

# THE Frankfortarian

## ROTARY CLUB OF FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY

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**February 6, 2002**

*Next Week in Rotary...*

### DAVID SPENARD TO PRESENT ROTARY PROGRAM FEB. 13

Keeping with the international theme for this Rotary Month, the February 13 program will be on the 2001 Group Study Exchange team visit to Chennai, Tamil Nadu in extreme southeast India. The program will be introduced by Greg Fuchs, district 6710's GSE chair. Bill Miller is program chair for February.

David Spenard, an assistant attorney general in the Office of the Attorney General's Public Service Litigation Branch will present the program. David, a father of two, is a native of Madisonville but lives in Louisville and is a graduate of the University of Louisville law school.

### Special Thanks!

A special thanks go to Dean Sorg for picking up and delivering the video equipment and for serving as camera man today. Without Dean's assistant the Speech Contest wouldn't be televised.

### Assistant District Governor

We were honored to have Chuck Cicchella, ADG with us today for our meeting.

Opening Exercise . . . . . Beth Johnson  
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### Make-Ups for Jan. 30

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### Junior Achievement Classes Scheduled For Spring Semester

Vocational Service Director Tom Fugate reported Wednesday on several current projects now being sponsored by vocational service committees. One of the areas getting underway in vocational service is the Junior Achievement program, which is being chaired by Rotarian Terry Barnes. Already organized are 11 classes set to get started at Franklin County High this spring. Another seven classes have been scheduled at Frankfort High School, all arranged under the JA program.

### \*\*\*\*\*Rotary Pin\*\*\*\*\*

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### This Week's Program: Speech Contestants



Speech Contestants - Becky Schneider & Colin Overstreet

The district speech contest began this week with the Rotary International Theme of "Mankind is Our Business". The Frankfort club had two entries this year, Colin Overstreet from Franklin County High School, and Becky Schneider of Frankfort High. Both students presented outstanding speeches, making the winning decision a difficult one for the judges. We are pleased to announce that Becky Schneider is the winner of this year's club competition. Becky will go on to compete in the area competition on March 7. Although there can be only one contestant to advance, both Becky and Colin are winners. Again, we congratulate Becky, and wish her luck in future competition.

Special thanks to Chuck Ellestad and Jim Wallace, who co-chaired the Speech Contest, and for all that helped as judges and timers.

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### Scholarship Applicants Sought

The Frankfort Rotary club seeks applicants for the highly regarded Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholarship. Up to four individuals will be awarded scholarships worth up to \$25,000 each that include travel expenses for 9 months of study outside the United States during the 2003-2004 academic year. Several may be nominated from each club.

Application forms do describe several scholarship choices. This District Rotary Foundation Committee is offering only the more popular "Academic-Year Ambassadorial Scholarship."

Outstanding applicants need make contact with Dean Sorg or any Rotarian immediately for more specific additional details, requirements and application forms.

Rotarians and their families are not eligible. Applicants must complete two years of college course work prior to 2003 (or have a secondary school education with two years employment).

More information at [www.Rotary.org](http://www.Rotary.org), "The Rotary Foundation," "Ambassadorial Scholarships," visit Frankfort Rotary local club web site at [www.frankfort-rotary.org](http://www.frankfort-rotary.org), or contact Dean Sorg at [DeanSorg@sorg.org](mailto:DeanSorg@sorg.org) PO Box 1490, Frankfort, KY 40602-1490.

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**“Rotary Club’s Sister City Program:  
An Update on San Pedro”**

About seven years ago, the Frankfort Rotary Club was instrumental in starting the Frankfort Sister Cities Program relationship with San Pedro de Macoris in the Dominican Republic. Several Rotarians were part of the delegation that recently visited our Sister City from Feb. 6-12. Various members of the delegation will discuss highlights of their trip and identify some of their most unique experiences.

In 1956, President Dwight David Eisenhower began the Sister Cities Program to promote a people-to-people exchange, which was designed to reduce international tension and promote friendlier relations, enhance world peace and understanding, and provide economic and cultural opportunities. There are 16 cities in Kentucky that have a Sister City Program.

**Happy Birthday**

Happy Birthday to John Callway, Tony Charters, Granville Coblin, William Elam, Shirrell Smith and Dave Weller, who will celebrate their birthdays in February 2002.

