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District Governor Letter to the Membership

Dear fellow District 6460 Rotarians,

My message to you this month is via VIDEO. You may view it at:

https://player.vimeo.com/external/404119790.sd.mp4?s=94a1e8de42e24836db1f0429165fd3ecfc34ddeb&profile_id=164

This video and MUCH MORE information is posted on the District 6460 Website (<http://rotarydistrict6460.org>)

DG Mark

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Important Dates

February – Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention Month

March – Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Month

February 29, 2020

Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI)
 Richland Community College, Decatur, IL

March 6-8, 2020

Presidents' Elect Training Seminar
 Orientation (PETS)
 Itasca, Illinois

March 21, 2020

District Team Training Seminar (DTTS)
 Springfield, Illinois

March 28, 2020

Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI)
 Scheels, Springfield, IL

April 25, 2020

District Assembly
 Lincoln Land Community College
 Springfield, Illinois

June 6-10, 2020

Rotary International Convention
 Hawai'i Convention Center
 Honolulu, Hawaii +

June 20, 2020

Installation of District Governor
 Maura Donnelly (2020-2021)

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Future District Plans

Maura Donnelly, District 6460 Governor Elect, Rotary Club of Highland

Fellow Rotarians:

Upcoming dates are left to linger with the uncertainty, but we are proceeding as planned for now with the installation banquet on 6/20/20 at The Olde Wicks Factory in Highland. An email will go out shortly with the details and allow you to save the date. Because of the uncertainty, we are going to only do the email invite rather than the traditional formal invites via the postal service. My club will set up a PayPal account to accept electronic payments with the RSVP's. We are holding on accepting payments until the date is much closer and we know how successful our social distancing has been. Please do your part with staying home and staying healthy as I have several flapper dresses to choose from for the event, so I'm really hoping we get to have our "roaring 20's" installation. If not, I'm curious if DG Mark has to continue since he is doing such an awesome job???

As for the District Team Training and District Assembly, it has been determined that online training videos will be released along with some webinars rather than try to reschedule. We'd like to get you the tools to help you through the upcoming Rotary year and we felt that this was the quickest solution. As always, the district team and I are always available to help the clubs with issues, so please don't hesitate to contact us if you need something before the training is publicized.

Also, we have started a zoom meeting platform that will be followed during the summer, so please follow our Rotary District 6460 Facebook group and watch your emails and check our district website for those updates. It's been great to see people in those online meetings and DGN, Ryan Byers has been doing an amazing job putting that together, so hope you can join us for the next one!

Thanks for all you do for Rotary! Look forward to us all being able to start meeting again....until then, be understanding and loving with your household and enjoy the quality time that usually gets surpassed in our busy world!

Sincerely,

Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) Future Plans

Dave Knieriem, District 6460 Rotary Leadership Institute Coordinator, Rotary Club of Mason City



As many of you know, the March 2020 session of RLI was cancelled due to the COVID-19 situation.

We are looking forward in the District to getting the program up and going again later this calendar year. The dates that we will reschedule are still up in the air and is fluid ... but WE WILL have the program active in our District as soon as feasible.

As plans develop, we will keep the District Leadership and Clubs notified of the planning and reactivation of RLI sessions.

As a reminder, on the next page, there is a break down of the topics in each Part of the training, for your information.

TO reiterate: *RLI is a GREAT opportunity for **ALL** Rotarians in the District ... for **YOU**, Your **Club**, Your **District**, and **Rotary!***

Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) Curriculum Course Sessions 2018-2022



PART I

My Leadership in Rotary

As a Rotarian, I am, by definition, a leader. Join us as we explore the characteristics of leadership, motivational techniques, and leadership styles. How do I best lead?

My Rotary World

As a Rotarian, I am part of a worldwide organization of like-minded people. Take some time to truly understand the purpose and structure of Rotary. Can these resources help me?

Ethics and Vocational Service

I am ethical, recognize and promote ethics in others, and seek opportunities to serve through my vocation. You can see that I am a Rotarian.

Foundation I: Our Foundation

I am "doing good" in my local community and around the world. Learn about the basic goals and programs of our Foundation. I am a force for good in the world!

Engaging Members

I make my club and Rotary stronger by my active participation. Engaged club members have fun, make friends, and effectively serve. This is why I joined Rotary!

Creating Service Projects

I am a vital part of a worldwide service organization of business, professional and community leaders meeting needs in communities. I can build, run and promote service.

PART II

Rotary Opportunities

As I further my Rotary journey, I can explore the many opportunities available within Rotary for personal, community and professional growth and development.

Effective Leadership Strategies

As I further my club members in their Rotary journey, I will engage in more complex and skillful use of my leadership skills and seize opportunities to lead.

Attracting Members

I can lead and promote my club's reexamination of its distinctive position in my community and the quality of members we attract. I want to work with the best people!

Club Communication

I can serve by leading and promoting effective communications to my club's internal and external audiences. Refine and practice your skills.

