

Upcoming Speakers

April 2014

04/22 - Quilt Show
04/30 - Dr. Griffin Bicking, DO, Vasc Surgeon,
Baptist Health Paducah

May 2014

05/07 - Jim Sayre as Abraham Lincoln,
Chautauqua Presentation
05/14 - Arch Gleason, Kentucky Lottery
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Birthdays

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April 17

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April 26

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May 07

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May 12

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More than Just a Hospital



Baptist Health CEO, Steven Hanson, said the nearly 100 year old Kentucky hospital system would focus even more resources on healthcare as a partnership to enhance the health of the citizens of the Commonwealth. "Our health status is dismal in Kentucky," said Hanson. Recently, the state was ranked 49th in well being beating out West Virginia.

Hanson said Baptist Health would be focused on providing a number of efforts including patient education and fitness in schools, for example. Baptist Health will

also be shifting away from treatment by volume to a value-based care system. Collaboration among health care providers so Baptist can better coordinate care for patients will be key. This effort will encompass preventative care, home care, post acute care, health insurance and more. "A full continuum of care from birth to death," Hanson said.

Speaking of births, Baptist Health Paducah has brought more than 78,000 babies into the world since it opened in 1953 with 115 beds. The hospital has grown to 349 beds and is a leader in health care by opening the first heart center in 2007 and has the regions only nationally certified primary stroke center and Neonatal Intensive Care Unit.

Baptist Health Paducah employs 1,750 employees with a payroll that totals \$75 million and generates an additional \$73 million in local economic activity from its purchases and those made by employees. Healthcare makes up 18% of the workforce in McCracken County.

"Healthcare done right is a partnership. Everyone has a role to play to moving Kentucky off the bottom rung of the ladder of well being," said Hanson.

Announcements

April 16th, 2014



April is Rotary Magazine Month

The Annual Rotary Antique Quilt Show is only scant days away and there are still volunteer opportunities available for the Club's largest annual fundraiser. Please email or call Debbie if you can help. There will no meeting next week due to the Quilt Show. President Chris gave special recognition to this year's sponsors: Bluegrass Honda, Banterra Bank, and CSI.

John Williams, Sr. honored Sandra



Wilson and Steve Powless with Paul Harris Fellowships Plus One.

Condolences to the family of former Rotarian Ron Stonecipher, who passed away on Tuesday.

Community Donation

Danny Carroll accepted a donation from the Club on behalf of the West Kentucky

Easter Seals Center.

Rotary Foundation Status:

Every Rotarian Every Year - 98% of Club
 Paul Harris Fellows - 77 members, 44% of Club
 Paul Harris Society - 33 members, 19% of Club

Guests

April 16th, 2014

Student Guests: Ross Whittaker, St. Mary High School; Fletcher Lyon, Alex Housman, and Courtney Nussabaumer, McCracken County High School; and Andrew Zaninovich, Paducah Tilghman High School.

Whitney Denson, guest of Sandra Wilson;

Dona Rains, Don Walker, and Jeff Holland – guests of Laurie Latham;

Donald Shively, Barbara Allen, and Brandon Morgan – guests of Chris McNeill;

Dr. Brad Housman and Katherine Joiner – guests of Dr. Pat Withrow;

Dr. Rick Smith – guest of Ken Wheeler;

Matt Cherry – guest of Jamie Futrell;

Mike Smalley – guest of Bob Johnston;

Bill Dowell – guest of Chad Pruitt;

Brenda Robey, Jim Waters, Polly Bechtold, Cole Samuelson, and Lindsey Noesen – guests of Mike Muscarella;

Bill Brown – guest of Bonnie Schrock.