

YEARS OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Charlie Hinds.....	48 Years
Barry K. Holder	39 Years
Duane Ellis	37 Years
Terry Shockley.....	31 Years
Bill Miller.....	30 Years
Sherrill Smith.....	30 Years
Ed Dance	29 Years
Barry K. Holder, Jr.....	27 Years
Jim Graves	26 Years
Joe Russell Johnson.....	26 Years
Jim Richardson	26 Years
Lee Troutwine.....	25 Years
Bob Bullock	24 Years
John Palmore.....	23 Years
Steve Dooley.....	19 Years
David Weller.....	19 Years
Clay Hulette.....	19 Years
Polly Green	18 Years
Nancy Edwards.....	18 Years
Pat Badgett	16 Years
Don Dykman	16 Years
Dennis VanHorn	14 Years
Ron Christopher.....	14 Years
John Loyd.....	13 Years
Ted Collins.....	12 Years
Bob Johnston	12 Years
Richard Boyer	12 Years
Wallace Kent	11 Years
Tom Braun.....	11 Years
RB Brown.....	10 Years
Gregory Fuchs	10 Years
Richard Watkins	10 Years
Richard Taylor	8 Years
Arthur Kelly.....	8 Years
John Sower.....	5 Years
Joyce Honaker	5 Years
Orman Wright.....	5 Years
Carol Palmore	4 Years
Tom Utterback.....	4 Years
Sallie Lanham	3 Years
Presley Winner.....	2 Years
Brenda Rice	2 Years
James Shepherd.....	1 Year
Jim Wolcott.....	1 Year
William Webb	1 Year
John Avent	1 Year
Christina Harrison	1 Year
Dudley Ellis	1 Year
Don Dampier.....	1 Year
CHarlie Geveden.....	1 Year

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**The Rotary Club of Frankfort Meets Every
Wednesday at the Capital Plaza Hotel
From 11:45 a.m. Until 1:00 p.m.**

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<http://www.frankfort-rotary.org>
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<http://www.rotarydistrict6710.org>
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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...

Our club will have its yearly Club Assembly. The new Directors and Officers will be giving reports on their plans for the new Rotary year.

Make-ups for June 27

Richard Boyer Dennis VanHorn
Sherrill Smith

Attendance Percentage: 74%

Attendance Pin Awarded

Congratulations to Charlie Geveden, who received his one-year Perfect Attendance pin.

Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday to fellow Rotarians Nathaniel Bebe, Nancy Edwards, Harold Ellis, William Legg, Ann Maenza, Wayne Onkst and William Webb, who celebrate their birthday in July.

New Member Orientation

The club will have an orientation for new members on July 18 and July 25. This orientation will be held in the glass room at the hotel. Members will go through the regular buffet line and then proceed to the glass room. The orientation will run from noon to 1:00 p.m. Any questions about the orientation should be directed to membership director Tom Utterback at 695-6008 or e-mail tom@utterback.net.

Meet the R.I. President

from www.rotary.org

Incoming Rotary International president **Sakuji Tanaka** is the former chair of the Daika Company and former president of the National Household Papers Distribution Association of Japan. He also has been vice president of the Yashio City Chamber of Commerce.



A member of the Rotary Club of Yashio since its charter in 1975, Tanaka has served RI as a director, Rotary Foundation trustee, chair of the 2009 Birmingham Convention Committee, member of the Polio Eradication Advocacy Task Force and Future Vision Committee, and regional Rotary Foundation coordinator, district governor, and training leader. Working with his district, he helped to construct a school building in Bangladesh.

Tanaka has received the RI Service Above Self Award and the Foundation's Citation for Meritorious Service and Distinguished Service Award. He and his wife, Kyoko, are Paul Harris Fellows, Benefactors of the Permanent Fund, Major Donors, and members of the Arch C. Klumph Society. In addition, Tanaka has established an endowed Rotary Peace Fellowship.

He and Kyoko have been married since 1963 and have three children and six grandchildren.



Historic Moments: Why the Rotary year begins 1 July

*By Susan Hanf and Jason Lamb
from www.rotary.org*

Ever wonder why the Rotary year begins 1 July? The international convention initially played a key role in determining the start date of our fiscal and administrative year.

Rotary's first fiscal year began the day after the first convention ended, on 18 August 1910. The 1911-12 fiscal year also related to the convention, beginning with the first day of the 1911 convention on 21 August.

At its August 1912 meeting, the Board of Directors ordered an audit of the International Association of Rotary Clubs' finances. The auditors recommended that the organization end its fiscal year on 30 June to give the secretary and treasurer time to prepare a financial statement for the convention and board, and determine the proper number of club delegates to the convention.

The executive committee concurred, and at its April 1913 meeting, designated 30 June as the end of the fiscal year. This also allowed for changes to the schedule for reporting club

membership and payments. Even The Rotarian changed its volume numbering system to correspond to the fiscal year (beginning with vol. 5, July 1914).

Rotary continued to hold its annual conventions in July or August until 1917. Delegates to the 1916 event in Cincinnati, Ohio approved a resolution to hold future conventions in June, mainly because of the heat in cities where most of them occurred. The next one was held 17-21 June in Atlanta, Georgia.

The term "Rotary year" has been used to signify Rotary's annual administrative period since at least 1913. An article in The Rotarian that July noted, "The Rotary year that is rapidly drawing to a close has been signaled by several highly successful joint meetings of Clubs that are so situated as to assemble together easily and conveniently."

Since the executive committee's decision in 1913, the end of the Rotary year has remained 30 June.



During a reunion, the earliest members of the first Rotary club share a meal at Mickelberry's Restaurant near Paul Harris's home in Chicago, Illinois. From left: Silvester Schiele, Montague "Monty" Bear, Harry L. Ruggles, Harris, Bernard E. "Barney" Arntzen, Rufus F. "Rough-House" Chapin, and Robert Fletcher. Appeared in "The Rotarian," February 1943, p. 21.