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Club of Louisville



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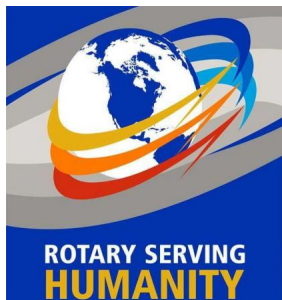
**CONNECT  
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**CLUB CALENDAR**



### WHAT TO DO BEFORE BRINGING A GUEST TO ROTARY

Pre-register your guest at the [louisvillerotary.org](http://louisvillerotary.org) website and select the 'Make a Payment' button. Thank you!



### Birthdays

*The following Rotarians are celebrating birthdays soon!*

Jan Grayson - Aug 11  
Bill Carrell - Aug 12  
Meredith Erickson - Aug 12  
Steve Lannert - Aug 13  
Buddy Stewart - Aug 14  
Bill Roby Sr. - Aug 15  
Brent Girdler Jr. - Aug 16  
Alice Bridges - Aug 17  
Erin Rasinen - Aug 17



### RYAN QUARLES

Kentucky Commissioner of Agriculture

#### August 11 Rotary Meeting

**Galt House West  
3rd Floor, Archibald Room  
11:30 Buffet • 12:05 Meeting**

Ryan Quarles grew up on his family's farm in Scott County, coming from a family that has lived in central Kentucky for over 200 years. Ryan completed three undergraduate majors and two graduate degrees in just four years at the University of Kentucky, graduating in 2006. In 2008, Harvard University awarded Ryan a full scholarship with the Zuckerman Fellows Program, which enabled him to continue his studies at the Harvard Graduate School of Education, the Kennedy School of

Government, and Harvard Law School.

In 2009, he graduated from Harvard with a Master's degree in higher education before moving back to Kentucky to finish his last year of law school. Ryan was elected to the Kentucky General Assembly in 2010, representing Scott, Owen, and Fayette counties. Ryan served as vice-chairman of the House Judiciary Committee and served on the Agriculture and Small Business Committee, the Tobacco Master Settlement Oversight Committee, and the Banking and Insurance Committee. In 2015, Ryan was elected Kentucky's Commissioner of Agriculture. At 32, Commissioner Quarles is currently the youngest statewide elected official in the United States.

## ROTARIANS OF THE WEEK

### Theme: Medical Professionals



**DR. BILL BAKER** has been a member since 1984, Paul Harris Fellow and 1912 Society Member. He is a OB/GYN at Norton Healthcare and also an author. Bill is married to Lana, and he enjoys biking, swimming and hunting.

Bill was raised on a 'working' farm in Oldham County (hay, horses, beef cattle). Bill's quotation: "Hang tough, serve others, appreciate every day and look forward to heaven."



**DR. JAMES MOLLOY** has been a member since 1967 and is a Paul Harris Fellow. He is a Dermatologist and married to

Linda.

James enjoys photography, boating and piano.



**DR. LYNN OGDEN MOLLOY** has been a member since 1991 and is a Paul Harris Fellow and a Sustaining Member.

He is a Pathologist and a Past President of the Greater Louisville Medical Society. Lynn is married to Karen.



**DR. JOE KUTZ** has been a member since 1980 and served





## Upcoming Meetings

**AUGUST 18**

**Colmon Elridge (D) &  
Scott Jennings (R)**

**Moderated by Bill  
Goodman of KET**

*KY Politics Panel - 'Election  
2016: From Frankfort to the  
Nation's Capitol'*

**AUGUST 25**

**Tom Jurich**

UofL Athletic Director  
*'The Business of College  
Sports'*

**SEPTEMBER 1**

**Charlie Mattingly &  
Reanna Smith Hamblin**

*'BBB: Changing Leadership  
and Vision'*

**SEPTEMBER 8**

**Jessica Bird**

#1 New York Times Best  
Selling American Novelist  
*'The Bourbon Kings'*

**SEPTEMBER 22**

**Kevin Etter**

UPS Loaned Executive @  
Gavi, The Vaccine Alliance

**OCTOBER 6**

**Matt Thornton**

CEO, Thornton's Inc.

