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**Club Service 1: Kari Lyon, Director**

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| <b>Programs:</b><br>July: <i>Jack Olin, Chr.</i><br>Aug: Ken Kussy<br>Sept: Diana Knutson<br>Oct: Frank Wald<br>Nov: Steve Irsfeld<br>Dec: Ruth Newman<br>Jan: Gaylon Baker<br>Feb: Jennifer Gladden<br>March: Mary Anderson<br>April: <i>Gene Jackson</i><br>May: <i>Brad Fong</i><br>June: <i>Jack Olin</i> | <b>Special Events:</b><br>Ruth Newman<br>Joe Rothschilder<br><br><b>Farmer/Rancher Night</b><br><i>Raymond Schnell</i><br><br><b>Club Bulletin</b><br>Kari Lyon, Chr.<br><i>Muriel Dassinger</i><br>Norbert Sickler | <b>Music</b><br><i>Frank Pearson, Chr.</i><br><i>Merry Johnston, Assist.</i><br>Dale Jacobsen<br>Pat Altringer<br><i>Terry Tryznka</i><br><i>Kenny Mann</i><br>Todd Otto<br><b>Website</b><br>Doug Murphy, Webmstr.<br>Brian Rummel<br>Greg Sund | <b>Fundraising</b><br>Gaylon Baker, Chr.<br>Craig Steve<br><i>Brad Fong</i><br><i>Ken Nelson</i><br>Dan Dasovick<br>Tim Priebe<br>Paul Schuetzler<br><br><b>Historian</b><br>David Meier |
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**Club Service 11: Kevin Thompson, Director**

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| <b>Membership Retention/Development</b><br><i>Linda Steve, Chr.</i><br>Keith Maetzold<br><i>Lloyd Moldenhauer</i><br>Randy Sickler<br>Carmie Howe<br>John Dalton | <b>Public Relations</b><br><i>Barb Adams-Bleth, Chr.</i><br>Mike Chilson<br>Robbi Kudrna<br>Mike Kiedrowski<br>Richard Schmidt<br>Pam Kostelecky<br>Charlie Bastian | <b>Rotary Information</b><br>Clarence Storseth, Chr.<br>Jerry Fisher<br><i>Lloyd Schnaidt</i><br><i>Shirley Dukart</i><br><i>Darwin Whelan</i><br><i>Mike Parke</i><br><i>Lawrence Schilla</i> | <b>Family of Rotary</b><br>Colleen Rodakowski, Ch.<br><i>Jack Olin</i><br>Rich Wardner<br>Lee Hamre |
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**Community and Vocational Service – Sue Larsen, Director**

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| <b>Community Projects</b><br>Daryl Tabor, Chr.<br>Jennifer Gladden<br>Dick Silkey<br>Jerry Tveter<br>Warren Vranza<br>Billie Rase<br>Joe Frenzel<br>Cal Kolling | <b>Rotary Youth Programs</b><br>Dawn Treitline, Chair<br>Jerry Haas<br>Dean Koppelman<br><i>Dennis Wolf</i><br>Audrey Zins | <b>Local Youth Projects</b><br>Dale Jacobsen, Chr<br>Nancy Johnson<br>Jerry Haas<br>Jason Dahl<br>Paul Steffes<br>April Bishop<br>Todd Schweitzer<br>Jon Frantsvog<br>Todd Otto | <b>Vocational Awareness</b><br><i>Buck Haas, Chr</i><br><i>Gene Jackson</i><br>Howard Freed<br>Jon Hodnefield<br>Mike Lefor<br><i>Dwight Mundy</i> |
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**International Service, Greg Sund, Director**

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| <b>Rotary Foundation</b><br><i>Donovan Benzie, Chr.</i><br><i>Jim Irsfeld</i><br><i>Frank Pearson</i><br><i>Ralo Kuhl</i><br>Ed Biel<br>Lyle Brudvig<br>Ken Kussy<br><i>Bob Stranik</i><br>Allan Sonduck<br>Ed Boe | <b>Foreign Student Exchg.</b><br>Glenice Hansen, Chr. YEO<br><i>Bob Weir</i> (Counselor)<br>Charity Speich<br>Lee Vickers<br>Erv Bren<br><br><b>Ambassadorial Scholar.</b><br><i>Merry Johnston</i> | <b>Group Study Exchange</b><br>Jim Ozbun, Chr.<br><i>Scott Meschke</i><br><i>Guy Moos</i><br><i>Merry Johnston</i><br><i>Shirley Dukart</i><br>Mary Anderson<br>Bruce Howe | <b>International Projects</b><br>Diana Knutson, Chr.<br><i>Gene Jackson</i><br>David Meier<br>Jim Ozbun<br>James Brooke<br>Al Wald |
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# The Branding Iron

Dickinson Rotary Club  
 2003-04

Charter No.820 – February 1, 1921

**Welcome!**

**Your Greeters Today .....**Howard Freed & Joe Frenzel

*Next week: .....Jennifer Gladden & Buck Haas*

**Invocation Today .....**Raymond Schnell

*Next week: .....Paul Schuetzler*

Gracious God in Heaven, the holiday season is here. It is easy to get caught up in the commercialism and the frenzy. Help us remember to take time to be still, to be thankful, and to be mindful of those who are in poverty whether in daily life or in spirit. Amen.

