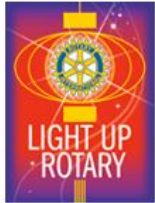


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2015-2016 Officers

President – Rick Guill
Past Pres. – Steve Chamley
& Membership
Pres. Elect – Stacy Schultz
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Treasurer – Paul Hamilton
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Sgt. at Arms – Stan Grote

Board Members

Scott Hartman 16
Stacy Schultz 16
Jay Simms 16
Tom Hanafan 17
Kathy Rieger 17
Verne Welch 17
Stan Grote 18
Eric Hamilton 18
Keith Jones 18
Phil Meyer 18

Executive Director

Wendy Chubick

NO MEETING THIS WEEK

Thursday, July 16, 2015, 6 PM Social, 7 PM Dinner
CHANGING OF THE GUARD STEAK FRY
At the home of Jason James (directions will be provided)

JULY MEETINGS/EVENTS

- 01 Beginning of new Rotary year
- 02 Denise Parker, Creighton University Financial Hope Collaborative
- 08 Board Meeting, 12 pm, US Bank, 421 S. Broadway, 4th Floor
- 09 District Governor Elect Gary Bren, Rotary Visioning Process
- 16 Changing of the Guard Steak Fry at the Home of Jason James
- 23 District Governor Rod Bates Official Visit and
Rotarian of the Year Presentation
- 30 Vocational Talks: Cati DeMasi & Erin Johnson

JULY BIRTHDAYS

- 03 Charlie Johnson
- 11 Matt Gronstal
- 15 Mike Kenealy
- 21 Linda Robicheau
- 25 Nancy Schulze
- 28 Dick Christie

| JULY | Song Leader | Clipper | Greeter |
|------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 02 | Carol Wood | Ron Tekippe | Chris Blum |
| 09 | Larry Knotek | Kathy Rieger | Donna Barry |
| 16 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 23 | Kathy Rieger | Justin James | Marcia Antworth |
| 30 | Jill Orton | Marcia Antworth | TBA |

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MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES

MONDAY

North – Noon, Eppley Airport Conference Center
Bellevue – Noon, DJ's Dugout, 10308 S 23rd St
Millard – Noon, German American Society, 3717 S 120th St

TUESDAY

Morning – 7 am, Happy Hollow Club, 1701 S 105th St
Northwest – Noon, Champions Run, 13800 Eagle Run Dr
Southwest Night – 5:15 pm, DJ's Dugout, 17666 Welch Plaza

WEDNESDAY

Downtown – Noon, Field Club, 3615 Woolworth Ave
Council Bluffs Centennial – 7 am, Hy-Vee, Madison Ave

THURSDAY

Suburban – Noon, Anthony's, 7220 F St
Western Douglas County – 7 am, Elkhorn Common Ground
Community Center, 1701 Veterans Dr

FRIDAY

West – Noon, Champions Run, 13800 Eagle Run Dr

E-Club Meeting Links:

www.rotaryclub7210.org
www.rotaryclubone.org
www.rotaryclubny1.com
www.rotaryclub7890.org
www.rotaryclubsouthwest.org
www.rotaryclub34.org

Rotary Links:

Rotary International Website: www.rotary.org
District 5650 Website: www.rotarydistrict5650.org
District Facebook: www.facebook.com/rotarydistrict5650

Rotary Events

Changing of the Guard Steak Fry at home of Jason James - THIS THURSDAY, July 16, 6 PM Social, 7 PM Dinner. Steaks will be provided. Please bring a side dish and your own beverages. Please RSVP to the Exec. Dir. by 5 PM TODAY, July 13, so Jason has a count to order steaks. 2 attendance credits awarded.

The July 23 meeting is District Governor Rod Bates' Official Visit for the new Rotary year; and, we will be presenting the Rotarian of the Year Award to one of our members. Please attend this important meeting. 2 attendance credits awarded.

Rotary Volunteer Needed for Westfair, Sat., July 25, 10:30 AM-1 PM shift. Volunteers manage the entry gates. 2 attendance credits awarded.

Announcements

The Board has approved the new member proposal of Cati DeMasi. Cati is the Exec. Dir. of The Center and is proposed by Rick Guill. Please contact the Exec. Dir. with any questions by July 20.

The Club Board was short a member due to Stan Grote holding two positions on the Board - Sergeant at Arms and Board Member. The Board approved Phil Meyer for the open Board position. Thank you Phil for your service to the club!

