



Dickinson, North Dakota Rotary Club

# Branding Iron

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## Today!! Your Greeters Are:

Tom Henning & Bill Herauf

Next Week: Jon Hodnefield & Bruce Howe

## Birthdays Today

Craig Kubas (7/14)  
Todd Otto (7/15)  
Larry Schnell (7/18)



## Give Thanks Today: Jim Irsfeld

Next Week: Gene Jackson

**Creator:** In our lives, may we always have  
...enough enthusiasm to keep us looking forward,  
...enough flexibility to keep changing with the times,  
...enough faith to banish depression, and  
...enough determination to rise to every occasion, and to make each day better. Amen.

*~ invocation prepared by Dennis Cannon*

## Program Chair: Jason Hanson

Next month: Harvey Brock

## Your Program Today:

Classification Speeches  
Mark Emmerich & Dennis Cannon

## Coming Up

July 22  
Karen Boulden & Yvonne Kroll  
St. Luke's Home Building Project

July 29  
Classification Speeches  
Mike Ross & Harvey Brock



## District Governor presents award

**District Governor Ajoy Chatterjee**, right, presents former DG **Jim Ozbun** with a certificate in recognition of his efforts in the Every Rotarian Every Year program. When Jim served as DG in 2007-2008, the District achieved the goal of every Rotarian averaging a \$100 donation to the Rotary Foundation. Jim was also recognized at the International Convention.

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# Campfire Memories

## Last Week's Announcements: Birthdays:



**Vicky Steiner** worked with Albert Watrel when she was 28 and with Warren Vrana when she was 22. And the Beatles had their first hit when she was 12 years old!

## Brag & Fines:

- ⇒ **Dennis Cannon** bragged that St. Joseph's Hospital became a critical access hospital on July 1.
- ⇒ **Jim Ozbun** fined **Karen Boulden** for not bragging about St. Luke's Home's groundbreaking ceremony on July 7.

## Guests:



**Visiting Rotarian Albert Watrel** was the Dickinson club's president in 1989 and District Governor in 2002. He is a member of the Bismarck Noon Club.

**Jim Ozbun's** guest was his first wife, Sonja.



**Kris Fehr's** guest was her daughter, Karla, from Cleveland, Ohio.

**Matt Remensye's** guest was Agnes Blachut, an intern at the Dickinson airport.



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## Last Week: District Governor Ajoy Chatterjee



Rotary District 5580 Governor Ajoy Chatterjee and his wife Hannelore of the Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada Rotary Club visited the Dickinson Rotary Club. The governor congratulated current president Jason Hanson on putting his team together and establishing a strategic plan for the club.

Governor Ajoy spoke to the club about the theme of new Rotary International President John Kenny of Scotland "The future of Rotary is in your hands".

The governor discussed the goals of Rotary international. The first goal in 2009-10 is the eradication of polio. This is Rotary's primary goal as an organization and will remain so until it is achieved. The direct role of The Rotary Foundation in supporting this goal is to help meet Rotary's US\$200 Million Challenge and to raise awareness that the fight against polio is not yet over. The second goal is to work through the Rotary Foundation to achieve a better world through the six areas of focus of the Future Vision Plan. They are:

- Peace and conflict prevention/resolution
- Disease prevention and treatment
- Water and sanitation
- Maternal and child health
- Basic education and literacy
- Economic and community development

The third goal is to implement the Future Vision Plan, which will help revitalize and strengthen the foundation so it can adequately support another century of Rotary service. And the fourth goal is to support the Every Rotarian, Every Year initiative and the Permanent Fund so all of the foundation's good work may continue.

President Jason Hanson presented gifts from the Dickinson Rotary Club to the District governor and his wife after he delivered his message including the traditional gift for the District Governor, a Stetson.

~ submitted by Harvey Brock

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