

# THE Frankfortarian

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**ROTARY CLUB OF FRANKFORT**

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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 Sunrise-Shriners Hospital .....	7:00 a.m.
	Georgetown-Central Bank (Downtown).....	12:00 noon
	Shelbyville-Centenary United Methodist....	12:00 noon
<b>Thursday:</b>	L'burg-Anderson Co. Extension Ofc. 127 So.	12:00 noon
	Lexington-Fasig Tipton.....	12:00 noon
	Louisville-Galt House .....	12:10 p.m.

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

**Frankfort Rotary Club website:  
<http://www.frankfort-rotary.org>  
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<http://www.rotarydistrict6710.org>  
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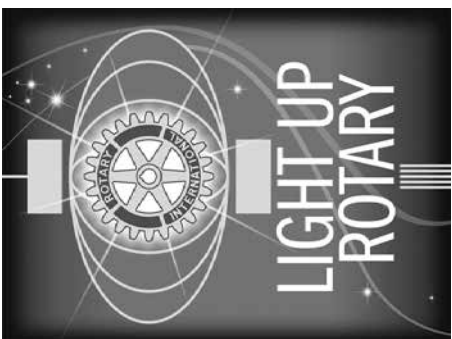
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### The Rotary Foundation Current Paul Harris Fellows

John Avent	Dan Egbers	John Loyd +1	John Sower
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***Next Week's Program...***

**John Gordon** has been an operational meteorologist for over 30 years. John retired from the U.S. Air Force after serving over 20 years. Most of his AF career was spent as a flight meteorologist for the US Air Force Reserve 53rd Squadron Hurricane Hunters based in Biloxi, MS. John flew several major hurricanes including Fran 1996, Bret 1999, Isabel 2003, Frances 2004, Ivan 2004, and Katrina 2005.



Gordon is currently Chief Meteorologist of the National Weather Service (NWS) Forecast Office in Louisville. Previously, John spun up the brand new NWS office in Huntsville, Alabama from 2002-2004. Mr. Gordon received a BS in Meteorology from St. Louis University in 1986 and a Masters in Teaching in Geoscience from Mississippi State in 2002.

Besides Huntsville, AL and Louisville, John has also worked in Oklahoma City, Germany, Jackson MS, Springfield MO and Nashville TN for both the Air Force and the National

Weather Service. John's office has worked several extreme events over the past several years including the Hurricane Ike wind storm, Super Tuesday 2008 Tornado Outbreak, March 2, 2012 tornado outbreak (Henryville, IN), record ice storm of 2009, and the August 2009 Louisville flash flood.

**Make-ups Needed for April 12**

Houston Barber	Douglas Howard
William Bowker	Carmen Inman
RB Brown	Harry Kirch
John Browning	Judy Mattingly
Mike Butler	Jonathan Mays
Rose Chisholm	Chris Olds
Ron Cristopher	John Opsata
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Mark Hampton	Tyler West
Teresa Hockensmith	Paul Yancey

**Monthly Board Meeting**

Mark your calendar for Monday, April 17 at 5 p.m. for the monthly board meeting at the Red Cross on Washington at Broadway.

**Rotary Foundation**

2017 is the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Rotary Foundation. Let's celebrate that fantastic charity by increasing our giving this Rotary year!

**RI Conference is June 10-14**

Sign-up for the Rotary International Conference scheduled for June 10-14 in Atlanta, Georgia.

**Raffle**

This week's raffle item was donated by Pat Badgett.

**Rotary Golf Scramble  
Friday, May 12  
University Club of Kentucky**

Our annual golf scramble to benefit the Frankfort Rotary Youth Fund Scholarship Program will be Friday, May 12 at the Duckers Lake Golf Club, 98 Buena Vista Drive, Frankfort, KY 40601. We need \$150 Silver hole sponsors and \$250 Gold hole sponsors. To sponsor a hole, please contact Brenda Rice at [brendavrice@hotmail.com](mailto:brendavrice@hotmail.com) or 502-695-6008 and Bill Scott at [willsco90@gmail.com](mailto:willsco90@gmail.com) or 502-395-1566. We also need golf teams to register as soon as possible. Bill Scott will coordinate the team registrations. For this scramble to be successful, we need all Rotarians to participate at some level. This is the largest fundraiser for our club and we need your help. We are also looking for sponsors. Let's all work together to make this scramble the most successful ever!

**Well Said...**

If you would be a real seeker after truth, it is necessary that at least once in your life you doubt, as far as possible, all things. *-Rene Descartes, philosopher and mathematician (31 Mar 1596-1650)*

Perhaps travel cannot prevent bigotry, but by demonstrating that all peoples cry, laugh, eat, worry, and die, it can introduce the idea that if we try and understand each other, we may even become friends. *-Maya Angelou, poet (4 Apr 1928-2014)*

The best portion of a good man's life is his little, nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and of love. *-William Wordsworth, poet (7 Apr 1770-1850)*



(Above) Kristen Cantrell introduces guest speaker Nancy Plum (below), CapCity Communications' DJ for our local Passport Radio 93.5 FM & 1490 AM.

