

THE SUNRISE SIGNAL *March 23, 2006*

Rotary Founded February 23, 1905 Club Chartered June 14, 1990

Rotary Monthly Theme: World Rotaract

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PROGRAMS

Today -- -- Sherry Becker
NIVC Services/Job Link

March 30th -- Herman Meyer
Comp Systems



SERVICE Above Self

Rotarian(s) of the Month will:

Give the Classification Talk the first week of the month

- Greet guests and give the prayer for each meeting during the month

Mar – Daryl Berg
Gary Herrig

Apr – Bob Friedrichs
Bev Eckholdt

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MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES

MONDAY

Mason City - Noon - Hanford Inn
Charles City - Noon – Uptown Cafe
Algona - Noon - Algona Country Club

TUESDAY

Forest City-Noon-Waldorf
Garner-Noon-Matt's Place
Osage-Noon-Cedar Valley Club

WEDNESDAY

Hampton - Noon – Godfathers

THURSDAY

Clear Lake-Noon
Holiday Motor Lodge

WHAT YOU MISSED IF YOU WERE ABSENT

We received yet another perspective on how Hurricane Katrina has impacted people's lives. Last week, Sheila Stoeckel spoke to us about the impact on the lives of persons with disabilities living in the path of the hurricane. Sheila is a Navigator at the Iowa Workforce Development Center in Mason City, whose job involves helping persons with disabilities locate the resources needed to enhance the likelihood of sustained employment. Sheila was one of five Navigators across the State of Iowa chosen to assist in the hurricane impact area in and around Biloxi, Mississippi. Their job was to work with providers of services to persons with disabilities, families of persons with disabilities, and local officials to locate missing persons with disabilities. Her group was the second deployment, which was responsible for the completion of the initial identification phase and to initiate the stabilization phase. The latter involved determining the life threatening and general health needs of persons with disabilities once located then to facilitate the acquisition of resources and supplies to meet those needs. Sheila also showed some slides to accompany her presentation. Of note was her observation that the private and faith-based organizations were far more proficient in their ability to organize and deliver disaster aid than the larger organizations such as American Red Cross. We thank Sheila for her enlightening presentation.

Written by Gary Herrig

See Lynn Ptacek or Ruth Miller for nomination forms for the annual Vocational Service award.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Rotary Day: April 21, 2006
Auction, Rotary Awareness

Be sure to introduce yourself

To our student of the month

T J Clark
MCHS



T J Clark, Student of the Month

Now is the time to really hit the Raffle Ticket Sales. We have a ways to go to reach the 6,000 ticket sales goal. Turn in your tickets each week, please.

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