



**A ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGE HAS BEEN ARRANGED WITH D5970 IOWA**

THIS WILL INVOLVE A GROUP OF UP TO 10 - ROTARIANS AND PARTNERS OR UNACCOMPANIED ROTARIANS FROM D 9780 VISITING D 5970.

**THE TRIP IS FROM THE 21<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER – 4<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2020**

THESE VISITS ARE NORMALLY OF 2 WEEKS DURATION WITH VISITORS HOSTED BY A NUMBER OF ROTARY FAMILIES IN THE OVERSEAS COUNTRY. MANY ROTARIANS AND COUPLES INVOLVED IN THE RFE PROGRAM CHOOSE TO INCLUDE SOME OVERSEAS TRAVEL EITHER PRIOR TO OR FOLLOWING THE ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGE.

**YOUR MAIN FINANCIAL COMMITMENT IS TO COVER THE COST OF YOUR OWN RETURN TRAVEL TO AND FROM THE STARTING AND FINISHING LOCATIONS OF THE ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGE IN D 5970 PLUS SPENDING MONEY FOR EXTRAS DURING THE EXCHANGE.**

YOU CAN INDICATE YOUR INTEREST IN PARTICIPATING IN THIS ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGE BY COMPLETING THIS FORM AND EMAILING TO [gail@portlandseaview.com.au](mailto:gail@portlandseaview.com.au) OR FAX 55 233386 NO LATER THAN THURSDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2020 AS EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST MAY BE CONSIDERED IN ORDER OF RECEIPT.

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM:**

ROTARIAN (NAME).....PARTNER(NAME).....

IS YOUR PARTNER INTENDING TO BE PART OF THE EXCHANGE.....YES/NO (please circle)

POSTAL ADDRESS:..... TOWN/CITY.....

HOME PHONE:(     ).....MOBILE:.....

EMAIL:.....

THANK YOU.

GAIL BARRETT – CHAIR ROTARY FRIENDSHIP EXCHANGE D 9780

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## IOWA

Iowa sits between the Missouri and the Mississippi rivers.

Bridges of Madison County – Winterset Iowa

Field of Dreams – Dyersville Iowa

Iowa is the Midwest of the United States – Des Moines is the capital and Iowa is listed as one of the safe States to live in USA and is known as the Hawkeye State.

51 Rotary clubs in D 5970

Sabula is Iowa's only town on an island

Population 3.156 million – 2018

Sliced bread was invented by an Iowan

The state is comprised of 92 percent farmland

**BUY A DUCK AND CHANGE THE WORLD** is a fund raiser at the District Conference in Cedar Rapids on 25<sup>th</sup> April 2020

RYLA runs for a week and they have approx 240 students

RYLA also has its own RYLA Conference in July.

Amana Colonies (German). There are 7 villages in 26000 acres located in Iowa County.