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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-Galvin's on Main (Downtown) ...	12:00 noon
	Shelbyville-Centenary United Methodist .....	12:00 noon
<b>Thursday:</b>	Lawrenceburg-Anderson Public Library .....	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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***Next Week's Speaker...***

As director of the Institute for Rural Journalism and Community Issues, Extension professor **Al Cross** helps rural news media define the public agenda in their communities, and report on broader issues that have local impact but few local sources. Cross helped organize the Institute, which has academic partners at 28 universities in 18 states. He became its director in 2004, after more than 26 years as a reporter at The Courier-Journal, the last 15 1/2 as chief political writer. He writes a political column about twice a month for the Louisville newspaper and the Kentucky Center for Public Service Journalism, and is a KET political commentator.



**Al Cross**

His awards include the Kentucky Journalism Hall of Fame (2010), the Media Awards of the East Kentucky Leadership Foundation (2006) and the Kentucky Psychological Association (2013), the James Madison First Amendment

Award of the Scripps Howard First Amendment Center at UK (2015), and a share of the 1989 Pulitzer Prize won by The Courier-Journal's staff for coverage of the nation's deadliest bus and drunk-driving crash at Carrollton, Ky. He shared an investigative reporting award in the Southern Journalism Awards for a 1987 series on surface mining, including some of the first comprehensive stories on mountaintop removal. In 2011 he received the Wells Key, the top honor of the Society of Professional Journalists (SPJ), the nation's oldest, broadest and largest journalism organization. He was national SPJ president in 2001-02, and has received awards for his work from SPJ's Louisville chapter. He is often quoted nationally on Kentucky politics and has appeared on PBS's "Washington Week In Review."

He began his journalism career at the Clinton County News and was an announcer at WANY in Albany. He was editor of The Reporter in Monticello in 1975; assistant managing editor of The Logan Leader and The News-Democrat at Russellville in 1975-77; and editor of the Leitchfield Gazette and the Grayson County News-Gazette in 1977-78. He established The Courier-Journal's Somerset bureau in May 1978, moving with it to Bardstown in 1979, when it became the Central Kentucky Bureau. He covered legislative sessions from 1980 to 2004. In Louisville in 1984-86, he covered education, transportation and politics. He joined The C-J's Frankfort Bureau in 1987 and became political writer in 1989. He is married to Patti Hodges Cross, a Grayson County native and independent designer/editor of publications. They live in a 1907 home in historic South Frankfort, near the state Capitol, with Henry, their West Highland White Terrier.

**Happy Birthday!**

Happy Birthday to fellow Rotarians Angela Bullock, Lloyd Hillard, Jr., Sara Johnson, Cathy Lindsey, Don Nunnally, Steve Stewart and Dennis VanHorn, who celebrate their birthday in November.

**Raffle**

Thanks to Brenda Rice for donating this week's raffle item.

**Make-ups for Oct. 30**

Bob Bullock	Teresa Hockensmith
Don Dampier	Sherrill Smith

**Attendance Percentage: 62%**

**Make-ups Needed for Nov. 6**

Houston Barber	Cathy Lindsey
Maree Barney-Sutley	Sam Marcus
John Browning	Judy Mattingly
Bob Bullock	Chris Olds
Will Coblin	Brenda Rice
Don Dampier	Sean Ross
Steve Dooley	Curt Sayre
Annette Dupont-Ewing	Carol Smith
Polly Green	Gary Stratton
Teresa Hockensmith	Kwang Suh
Joyce Honaker	Stephen Sutley
Zachary Horn	Jim Terrell
Carmen Inman	Tom Utterback
Harry Kirch	Amzie Wenning
Mark Kopp	Tyler West
Sallie Lanham	Gary Zheng



**This week's speaker Sheriff Chris Quire speaks to the club.**

**Club Wins Award**

Terri Spellman, Coordinator for Westridge Family Resource Center nominated the Rotary Club of Frankfort for the FRYSCY Bridges Over Barriers Award for best non-profit partner (for First Grade Reading Mentors, FRC Advisory Council participation, shoe drives, and more), and we were selected as the winner!

**Pop-up Make-up**

2019 United Nations Day Program will be held on Monday, Nov. 25 at 6:30 p.m. at the Paul Sawyer Public Library in Frankfort with Kris O'Daniel, an environmental contributor to the Lexington-Herald Leader. Ms. O'Daniel's topic is "Our Planet, Our Future," a focus on the climate change crisis.



**Kristin Cantrell receives her Paul Harris Fellow +5 pin from President Fred Deaton.**