

# THE SUNRISE SIGNAL *March 30, 2006*

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

Rotary Monthly Theme: World Rotaract

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## PROGRAMS

Today -- Herman Meyer  
Comprehensive Systems

April 6<sup>th</sup> -- Ron Osterholm  
Bird Flu



**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*

Last week Sherry Becker, Executive Director of NIVC Services in Mason City, enlightened us with her presentation. She is a native of this region and has spent most of her career in the disability services arena. She graduated from the University of Iowa with a B.A. in Social Work and received her Masters degree from Drake University in Rehabilitation Counseling. Sherry believes that services to persons with disabilities are not only a right but a responsibility. NIVC Services is a diversified organization. Its' sheltered work center is located on S. Harrison Ave. in Mason City. That location serves individuals for whom competitive employment is unlikely. It also serves as a training ground for those preparing for competitive employment. NIVC Services also has a competitive employment placement and ongoing support branch called JobLink. Housed at the same location (the former Fareway store) is a resale store called Affordables. JobLink is also responsible for providing job coaching services to persons who work at Kraft Foods that need such support. Finally, NIVC Services also has a mobile janitorial crew. For many years NIVC Services has been committed to providing real work opportunities for persons with disabilities.

Written by Gary Herrig

**WELCOME  
New member**

**Scott Greening**

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

**New member proposed:  
Mary Cooley has been  
proposed for membership**  
1<sup>st</sup> publication

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Rotary Day: April 21, 2006  
Auction, Rotary Awareness**



Paula welcomes Bev to our club



Sherry Becker, NIVC Director

### **CLUB LEADERSHIP 2005-2006**

President: Dennis Burke  
P E: Paula Zimmerman  
V P: Vicki Hornbuckle  
Sec/Treas: Monroe McCoy

Past Pres: Marilyn Schwickerath  
Rich Malinaric: 2006  
Ruth Miller: 2006  
Gary Herrig: 2006

Sue Followwill: 2008  
Lynn Ptacek: 2008  
Bob Friedrichs: 2008

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