Opening Exercise . . . . . Chris Young  
Greeters . . . . . Bill Leroy & Jim Smith

**Make-ups for Feb. 6**

Ed Dance	Frank Sower
Charles Dickinson	Ron Tyrer
Ed Hatchett, Jr.	Pete Walsh
Bill Leroy	David Whitcomb
George Reid	

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Amy Carman	George Reid
John Chenault	Joe Rudder
Ed Dance	Perry Ryan
Sara Dent	Joe Scuro
Chuck Ellestad	George Seay
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**This Week’s Speaker...**

The speaker for the day was David Spenard, who is an Assistant Attorney General. He spoke about his January trip to the province of Madras in Southeast India, as a member of the Group Study Exchange. The major challenges facing India involve population and transportation. They are thinking in terms of smaller families today. David visited blood banks and polio immunization clinics. He also visited settlement houses with no running water. Rotary is building good housing in India today. He also went to the Madras High Court. English is the official language of government and the courts, but since only 10 percent of the population speaks English, there is no jury system due to the language barrier. Thank you David for this very interesting program and Greg Fuchs who arranged the program.

**Welcome, New Members!**



**From left: Len Shirrell, Jim Shepherd, Phillip Shepherd and Frank Dailey.**

Name: James “Jim” Shepherd  
Address: 1043 Cherokee Trl., Frankfort, KY 40601  
Wife: Rosalie  
Hm: 695-0623  
e-mail: rosalie.shepherd@web tv.net  
Classification: Religion - Protestant

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Hm: 223-0981  
Wk: 227-1122  
e-mail: shepherd@mis.net  
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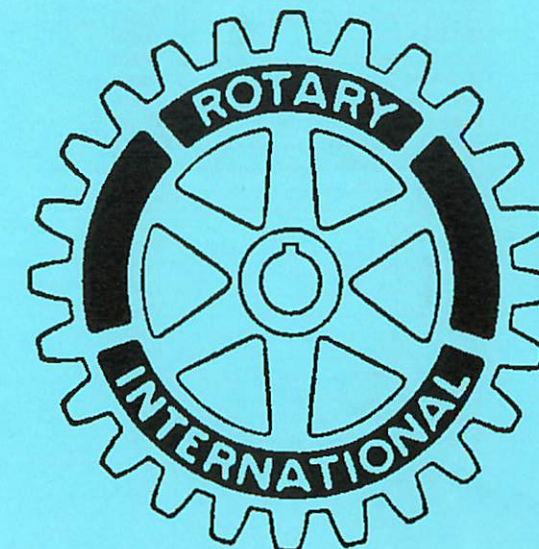
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### Frankfort Rotary Club's Fifth International Dinner

The Club will sponsor the Fifth International Dinner which will feature Bill Samuels, CEO of Makers Mark Distillery, who will regale us with his humorous stories and discuss "Going Global Can Be Fun, Funny and Profitable." Mr. Samuels is a renowned speaker who is known for both his wit and ability to hold an audience's attention. Entertainment, fun and fellowship will be enjoyed by all. The dinner will be Thursday, Feb. 28. The Cash Bar opens at 6:15 p.m., the dinner is at 7 p.m., and the program runs from 7:30-8:30 p.m. Dinner is \$20.00 per person and the program will be held at the Frankfort Country Club. For more information, contact Charlie Hinds at 223-7260

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### Congratulations!

Congratulations to the following Rotarians who received their Perfect Attendance Pins for February 2002: Bill Yount, 56 years; Hub Perdew, 42 years; Sherrill Smith, 20 years; Chuck Ellestad, seven years; and Bobbye Brown, one year.

### This Week's Program

This week's program was highlighted by experiences from the delegation that recently visited San Pedro de Macoris, our sister City in the Dominican Republic. The Frankfort Rotary Club had fourteen delegates make the trip from February 6 through 12. Lee Troutwine, the delegation leader, stated that the trip was well planned and very educational for all.

The Sister Cities Program was started in 1956 by President Dwight D. Eisenhower to promote a people-to-people exchange. The purpose of the program is for a community of any size to join with a community in another nation to learn about one another, and to develop friendly, meaningful exchanges in many areas.

