

Rotary



Club of Louisville

Election Results



Election results were announced at our annual holiday meeting.

Congratulations to incoming **President-Elect Kevin Lynch** and **Vice President Barbara Sexton Smith**, as well as our four incoming Board members:

Cynthia Miles Brown
Dan Hartlage
Jay Mallory
Paula Grisanti

Thanks to all who voted - it was EXTREMELY close. Stay tuned for more holiday photos!

PRESS RELEASE: Rotary Club of Louisville Names New Executive Director



LOUISVILLE, KY (November 29, 2021) ♦ The Rotary Club of Louisville is excited to name Delene Taylor as Executive Director. Delene joined the Club as a member in January 2020, and earlier this year was appointed Chair of the Speakers Committee, responsible for procuring relevant, engaging, and prominent speakers for weekly luncheons.

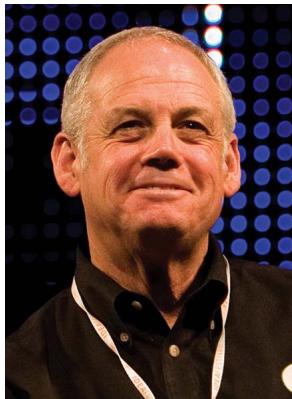
♦ Despite joining the Club as we were entering a worldwide pandemic and extended lockdown period, Delene wasted no time in engaging with members and inviting a diverse spectrum of business and community leaders to visit meetings and to learn more about the work and impact of Rotary, ♦ said Jean West, who became the first African American President of the Club in July 2021. [Read More](#)

December 9, 2021 Meeting - Kris Kimel - Humanity In Deep Space

Kris Kimel of Space Tango and Humanity in Deep Space will be our featured speaker on December 9th.

Register here for the in person meeting by 4:00pm tomorrow:
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/RCL120921>

If you wish to eat lunch (\$27) or pay for a guest's meal, you can pay online when you register. The menu is baked cod with artichoke and caper beurre



blanc.

If you prefer to participate via Zoom, you can register in advance here:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUoceygrjlpGNOXigvlb16ACUG4kW5ntpqE>
[Read More](#)

IN MEMORIAM: Dr. Rajah Karalakulasingam



We mourn the loss of **Dr. Rajah Karalakulasingam**. He joined the Club in 1975 and was a Paul Harris Fellow +7, a member of the 1912 Society, and was recognized as Rotarian of the Year 2004-05 and with the Lifetime Service Award 2017-18. He was a member of both the Club and District International Service Committees.

We will post a link to his obituary when it is online, and share a moment of silence in his memory at our meeting on Thursday.

Salvation Army Bell Ringers Needed

We will be ringing the bell for the Salvation Army at the Holiday Manor Kroger on US Highway 42 on Dec 4th, 11th and 18th. There will be 4 shifts and we need 4 people per shift. Sign up via the Events Calendar in DaCdb or contact George Brakmeier.

Dec 4th <https://dacdb.com/index.cfm?EventID=77565137>

Dec 11th <https://dacdb.com/index.cfm?EventID=77565139>

Dec 18th <https://dacdb.com/index.cfm?EventID=77565140>

Rotary Honors Scholars Mentoring Program



We continue our Rotary Honors Scholars Mentoring Program next week and host the final session of the calendar year. We need 15 Rotarians/Volunteers on **Wednesday, December 8 at Iroquois High School**, 4615 Taylor Blvd from 7:40-9:15am. Topic: What are you good at? We have more time with our scholars here. If you have not mentored before and have the time and interest, please join us - especially if you are new to our club.

Be sure to mark your calendar for future mentoring dates: [Read More](#)

Rotary Job Board

Have a job opening at your company? Post it on Rotary's Job Board! A fellow Rotarian might know the perfect person to fill the position

JOB OPENINGS:

- The Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky is seeking a Communications Associate and Policy Associate - click [HERE](#) for more information.
- Maid In Louisville - Front line cleaning techs. Part-time. Flex hours. Weekends or weeknights. Contact Greg Braun greg@maidinlouisville.com

If your company has a job opening to post, send the information to rotary@rotary45.org.

Events

December 4th

[Bell Ringing benefiting Salvation Army-Day 1 \(Dec 4th\)](#)

December 9th

[RCoL Meeting - Kris Kimel, Humanity in Deep Space / Space](#)

Speaker: Kris Kimel, Space Tango
Subject: Humanity in Deep Space

December 16th

[RCoL Meeting - "Christmas Experience" w/Trip J Band](#)

Speaker: Entertainment by the Trip J Band
Subject: "Christmas Experience" musical program

December 23rd

[NO MEETING - Happy Holidays!](#)

December 8th

[Rotary Honors Scholars 2021 - Iroquois High School 12/08](#)

December 11th

[Bell Ringing benefiting Salvation Army-Day 2 \(Dec 11th\)](#)

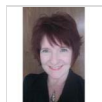
December 18th

[Bell Ringing benefiting Salvation Army-Day 3 \(Dec 18th\)](#)

December 30th

[NO MEETING - Happy New Year!](#)

Birthdays



Cynthia Miles Brown
December 2nd



Harry C Stephenson
December 4th



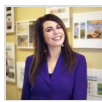
Amy Luttrell
December 4th



Robert M. Slider
December 5th



Anthony Hammond
December 7th



Ingrid Hernandez
December 9th



Scott Neff
December 10th



Willie Billingslea III
December 14th



Thomas K Stone
December 15th



Nelson Rodes IV
December 17th



Harry Louis Seeger V
December 18th



Sam Cilone
December 19th



Tawana Bain
December 19th



Mike Richardson
December 19th



Tracie Texas Shifflett
December 20th



Adam Fields
December 22nd



Anuj Rastogi
December 23rd



David Y. Wood
December 23rd



Bernard F. Block
December 24th



Dorn Crawford
December 25th

Michael B.

Roshae Darville

David C. Dick



Vincenti
December 28th



December 29th



December 31st

Club Leaders



Jean West
President



Walter L. Kunau Jr.
President-Elect



Kenneth Richard Grossman
Vice President



Julie H. Schmidt
iPast President



Lori Hudson Flanery
Secretary



Mike Richardson
Treasurer



Neville Blakemore
Club Director



Ashley Brauer
Club Director



Frederic J. Cowan
Club Director



Thom S. Crimans
Club Director



Kevin Fields
Club Director



Cheryl Creech Kersey
Club Director



Denise L. Sears
Club Director



Ken Selvaggi
Club Director



Todd Warren
Club Director



Steven A. Eggers
Service Projects Chair



Michael J. Kull
Rotary Foundation Chair



Jay Mallory
Membership Chair



Kevin J. McCarron
Public Image Chair
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