

# Rotary Club of Louisville



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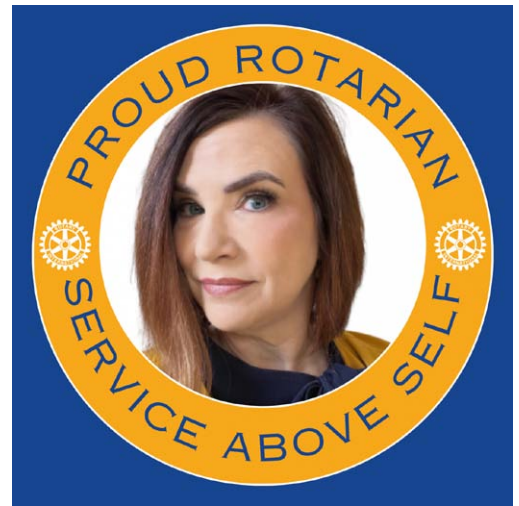
Rotary Family,

Happy New Year!

Tickets are now on sale for the January 30 State of the City Address at the Kentucky Performing Arts Center. We have a hard deadline of January 16 for submitting our headcount, and we expect to sell out, so don't wait to [REGISTER](#) if you plan to attend.

New in this issue:

- Mayor's State of the City Address to the Rotary Club
- Memorial Reception for Barry Barker
- In Memoriam: Bill Campbell
- Active Youth Clubs in December



**Service Above Self Opportunities** (scroll for details):

- Serve dinner at Re:Center Ministries: 4th Wednesday of each month
- Mentor Rotary Honors Scholars at WHS and IHS: monthly, see below for dates

**Committee Meetings:**

- Fund Investment: 1/9 at 11:15 a.m.
- International Service: 1/16 at 10:30 a.m.
- Social Activities: 1/16 at 1:15 p.m.
- Gun Violence Reduction: 1/16 at 1:15 p.m.
- Lifeline: 1/23 at 11:00 a.m.
- Service Projects & Grants: 1/23 at 1:00 p.m.

[Visit our website](#) to read about Rotarians in the Spotlight and member organizations' Events and Opportunities.

**Rotarians in the Spotlight:**

- Kenya Wade
- Brett Corbin

In service,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Delene E. Taylor".

Executive Director

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## January 9th Meeting: Joanna Haas, The Dot Experience



The January 9th meeting at noon at the University Club will feature **Joanna Haas**, [The Dot Experience](#), American Printing House.

The buffet opens at 11:30am and the program begins at noon. The menu is chicken stir-fry; a salad with grilled chicken or a vegetarian/vegan and/or gluten-free option is available upon advance request.

The RSVP deadline has passed; email Tracy at [admin@louisvillerotary.org](mailto:admin@louisvillerotary.org) if you would like to attend.

There is a \$5 meeting fee for those who choose not to purchase a meal - this will include a dessert and tea/coffee/water and, of course, a fantastic program. You can pay \$5 cash, check or scan the QR code at check-in to pay with a credit card.

Click Read More to view Speaker Bio: [Read More](#)

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## January 16th Meeting: Corenza Townsend, Norton West Louisville Hospital



The January 16th meeting at noon at the University Club will feature **Corenza Townsend**, Chief Administrative Officer, Norton West Louisville Hospital.

### ***"Reimagining Healthcare for All"***

The buffet opens at 11:30am and the program begins at noon. The menu is roasted pork tenderloin; a salad with grilled chicken or a vegetarian/vegan and/or gluten-free option is available upon advance request.

Please register by Monday, January 13th [HERE](#).

There is a \$5 meeting fee for those who choose not to purchase a meal - this will include a dessert and tea/coffee/water and, of course, a fantastic program. You can pay \$5 cash, check or scan the QR code at check-in to pay with a credit card.

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## Mayor Greenberg's Annual State of the City Address to Rotary

Plan to join us on January 30 at The Kentucky Center for the Performing Arts for the annual **Mayor's State of the City Address** to Rotary. Lunch will begin at 11:00am in the lobby; the program will begin at 11:45am in the Bomhard Theatre.

