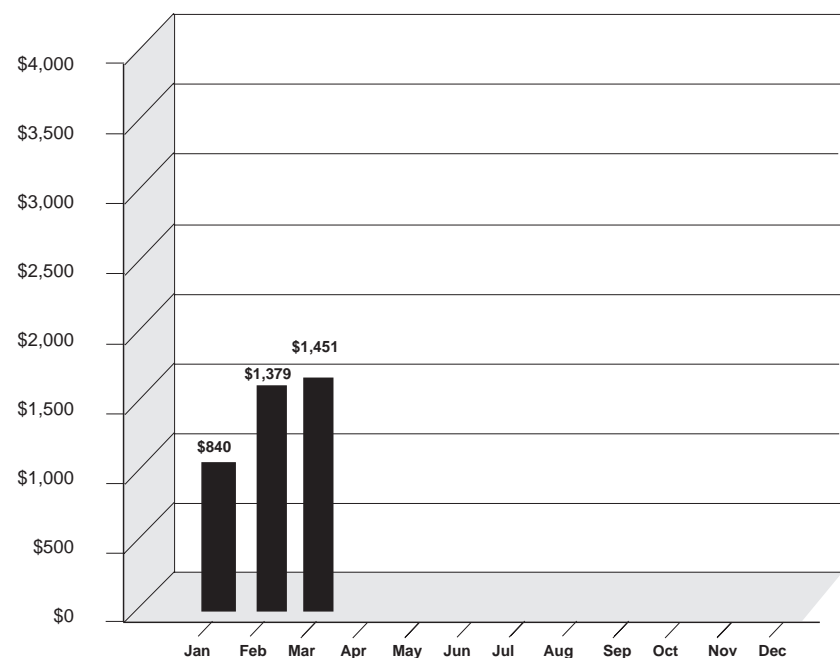


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The Rotary Toyota Bluegrass Miracle League Committee is sponsoring the opening game day on Saturday, April 11. Several Rotarians will be there to throw out the first pitch at each game and serve as umpires and assistant coaches.

All Rotarians are welcome and encouraged to come out to watch a game or two and cheer for the players. Games are at 10am and 1:45pm. Your presence will be genuinely appreciated by the players and their families.

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— TODAY'S PROGRAM —

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INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS: Larry Chiles  
 INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER: Lyle Hanna  
 PROGRAM: Dr. Augusta Julian, President  
 Bluegrass Community and Technical College

MEET OUR GUEST SPEAKER



DR. AUGUSTA A. JULIAN

Augusta A. Julian is president of Bluegrass Community and Technical College in Lexington. She is a former member of the Maysville, KY Rotary Club, where she served on the board of directors.

A native of Greensboro, North Carolina, she attended UNC-Greensboro, UNC-Chapel Hill and NC State University, where she earned her BA, M.Ed. & Ed.D. degrees.

She has served on the Board of the Madison, WI Community Foundation; Buffalo Trace ASAP Board; Commerce Lexington Lexington Board. She was State Coordinator for Wisconsin Women in Higher Education.

Augusta lives in Versailles with her husband Craig Carver. In her free time she enjoys travel, photography, gardening & her grandchildren.

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UPCOMING PROGRAMS

- Apr. 16 Lexington Legends
- Apr. 23 Rotary Scholarship Day
- Apr. 30 Nick Nicholson, KY Derby Predictions

APRIL 2009

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**UNITED WAY  
OF THE BLUEGRASS UPDATE**

Kathy Plomin resigned/retired in late March after serving for almost nine years as president of United Way of the Bluegrass. Sarah Mills has been named interim president of the organization. Sarah is a long-time United Way volunteer, and is currently on the executive committee of the United Way of the Bluegrass Board of Directors. She is Of Counsel with Stoll Keenon Ogden PLLC.

Kathy's service to United Way of the Bluegrass and this community over the past nine years is truly appreciated. In addition to expanding our regional presence, Kathy led United Way during the formation of the organization's Success By 6 initiative and the 2-1-1 program. Her passion and enthusiasm resulted in millions of dollars raised to improve lives in the Bluegrass and beyond. In the past year under Kathy's leadership, the United Way board of directors adopted a strategic plan that included a new, focused approach to finding lasting solutions to our region's shared problems in the areas of education, income and health. Kathy's legacy will set the stage for new leadership to forge ahead with a commitment to take United Way of the Bluegrass to the next level.

United Way's board of directors is forming a search committee and plans to begin a national search for Kathy's replacement. The organization will continue to make gains in critical areas of our nine-county region under Sarah's transitional leadership as well. Her goal as interim president is to continue implementing our strategic plan by making lasting changes in education, income and health.

I invite you to share your thoughts about United Way's future. It takes everyone in the community working together - and we truly value your input as this is your community and your United Way.

Sarah will be dividing her time between serving as president of United Way of the Bluegrass and continuing her legal practice with Stoll Keenon Ogden.

You can contact Sarah at United Way of the Bluegrass at 859-233-4460, ext. 210 or email her at sarah.mills@uwbg.org (after March 30). She can also be reached at Stoll Keenon Ogden at 859-231-3979 or email her at sarah.mills@skofirm.com. Her cell phone is 859-536-6662.

Thank you for your continued support as we move forward into the next phase of leadership for our United Way.  
Sincerely,  
Laura Voss Chair,  
United Way Board of Directors

**ROTARY RECEIVES THANKS**

Dear Nell,

Thanks for all you Rotary gals and guys for your outpouring of love and assistance over this time of need. It all can't be measured.

I have been home for a little over one week after twelve days in the hospital when my doctor claimed success. The success was a group of blood numbers that were slightly going up, indicating that the body was producing positive results.

One never knows when something like this comes about, but it sure helps to have someone behind you. You Rotarians have been that "someone."

Thanks to each and every one of you. You have been my staff and assistance over the last few weeks.

See you all soon in Rotary.  
**Sam Smith**

Thanks to Rotary

On behalf of Mothers Against Drunk Driving I would like to express my deepest appreciation for the Rotary Club's very generous donation. We are grateful for your strong commitment to MADD's mission to stop drunk driving, support the victims of this violent crime, and prevent underage drinking.

Your gift will assist us in fulfilling our mission through a variety of programs including victim assistance and advocacy, public awareness, education and prevention, and legislative action. Your generosity will save lives.

Sincerely,  
Angela M. Criswell,  
State Executive Director

**GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE  
NEEDS HELP**

The Lexington Rotary Club will host the 2009 Group Study Exchange Team from India April 19-23. We are now recruiting Rotarians to be vocational/professional hosts for one day, possibly Monday, April 20.

The members of this year's team include:

- Team Leader: Dr. Prem Thakur**, a general surgeon (MALE)
- Mridula Singh.Im**, a medical doctor with experience in rural health care (FEMALE)
- Sirvinderjit Singh Dua**, an electronics and communication engineer. (MALE)
- Surender Kumar Soni**, an electronics and communication engineer. (MALE)
- Gagan Pal Singh**, an architect (MALE)

If you are in a business or profession similar to one of those listed here and would consider consulting one day with a guest, please contact  
**Sayre Combs** (272-0897,  
sayrecombs@gmail.com).

We also need one more host family. If you would consider hosting a guest, please contact **Bob Ross** (278-3290,  
jross@anchorcounseling.com)

**NOTE:** The host family is not required to "entertain" his/her guest every day. The GSE committee will have a full schedule of activities planned for the team including one day with the vocational/professional host.



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