



ROTARY CLUB OF FLORENCE

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TODAY'S SCHEDULE, JANUARY 28th, 2019

- 11:45 Buffet Opens (\$14 for Buffet, Coffee, Tea, & Dessert)
- 12:15 President Jim Ferguson Presiding
Team 4 Greeting, Prayer, Pledge and 4Way Test
- 12:30 History of Boone County Government. Judge Tony Frohlich (Howard)
- 1:00 Meeting Adjourned



PROGRAMS

| 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 |
| APRIL | | TEAM |
| 1 | Future of Healthcare. <u>Frank Schneider (Froelicher)</u> | 3 |
| 8 | Voice of America (<u>Flanagin</u>) | 4 |

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- AD BUTTONS:** Please consider supporting our club by utilizing our Ad Buttons. \$100/year.
- SAD NEWS:** Our sincere condolences to Julie Pile at the loss of her sister.
- CSP:** **OUR FIRST QUARTER CSPS** are **GO Pantry and New Perceptions**. 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).
- 01/28 BOARD MEETING:** After our lunch meeting.
- 2/12 FRANKFORT DAY.** Tuesday 7am (Adam Howard).
- 3/1-2 INTERACTORS' MURDER MYSTERY 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)
- 3/8 RCOFKY TEACHER OF THE YEAR NOMINATIONS DUE:** Go to FlorenceRotary.org/toy
- 3/28 PETS.** Midsouthpets.org in Chattanooga.
- 4/5 RI MULTI-DISTRICT CONFERENCE,** 6740 & 6780 Gatlinburg. The Park Vista Hotel.
- 4/22 RCOFKY TEACHER OF THE YEAR PRESENTATION**
- 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.

BOONE CONSERVANCY SAVING GREEN SPACE FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS

Written By: Patrick Moynahan

Think back to a time when you were a child and your family went to a park and took a little hike.

Think about the things you did. Skipping rocks in a creek ... laughing at the family dog splashing in the water.

Think about the sights and sounds. Trees reflecting on the water ... snakes and spiders and butterflies ... birds chirping and flitting here and there.

Those are the kinds of memories Dave Geohegan urged members of the Rotary Club of Florence to think about during a presentation on The Boone Conservancy at the Hilton Airport Cincinnati recently. The conservancy is in the business of creating green spaces for future generations of youngsters to create such memories.

| Happy Birthday | |
|-------------------|--------|
| Booth, Herb | 1-Feb |
| Addington, Ian | 12-Feb |
| Hodges, JERRY | 12-Feb |
| Monohan, Ed | 12-Feb |
| Moynahan, Patrick | 16-Feb |
| Shipe, Brad | 24-Feb |
| Lynch, Mike | 28-Feb |
| Siefert, Hannah | 29 Feb |

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“What you see (outdoors) is off-the-wall stuff,” said Geohegan, project development associate for the non-profit conservation group. “When you go out in the woods (today), you see things you won’t see tomorrow.”

Established in 1999, The Boone Conservancy purchases land and accepts donations of property to preserve and manage. The conservancy either maintains the land or develops it into a park for public recreation, picnicking, hiking, horseback riding, etc.

Geohegan spent 25 years on the Boone County Planning Commission. The com-

mission approves residential and commercial development. The rapid growth of the county over the past quarter of center means he helped create a lot of traffic, he joked.

“Now I’m working on the other side.”

The other side is islands of nature that buffer population growth. Geohegan showed before/after slides of land off Burlington Pike the organization transformed into Conservancy Park in Belleview. A sand and gravel business previously operated on the land.

The gravel pit, old equipment on the property and spilled oil in places created a county

eyesore, according to Geohegan. It’s now a “really neat park” with lush grassland, a picnic shelter, and a fishing lake with a .63-mile hiking loop around it.

Visitors can take their children away from YouTube and video games awhile and help them build memories there of swallows swooping into the bird boxes in spring, of the thrill of catching that first bass in a summer fishing outing.

“A lot of the projects we are working on are kinda boring really ... until you think about the people down the line who will enjoy them,” Geoghegan said.



FLAPPERS, FUN & FURY MURDER MYSTERY DINNER

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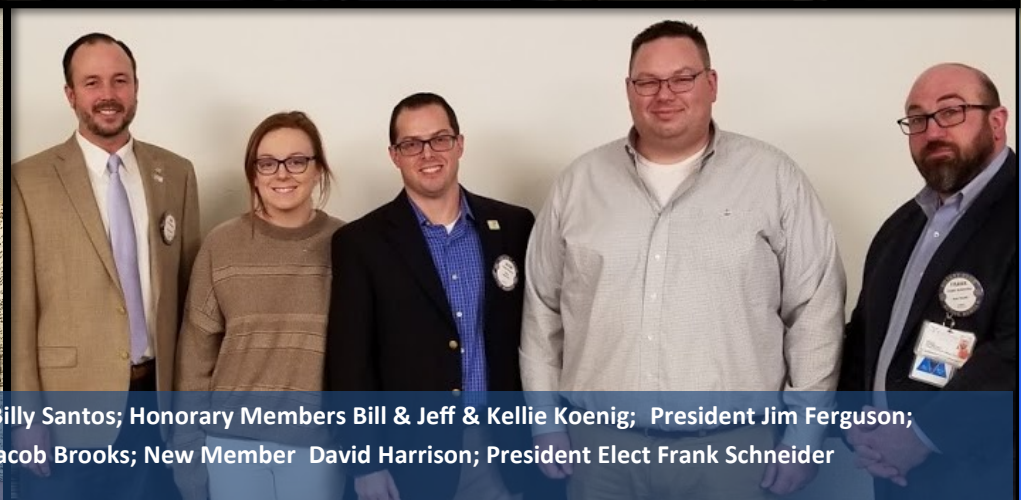
The Interact Club of Boone County

Choose either

6pm FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 2019 or

6pm SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2019

Boone County Extension Enrichment Center



Our Rotary Pinning Ceremony: L to R: Billy Santos; Honorary Members Bill & Jeff & Kellie Koenig; President Jim Ferguson; New Member Hannah Siefert; Jacob Brooks; New Member David Harrison; President Elect Frank Schneider