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Club Calendar Link

UPCOMING MEETINGS

December 10 James Higdon

Author of "The Cornbread Mafia"

December 17 Tori Murden McClure

President of Spalding University

December 24 No Meeting

December 31 No Meeting

January 7 Bob Bordogna

Annual Stock Market Report

January 21 Mayor Greg Fischer

State of the City Address

January 28 RDML Gene Price

Deputy Commander, 10th Fleet - "Cyber Warfare"

> February 18 Bill Lamb

Leadership / Media

February 25 Kate Latts & Andy Shapira

"Heaven Hill Brands ... The Nation's 6th Largest Distilled Spirits Supplier"

> March 10 Speaker TBD

Location: Speed Museum

(prior to public re-opening)





Williams Kevin Wardell Matt Ayers



December 3, 2015 Howard S. Marshall FBI Agent in Charge, Louisville Division "Terrorism in Kentucky"

Galt House East, Grand Ballroom A on 2nd Floor Buffet opens at 11:30 - Meeting begins at 12:05

It's just not overseas, the threat of a terror attack may be right in our own backyard, and that has federal agents on high alert. the FBI says it has open investigations into possible terrorists and threats right here in Kentucky. With last month's terror attacks in Europe, the

Middle East and Africa top of mind, you will hear Thursday from Howard Marshall, Special Agent in Charge (SAC) of the FBI's Louisville Division, about terrorists in Kentucky and the agency's efforts to thwart it.

Director James B. Comey named Howard S. Marshall special agent in charge of the FBI's Louisville Division in July, 2014. Prior to that appointment, Mr. Marshall served as an inspector in the Inspection Division at FBI Headquarters in Washington, D.C. Mr. Marshall began his career as a special agent with the FBI in 1997. He was first assigned to the St. Louis Division, where he worked on a gang and fugitive task force. He then moved to a white-collar crime squad and conducted mortgage and bank fraud investigations. In 2003, he was promoted to supervisory special agent in the Cyber Division at FBI Headquarters. In this role, he (more here)



Wear your ugliest holiday sweater or tie to a meeting in December and you just might win a prize! Judges will determine a winner at the December 3, 10 and 17 meetings. Join the fun!

Member Spotlight

Anthony 'Tony' Zipple, Sc.D., M.B.A. is President and CEO of Seven Counties Services, the Louisville region's leading provider of behavioral health and developmental services. The 1300 staff at Seven Counties serve over 34,000 different clients each year and partner with many collaborating organizations. Prior to joining Seven Counties in 2011, Tony served as CEO of Thresholds in Chicago, COO of Vinfen in Boston, and Professor and Senior Research Associate at Boston University and its Center for Psychiatric Rehabilitation. Tony has over 35 years of experience as a clinical manager, public administrator, consultant, teacher, researcher, and executive in the field of behavioral health. He holds a Doctor of Science in Rehabilitation Counseling from Boston University, an MBA from the University of New Hampshire, and an MS in Environmental Design from the University of Notre Dame. Tony has



published more than 60 articles, monographs, and book chapters and has conducted training and consultation across the US and in Singapore. He is the recipient of (<u>more here</u>)

Barry G. Allen is Executive Director of The Gheens Foundation. The Gheens Foundation is dedicated to improve the quality of life for all citizens and institutions of the metro area through grant making and philanthropic leadership. Allen had previously served as President & CEO of the Kentucky Baptist Foundation since 1996. During the previous 25 years, Allen served in the Kentucky Baptist Convention's Business Division as Director and Business Manager. Barry Allen earned a BBA degree from the University of Mississippi and a Master of Divinity from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. His college affiliations include Sigma Chi Fraternity, Delta Sigma Pi Honorary Fraternity, Order of Omega and the Air Force ROTC. Barry's previous professional and community involvement: Inverness at Hurstbourne Homeowners



Association Officer; Boy Scouts of America; Lowe Elementary PTA Vice President; Kentuckiana Planned Giving Council; Steering Committee – Co Chair of the Professional Advisors Committee of the Greater Louisville & Southern Indiana LEAVE A LEGACY™ organization.... (more here)



Coe

Randy



Brinkley Alice Bridges Rick Smith



Birthdays

Bill Buckaway Jr. - Dec 3 Johnny Miller - Dec 3 Amy Luttrell - Dec 4 Boh Slider - Dec 5 Jim Murphy - Dec 7 Ingrid Hernandez - Dec 9 Jim Remmers - Dec 9 Mark Trier - Dec 9 Sam Watkins Jr. - Dec 9



Please join the Birthday Table and be recognized during the Rotary meeting!

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Kevin Wardell • Chair

Service Opportunities 🔑 🕃 🏩













Help Ring the Bells for the Salvation Army



/olunteer as a bell ringer on Tuesday, December 1 from 6:40am to 8:45am at 3rd & Main Street and/or on the following Saturdays: Dec. 5, 12 and 19 at Holiday Manor Kroger (US42) during a scheduled timeframe between 9am - 4pm.

To select a timeslot, sign up here.

ons? Contact George Brakmeier at gbrakmeier@centralelectronic.com

Send in Nominations for Rotary Lifetime Service Award

Send in nominations of Rotarians who are eligible for this award. Rotarians who over a lifetime have demonstrated Rotary's 4-Way Test, especially in the area of community service are eligible. They must have also been a Rotarian a minimum of ten years, with significant achievements both in Rotary and in the local/regional community.

If you have someone in mind who may be eligible, <u>click here</u> for details, complete the form and send it to the Rotary office at rotary@rotary45.org. Questions? Contact the Awards Committee Chair, Julie Schmidt at JSchmidt@ket.org.

That's Entertainment - Fun Events!