Team Building

I can lead and promote my club's collaboration in effective and motivated groups to accomplish our goals of service. Harness the real power of Rotary clubs and Rotarians!

Foundation II: Targeted Service

I can lead and promote my club's participation in unique, significant and targeted service opportunities through our Foundation. Understand the key concepts of Rotary programs!

PART III

Strategic Planning

I can strengthen my club by promoting and leading insightful planning and analysis. Looking at my Rotary club, how can I help make improvements that will matter?

Foundation III: International Service

As I further my Rotary journey, I can build connections around the world, helping meet needs, solve problems, and build peace.

Public Image & Public Relations

I further my Rotary journey, I will identify opportunities to promote the image of my club and Rotary to the benefit of my community and world.

Building A Stronger Club

A new (and old) look at business related activities in your club.

Making a Difference

As I further my Rotary journey, I will help assess my own experience and growth through RLI and help improve the path for others to follow.

Club News and Events – Adding Your Stories to the District

We have been receiving numerous of news stories from our clubs throughout the District for programs, events, and projects that they are PROUD of. We will start sharing ALL of these remarkable stories to the district membership. Please send ANY newsworthy event that you are proud of (and you SHOULD BE) that your clubs are doing, and please share these items with all of us in the District. I would LOVE to fill the newsletter with all the WONDERFUL things that all of you do every single day in your communities and in the world.

I have started adding club stories on the District Website. However, I am now asking clubs to submit their stories via DACdb’s Club ezStories. I have noticed that many clubs are posting stories in DACdb ezStory but are not making it available to the District to publish on the District Website and in the District Newsletter. To easily make your stories available to the District, here is what you need to do:

When Adding your New Club Story, click on the “Share” button as noted in the example below. Also ensure that under the “Show Story In:” that “Websites” checked.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `/Rotary/SecLogin3.cfm?CFID=129651258&CFTOKEN=91397434`. The page title is "Add New Club Mason City Story". Below the title, there is a "Share" button circled in red. The form contains the following fields and options:

- Information** / **Contents** tabs
- Start your story by entering the information below. The selections you make will affect the presentation of the Story to your members. The 'Story Name' is what you know the story by. The 'Story Headline' is what your members will see. These will typically be the same -- but do not have to be. Also, the sequence will determine the order your story will appear when published. Stories with the same sequence number may appear in any order.
- *Story Name: [Text Input] This is the Title of your Story, as it appears internally
- *Headline: [Text Input] Enter Story Title / Headline as it will appear when it is published
- Limited HTML can be included in the headline
- Story State: Draft Review Approved Published Unless a Story is in the 'Published' state, it is not visible to members or websites.
- *Story Start Date: [Date Picker] 07/31/2018 Start showing the Story as of this this date (default is today)
- Post Until: [Date Picker] Show the Story Until this date. Blank means forever -- until deleted.
- Story Sequence: [Text Input] 0 This is the sequence your story will appear on the listing (lowest number first). The sequence number is important only when your story is in an Approved and/or Published state.
- Main Story Image: [Choose File] No file chosen This is the main story image. It will be alternated down the page. Only one (1) main image is allowed per story. Additional images can be uploaded and added in the ezStory summary or description.
- Show Story In: Websites * Home Page Dashboard ezBulletin *
- Enable Comments: Enable Comments (blogging) on website
- Include: Story Date ByLine Edited By Story separator
- Category: No Categories defined
- By Line: (contributed by) [Dropdown] Knieriem, David W. Name to appear on the By Line (if displayed).
- Target RoleKey(s): [Text Input] Optional, enter Club positions you only want this story to be viewed by (e.g., S,SE,T). Leave blank for all members.

Next, in the dialog box that will appear, choose "Copy" the story to the District, and then click "Save".

You can share this ezStory with the District list of stories by either making a **copy** of it or **moving** it. Stories that are shared will be in District story listing in a *draft* publication state.

Copy this story to the District ezStory list.



This will leave a copy of the story here. Changes made here to this story after sharing it with the District will not be reflected in the District copy.

Move this story to the District ezStory list.



The ezStory will be moved to the District ezStory list and the ezStory will no longer appear in the club's story listings.

If you need additional information and instructions of how to create and save ezStories in DACdb, please go to: <http://rotarydistrict6460.org/wp-content/uploads/Forms/Training/CreateStory.pdf> or view the DACdb video at <https://vimeo.com/278726876>

I ask that all clubs develop, submit and upload their own stories to ezStory in DACdb for publication on the District Website and the District Newsletter.

If you need assistance with this, or have questions on how to do this, please contact me at dave@dkofficeconsulting.com or 217-899-5526. I will be happy to assist you.

THANKS

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Dave Knieriem, Past District Governor 2014-15
District Newsletter Editor and Webmaster

KEEP YOUR CLUB IDEAS AND THOUGHTS ACTIVE POST YOUR E-STORIES ON DACDB ... WE WILL PUBLISH THEM ON THE DISTRICT WEBSITE AS YOU SUBMIT THEM!!!!