We want to thank this month's Program chair Bill Miller, as well as all the delegates, for an enlightening program.



Part of the team to the Dominican Republic were (l-r) George Reid, Charles Hinds, Lee Troutwine, Bill Miller, with Pres. Terry Shockley.



Bill Miller presenting club banner to Pres. Terry. Banner was from the Dominican Republic.

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### Next Week in Rotary...



It fits perfectly that **Governor Paul Patton's** chosen field as a young man bound for college was mechanical engineering. He's been building strong foundations and organizations in all areas of his career - be it as a success in the coal business or in public service - ever since he started. His determination, leadership and profound sense of teamwork have brought results to every area of his life. He has said that for him, "United We Stand, Divided We Fall" is more than a state motto - it has been a way of life.

Paul Patton is unabashed when he pays tribute to the role his family and his home near Louisa have played in his life and career. He is proud of his heritage and says there aren't many places on earth that can leave an impact on one's values like Eastern Kentucky. "I know of no place with greater extremes - physical and human - or greater pride and strength." He credits the freedom that he and his sisters enjoyed on their small farm in Fallsburg

in Lawrence County for the sense of independence, self-confidence and originality that defines Kentucky's 59th Governor today. "Louisa is 'my roots.' It's where my parents, Irene and Ward Patton and their parents, gave me a sense of ethics and strong values."

Governor Patton graduated from Louisa High School in 1955. Because his father, a teacher, knew first-hand the value of education and saved every month for his son's education, Paul attended the University of Kentucky. It was there that he began preparing for his successful career in business and government, graduating in 1959. He then accepted an offer to work as a laborer in a coal mine in McDowell in Floyd County where he learned everything he could about the coal business. That determination led to establishing his own coal company which he ran until 1979.

The coal business provided Paul Patton and others in the region work when there weren't many other options in Eastern Kentucky. But he saw too many neighbors and friends leave the mountains to find work elsewhere and he was determined to find a way to change that migration from Eastern Kentucky. After 20 years of working and running his own company, he looked to public service, joining the administration of John Y. Brown Jr. in 1979 as deputy transportation secretary. During this time he also served as chairman of the Democratic Party of Kentucky. He ran for office himself in 1981 and won the race for Pike County Judge-Executive.

While serving the citizens of Pike County, Paul Patton brought much needed infrastructure to that region of Kentucky and provided a style of progressive leadership that earned him accolades as the best county judge in the Commonwealth. He championed the effort to stabilize the Coal Severance Tax Program, which continues to increase the amount of severance tax that is returned to coal producing counties. Other counties worked to emulate the results that his style of leadership brought to his Eastern Kentucky county.

"We knew that a better future for our citizens could begin right here and that we had to work

together to make the future a reality. We had to, as always, depend on our own creativity and perseverance. We built new roads, water lines, sewers and built a whole new system for training and educating our work force. What I learned as a miner starting out held true: if we don't work together, we don't work. It remains my philosophy today."

In 1991, Paul Patton won his first statewide race for the office of Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and became the first person elected to that office to also head a state cabinet. In his capacity as Secretary of the Cabinet for Economic Development, Patton continued his work to bring jobs to Kentucky. Economic development legislation Governor Patton wrote and helped pass in 1992 was modeled on his 1987 proposal to provide incentive programs to counties with consistently high unemployment rates.

Opening Exercise . . . . . Monte Chance  
Greeters . . . . . John Loyd & Sallie Lanham

### Make-ups for Feb. 20

Ed Dance	Ethel McCray
Steve Dooley	Frank Sower
Polly Green	David Weller
John Loyd	

Attendance Percentage: 83.90%

### Rotary Board Action Feb. 25, 2002

Attending: Terry Shockley, Ron Christopher, Bobbye Brown, Pete Walsh, Tom Fugate, Ruth Leathers, Bill Miller and Paula Rarden.

\* Approved the minutes of the Jan. 2002 Board of Directors meeting.

\* Approved the Treasurer's Report dated Jan. 2002 by Pete Walsh.

\* Attendance report given by Pete Walsh.

\* Approved leave-of-absence for Gary Scott from Feb. 3, 2002 until June 30, 2002.

