

Rotary Club of Louisville



July 11 Meeting: Heather French Henry



The July 11 meeting at the University Club will feature **Heather French Henry, Strategic Outreach Director, [Global Game Changers](#)**.

Heather will speak about ***"The Power to Ignite Good in Our Community!"***

Menu options are chicken alfredo; salad with grilled chicken; or, a vegetarian/vegan and/or gluten-free option.

RSVP by NOON TODAY [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.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the speaker bio.

New Rotary International President Stephanie Urchick



Rotary International President Stephanie Urchick took the reins on July 1. She's from Western Pennsylvania, an avid Steelers fan, and has selected the theme the "Magic of Rotary."

[Read more about President Stephanie here.](#)

Join a Rotary Action Group



Rotary Action Groups are independent, Rotary-affiliated groups made up of people from around the world who are experts in a particular field, such as economic development, peace, addiction prevention, the environment, or water.

The concept was introduced to Rotary International as a way to harness the expertise and dedication of Rotarians to address complex global challenges. The topics are wide-ranging and a great way to utilize your knowledge for the greater good.

Click [HERE](#) to learn more about Rotary Action Groups.

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Rotary University: Next Session Tuesday, July 9

By Jay Mallory

Tomorrow is our final session in the Rotary University series. Completion of Rotary University is required for new members.

July 9 at noon (via Zoom): *Rotary Beyond Our Club*; register [HERE](#).

Click read more for links to the previous sessions.

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Rotary Leadership Seminar: Saturday in Florence, KY



Our Rotary Zone offers Leadership Seminars that are open to any member, but are specifically those in leadership roles within the club or district.

The closest one will be in Florence, Kentucky at the Hilton Garden Inn on July 13 from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. The \$50 registration fee includes lunch. Click [HERE](#) for more info or to register.

[Read More](#)

Imagination Library Service Project - This Saturday

By Frederic T. Harned



Louisville Rotary has financially supported Dolly Parton's [Imagination Library](#) for several years, reaching more new parents to provide free age-appropriate books to their little ones and encourage them to read to the kids. This year, we have an opportunity to add service by helping the organization host a table at educational events to reach additional families.

Two Rotarians can really help at these upcoming events; you would be with a board member of the organization to help you know what to say!

- Saturday, July 13, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m., at the Main Public Library
- Sunday, August 4, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., St Stephens Church
- Saturday, September 14, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Kentucky Science Center

If you can spare a couple of hours to enhance literacy in Louisville, please email rickharned@gmail.com.

Re:Center Ministries Dinner: July 24

By Larry T. Sloan



Our next meal service is this Wednesday, July 24 at 5:30 p.m.

We could use a couple more volunteers!

Please email larry.sloan@yahoo.com or davids@ndhc.org if you would like to join us or to learn more.

Rotarian in the Spotlight: Kim Halbauer



Rotarian **Kim Halbauer**, regional president of Fifth Third Bank Kentucky, was named to the new Louisville Economic Development Alliance (LEDA).

The public-private partnership is a 501(c)(6) organization charged with leading business attraction and expansion efforts, creating a new citywide brand, and convening partners around talent development, small business and entrepreneur development, finance and bonding, and policy analysis, research, and advocacy.

[Read more.](#)

Rotarian in the Spotlight: Gill Holland



Rotarian **Gill Holland** was featured in a WYMT-TV story about his work to revitalize a historic Harlan building into boutique hotel.

Gill was one of the creators of the downtown restaurant, The Harlan Beer Company, and now he said his focus is to restore the historic hotel.

[Watch the story here.](#)

Rotarian in the Spotlight: Michael Washburn



Rotarian **Michael Washburn**, executive director for Kentucky Waterways Alliance (KWA), was recently profiled in the Voice Tribune. The environmental nonprofit that is dedicated to protecting, restoring and celebrating the waterways of Kentucky. "We do that through a variety of things," Washburn describes, "everything from a grants program to septic work in Eastern Kentucky to advocacy, lobbying and sometimes some litigation. So widely speaking, we just seek to preserve the water resources of the state."