Holiday Party - Saturday, Dec 5



Join us at the annual Holiday Party at the historic Nunnlea House, 1940 Hurstbourne Parkway, on December 5 from 7 to 10 pm. Cost is \$50 per person. Make your reservations by Tuesday, Dec 1. Send an email to events@rotary45.org.

Shooting Event - Sunday, Dec 13

Rotarians and guests are welcome on December 13 at 2:00pm to attend the Shooting Event at Past President Stetten's farm, 6020 S. Highway 53, Smithfield. Cost is \$20 per person (earplugs, targets and clay pigeons provided). Safety is paramount and trained range safety officers will be on hand to ensure that everyone has a great time. Bring your own pistols and shotguns -- but no high caliber rifles or semi-automatic weapons. RSVP to events@rotary45.org.



Member Opportunities

BUSINESS SYNERGY

Tuesday, February 3 from 5-7 pm Kentucky One Healthy Lifestyle Center, 2401 Terra Crossing Blvd. (Off Old Henry at the Gene Snyder)



President-elect Alice Bridges will host the next Business Synergy event at KentuckyOne's new Healthy Lifestyle Center located at Medical Center Jewish Northeast. There will be socializing and networking, free hors d'oeuvres, complimentary chair massage, acupuncture and genetic testing for coronary artery disease. Come and see firsthand how fitness programming coordinated by nurses and exercise physiologists can improve health. This is a free event for Rotarians and a great opportunity to introduce a prospective new

member to our Club. RSVP to events@rotary45.org

Rotary International Matching Gifts Campaign

You can help make our world a better place through a gift to Rotary and become a Paul Harris Fellow--a recognition given for those who contribute \$1,000 or more to The Rotary Foundation Annual Programs Fund,

PolioPlus Fund, or the World Fund, or as a sponsor portion of a Foundation grant. An email was sent on November 16 with information about this campaign. Rotarians who contribute at least \$100 by December 14 can potentially earn matching points toward Paul Harris Alice Bridges • Vice Chair Luke Schmidt • Secretary Tom Bohnert • Treasurer

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Member Database

Club Website





You can access our Club calendar, member contact info, and more anywhere anytime on your smartphone! It's more up-to-date than your membership roster.

Scan Your Badge

It is important to always get your badge scanned when you attend a meeting. Thanks!

Fellow status. But act quickly as only 50,000 points are available. Our Club's Foundation Committee is conducting a phone-a-thon to answer questions and encourage support. Please be kind and accept their call.

ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE Saturday, January 9 from 8am-3pm Leister Continued by March 1981 in the leadership in the

Lexington • Continental breakfast and lunch included





December is Disease Prevention Month



Rotarians are encouraged to arrive early before the lunch meetings on December 3 and 10 when the Lifeline Committee hosts a table with information on the new vaccinations for pneumonia and shingles. Dr. Bob Hilgers will be available to answer questions.

Aging Well Series • Thursday, March 31

Geriatric psychiatrist Dr. David Casey will present immediately following the luncheon meeting on March 31. He will be ready to answer any questions Rotarians and guests may have.



Social Media & Web

Connect with Social Media

Connect to fellow members using our Club's social media platforms: Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn. Your participation will make it dynamic! Join in on discussions, post photos, and celebrate fellow Rotarian's accomplishments. LinkedIn is for members only to allow private discussions and can be found by searching "Louisville Rotary Club" in the category "Groups." Then click the yellow "join" button. You can also send photos, articles, featuring Rotarians and other news to Executive Director Debe Skidmore at rotary@rotary45.org and to Ashley Brauer at Ashley@guthriemayes.com. We need members who want to post, too! If you'd like to help, please contact Ashley or Debe.

Join the Member Marketplace

Join our Club's new virtual Marketplace and showcase your business or organization through this new members-only service. To showcase your business, <u>click here for details</u>.

New Members are the Lifeblood of our Club



Do you know someone who would make a great member of our Club? We offer a complimentary lunch for prospective new members who participate in the brief "What is Rotary?" session held immediately after every Thursday Rotary meeting at a table inside the meeting room. It's easier than ever for you to invite a friend of colleague. Check out our membership criteria

Nov 25 Meeting Recap: Guest Speaker John Waggoner

The 71st annual joint meeting of the Rotary and Kiwanis clubs was held on Wednesday, November 25,

in Grand Ballroom A. Michael Erskine, Kiwanis president, began the meeting at 12:15. Kiwanis President-elect Betsy Holton provided the invocation, followed by the pledge led by Erskine, after which Michael introduced several Kiwanis officers who were present. We were well entertained with a medley of 70s-80s popular songs performed by the talented Rotary Rockin Band. Enjoy their performance aTHIS_LINK. Michael Erskine made several announcements and introduced President-elect Alice Bridges. (President Greg Braun was 'under the weather' and did not attend the meeting.) Alice introduced the Rotary officers and staff, and she also introduced past Executive Director



Patricia Hart. Alice reminded Rotarians that the next meeting will be in Grand Ballroom A with guest speaker, Howard Marshall, FBI Special Agent in Charge, Louisville Division. The topic will be ' Terrorism in Kentucky'. The following announcements were provided by Alice. Lifetime Committee's "Vaccination Information Table" will be available before and after the December 3 and 10 meetings. Dr. Hilgers will also

be at the table to answer questions. (<u>more here</u>)

Member Perks

Rotary Club of Louisville Logo Shirts

Custom polo shirts with the Rotary Club of Louisville logo are available in royal blue or white in men's and women's sizes (S,M,L,XL) for only \$25. These shirts are available in both colors and sizes at every Thursday Rotary meeting to help you decide which size and color to order. Questions? Email rotary@rotary45.org.