\* Approved leave-of-absence for Sara Dent from Jan. 1, 2002 until May 31, 2002.

\* Membership report given by Ron Christopher.

\* Community Service report given by Bobbye Brown.

\* Approved the support of Frankfort Rotary Club for Junior Achievement Advisory Committee. They will be asking for volunteers to help with a Junior Achievement Skate-A-Thon to raise money for the Junior Achievement.

\* Approved \$2000 for the Well Project Matching Grant Fund the San Pedro de Macoris in the Dominican Republic. \$2000 will as be put up by Rotary Club of San Pedro de Macoris and \$4000 from RI foundation to fund the project.

\* Vocational Service report given by Tom Fugate.

\* Approved the attendance of any Official Rotary Training to count as a make-up. This includes New Member Orientation meetings.

\* Scheduled next board meeting for March 18, 2002.

### Frankfort Global Connection...

On Channel 10 March 5, at 7:00 p.m. and March 6, 2002 at 9:00 a.m. Bill Miller will be interview Ira Grouper and Ibrahim Imam. Their topic is "Violence In the Middle East".

On Channel 10 March 12, at 7:00 p.m. and March 13, at 9:00 a.m. Bill Miller will interview President Terry Shockley and District Governor Elect Roger Newell.

### Calendar of Important Dates and Events

(Committee Chairs should notify Paula Rarden of upcoming meetings)

Frankfort Rotary Shadowing Program will be Wednesday, March 6, 2002.

Rotary Area Speech Contest will be March 7, 2002 at 6:30 p.m., Capital City Rotary.

PETS/SETS March 15th & 16th, 2002

Multi District Conference will be held at the Marriott Inn in Lexington May 17-19, 2002.

Rotary Day at the UN will be November 9, 2002. Contact Bill Miller.

**YEARS OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE**

Bill Yount .....	56 Years
Frank Sower.....	55 Years
Asa Tipton .....	48 Years
Len Shirrell .....	48 Years
Ed Davis.....	44 Years
Hub Perdew .....	42 Years
Charlie Hinds .....	40 Years
Barry K. Holder .....	28 Years
Jim Smith.....	28 Years
Duane Ellis.....	27 Years
Terry Shockley .....	21 Years
Bill Miller.....	21 Years
Sherrill Smith .....	20 Years
Dean Sorg .....	19 Years
Ed Dance .....	19 Years
Barry K. Holder, Jr.....	17 Years
Jim Graves.....	17 Years
John Chenault .....	16 Years
Joe Russell Johnson .....	16 Years
Gus Ridgel .....	16 Years
Ed Speer .....	16 Years
Lee Troutwine.....	16 Years
Bob Bullock .....	15 Years
Jim Richardson .....	15 Years
Roger Coomes.....	14 Years
John Loyd.....	13 Years
John Palmore.....	13 Years
Ted Collins .....	12 Years
Ethel McCray .....	12 Years
Wallace Kent .....	11 Years
Ron Tyrer .....	11 Years
Steve Dooley .....	11 Years
RB Brown .....	10 Years
Rene Siria .....	10 Years
Gregory Fuchs .....	9 Years
Clay Hulette .....	8 Years
Bill Leroy .....	8 Years
Polly Green .....	8 Years
Don Armstrong .....	8 Years
Richard Taylor .....	8 Years
Nancy Edwards .....	8 Years
David Weller.....	7 Years
Tom Cockley.....	7 Years
Chuck Ellestad .....	7 Years
Bob Johnston .....	6 Years
Pat Badgett .....	6 Years
John Sower .....	5 Years
Granville Coblin .....	5 Years
Don Dykman .....	5 Years
Ruth Leathers.....	5 Years
Ron Christopher.....	4 Years
Dennis VanHorn.....	4 Years
Tom Utterback .....	3 Years
Bill Wingfield.....	2 Years
Gary Scott .....	2 Years
Frank Dailey.....	2 Years
Ann Wingrove.....	2 Years
Ed Hatchett, Jr. ....	2 Years
Jose Bollar .....	2 Years
Perry Ryan .....	1 Year
Tom Colten .....	1 Year
Sarah Gowins.....	1 Year
Lisa Fugitt.....	1 Year
Richard Boyer .....	1 Year
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