



THE BETTENDORF ROTARY CLUB NEWS

Bettendorf, Iowa, Rotary Club
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Last meeting:

Tuesday, June 13, 2012

Meet the 2012 RWC scholars

With 82 days to go until the 18th annual Run with Carl races on Labor Day (presented by Bettendorf Rotary Club) **Dick Schillig**, co-director of the event with his wife Juanita, presided over the presentation of the 2012 RWC scholarships during the June 13 meeting.



The presentation began with screening of a new video, produced by **Harry Coin**; if you missed the meeting, you can see it at <http://www.runwithcarl.com> – click “Media”.

This year’s recipients of the 4-year, \$1,000-per-year college scholarships are **Anna Fry**, Bettendorf High School, and **Allison Winters**, Pleasant Valley High School.

Allison, the daughter of Heather and Jeff Witters, plans to study at Iowa State University – the 7th RWC scholarship winner there.

While maintaining a 3.79 grade-point average at PV, she participated in such activities as cross-country and track (team captain as a senior), the school newspaper and volunteer work at the Clarissa Cook Hospice.



Anna, whose parents are Don and Kathy Fry, achieved a 3.982 GPA at BHS while participating in such activities as band, student council and French Club,

working as a summer camp counselor, elementary school tutor and volunteer with handicapped children, and competing in track, basketball and volleyball. This fall she is headed for the University of St. Thomas in Minneapolis.



Begun in 1995, the Run with Carl is the main source of funds for the Carl D. Schillig Memorial Fund. Bettendorf Rotary became the title sponsor in 2005.

Carl Schillig, Dick and Juanita's son, was a 15-year-old student at PVHS when he died in a car-pedestrian accident while participating in the Civil War Reenactment at the Village of East Davenport, Sept. 17, 1994. Carl was active in many school, community and church activities, and the memorial fund was established to perpetuate his memory by providing a college scholarship to a graduate of PVHS, first awarded in 1998, and to one BHS graduate since 2002.

The meeting opened...

...with **President Scott Naumann** leading the recitation of the 4-way test. Song leader **Tom Howard**, along with pianist **Gail Baldwin**, guided the assembled throng in the day's patriotic song, "America the Beautiful." After



Moments of Reflection and introductions, the singing resumed with "The 4-Way Test," "In the Good Old Summertime" and the one-week-delayed "Happy Birthday, Rotarians" – specifically, the **June birthdays:** 10, Brian Rolf; 11, Doyle

McCully; 13, Chris Bowling; 14, **Jim Slavens**; 17, Carter LeBeau, Ann Kappeler; 22, Tim Lane; 24, Bill Daley; 26, Steve Habenicht; 28, Lisa Brown.

Secretary Chuck introduced:

Visiting Rotarians:

Duncan Cameron, Naples, Fla.:

Beverages

Steven Taaets, East Moline: Banking

Dougal Nelson, North Scott: Non Profit

Guests:

Dick Schillig had 8 guests: Kevin Ketelsen, Juanita Schillig, Allison Witters, Heather Witters, Jeff Witters, Anna Fry, Don Fry, Kathy Fry.

Announcements...



➔ **LobsterFest.** With the Big Day on Saturday, here's the final update:

➔ **Sharon Sarver**,

saying "It's not going to rain," thanked all the volunteers and reiterated that setup sessions begin 5 p.m. Friday and 9 a.m. Saturday. She thanked **Dave Deuth** and **Bill**



Daley for the PA system and asked members to lend their coolers for the beverages – "Mark yours," she added. She also recruited one cracker-table volunteer and help for stowing leftover supplies on Monday morning.

➔ **President Scott** thanked all who worked on securing Silent Auction items,



and **Bev Murray** called attention to the flyers that listed a generous sampling of those items – from pizza for a year and an airplane ride (*not* the same package) to sport-related packages and a “dental gift package” (from which **Dr. Tom Olson** later extracted the root canal...)

→ **Penny McGimpsey** said 16 tickets remain unsold.

→ **President Scott** thanked the sponsors for their support: **Presenting Sponsor** THE National Bank. **Todd Larsen** thanked all the sponsors and said TNB will make a donation to BRC for each new member’s account.

