receiving allegations.)

Susan Herrick	C) 515-298-1536	<a href="mailto:susancps47@gmail.com">susancps47@gmail.com</a>	Boone
Loring Miller	C) 641-344-0105	<a href="mailto:miller2@grm.net">miller2@grm.net</a>	Decatur County

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# CLUB SERVICE



*Rotary's First Avenue of Service involves actions a Rotarian must take within the club to help it function successfully.*

**ADVISOR**

**Jacque Andrew** [jeandrew@netins.net](mailto:jeandrew@netins.net)

**Jefferson**

## **GROWING ROTARY TEAM**

*(Objective: To grow Rotary by supporting development and outreach.)*

### **CLUB GROWTH - CLUB ENGAGEMENT**

*(Objective: To support and increase membership attraction, to improve membership retention and involvement in Rotary Clubs.)*

Jennifer Chittenden, Chair C) 515-313-6239 [jchittenden7@gmail.com](mailto:jchittenden7@gmail.com) Des Moines AM

### **CLUB MENTOR PROGRAM – CLUB EXTENSIONS AND CAUSE BASED CLUBS**

*(Objective: To improve Rotary member satisfaction and engagement, to promote club extensions and identify new club opportunities.)*

Steve Wieneke, Chair C) 515-250-0507 [swieneked6K@gmail.com](mailto:swieneked6K@gmail.com) Ankeny Evening

## **CLUB PLANNING TEAM**

*(Objective: To help clubs develop a vision for their future.)*

Bill Bruce, Chair C) 608-604-2501 [bbruce9@live.com](mailto:bbruce9@live.com) Denison

## **PUBLIC IMAGE TEAM**

*(Objective: To provide oversight, direction and support to enhance Rotary's public image both internally and externally.)*

Heidi Drager, Chair C) 641-691-5486 [heidi.drager.d6000@gmail.com](mailto:heidi.drager.d6000@gmail.com) HOPE

## **TECHNOLOGY TEAM**

*(Objective: To provide technological support for District activities and events.)*  
Chair, TBD

## **DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION TEAM**

*(Objective: Our focus is to lay a strong foundation for diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) efforts in District 6000. We aim to provide practical guidance to all Clubs on how to develop a vision and framework for their diversity, equity, and inclusion efforts.)*

Claudia Schabel, Chair B) 515-423-0793 [schabel@schabelsolutions.com](mailto:schabel@schabelsolutions.com) Des Moines

## **DISTRICT AWARDS AND RECOGNITION TEAM**

*(Objective: To seek ways to recognize significant individual and club achievements in District 6000.)*

Karin Franklin, Co-Chair C) 319-321-8261 [franklinkarin66@gmail.com](mailto:franklinkarin66@gmail.com) Iowa City AM  
Craig Hertel, Co-Chair C) 515-370-8358 [cjhertel@netins.net](mailto:cjhertel@netins.net) Jefferson

## **DISTRICT 6000 NEWS TEAM**

*(Objective: To solicit and coordinate information for the 2 times a year District Newsletter.)*

## **ROTARY FELLOWSHIPS TEAM**

*(Objective: To inform clubs about involvement in Rotary Fellowships that share common interests in worthwhile recreational activities, to explore new opportunities for service, to make friends around the world and have fun.)*

Allyson Walter, Chair C) 515-231-7349 [allysonwalter2747@gmail.com](mailto:allysonwalter2747@gmail.com) Ames

## **ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE (R.L.I.) TEAM**

*(Objective: To improve Rotary member knowledge and understanding of the Rotary organization and enhance leadership skills that can be used in our everyday lives.)*

Steve Wieneke, Chair C) 515-250-0507 [swieneked6K@gmail.com](mailto:swieneked6K@gmail.com) Ankeny Evening

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## COMMUNITY SERVICE



*Rotary's Third Avenue of Service is comprised of varied efforts that Rotarians make, sometimes in conjunction and cooperation with others, to improve the quality of life for those who live within their club's territory or municipality.*

**ADVISOR**                      **Dennis Drager**    [dennisddrager@gmail.com](mailto:dennisddrager@gmail.com)    **HOPE**

### **DISASTER RELIEF / HUMANITARIAN SERVICES FUND TEAM**

*(Objective: To provide leadership for District 6000's support of the Iowa Human Resources Disaster Council and to evaluate humanitarian project needs and recommend distribution of district funds.)*

Paul Kalainoff, Chair            C) 563-570-7907    [kalainoff@gmail.com](mailto:kalainoff@gmail.com)                      North Scott

### **LITERACY PROMOTION TEAM**

*(Objective: To identify ways to improve literacy, and to support District initiatives in literacy.)*

Katy Downes, Chair            C) 773-504-1900    [downes.kathleen@gmail.com](mailto:downes.kathleen@gmail.com)                      Winterset

