

Note from Delene

I'm sorry we did not get the Sparks newsletter out timely this week...the holiday and training a new helper (see below) threw things behind.

- Next Thursday our speakers will be Russ Cox and Amy Luttrell; RSVP link below
- Sign up **HERE** for the member party at Craig Scherman's home on June 12th we need a headcount!

Introducing Tracy Peck

By Delene Taylor



I'm excited to introduce my long-time friend, Tracy Peck, whom many of you met today. She will be providing some additional administrative help, as Amanda is very much in demand and does not have the capacity for the number of hours we need right now.

Tracy has been a Preschool Teacher at a private school the past 10 years and is looking to shift more into an office role. She and her husband John have two sons and recently celebrated 25 years of marriage! Please introduce yourself next time you see her.

She will be using the admin@rotary45.org email address.

Next Week's Meeting - Russ Cox, Norton Healthcare & Amy Luttrell, Goodwill of KY



Our featured speakers next week will be Russ Cox, CEO of Norton Healthcare and Amy Luttrell, CEO of Goodwill of Kentucky. The topic will be: Why Investing \$100+ Million In West Louisville Is Good For Kentucky

The menu will be the Hot Brown and there will be a vegetarian option available upon request. Register by 12pm NOON on Monday, June 6th <u>HERE</u>.

***NOTE: we will NOT be offering a Zoom option; please join us in person if you can! The meeting recording will be available for viewing within a few days after the meeting.

Today's Meeting Recap - Jose Gaztambide, Founder and CEO of GoodMaps

Today's featured speaker was **Jose Gaztambide**, Founder and CEO of <u>GoodMaps</u>, who shared insights on how interior mapping can be a vital resource for those who are vision-impaired, and also serve and support a variety of safety, security, orientation, and specialty needs inside buildings and physical spaces. You can watch the video that was referenced <u>HERE</u> and see more photos on our Facebook page.



Rotary Foundation Chair **Mike Kull** recognized **Kevin Wardell**, Past Club President 2014-2015 and Rotarian of the Year 2016, and his wife Linda for achieving Major Donor status.



Event Recap - Committee Fair / New Member Mixer at LCCC plus Ribbon Cutting & Shopping

We had a fantastic evening last Thursday at the Louisville Central Community Center! WDRB covered the ribbon cutting as Rotarian **Kevin Fields** launched the new Business Intelligence Center at the LCCC minority business incubator. **President Jean** had the opportunity to speak as did Rotarian **Sharon Riehemann**, who represented SCORE on behalf of **Thom Crimans**, who was traveling, and Rotarian **Nachand Trabue**, the founder of MELANnaire Marketplace. Many of the Marketplace vendors were set up in the atrium and a number

of us made purchases, and new friends.

You can <u>read more in Louisville Business First</u> and view photos and a recording of the launch portion on our Facebook page <u>HERE</u>.

We also pinned some of our new members at the New Member Mixer that followed the Committee Fair. A big thank you to all who were a part of this evening.



RSVP Now for June 12th Party at Craig Scherman's Home

Craig Scherman will be hosting a party for members and guests at his beautiful home in Anchorage on Sunday, June 12th from 4:00-7:30pm. \$25 will cover food from Mark's Feed Store, open bar, live music and a whole lotta

fun! Click HERE to RSVP.





Upcoming Meeting Speakers

June 9 - Russ Cox, Norton Healthcare & Amy Luttrell, Goodwill of Ky

June 16 - Mayoral Panel - Craig Greenburg and Bill Dieruf

June 23 - Karl Schmitt, Louisville Sports Commission

June 30 - Leadership Transition

July 7 - John Hale, Archeologist & Historian

Rotary Soccer Day is August 13th - Lou City vs Tampa Bay

Plan to attend the 2022 Rotary Soccer Day as Lou City takes on the Tampa Bay Rowdies on Saturday, August 13th at 7:30pm. We will have a block of seats centerfield as well as pre-game access to the Four Roses Corner Bar beginning at 5:30pm. Tickets are \$46 each and can be purchased **HERE**.



Events

June 9th

Goodwill

Speaker: Russ Cox, Norton Healthcare & Amy Luttrell,

Goodwill of Kentucky

June 22nd

Re:Center Dinner - Lifeline Committee

June 30th

RCoL Meeting - Leadership Transition

Speaker: Leadership Transition

June 16th

RCoL Meeting - Russ Cox, Norton & Amy Luttrell, RCoL Meeting - Mayoral Panel - Greenberg & **Dieruf**

> Speaker: Craig Greenberg & Bill Dieruf Subject: Mayoral Panel

June 23rd

RCoL Meeting - Karl Schmitt, Louisville Sports

Commission

Speaker: Karl Schmitt

Birthdays



Steve Jester June 2nd



F. Gerald Greenwell June 8th



James M. Wagner June 3rd



Delene E Taylor June 9th



Rudolph F. Moeller Jr. June 9th

Hutchinson June 3rd

Cynthia



Daniel K Maloney June 4th

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