

# THE ROTATOR

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*Rotary International Theme 2011-2012*

Thursday, October 27, 2011, 12:00 pm  
Vocational Talks – Leo McIntosh & Sheri Splichal  
The Center, 714 S. Main St.

## OCTOBER MEETINGS/EVENTS

- 06 Water For People, Paul Bass
- 12 Board Meeting, 12:00 pm, TS Bank, 1745 Madison Ave.
- 13 Medical Clinics for Mali West Africa, Wesley Grigsby, MD
- 20 Annual Soup Luncheon Fundraiser, Masonic Temple
- 27 Vocational Talks – Leo McIntosh & Sheri Splichal

## OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

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| 01 Jill Orton  | 07 John Vergamini |
| 02 Verne Welch | 09 Carol Wood     |
| 03 Tom Jensen  | 13 Erin Johnson   |
| 06 Ed Lynn     | 18 Paul Hamilton  |

## **2011-2012 Officers**

President – Mike Maher  
Past Pres. – Carol Horner  
Pres. Elect – Mick McKinley  
Treasurer – Paul Hamilton  
Secretary – Donna Pritchard  
RI Fndn. – Doris Heineman

## **Board Members**

Terry LeMaster 12  
Gilbert Thomas 12  
Tom Whitson 12  
Peg Christensen 13  
Tony Doremus 13  
Jay Simms 13  
Marcia Antworth 14  
Jason James 14  
Jill Orton 14

## **Executive Director**

Wendy Chubick

October	Song Leader	Clipper	Greeter
06	Marcia Antworth	Tom Jensen	Scott Hartman
13	Steve Chamley	Rick Guill	Carol Wood
27	Carol Wood	TBA	Dolores Silkworth

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## MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES

### MONDAY

**North** – Noon, Eppley Airport Conference Center  
**Bellevue** – Noon, DJ's Dugout, 2440 Cornhusker Rd.  
**Millard** – Noon, Bel Air Banquet Room, 12100 W. Center Rd

### TUESDAY

**Morning** – 7 a.m., Happy Hollow Club, 1701 S. 105<sup>th</sup> St  
**Northwest** – Noon, Champions Run, 13800 Eagle Run Dr.  
**Southwest** – 5:15 p.m., The Prestige, 168<sup>th</sup> & Pacific

### WEDNESDAY

**Downtown** – Noon, The Field Club, 3615 Woolworth Ave.  
**Council Bluffs Centennial** – 7 a.m., Hy-Vee, Madison Ave.

### THURSDAY

**Suburban** – Noon, Anthony's, 7220 F St.  
**Western Douglas County** – 7 a.m., 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**

District 5650 Membership Seminar – **THE DATE HAS CHANGED AGAIN** to Sat., Nov. 12, 8:30 am-3:00 pm, Henry Doorly Zoo. Cost: \$20 includes lunch and attendee's zoo admission. Earn 2 attendance credits. The first 60 to register get two \$5 off coupons for zoo admission for their family. To register visit: [www.rotarydistrict5650.org](http://www.rotarydistrict5650.org) or contact the Executive Director.

Annual Poker Tournament – Sat., Nov. 26, 1-5 pm, Elks Lodge on McKenzie Ave. Tickets are \$50. This is a great opportunity to get out of the house (and away from the in-laws ☺) on Thanksgiving weekend! Please make this fundraiser a success by buying a ticket, even if you choose to have someone else play. Donations of \$25, \$50 and \$100 gift card prizes are also needed. Proceeds will go to club programs including Polio Eradication and the Annual 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Career Fair. If you would like to participate in some way, please contact Jason James or the Executive Director.

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#### **Announcements**

Our condolences go out to Carol Wood whose father passed away on Oct. 13.

President Mike Maher will meet with club committee co-chairs at 11:30 am on Thur., Oct. 27 (before the regular meeting) at The Center to finalize committee assignments.

Dues statements went out via email on Oct. 3. Dues are due Nov. 3.

