

Upcoming Programs

[Bob Leeper - Chiropractic by the Numbers... An Update on Research](#)

January 02

[Lt. Governor Jerry Abramson - KY Tax Reform](#)

January 09

[Jim LeFevre - KY Transportation Cabinet](#)

January 16

[Dr. Michael Karpf - UK Medical Center](#)

January 23

[President Randy Dunn- Murray State University](#)

January 30

Club Leaders

Missy R Eckenberg
President

Chris McNeill
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Birthdays

David R. Clark
December 29

George G Sirk Jr.
January 06

Daniel Sene
January 10

Joni F. Goodman
January 11

John R Anderson Jr.
January 15

Charles O. Heyduck
January 20

John W. Harris
January 21

Kenneth M. Schuppert Sr.
January 24

Tommy E Nuckolls
January 25

Edward A. Hely
January 25



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Former Athlete Heals Others



As a quarterback for Duke, **Spencer Romine** had seven surgeries in five years. It was then Romine decided, "It was better to do the cutting than to be cut on." Now Dr. Romine specializes in Sports Medicine as a surgeon with the Orthopaedic Institute of Western Kentucky and has brought a new surgical technique to Paducah to help many young athletes who have torn ACL's.

Dr. Romine says ACL injuries are very common, but his treatment is not. He is the only surgeon in Kentucky who performs the surgery, which replaces or reconstructs the ACL near where it would naturally be. He says the surgery reduces pain short and long term, as well as leaves the knee stronger.

Dr. Romine was an assistant physician with the Atlanta Falcons and is the brother-in-law of Rotarian Joni Goodman. For more information on his practice visit <http://www.orthoinstitutewky.com>.

Announcements

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Our Sympathy – The club extends its sympathy to Rotarian Brenda Allcock on the loss of her sister, Marilyn Hughes Reed. We will keep her in our thoughts and prayers.



Entertainment

- For the final meeting of the year, the Club was put in the Christmas Spirit by 5th graders from Concord Elementary. **The Singsations** sang a number of merry tunes.

Salvation Army Bell Ringing - Head Ding-a-ling Hal Sullivan reported the annual **Salvation Army Kettle Drive** was a huge success with a take that was up 20% over last year totaling \$6,189.67. Bell ringer **George Sirk** scored the biggest prize of the day when a generous soul dropped a pair of diamond earrings in his bucket.

Rotary on the Move Schedule:

January 8th at Paducah Cooperative Ministry

March 12th at the Railroad Museum

Contact Robyn at Robyn@retheadvertising.com for more information.

Next Meeting -

Rotarians will return on **January 2nd** for a presentation by **Bob Leeper** on Chiropractic

Therapies.



Rotary Executive Secretary - Please say 'hello' to the new Rotary Executive Secretary, Bonnie Dick.

Guests

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Student Guests

Jana Everette – Middle College
Jenna Summerlin – Lone Oak High School

Guests

Sarah Hendley – Missy Eckenberg
Esther Widger – Michael Resnick
Gregory Judice – Mike Muscarella
Sam Whittaker – Dee Dee Whittaker
Kathryn Lembach – Mike Muscarella
Lee Ann Morse – Mike Muscarella