This event will SELL OUT. Register [HERE](#) by Thursday, January 16; those who RSVP after that date will be added to the waiting list and notified if/when space becomes available.



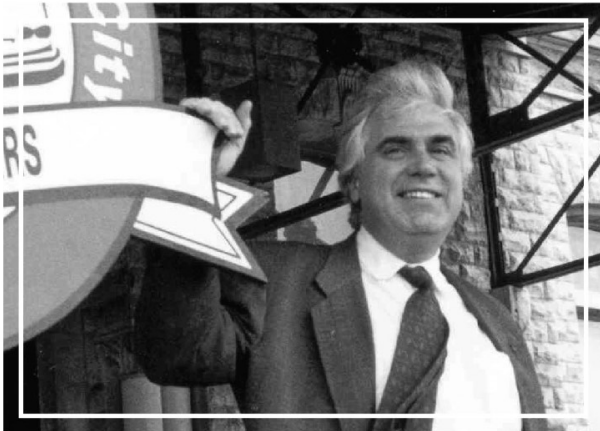
Our Music & Arts Committee has arranged special performances to kick off the program:

**A Magical Overture of the Arts** will feature Kentucky Opera's Brennan Blankenship and Pianist Eileen Downey who will perform the aria "I Want Magic" from the opera **A Streetcar Named Desire**. Louisville Ballet's Sarah Bradley and Khalil Jackson will perform excerpts from **Le Corsaire Pas de Deux**, accompanied by the Louisville Orchestra's Teddy Abrams on the piano.

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## Memorial Reception for Barry Barker: January 25

Please save the date and plan to attend this memorial reception for beloved past president **Barry Barker**.



A CELEBRATION OF LIFE

# J. Barry Barker

APRIL 20, 1951 - DECEMBER 2, 2024



## MEMORIAL RECEPTION

Saturday, January 25

3:30-6:00 pm

Whitehall Mansion

3110 Lexington Rd, Louisville, KY 40206

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**IN MEMORIAM: Bill Campbell**





William W. "Bill" Campbell, former Vice President & General Manager of WLKY television and President of Schneider DeMuth Advertising, passed away at U of L Hospital on December 28, 2024, at the age of 86, after a protracted battle with cancer.

Bill was a member of our club from 1997 until 2018.

Read more [HERE](#).

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## Rotary Day at the Downs: April 30

Join us for **Rotary Day at the Downs** for Champions Day on Wednesday, April 30. We have reserved the [Silks Balcony and Loge](#) with an elevated view of the Paddock in a covered open-air setting, and easy access to a dedicated race viewing location in the 3rd floor Clubhouse in Section 320.

Tickets are \$149 per person and include admission, racing program, 4-hour Chef's Table Buffet, coffee, tea and soft drinks, and a 4-hour OPEN BAR. Click [HERE](#) to register.



[Read More](#)

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## Active Youth Clubs in December

By Linda Bartrom-Moore

In the joyous spirit of the holidays, our youth clubs put their hands and hearts to work. Our Iroquois High school INTERACT Club produced cards for the troops.



Our Western High School INTERACT Club had a hugely successful food drive for the less fortunate in their community.



And our ROTARACT Club enjoyed its first holiday dinner & international meeting.





Looking toward 2025 with great optimism! Don't forget about our blood drives coming up in March.

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## Re:Center Ministries Meal Service

By Larry Sloan

Our next [Re:Center Ministries](#) meal service will be on Wednesday, January 22nd at 5:30 p.m. at 757 S Brook St.

Thanks to President-Elect **Ken Selvaggi**, who served recently along with **Hulyn Farr**, **David Snyder** and **Craig Scherman**!



This is an opportunity to celebrate with our friends going through the rehab program at Re:Center. Our Club's Lifeline Committee provides the main meal prepared by Kingsley Catering. We need volunteers to bring drinks, salad, rolls, and desserts, which are usually fruit pies from Kroger. But ABOVE ALL, we just need a few more Rotarians to participate in serving the meal and sitting down with the men to break bread.

