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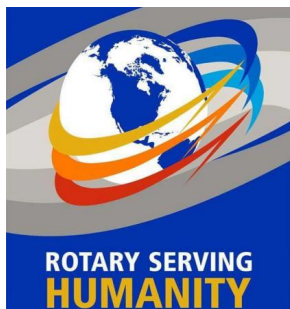
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for
GOOD.**

CLUB CALENDAR

Want to Bring A GUEST TO ROTARY?

Pre-register your guest at
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UPCOMING MEETINGS

OCTOBER 27

Tony Parrott
Executive Director, MSD
'MSD Vision and
Infrastructure Challenges'

NOVEMBER 3

Stuart Alexander
Rotary District Governor Annual
Meeting
Location: Henry Clay Bldg

NOVEMBER 10

**Kent Oyler and
Wendy Dant Chesser**
President and CEO, GLI and
President and CEO of One
Southern Indiana
'Regional Partnerships'

NOVEMBER 17

Jeanne Bishop
Assistant Public Defender



healthcare provider.

JOSEPH STEIER

President/CEO - Signature Healthcare

October 20 Rotary Meeting
Cochran Room • Galt House West
11:30 Buffet • 12:05 Meeting

Joseph Steier, III, Ed. D, MBA, CPA, is a Louisville, Kentucky native. In 1999, Mr. Steier joined Home Quality Management, now Signature HealthCARE LLC, as the President to help grow the small organization into a regional family-based, long-term

For more information about **Joseph**, please [click here](#).

ROTARIANS OF THE WEEK



Allan Parnell



Cindy Collier



Mac McClure

Our **October 13th** Rotarians of the Week segment featured three members dedicated to local and international charity. Click [HERE](#) to read information about the October 13th Rotarians of the week.

MEMBER OPPORTUNITIES

Meeting and Event Sponsorship Packages Now Available!

We are excited to have officially kicked off our meeting sponsorship program! In our goal to keep membership dues affordable while maintaining an extremely high quality membership experience, we invite your organization to sponsor an upcoming meeting. [CLICK HERE](#) for more information, and [HERE](#) for a breakdown of our meeting sponsor benefits packages and [HERE](#) for our event sponsor benefits.



SPARKS, Website, and Display Wall Advertising are Back!

Do you want to increase your organization's visibility, promote an event, or lead customer's to your webpage? Consider purchasing an advertisement through our Communications Committee. Please [CLICK HERE](#) for information about our advertisement packages. Members with questions about advertising are encouraged to contact [Sherry Duffy](#).



Chicago, Illinois
'Powerful Story of
Forgiveness'

Wed, NOVEMBER 23

Bob Russell

'Thanksgiving-Reflections on
Gratitude'

DECEMBER 1

Derek Anderson

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

DECEMBER 8

Melissa Fraser

CEO, Breakout Business & TV
Host, Dream Funders

DECEMBER 15

Holiday Party

Evening Gathering will replace
normal lunch meeting.

DECEMBER 22

NO Meeting

DECEMBER 29

NO Meeting

JANUARY 12

Christopher J. Waller

Executive Vice President -
US Federal Reserve Bank
St. Louis, MO

JANUARY 26

Mayor Greg Fischer

State of the City Address

MARCH 23

Unsung Heroes

Recognition Program

Birthdays

Robert Bleakley - Oct 20
Steve Eggers - Oct 21
Matt Boone Gardiner - Oct 21
Gail Becker - Oct 22
John Guthrie - Oct 22
Ashley Brauer - Oct 23
Julie Scoskie - Oct 23
Bill Hoagland - Oct 23
Mark Lieberfreund - Oct 24
Julie Schmidt - Oct 25
Barney Sutton - Oct 26
Charlie Farnsley - Oct 26



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JCPS • Make the Connection - Middle Schools Oct. 5 - Oct. 31 • 1 hr of Volunteering

Every 7th grader in participating JCPS middle schools can meet with a professional to hear about their career and the path that got them there. Rotarians will connect with students in 2 30-minute sessions. If you are interested in participating, please [CLICK HERE](#).



Rotary Tailgate Party - Cardinal Hall of Fame Café October 22 • Game and Tailgate Time: 10:30am Game tickets - SOLD OUT Café seating limited to 40 RSVPs (14 Spots Left)

Join fellow Rotarians and guests for food, drinks, and camaraderie before the U of L vs. NC State football game. The pregame party will be at Cardinal Hall of Fame Cafe. Register for tailgating by email at admin@rotary45.org. Food and drink will be paid individually on game day. PARKING is provided by the Café, allowing you to leave your vehicle there for the duration of the game!



Rotary Business Synergy Event Filson Historical Society Wednesday, November 9 • 5:30pm-7:30pm

*The Filson
Historical Society*

Rotarians are invited to a special event at the Filson Historical Society, where members will get an exclusive first look at the newly expanded facilities. To register for this free event [CLICK HERE](#). For more info on the Filson Historical Society, click on the logo above.

Save the Date! • Rotary Holiday Party Thursday, December 15 • 5:00pm Big Spring Country Club

Come celebrate the Holiday season with other Rotarians at the Big Spring Country Club in St. Matthews. The party will take place of our regular Thursday meeting. Registration coming soon.



Rotary Intl 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. Make your convention reservation by December 16 to get the low \$340 registration rate. To register, visit www.riconvention.org.



OCTOBER 13 MEETING RECAP



Our **October 13th** Rotary Meeting featured speakers **Jean West Losavio** and **Patsy O'Toole**. They shared updates on efforts to completely eradicate Polio.

The Rotary Club of Louisville extends a warm Thank You to our meeting sponsor, **Mister "P" Express**.

For an in depth look at our meeting, please [CLICK HERE](#).

To see a video recording our meeting, please [CLICK HERE](#).

YOUNG PROFESSIONAL ROTARIANS

Our club is looking for young leaders to join Rotary!



Do you know someone under the age of 39 who is a leader

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at their workplace, exemplifies Service Above Self, and would be able to provide community and international improvement with a membership to Rotary? If so, we want you to bring them as a guest at our next meeting so they can learn more about Rotary. To learn more about our new Young Professional Memberships, please [CLICK HERE](#). Membership proposal forms are available [here](#). October 31st is the deadline for YPR applications.

Young Professional Recruiting Event!

In order to help the club find some of its future members, the Membership Development Committee has organized an evening social networking event at Old Louisville Brewery on October 27th from 5:30pm-7:30pm. The event is designed to target young professionals who fit our Rotary values and standards. If you know a young professional that would like to attend and would be an asset to Rotary, please contact [Jim Watkins](#) or [Sydney Goetz](#) so we can extend a formal invitation.

PAST ROTARY MEETING FOLLOW-UP

UPS Loaned Executive, Kevin Etter, works with Zipline, Inc. to launch medical supply drones in Rwanda!

On September 22nd, Kevin Etter spoke to the Rotary Club of Louisville about his role as a UPS loaned executive to work with GAVI, the Vaccine Alliance, where he leverages his supply chain management skills so medical supplies can be more readily available in Africa. In a recent development, Mr. Etter and GAVI have worked closely with Zipline, Inc. to launch the first drone delivery program in Rwanda. Click [here](#) to read the whole article published by The New Times, an English news outlet in Rwanda.
