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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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#### 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>	Lawrenceburg-Tonya's Buffet, 101 Hilltop Dr.	12:00 noon
	Lexington-Fasig Tipton .....	12:00 noon
	Louisville-Galt House.....	12:10 p.m.

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

Frankfort native **William I. May Jr.** took office as Frankfort's mayor on Jan. 1, 2013. He served Kentucky's capital city from 1996 to 2009 but, due to a Constitutional three-term limit, was unable to run for a fourth consecutive term. He was the first mayor to succeed himself since the 1800s. Bill's topic for our program will be, "State of the City."



**Mayor  
Bill May, Jr.**

**Make-ups for June 27**

Teresa Hockensmith      Bill Scott  
Brenda Rice              Tom Utterback

**Attendance Percentage: 64%**

**Happy Birthday!**

Happy Birthday to fellow Rotarians John Browning, Annette Dupont-Ewing, Dudley Ellis, Harry Kirch and Judy Mattingly, who celebrate their birthday in July.

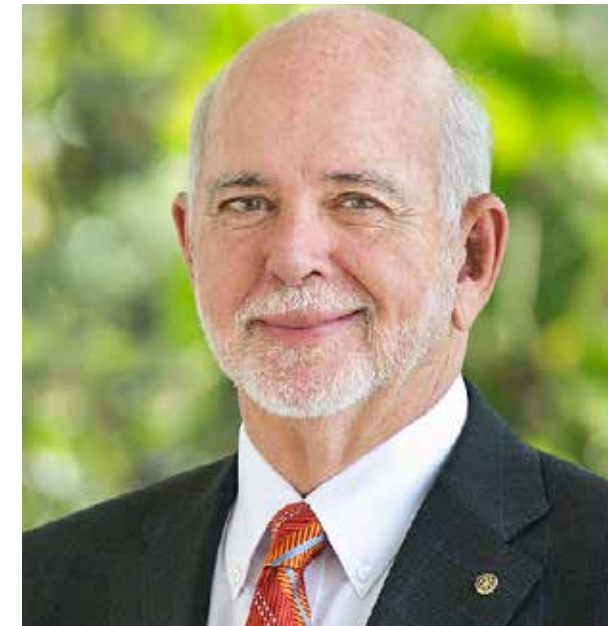
**Home Stay Families and  
Volunteers Wanted for  
Frankfort Sister Cities:  
Welcome Project**

Did you know that Shimamoto Japan is Frankfort's Sister City? A group of Second Street School students are going to Japan and will stay in Shimamoto from July 6–21. When they return, a 16-year-old boy and his 12-year-old brother will return with the group and will visit Frankfort from July 22–31. Let's welcome them with our Southern hospitality and give them a special opportunity which normal tourists never get. Please consider being a Rotary host ambassador of our Capital City for these two students. Two- and four-night stays are available. Contact John R. Sower at (502) 330-2964. Meeting people from a different culture always makes your world bigger!

**Help Area School Children**

Fellow Rotarians: Because of our strong involvement with area elementary schools, we have been asked to fill a vital need. Every year many of the children of Frankfort return to school with inappropriate or ill-fitting shoes. Flip-flops and open-toed shoes are NOT proper shoes for school and winter. Our club has pledged to provide the seven elementary schools in Frankfort and Franklin County with 350 pair of new school shoes. Each Rotarian is asked to bring in to July meetings three pairs of shoes, boys and girls youth sizes 2-5. Many parents simply cannot afford this and this is a challenge WE can and should meet. If shopping is not your thing, please give \$25 to the cause. If you were ever a teacher or you have known a teacher this is a good cause. Don't let the kids down.

*The members of the Shoes for Kids Committee are Mary Saks, Dustin Cole and Teresa Hockensmith.*



**Meet the new RI President**

**Barry Rassin**, of the Rotary Club of East Nassau in New Providence, Bahamas, is the new Rotary International President 2018-19

Rassin earned an MBA in health and hospital administration from the University of Florida, and is the first fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives in the Bahamas. He recently retired after 37 years as president of Doctors Hospital Health System and continues as an adviser. He is a lifetime member of the American Hospital Association and has served on several boards, including the Quality Council of the Bahamas, Health Education Council, and Employer's Confederation.

A Rotarian since 1980, Rassin has served Rotary as director and is vice chair of The Rotary Foundation Board of Trustees. He was an RI training leader and the aide to 2015-16 RI President K.R. Ravindran.

Rassin received Rotary's highest honor, the Service Above Self Award, as well as other humanitarian awards for his work leading Rotary's relief efforts in Haiti after the 2010 earthquake there. He and wife Esther are Major Donors and Benefactors of The Rotary Foundation.

