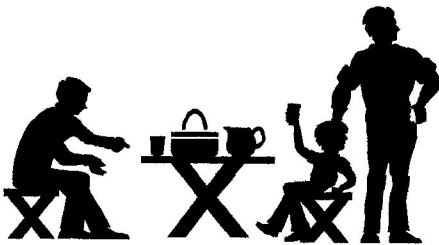


# CR/IC Friendship Force UPDATE

July 8, 2002

## PIG ROAST

Sunday, August 4, 2002, 2 p.m.

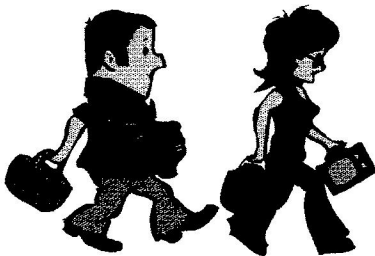


We're having an old fashioned Iowa Pig Roast on Sunday, August 4, at 2 P.M. at the home of Donna and Max Betenbender 2174 Lennox Lane, Coggon, Iowa (319) 435-2105. (see map on back) We're inviting the Dubuque and Quad Cities clubs to join us. Also, there are camping facilities in Coggon

### *The Menu*

Our menu will include roast pork, potato salad, cole slaw and baked beans, dessert, lemonade and ice tea or BYOB if you want something else.

Cost is \$8.00 per person.



### *What to bring*

So grab your lawn chairs and bring yourselves and prospective members to this "piglicious feast". We are asking the Cedar Rapids/Iowa City club members to bring dessert.

### *Reservations*

Send to Pat Klopfenstein, 5540 Hunters Ridge Court, Marion, Iowa 52302 (319) 377-5502 by **July 25**  
**I'm coming to the Friendship Force Pig Roast on August 4, 2002**

Number attending \_\_\_\_\_ x \$8.00 = \_\_\_\_\_ amount enclosed  
Please make your checks payable to "Cedar Rapids-Iowa City Friendship Force"

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Name(s)

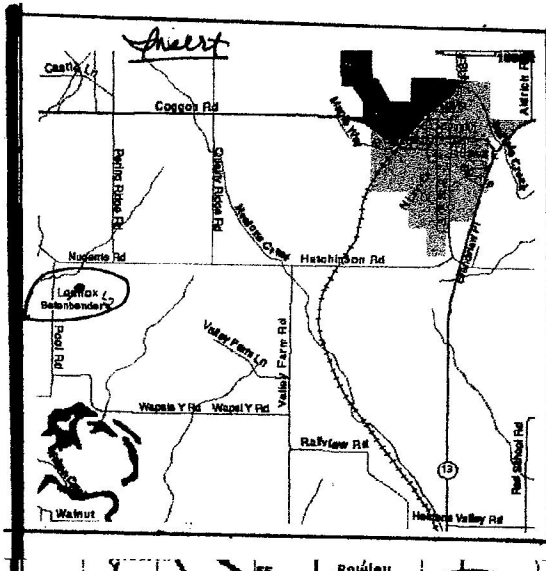
**Directions to Betenbenders**

*From the north (Dubuque):* Take Hwy 20 to Hwy13 south to south side of Coggan.

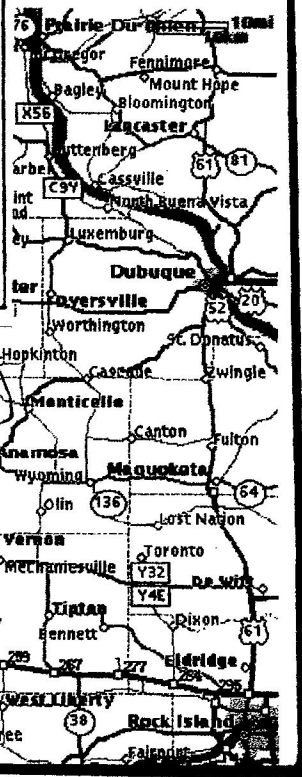
*From The Quad Cities:* Take I-80 west to Hwy 38 north to Hwy 30 West or I-80 to Hwy 1 north @ Iowa City to Hwy 30 West to Hwy 13 north to Coggan.

