



District 6000  
Charter No. 26188

# Ames Morning Rotary Club Newsletter

*"Service Above Self"*

### Four-Way Test

1. Is it the Truth?
2. Is it Fair to All Concerned?
3. Will it Build Good Will and Better Friendships?
4. Will it be Beneficial for all Concerned?

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## Club Officers

President: Dave Miller

President-elect: Sandy Horton

Secretary: Terry Adams

Treasurer: Jim Ziebold

Past President: Brian Dieter

## Special Olympics National Games by Sandy Horton



The 2005-2006 Rotary International theme of "Service Above Self" has provided so many opportunities for the Ames Morning Rotary to provide service to our club, community and world. Through the leadership of Dave Miller, our club witnessed first

hand the value of service and the benefits and satisfaction derived.

However, one of our greatest opportunities for service is ahead of us with the Special Olympics National Games coming to our state and community in July. While our club joined the other clubs of Rotary District 6000 in providing dollars for the event, we are now needed to provide valuable volunteer service. Thank you to the many in our club that have already indicated a willingness to volunteer at an athletic venue by registering with Ardie Roehr, Volunteer Coordinator for the National Games.

Our opportunity for service continues as Rotarians will be hosting a Volunteer Hospitality Center at the Volunteer Village located at Wallace-Wilson Towers. We will be welcoming visiting Rotarians and other volunteers arriving to serve with friendship, coffee, water and information about our community and area. Our club is responsible for Sunday morning July 2nd, 7:00 am – Noon. Two to three volunteers are needed for each of the 7:00 – 10:00 am and 10:00 am - Noon time periods. Can you volunteer?

The Festival Village, in air conditioned Hilton Coliseum, will be an exciting place for athletes, families and the general public. There will be activities, games vendors and fun! You can join in the fun by volunteering at the Rotary District 6000 booth. Our club is responsible for Wednesday, July 5th, 10:00 am – 8:00 pm. Again, two to three volunteers are needed for each two hour time period. We will be meeting, greeting and providing Iowa hospitality as well as Rotary Special Olympics coloring books and crayons to our Special Olympics athletes. This event is an opportunity to showcase Rotary. You do not have to be registered with the National Games as a volunteer. A sign up sheet is available at our

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## June Programs and Events

### June 7

Speaker: Selden Spencer  
Position: MD, McFarland Clinic  
Topic: Sleep

### June 13

Board of Directors Meeting  
Pine Room, Memorial Union, ISU  
7:00 am

### June 14

Speaker: Dan Culhane  
Position: Executive Director, Ames Chamber of Commerce

### June 21

Speaker: Cheryl Achterberg  
Position: Dean, College of Human Sciences

### June 28

Club Business  
Passing of the Gavel

## June Membership

New Members:	None
Resignations:	Blair Brewer
Total Membership	66

## June Birthdays

6	Jill Guffy
8	Denise Schmidt
14	John Lott
17	Al Hermanson
24	Les Wolfe
26	Shelle Summers

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meetings or call or email Sandy Horton. Don't miss out on the fun – sign up with your spouse or friend today.

In lieu of our regular meetings, Ames Morning and Ames Noon Rotarians will be hosting a Rotary Reception for all Rotarians attending the National Games. This event will be held on Monday, July 3rd, 5:30 – 8:00 pm, Gateway Center, Garden Room. This will be a make-up opportunity for visiting Rotarians. There will light hors d'oeuvres served with a cash bar. There will be no program and the event is provided at no cost. All Rotarians and significant others are welcome, so please join us we welcome Rotarians

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from across the country.