Past President Carol Horner and her committee will soon begin the search for a President-Elect for 2013-14. Please let her know if you would be interested in being considered. Elections will be held in December.

The Club will hold its vote for Board nominees at the regular meeting on Nov. 10. A list of club members will be made available at the Oct. 27 and Nov. 3 regular meetings so members who do not wish to be considered for the Board can cross their names off. You may also contact the Executive Director if you do not want to be considered for the Board.

The Club is looking for a donation of a used business projector for use at meetings. Please let the Executive Director know if your organization has one to donate.

Thank you to Celebrate Catering for providing our weekly meals. Please contact Stacy to cater your event. Call 712-322-2580, email [wecelebrate4u@aol.com](mailto:wecelebrate4u@aol.com) or visit [www.celebratecatering4u.com](http://www.celebratecatering4u.com).

#### **Rotary Links:**

District 5650 Website: <http://www.rotarydistrict5650.org>  
Rotary International Website: <http://www.rotary.org>

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#### **Water For People 2011 Fundraising Campaign**

**Goal: \$4,000 by October 31**

**Total to Date: \$3,646 - \$354 to go**

Water For People helps people in need get access to clean water, adequate sanitation and basic health services. A generous group of donors has pledged \$1 million to this campaign and challenged Water For People to raise another \$1 million by October 31. They need our help to make it happen. In addition to this challenge, three club members have pledged \$2,000 and challenge club members to match it.

Thank you to these generous donors:

Marcia Antworth	Bob Knox
Donna Barry	Ed Lynn
Paul Bass	Phil Meyer
Del Campbell	Barb Morrison
Nancy Coziahr	Ralph O'Donnell
Doug Drummey	Donna Pritchard
Stan Grote	Nancy Schulze
Doris Heineman	Tara Slevin
Kathy Jordan	Verne Welch
Larry Knotek	Carol Wood
James L. Knett	Tom Whitson

**Please make checks payable to Rotary Foundation Council Bluffs with "Water For People" on the memo line.**

You can also donate online through Water For People's new partner, Crowdrise, at: [www.crowdrise.com/donatotodrink](http://www.crowdrise.com/donatotodrink). If you choose to donate online, please let the Executive Director know so she can keep track of member donations.

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**Annual Rotary Soup Luncheon  
October 20, 2011**

We had a great turn out once again and made money for the Club's Rotary Youth Exchange program and other projects and programs throughout the year.

307 tickets were taken (10 less than last year) – 257 from presales, 50 from walk-ins. Income for the day was \$1,277. The Split-the-Pot raffle raised \$137. Ticket presales were \$1,150. Total income from the Soup Luncheon to date is \$2,427. That's just \$6.13 less than last year. 33 club members have not yet paid for their tickets (\$825). Martha Bruckner purchased the most tickets – 40 tickets for \$200. Thank you Martha!

The only expense was \$250 for the Masonic Temple rental. Everything else was donated. Ameristar (Jane Bell) donated salad, salad dressing, bread, butter and soup crackers. HGM (Ron Tekippe, Jared Olson) donated flyers, signs, tickets, ice, tea and coffee. IWCC (Marcia Antworth, Renee Coughlin, Tom Johnson, Dan Kinney) donated silverware, plates, bowls, cups and napkins. The Red Cross (Jill Orton) donated the use of their igloos for the beverages. Thank you to these generous sponsors!

A big thank you to Ron Tekippe for chairing the event! And, thank you to all the Rotarians who volunteered – 47 Rotarians worked the luncheon, 11 Rotarians made or purchased soup, 21 Rotarians donated desserts and Jim Hughes delivered over 125 flyers to downtown businesses to promote the event. Two attendance credits will be given to these volunteers.

As mentioned earlier, 33 members still owe \$25 for their ticket purchases which translates to \$825. If you are one of these members, please pay for your tickets at the next regular meeting or mail your payment to: Rotary, P.O. Box 673, Council Bluffs, IA 51502. Bills will be emailed out as a reminder after the October 27 meeting.

Congratulations and thank you to everyone involved! You made this a great event again this year!

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