



ROTARY CLUB OF FLORENCE

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Mondays 12 pm at the Hilton
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TODAY'S SCHEDULE, DECEMBER 10th, 2018

- 11:45 Buffet Opens (\$14 for Buffet, Coffee, Tea, & Dessert)
- 12:15 President Jim Ferguson Presiding
Team 9 Greeting, Prayer, Pledge and 4Way Test
- 12:30 Boone County Schools. Deana Izzo (Dieter)
- 1:00 Meeting Adjourned

PROGRAMS

DECEMBER		TEAM
17	Year in Review & Outlook (<u>Ferguson</u>) / <u>Christmas Carols (Griesser)</u>	1
24	Christmas Eve - No Meeting	
31	New Year's Eve - No Meeting	
JANUARY 2019		TEAM
7	The Boone Conservancy - Exe. Director <u>Dave Geohegan (Froelicher)</u>	2
14	Club Assembly / New Member Pinning Ceremony (<u>Schneider</u>)	3
21	Martin Luther King Day - No Meeting	
28	History of Boone County Government. Judge <u>Tony Frohlich (Howard)</u>	4
FEBRUARY 2019		TEAM
4	Cincinnati Art Museum. <u>Carrie Atkins Maras (Steffen)</u>	5
11	President's Day / U.S Grant Historical Society. <u>Patrick McGlade (Froelicher)</u>	6
18	Presidents Day - No Meeting	
25	Art Wave. <u>Jodi Perry, (Froelicher)</u>	7

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FUNDS RAISED during last week's Christmas Concert was **\$6,862.14**. Rounded off we will give \$2,300 to each of the 3 charities. Many thanks to Gary Stewart, Shawn Carroll, Dr. L.D. Campbell, Senator John Schickel, Gary Griesser, John Salyers and the Lakeside Christian Church, our audience & their generous donation — and many, many others (Jim Ferguson).

VOLUNTEER HOURS FROM JULY 1ST TO NOW: Give to Carrie Herrmann, 859-628-7796.

SEEKING 8 NON-PROFIT CSP (Community Service Partners) **FOR NEXT YEAR.**

BRING YOUR TOYS TODAY (12/7) FOR STEINFORD TOY FOUNDATION:

Today is your last chance to bring an unwrapped toy or game to a Rotary meeting. Any cash donation for STF should be made payable to the Florence Rotary Foundation and noted for STF and given to Billy Santos or Greg Palmer. The foundation will match gifts up to \$500 from our members. If you'd like to volunteer to help with toy pickups on Dec 7/10/11, please contact Roger Babik, our Chief Elf (859.816.6087).



Woody's Toy Drive Update

12/10 NEW ROTARY MEMBER ORIENTATION happening on Monday at 11am-11:45am (EST) at the HILTON CINCINNATI AIRPORT. Please let me know if you plan on attending this meeting. **We would like all new members to the Florence Rotary Club to complete this orientation as soon as it is possible.** We will complete this ahead of our scheduled Rotary Meeting (Frank Schneider).

5/18/19 NKY INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL. This is a Rotary Signature event coordinated by the Covington Club. All Rotarians are encouraged to attend. Mark your calendars.

6/1/19 RI CONVENTION. Click to register. Location is Hamburg, Germany.

"WRAPPING UP" A SUCCESSFUL TOY DRIVE by Julia Pile.

The Rotary Club of Florence and Steinford Toy Foundation will be "Wrapping Up" a successful toy drive for the 2018 Holiday Season ending on Monday, December 10th. Donations of unwrapped new or gently used toys are being received at the locations listed below. Donations will be accepted through the weekend and up until noon on Mon-



Rahn, Barb	2-Dec
Badillo, Etienne	12-Dec
Feuss, Paul	13-Dec
Kelly, Louis	20-Dec

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 Past District Gov.

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day, December 10th at the Hilton Cincinnati Airport located on Turfway Road.

"We are so fortunate to live in such a generous community" states project Rotary Club of Florence Chairperson Roger Babik of Master Provisions. "The response this year from businesses and organizations to serve as collection sites has reach over 70 locations and the generosity of our community has grown each year."

During the Great Depression, a Northern Kentucky couple, Rose and George

Steinfeld, witnessed many needy children in their neighborhood who were not experiencing the joys of Christmas. Rose and George, who had no children of their own, assumed the roles of Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus by purchasing, repairing and distributing used toys to these children. Today, that tradition is continued through the Steinford Toy Foundation, founded in 1973, and the Foundation's volunteers that collect and distribute the toys. Last year over 4,000 children in Northern Kentucky were served, up from over 3,000 the previous two years.

Mueller Financial; RC Durr YMCA; Regal Power Transmission; St. Elizabeth; Steffen's Rental; Turbull-Wahlert Construction in Cincinnati; YMCA Senior Center; Ziegler & Schneider.



SOME OF OUR TOY DRIVE PARTNERS:

AAA/Bob Sumerel Tire & Service; Aaron Donald Law; All State Insurance; BB&T Bank; Best Way Disposal; Boone County Public Library; Earl Franks Sons & Daughters; Florence Freedom; Forcht Bank; Gateway Rehabilitation; Heritage Bank; Kenner Dentistry; LaRosa's; Long-branch Elementary; Master Provisions; Melissa Doss Law; Minutemen Press;



Our 59th Annual Rotary Christmas Concert



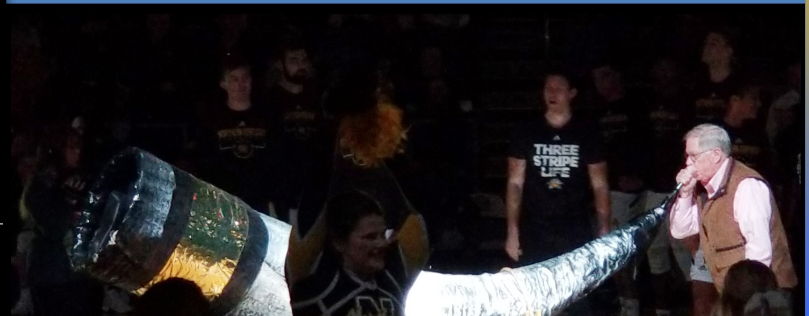
Thank you [Heritage Bank](#)! 18 Locations ... wow!



Thanks to [Jeff Wyler Honda in Florence](#) for inviting our Rotary Interact to start off our holiday season with them and supporting our efforts to serve others in our community and in the [Dominican Republic](#) (Rahn).



Jerry Wear's Pigeon Forge Rotary Presentation



NKU defeated UMBC 78-60. In attendance were the Campbell County, Covington and Florence Rotary Groups. Before the game started, district Governor Dean Hammond was invited down to the court to "Summon the Norse" by blowing into the Gjallarhorn. Also in attendance was past District Governor Keith Key and current Assistant District Governor Greg Palmer.