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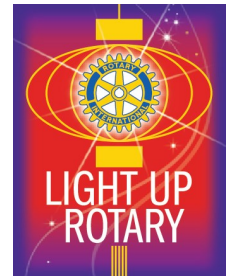
**Next Meeting: October 2, 2014**

**Guest Speaker: Jayne Crisp**

**Title: Rotary District Governor (District # 6710)**

**Introduced by: President Kevin Wardell**

**Fountain Room, Galt House West, 2nd Floor  
Buffet Opens: 11:30 am / Meeting Begins: 12:10**



Jayne Crisp has been a member of the Rotary Club of Murray since 1993. She was named Rotarian of the Year in 2005, served as club president in 2010-2011, and was District Awards Chairperson in 2012-2013. She is a member of the Paul Harris Society and has served as a board member and officer of the Murray Rotary Foundation for Families and Children.

Jayne's community involvement includes serving as an executive board member of His Kids, Too! -- a ministry to orphans and other disadvantaged resident of southeast Ukraine; she participated on a mission team to Ukraine in the Fall of 2007 and the Fall of 2008. She is an active member of Reidland Baptist Church where she serves as organist, Sunday School teacher, DivorceCare and Bible Study facilitator. Jayne also assisted in the

launch of Kids Against Hunger in Calloway County in 2011 and coordinated a Build-a-Bed event in September 2011 for 11 students who were impacted by the Spring flooding in McCracken County.

A Certified Public Accountant, Jayne has 19 years of experience as a classroom teacher in middle school, high school, and community college, and was an adjunct instructor in accounting for Murray State University (her alma mater), West Kentucky Community and Technical College, and Mid-Continent University. She was a teacher coach with Western Kentucky University's Center for Learning Excellence. From 1992 until 2006, Jayne held the position of Executive Director of the West Kentucky Educational Cooperative, a consortium serving 28 school district in the region. From 1989-1992, Jayne was Chair of the McCracken County Board of Education.

Jayne is the mother of two daughters, Shannon and Meredith, and the grandmother of Landon Thomas. Shannon Thomas is a Director of Marketing for Signature Healthcare. Meredith is a medical doctor with the subspecialty of gynecologic oncology at the MD Anderson/Cooper Cancer Center in New Jersey.

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## More Than a Game

The Rotary Foundation Committee thanks all who have stepped up to play 'Foundation Football' - or have otherwise committed to an increased contribution this year to the Rotary Fund of Louisville. Want to help keep our Club a 'star' supporter of Rotary International Foundation work? Visit Rotary's website at [THIS LINK](#). And, to learn more about how your contributions are put to work at home and around the globe, [CLICK HERE](#).



The Sept. 27 UofL Rotary Tailgate Event organized by the Entertainment Committee was a great day enjoyed by Rotarians and their guests!

## Birthday Table

Stuart Alexander III	Oct 3
Andrea Sanders	Oct 4
Wayne Hancock III	Oct 5
Judy Handmaker	Oct 5
Michael Jenkins	Oct 5
Roger Dalton	Oct 7
Winston Church	Oct 8

**Please sit at the Birthday Table on October 2.**



## PROGRAM SCHEDULE

**October 9** — Hood Harris (President & CEO of AT&T Kentucky)

**October 16** — **Rotary Meeting on the River Queen** **ALL Rotarians must register to attend. [CLICK HERE](#)**

**October 23** — Senator Mitch McConnell (**LOCATION:** Louisville Marriott Downtown, 280 W. Jefferson Street, Kentucky Ballroom, first floor)

**October 30** — Ed Hart (CEO of Kentucky Kingdom) *Special entertainment has been planned!*

**November 6** — Teddy Abrams (Music Director of the Louisville Orchestra; Music Director and Conductor of the Britt Classical Festival)

**November 13** — Wayne Estopinal and Coach O'Connor (Louisville City Football Club) *"New Soccer Team" (tentative)*

**November 20** — Ralph de Chabert (Brown-Forman Chief Diversity Officer)

**November 26 (Wednesday)** — Rev. Robin Jennings (*Joint Meeting with Kiwanis*)

**December 4** — Circuit Court Judge Angela Bisig & Stoll Keenon Ogden Member Tom Williams - Program Topic: *'Restorative Justice'*

**December 18** — Holiday Program

**December 25** — Christmas Day (*No Meeting*)

**January 1** — New Year's Day (*No Meeting*)

**January 8** — Bob Bordogna (Chairman of Todd Asset Management) *'Annual Stock Market Program'*

**January 15** — Mayor Greg Fischer *'State of the City Address' (date is tentative)*



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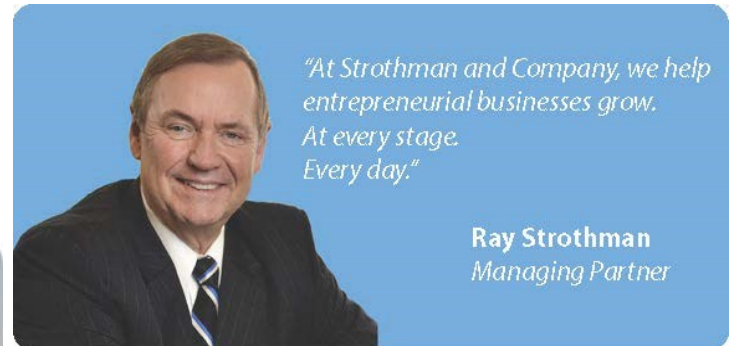
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## "THAT'S ENTERTAINMENT!"

