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**Next Week at Rotary...**

**"National Guard, An Important Player"**



Colonel Larry Arnett was commissioned as an infantry officer in 1969 and is a highly decorated veteran of the Vietnam War. He served on active duty in the U. S. Army until 1973 when he joined the Kentucky Army National Guard. During a remarkable 30-year military career, Colonel Arnett commanded troops at platoon, company, battalion and brigade levels. During the 1991 Persian Gulf War, over 500 soldiers assigned to his command were successfully mobilized for duty in Saudi Arabia.

Highly decorated, his awards include the Bronze Star, Meritorious Service Medal w/ Oak Leaf Cluster, Air Medal w/ 33 awards, Army Commendation Medal w/ Oak Leaf Cluster and numerous other decorations. Colonel Arnett was selected in 1997 as the outstanding alumnus for the Department of Military Science at Eastern Kentucky University.

He retired from a distinguished 27-year public service career with Kentucky State government in 2000 where his assignments included serving as the State Director of Veterans Affairs, State Director of Air Transportation, and Executive Director of the Office of Kentucky Veteran Centers.

Colonel Arnett earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Eastern Kentucky University in 1969 and a Masters of Public Affairs from Kentucky State University in 1979. In 1998 he completed a course of education to become a Kentucky Certified Public Manager.

Active in local civic organizations, Colonel Arnett has served on the Board of Directors for the Frankfort Area Chamber of Commerce and as Chairman of the Franklin County Ethics Commission. He is a respected military historian and the author of a book on Kentucky military history entitled Call to Arms. He is currently working on a book about Kentucky recipients of the Medal of Honor.

He is married to Mary Arnett, a retired teacher at Capital Day School. They have two children, Jeff who is a First Lieutenant in the Kentucky Army National Guard and currently activated for Operation Enduring Freedom and Heather who recently completed a Ph.d. at the University of North Carolina and works in medical research at Harvard Medical School in Boston.

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Opening Exercise..... Kene Siria

## Make-ups for June 25

Thomas Adkins  
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Roger Coomes  
Ethel McCray  
John Palmore  
Steve Dooley  
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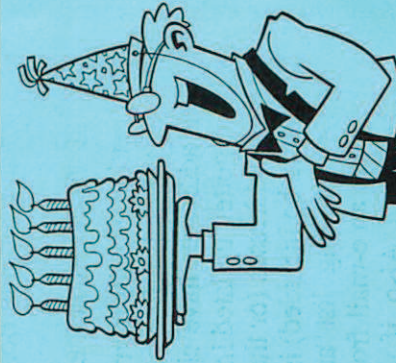
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Steven Vincent  
Tyler West  
David Whitcomb  
Sheila White  
Jim Wolcott  
Ethel McCray

## Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday to Nancy Edwards, Bob Dollase, Ann Maenza, Gus Ridgel, Len Shirrell, William Webb, David Whitcomb, Sheila White and Bill Yount, who will celebrate their birthdays in July.



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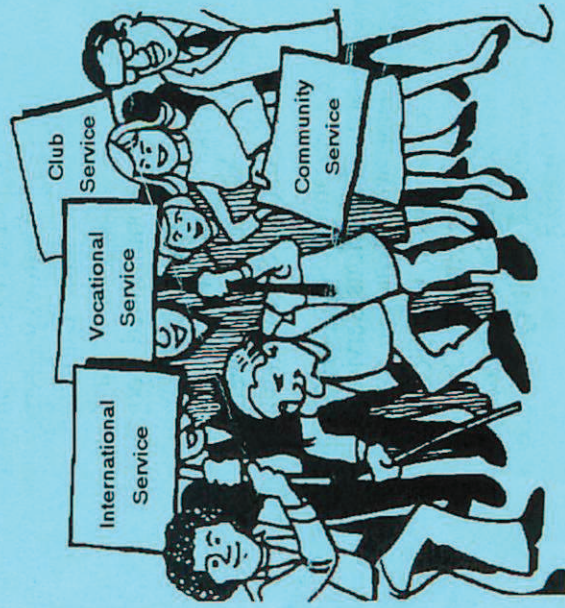
## Well Put...

