



BRANDING IRON

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Today's Program:

Club Awards, Change of Gavel, Rotary Year Recap Club President Kyle Smith

Last week's speaker:

Molander wants to hear from you

At last week's meeting we met Scott Molander, who was in his 13th day as president Dickinson State University. He said his goals include marketing an outward image and growing the school. He wants to be involved in the community and is looking at starting an AI certification program as well as local advisory committees. He wants anyone with questions about DSU to call him to get the straight story.



PolioPlus updates from the Noltes

Gary and Cindy Nolte are the District 5580 PolioPlus™ chairs and they stopped by last week's meeting with some updates. Rotary also provides vitamins, worm medicine, mosquito nets and other health needs when out vaccinating children. The couple has traveled the world immunizing and volunteering at surveillance clinics. At present, there's about 13 polio cases in two countries. Rotary has raised \$2 billion that has been matched 2 to 1 by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. They emphasized that everyone in the world needs to be vaccinated until polio is eradicated.



Meet Rotarian Kyle Smith

Kyle has served as Club president for the past year and is a third generation Rotarian with a local connection: his grandfather was Dickinson Rotarian Lloyd Schnaidt. Kyle came to Dickinson in 2007 as a football recruit at Dickinson State University, graduating with a degree in exercise science. He worked as operations manager at the hospital, got tired of N95 masks and has been at the DSU Heritage Foundation for four years. He's married to Brittney and they have two children. His hobbies are his kids' activities. As he ends his year as club president, Kyle said he enjoys the Pancake Carnival and learning about the grant process.



Today's Meeting:

Greeters: Marvin Eberts & Dawn Pruitt

Community Kindness: In June, we are collecting canned and nonperishable items for the AMEN Food Pantry. Food collection boxes are available or bring donations to meetings.

Invocation: Thank you for the gift of fellowship and the opportunity to connect with others who share our passion for service. May this gathering strengthen our resolve to make a positive impact on the world.

AMEN

Coming up: July 6: Rotary at the Big Sticks Game Night! 50-50 raffle and baseball fun! Families and friends are welcome.



No meeting next week, July 2. Enjoy celebrating our country's Independence Day!