

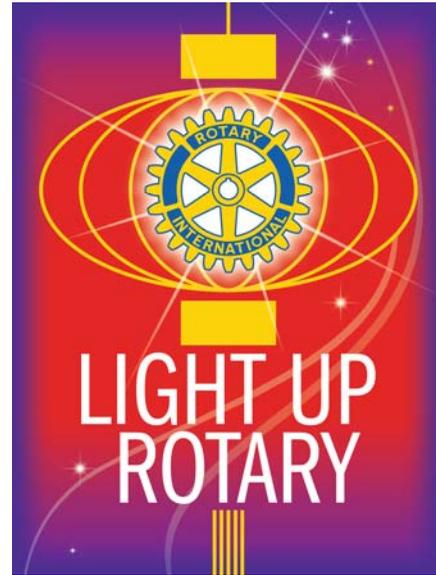


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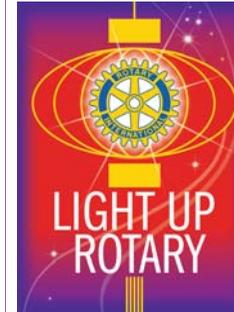
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**Rotary Program: June 03, 2015**

**Program Chair: Bob Shurtleff**  
**Speaker: Greg Pauley, President and CEO , Kentucky Power Company**



Greg began by informing us that the Big Sandy Plant # 2 was officially shut down on May 31, due to the excessive cost of converting it to natural gas, which he says he was in favor of because it saved the rate paying public over a half million dollars.

He also stated that Unit # 1 is in the initial stages of conversion and should be up and running sometime in 2017.

The Mitchell Plant has been approved by the by the Public Service Commission and the rate case has been settled to the best interest of the customers they serve. The details of the agreement is on the PSC web-site for those who would like to know more about it.

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All this came about due to the ever-increasing demands of the EPA and the Obama Administration that makes generating energy by burning coal nearly impossible. This comes as no surprise if we remember that during his campaign, the president vowed to bankrupt any company producing

electricity by burning coal. What followed has been a literal war on coal, not only in Kentucky, but in most every coal-producing state in the U.S. While the conversion from coal to natural gas will be a long and expensive process, in the end it will be cheaper for the customers and will reduce emissions that adversely affect the earth's atmosphere. He affirms that all the decisions made by AEP and Kentucky Power has been with the customers in mind and to be fair, just and reasonable in providing for the needs of the public without them paying for things they don't need. From the PSC's standards, Greg says he is constantly being asked to make his decisions based on what is most cost effective and in pursuit of the "Clean Power Plan", which is to be announced later this year.

## Guest List

Jacob Colley and Jim Snyder—club  
 Brianna Blackburn—Shirley Blackburn  
 Bethany Prater—Karen Prater

## Absent

Jared Arnett, Julie Boyd, Leslie Combs, Regina Compton, Ron Damron, Terry De-skins, Debbie Freeman, Novella Froman, J B Gilliam, Traci Hancock, Brent Lee, Brenda Maynard, Michael Pacheco, Ghomer Prater, Fredia Ratliff, Jennifer Reynolds, Sherry Riddle, Howard Roberts, Dennis Rohrer, Lance Rose, Lisa Rose, Seema Sachdeva, Denise Scarberry, David Smith, David Snow, Dwain Stevens, Esther Tucker, Jeff Vanderbeck, Heath Wiley and John Yagodich.

## Make—Ups

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Rotarians    Date Missed    Make-up Date

Date	Rotarians Present	Guests & Speaker	Total
06/03/15	58	5	63

## Program Continued

He predicts that the EPA standards will be even more stringent than ever before, but not every coal-fired generation plant will be closed because he still believes there will be a future for coal as long as the companies are willing to diversify with other sources as well.

Greg assured us that his priorities are to protect our part of the state in accordance with our shared vision for the economic development of the region. He wants to continue providing a lower tariff for industrial customers in order to subsidize what residential customers pay, although he is under pressure from the PSC to change that. Such a change would increase residential rates dramatically and that would hurt economic growth in our area.

Their goal is to attract more business, create jobs and increase the population in Eastern Kentucky, while at the same time providing the energy needs at a fair, just and reasonable rate, especially with an emphasis on helping schools and hospitals keep costs down as much as possible.

J. Morgan Chapman, Recorder

## Areas of focus

We have identified specific causes to target to maximize our local and global impact. At the same time, we understand that each community has its own unique needs and concerns.

Through [global grants](#) and other resources, we help clubs focus their service efforts in the following areas.

**Promoting peace** Today, 42 million people are displaced by armed conflict or persecution. Through our partnerships with several leading universities, Rotary Peace Fellows develop the skills to strengthen peace efforts, train local leaders to prevent and mediate conflict, and support long-term peace building in areas affected by conflict. We provide up to 100 peace fellowships per year at Rotary Peace Centers.

**Fighting disease** More than 100 million people are pushed into poverty each year because of medical costs. We aim to improve and expand access to low-cost and free health care in underdeveloped areas. Our members educate and mobilize communities to help prevent the spread of major diseases such as polio, HIV/AIDS, and malaria. Many of our projects ensure that medical training facilities are located where the workforce lives.

**Providing clean water** More than 2.5 billion people lack access to adequate sanitation facilities. At least 3,000 children die each day from diarrheal diseases caused by unsafe water. Our projects give communities the ability to develop and maintain sustainable water and sanitation systems and support studies related to water and sanitation.

**Saving mothers and children** At least 7 million children under the age of five die each year due to malnutrition, poor health care, and inadequate sanitation. To help reduce this rate, we provide immunizations and antibiotics to babies, improve access to essential medical services, and support trained health care providers for mothers and their children. Our projects ensure sustainability by empowering the local community to take ownership of health care training programs.

**Supporting education** Sixty-seven million children worldwide have no access to education and more than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate. Our goal is to strengthen the capacity of communities to support basic education and literacy, reduce gender disparity in education, and increase adult literacy.

**Growing local economies** Nearly 1.4 billion employed people live on less than \$1.25 a day. We carry out service projects that enhance economic and community development and develop opportunities for decent and productive work for young and old. We also help strengthen local entrepreneurs and community leaders, particularly women, in impoverished communities.

## Ray's Ribs - Lexophilia

Lexophilia is a word used to describe those that have a love for words, such as 'you can tune a piano, but you can't tuna fish', or "to write with a broken pencil is pointless." A competition to see who can come up with the best lexophiles is held every in year in an undisclosed location. This year's winning submission is posted at the very end.

..When fish are in schools, they sometimes take debate.

...A thief who stole a calendar got twelve months.

...The batteries were given out free of charge.

...A dentist and a manicurist married. They fought tooth and nail.

...A will is a dead giveaway.

...With her marriage, she got a new name and a dress.

...A boil egg is hard to beat.

...When you've seen one shopping centre you've seen a mall.

... Police were summoned to a day-care centre where a three-year-old was resisting a rest.

...Did you hear about the fellow whose entire left side was cut off? He's all right now.

.... A bicycle can't stand alone; it's just two tired.

...When a clock is hungry it goes back four seconds.

...The guy who fell onto an upholstery machine is now fully recovered.

...He had a photographic memory which was never developed.

...When she saw her first strands of grey hair she thought she'd dye.

...Acupuncture is a jab well done. That's the point of it.

...And the cream of the twisted crop: Those who get too big for their pants will be totally exposed in the end