During this final month of the 2005 – 2006 Rotary year you can be a part of showing the nation how Ames Morning Rotarians exemplify “Service Above Self”. Circle these dates on your calendar today:

Sunday, July 2nd – Volunteer Center  
Ames Morning – 7:00 am – Noon

Monday, July 3rd – Rotary Reception  
Gateway Center – 5:30 –8:00 pm

Wednesday, July 5th – Festival Village  
Ames Morning – 10:00 am – 8:00 pm

**THANKS ROTARIANS AND .....LET THE GAMES BEGIN!**

**Minutes of Board of Directors Meeting,  
May 9, 2006**

The May 9 meeting of the Ames Morning Rotary Board of Directors was called to order at 7:07 a.m. in the Pine Room of the Memorial Union. Those present were Dave Miller, Sandy Horton, Jim Ziebold, Scott Bauer, Jim Obrecht, Rick Elbert, Jill Guffy, Brian Dieter, Scot Sanders, Dave Kraemer, Tim Ashley and Terry Adams.

The minutes of the April Board meeting were amended to show reimbursement approval for the President and the President-Elect.

The minutes were approved as amended. Ziebold presented the treasurer’s report. He stated that the \$1300 Special Olympics checks has not yet been written.

For Club Service, it was stated that there will be a June social event planned for the evening of June 7.

For Community Service, Sanders stated that May has a fifth Wednesday, which is when the Club provides meals for the Emergency Residence Project.

For Financial, Bauer mentioned Main Stream Living, and discussed starting a capital campaign. It will be necessary to find land to build a five bed facility. The request is for \$5,000. which could be paid over multiple years.

For Membership, there will be an ad hoc committee meeting this month.

For International, there was an ambassadorial interview two weeks ago. Katie Jo Slater was named.

For Vocational, Elbert stated that members can now go to the web page and look up members under the normal route (by name), or through vocational status.

There was no report on Rotaract or Interact.

For the Special Olympics, Horton stated there would be a meeting Thursday morning. Decisions would be made regarding contributions. District 6000 contributed \$57,000. By going over \$50,000. the District is one of the top supporters. Volunteers are needed for hosting the Volunteer Center at Wallace-Wilson on Sunday morning. Volunteers could also be called into action at the volunteer desk, if needed. Time served would probably be two to three hours. In

**June Club Anniversaries**

1 Jim Dickson (15 years)

1 Myrna Whigham (14 years)

29 Kori Heuss (1 year)

**June Wedding Anniversaries**

1 Lynn and Bill Whisler (32 years)

3 Dave and Rebecca Klatt (31 years)

5 Scott and Georgia Sanders (30 years)

5 Harold and Carole Jensen (46 years)

9 Larry and Kate Elphic (12 years)

10 Dorothy and Robert Schumer (45 years)

11 Dean and Mary Harms (40 years)

12 Terry and Helene Adams (41 years)

16 Jean and Steven McBreen (9 years)

24 Dennis and Karen Soderstrum (45 years)

the Olympic Village, in the Hilton, Rotary can have a display. There is also an opportunity for the Fourth of July parade. On Monday, July 3. A. M. and Noon Rotary will host an open house in the Cardinal Room at the Gateway Motel from 5:30 to 7:30. This will be for all visiting Rotarians and their spouses. It can be considered a make-up meeting. There will be no regular Rotary meetings that week. The Board members said: Parade -- go for it. Just need to make scenes for the float.

For newsletter assignments, Miller stated his letter discussing this Rotary Year in Review has been submitted.

Club banners were discussed. The Club is currently down to six banners. The cost for 100 banners would be \$615. The club could save \$.50 per banner by ordering 200. The decision was to order 100 banners.

There will be no foreign exchange student in Ames this fall.

Miller and Horton both attended the District 6000 Convention. Next year's convention will be in Ames.

The Draft Club Budget was based on the club having 70 members. \$1,000 will be set aside for the International Project fund.

Discussion was held regarding Xicotepec. The local club foundation was also discussed Rotary International Dues are up \$4 for FY2007. District 6000 Dues will remain the same.

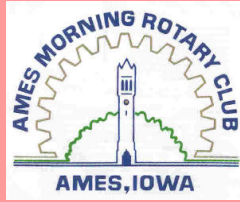
The Board accepted with regret the resignation of Blair Brewer.

The Teacher Recognition will involved teachers from Roland-Story and Gilbert.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:07 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Terry Adams, Secretary

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