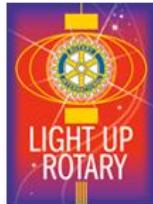


# THE ROTATOR

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## Rotary International Theme 2014-2015



## 2014-2015 Officers

President – Steve Chamley  
Past Pres. – Jill Orton  
& Membership  
Pres. Elect – Rick Guill  
& Sgt. at Arms  
RI Fndn. – Mick McKinley  
Treasurer – Paul Hamilton  
Secretary – Donna Pritchard

## Board Members

Susan Enewold 15  
Chris Olson 15  
Wendy Schultz 15  
Scott Hartman 16  
Stacy Schultz 16  
Jay Simms 16  
Tom Hanafan 17  
Kathy Rieger 17  
Verne Welch 17

## Executive Director

Wendy Chubick

NO REGULAR MEETING THUR., SEPT. 18

## Fall Picnic, Thursday, September 19

Social 5:30 pm, Dinner 6:30 pm  
Meyer Landing, 6865 Gifford Rd.

\*Details under Rotary Events\*

## SEPTEMBER MEETINGS/EVENTS - New Generations Month

04 Mary Mosiman, State Auditor  
10 Board Meeting, 12 pm, US Bank, 421 S. Broadway, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
11 ALS in the Heartland  
18 NO REGULAR MEETING  
19 Fall Picnic at Meyer Landing  
25 Rotary/Children's Hospital Halloween Monster Mash

## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

08 Doug Drummey  
10 Terry Oldenburg  
10 Jay Simms  
12 Barb Morrison  
18 Susan Enewold  
25 Bob Knox

September	Song Leader, Thought for the Day, Pledge	Clipper	Greeter
04	Kathy Rieger	Larry Knotek	Jared Olson
11	Larry Knotek	Butch Lecuona	Carl Heinrich
18	N/A	N/A	N/A
25	Greg Witte	Erin Johnson	Doug Drummey

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## MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES

### MONDAY

North – Noon, Eppley Airport Conference Center  
Bellevue – Noon, DJ's Dugout, 2440 Cornhusker Rd  
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 – 5:15 pm, Millard Plaza Ballroom, 5339 S 139 Plz

### 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](http://www.rotaryclub7210.org)  
[www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org)  
[www.rotaryclubny1.com](http://www.rotaryclubny1.com)  
[www.rotaryclub7890.org](http://www.rotaryclub7890.org)  
[www.rotaryclubsouthwest.org](http://www.rotaryclubsouthwest.org)  
[www.rotaryclub34.org](http://www.rotaryclub34.org)

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### **Rotary Events**

RSVP TODAY! - FALL PICNIC THIS FRIDAY, Sept. 19,  
Social 5:30 pm, Dinner 6:30 pm, Meyer Landing, 6865  
Gifford Rd. Cost: \$15/person - Guests Welcome. **No regular  
meeting Thur., Sept. 18.** 2 attendance credits will be given.  
\*Please deliver raffle donations to Kathy Rieger at the library  
by this Wed., Sept. 17.

Directions: Start out going west on Veterans Memorial  
Highway toward Omaha, take first left after Fox Run housing  
development onto S. 35th St. which turns into Gifford Rd.,  
follow road to Meyer Landing.

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### **Announcements**

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](http://www.celebratecatering4u.com).

#### **Links:**

**Rotary International Website:** [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)  
**District 5650 Website:** [www.rotarydistrict5650.org](http://www.rotarydistrict5650.org)  
**District Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/rotarydistrict5650](http://www.facebook.com/rotarydistrict5650)

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### **Rotary Education Moment**

This past Thursday marked the 13th anniversary of the  
devastating events of September 11, 2001. On September 11,  
2001, Rotary International President Richard D. King sent out

a [special message](#) to the victims of the attacks on behalf of all  
the world's Rotarians: "At this early stage, we do not yet know  
what losses our own Rotary family may have experienced, but  
I am quite certain that all Rotarians stand united in offering  
sympathy and support." "These events demonstrate all the  
more the importance of keeping our organization growing and  
thriving. Where Rotary exists in the world, there is a greater  
chance for peace. By swelling the ranks of Rotarians dedicated  
to peace, we can further strengthen Rotary's mission to foster  
international understanding and goodwill."