Silver, In-Kind and Media: HyVee, Bowe Machine Co., McGinnis-Chambers Funeral Home, *Quad-City Times*, Werner

Restoration Services, Senior Star at Elmore Place, Scott Community College, Midland Communications, Mediacom, Rivermont Collegiate, WOC 1420, RJS & Associates, Iowa American Water, Weerts Funeral Home, Results Marketing

Bronze and In-Kind: Abbey Carpet, BLDD Architects, Brad Boeye – Mel Foster, Build to Suit, Califf & Harper,

Carter & Kaye LeBeau, Estes Construction, Family Resources Summit Program, Gallagher Millage & Gallagher, George Coin, HomeInstead Senior Care, Integrated Solutions, Isle of Capri, John Rabine, Knilans’ Furniture, The Lighthouse, Merrill Lynch – The Singh Group, Midwest Seafood, Nelson Chiropractic, Paul & Emily Scranton, Professional Touch Cleaning, Rich James – Wells Fargo Advisors, Rick & Sara Hartsock, River Bend Transit, Steve’s Mirror & Glass, Wagner’s Cleaners



→ **John Deere Classic. Chris Glass** said, “We’re good to go” with volunteers for all days – but if you’d still like to volunteer, just click on this link: <http://bettendorffrotary.com/JDC-Signup>.

The news...

Lora Adams wrote this news summary, which **Fred Anderson** read when Lora had to depart prematurely: Spc. Bryant Luxmore, 25, of New Windsor, Ill., died during fighting in Afghanistan – he had been in the Army for 14 months, and this was his first deployment.... The Oklahoma City Thunder beat the Miami Heat 105-94 in Game 1 of the NBA Finals.... Alan Porter, 51, of Rock Island, was found dead, an apparent homicide victim, on a Rock Island bike path.... A Pennsylvania woman was shot in the leg – without a gun; apparently, a bullet she was carrying in her purse went off.... A man in India was so angry at his boss he tried to light himself afire to burn the business down – but no one would give him a match.

Sergeant at arms...

President Scott collected \$262 for our foundations. The generous members who donated **John Ryan Happy \$\$** were:

Frank Mitvalsky – thanks for LobsterFest volunteers + 3 new partners joining his firm + “the best Colorado family vacation” (with chin shrubbery to prove it)... **Jean Dickson** – \$\$ for **John Archer**’s campaign... **Carter LeBeau** – his annual birthday check (“It’s getting kind of expensive...”)... **George Coin** – daughter and her kids who rode in The



Other Great Iowa Ride... **Penny McGimpsey** – happy birthday to **Carter**... **Glenn Kass** – thanks to **President Scott** for helping to arrange a lobster-cooking segment (to promo LobsterFest, of course) on “Paula

Sands Live” on Ch. 6... **Carl Loweth** – proud of Rotary International’s excellence among charities, according to www.charitynavigator.org... **Todd Ashby** – since July 4th is on a Wednesday – preempting that week’s BRC meeting – we’re all invited to watch Bettendorf’s Old Fashioned July 4th Parade from Results Marketing’s front yard, and stay for a picnic (but please let him know, or you might not get a brat); **Mark Ross**, who will be president then, said it’ll count as a make-up... **Dr. Tom Olson** – Dad’s gearing up to do his painting for the Silent Auction (also see “LobsterFest,” above)... **Decker Ploehn** – thanks for the BRC members who volunteer for the city, such as **Jean Dickson**, who helped interview volunteer fire fighter candidates.

Missing today...

Archer-4, Blaske-2, Boeye-4, Boosalis-10, Bowe-14, Bibik, Carter-12, Castro-7, Chambers-2, DeBuhr-3, DeDoncker-2, Deuth, Dobesh-2, Edwards-6, Eikenberry-2, Ellstrom-24, Gudgel-2, Hassel, Heninger-2, Hinton, Kennedy-8, McWilliams-2, Mangler, Nelson -24, Oswald -2, Obriant -2, Pelecky -24, Powers, Praul -5, Ricketts-McCool -2, Rolf -2, Schutte, Scranton, Sherrick -3, Sorensen, St. Laurent -3, Salm -2, Tupper, Volbrecht -19, Werner -2, Willsher -15.

Upcoming meetings...

Have program ideas? Contact **Brian Kennedy: 340-5114**, bmfkennedy@att.net

News staff...

Editor, reporter: Fred Anderson...
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Make up at another QC club...

Monday, noon: Davenport – The Outing Club
Monday, noon: Moline – Christ the King Catholic Church
Monday, 6 p.m.: QC Illinois – Arbor Village Club House, Moline
Tuesday, 7:15 a.m.: River Cities – Brothers Restaurant, Rapid City
Tuesday, noon: Rock Island – QC Botanical Center
Wednesday, noon: **Bettendorf** – Fortune Garden Restaurant
Wednesday, 5 p.m.: Mini Meet – Lunardi’s Restaurant, Davenport
Thursday, 7 a.m.: Iowa Quad Cities – The Lodge, Bettendorf
Thursday, noon: East Moline – Christ United Methodist Church
Thursday, noon: Milan – Pinnacle Country Club
Friday, noon: North Scott – Steeplegate Inn, Davenport

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