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**Next Week’s meeting**

**Dr. Robert Farley**

**University of Kentucky Professor**

Dr. Robert Farley, a professor at the University of Kentucky’s Patterson School of Diplomacy and International Commerce, will address virtually the Frankfort Rotary Club on Wednesday, February 24.

Dr. Farley will highlight the return of Great Power Competition, which has implications for climate change, global trade, arms control, and higher education.  His main query will explore what the future of competition between China and the United States looks like, and how will it affect our daily lives.

Dr. Farley has taught security and diplomacy courses at the Patterson School since 2005.  He received  his Ph.D. from the University of Washington in 2004.  Dr. Farley is the author of [*Grounded: The Case for Abolishing the United States Air Force*](about:blank) (University Press of Kentucky, 2014), the [*Battleship Book*](about:blank) (Wildside, 2016), and [*Patents for Power: Intellectual Property Law and the Diffusion of Military Technology*](about:blank)(University of Chicago, 2020). He has contributed extensively to a number of journals and magazines, including the [National Interest](about:blank), the [Diplomat: APAC](about:blank), [World Politics Review](about:blank), and the [American Prospect](about:blank).  Dr. Farley is also a founder and senior editor of[Lawyers, Guns and Money.](about:blank)

**Next week's Zoom meeting-**

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**Here is the Zoom link to yesterday's 2/17/21 recording-**

[https://zoom.us/rec/share/ mgOyeRuPFf65GOHLXTQePO4cVpXP2Q VQHX38Q6crhvEUPcLStuZUQvw55uOP S80t.EYCaau\_rsh0mRRix](about:blank) Passcode: #!NK7q6S

**Make-ups Needed for Feb. 17**

Houston Barber Cathy Lindsey

Maree Barney-Sutley Sam Marcus

Chris Boni Judy Mattingly

Bill Bowker Katina Mickens

Dr. M C Brown Chris Olds

John Browning Lyda Phillips

Kritin Cantrell Christine Richards

Will Coblin Tony Sholar

Fred Deaton Carol Smith

Chuck Dickinson Calen Studler

Annette Dupont-Ewing Kwang Suh

Bill Elam Stephen Sutley

Charlie Geveden Jim Terrell

George Gill Dennis VanHorn

Teresa Hockensmith Amzie Wenning

Joyce Honaker Tyler West

Zachary Horn Rodney Williams

Harry Kirch Mitchell Wilson

Mark Kopp Gary Zheng

**Cable 10 Info**

Please note that Cable 10 has started showing our zoom meetings from the previous week on Wednesday’s, at 6 p.m.

**Rotary Radio Fundraiser**

With a year of very little fund raising for Rotary, now is the time, and Rotary Radio Month is the function that will turn this around. We are working on the material and Kristin Cantrell has an audio example for you to use.  If you would like to be a team captain just let me know, [gary.stratton@kysu.edu](about:blank).  The team captains will help get everyone in our club involved, because every Frankfort business should be represented in one of the levels starting at $75 and going to $600 (individuals can purchase a level as well).  For these donations the business will be mentioned in an ad on 5 local radio stations during March and first of April.  Our minimum goal is $10,000 for this fund raiser.  More information will be forthcoming next week.  Thank you. Gary Stratton

**BOARD ACTION FEBRUARY 17, 2021**

Attending: Donna Hecker, Alex Fitzgerald, Gordon Saks, Mary Saks, Lee Troutwine, Diane Dehoney, Dustin Cole, Bill Miller, John Avent, Gary Stratton, Steve Stewart, Ed Dance, Dudley Ellis, Michael DeCourcy and Paula Rarden.

* Approved the minutes of the January 20, 2021 board meeting, Steve Stewart made the motion, second by Alex Fitzgerald.
* Acknowledge with regrets letters of resignation from fellow Rotarians Paula Rutledge and Linda Thompson.
* Listened to the January 2021 financial report from John Avent.
* Vocational Service Director, Gary Stratton reported that the Rotary Radio Fundraiser will start up the first of March and into April. The goal for this year is $10,000.
* Public Relations Director, Steve Stewart reported that he will continue to publish Rotary’s weekly speaker information in the newspaper. Also, he discussed with the board on if they wanted to do a new Directory or hold off until the 2021-22 year. The decision was made for Paula Rarden to send out an email with updated new member and members no longer with our club since July 1, 2020.
* International Service Director, Bill Miller noted a special "thanks" to participating Rotarians and speakers during February who have helped us celebrate the RI theme of "Peace and Conflict Resolution/Prevention" and to focus on the Fourth Object of Rotary which is to promote world peace, international cooperation, understanding and communication.  Keep up the good work!
* Grant report was given by President-Elect Diane Dehoney. She reported that one of the grants has received all the signatures and another is almost complete, with the Scholarship grant not being worked up until sometime in May 2021.
* Advisory Director, Alex Fitzgerald reported that he and President Donna are working on the nominating committee and hope to have it completed by next week.
* President-Elect, Diane Dehoney and Dustin Cole will be meeting to discuss the club’s 100th Anniversary for 2022.
* President Donna has scheduled the weekly meeting for March 3, 2021 will be a club assembly.
* Scheduled next board meeting for March 17, 2021.

**Update on Duane Ellis**

Duane Ellis is now out of the hospital and at Cardinal Hill Rehab room #154 in Lexington, Kentucky working on his speech and mobility. Please keep him in your thoughts and prayers.