

The Nerve

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This Week — August 9th, 2016

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earlier this year. Keren is a member of the Alabama State Bar, and serves on the Tuscaloosa County Bar Association's Executive Committee. Her publications include: "Cyber Liability Insurance: Is Your Firm Covered?" published in the Alabama Defense Lawyers Association Journal, Spring 2015, and "Cyber Liability Insurance: Is Your Company Covered" published in The Primercus Paradigm Magazine, Fall of 2015.



UPCOMING PROGRAMS

August 16th
United Way Kick-Off
Bryant Conference Center

August 23rd
Colby D. Grelle
United States Navy

Announcements

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Lucas Hayes (8/6)
Appie Millsaps (8/10)
Jack Pfaudler (8/12)
Brad Springer (8/12)
Torrie Grelle (8/12)
Trey Moseley (8/13)
Rhett Cooper (8/14)
Earl Tilford (8/17)
John Jessup (8/20)
Jim Drake (8/23)
Jerry Shepherd (8/23).

Last Week — August 2nd, 2016

Announcements:

- Ashley Waid hosted our meeting at the new Downtown YMCA.
- Members took a tour of the new YMCA facility led by Rotarian and YMCA CEO Ashley Waid and staff.



Rotary President, Alan Hartley listening to YMCA CEO, Ashley Waid speaking to the Rotary Group on August 2nd.





Inside the New YMCA's top of the line weight room. They are equipped with American Made Cybex workout equipment. The new YMCA has a large assortment of free weights, cardio machines, and workout machines for everyone.

At the head table

Invocation - Steve Katsinas, **Pledge of Allegiance** - Shanda Sartain. **Introduction of Speaker** - Alan Hartley

Guests

Sarah McFarland - Guest of Alison Philips. **Richard Self and Jim Ellison** - Guests of the club.



This Day in History - August 2nd

- 1790 - The Columbia returned to Boston Harbor after a three-year voyage. It was the first ship to carry the American flag around the world.
- 1831 - The first steam locomotive began its first trip between Schenectady and Albany, NY.
- 1842 - The U.S. and Canada signed the Webster-Ashburton Treaty, which solved a border dispute.
- 1848 - Martin Van Buren was nominated for president by the Free-Soil Party in Buffalo, NY.
- 1854 - "Walden" was published by Henry David Thoreau.
- 1892 - Thomas Edison received a patent for a two-way telegraph.
- 1910 - A.J. Fisher received a patent for the electric washing machine.
- 1930 - Betty Boop had her beginning in "Dizzy Dishes" created by Max Fleischer.
- 1936 - Jesse Owens won his fourth gold medal at the Berlin Olympics. He was the first American to win four medals in one Olympics.
- 1942 - Mohandas K. Gandhi was arrested in Britain. He was not released until 1944.
- 1944 - The Forest Service and Wartime Advertising Council created "Smokey the Bear."
- 1945 - The U.S. dropped an atomic bomb on Nagasaki. The bombing came three days after the bombing of Hiroshima. About 74,000 people were killed. Japan surrendered August 14.
- 1945 - The first network television broadcast occurred in Washington, DC. The program announced the bombing of Nagasaki, Japan.
- 1956 - The first statewide, state-supported educational television network went on the air in Alabama.
- 1965 - Singapore proclaimed its independence from the Malaysian Federation.
- 1973 - The U.S. Senate committee investigating the Watergate affair filed suit against President Richard Nixon.
- 1974 - U.S. President Richard Nixon formally resigned. Gerald R. Ford took his place, and became the 38th president of the U.S.
- 1975 - The New Orleans Superdome was officially opened when the Saints played the Houston Oilers in exhibition football. The new Superdome cost \$163 million to build.
- 1981 - Major league baseball teams resumed play at the conclusion of the first mid-season players' strike.
- 1984 - Daley Thompson, of Britain, won his second successive Olympic decathlon.
- 1985 - Arthur J. Walker, a retired Navy officer, was found guilty of seven counts of spying for the Soviet Union.
- 1988 - Wayne Gretzky (Edmonton Oilers) was traded. The trade was at Gretzky's request. He was sent to the Los Angeles Kings.
- 1996 - Boris Yeltsin was sworn in as president of Russia for the second time.
- 2001 - U.S. President George W. Bush announced he would support federal funding for limited medical research on embryonic stem cells.
- 2004 - Donald Duck received the 2,257th star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame.

ABSENT? MAKING UP ATTENDANCE IS EASY

- Visit with the Morning Rotary Club every Thursday at 7 a.m. at Indian Hills Country Club
- Attend another club's meeting within two weeks before or after an absence.
 - Participate in a Rotary event, such as a committee meeting, social function, interactive event, etc.
 - Make up at E-club online: www.rotaryclubone.org

Report all makeups to club secretary Caroline Williams at caroline.williams@bbva.com.