The true civilization is where every man gives to every other every right that he claims for himself. -Robert Green Ingersoll, lawyer and orator (1833-1899)

When you have only two pennies left in the world, buy a loaf of bread with one, and a lily with the other. -Chinese proverb

When I approach a child, he inspires in me two sentiments; tenderness for what he is, and respect for what he may become. -Louis Pasteur, chemist and bacteriologist (1822-1895)

It is the final proof of God's omnipotence that he need not exist in order to save us. -Peter De Vries, novelist (1910-1993)



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  - Versailles- At the Hospital ..... 12:00 noon
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  - Louisville-Galt House ..... 12:10 p.m.
  - Capital City-Completely Kentucky, 2nd floor ..... 6:00 p.m.

**Next Week at Rotary...**

**“Columbia, South America: Past, Present and Future”**

Rotarian Jim Graves will be introducing **Edmundo Laporte**, a mining and civil engineer, now residing in Lexington, KY. Mr. Laporte was born in Maracaibo, Venezuela and has spent most of his career in South America, Europe and the Middle East. He is fluent in Spanish, English, Italian, French, and Portuguese. His program will present an objective overview of the current situation in Columbia, explaining the causes that gave origin to the present situation. Mr. Laporte will also highlight the positive aspects of that wonderful country.



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**This Week's Speaker...**

Fellow Rotarian, Larry Arnett, a retired U.S. Army Colonel, presented a very interesting program on Kentuckians who have received the Medal of Honor.

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**Answers to the Question: “Why Join Rotary?”**

- **Friendship:** In an increasingly complex world, Rotary provides one of the most basic human needs: the need for friendship and fellowship. It is one of two reasons why Rotary began in 1905.
- **Business Development:** The second original reason for Rotary's beginning is business development. Everyone needs to network. Rotary consists of a cross section of every business community. Its members come from all walks of life. Rotarians help each other and collectively help others.
- **Personal Growth and Development:** Membership in Rotary continues one's growth and education in human relations and personal development.
- **Leadership Development:** Rotary is an organization of leaders and successful people. Serving in Rotary positions is like a college education. Leadership: - learning how to motivate, influence, and lead leaders.
- **Citizenship in the Community:** Membership in a Rotary club makes one a better community citizen. The average Rotary club consists of the most active citizens of any community.
- **Continuing Education:** Each week at Rotary there is a program designed to keep one informed about what is going on in the community, nation, and world. Each meeting provides an opportunity to listen to different speakers and a variety of timely topics.
- **Fun:** Rotary is fun, a lot of fun. Each meeting is fun. The club projects are fun. Social activities are fun. The service is fun.
- **Public Speaking Skills:** Many individuals who joined Rotary were afraid to speak in public. Rotary develops confidence and skill in public communication and the opportunity to practice and perfect these skills.
- **Citizenship in the World:** Every Rotarian wears a pin that says "Rotary International." There are few places on the globe that do not have a Rotary club. Every Rotarian is welcome - even encouraged - to attend any of the 29,000 clubs in 194 nations and geographical regions. This means instant friends in both one's own community and in the world community.
- **Assistance when Traveling:** Because there are Rotary clubs everywhere, many a Rotarian in need of a doctor, lawyer, hotel, dentist, advice, etc., while traveling has found assistance through Rotary.
- **Entertainment:** Every Rotary club and district has parties and activities that provide diversion in one's business life. Rotary holds conferences, conventions, assemblies, and institutes that provide entertainment in addition to Rotary information, education, and service.
- **The Development of Social Skills:** Every week and at various events and functions, Rotary develops one's personality, social skills and people skills. Rotary is for people who like people.
- **Family Programs:** Rotary provides one of the world's largest youth exchange programs; high school and college clubs for future Rotarians; opportunities for spouse involvement; and a host of activities designed to help family members in growth and the development of family values.
- **Vocational Skills:** Every Rotarian is expected to take part in the growth and development of his or her own profession or vocation; to serve on committees and to teach youth about one's job or vocation. Rotary helps to make one a better doctor, lawyer, teacher, etc.
- **The Development of Ethics:** Rotarians practice a 4-Way Test that governs one's ethical standards. Rotarians are expected to be ethical in business and personal relationships.
- **Cultural Awareness:** Around the world, practically every religion, country, culture, race, creed, political persuasion, language, color, and ethnic identity is found in Rotary. It is a cross section of the world's most prominent citizens from every background. Rotarians become aware of their cultures and learn to love and work with people everywhere. They become better citizens of their countries in the process.
- **Prestige:** Rotary members are prominent people: leaders of business, the professions, art, government, sports, military, religion, and all disciplines. Rotary is the oldest and most prestigious service club in the world. Its ranks include executives, managers, professionals - people who make decisions and influence policy.
- **Nice People:** Rotarians above all are nice people - the nicest people on the face of the earth. They are important people who follow the policy of it is nice to be important but it is important to be nice.
- **The Absence of an "Official Creed":** Rotary has no secret handshake, no secret policy, no official creed, no secret meeting or rituals. It is an open society of men and women who simply believe in helping others.
- **The Opportunity to Serve:** Rotary is a service club. Its business is mankind. Its product is service. Rotarians provide community service to both local and international communities. This is perhaps the best reason for becoming a Rotarian: the chance to do something for somebody else and to sense the self-fulfillment that comes in the process and return of that satisfaction to one's own life. It is richly rewarding. "He profits most who serves best."

