

Upcoming Programs

Ashley Wright - Volunteer Paducah
June 12
Amy Goebel - Occupational Therapist
June 19
President's Day
June 26

Birthdays

J. Patrick Kerr
June 10
Richard J. Grana
June 13
Joe Framptom
June 14
Lynn King
June 15
Jill T. Chambers
June 16
Dee Dee Whittaker
June 19
Steve Shrewsberry
June 20
Ashley Grooms
June 24
Debbie Wattier
June 25
Richard R. Veazey
June 29
Michael K. Stone
June 30
Allen Allen Dossey
July 01
Lee Powell
July 04
Barbara Veazey
July 05
Hal N. Sullivan
July 06



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Life With a Royal Family Member



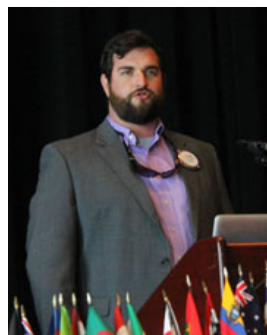
Lavish meals, palaces and a globe trotting, jet setting lifestyle were once a matter of course for Kevin Kerns, the Tennis Pro at the Country Club of Paducah, and to some extent it still is. Unfortunately, as the saying goes, "If I told you who it was then I would have to kill you."

Although the names must not be revealed, Kerns entertained Rotarians with stories about how he was hired by royalty and his travels afterwards. Kerns actually answered a want ad for a tennis professional and was flown in for an interview with 200 other applicants. After making the cut to the final five, he walked away with an envelope of cash, a gold Rolex watch and a job offer that many people could dream about.

Kerns was well qualified for the position as a member of the 1978 Junior David Cup Team who went on to a five-year professional career ranked in the Top 100 Doubles Players and the Top 200 Singles. Kerns jokingly said his greatest claim to fame was losing to John McEnroe in 5 sets at the U.S. Open. Since then he used his talents in teaching others how to play the game and has happily found a home in Paducah along with his wife, a Paducah native.

Announcements

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Rotary Song - The Club was entertained by fellow Rotarian Josh Wright who belted out a selection from *Les Miserables*, which opens this weekend at the Market House Theatre. The production also stars fellow Rotarian Maurie McGarvey and is directed by Michael Cochran.

Birthday Wishes - Happy Birthday to all the June babies! Steve Shrewsberry was the winner of the Birthday Floral Arrangement provided by The Green Door.

Club Condolences - The Club offers Condolences to the family of Randy Bridges on the passing of his mother.

Club Congratulations - The club congratulates the family of Zach Hosman, who is the father of a new baby girl.

Rotary Riddle - What non-profit organization that our club supports was featured as a 200 point double-jeopardy answer. The answer is - The National Quilt Museum. Look for a video clip on Newschannel 6 Facebook.

International Water Project - Welcome home Ralph Young! He just returned from Mexico where he completed the Club's International Water Project in Villahermosa. Ralph has a pictorial overview ready to show the Club next week. These are Rotary Foundation dollars at work and all Purchase District clubs and the Metropolis, IL club joined with us to make this happen and help those in need of clean water!

Club Attendance - Jamie Futrell announced Club attendance for May was 58.6% with 78 Rotarians racking up a perfect score. One of those, Anita Ward, was the winner of two tickets to Holiday World.

Rotarian Magazine - David Kelly gave a report on an article from the May Rotarian Magazine. The article is entitled, "Pomp and Happenstance: How to Give a Great Commencement Speech."

Rotarians of the Month of May - Laura Duff for providing two deserts for the Polio Plus Auction and the Oklahoma Tornado Relief effort, Allan Rhodes, Jr. for Reading PALS and helping with the Hurricane Sandy and Oklahoma Tornado Relief efforts, and Desiree Owen for using her writing skills weekly for the GearTeeth newsletter - all received special pins as Rotarians of the Month presented by President Missy for their Service Above Self.

Rotaract - Rotarians are invited to attend the year-end transition festivities at Glisson Tasting Vineyard on June 17th at 5:30 pm.

Rotary on the Move - The next *Rotary on the Move* will be held at the Purchase Area Sexual Abuse Center on June 11th at 5:30 pm. The PASAC building is located at 1605 N. Friendship Road near Guy Gray.

Community Donations

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President Missy presented a check on behalf of the Club to Deena May and Andrea Greer to the Paducah Day Nursery and congratulated them for their good work in providing safe and affordable daycare for children.

Guests

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Kimberly Cyrus –guest of Laura Duff
Gary Dyer – guest of Zach Hosman
Hannah Elpers, Kayci Neuhaus, Cody Burnett, and Lori Harris – guests of Mike Muscarella
Tim Straley – guest of Rebecca Straley
Lynn Foster – guest of John Anderson
Julie Harris – guest of Mary Hammond
Cindy Miller – guest of Michael Cochran
Debe Sullivan and Leslie Bassi – guests of Hal Sullivan
Connor Rennegarbe – guest of John Anderson, III