Please email me at [larry.sloan@yahoo.com](mailto:larry.sloan@yahoo.com) if you would like to join us or to learn more.

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## Rotary Honors Scholars Mentoring: January 22 & 28

By Craig Mooney

Join us for our next two Rotary Honors Scholars mentoring sessions at Iroquois High School (January 22) and/or Western High School (January 28).



Thank you to all who are investing time in the success of these young people! Click [Read More](#) below to see upcoming dates; mark your calendar and plan to join us! Contact me for more information or to sign up: [cmooney@bosseconstruction.com](mailto:cmooney@bosseconstruction.com)

[Read More](#)

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## Nominate a Member for the Rotary Lifetime Service Award

By Karen Morrison

The Rotary **Lifetime Service Award** honors a member who has exhibited a personal dedication to the pursuit of Rotary's values in one or more of Rotary's avenues of service. It recognizes a Rotarian's full



body of service both to Rotary and to other organizations in the community, region and beyond. This award is presented annually to a Rotarian who: has been a member for at least 10 years and has demonstrated a lifelong adherence to Rotary's Service Above Self ideals.

Last year's recipient was **Dr. Linda Bartrom-Moore**.

Download the nomination form [HERE](#).

Note: We will begin accepting nominations for the **Rotarian of the Year Award** as we get closer to the end of our Rotary year in June.



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## Speaker Lineup

We have an exciting lineup of speakers - please mark your calendars and invite prospective Rotarians!

1/23 Dr. Ty Handy, JCTC

1/30 Mayor Greenberg's annual "**State of the City**" Address to Rotary at the Kentucky Performing Arts Center

2/6 Jake Cannon, Kroger

2/13 Conrad Daniels, HJI Supply Chain Solutions

2/20 Jennifer Hancock, Volunteers of America

2/27 Dawne Gee, WAVE Anchor, A Recipe to End Hunger Co-founder

3/6 Pending confirmation

3/13 Chief Paul Humphrey, LMPD

3/20 Unsung Heroes Celebration Luncheon at Savor at River House

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## Events

January 9th, 11:30-1:00 PM

[RCoL Weekly Club Meeting: Joanna Haas](#)

**Comment:** University Club of Louisville 200 E Brandeis Ave Louisville, KY 40208

**Speaker:** Joanna Haas, The Dot Experience, American Printing House

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**Speaker:** Corenza Townsend, Norton West Louisville Hospital

January 16th, 1:15-2:15 PM

[Gun Violence Reduction Committee Meeting](#)

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January 22nd, 5:30-6:30 PM

[Re:Center Ministries Dinner](#)

**Comment:** Re:Center Ministries 757 S Brook St Louisville, KY 40203

January 23rd, 11:30-1:00 PM

[RCoL Weekly Club Meeting: Dr. Ty Handy](#)

**Comment:** University Club of Louisville 200 E Brandeis Ave Louisville, KY 40208

**Speaker:** Dr. Ty Handy, President, JCTC

January 28th, 8:30-9:30 AM

[RHS Mentoring at Western High School](#)

**Comment:** Western High School 2501 Rockford Ln Louisville, KY 40216

January 16th, 10:30-11:30 AM

[International Service Committee Meeting](#)

**Comment:** University Club of Louisville 200 E Brandeis Ave Louisville, KY 40208

January 16th, 1:15-2:15 PM

[Social Activities Committee Meeting](#)

**Speaker:** Social Activities Committee Meeting

January 22nd, 8:45-9:45 AM

[RHS Mentoring at Iroquois High School](#)

**Comment:** Iroquois High School 4615 Taylor Blvd Louisville, KY 40215

January 23rd, 11:00-11:45 AM

[Lifeline Committee Meeting](#)

**Comment:** University Club of Louisville 200 E Brandeis Ave Louisville, KY 40208

January 23rd, 1:00-2:00 PM

[Service Projects & Grants Committee Meeting](#)

**Comment:** University Club of Louisville 200 E Brandeis Ave Louisville, KY 40208

January 30th, 11:30-1:00 PM

[Mayor's State of the City Address](#)