Richard D. King, Rotary Int'l President 2001-02

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DG Bill worked with the Kentucky Legislative Research Commission (LRC), the bipartisan staff for the Kentucky General Assembly, from 1977-1999 as a Federal/International Relations Specialist, and as an Assistant Public Information Officer. Upon retirement, he established Miller and Associates Federal and International Relations Consultants.

Governor Bill has been instrumental in developing international education programs at the local level and the "Rotary Day at the United Nations Program." Joining the Frankfort Rotary Club in 1981, he has 22 years perfect attendance. Governor Bill was President of the Frankfort Rotary Club (2000-01), and currently is the Rotary District 6710 Governor (2003-2004). District 6710 has 59 Rotary Clubs in western and central Kentucky.

Governor Bill has been actively involved in Toastmasters International. As a public service in



his spare time, he produces and moderates Channel 10's "Frankfort's Global Connection" and "Louisville's Global Connection" television programs. The programs highlight the linkage between our communities and international activities and events, and show how we are living in an interdependent world.

An international relations specialist, he has written numerous articles for several newspapers, such as the *Lexington-Herald Leader* and the *Washington International*. He is fluent in Spanish, semi-fluent in French, and has studied German, Portuguese, Russian and Japanese. He has lived in and/or visited 73 countries.

Governor Bill and his wife, Paula, who is a retired language arts teacher, live in the historic district of South Frankfort in the state capital.

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## From the News Basket....

### U.S. Interactors undertake mission in Uganda, welcome President Bush

Though Ugandan schools are normally closed on Saturdays, the compound of Kaddugala Senior Secondary School, a few kilometers outside of the southern city of Masaka, was a beehive of activity on the morning of 12 July. Jimmy Kolker, United States ambassador, was visiting as chief guest at the launch of a computer laboratory installed with the help of a team of volunteers from the USA.

Kaddugala is one of four schools benefiting from the latest Ugandan effort of Computers for the World (C4W), a Rotary-funded information technology (IT) project that utilizes the on-site expertise of students and faculty from high schools in the Seattle, Washington, USA, area.

A team of 14 Interact club members and teachers from Forest Ridge School of the Sacred Heart and Mt. Si High School in Seattle traveled to Uganda on 25 June as project volunteers. They participated in the installation of four 15-station computer labs in Kaddugala, as well as at Talents College, Archbishop Kiwanuka School, and Christ the King Senior Secondary School - all near Masaka. Each computer lab was also fitted with a printer.