**NOVEMBER 3**

**Stuart Alexander**

Rotary District Governor  
Annual Meeting

**DECEMBER 1**

**Derek Anderson**

Producer, Screenwriter,  
Philanthropist, Entrepreneur,  
Speaker & NCAA/NBA  
Champion

**DECEMBER 8**

**Melissa Fraser**

CEO, Breakout Business &  
TV Host, Dream Funders

**DECEMBER 22**

**NO Meeting**

**DECEMBER 29**

**NO Meeting**

**L.B. Schmidt & Associates, LLC**

Luke M. Schmidt

as president from 1991-1992. He received the Lifetime Service Award in 2005-2006 and is a Paul Harris Fellow. He is married to Mary Jane.



Dr. Kutz is the co-founder of Kleinert & Kutz Hand Care Center and is a world renowned hand surgeon. President Elect Tony Kemper presented Dr. Kutz with a 35-year Rotary Service Pin.



**DR. HENRY FAIRLEIGH** has been a member since 1971 and is a Veterinarian. He is a Paul Harris Fellow, a 1912 Society Member. Henry will be 97 years young in November.

He enjoys tennis, sports and is an avid UofL fan. An avid world traveler, Henry has visited all seven continents. President Elect Tony Kemper presented Dr. Fairleigh with a 45-year Rotary Service Pin

## MEMBER OPPORTUNITIES

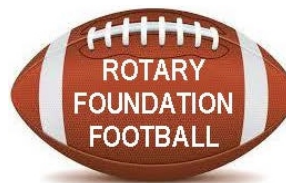
### Audio/Visual Committee - Volunteers Needed

The Audio/Visual Committee needs several Rotarians who can volunteer to help operate the video camera at weekly meetings. You will receive training to operate the camera, and you can select the meeting dates that work for your schedule.

If you are interested to help, contact Past President Greg Braun at 502-817-8224 or email to [greg@maidinlouisville.com](mailto:greg@maidinlouisville.com).



### Are you ready for some football? Foundation Football Kickoff is August 11



The Rotary Foundation Committee and the Rotary Fund Committee will kick off the annual Foundation Football fundraising efforts at Thursday's August 11 meeting. Plan to join the friendly competition by selecting your favorite college and NFL football teams. You might win one of the prizes at the end of the season! Participation details will be provided on August 11.

### Rotary Leadership Institute Saturday, August 27 (8a - 3p) in Lexington

If you're interested in pursuing leadership in Rotary, please sign up for the next Rotary Leadership Institute on Saturday, August 27 in Lexington at Four Points Sheraton, 1938 Stanton Way. (Take I-64 to Exit 115, turn left onto Newtown Pike and right onto Stanton.)

RLI is a series of three fast-paced, interactive one-day courses offered to refine a Rotarian's leadership skills and increase their base of knowledge in Rotary. First-time participants attend Part I. This is free to our members. Our Club picks up the tab (\$70 per person) which also includes breakfast and lunch. If you can attend on August 27, send an email to [admin@rotary45.org](mailto:admin@rotary45.org).

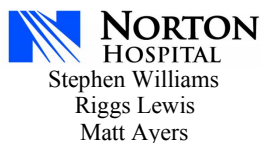


### New Member Celebration Dinner / Love the Hungry Project All Members & Guests Are Invited! • October 11 at 6:00

All members and guest/spouse are invited to attend the Dinner/Project on Tuesday, October 11. The evening will begin with hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar, followed by a hands-on project with 50's style music creating a fun, upbeat atmosphere, as we package 7,000 meals for children and families around the world in a very short timeframe. Then, enjoy a wonderful catered meal followed by a recognition program to welcome new members who will receive their Rotary pins to end this great evening.



Dress casually and enjoy a fun evening with a purpose. Cost is \$30 per person. Register by or before October 6. [CLICK HERE](#) to register.



#### Club Officers

Alice Bridges • President  
Tony Kemper • President-Elect  
Greg Braun • Past President  
John Hampton • Vice President  
Luke Schmidt • Secretary  
Tom Bohnert • Treasurer

#### Club Directors

Muhammad Babar, MD  
Barry Barker  
Kelly Burke  
Mary Michael Corbett  
Lukas Dwelly  
Charles Farnsley  
Karen Morrison  
Carol Nord

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#### Fund Directors

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Alice Bridges  
John Hampton  
Aimee Johnson  
Bob Slider

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**FYI for new members who have not yet received a Rotary pin:** If you have attended both New Member sessions, registration will be free for you and your spouse/guest. Contact the office at 589-1800 to confirm your free registrations. Thank you!

