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Next Week's Meeting...

Jo Ann Heppermann has been a member of Rotary since 2008. Most recently, she served as the District Governor for the Western Half of Kentucky, District 6710, from July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021. She is a member of the Prospect/Goshen Rotary Club, currently serving as the International Service Committee Chair, working to help stop the spread of cervical cancer in the southern half of Haiti.



PDG Heppermann

Jo Ann is a lawyer by trade, and for 25 years, worked with her husband in their consulting business, where they owned, raced and syndicated thoroughbred racehorses. She is also the author of "Rose Colored Horses—A Year in the Life of a Crazy Horsewoman," which was published in April, 2011.

Jo Ann earned her law degree from University of Louisville, and her B.S. and Masters in Education from University of Missouri. She and her husband, Ken, have two sons, two daughters-in-law and three delightful grandchildren.

Opening Exercise and Greeter Sept. 25

Opening exercise will be Tyler West
Greeter will be John Avent

Raffle

Thanks to fellow Rotarian Donna Hecker for donating this week's raffle item.



ROTARY DUES REMINDER

Just a reminder that if you haven't paid the Rotary dues from 7/1/24 to 12/31/24 please do so as soon as possible. The board is working on the New Year's budget and there are comments that our club has to pay. Thanks for your attention to this matter.

Board Action Sept. 18, 2024

Attending: Gary Stratton, Tish Shade, Miranda Marston, Bill Scott, Grant Smith, Dudley Ellis, Bill Miller, George Gill, Christine Richards, Lee Troutwine, and Paula Rarden.

- Approved the minutes of the August 21, 2024 board meeting. Tish Shade made the motion, second by Miranda Marston.
- Listened to financial report for August 2024 from Paula Rarden prepared by John Avent. Board noted that \$100 needs to be added to the budget for UN Day yearly contribution and there needs to be a line item for the RYLA program.
- President-elect Miranda Marston reported that she has speakers for the month of October 2024.
- Club Service Director Grant Smith reported that he has one week open for the greeter and opening exercise. He also reported that he has emailed the resent new members asking them to also volunteer to greet with other Rotarians over the month of October.
- International Service Director Bill Miller reported that the Rotary International Dinner will now meet sometime in April 2025.
- FRYF President Bill Scott reported that the club will be having a Rotary Social make-up meeting with the "Queen of Hearts" drawing at Miguel's on October 10th from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. with the drawing at 7 p.m.
- Membership Director Tish Shade reported that she has some new members in the works and that she will be getting committees with her as chair for event planning and fundraising efforts.
- There was discussion among a few of the Rotary board about attending a training session with the Kentucky Gaming Commission on December 6, 2024.
- Membership Orientation George Gill proposed to the board to add duties for the new members coming into the club such as, serving as greeter with other Rotarians, doing opening exercise, reading an article from the Rotarian magazine, keeping a certain attendance percentage for three months, and possible other club duties. George and Tish are going to get together and come up with a list to go with the new member application.
- Scheduled next board meeting for October 16, 2024.

(At left) Thanks to this week's speakers, Tricia Hamilton and Rachel Moore, from William Joseph Crisis Nursery.

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 President, Rotary International
 Dale Leatherman, Hopkinsville
 Governor of District 6710

**The Rotary Club of Frankfort Meets Every
 Wednesday at the American Legion #7,
 164 Versailles Rd. from 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m.**

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 Co. Extension Ofc.	12:00 noon
	Lexington-Fasig Tipton.....	12:00 noon
	Louisville-Galt House.....	12:10 p.m.

Frankfort Rotary Club website:

www.frankfort-rotary.org

District website

www.rotarydistrict6710.org

Rotary International

www.rotary.org/

YEARS OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Barry K. Holder 50 Years	John Avent..... 13 Years	Joyce Honaker..... 5 Years
Terry Shockley 43 Years	Ted Collins 12 Years	Tim Pennington 5 Years
Bill Miller 42 Years	Richard Watkins 12 Years	Charlie Geveden..... 4 Years
Sherrill Smith 41 Years	Dudley Ellis..... 12 Years	Angela Bullock..... 4 Years
Barry K. Holder, Jr. 39 Years	Don Dampier 11 Years	Gary Stratton 3 Years
Ed Dance..... 36 Years	RB Brown 10 Years	Diane Dehoney..... 2 Years
Lee Troutwine 37 Years	Mary Saks..... 9 Years	Tish Shade 2 Year
Bob Bullock..... 36 Years	Richard Taylor..... 8 Years	Kristen Cantrell..... 1 Year
David Weller 28 Years	Presley Winner 8 Years	Meloney Smith..... 1 Year
Steve Dooley 27 Years	Sallie Lanham..... 8 Years	
John Loyd..... 13 Years	Gordon Saks..... 8 Years	

The Rotary Foundation Current Paul Harris Fellows

John Avent +1	Dudley Ellis	Wayne Onkst	Stephen Sutley
Pat Badgett	Charles Geveden	Tim Pennington	Richard Taylor
Karen Bearden	George Gill +3	Paula Rarden	Mary Thomas
RB Brown +2	Polly Green +2	Brenda Rice	Christopher Thompson +2
Angela Bullock +4	Teresa Hockensmith	Christine Richards	Lee Troutwine +2
Bob Bullock +8*	Barry Holder, Jr. +1	Jim Richardson +1	Tom Utterback
Kristin Cantrell +*8	Barry Holder, Sr. +8*	Bill Scott	Dennis Van Horn +1
Ron Christopher	Joyce Honaker +8*	Michael Scrivner +1	Dick Watkins +3
Dustin Cole	Joe Johnson	Tish Shade	Dave Weller +8*
Don Dampier +1	Arthur Kelly +1	Len Sherrill +8*	Presley Winner
Ed Dance +2	Harry Kirch +2	Terry Shockley +6*	Jim Wolcott +1
Chuck Dickinson	Walter Wm. Leroy, Jr. +1	Sherrill Smith	Orman Wright
Steve Dooley +1	John Loyd +1	Frank Sower +8*	Paul Yancey
Don Dykman +1	Ann Maenza	John Sower	
Dan Egbers +1	Bill Miller +8*	Steve Stewart +6	
Duane Ellis +1	Don Nunnally +1	Maree Barney-Sutley	

*Major donors

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