



Rotary Club of Florence

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Schedule for Monday October 23, 2023

- 12:00 CATERED BUFFETT LUNCH, \$12 FEB.
- 12:15 President Elect Ian Addington, Prayer, Pledge and 4Way Test
- 12:25 World Polio Day, Greg Palmer (Kenton Club Visiting)
- 13:00 Dismiss



UPCOMING PROGRAMS

- Oct 30 Our Fellow Kentuckians: Dr. Jim Claypool (Duane)
- Nov 6 Citizen of the Year, Barb Keeling
- Nov 13 Trends in Co-ops & Corporate Dev. - Keeping Employees, Debby Shipp
- Nov 20 Salyers Scholarship Fund Annual Celebration, Teri Vonhandorf



PEOPLE OF ACTION

Bring a friend, double the impact - let us make a difference together!

- MEETING LOCATION N.K. Area Development District (NKADD) Address: 22 Spiral Dr, Florence, KY
- We are currently seeking a **TREASURER** and a **COMMUNICATIONS/MARKETING COORDINATOR** to join us in supporting our vision and making a positive impact on the community.
- Share Your Happy Moments for Just \$1 during HAPPY DOLLARS.**
- PRAYERS:** Please keep Don Volland, Mark Looy, Dr. Booth, & Bob Gutzeit in your thoughts & prayers.
- October 23rd:** Team 4 will welcome all to the meeting. Team Lead: Duane Froelicher
Members: Susan Annear, Joe Bailey, Dottie Dotson, Wayne Hartke, Janey McEntyre, Michelle Owen, Mary Price
- October 23rd:** Board Meeting Dates (11/20; 12/18; 1/22; 2/26; 3/18; 4/22; 5/20; 6/17)
- October 24th:** **World Polio Day** & Kenton County Golf Ball Drop supporting Polio Eradication.
- December 4th:** Financial Literacy/Reading Night at Stephens Elementary
- January 2024:** Nominate two 8th graders for the DISTRICT YOUTH LEADERSHIP RETREAT! Sponsored applications.
- UPLOAD PHOTOS HERE:** [Photo Upload Link](#)
- LOG VOLUNTEER HOURS:** Go to DACdb, select "My Data," and then under Service Projects, go to "Manage Projects."
- Off Meeting Weeks. Team Meeting Weeks. Teams Will Start Reporting Out During their Hosting Weeks
- Help with the VETERANS MEMORIAL REHAB PROJECT** - Contact Ian.
- Interested in YOUTH EXCHANGE PROGRAMS?** Please inform the front desk. We offer short-term and long-term options.
- Share your SIGNATURE EVENT FUNDRAISING IDEAS with Duane.** We're eager to raise funds for a worthy cause!
- On your birthday or anniversary, please consider making a donation equal to your age or years to:**
 - * Rotary Club of Florence Foundation - See Leon S or Greg P
 - * The Rotary Foundation (TRF) - [Donate Here](#)
 - * John & Connie Salyers Hands Up Scholarship Fund (payment may be made to our foundation)
 - * Polio Plus Fund - [Donate Here](#)
- ROTARY MEMBERSHIP: JOIN ROTARY, CHANGE LIVES.** We are accepting new members. If you are interested in membership, please complete this [New Member Form](#) or ask Carrie for a printed copy.
- Exciting opportunities to speak at our club!** Contact Don Volland for available slots. Our programs are top-notch, and you can view them if absent. Please inform the Welcome Desk to record attendance. Click to "CATCH UP" on [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#).
- Need a new badge?** Fill out this [form](#).
- KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS SIGNUP:** Click [here](#) to select your local Kroger Store and use "The Florence Rotary Foundation, Inc." This won't affect your Reward points.
- Join a committee today!** Options include: Community Engagement and Honors, Community Service, Club Service, Membership, International, Next Gen, and Weekly Meetings (Welcome Desk).



Member Birthdays	
Hamblen, Brad	5-Nov
Zillman, Marcus	7-Nov
Gutzeit, Pat	10-Nov
Palmer, Greg	16-Nov
Sample, Leon	22-Nov

IMPORTANT DATES	
11/6	CITIZEN OF THE YEAR
12/4	CHRISTMAS CONCERT

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Polio Plus Day - Rotary is Winning and We Make a Difference

Written By: [Tim Herrmann](#), [Rotary Club of Florence](#)

Join the [Rotary Club of Florence, serving all of Boone County \(@FlorenceRotary\)](#), on Monday, October 23, 2023 at noon as we hear Rotary club member [Greg Palmer](#), President at Palmer Capital Management, Inc., sharing information about “Polio Plus Day.”

Rotary International has been fighting polio since 1979, with our efforts to vaccinate 6 million children in the Philippines. In 1985, Rotary International launched PolioPlus, the first and largest internationally coordinated private-sector support of a public health initiative, with an initial fundraising target of US\$120 million. With an estimated 350,000 cases of polio internationally, in 1985 Rotary International and the World Health Organization launched the Global Polio Eradication Initiative.

[Greg Palmer](#) has been with the Rotary Club of Florence since 2002, having previously served as president and is currently District Governor Nominee for District 6740.



LAST WEEK’S PROGRAM

Rotarian [Josh Batchelor](#), Funeral Director of [Linnemann Funeral Homes](#), shared about about “The Importance of Funeral Planning and Funeral Misconceptions.”

“Planning for the end of life is not anything anyone wants to talk about, it is a difficult conversation to have to talk about you or your loved one’s wishes. Having decisions made ahead of time or having conversations about what you would like to happen is a gift that you can give your loved ones. My father preplanned and paid for his funeral, it made the very difficult time of his passing two years ago less stressful in that we knew exactly what he wanted which eliminated family arguments and there was not a sudden financial burden on

our family,” shares Julie Pile, President of the Rotary Club of Florence. Having been a law firm administrator for 20 years, she has seen the ugly side of estate administration first hand when a loved one doesn’t leave specific directions for their heirs and everyone starts arguing, often over the smallest details.



Why is having a funeral important?

- **Meaning** - A funeral service can mark the significance of the life that was lived. It also helps us find meaning and purpose in our continued living, even in the face of loss.
- **Expression** - A funeral service can allow us to express our inner thoughts and feelings about life and death.
- **Support** - A funeral service can bring together people who care about each other in an atmosphere of love and support.
- **Remembrance**- A funeral service can encourage us to remember the person who died and share our unique memories with others, creating hope for the future.
- **Reality** - A funeral service can help us begin to truly acknowledge the reality that someone in our life has died.