**Happy Birthday this week!**

**Carmi Howe (12/04); Shirley Dukart (12/06);  
 Charity Speich (12/09)**

**Program Chair this month: .....**Ruth Newman

*Next Month: .....Gaylon Baker*

**Speakers Today:.....Ken Kubischta, GATE**

*Next Week.....Curtis Prevost, Cancer Center*

*Rotary Board meets 1:00*

**Future Programs**  
 12/03 Ken Kubischta, GATE  
 12/10 Curtis Prevost, Cancer Center  
 12/17 Christmas Party, no noon meeting

**Special Programs**  
 12/17 Christmas Party  
 02/11/04 Valentines Party

**Dickinson Rotary Welcomes You!  
Meetings Every Wednesday at noon at the  
Elks Club, Dickinson, ND.**

**Order of Program:**

**Sound of Bell**

**Stand and Sing "America"**

**Invocation**

**Group Sing**

"Smile" p. 69

Rotary Song (varies weekly)

Happy Birthday

Fun Song (varies weekly)

God of Our Fathers

(inside back cover)

**Enjoy Lunch and fellowship**

**Speaker**

**Winner of wine** announced

(Rotarians put a dollar in the bowl on the table along with their name. This is our club's way of keeping track of attendance. Those who stay for the entire meeting are eligible for the door prize of the bottle of wine.)

*Adjourn*

**What is Rotary?**

Rotary is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world.

**Invite a Friend, Earn Credit!**

Rotarians, you can earn \$40 credit on your dues when an individual you propose for membership becomes a member in good standing. (Limited to \$120 during the fiscal year).

**Rotary Roundup**



**Speaker last week** were Joy Schoch and Leah Henke from Parks & Rec. Sorry, photo not available.

**Guests included:** Lloyd Moldenhauer brought his wife, Rose. Clyde Frank brought guest and former Rotarian, Dick Harsche, and David Schelkoph was a guest of Joe Rothschilder.

**Family of Rotary**

Please let Colleen know if any Rotarians or their families need special cards for special occasions in their lives. You can use the weekly drawing slips to indicate what is needed.

Last week a card went out to Rotarian Kari Lyon Shea and Ed Shea for congratulations on their recent marriage.

**Winner of the Wine** was Dean Koppelman.

**Brags and Fines**

Do you have something to brag about? It will only cost you a dollar!

Last week, Donovan Benzie bragged that 38 members of the Club have participated in Rotary's programs in Honduras, Guatemala and The God's Child Program through their Sustaining Paul Harris contributions.

**EFT makes Fellowship Donations**

**Easier**

-Greg Sund

My fellow Rotarians, a couple months ago I finally found the time to complete a goal I've had since hearing Scott Meschke talk about it during a Rotary meeting last Fall. I downloaded an Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) form from the Rotary International web site, completed it, and returned it to the Rotary Foundation. Through the use of EFT, the Rotary Foundation is now withdrawing an amount designated by me each month as a donation to the Foundation. I personally find it much easier to budget a specific amount of money each month as a donation, which is why I selected the EFT method of supporting the Rotary Foundation.

By submitting an EFT form to the Rotary Foundation, I have become a sustaining member of the foundation. In order to be a sustaining member, one must donate at least \$100 each year to the Rotary

Foundation. The ultimate goal in becoming a sustaining member of the foundation is to donate each year without an end in mind. While one becomes a Paul Harris Fellow when his/her Rotary Foundation donations reach the \$1,000 milestone, being a sustaining member of the foundation means establishing a long term relationship with the Foundation that extends far past becoming a Paul Harris Fellow. In fact, one's commitment to the Foundation should be considered a lifetime dedication.

While viewing the Rotary International web site, I noticed that the foundation provides interested persons with several methods to donate, including one time donations through the use of a credit card online. It is also possible to make donations to the Foundation through our local club.

Rotary International is truly a positive force in the world. It is only through the Rotary Foundation that Rotary International is able to make the impact on the world that it does. The Foundation could not prosper without dedicated Rotarians, who give to it. In the future, I fully expect the Dickinson Rotary Club to plan and carry-out an international project either on its own or in cooperation with another Rotary Club. When we do this, we will probably look to the Rotary Foundation for assistance in making the project more successful than it could be with local funds.

Regardless which method you select for giving to the Rotary Foundation, I sincerely hope someday Dickinson Rotary Club can achieve 100% participation in the Foundation.

Greg Sund