

## Upcoming Speakers

August 2014

08/06 - Tammy Zimmerman, The Changing World of Credit Card Processing  
08/13 - Intexticated  
08/20 - Steve Kyle, Paducah Fire Chief  
08/27 - Lori Meadows, Kentucky Arts Council Director

## Club Leaders

**Jamie Futrell**

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**Debbie DeWeese**

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## Birthdays

**Victor Sredl**

July 31

**Robyn Shapiro**

August 01

**Dwane Tucker**

August 01

**Christopher Sims**

August 01

**Cathy Creclius**

August 04

**Patrick Withrow**

August 04

**Brian J. Laczko**

August 07

**Dave Hoffman**

August 09

**Wayne M. Shelton**

August 09

**Steven A. Powless**

August 11

**John G Barker**

August 12

**Bill Glenn Holsapple**

August 15

**Kevin Peck**

August 15

**James Patrick Mobley**

August 16

**Scott Davis**

August 17

**Jennifer E Humphreys**

August 19

**Frank Shelton**

August 23

**Lisa Long**

August 24

**Joshua E White**

August 26

**Matthew N. Cherry**

August 27

**Carolyn T. Roberts**

August 31



# GearTeeth

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## Meeting Murray State University's New President

July 30th 2014



Dr. Robert O. Davies has only just assumed his duties as the 13th president of Murray State University, but he and his family are already in love with the region. Davies, a native westerner came to MSU by a coincidence involving his 13 year old daughter. The young horse lover had already set a career goal of working at the Kentucky Horse Park after choosing MSU as her college choice due to its nationally acclaimed equine program. As fate would have it, Dr. Davies received a call informing him he was nominated to apply for the school's presidency. He officially began his duties on July 15th.

Dr. Davies looks forward to forming new partnerships and strengthening existing ones in the region with local schools

and officials. He feels strongly about the meaning behind the three stars featured on the MSU emblem, which stand for achievement, endeavor and hope. He hopes to instill those values in moving MSU forward and enhancing the university's national reputation in a number of programs, including accounting, telecommunications and health risk management.

For more information about what's happening at MSU visit <http://www.murraystate.edu>.

## Announcements

July 30th 2014

Rotarians are strongly urged to participate in the annual **Red Cross Blood Drive** on August 11<sup>th</sup> between noon and 6 pm in Iger Hall at the Broadway United Methodist Church. Friends, family and employees of Rotarians may also donate blood. You may schedule a time to participate using a sign up sheet available at each weekly meeting.




The Collings Foundation **Wings of Freedom Tour** is coming to Barkley Airport July 30, 31, and August 1. The tour consist of the 3 of the most famous planes of WWII ... a B-17 Bomber, a B-24 Liberator, and a P-51 Mustang, which will be available for tours and even flights. Admission is \$12 for adults, kids 12 and under \$6, and WWII Veterans can tour for free. Flights are 30 minutes each and the costs are \$450 for the two bombers, and \$2200 for the P-51 Mustang which includes

'stick time' where you can fly the plane as it is the only full dual-cockpit P-51 still flying. The majority of the cost of the flights is tax deductible. The planes will be available to tour from 2p-5p Wed. July 30, 9a-5p Thursday July 31, and 9a-12p on Friday Aug. 1. Anyone wanting to book a flight in advance is asked to call 800-568-8924.

President Jamie announced Rotary International informed him the Paducah Rotary Club ranks 2<sup>nd</sup> in District 6710 in per capita giving. The Club raised more than \$33,000, which translates to an average of \$184 per member.

## Guests

July 30th, 2014



Kate Lochte – guest of Debbie Wattier;

Gina Winchester – guest of Laurie Latham and Jennifer Humphreys;

Dr. Tena Payne – guest of Dr. Barbara Veazey;

Catherine Sivills, Jim Carter, Dana Howard, Allie Douglas, Jeremy McKeel, Shasta O'Neil – guests of the club;

Emily Erwin, Summer Davis, Martha Anne Bailey, and Lauren Rouse – guests of Mike Muscarella.