[Read more.](#)

Events & Opportunities: The Healing Place

By Jay P. Davidson



What: Celebrate Freedom Dinner
Organization: The Healing Place
Date/Time: July 16, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Location: The Frazier Museum

Description: Join us on Wednesday, July 26 at the Frazier Museum for an early evening of inspiration and motivation to reach men and women in our communities struggling with drug and alcohol addictions. This year's event speaker is Michael Broady-Waite, author of Great Leaders Live Like Drug Addicts: How to Lead Like Your Life Depends on It.

More information: <https://www.thehealingplace.org/seeds/>
Member to contact: Jay Davidson, Jay.Davidson@thehealingplace.org

Events & Opportunities: First Hour Grief Response

By Diane Clark Curtis



What: 4th Annual Ben Koier Memorial Golf Outing
Organization: First Hour Grief Response
Date/Time: August 19, 8 a.m.
Location: Polo Fields Golf & Country Club

Description: First Hour Grief Response is there for those who experience a sudden or traumatic loss...able to provide much-needed services because many of you are there for us! This golf outing is in memory of Ben Koier, who tragically died after his car was hit by a drunk driver. Ben was 19. He is the son of one of our founders, Lisa Schardein.

More information: <https://www.firsthourgrief.org/events/>
Member to contact: Diane Clark Curtis, diane@firsthourgrief.org

Events & Opportunities: Leadership Louisville

By Paul Bolton



What: 2024 Leadership Louisville Luncheon
Organization: Leadership Louisville Center
Date/Time: August 28, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Location: Kentucky International Convention Center

Description: The annual Leadership Louisville Luncheon is a must-attend civic event that gathers over 1,000 of the region's most influential leaders to build connections and together tackle the major issues of our time. The 2024 Luncheon promises a unique perspective on leadership,

featuring two of the state's newest and most prominent faces in sports: Pat Kelsey, Head Coach of the University of Louisville Men's Basketball team and Mark Pope, Head Coach of the University of Kentucky Men's Basketball team.

More information: <https://join.leadershiplouisville.org/event/2024-leadership-louisville-luncheon/e593193>

Member to contact: Paul Bolton, pbolton@leadershiplouisville.org

Note: This section features upcoming events and opportunities to serve with our nonprofit member organizations. Submissions must be from a member (or spouse/partner) of our Club who is either an employee or board member of the organization for which the event/opportunity is being shared. Click [HERE](#) to submit.

Events

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

[RCoL Weekly Club Meeting: Heather French Henry](#)

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

Speaker: Heather French Henry

July 24th, 5:30-6:30 PM

[Re:Center Ministries Dinner](#)

Comment: University Club of Louisville 200 E Brandeis Ave
Louisville, KY 40208
Speaker: Al Snow, Ohio Valley Wrestling

July 25th, 11:30-1:00 PM

[RCoL Weekly Club Meeting: Al Snow](#)

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

Speaker: Al Snow, Ohio Valley Wrestling

July 18th, 11:30-1:00 PM

[RCoL Weekly Club Meeting: Arts Focus](#)

Comment: Kentucky Opera Center 708 Magazine St Louisville, KY
40203

Speaker: Barbara Lynne Jamison / Arts Focus (at Kentucky Opera
Center)

July 25th, 10:30-11:30 AM

[Lifeline Committee Meeting](#)

July 25th, 1:00-2:00 PM

[Service Projects & Grants Committee Meeting](#)

Birthdays



Steven Matly
July 8th



David L. Hardy
July 12th



Heidi Harmon Potter
July 12th



Walter J. Swyers
July 14th



Charles A. Roederer Jr.
July 15th



Kevin W. Cosby
July 15th



Barry Glen Allen
July 19th



Gregory E. Ross, EdD
July 21st



Clifford T. Elgin
July 21st



Tyler N. Allen
July 23rd



Andre Kimo Stone
Guess
July 24th



Richard H.C. Clay
July 24th



Miles Burkholder II
July 25th



Tony H. Coffey
July 25th

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