

Rotary Club of Florence

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Mondays 12 @ Ignite Institute
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 District 6740
 859-334-0157



Rotary Opens Opportunities



Today's virtual schedule, March 8th 2021

- 11:45 Hybrid Meeting: [Lunch \\$7 \(Sign-Up\)](#) or Home Buffett
- 12:00 Pres. Peter Weickgenannt Presiding
Team 1 Prayer, Pledge and 4Way Test
- 12:15 Children's Home of NKY Behav. Health. CEO Rick Wurth (Duane)
- 1:00 Meeting Adjourned



UPCOMING PROGRAMS

MAR-15	OFFSITE Answer's in Genesis	Mark Looy (Duane)
MAR-22	IT Supply Solutions	Mike Franksman (Pile)
MAR-29	Free Radical Ranch	Jennifer Myka (Malekadel)
APR-5	Team Goals	Duane (Duane)
APR-12	No Meeting — Spring Break	
APR-19	Caza Sikes Gallery	Graydon Sikes (Duane) (Keeling)
APR-26	TEACHER OF THE YEAR	
MAY-3	The RISE Academy, Boone Cty. Schs.	Dr. Joe Hibbett (Pile)

PEOPLE OF ACTION

- ⇒ **ZOOM MEETING:** t.ly/ggBh. **IN-PERSON SIGN-UP:** t.ly/8f6C. Institute 37 Atlantic Avenue, Erlanger, KY 41018. [Sign up now](#) 2/26. Limit is 24. Only 9 have signed up.
- ⇒ **TEACHER OF THE YEAR:** Applications are on our [website](https://www.florencekyrotary.org/toy), [FlorenceRotary.org/toy](https://www.florencekyrotary.org/toy). The nominations are due on **March 19th**. The recipients will be celebrated at our meeting on Monday, **April 26th** ([Barb Keeling](#), 859-384-9149).
- ⇒ **GREAT PROGRAMS:** We have some really great programs. If you are unable to attend you can still view them. Please let [Carrie](#) know as this counts towards your attendance. Click here to "CATCH UP" <https://www.facebook.com/RotaryClubFlorenceKY/videos/>
- ⇒ **PETER'S PRESIDENTIAL GOALS:** Membership, 90; Service, 65; New Member Sponsor, 20; Leadership Dev. Ppt., 3; D. Conf. Attend, 2; D. Training Ppt., 2; Annual Fund Contrib., \$10,000; Polio Contr., \$2,500; Service Projects, 4; Interact Clubs, 1; Continue online; Socials, 3; Media stories, 1.
- ⇒ **OUR 1ST QUARTER CSP** (community service partners): [GO Pantry](#) and [New Perceptions](#). To volunteer with [Go Pantry](#), please contact Beth McIntire, beth@GOpantry.org, or sign up at gopantry.org to help at one of their 1Q pack events. See Shawn Carroll, or call the New Perceptions office at 859-344-9322, for volunteer opportunities there. The Rotary Club of Florence will match up to \$250 in donations each quarter. Donations to either organization can be made at: www.florencerotary.org.
- ⇒ **MEAL AD** \$100/quarter & runs weekly. **PATRON AD** is \$100/year runs every 3rd week.
- ⇒ **AMAZON SMILES:** Simply [Click](#) the 1st option — "Florence Rotary Club Foundation Inc". EIN 27-1752838. 15200 Porter Rd, Verona, KY 41092
- ⇒ **KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS SIGNUP:** [Click to your local Kroger Store and use "The Florence Rotary Foundation, Inc."](#) Won't affect Reward points.
- ⇒ **VOLUNTEER HOURS:** Please turn in to [Carrie Herrmann](#)
- ⇒ **PRESENTATIONS:** If you have something that you would like to speak to the club about, we may have speaker slots open ([Erin](#), Duane or Peter).
- ⇒ **Jun-20, 2021 RI CONVENTION** in [Taipei](#). Early [Registration](#) Open, \$315. Early registration has been extended through February 15
- ⇒ **WHO ARE WE:** We are a community service organization focusing on "service above self". Guests are always welcome. More info: www.florencerotary.org or [Facebook](#).
- ⇒ **PHOTOS NEEDED FOR DACDB.** To upload your photo, 1st login [here t.ly/P33Pe](https://t.ly/P33Pe) then click [here t.ly/y55d0](https://t.ly/y55d0). **DACDB COORDINATOR SOUGHT.** [Carrie Herrmann](#)
- ⇒ **RULE OF 85:** Let [Jim](#) know if your "age" + "number of years" of membership is **85**
- ⇒ **EVERY ROTARIAN EVERY YEAR:** To give a \$100 per year to our Foundation is an effortless way to work towards becoming a Paul Harris Fellow. It is \$8.34/month.
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Dieter, Beth	20-Mar
Webster, Matt	20-Mar
Volland, Don	24-Mar
Schickel, John	29-Mar

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Scholarship Applications are now open!