**October 14 (Tuesday)** — **Dinner Cruise on the Belle of Cincinnati** Board at 5:30 pm \$66/person (includes tax & gratuity) cash bar. Enjoy the cruise, dinner buffet and entertainment. A parade of riverboats will be on the Ohio for the following weekend's celebration of the Belle of Louisville's 100th year! Your guests are welcome. **Make your reservation/payment today!** Sign-up link is on the Oct 14 date at our online calendar ([www.louisvillerotary.org](http://www.louisvillerotary.org)).

**December 4, 2014 (Thursday)** — **Holiday Party** at St. Charles Exchange! Prepare for a fun evening!

**January 14, 2015 (Wednesday)** — **Horseshoe Casino** \$45/person (includes tax & gratuity) 6:00 Bar / 6:30 Buffet — Free Valet — Free \$10 token for each attendee. Tour facility afterwards or hit the tables. Your guests are welcome.

**January 21, 2015 (Wednesday)** — Award-winning Musical **"ONCE"** at the Kentucky Center! Optional dinner at the Bristol before the musical. Additional details/reservations at **[THIS LINK](#)**.

**May 12, 2015 (Tuesday)** — **FUNdraiser Event** at Copper & Kings (Details to follow.)



## September 25, 2014 Rotary Meeting

On September 25, 2014, we met in the Archibald Room. President Kevin Wardell rang the bell at 12:10 p.m., and Dennis Dolan gave the Invocation. Mike Shackelford led us in the Pledge. President Kevin welcomed six Rotarians' guests, and Karen Morrison announced five birthday Rotarians.

We will meet in the Fountain Room on October 2. Rotary District Governor Jayne Crisp will speak. President Kevin thanked the volunteers led by Rick Harned who worked the Worldfest booth, and those who joined UPS in a Repair Affair project to build a handicap ramp for a multi-generational family from Sierra Leone. Mike Fallot led, with Niels Ewing, Robert Chatham, Alex Novak, Joe Spieden, Kevin Lynch, Robert English, and Rick Harned also participating. Dick Brien said today is the last day to sign up to give an hour to the Middle School Connection. Cliff Elgin reminded us of Saturday's Louisville-Wake Forest tailgating event.



**President-elect Greg Braun,  
Neville Blakemore and President Kevin Wardell**

Tracy Holladay introduced our three newest members: Deborah Dietzler, Executive Director of the Louisville Alumni Association and previously a member of the Athens, GA Rotary Club, and Amy Luttrell, President and CEO of Goodwill Industries, previously of the Dayton, OH Rotary Club, and Dan Mason, owner of The Daniel Mason Agency and Mason-Nordgauer Ventures. John Hampton, Club Treasurer, gave the budget report in 'David Letterman Top-Ten' style with the following highlights: The previous Treasurer's books were clean; our accounts are reconciled; members' credit cards can be charged automatically for payments; members still can pay dues on-line; the latest audit is done; we are budgeting a \$30,000 profit for the current year; we ran profits the previous two years; we have \$177,000 in cash and reserves of \$205,000; and the Board voted for no dues increase this year.

President-Elect Greg Braun introduced Neville Blakemore, who told us of the upcoming Centennial Festival of Riverboats. Briefly, its organizers and many sponsors have concocted a glorious celebration of the Belle of Louisville's 100<sup>th</sup> birthday on 10/18/2014. Over six days, 16 riverboats (!) will sail 175 cruises, including a boat parade not seen since WWI. We expect 200,000 visitors, sales of 45,000 tickets, and a tremendous variety of events. 3,000 students will study riverboat history, math, science, and geology. An economic impact of \$5-6 million is forecast. Led by Mike Shackelford, we closed by saying the Four-Way Test. - Stan Whetzel

### *In case you missed the last two meetings, the following New Members were introduced ...*



**Deborah Dietzler**  
Executive Director – UofL  
Alumni Association

- Member since Aug. 2014
- Husband, Peter Anderson
- Rotarian of Athens Georgia Rotary Club 2006-2014
- Served on Jr. League and Habitat Boards in Athens
- Recipient of Workhorse Award and Youth Leadership Service Award



**Todd A. Lanham**  
**CIC, CRM**  
Commercial Account  
Executive at USI  
Insurance Services LLC

- Member since 2012
- Sustaining Member
- Married to Stephanie
- Other community affiliations include Leadership Louisville, Young Professionals Association of Louisville, Association for Corporate Growth and GLI



**Amy Luttrell**  
President & CEO of  
Goodwill Industries of KY

- Member since August 2014
- Previous Rotarian of Dayton Club; belonged to two Rotary Clubs for total of 19 years
- Served on Chamber as well as other boards and community committees
- Multiple Paul Harris Fellow



**Daniel C. Mason**  
Owner, Daniel C. Mason Agency,  
Mason-Nordgauer Ventures

- John, Partner for 23 years
- One daughter, Nicole
- Avid traveler
- Co-founded Old Louisville Springfest
- Led project for Toonerville Trolley Park restoration



**Jean West Losavio**  
Host / Producer  
Faceswest Productions

- Member since Aug 2014
- Married to Michael
- Affiliations: Kosair Charities Advisory Council, Bingham Clinic Board, Spalding University Board
- "I will devote my energy, creativity, access to media and public persona for the benefit of Rotary."

*If you haven't done so already, be sure to introduce yourself the next time you see them at a meeting, and invite them to join your table.*

*Also, remember to invite prospective members to attend a 'What is Rotary?' session. These are offered at 11:15 am in the Rotary office conference room every 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month AND also after every Rotary meeting at a table in the back of the room. Look for the 'What is Rotary?' sign!*

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