



From left are
 Joe Johnson,
 Dr. Michael Hail
 of Crestwood
 Baptist Church,
 Governor Beshear,
 and Barry Holder,
 Sr.

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The Rotary Club of Frankfort Meets Every
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 From 11:45 a.m. Until 1:00 p.m.

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NEIGHBORING CLUBS

Monday:	Eminence-Henry County Public Library	12:00 noon
	Owenton-Smith House	12:10 p.m.
Tuesday:	Lexington Sunshine-LaFayette Club	7:00 a.m.
	Georgetown-Golden Corral	12:00 noon
	Shelbyville-Centenary United Meth.....	12:00 noon
	Versailles-At the Hospital	12:00 noon
Thursday:	Lawrenceburg-Anderson Public Library	12:00 noon
	Lexington-Fasig Tipton.....	12:00 noon
	Louisville-Galt House	12:10 p.m.

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Next Week's Speaker...

Ralph Tharp, the new Economic Development Director for the community

Opening Exercise..... Charles Geveden
Greeter John Avent

Make-ups For Jan. 19

Terry Shockley John Sower

Attendance Percentage: 71%

Make-ups Needed for Jan. 26

Larry Arnett	Jason Middleton
Michael Ball	John Norfleet
RB Brown	Chris Olds
Andrew Calvert	Wayne Onkst
David Cobb	Laura Owens
Betty Creek	Carol Palmore
Bruce Dungan	John Palmore
William Elam	Tim Rose
Gregory Fuchs	John Sower
Jim Graves	Steve Tobin
Christina Harrison	William Webb
Lloyd Hillard	Presley Winner
John Loyd	Patty Wolf
Larry Luebbers	



Governor Beshear stands with President Nancy.

This Week's Speaker...

The speaker for the day was Governor Steve Beshear. He spoke about HB 225, which raises the dropout age from 16 to 18. It will be phased in over five years so as to allow the Department of Education to develop alternative programs for different students, depending on their aptitudes and interests in life. 6,000 young people drop out of high school each year, which means more of them will end up in prison and on welfare. This bill enjoys bipartisan support in the House and Senate. Turning to the economy, he stated that these past three years have been tough and he was told on his first day on the job that \$340 million would have to be cut from the budget. Although the economy is recovering and revenues are going up, nevertheless, some \$1 billion has been cut. Education and public safety were the last to feel the ax and no teachers have been laid off here unlike some other states. Turning to the subject of jobs, his administration has implemented economic incentives and in 2009, incentives were offered to some 223 existing businesses in Kentucky. Therefore, not only are we attempting to lure businesses to Kentucky but also he is trying to help existing Kentucky businesses thrive and hire additional employees. Toward that end, he has implemented the Kentucky Export Initiative, which identifies new markets to get Kentucky businesses involved more in the export business. Also the Kentucky Investment Small Business Credit

is available to small employers who have less than 15 employees. As a result, Forbes magazine has Kentucky moving up 12 spots and the National Tax Foundation ranks Kentucky 19th in the nation in being an attractive investment opportunity.

Welcome New Member !!

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Tyler's West's son Kyle was his guest today.



Barry K. Holder, Jr. had as his guest his daughter Lauren.



From left are James Clay Thompson, grandson of Sallie Lanham, Sallie and her guest Ralph Tharp.



At left, greeter Tom Utterback assists Brenda Rice in signing up Rotarians for the International Dinner to be held on February 24.

Sara Callaway and her guest Paula Miller are working for the General Assembly for the 2011 session.