### **PREVENT HUMAN TRAFFICKING TEAM**

*(Objective: To promote awareness of and to educate Rotarians on the growing problem of modern-day slavery)*

George Belitsos, Chair        H) 515-292-9475    [gbelitsos55@gmail.com](mailto:gbelitsos55@gmail.com)                      Ames  
Maggie Tinsman                C) 563-359-3624    [maggie.tinsman@mchsi.com](mailto:maggie.tinsman@mchsi.com)                      Davenport

### **PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT TEAM**

*(Objective: To guide the District and clubs to plant trees, pollinators, reduce carbon footprint and have a goal of addressing climate change. Education and application of methods to improve the environment and preserve healthy ways of life. Both educational materials and programs will be offered to clubs.)*

Bill Koellner, Chair            C) 319-631-9783    [whkoell1943@gmail.com](mailto:whkoell1943@gmail.com)                      Iowa City Downtown

## SERVICE TO YOUTH

*Rotary's Fifth Avenue of Service involves recognizing the positive change implemented by youth and young adults through leadership development activities, service projects and exchange programs. The avenue includes Youth Exchange, Interact, Rotaract, RYLA and other Club-level youth initiatives.*

**ADVISOR**                      **Chris Knapp**                      [chrisknapp5012@gmail.com](mailto:chrisknapp5012@gmail.com)    **Iowa City AM**

### **INTERACT TEAM**

*(Objective: To assist clubs in the formation of new Interact clubs for high school students and to provide resources as requested for existing Interact clubs.)*

Marie Pipes, Chair            C) 816-260-4355    [mariepipes.rotary@gmail.com](mailto:mariepipes.rotary@gmail.com)                      East Polk County

### **ROTARACT TEAM**

*(Objective: To assist Rotary clubs in the formation of new College/University based and community based Rotaract clubs and provide resources, guidance and mentoring to existing Rotaract clubs.)*

Kalya Gutshall, Co-Chair    C) 515-954-0593 email [kayla-gutshall@uiowa.edu](mailto:kayla-gutshall@uiowa.edu)    University of Iowa Rotaract Club  
Gage Haines, Co-Chair        C) 860-815-2508 email [ghaines@iastate.edu](mailto:ghaines@iastate.edu)    Iowa State University Rotaract Club

### **ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE TEAM**

*(Objective: To coordinate Inbound and Outbound Rotary Youth Exchanges with clubs and Rotary International.)*

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Chris Knapp, Vice-Chair    C) 319-621-4977    [chrisknapp5012@gmail.com](mailto:chrisknapp5012@gmail.com)                      Iowa City AM  
Paul Kalainoff, Out Coord    C) 563-570-7907    [paul.kalainoff@rye6000.org](mailto:paul.kalainoff@rye6000.org)                      North Scott  
Beth Saxton, In Coord.    C) 515-201-5953    [inbound@rye6000.org](mailto:inbound@rye6000.org)                      Decatur County

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## **ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARDS (RYLA) CONFERENCE TEAM** – also includes D5970 members

*(Objective: To assist in the promotion and sponsorship of high school students to attend the annual Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) conference each summer.)*

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Steve Wieneke, Ch-Elect	C) 515-250-0507	<a href="mailto:swieneked6K@gmail.com">swieneked6K@gmail.com</a>	Ankeny Evening
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## **YOUTH PROTECTION OFFICERS**

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## **INTERNATIONAL SERVICE**



*Rotary's Fourth Avenue of Service comprises all the things that a Rotarian can do to advance international understanding, good will, and peace. They do so by getting acquainted with people of other countries, their cultures, and customs through personal contacts, travel and attendance at conventions, and cooperation in club activities and projects including those of The Rotary Foundation that will help people in other lands.*

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**CO-ADVISOR**                **Dennis Drager**                [dennisddrager@gmail.com](mailto:dennisddrager@gmail.com)      **HOPE**

## **FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGE TEAM**

*(Objective: To promote and organize inbound and outbound Friendship Exchanges for District 6000 Rotarians.)*

Lesley Dakin, Chair	C) 515-371-5498	<a href="mailto:lesley@retiredfun.net">lesley@retiredfun.net</a>	Boone
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## **HUMANITARIAN AND EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION (H.E.F.)**

*(Objective: To ensure the proper management of H.E.F., District 6000's 501(c) (3) organization.)*

District 6000 H.E.F. is a 501(c) (3) organization established within Rotary District 6000 for the receipt of charitable contributions for humanitarian and educational projects carried out by District Clubs and Rotarians within and outside of the United States. Individual Restricted Funds are created in order to receive, safeguard, and disburse funds for the intended purposes at the direction of each fund's account manager.

