



# ROTARY CLUB OF FLORENCE

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**Mondays 12 pm at the Hilton**  
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## TODAY'S SCHEDULE, JANUARY 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019

- 11:45 Buffet Opens (\$14 for Buffet, Coffee, Tea, & Dessert)
- 12:15 President Jim Ferguson Presiding  
**Team 3** Greeting, Prayer, Pledge and 4Way Test
- 12:30 Club Assembly / New Member Pinning Ceremony (Schneider)
- 1:00 Meeting Adjourned

### PROGRAMS

JANUARY		TEAM
21	Martin Luther King Day - No Meeting	
28	History of Boone County Government. Judge <u>Tony Frohlich (Howard)</u>	4
FEBRUARY		TEAM
4	Cincinnati Art Museum. <u>Carrie Athkins 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
MARCH		TEAM
4	Living with Purpose. <u>Tony Aloise, (Froelicher)</u>	8
11	Club Assembly / New Member Pinning Ceremony ( <u>Schneider</u> )	9
18	Future of Healthcare. <u>Frank Schneider, (Froelicher)</u>	1
25	Thomas Moore University. <u>Dr. Jagger (Volland)</u>	2

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Attention New or Prospective Members: Please utilize our Ad Buttons. \$100/year.**

**STEINFORD TOY FOUNDATION:** Reached over 1,200 families and 3,800 children received toys! The impact made by the Rotary toy drives is absolutely tremendous - The toys that your team were able collect made an immediate impact for the kids we served. Just from my observation, your collection program far surpassed last year's efforts! And on top of that the sport balls that were able to be donated as a result of receiving the grant were an additional benefit - especially for our older age groups! We realize that the toy drive donations typically support the younger to middle age groups. Your program and the amount of toys you collect allow us to focus our funds to help with better toys for the older age groups - so all age groups do benefit from your program. A great year and many children had a much merrier Christmas as a result of the Rotary efforts! Thank you for all you do! (Roger)

**CSP:** Our first quarter CSPs are **GO Pantry and New Perceptions**. The 8 Community Service Partners for 2019 are: Master Provisions; Mary Rose Mission; New Perceptions; Go Pantry; New Day Ranch; Welcome House; Rob's Kids; & Tattoo Removal. Up to \$500 in donations from Rotary members this quarter will be matched and split equally between GO Pantry and New Perceptions. Donations may be made payable to Florence Rotary Foundation and given to Billy Santos or Greg Palmer. (Roger)

**1/26 RLI.** Your Pathway to Really Understanding Rotary. THE ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE is a series of quality fast-paced, interactive, one-day courses designed to increase a Rotarian's base knowledge of Rotary. Location: Four Points Sheraton on Stanton Way in Lexington. Register online at [www.hoa-rli.org](http://www.hoa-rli.org). (Judy 859.608.9646 or [jmarcum632@gmail.com](mailto:jmarcum632@gmail.com)).

**2/12 FRANKFORT DAY.** Tuesday 7am (Adam Howard).

**3/1-2 INTERACTORS' MURDER MYSTER DINNER:** This will be the two evenings of Friday 3/1 & Saturday 3/2. Their goal is to raise most of the funds needed for the 2019 Dominican Service Trip, and, have fun doing so. Please support their efforts by attending this interactive family-friendly event while solving the 1920s murder mystery. (Barbara Rahn)

**3/4 & 5/6 Team Leader's Meeting, 11:15am-11:45am (Frank)**

**3/28 PETS.** [Midsouthpets.org](http://Midsouthpets.org) in Chattanooga.



Ferguson, JIM	6-Jan
Badillo, ROSIE	12-Jan
Poe, RANDY	15-Jan

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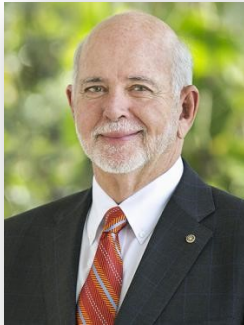
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- 4/5 RI Multi-District Conference, 6740 & 6780 Gatlinburg. The Park Vista Hotel.
- 5/18  **NKY INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL.** This is a Rotary Signature event coordinated by the Covington Club. All Rotarians are encouraged to attend. Mark your calendars.
- 6/1  **RI CONVENTION.** [Click](#) to register. Location is Hamburg, Germany.

## Presidential Message

Barry Rassin, President 2018-19  
January 2019

Vocational service can be hard to define, but it is easy to describe: It is simply the point where our Rotary lives and our professional lives intersect. When we put our Rotary ideals to work through our work, that is vocational service. When I returned to the Bahamas



after many years working in health care administration abroad, I realized that my country badly needed a modern health care facility. The resources we had at the time were out of date and inadequate, and people who were unable to travel abroad for care often did not receive the care they needed. Without the experience I had gained in the United States, I could have done nothing to change the status quo. But since I did have that experience, I was in a unique position to have an impact. I knew I could turn my professional path to good and make a career out of improving Bahamian health care.

As Rotary became part of my journey, I discovered that the words of Paul Harris that became the basis of Rotary — that shared effort knows no limitations — were also true for my vocation. I could not bring modern health care to the Bahamas alone. But through partnership, both with the doctors who eventually became my partners in Doctors Hospital and with all the dedicated staff members who worked in the hospital over the years, we could change everything.

My goal became a shared goal — and then it became reality.

Rotary emphasizes the dignity of every vocation and the worth of every calling. Remember that the four founding members included no doctors or peacemakers — just an attorney, a mining engineer, a coal dealer, and a printer. From the beginning, the diversity of those vocations gave Rotary a special strength. And that diversity is reflected in our classification system, which aims to ensure that each club represents the full range of businesses and professions that serve each community.

Paul Harris put it this way: "Each Rotarian is the connecting link between the idealism of Rotary and his trade or profession." It was true when he said it and should be equally true now. We only spend an hour or two a week at our Rotary meetings, but most of us spend most of our waking time at work. Through Rotary, those hours are also an opportunity for service: a chance to Be the Inspiration to those we work with, those who work for us, and the communities we serve.



Rotarian Duane Froelicher introducing Dave Geohegan of The Boone Conservancy.

a 1920s-Style  
**FLAPPERS, FUN & FURY  
MURDER MYSTERY DINNER**  
presented by  
**Interact**   
Rotary Sponsored Club  
**The Interact Club of Boone County**  
Choose either  
**6pm FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 2019 or**



President [Jim Ferguson](#) giving GO Pantry team member [Laura Dumancic](#) a check for over \$4,000 to support their work providing food for children in our community.



Our district grant at work. Rotarians at work throughout the process of supporting this wonderful organization. [GO Pantry](#)