The Fairmount Park Grand Opening Committee is being put together. If you would like to be on the committee, please let the Exec. Dir. know.

Iowa Mission of Mercy is coming to Council Bluffs! This event will provide free dental work at the MAC on September 11 and 12. Dr. Cary Jackson, a local dentist and member of the Centennial Club, is the local chair. Cary presented the program to the club in March and he has chaired the Rotary Souper Bowl Food Drive the last couple of years. Volunteers are needed to assist in child care, food service, escorting patients, patient registration, conducting exit interviews, runners, waiting area monitors, setting up and tearing down. For more information, to volunteer or to donate, please visit www.iowamom.org.

Thank you to Celebrate Catering for providing our weekly meals. Please contact Stacy to cater your event. Call 712-322-2580 or visit www.celebratecatering4u.com.

Member Donations to The Rotary Foundation (TRF) Annual Program Fund (APF)

2014-15 Goal: \$10,000

Raised: \$10,145

% to goal: 101%

Congratulations and Thank You to all who contributed to reaching this goal! You're doing good locally and around the world.

Now for 2015-16...

2015-16 Goal: \$9,100 (Based on \$100/91 members as of 7/1/15)

Raised: \$2,475

% to goal: 27%

July – Sustaining (\$100 or more): Donna Barry, Steve Baumert, Martha Bruckner, Del Campbell, Steve Chamley, John Cool, Scott Hartman, Jason James, Dan Kinney, Ric Miller, Chris Olson, Kathy Rieger, Cindy Schmader, Tara Slevin, Ron, Tekippe, Emmet Tinley; **Other:** Dick Christie; Jen Doebelin, Don Gross, Stan Grote, Carol Horner, Justin James, Charlie Johnson, Mike Kenealy, Larry Knotek, Bob Knox, Stacy Schultz, Wendy Schultz, Tom Whitson, Lisa Yilmaz

July Board Meeting Summary

Executive Director's Report:

Attendance: June 44%

Current membership: 91

Treasurer's Report:

Approval of June financial report was tabled until August due to outstanding 2014-15 expenses.

May - Income: \$10,205.29; Expenses: \$3,773.27; Excess \$6,432.02; YTD Deficit: \$2,427.44.

Other Business:

- A summary of the club's 2015-16 goals and the Presidential Citation form are attached.
- The Club is very close to meeting the \$100,000 goal for the 100 Year Project. The fundraising committee will be reaching out to members who have not completed a donor form to try and wrap up the campaign. The Parks department has said they will need the names of all \$1,000+ donors by the end of July for sign engraving.
- District Conference will be August 21-22 at the MAC. Carol Horner is District Conference Chair. The Club will have an exhibit in the House of Friendship about the 100 Year Project.
- The Club will sponsor a \$100 Spirit of Courage golf cart ad for the 100 Year Anniversary.
- Instead of the Fall Picnic, the Club Service Committee will be planning an After Hours event in October.

July9 Program
District Governor Elect Gary Bren
Rotary Visioning Process

The visioning process is designed to help a Rotary club create its own vision and to discover for itself the steps necessary to achieve that vision. The result is unique to each club because this is not a vision decided by the Rotary District or by Rotary International. The result is a vision designed and endorsed by the club's own members.

A club visioning event brings together a good cross-section of a club's membership from the newest to the most experienced Rotarian. The process uses the talents and life experience within the club to develop a vision and goals reflecting that club's membership. A club visioning event provides renewed focus on objectives and is completed in a dedicated, fun-filled four hour session. The challenge during this process is to gather as many ideas and opportunities for the future from a group of 15 to 30 Rotarians and then condense it down to the most important goals as determined by that club. To make sure that all of this can be accomplished within a limited time frame, the club visioning event is run by an outside neutral team of Rotary facilitators. The team has been well-trained in a specific process to help the club bring out its best thinking. The facilitation team does not suggest or promote projects.

This is not a strategic planning process. However, it does provide wonderful material that can be used to either help review a club's existing strategic plan or help in the development of such a plan at a later time. By the end of this four-hour process, each club will have a clear vision of the following:

- What the club stands for in the community;
- The club's target membership size in five years;
- Identification of the club's attributes;
- Top three objectives for each avenue of service; and
- Ways to improve the club's leadership development.