

Rotary Buzzer

June 15
Rotary Auction

June 18
Board Meeting—5:15
BVB

June 20
Police Chief Wiebold
Abby Howie, Program
Chair

June 27
Rotary Year in Review

July 4
No meeting—Happy
Independence Day!

July 11
Vern Condon, Program
Chair

July 18
RAGBRAI COMMITTEE
Work Day

July 25
Becky Dose, Program
Chair

Jeff Anderson, Editor

Pres. Andrew
Schroeder

Dist. Gov. Mike Ruby

RI Pres. Ian Riseley

Meeting Recap

President Andrew called the meeting to order in the newly remodeled meeting room at Cedar Pointe Golf Course. There were quite a number of guests and visitors on Wednesday including several members of the Evening Rotary Club that were able to with us as well! Andrew shared that the Boone Rotary Club is knocking on the door of our 100th anniversary next year and that for “almost” a century our club has been living out the Rotary motto of “Service Above Self”. He also put in a plug for the Evening Rotary Club noting that meet at the Tic Toc on the 1st and 3rd evenings each month.

Board Meeting Rescheduled

Andrew noted that due to some scheduling conflicts the board

Andrew decided to forgo happy dollars on Wednesday to afford our speaker a longer opportunity to speak and answer questions. Everyone can just be

meeting was NOT held last Monday but will instead be held this coming Monday evening at 5:10 at Boone Valley Brewing. Everyone is welcome!

AUCTION TIME

Cody had tickets for our auction this Friday and Abby indicated that help will be needed Thursday night to help set up and all day Friday if anyone can stop out to help as well. The duty roster was sent out via an earlier email so everyone should know what they need to do come Friday night! It was also shared that six tickets to Hamilton the Musical will be auctioned during the “live” auction part of the evening and there are numerous silent auction

items and packages to bid on as well!

DISSAPPOINTING POLIO NEWS

Susan shared that a case of polio has been reported in Venezuela which would be the first case in the Western Hemisphere since 1994 when it was declared “polio free”. According to reports the child had not been vaccinated due to living in a remote area and deficiencies in delivering polio (and other) immunizations as a result of the economic crisis in the country which is impacting the healthcare delivery system.

Sergeant at Arms

doubly happy next week! Several plugs were put in for our auction so hopefully some of our guests will be able to join us again at Seven Oaks on Friday night! See you there!



Jamie Pollard, ISU Director of Athletics

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

Sports teaches you character, it teaches you to play by the rules, it teaches you to know what it feels like to win and lose-it teaches you about life.

Billie Jean King



Doug Thompson introduced Jamie Pollard who has been the Athletic Director at Iowa State since 2005. Jamie is a native of Oshkosh, WI and was an NCAA Division III All-American in track at UW-Oshkosh. He began his career as an accountant and then served in a variety of business and CFO positions in athletic departments at St. Louis University, the University of Maryland, and the University of Wisconsin before being named AD at ISU. He said he appreciated all the ISU fans on hand and acknowledged that some in the room might also be fans of UNI or Drake (wink, wink!). He began by noting that ISU athletics had great fall season with both the men's and women's cross country teams winning the conference meet, volleyball going to the postseason, and the football team going to Memphis for a bowl game for the first time in several years. He did admit that the winter sports season was "humbling" as the basketball teams (men's and women's) and wrestling squad had "tough years". He did say that all three teams look to rebound next year

with a year of experience and new additions to the squads. He noted that spring sports were strong with the golf and track teams all doing very well. He noted that the football season may be the more anticipated ever as the team looks to build on its strong showing last season and he thinks the men's cross country team could challenge for a national title! He noted that plans are being developed for a new Student Athlete Performance Center that would consolidate sports, academic support, food and nutrition in one facility that is slated to cost around \$70 million. He also noted that the parking and pathways near Hilton are being updated and there are preliminary plans being looked at for upgrades to Hilton Coliseum itself which sound very exciting. He did say the Sukup End Zone addition at Jack Trice has been a marvelous addition and is being used for all sorts of activities. He graciously answered many questions and was very generous with his time! Thanks to Mr. Pollard for an informative and entertaining update about ISU athletics!



ISU Athletic Director Jamie Pollard with Blue Chippers Doug Thompson and President Andrew