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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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Next Week's Meeting...

Kelly Anderson is the 15th Executive Director of the Thornhill Learning Center. Kelley joined Thorn Hill in June 2017. She graduated from Eastern Kentucky University with a Bachelors of Science in Teaching (K-12) and with a Master of Arts in Health Education. Kelley teaches in the cor-



Anderson

rections setting, assisting individuals achieve their NCRC and GED. She is also Thorn Hill's English as a Second Language (ESL) teacher.

A Reminder

There will be no Zoom meetings unless it's a special event. Until we can record for Cable 10 once again, we will be live-streaming meetings on Facebook Live. Just log onto the Rotary Frankfort KY Facebook page to watch in real time. If you watch on Facebook, please contact Paula Rarden so she can record your attendance. Also, If you attend in person, please remember to bring \$5 for the meeting room

cost and a few extra dollars for the raffle and happy stash! Also, feel free to bring a bag lunch.

Make-ups Needed for July 7

John Avent Sam Marcus Houston Barber **Judy Mattingly** Katina Mickens Chris Boni Bill Bowker Chris Olds M C Brown Brenda Rice Christine Richards RB Brown John Browning Sonia Sanders Will Coblin Bill Scott Ed Dance Calen Studler Fred Deaton Kwang Suh Michael DeCourcy Stephen Sutley Annette Dupont-Ewing Jim Terrell Alex Fitzgerald Tom Utterback George Gill Dennis VanHorn Joyce Honaker Amzie Wenning Zachary Horn Tyler West Harry Kirch Rodney Williams Mark Kopp Gary Zheng

Happy Birthday!

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



Congratulations

Congratulations to Mike Scrivner (above center, with Gary Stratton and Diane Dehoney) for receiving his Paul Harris Fellows pin +1.

Mehta selected as Rotary International President

from rotary.org

Shekhar Mehta (right), of the Rotary Club of Calcutta-Mahanagar, West Bengal, India, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International for 2021-22. He will be declared the president-nominee on 1 October if no challenging candidates have been suggested.

Mehta acknowledges that current membership trends are a challenge and says that membership development should be Rotary's highest priority. He believes that focusing on regional plans, successfully transitioning Rotaractors into Rotary clubs, and increasing diversity and female members could yield a 5 percent net growth in membership each year.

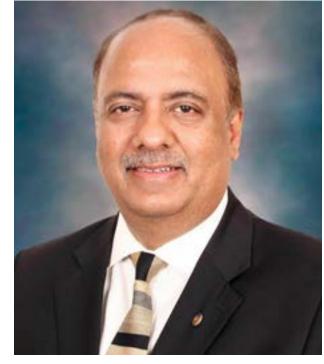
"A major brainstorming is needed to find effective solutions suited to different areas of the world," says Mehta. He adds that regional ethos and culture must be considered to find localized solutions, as "one size does not fit all." He believes Rotary can extend to new geographical areas and countries.

As a strong proponent of Rotary's strategic plan, Mehta says he will encourage clubs to use action plans and reinforce the core values of Rotary.

Mehta says Rotary needs to become more contemporary and adaptable by focusing on partnerships with governments and corporations, expanding partnerships with organizations that specialize in Rotary's areas of focus, and investing in technology.

Mehta, an accountant, is chair of the Skyline Group, a real estate development company he founded. He is also a director of Operation Eyesight Universal (India), a Canada-based organization.

Mehta has been actively involved in disaster response and is a trustee of ShelterBox, UK. After the 2004 Indian Ocean tsunami, he helped



build nearly 500 homes for families affected by the disaster.

Mehta pioneered a program that has performed more than 1,500 life-changing heart surgeries in South Asia. He is also the architect of the TEACH Program, which promotes literacy throughout India and has reached thousands of schools.

A Rotary member since 1984, Mehta has served Rotary as director, member or chair of several committees, zone coordinator, training leader, member of The Rotary Foundation Cadre of Technical Advisers, and district governor. He is also the chair of Rotary Foundation (India).

Mehta has received Rotary's Service Above Self Award and The Rotary Foundation's Citation for Meritorious Service and Distinguished Service Awards.

He and his wife, Rashi, are Major Donors and members of the Bequest Society.