

BRANDING IRON

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Today's Program:

Our Club's impact on Ecuador school, Rotarians Mark Billings & Maria Gracia Flores

Today's program: Virtual tour to view our funded International projects in Ecuador



eginning in 2022, our club partnered with the Santa Ana de Rios Rotary Club de Cuenca, Ecuador to equip the Sigcho School in rural Cuenca with technology and the school's first computer lab. On Wednesday we will meet virtually with Rotarian Maria Gracia Flores, president of the Cuenca Club and see the completed project and hear about the students' and school's progress. **Rotarian Mark Billings** has led this project since its inception and has coordinated the ongoing relationship between our club and the Cuenca Rotary Club.



Last week we heard from Bismarck Rotarian Amanda Godfread and Kelly Braun, Dickinson Noon Lions Club, about the annual Make-A-Wish fundraiser to pay for wishes for children with critical illnesses. The annual benefit was held Saturday in Dickinson.



Welcome new member Tim Brooke



Last week we welcomed new Rotarian **Tim Brooke**, a junior banker at Bravera Bank. He grew up in Dickinson and previously worked as a teacher

and principal in East Grand Forks, Minn. Pictured: President Urja Aryal presented Tim, center, with his membership materials. His sponsor is Rotarian Brad Fong, left.

Today's Meeting:

Greeters: Jen Binstock and Seth Poland *Next week: James Miller and Tim Mendro*

This month's **Community Kindness** is monetary donations for water bottles with the Rotary emblem for the Dickinson Public Library's Summer Reading Program kickoff.

Invocation:

For the meal we are about to eat, for those that made it possible, and for those with whom we share it, we are thankful. AMEN

Coming up:

*March 20-21: Head Start and Preschool/ Early Childhood Program reading. Thank you for volunteering!

**May 15:* Rotary Armed Forces Day luncheon at the Biesiot Activities Center.