### Plan ahead for Atlanta Convention! June 10-14, 2017

Join District Governor Stuart Alexander and other Rotarians for the annual Rotary International Convention in Atlanta, June 10-14, 2017. A block of rooms has been reserved for Rotarians in District 6710.



Watch your inbox for a special message from Stuart Alexander on how to make your hotel reservations to guarantee you are at the District hotel. Make your convention reservation by December 16 to get the low \$340 registration rate. To register, visit [www.riconvention.org](http://www.riconvention.org).

## AUGUST 4 MEETING RECAP

### Guest Speaker Kris Kimel

The Rotary Club of Louisville meeting of August 4, 2016 was called to order by President Alice Bridges. The invocation was provided by Terry Waddle, owner of Bluegrass Packaging. The Pledge of Allegiance and the Rotary Four Way Test was led by David Dunn, Owner of the Dunn Agency. President Alice welcomed several guests to the meeting and invited guests to visit the What is Rotary? table to learn more after the meeting. Thom Crimans was today's session leader.



Barbara Collins brought in a talented family of musicians which included soloist Isabella Recktenwald, accompanied by her brother and father, Nicholas and James Recktenwald on trumpet and pianist Robert E. Lee. You can enjoy their incredible performances at the following links provided by Past President Randy Coe: Dr. James Recktenwald and his son, Nicholas Jim and Nicholas perform trumpet duet [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1\\_tIABiWUk](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1_tIABiWUk); Nicholas performs trumpet solo accompanied by pianist Robert E. Lee - [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m5nSnk\\_tAEY](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m5nSnk_tAEY); and, Isabella solo performance accompanied by pianist Robert E. Lee - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hqpe9Ot5GR8>.

[Click Here](#) to access the complete meeting report minutes provided by Emily Hart.

## VENUE SUGGESTIONS?

### Business Synergy Event • Venue Hosts/Suggestions?

The Business Synergy Committee requests suggestions from Rotarians about venues for a future event. The purpose of this committee is to encourage Rotarians to get to know each other, learn about their businesses, and do business together.

Would you be interested in hosting an evening event at your business location? If so, please email the Business Synergy Committee Chair Julie Scoskie at [Scoskie@lflpl.org](mailto:Scoskie@lflpl.org).

The location must accommodate up to 150 people, and will require someone at the location to serve as a liaison to the committee. The date for this event has not been determined; however, it is likely to be in the latter part of this year or the early part of 2017. Thank you!



## KY CENTER TICKETS

We are pleased to announce that discounted tickets for 'Broadway Across America' shows at The Kentucky Center are available to Rotarians at the link below. FYI: The link will only work in Google Chrome or Firefox. The link will not work in Internet Explorer or a mobile device/tablet.

The promo code is: ROTARY

A few things to note:

- The Book of Mormon doesn't offer Sat Eve group sales so it has not been included in the link.
- All shows are not on sale to the general public but with this special link you can purchase them now with the group sales rate when applicable.
- The Illusionist is not included since other special arrangements for Rotary is being planned by our



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### Member Database

[www.dacdb.com/rotary](http://www.dacdb.com/rotary)

### Club Website

[www.louisvillerotary.org](http://www.louisvillerotary.org)

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## Access Members on Your Smartphone

Access the Club calendar, member contact info and more, anywhere anytime on your smartphone, for the most up-to-date info. Go to: [M.DACDB.COM/ROTARY](http://M.DACDB.COM/ROTARY) on your phone's browser.

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## Scan Your Badge

Be sure your badge is scanned when you attend a meeting.  
Thanks!

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Social Activities Committee.

Here's the link: <https://oss.ticketmaster.com/aps/baasc/EN/link/promotion/home/ee56f62ce740ef0ea30e1d7311473b9b400bf5f8>

## ROTARIANS IN THE NEWS

**ALICE BRIDGES** - President Alice Bridges will be featured in an article of an upcoming issue of the Today's Woman magazine.

This is a photo of her recent photo shoot with the magazine's photographer. Don't miss the article in the next issue of Today's Woman!