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### **2014-15 Member Donations to The Rotary Foundation (TRF) Annual Program Fund (APF)**

**2014-15 Goal: \$10,000**

**Raised: \$3,525**

**% to goal: 35%**

**\$6,475 to go**

**July – Sustaining (\$100 or more):** Donna Barry, Steve  
Baumert, Martha Bruckner, Del Campbell, Steve Chamley,  
John Cool, Jen Doebelin, Scott Hartman, Jason James, Cindi  
Keithley, Dan Kinney, Ed Lynn, Ric Miller, Chris Olson,  
Kathy Rieger, Linda Robicheau, Cindy Schmader, Tara  
Slevin, Ron Tekippe, Mike Van Sickle; **Other:** Dick Christie,  
Susan Enewold, Don Gross, Stan Grote, Rick Guill, Carol  
Horner, Tom Jensen, Charlie Johnson, Larry Knotek, Bob  
Knox, Terry LeMaster, Leo McIntosh, Kelly Morris, Chris  
Rochleau, Jay Simms, Pete Tulipana, Jeanie Waters, Tom  
Whitson

**August - Sustaining:** Doug Goodman, Gilbert Thomas

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### **September Board Meeting Summary**

Executive Director's Report for August:

Attendance: 48%

Current membership: 98

Treasurer's Report for August.:

Income: \$1,414.39; Expenses: \$3,091.85; Deficit: \$1,677.46

YTD Deficit : \$5,291.57

Other Business:

- Upon recommendation of the Investment Committee, the Board approved investment of the Club's "excess cash" of \$10,000 in a Vanguard High Dividend ETF.
- Rich Scotter is the new webmaster of the club website.
- The Soup Lunch will be Thur., Oct. 16 at the Masonic Temple. Oct. 24 is World Polio Day - the theme for the lunch will be polio eradication and proceeds will go to RI's Polio Plus program. The Club's goal is \$3,200.
- The Club will host this year's Metro Luncheon on Thur., Nov. 20 at Ameristar. The keynote speaker has been confirmed.
- The Christmas Luncheon will be held Thur., Dec. 11 at the Black Box Room at the Arts Center at IWCC.
- The Board approved support for the Zambian Project in lieu of Water for People for the Club's international water/humanitarian project. The decision was based on: the Zambian Project is supported by Rotary and run by

Rotarians, club member Dr. Phil Meyer's humanitarian work on the project, and our ability to see the direct results of our contributions. Additional information to come.

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**September 11 Program**  
**ALS in the Heartland - Emily Edwards**

Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS), commonly referred to as Lou Gehrig's disease, has recently been brought to the headlines by the Ice Bucket Challenge. It is a degenerative neuromuscular disease that strikes more than 5,600 people in the U.S. each year. Today, approximately 30,000 people nationwide suffer from ALS.

ALS affects the major muscle groups and manifests symptoms that can range from muscle twitching, to difficulties in walking and holding items, to slurred speech and poor breathing, culminating in muscle paralysis. The average lifespan from the date of diagnosis is two to five years.

ALS is a devastating disease that does not discriminate. While most often diagnosed in people aged 40-70, ALS can also strike young adults or elderly persons. The disease crosses all ethnic, racial and socioeconomic boundaries.

As of today, the cause of ALS is unknown. There are no known preventative measures, and there is no recognized cure.

ALS in the Heartland is a dedicated, non-profit resource of free services and support to ALS patients, their families and caregivers throughout all of Nebraska and western Iowa. They provide tangible, compassionate support to patients and families at a time when they need it most - from the point of diagnosis through the time when the disease takes its greatest toll physically, emotionally and financially.

Their mission: To provide the highest quality of support and care for ALS patients and their families. They strive to enhance quality of life; heighten community awareness; and, strengthen public and legislative support.

Services:

- Professional consultation by a licensed clinical social worker and grief certified counselor in-home or via telephone and email
- Respite care voucher program
- Equipment loan program
- Telehealth program
- Information and education
- Community support gatherings
- Referrals to relevant ALS medical clinics
- Volunteers for companionship and assistance with household errands and chores

For more information call 402-592-2374 or visit [www.alsintheheartland.org](http://www.alsintheheartland.org).