**District 6460 Membership/Foundation Report – Rotary Year 2019-2020
March 2020**

Rotary Club of:	Membership			Foundation				
	Report through Mar 2020 (YTD) (RI Data - 4/4/2020)			Report through Mar 2020 (YTD) (TRF Data – 4/4/2020)				
	7/1/2019	1/31/2020	Gain/ Loss	Annual Fund Goal	Annual Fund Sent	Other Giving Sent	Endowment Sent	Total Foundation Giving
Abingdon	16	16	0	\$1,000	\$800	\$200	\$0	\$1,000
Aledo	7	7	0	\$100	\$1,055	\$100	\$0	\$1,155
Alton-Godfrey	68	64	-4	\$3,000	\$2,865	\$0	\$0	\$2,865
Bethalto	16	18	2	\$1,000	\$100	\$25	\$0	\$125
Bushnell	19	17	-2	\$1,000	\$1,600	\$1,000	\$0	\$2,600
Cambridge	20	18	-2	\$500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Canton	24	25	1	\$1,000	\$1,550	\$0	\$0	\$1,550
Carlinsville	41	39	-2	\$3,500	\$4,194	\$585	\$0	\$4,779
Chillicothe	6	7	1	\$500	\$225	\$0	\$0	\$225
Collinsville, Maryville, Caseyville	25	31	6	\$500	\$400	\$0	\$0	\$400
East Alton	34	34	0	\$1,000	\$1,250	\$1,000	\$0	\$2,250
East Peoria	19	21	2	\$2,000	\$2,115	\$50	\$0	\$2,165
Edwardsville	117	115	-2	\$3,000	\$4,300	\$8,150	\$0	\$12,450
Farmington	26	27	1	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,000
Galesburg	71	67	-4	\$8,000	\$1,250	\$1,750	\$1,000	\$4,000
Galesburg Sunrise	38	38	0	\$3,000	\$2,572	\$1,600	\$0	\$4,172
Galva	27	26	-1	\$200	\$100	\$0	\$0	\$100
Granite City	23	25	2	\$1,200	\$478	\$0	\$0	\$478
Havana	21	30	9	\$2,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Highland	63	59	-4	\$7,000	\$6,560	\$200	\$0	\$6,760
Jacksonville	98	103	5	\$13,000	\$13,338	\$1,833	\$0	\$15,170
Jacksonville Sunrise	13	11	-2	\$2,500	\$2,150	\$263	\$0	\$2,413
Jerseyville	23	23	0	\$1,000	\$105	\$0	\$0	\$105
Kewanee	43	48	5	\$1,000	\$200	\$0	\$0	\$200
Land of Goshen	38	38	0	\$2,000	\$181	\$0	\$0	\$181
Macomb	55	57	2	\$6,000	\$6,605	\$300	\$0	\$6,905
Macomb Centennial Morning	57	61	4	\$6,000	\$4,009	\$60	\$0	\$4,069
Manito-Forest City	17	17	0	\$1,000	\$350	\$0	\$0	\$350
Mason City	10	9	-1	\$500	\$1,130	\$0	\$0	\$1,130
Menard County	13	18	5	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Metro East Community	24	25	1	\$300	\$175	\$1,025	\$0	\$1,200
Midtown Springfield	30	23	-7	\$2,000	\$1,620	\$0	\$30	\$1,650
Monmouth	50	51	1	\$1,500	\$3,125	\$0	\$0	\$3,125
Morton	109	103	-6	\$7,500	\$4,490	\$0	\$0	\$4,490
Pekin	43	42	-1	\$1,000	\$25	\$0	\$0	\$25
Peoria	173	187	14	\$5,000	\$2,200	\$375	\$0	\$2,575
Peoria North	149	144	-5	\$32,000	\$18,435	\$4,260	\$10,000	\$32,695
Pike County	50	55	5	\$4,500	\$4,790	\$225	\$0	\$5,015
Quincy	104	102	-2	\$4,000	\$1,815	\$0	\$0	\$1,815
Riverbend, The (Alton-Godfrey)	35	34	-1	\$750	\$90	\$100	\$0	\$190
Rushville	20	23	3	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,000
Silver Creek	11	8	-3	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Springfield	75	67	-8	\$9,000	\$14,276	\$7,090	\$0	\$21,366
Springfield South	32	36	4	\$4,000	\$2,801	\$405	\$0	\$3,206
Springfield Sunrise	29	29	0	\$6,000	\$4,219	\$1,095	\$0	\$5,314
Springfield Westside	13	12	-1	\$0	\$0	\$300	\$0	\$300
Washington	53	49	-4	\$3,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Wood River	27	27	0	\$500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
District 6460 Contributions to the Rotary Foundation				\$0	\$0	\$3,250	\$0	\$3,250
District Totals	2075	2086	11	\$157,550	\$119,542	\$35,241	\$11,030	\$165,813