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TODAY'S SCHEDULE, AUGUST 8TH 2016

- 11:45 Buffet Opens
- 12:15 President Pam Goetting Presiding
Team #8 Greeting, Prayer, Pledge and 4Way Test
- 12:30 Program: Local Military Batteries History - [Jeannine Kreinbrink](#) (James A. Ramage Civil War Museum) ([Steffen](#) / [Volland](#))
- 1:00 Meeting Adjourned

FUTURE 2016 PROGRAMS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

	August
15 Citizen of the Year (Honoring Go Pantry Founders)	Team 1
22 NKU Women's Basketball - Head Coach Camryn Whitaker (Salvers)	Team 2
29 Dinsmore House - Barbara Bardes (Goetting)	Team 3
	September
5 Labor Day - No Meeting (No Newsletter)	
12 Club Assembly / New Member Pinning Ceremony (Goetting)	Team 4
19 State of the County (Howard)	Team 5
26 State of the City (Howard)	Team 6

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

8/15 "CITIZEN OF THE YEAR" "GO PANTRY" FOOD COLLECTION — We are collecting food items during the prior meetings. The food will be presented to Go Pantry on August 15th at our Citizen of the Year ceremony honoring [Katie Hiatt](#) and [Beth McIntire](#). The foods most needed to feed children from our local schools over the weekend are: 1. Snack sized fruit cups; 2. Individual sized cereal or oatmeal; 3. Canned pastas with pull tops; 4. Breakfast bars .

YOUTH EXCHANGE FUND RAISER: [Jacob Haskamp](#), outbound to Japan, is raising money by detailing cars. The cost is \$130. Call 859.242.7504 before his departure on 08/17.

THE YOUTH EXCHANGE PROGRAM—is actively looking for Host Families in the Ryle and Cooper High Schools. Contact [Paida Matibiri](#) or [BJ McClure](#) with leads. We will have 2 exchange students next year.

POLIO: On 24 July Nigeria [marked two years](#) since the last case of wild poliovirus. On the 11 August, it will have been two years since the last case of polio had onset of paralysis **on the African continent.**

Community Activities

- TODAY: [ROB'S KIDS GOLF OUTING: 8/8 from 12-7pm](#)
- [FLORENCE FREEDOM NIGHT OF WORSHIP:](#) Aug.14
- AUGUST 17 FLORENCE FREEDOM—STRICKING OUT CANCER NIGHT. If you'd like to participate in this awesome night, please contact Zach Ziler and [click here](#) to see a flyer.



Taylor, Monty	02
Gay, John	05
Flanagan, Janice	07
Krieg, Paul	07
Stewart, Gary	10
McEvoy, Dennis	11
Wilmhoff, Gary	12
Pile, Julia	15
Hayden, Rick	18

DISTRICT GOVERNOR KEITH KEY urged Florence Rotarians not to lose sight of the power of humanitarian service amid the chaos occurring worldwide.



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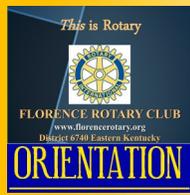
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sweeping the world,” he said. “We are seeing economic change sweeping the world. We have wiped out the middle class by eliminating the manufacturing industry and creating inequality. “The one thing that we should keep the same focus on as Rotarians is health, hunger and humanitarian needs.”

Key, a financial advisor with Merrill Lynch in Lexington, made his first visit to the Florence Rotary Club as district governor for Kentucky Rotary District 6740 at a luncheon on Monday, July 18. He spoke to the group about what it means to be a Rotarian and his goals for the year.

Key said the Rotary International Theme for the year – Rotary Serving Humanity – speaks to the powerful role clubs and individual members can play in a changing world. He noted that Rotary International introduced its fight to end polio with a float in the 1986 Rose Bowl Parade. So far this year, only 19 new cases of polio have been reported worldwide, he said.

“Going around the world and doing projects like this (End Polio Now) puts us in an ideal position to bring the world together one person at a time,” Key said. “We have a great opportunity to engage in conflict management around the world by doing this kind of work.”

Involvement in service projects is the mark of a “real Rotarian” in Key’s view. Development of a fifth grade graduation program for inner city schools made the difference for him. He recalled the joy of staging a graduation ceremony with a policeman or a firefighter at each table to promote positive community relations.

“That’s when I became a real Rotarian,” Key said.

A real Rotarian has a passion for has a passion for personal growth and a passion for helping other people, he noted. The personal growth comes from stepping up to serve when a community need arises.”

“A real Rotarian feels a sense of compassion to meet those needs,” Key said.

Key’s goals for the year are increasing membership and per capita giving to the Rotary Foundation. Achieving those goals will provide additional manpower and resources to support projects worldwide.

Maker Space

On July 25th The Florence Rotary Club toured K-12 STEAM MakerSpace — located in Burlington, Kentucky, on Boone County Fairgrounds. MakerSpace is a regional program serving K-12 students through field trips, workshops and internships. It was made possible through a partnership between Leadership NKY Class of 2015 and Boone County Schools. Through generous support from sponsors, Kentucky’s first kid-focused MakerSpace came to life. They are open for field trips, after-school events, super Saturdays and summer camps.

NKY MakerSpace was a dream of two Boone County Schools robotics teams - the Jr Brainy Bots and the Brainy Bots, but it was only through the dedication and work of LNK 2015 that the dream was realized.

Why are STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts & math) skills so important? Over the next several years, 80% of the fastest growing occupations in the United States depend on employees skilled in science, technology, engineering, the arts and math (STEAM). To maintain our global competitiveness and leadership in these fields, our students must become proficient in STEAM concepts, and more importantly, they must want to learn more.

Interact Club Dominican Republic Program



Mission: To create an environment for the next generation of innovators and entrepreneurs to think, create and build.

Goal: To provide the students of Northern Kentucky and Greater Cincinnati the opportunity to learn through creation in a dedicated ‘Makerspace’.

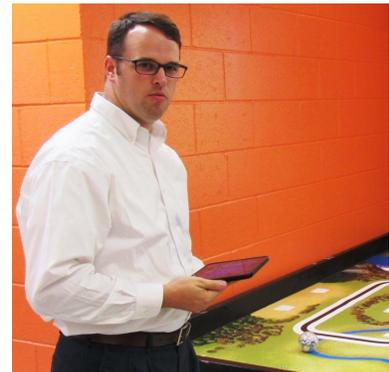
What is a makerspace: A Makerspace is an open community where individuals come together to share resources in a space that fosters creative exploration for the benefit of art, science and culture. They are places where people can experiment with everything from 3D printers to a hammer and nails under the philosophy that everyone can learn by having fun.

Makerspaces have sprung up across the nation in recent years, and now Boone County Schools has provided a facility to create Kentucky’s first K-12 Makerspace facility open to students and families from across the region.

Their charge is to fill that space with equipment and materials that inspire children to dream, think and create.

Activities focus on STEAM education. Students think beyond a test or a

grade – they think for themselves and create new things. They hope to create a model that can be replicated throughout the region.



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