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<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 Co. Extension Ofc. ...	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 meeting...*

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**James**

**Frankfort Rotary is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.**

Topic: Frankfort Rotary Club Meeting

Time: Oct 21, 2020 11:30 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Every week on Wed, until Nov 11, 2020, 4 occurrence(s)

Oct 21, 2020 11:30 AM

Oct 28, 2020 11:30 AM

Nov 4, 2020 11:30 AM

Nov 11, 2020 11:30 AM

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.

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**A note from Donna**

Fellow Rotarians, with Veteran's Day fast approaching, I would love for our club to do something special to honor the veterans among us. Please share your ideas and suggestions for how we might best do that. Email me at [donnahecker@aol.com](mailto:donnahecker@aol.com) or [rotaryfrankfortky@gmail.com](mailto:rotaryfrankfortky@gmail.com), or give me a call at (502) 330-5835.

An update on our Zoom meetings – the next four weeks are set up as a recurring meeting so the same sign-in is good for all of them (through November 11!) I know it's hard to track down the link every week so keep that in mind.

**Board Action October 14, 2020**

Attending: Donna Hecker, Dustin Cole, Bill Miller, John Avent, Steve Stewart, Diane Dehoney, Lee Troutwine, Ed Dance, Dudley Ellis, Terry Shockley and Paula Rarden.

- Approved the minutes of the 9/16/20 board meeting. Dustin Cole made the motion, second by Bill Miller.

- Approved leave-of-absence for RB Brown from 10/1/20 to 4/1/21. Dustin Cole made the motion, second by Diane Dehoney.

- Listened to September 2020 financial report from John Avent.

- Vocational Service Director Dustin Cole reported that he was working on getting members to do the opening exercises for the Zoom meetings.

- International Service Director Bill Miller reported that there will be a U.N. Day zoom meeting on 10/20/20 on Human Trafficking and Chemical Pollution. He will be forwarding the info to have Paula send to club members.

- Public Relations Director Steve Stewart reported that the State Journal will be starting back up the weekly calendar and President Donna will send him the speaker info. If readers would like to view the meetings on Zoom, they can use the club email to ask to be a guest.

- President Donna reported for Gordon Saks, Community Beautification Chair. Gordon will be attending a meeting on 10/15/20 with the Frankfort Parks and Rec. to discuss Rotary's interest and goals with them.

- President Donna reported that Kristin Cantrell is ready to have our club and this year the Frankfort Rotary Youth Fund start the "Radio Days" fundraiser. Our club has a goal of raising \$5,000 and the Youth Fund is also setting a goal of \$5,000.

- President Donna acknowledged the club will be participating in the "Angel Tree" and "Ring the Bell."

- President Donna will be checking with the Kiwanis Club to see if we will be doing a Thanksgiving meal with them on 11/25/20. It will more than likely be a virtual meeting.

- Vocational Service Director Gary Stratton sent report by email. He will be meeting and receiving the information to complete the Rotary activities for the Vocational items with our President in the next few weeks. Once he has all the needed items he will work to make sure we fulfill any service in this area for this year and will report on these as we complete. On a side note, the Franklin Center for Innovation will soon be having a grand opening and someone has paid for 50 free memberships for the first two months, so come and make something, learn how to make something, or teach others how to make something.

- Scheduled the next board meeting for November 18, 2020.

**Rotary Foundation giving**

Did you know that you can set up an online sustaining contribution to the Rotary Foundation? Because our club is recognized as a Star Club, meaning we contribute an average \$100 per member, we're eligible for enhanced district grant matches to make good things happen in Frankfort. But all is not equal! Some of our members are extremely generous but we need more of you to make this commitment. More information can be found at [my.rotary.org](http://my.rotary.org).

**Dues Reminder**

Just a reminder that if you haven't already paid the 7/1/20 to 12/31/20 Rotary club dues please do so if possible. Thanks so much.