A total of 3,100 students are beneficiaries of the project, which cost more than US\$21,000 in funding from Seattle Rotary clubs, students, and a Matching Grant from The Rotary Foundation. Also crucial to the success of the effort were in-kind donations of computers, monitors, operating systems licenses, application software, network licenses, and packaging materials from Rotarians, local businesses, and individuals.

"Without the help of Rotary International, we would not have the computers. Rotary helps identify the schools that need computers and have the capacity to look after them when the IT teams have returned home," says John Chrysostom Alintuma Nsambu, an honorary Rotarian and a member of Uganda's parliament from Masaka.

Nsambu, who works closely with members of the co-sponsor Rotary Club of Masaka, donated three months salary to the project for transportation, shipping, and accommodation expenses. Sponsors of the project also included the Seattle-area Rotary clubs of Snoqualmie, North Seattle, and Mercer Island.

To benefit underserved female students, the C4W team installed computers in schools with a female enrollment of at least 50 percent. The nine U.S. Interactors, ages 13-19, provided computer guides that explain systems maintenance and solutions for power outages. They also taught computer classes and hardware and software maintenance to Ugandan students and faculty.

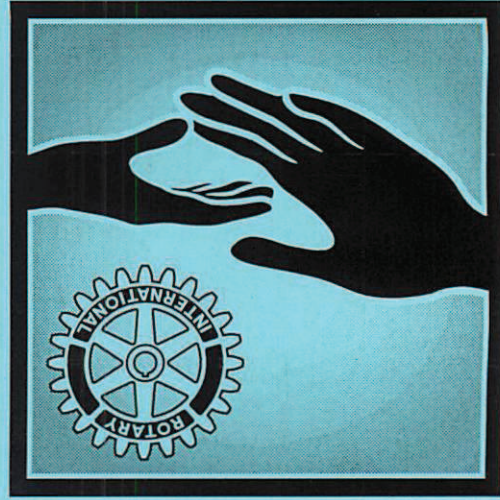
When it was started in 1998 by the Rotary Club of Emerald City, Seattle, and technology teachers and Interact student at Garfield High School (also in Seattle), Computers for the World was a modest effort to help transfer information technology to the developing world. Now it is a District 5030 project providing an outstanding opportunity for young participants with technical, linguistic, or leadership skills, and the determination to help those in need. Countries that have benefited from the project include Belize, Ethiopia, Gambia, Guatemala, Mexico, Mozambique, Poland, and Russia.

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**Next Week at Rotary...**

**Crit Luallen**, Democratic Candidate for State Auditor, is making her first bid for elected office after nearly three decades in public service that has included a wide range of experience in government, administration and economic development. She most recently served as Secretary of the



Cabinet, the top administrative position in Kentucky State Government. She has also served as State Budget Director, Secretary of the Finance and Administration Cabinet, Secretary of Tourism and State Arts Commissioner. Luallen also served as President of the Greater Louisville Economic Development Partnership, a regional economic development agency. In 2000, she was awarded the National Excellence in Leadership Award by Women Executives in State Government.

Luallen chaired the Empower Kentucky initiative, which is seen as a national model in improving State Government efficiency. Through business process reengineering and the use of technology, Empower Kentucky has resulted in

enhanced revenues and savings to taxpayers totaling \$600 million since it was launched in 1996.

Luallen is a native of Frankfort and a graduate of Centre College where she currently serves on the Board of Trustees. She is married to Lynn Luallen, CEO of the Kentucky Housing Corporation.

Opening Exercise . . . . . Alan Hamilton  
Greeter . . . . . Pete Walsh

**Make-Ups for July 16**

- Thomas Adkins
- Joe Johnson
- Hub Perdew
- Terry Shockley
- Ed Speer
- Pete Walsh

**Attendance Percentage: 81.19%**

**These Need Make-ups for July 23**

- Larry Arnett
- Terry Barnes
- RB Brown
- Preston Cecil
- Monte Chance
- Tony Charters
- Ted Collins
- Duane Ellis
- Ron Fraass
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- Robert Roach
- Joe Rudder
- Phillip Shepherd
- Rene Siria
- Dean Sorg
- Ed Speer
- Kelli Summers
- Ron Tyrer
- Steven Vincent
- Sheila White

**This Week's Speaker...**

The speaker for the day was District Governor Bill Miller. He stated that the Frankfort Rotary Club is a premiere club with outstanding leadership. The problem of declining membership has been turned around, but there has been a downturn in revenue and Rotary clubs are running a deficit. Unlike Christopher Columbus, Rotary knows where it has been and where it is going.

