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# Rotary Buzzer

January 21  
Evening Rotary Club  
Meeting

January 23  
Karla's Club  
Presentation  
Susan Herrick, Program  
Chair

January 30  
Bob Anderson, Run for  
Kids (Ames Rotary)  
Troy Thompson,  
Program Chair

February 6<sup>th</sup>  
Auction/Centennial  
Work Day Kickoff

February 13  
Brad Manard, Program  
Chair

February 20  
Brad Filipiak, FUMC  
Soap Project  
Jeff Anderson, Program  
Chair

February 27  
Mary Dufelmeier, Chair

March 6  
Committee Work Day

March 13  
Kurt Phillips, Program  
Chair

Pres. Lisa Mount

RI Pres. Barry Rassin

Jeff Anderson, Editor

Carla Gomez Tello  
Tellez—RYE Student

## Meeting Recap

Pres. Lisa was a bit under the weather on Wednesday but she toughed it out and welcomed everyone to our meeting—including our RYE student, Carla, and Sara Schupp who is home on break from school in Minnesota. Lisa passed around a card for members to sign for Mary Maybee (whose regular attendance at our meetings has made her seem almost like a full-fledged member) who fell and fractured her pelvis. George shared that she underwent successful surgery and is now recuperating and undergoing rehabilitation at the Boone County Hospital. Get well soon, Mary. Don't forget that we are still in the midst of our "bring a guest to Rotary" challenge!

Sergeant Matt collected dollars from Phil and Kurt for some missed meetings and Kurt also chipped in a dollar for our speaker! George appreciated everyone's concern about Mary, noting that she does have a challenging recovery ahead. Craig was "happy" we are finally experiencing "glorious" winter. I think Dan Reece was the last member who voiced enthusiasm for snow at one of our meetings! Craig

### Board Meeting Update

The board approved Mandy Gustafson for publication in the Buzzer as a potential new member of the Evening Rotary Club (**First notice**). We will be providing a scholarship to for a student to attend the Y Camp for a week this summer and for 5-6 students to attend the RYLA Conference. Lisa also shared that the information for students to apply for Rotary Scholarships is available online. We offer both academic and vocational education scholarships so please encourage families of students you know to apply! The board is also finalizing our \$500 donation to the Tanzanian water project being coordinated by the Ames Rotary Club (that will be matched with another

### Sergeant at Arms

also apologized for anyone receiving a second friend request from him on Facebook. It's not that Craig can't take "no" for an answer but rather that his account underwent some sort of hacking! Steve was happy about Matt representing our club on the steering committee on the Ames Morning Rotary Club's Run 4 Kids. Dave noted that Carla is a "hit" at Franklin Elementary where

\$500)! We are also sponsoring a Little League team again this year and we will be providing ten tickets to the Salvation Army to take students to the Iowa Wolves game on February 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### Club Elections

Lisa passed out ballots for our club elections. The board candidates were Jane Hitsman, Cody Bowers, Sara Morton, and Lesley Dakin (evening club) and Tish Germer as club secretary and Tim Trudeau as Club Treasurer. All were elected unanimously! Thanks to all these great members who have committed to leadership roles in coming year!

she is helping out braiding students' hair as part of their "Braids and Books" program. Vicki contributed \$40 "and change" for birthday! Happy birthday, Vicki!

### BOONE ROTARY TRIVIA

Who was the last member of the club to lose a contested election for an officer position? Extra credit if you know who won!



# FLY IOWA 2019

**QUOTE OF THE WEEK**

Winter is not a season, it's an occupation.

Sinclair Lewis,  
1885-1951  
American writer



Kurt Phillips introduced Kris Blocker who serves as the events coordinator for the Boone Area Chamber to talk about FLY IOWA 2019. This event is coming to Boone this year on August 3<sup>rd</sup> and is sponsored by the Iowa Aviation Promotions Group and is designed to celebrate aviation in Iowa. Kurt noted that FLY IOWA is another “big” event coming to our community following in the wake of other events like RVTV and RAGBRAI and takes the help of many people to be successful. The theme for this year’s event will be “soaring into Boone”. In addition to being able to see a number of planes that will fly in specifically for this event there will be a “fly in breakfast”, an air show, and other family friendly events. This event has drawn crowds of several

thousand to upwards of 10,000 in the past—so it is a major undertaking. Kurt and Kris encouraged members (or the club as a whole) to consider getting involved in helping out with this event that will showcase the Boone Airport and our Community.



Kris Blocker and Kurt



See you next week!