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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 Sunrise-Shriners Hospital	7:00 a.m.
	Georgetown-Galvin's on Main (Downtown) ...	12:00 noon
	Shelbyville-Centenary United Methodist	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...

Ryan Quarles was elected Kentucky's Commissioner of Agriculture in 2015. Under his leadership, the Kentucky Department of Agriculture (KDA) started several new programs, including initiatives to combat hunger and connect Kentucky farmers to new markets.



Quarles

As a result of Quarles' Kentucky Hunger Initiative, Kentucky now has the strongest food donation immunity law in the country, and more Kentuckians are talking about the chronic problem of food insecurity than ever before. His leadership on international trade issues saw the resumption of live equine exports to China, a decision that benefits all sectors of Kentucky's agricultural economy from horse breeders to feed producers. Under his direction, the KDA continues to look for more opportunities for Kentucky farmers to grow domestic and international markets.

As commissioner, he has also supported the expansion of Kentucky's diverse agricultural portfolio to include industrial hemp, hops, and kenaf, a fiber plant grown for several thousand

years for food and fiber. On the national level, he serves as Second Vice President of the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture and as Chairman of the Republican Agriculture Commissioners Committee.

Previously, Quarles represented Scott, Owen, and Fayette counties for three terms in the General Assembly, where he was an outspoken advocate for agricultural issues affecting Kentucky families.

Quarles graduated from UK in 2006 with three undergraduate majors and two graduate degrees. In 2008, he was awarded a full scholarship to Harvard, where he studied higher education, government, and law. After graduating with a Master's degree in higher education, he returned home to finish law school at UK. In 2018, he graduated from Vanderbilt University with his doctorate in higher education.

Ryan grew up on his family's farm in Scott County, and comes from a family that has lived in central Kentucky for over 200 years.

Make-ups for Jan. 9

Teresa Hockensmith Presley Winner
Sallie Lanham

Attendance Percentage: 73%

Make-ups Needed for Jan. 16

Houston Barber	Mark Kopp
Bill Bowker	Sallie Lanham
RB Brown	Sam Marcus
John Browning	Judy Mattingly
Kristin Cantrell	Tim Nehring
Will Coblin	Chris Olds
Dustin Cole	Paula Rutledge
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Polly Green	Steve Stewart
Teresa Hockensmith	Kwang Suh
Joyce Honaker	Jim Terrell
Zachary Horn	Amzie Wenning
Carmen Inman	Orman Wright
Harry Kirch	

Raffle

Thanks to Bob Bullock for donating this week's raffle item.

Below are front and rear photos of Frankfort Rotary's Club's gazebo at the "Legacy Park Frankfort," near East Frankfort Park off Myrtle Ave.