Polioplus has raised an additional \$80 million and is coming to fruition in 2005, the 100th year of Rotary. Rotary is making a difference in people's lives. Polioplus is saving the lives of 50,000 per year and is saving hundreds of thousands from the scourge of polio. Rotarians are encouraged to share Rotary with friends and family. There is a focus on the family in the Frankfort Rotary Club and an example is the Reds outing. Spouses of deceased Rotarians are also encouraged to get involved. The District has a goal of 3% new members and Frankfort is above that. Educational and humanitarian grants are available from the District. The Club is encouraged to get involved in the district conference to be held in Frankfort next April. District Governor Bill encouraged all Rotarians to get involved in fulfilling this year's motto which is "Lend a Hand".

**Welcome New Members...**



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Frankfort, KY 40601  
Spouse: Ann  
Hm: 695-9650  
Wk: 223-2300



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Spouse: Carol  
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**Membership Retention Committee Meeting**

There will be a Membership Retention Committee meeting on Tuesday, July 29 at 5:00 p.m., First Federal Building Community Room. (Contact Barry Holder, Jr. with any questions)

**Board Action July 21, 2003**

Attending: Don Dykman, Sally Lanham, Ron Christopher, Clay Hulette, Joe Johnson, Richard Boyer, Bob Johnston, Bobby Brown, Pete Walsh, Ron Tyrer, Ed Dance, Duane Ellis and Paula Rarden.

- \* Approved Ron Christopher to serve on the Frankfort Rotary Youth Board, Inc. board up to 2005. Ed Dance and Duane Ellis were re-appointed to another 3 years ending in 2006. Don Dykman will act as an ex-officiary until July 2004. Other members of the board are Pete Walsh, Nancy Edwards, Ron Tyrer, Frank Sower.
- \* Board approved via e-mail on 7/12/03 to purchase club-mate on line service.
- \* Approved minutes of the last board meeting on 6/16/03.
- \* Approved June 2002 Financial report from Pete Walsh.
- \* Approved the proposed 2003-2004 Rotary Budget prepared by Pete Walsh.
- \* Approved the Attendance Committee to contact members having below the 60% attendance on June 2003 so they can confirm their percent accuracy and ask for their commitment on raising their percent above the 60% mark.
- \* Club Service report from Bob Johnston.
- \* International Service report from Joe Johnson.
- \* Vocational Service report from Bobby Brown.
- \* Sergeant-at-arms report from Richard Boyer.
- \* Approved resuming, on a trial basis, the monthly make-up meet at the VFW until the start up of a possible Breakfast club.
- \* Scheduled next board meeting on August 18, 2003.

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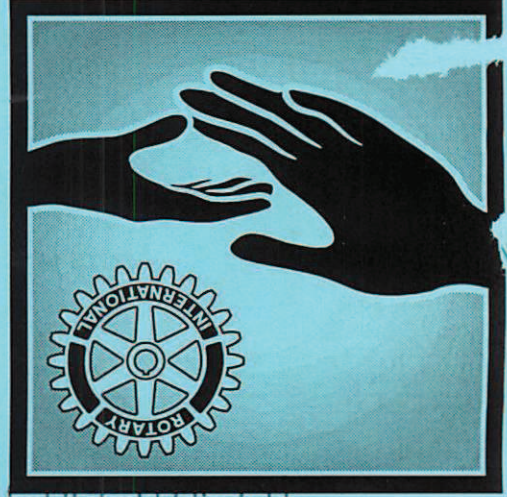
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## Next Week at Rotary....

**Derrick Graham**, Frankfort High School teacher and state representative for the 57th District Seat of the Kentucky House of Representatives, will be the speaker for August 6 and will be introduced by August program chair Joe Russell Johnson.



