

**YEARS OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE**

Bill Yount .....	62 Years
Frank Sower .....	61 Years
Len Shirrell .....	55 Years
Charlie Hinds.....	48 Years
Ed Davis .....	44 Years
Barry K. Holder .....	35 Years
Duane Ellis .....	33 Years
Jim Smith .....	32 Years
Terry Shockley.....	27 Years
Bill Miller.....	27 Years
Dean Sorg .....	26 Years
Sherrill Smith.....	26 Years
Ed Dance .....	24 Years
Barry K. Holder, Jr.....	24 Years
Jim Graves .....	23 Years
Joe Russell Johnson.....	23 Years
Jim Richardson .....	22 Years
Gus Ridgel .....	22 Years
Lee Troutwine.....	22 Years
Ed Speer .....	21 Years
Bob Bullock .....	21 Years
John Palmore .....	18 Years
Steve Dooley.....	18 Years
Rene Siria .....	17 Years
John Chenault.....	16 Years
Clay Hulette.....	15 Years
David Weller.....	15 Years
Polly Green .....	14 Years
John Loyd.....	13 Years
Nancy Edwards .....	13 Years
Pat Badgett .....	13 Years
Don Dykman .....	13 Years
Ted Collins.....	12 Years
Wallace Kent.....	11 Years
Bob Johnston .....	11 Years
RB Brown .....	10 Years
Gregory Fuchs .....	10 Years
Ron Christopher.....	10 Years
Dennis VanHorn.....	10 Years
Richard Taylor .....	8 Years
Richard Boyer .....	8 Years
Christine Richards.....	7 Years
Tom Braun.....	7 Years
Richard Watkins .....	6 Years
John Sower .....	5 Years
Bobbye Brown.....	5 Years
Arthur Kelly.....	5 Years
Sallie Lanham .....	3 Years
Joyce Honaker .....	3 Years
Ed Hatchett, Jr. ....	2 Years
Michael Linn.....	2 Years
Carol Palmore .....	2 Years
Orman Wright.....	2 Years
Sarah Gowins.....	1 Year
James Shepherd.....	1 Year
Jim Wolcott.....	1 Year

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**NEIGHBORING CLUBS**

<b>Monday:</b>	Eminence-Henry County Public Library .....	12:00 noon
	Owenton-Smith House .....	12:10 p.m.
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Lexington Sunshine-LaFayette Club .....	7:00 a.m.
	Georgetown-G'town College Ldshp Trn Cnt. ....	12:00 noon
	Shelbyville-Centenary United Meth.....	12:00 noon
	Versailles- At the Hospital .....	12:00 noon
<b>Thursday:</b>	Lawrenceburg-Anderson Public Library.....	12:00 noon
	Lexington-Fasig Tipton.....	12:00 noon
	Louisville-Galt House .....	12:10 p.m.
<b>Friday:</b>	Capital Sunrise-Capital Plaza Hotel .....	7:00 a.m.

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***Next Week's Program...***

**Joel Schrader** is an editor of Capital Living publication. Formerly, Joel was Senior Duty Officer at the 24-Hour Operation Center for the Central Intelligence Agency. He managed an 11-person team responsible for providing all-source information on national security matters to the Director of the Central Intelligence Agency. Joel was the Senior Duty Officer, CIA Representative in the White House Situation Room, National Security Council in Washington, DC from January 1998 to March 2000. There he managed a 4-person team responsible for preparing summaries of world events for the President, Vice-President, and National Security Council; briefed top White House and NSC officials including National Security Advisor and Vice President on breaking foreign events; coordinated the President's calls to other world leaders and acted as note-taker. Also at the Central Intelligence Agency in Langley, he was an Analyst on Europe from August 1991 to December 1995. Duties included generating and researching timely articles, reports, and tasking on European leaders and other national security matters; initiating and organizing Intelligence Community confer-

ence on Spanish issues. He was awarded an Exceptional Performance Award. Associations include: Leadership Frankfort, Frankfort Area Chamber of Commerce and the Bridgeport Ruritan Club.