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Phil Peterson, Treasurer	C) 319-499-8109	<a href="mailto:ptpeterson33@gmail.com">ptpeterson33@gmail.com</a>	Iowa City AM

## **IOWA M.O.S.T. TEAM**

*(Objective: To promote and organize the efforts of District 6000 Rotarians and non-Rotary medical personnel to work with the Rotarians of Huehuetenango, Guatemala, to provide free cleft lip/palate surgery. This team also works to promote additional health related outreach identified in their community.)*

Deb Dunkhase, Leader	C) 319-321-5528	<a href="mailto:ddunkhase@theicm.org">ddunkhase@theicm.org</a>	Iowa City AM
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## **XICOTEPEC PROJECT TEAM**

*(Objective: To promote and coordinate the efforts of District 6000 Rotary, Rotaract and Interact clubs and University of Iowa service-learning classes in support of humanitarian projects of the Rotary Club of Xicotepec D4185, Puebla, Mexico)*

Jim Peterson, Co-Chair	C) 319-631-2992	<a href="mailto:jim-peterson@mchsi.com">jim-peterson@mchsi.com</a>	Iowa City AM
Jenny Seylar, Co-Chair	C) 319-594-0506	<a href="mailto:jenny.seylar@iaumc.net">jenny.seylar@iaumc.net</a>	Iowa City AM

## **YOUTH SERVICES FUND**

*(Objective: To foster, support and financially assist Interact, Rotaract and young Rotarian's participation in Rotary humanitarian service projects, working alongside Rotarians.)*

Phil Peterson, H.E.F. Treasurer	<a href="mailto:ptpeterson33@gmail.com">ptpeterson33@gmail.com</a>	Iowa City AM
Marie Pipes, Interact Chair	<a href="mailto:mariepipes.rotary@gmail.com">mariepipes.rotary@gmail.com</a>	East Polk County
Steve Wieneke, Rotaract Chair	<a href="mailto:swieneked6K@gmail.com">swieneked6K@gmail.com</a>	Ankeny Evening

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## INTERCOUNTRY COMMITTEES (ICC)

*(Objective: To promote peace and international understanding while improving cross-cultural awareness, engaging diversities, and bridging communities.)*

Columbia – Heidi Drager  
Spain – Greg Probst

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[greg.probst@rye6000.org](mailto:greg.probst@rye6000.org) Iowa City AM

## THE ROTARY FOUNDATION



### A. FOUNDATION ACTIVITIES

*To work with leadership to oversee Foundation activities in District 6000.*

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**CHAIR** Steve Dakin, DRFC [steve@retiredfun.net](mailto:steve@retiredfun.net) Boone  
**Associate Chair** Steve SchraderBachar [Steve.SchraderBachar@rate.com](mailto:Steve.SchraderBachar@rate.com) Ankeny

### ANNUAL FUND SUBCOMMITTEE

*(Objective: To encourage and support clubs throughout the district in contributing to The Rotary Foundation's Annual Fund by fostering education, effective communication, and collaboration.)*

Mark Ruggeberg, Ch-East C) 319-331-0820 [markluggeberg@gmail.com](mailto:markluggeberg@gmail.com) Iowa City Downtown  
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### ENDOWMENT FUND SUBCOMMITTEE

*(Objective: Promote cash gifts and planned gifts to the Endowment Fund of The Rotary Foundation and assist donors in making those gifts.)*

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### FOUNDATION EVENT TEAM

*(Objective: To plan the annual Foundation Celebration Event.)*  
Steve Dakin, Chair

### COMMUNITY SERVICE GRANTS TEAM

*(Objective: To award Rotary Foundation District Designated Funds for projects in District 6000 in accordance with Foundation guidelines.)*

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### PAUL HARRIS SOCIETY SUBCOMMITTEE

*(Objective: To promote and manage recognition of individuals and clubs who support The Rotary Foundation (TRF) through contributions, identify and honor Rotarians who qualify as Paul Harris Fellows: contributing \$1,000 or more and promote higher levels of giving such as multiple Paul Harris Fellow and Paul Harris Society.)*

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### SCHOLARSHIP SUBCOMMITTEE

*(Objective: To identify, encourage and fund students to pursue graduate/professional studies, in universities outside the USA. The student's education and career goals will align with one or more of the Areas of Focus of the Rotary Foundation.)*

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## GLOBAL GRANTS TEAM

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## POLIOPLUS SUBCOMMITTEE

*(Objective: To ensure that pledges for polio eradication are fulfilled; to provide information to clubs on polio eradication efforts; and to enlist volunteers for National Immunization Days.)*

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Education  
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Child  
Health



Peace &  
Conflict  
Prevention/  
Resolution



Disease  
Prevention  
&  
Treatment



Water,  
Sanitation  
& Hygiene



Community &  
Economic  
Development



Support the  
Environment