*From Iowa City and points south of Cedar Rapids:* Take I-380 north to Hwy 30 east to Hwy 13 north to Coggan

*From the south (Cedar Rapids, Marion):* Take Hwy 13 north to Coggan (this is 16.4 miles from the intersection of business Hwy 151 and Hwy 13.)



(319) 435-2105  
Mr Max & Donna  
Betenbender  
2174 Lennox Lane  
Coggan, IA 52218



From Hwy 13 turn left at the Coggan sign (mile marker 24) and then immediately turn left onto Hutchinson Road. Stay on Hutchinson Road for 2.6 miles. At the "Y" in the road, stay left onto Pool Rd (the Pool Road sign is high on a pole) for .2 miles. Take the first left, Lennox Lane. Betenbenders is the first house on the right, a tan house with brown trim.

**Noteworthy Web Sites**

Want to learn how to pack less but still look great? Check out [www.smartpacking.com](http://www.smartpacking.com) hosted by Susan Foster, author of *Smart Packing for Today's Traveler*.

Need a foreign word for an English word or vice versa? Try Prompt's Online Translator, at [www.translate.ru](http://www.translate.ru). This information is courtesy of the Friendship Force of Greater Milwaukee July-August 2002mNewsletter,

**Welcome Back from Canada**

We welcome back 18 ambassadors who recently returned from an exchange to Canada along with 13 ambassadors from the Quad Cities club. Max and Donna Betenbender, Joan Jacob and John Haack, Dolores Kaiden, Rita Maher, Steve and Nancy Miller, Greg and Sally Nelson, Jim and Colleen Nieman, Shirley Rosencrans, Gerry Stoner, Kenny and Janis Schmitz, Jerry and Phyllis Seidl enjoyed a one-week homestay in Edmonton and another week touring western Canada. Perhaps at the pig roast they will tell us about their host families and share stories of some of their experiences in Canada.

**Incoming Scotland Exchange  
September 29 to October 6, 2002**

Plans are continuing to develop for the Scotland Exchange and we are excited about their visit. We now have the names of the eleven ambassadors that will be coming to visit us. When we receive more information about each ambassador we will be ready to make assignments for home and day hosting. We hope all of you will reserve the following date.

**SCOTLAND EXCHANGE BANQUET**

**Wednesday, October 2, 2002**

Indian Creek Country Club

Information about the time and the menu will be passed along to you at a later date but we do hope most of you will be able to attend the banquet. A complete schedule of our plans for when they are here will be sent to you when they are finalized. We hope many of you will be able to participate in some of the activities while they are visiting us. Thanks to our wonderful members, we have many who have volunteered to be on committees to help with the planning for their visit.

We certainly appreciated having the opportunity to learn something about Scotland and it's people from our guest speakers at the April meeting, Gordon and Sheila Urquhart. Little tips they gave us were very helpful like: they are quick to make friends, they speak their minds, they enjoy spontaneous parties, they are meat, potato, and vegetable salad eaters, and they LOVE their sweets. For more information contact:

*Dick and Doris Faas (319) 857-4177 and Steve and Nancy Miller (319) 447-1623*

**2003 Outbound Exchange to England and Germany**

We've been advised of a match for an outgoing exchange in fall 2003 to Leicestershire, England (the group we hosted in 2001) and Zarel, Germany. We will share this exchange with the Fort Myers, Florida Friendship Force Club. More details as the exchange develop.

**New Address for our Pres**

As of July 22, **Nancy and Steve Miller** have a new address: 4618 Chestnut Ridge Court NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52411. Their new phone number is (319) 393-3580

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**Friendship Force Calendar of Events  
2002**

- August 4, 2 P.M.                      General Meeting and "Pig Roast" at Betenbender's home in Coggan. Members from the Dubuque and Quad Cities clubs are invited. Bring lawn chairs, a dessert to share and BYOB, if desired
- August 29, 2002, 6 P.M.              Board meeting, Country Kitchen Restaurant, 3130 16<sup>th</sup> Ave SW, Cedar Rapids
- Sept. 29-Oct. 6                        Incoming exchange from Scotland. Join us at the exchange banquet on October 2 at Indian Creek Country Club in Marion
- November 3, 5:30 P.M.                Annual Meeting at the Czech and Slovak Museum, Cedar Rapids
- November 7-10                         International Conference, Dallas, TX

**The Friendship Force**  
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