Opening Exercise.....Sallie Lanham Greeter .....Betty Creek

**Make-ups for Oct. 1**

Ron Christopher	Sherrill Smith
Betty Creek	Dean Sorg
Ed Dance	Kelli Sorg
Steve Dooley	John Sower
William Elam	Bill Webb
Arthur Kelly	Tyler West

**Attendance Percentage: 73%**

**Make-ups Needed for Oct. 8**

Larry Arnett	Marcie Jeffreys
John Avent	William Legg
Pat Badgett	Phyllis Liebman
Joshua Brand	Michael Linn
Chris Broaddus	Ann Maenza
Ron Bryant	Jonathan Mangin
Ron Christopher	John Norfleet
David Cobb	Chris Olds
Ted Collins	Wayne Onkst
Charles Dickinson	Josian Passalacqua
Bryan Dill	Chip Peal
William Elam	Mary Poling
Gary Forman	John Shasky
Gregory Fuchs	Phillip Shepherd
James Hale	Dean Sorg
Sarah Hall	Kelli Sorg
Martin Hall	Dennis VanHorn
Holly Harris	Michael Vaughan
Christina Harrison	Kent Whitworth
Clay Hulette	

**This Week's Speaker...**

Rich Crowe, Superintendent of the Frankfort Independent School District, described what the Frankfort Independent Schools (FIS) are



**Superintendent of the Frankfort Independent Schools and today's speaker Rich Crowe.**

and what they do. He related a story of action by Polish POW's that resulted in saving the lives of a British bomber crew in WWII, illustrating the saying that "the power of goodness is found in the tiny." In closing remarks, he urged Rotarians to volunteer to be mentors or tutors in the public schools. Just the tiny amount of one hour a week spent with a child can make a real difference in that child's life. The FIS have three distinct buildings. Wilkinson Street, operated cooperatively with the Franklin County Schools and the Dept. of Juvenile Justice, serves 50 students in grades 6-12. Second Street School serves children from the age of 6 weeks to 6th grade. Its "itty bitty prep" program provides care for the youngest children and other services as they become able to participate. About 30 children are in the preschool for 3- and 4-year-olds. There is a full-day kindergarten (only a half-day is paid by the state), followed by grades 1 to 6. The school practices "looping," by which the 1st graders have the same teacher in the 2nd grade and the same occurs with 3rd and 4th and 5th and 6th grades. Frankfort High School has new facilities and now includes the 7th and 8th graders, who were formerly at Second Street. The school administrators are trying to make the 7th through 12th graders more bonded. They use the name "Frankfort" for the entire school and have adopted the slogan "We are Frankfort." Frankfort also has an aviation program and an active alumni association. The Frankfort Independent Schools Education Foundation (FISEF) helps raise funds for the schools. Most of the school administrators are new this year. For 13 years, FIS has used an alternative calendar, which provides periodic breaks during the year. It has helped raise test scores. FIS is no

longer in financial instability or on the state's watch list. Mr. Crowe concluded that education is one of the major solutions to the financial crises and other problems facing our city, state, nation and the world. In response to questions, former Frankfort guidance counselor Joretta Crowe said that 80% of the school's graduates go on to two- or four-year colleges. A bill was introduced in the 2008 General Assembly to provide additional funding for school districts like Frankfort, heavily impacted by tax-exempt state or federal property. It did not pass and is unlikely to do so in the state's current financial situation. A Franklin County student who wants to attend an FIS school must pay tuition of \$1,750. By agreement, the city district can only receive ADA funding for 136 county transfer students. The Club donated the book Kentucky in Pictures to Bridgeport School in our speaker's honor.

**Visitors and Guests**

Polly Jo Green's guest was Derrick Graham; Joe Johnson's guests were Cheryl Johnson and Joretta Crowe; Bob Bullock's guest was Phil Huddleton; Richard Boyer's guest was David VenAtter.



**Rotarians Joe Johnson and Don Dykman deliver the UNICEF boxes to Capital Day School Admissions Officer Lindsay Barnes and to fourth-grade students Madeleine Stulz and Tony Stone.**