Teacher of the Year nominations are now open!

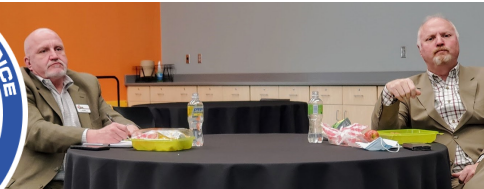
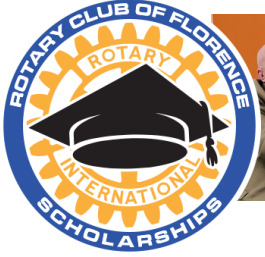
Deadline to Apply: Friday, March 12, 2021

Apply: www.florence Rotary.org/scholarship-application

Any student who attends a Boone County school (public or private)

Nominate at: www.florence Rotary.org/toy

Deadline: Friday, March 19, 2021



Holger Knaack President 2020-21 March 2021



As someone who knows firsthand the great leadership potential of Rotaractors, I always look forward to World Rotaract Week, which we are celebrating from 8 to 14 March. Rotaractors are the focus of all three of my presidential conferences this year, and I was proud when, two years ago, the Council on Legislation voted to elevate Rotaract by including Rotaract clubs as members of Rotary International. Before that, the Council had already made dual membership possible, and shortly after, the Board of Directors decided to do away with Rotaract's age limits.

But we are only just embarking on our journey together. Partnering effectively doesn't happen by itself. It requires both sides to be open and to understand the value of cross-generational alliances. Louie De Real, a dual member of Rotaract and Rotary, explains.

Joint virtual meetings have helped Rotaractors introduce Rotarians to new ideas and tools, pioneering unique ways for clubs to collaborate. In the case of pandemic and disaster response, Rotaract clubs used social media to coordinate efforts, drive information, and fundraise, while Rotary clubs used their networks and resources to amplify support, provide logistics, and bring the goods and services to communities.

Rotaractors' innovative virtual engagement and professional development activities inspired Rotarians to support and follow suit. The pandemic made Rotaract clubs realize that we can immediately connect and partner with Rotary clubs through virtual platforms. With constant collaboration, we realize that Rotary and Rotaract indeed complement each other — that we are part of a single organization with shared goals.

Both sides add value. Rotarians can be mentors and service partners to Rotaractors, while Rotaractors can demonstrate to Rotarians that difficult jobs can be simplified and limitations can be surpassed through digital approaches. This synergy motivates Rotaractors to become future Rotarians: I joined Rotary because Rotarians gave me memorable membership experiences through inspirational moments of collaboration. I needed to be a Rotarian to inspire Rotaractors the same way, now and in the future.

That same synergy leads Rotarians to realize that while Rotaractors may have a different culture, we all share a common vision of uniting people to take action. Rotaract's unique ways of doing things serve as inspiration for innovation, helping Rotary increase its ability to adapt to future challenges. Rotarians and Rotaractors will build the future together, so let's start today.

I see no difference between a Rotary club and a Rotaract club, except perhaps for the average age!

Many Rotarians still view Rotaract as our youth organization, but I see it differently. For me, they are part of us, and they are like us. To be successful together, we need to have mutual respect — to see each other as equals. Let's see Rotaractors for who they really are: students and young leaders, but also successful managers and entrepreneurs who are capable of planning, organizing, and managing a Rotary institute — including breakout sessions in five languages — as they did in Berlin in 2014.

As we take this journey together, let's remember the strengths of Rotary and Rotaract. And, as Louie says, let's get started right away in building the future together. In doing so, we open endless opportunities for our organization.its best. I encourage you to visit rppi.ch to explore the projects and support them.

We have lasted 116 years because of our strong ethics, our passion for Service Above Self, and our unique approach to problem-solving. One of our greatest strengths is how we reach across our communities and across national, ethnic, religious, and political divisions to unite people of all backgrounds and to help others. This month, let's celebrate our history and the many ways that *Rotary Opens Opportunities* to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace, our ultimate mission.



RICK WURTH – CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER AND CHIEF DEVELOPMENT OFFICER AT CHILDREN'S HOME OF NORTHERN KENTUCKY

MON, MAR 8 AT 11:45 AM EST

RCofKy - Childrens Home of Northern Kentucky with Rick Wurth

FRI, MAR 19 AT 5 PM EDT

Rotary Club of Florence - Teacher of the Year Nomination Deadline