

Rotary
Club of Louisville



SPARKS

THIS WEEK: Leading the Filson

Our Guest Speaker

Richard H. C. Clay,
President/CEO
Filson Historical
Society

Muhammad Ali Center
View Pointe Hall
July 25, 2019
11:30 Buffet
12:05 Meeting

The Menu:

House Caesar Salad
Chili
Baked Potato Bar

Fresh Fruit
Cookies & Brownies
Iced Water/Iced Tea/Coffee



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ASK A QUESTION

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BE THE INSPIRATION

Shout Outs

Do you want to share a shout out with the club? Share your recognition (in the news or an act of service) of a fellow club member with our Rotary staff - which will be featured at our next club meeting!

**SUBMIT A
'SHOUT OUT'**

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Click [HERE](#) to see the leaders that have recently joined our Club!

About Richard Clay:

Richard H. C. Clay serves as President and CEO of the Filson Historical Society, Kentucky's largest privately funded historical society. When asked what attracted him to this position, he stated, "Leading the Filson will be the capstone of my career where my professional, civic, family and intellectual interests will be fully engaged." In addition to his passion for history and education, Richard is of counsel at Dinsmore and Shohl, LLP, where he represented corporate, banking, fiduciary, philanthropic and individual clients throughout his 42-year tenure. He has handled cases in over 100 of Kentucky's 120 counties, tried over 80 jury trials in Kentucky's state and federal courts, and argued over 40 appeals in the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit, the Kentucky Supreme Court, and the Kentucky Court of Appeals. He is Past President of the Kentucky Bar Association.

In addition to his career as a lawyer, he has worked with a number of local non-profits. He served on the board of the Cabbage Patch Settlement House, the Presbyterian Church

(USA) Foundation, Kentucky Country Day School, serves as board chair and as a trustee of the Speed Art Museum, and as vice chair of the advisory board of the Museum of Early Southern Decorative Art.

July 18th Meeting Recap:

John Walczak, Director of the Louisville Zoological Gardens, again brought animal ambassadors for natural entertainment in addition to another informative presentation for his fellow Rotarians. John reminded us that the Zoo is celebrating its 50th year, and continuing its tradition of earning top national awards and recognition for innovations, "best guest experience," and exemplifying animal-conservation ideals. "There's never been a more important time to visit the Zoo," said John. "Because of all the sources of stress we have today, you can reconnect with the wild and catch your breath." John pointed out that while the local government budget cuts and shut-downs could have been a major impact for the Zoo, it is 70% self-funded, so the impacts were lower than for other government organizations, and the Zoo continues to thrive as the highest-attendance non-profit attraction in the region and state. The Zoo pulls visitors from all 50 states, and 30% of attendance is from out of state. Recently, the \$26 million Glacier Run Polar Bear exhibit continues to boost attendance and earn top national recognition. John pointed out the many programs through which the Zoo brings in under-served groups, and he encourages Rotarians and all Louisville residents to support the Zoo by enjoying it.



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Upcoming Meetings

Events

July 25th Rotary Club Lunch Meeting	August 1st Rotary Club Lunch Meeting
August 8th Rotary Club Lunch Meeting	August 15th Rotary Club Lunch Meeting
August 22nd Rotary Club Lunch Meeting	August 29th Rotary Club Lunch Meeting


















Events & Opportunities

Events

July 24th Lifeline Committee - Rescue Mission Dinner
August 11th Rotary Night with Louisville City FC
August 20th Business Synergy and Prospective Member Reception
August 28th Lifeline Committee - Rescue Mission Dinner
September 6th Dedication of the Louisville Sign for the Knot Project
September 6th Street Fest - Louisville Sign for the Knot Project



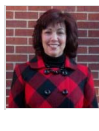














HEY ROTARIANS...

Birthdays

	<u>Tyler N. Allen</u> July 23rd		<u>Tony H. Coffey</u> July 25th		<u>Miles Burkholder</u> July 25th		<u>John Lueken</u> July 26th
	<u>G. Raymond Schuhmann</u> July 28th		<u>Hugh M. Shwab III</u> July 29th		<u>Allan M. Parnell</u> July 30th		<u>Gary Dryden</u> July 30th
	<u>Cynthia P. Collier</u> July 30th		<u>Maria A. Smith</u> July 30th		<u>Anthony L. Newberry</u> July 31st		<u>Paul J. Bickel III</u> July 31st
	<u>Alan N. Singleton</u> July 31st		<u>Carl M. Thomas</u> August 2nd		<u>Charles B. Castner</u> August 3rd		<u>Robert M. Connolly</u> August 3rd
	<u>Ralph W. Pettit</u> August 4th		<u>Griffin Meredith</u> August 4th		<u>Matthew Ayers</u> August 4th		<u>James . Kelly</u> August 4th
	<u>Paula C. Harshaw</u> August 5th						



Club Leaders

	<u>Luke B. Schmidt</u> President		<u>Julie H. Schmidt</u> President-Elect		<u>Maria A. Smith</u> Vice President		<u>Chris Whelan</u> Secretary
	<u>Tony H. Coffey</u> Treasurer		<u>Barry Glen Allen</u> Club Director		<u>Steven A. Eggers</u> Club Director		<u>Walter L. Kunau Jr.</u> Club Director
	<u>Kevin Lynch</u> Club Director		<u>Julie Scoskie</u> Club Director		<u>Barbara Sexton Smith</u> Club Director		<u>Larry T. Sloan</u> Club Director
	<u>Jean West Losavio</u> Club Director		<u>Alice Bridges</u> Membership Chair		<u>Betty Russo</u> Rotary Foundation Chair		<u>J. Barry Barker</u> iPast President
	<u>Michael Parker</u> Assistant District Governor						

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