**Comment:** The Kentucky Center for the Performing Arts 501 W Main St Louisville, KY 40202



February 6th, 10:30-11:30 AM

[DEI Committee Meeting](#)

**Comment:** University Club of Louisville 200 E Brandeis Ave Louisville, KY 40208

February 12th, 8:45-9:45 AM

[RHS Mentoring at Iroquois High School](#)

**Comment:** Iroquois High School 4615 Taylor Blvd Louisville, KY 40215

February 20th, 11:30-1:00 PM

[RCoL Weekly Club Meeting: Jennifer Hancock](#)

**Comment:** University Club of Louisville 200 E Brandeis Ave Louisville, KY 40208

**Speaker:** Jennifer Hancock, Volunteers of America

February 26th, 5:30-6:30 PM

[Re:Center Ministries Dinner](#)

**Comment:** Re:Center Ministries 757 S Brook St Louisville, KY 40203

March 5th, 9:00-2:00 PM

[INTERACT Blood Drive](#)

**Comment:** Western High School 2501 Rockford Ln Louisville, KY 40216

March 12th, 9:00-2:00 PM

[INTERACT Blood Drive](#)

**Comment:** Iroquois High School Gym 4615 Taylor Blvd Louisville, KY 40215

March 14th, 6:00-8:00 PM

[Wine Swap Party](#)

**Comment:** Home of Jeff Underhill 3185 Lexington Rd Louisville, KY 40206

March 19th, 9:00-2:00 PM

[ROTARACT Blood Drive](#)

**Comment:** UofL College of Business Drummond Center (Room 344) 110 W Brandeis

March 25th, 8:30-9:30 AM

[RHS Mentoring at Western High School](#)

**Comment:** Western High School 2501 Rockford Ln Louisville, KY 40216

**Speaker:** Mayor Craig Greenberg

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**Speaker:** Jake Cannon, President, Kroger - Louisville Division

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**Speaker:** Conrad Daniels, President, HJI Supply Chain Solutions

February 25th, 8:30

[RHS Mentoring at Western High School](#)

**Comment:** Western High School 2501 Rockford Ln Louisville, KY 40216

February 27th, 11:30-1:00 PM

[RCoL Weekly Club Meeting: Dawne Gee](#)

**Comment:** University Club of Louisville 200 E Brandeis Ave Louisville, KY 40208

**Speaker:** Dawne Gee, WAVE Anchor, A Recipe to End Hunger Co-founder

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[RCoL Weekly Club Meeting: Unsung Heroes Luncheon](#)

**Comment:** Savor at River House 3015 River Road

March 26th, 5:30-6:30 PM

[Re:Center Ministries Dinner](#)

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### Birthdays



Neville Blakemore  
January 7th



Bill Stone  
January 9th



Courtney Evans  
January 9th



Maynard L. Stetten  
M.D.  
January 10th



Janice L. Purcell  
January 12th



Michael L. Holwerda  
January 12th



Terry G. Waddle  
January 14th



Barbara Sexton Smith  
January 15th



Jess Metzmeier  
January 15th



Steve Rungwerth  
January 15th



Bridgette Johnson  
January 15th



Muhammad Babar  
January 17th



Tonya Shive  
Augustine  
January 18th



Lawrence Williams  
January 20th



E. Phillip Scherer III  
January 21st



Christopher A Manzo  
January 22nd



John K. Whitty  
January 23rd



Sandra Dodge  
January 27th



Amalia Gamez Guerra  
January 27th



William Andrew  
Holden  
January 28th

Kevin J McCarron

Larry T. Sloan

Carlos Hernandez

Barbara N. Lankford



January 28th



January 28th



Ocampo  
January 28th



January 30th



Byron Riggs Lewis  
January 31st

### Club Leaders



[Lori Hudson Flanery](#)  
President



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President - Elect



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Secretary



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Club Director



[Alice Bridges](#)  
Club Director



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[Alisa O Gray](#)  
Club Director



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Club Director



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Club Director



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