Representative Graham received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Kentucky State University, graduating *cum laude*. In 1982, he received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Ohio State University in Political Science. Graham has worked for the Commonwealth of Kentucky as an instructor at the Department of Corrections, and has worked for the Department of Human Resources. He has been an adjunct professor at Kentucky State University and a social studies teacher at Frankfort High School. He was elected to the Frankfort Board of Commissioners in 1992 and has served as mayor pro tem. He is a member of St. John AME Church, the state YMCA Board, and the Board of the South Frankfort Community Center. He is a former member of the board of

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directors of the Franklin County Council on Family Abuse, Frankfort Arts Foundation, and the South Frankfort Neighborhood Association. He and his wife, Mildred Tompkins Graham, have two daughters.

Opening Exercise ..... Nancy Edwards  
Greeter..... Rene Siria

### Make-ups for July 23

Duane Ellis  
Gregory Fuchs  
Polly Green  
Hub Perdew

Rene Siria  
Ed Speer  
Ron Tyrer

Attendance Percentage: 75.00%

### These Need Make-ups for July 30

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Terry Barnes  
John Callaway  
Preston Cecil  
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Ted Collins  
Steve Dooley  
Duane Ellis  
Ron Fraass  
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David Keller  
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Mike Oder  
Richard Taylor

### This Week's Speaker...

The speaker for the day was Crit Luallan who is a Democratic candidate for state Auditor. She stated that Frankfort understands strong leadership and this is her first run for public office. Her family roots run deep in Frankfort in the way of public service. Upon graduation from Centre College, she got her first job at Democratic headquarters stuffing envelopes. She has held several Cabinet level positions in state government ending with secretary to the Cabinet under Governor Patton. In her service in state government, she has tried to help in her relationship with the com-

munity. Examples are the Kentucky History Center and the Frankfort-Franklin County Development Commission. She realizes how important the Auditor's job is and she feels she can do a good job considering her background and experiences in state government. The Auditor can prevent fraud, waste, and abuse and she will follow Ed Hatchett's recommendations some of which are: (1) Increase performance audits and find if state government is spending money efficiently; (2) Have internal auditors; (3) Develop a culture of accountability. We need leaders with integrity to move the state forward. Many challenges face Kentucky concerning per capita income and in the area of education. Improvements are being made. For example, 40,000 more students are now in higher education than when KERA was first introduced. We need to improve health care delivery and improve economic activity. We must reach across party lines for continuity as we look to the future. Crit stated that she is running for the people of Kentucky and will stay on the high road. She believes in the future of Kentucky and will work to increase the self-confidence of all Kentuckians.

### Board Action

The Board approved new member Nancy Simon contingent upon no negative response from membership.



### Attendance Committee

From left: Len Shirrell, Tom Braun, Ethel McCray and Jim Smith.



### Make-Up Program Monday, August 4 at Noon

A light lunch and a program on Rotary Information by Past President Dave Weller will count as attendance make-up for July 23, July 30 or August 6. Lunch will be available from 11:45 until 12:30 at the VFW building. Parking is available on both sides of the building, on Capital Avenue and Second Street. The meeting will end before 1 p.m.

### World Community Services Committee

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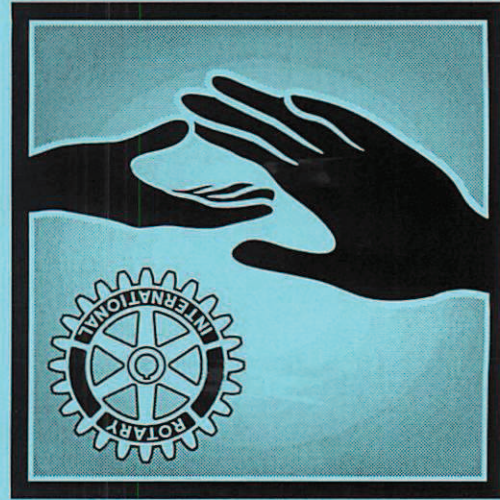
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