

# ROTASCOPE

November 16, 2021

## Meetings

November is Rotary Foundation Month

- 11/18 Filling the Foundation buckets!
- 11/25 No meeting. Happy Thanksgiving!
- 12/2 Mimosa Hall, a Roswell Historical Landmark
- 12/9 Roswell Rotary Making an Impact Internationally

## **Events**

- 11/20 Honor Air basketball tournament
- 11/22 Honor Air basketball tournament
- 12/3 Holiday Party at Roswell Historic Cottage
- 6/30 John's Installation Party!

# Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

11/1	Larry Harman
11/4	Sid Disher
11/4	Michael Schoppenho
11/6	Karen Schwank
11/6	Tom Wright, Jr.
11/7	Dave Hallman
11/7	Timothy Klatt
11/9	Jimmy Moore
11/11	Ron Harlow
11/15	Robert Button
11/16	Anne Greski
11/18	June Brown
11/20	Patsy Wolff
11/24	James Savage
11/26	Don Rolader
11/29	Jim Covle, Jr.

# **President's Message**

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Thank a Vet

Thank you for serving our country and protecting our freedoms. Roswell Rotarians are grateful for your sacrifices. Past President Maurice Hilliard gave a heart felt story of a veteran of WWII, his father. Thank you Maurice!

Every Rotarian at our club can thank those who are currently serving our country by participating in our Adopt a Platoon this week. Its not to late to bring items listed below, donate some cash for those goods or help pack the boxes for our troops. See Ralph Rowland who is again heading up the annual Adopt a Platoon project.

This week we will learn about the RI foundation as well as our own foundation, all of which are giving back to those in need. Thank you Rotarians for putting Service above Self.

## Speaker November 18, 2021 Margie Kersey- Past District Governor

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## **Rotary & Foundation Giving in her heart**

Rotary is a huge part of Margie's life. She joined Rotary in 1998 and has served as president of two different Rotary clubs. She is a Major Donor, Bequest Society member, and was honored to be named District 6900 Rotarian of the Year in 2008. Margie is active at the District level, where she served as District Governor in 2011-12 and as District Rotary Foundation Chair from 2016-2019.

Come hear why Margie gives her time and talents to Rotary Foundation!

## If you can't be 'in person' for launch

## Zoomit, Maskit or Live - Join Us Thursday from Where Ever You Are

Zoomit, Maskit or Live, we are here for you! Roswell Rotary wants to make our meetings safe, available, convenient, and comfortable to all members and guest. So, if you feel comfortable with a mask or no mask, live or on zoom join is in any way that makes you feel comfortable and safe.

If Zoom is more your style, we are going to have Zoom open for those who prefer to be in the comfort of their own home, office, or beach for that matter! Here is the link......https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86497139508?pwd=QTBETGdwdjVrUjlCej BabWJ4eG55QT09

# **YEARS OF SERVICE**

- 11/4Kenneth Carter (1) 11/4Brenda Blanton (1)
- 27 years in Rotary
- 11/5 Charlie Cameron (34)
- 11/5Clifton Sprinkle (0)
- 11/5Haniel Jones (0)
- 11/5Tillie O'Neal (0) 10 years in Rotary
- 11/5 Bob Hagan (23) 28 years in Rotary
- 11/7Ron Harlow (8)
- Scott Moscow (8)
- 11/7Mike Hampton (8)
- 11/7Kathy Teston (8)
- 11/8 Robert Fezza (14)
- 11/11 Joe Piontek, Sr. (11)
- 11/11 Nancy Alterman (11)
- 11/12 Richard Austin (1) 33 years in Rotary
- 11/14 Richard Spencer (28)
- 11/17 Rick Dreger (32)
- 11/30 David White (4)

## **Rotary Online**

https://roswellrotary.club https://rotary6900.org/ https://rotary.org/

## **ROTARY CLUB OF** ROSWELL

Thursdays, 12:15 pm Roswell Area Park **Bill Johnson Community Activity** Building 10495 Woodstock Road Roswell, GA 30075

## **CONNECT WITH US**

#### **LEADERSHIP**

President-Elect John Carruth

Treasurer

President Terry Taylor Immediate PP Lynne Lindsay Nancy Alterman

# **Business Networking Event for Rotarians**

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Paul Harris formed the Rotary in 1905 so that professionals with diverse backgrounds could exchange ideas, form meaningful, lifelong friendships, and conduct business together. Paul Harris was networking well before 1985 when telecommunications expert and consultant Bill Lewis is believed to be the first person to use the term "networking" to describe connecting people in order to build a business network.

While Rotary is about "Service Above Self," there is a growing place for networking in Rotary, particularly for those earlier in their careers, and those responsible for generating revenue. It is an opportunity for you or someone on your staff, or someone you are interested in recruiting to Roswell Rotary.

Last month's gathering again drew a crowd - with Rotarians from the Atlanta Metro, Dunwoody, Peachtree City, Roswell, Sandy Springs and Tucker clubs. While it had similarities to other networking events, you knew that attendees honored the integrity of the 4 Way Test.

The next event returns to the Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant, 1224 Hammond Dr, Dunwoody, GA 30346, between the Perimeter Mall and the MARTA station.

So plan to join us on Nov 16 from 6:30 - 8:00pm. For more information, please contact Hal Schlenger, or Johnathan Clark of the Tucker Club (johnathanmclark@gmail.com | 404.512.6058)

## **Packing Date Thurs Nov 18** Adopt-a-Platoon Update for 11-18-21

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#### Nov. 18th @ 11:00am Packing Boxes

We will start packing and boxing items for shipment.

#### Need 12 Volunteers

We need 12 volunteers to help with this project. Our goal is 75 -100 boxes to be shipped.

Questions? Contact Ralph Rowland at <a href="mailto:rfrowland@yahoo.com">rfrrowland@yahoo.com</a>

## Sat., Nov. 20, Monday Nov. 22nd and Tuesday Nov. 23rd Volunteeers Needed for the 4th Roswell High School /Honor Air Basketball Tournament

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## It's Back! It's not Thanksgiving without the Roswell High School/ Honor Air Basketball Tournament

Join us at the 4th Annual Roswell High School/ Honor Air Basketball Tournament Saturday, Nov. 20th, Monday, Nov. 22nd, and Tuesday, Nov. 23rd.

Secretary Alex Kaufman Past President Gordon Owens Past President Becky Stone

## PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS

- Cheryl Greenway 2012-13
- Bob Hagan 2015-16

## **FAMILY OF ROTARY**

Our membership cares deeply about the needs and concerns of our members. We don't want to miss an opportunity to reach out in friendship when such concerns arise. The chairperson of this committee is Lynn Dunn and all news should be directed to her at lynn.dunn@rmcpa.com

#### The Details

Doors open at 8:30 AM with the first game at 9:00 AM. Sixteen girls and boy's teams participating. Ticket costs \$5 for students, \$10 for adults and \$25 for a three-day pass.

#### Please volunteer...It's loads of fun!

Volunteers needed with **ticket sales** and the **hospitality suite**. Please contact **Gene Beckham** (404-310-8797), **Dave Young** (678-591-4978), **Jack Wyche** (404-626-8295) or **Lynne Lindsay** (404-229-4558) to sign up for the fun!

## Walk (and talk) with a Doc Sat, Nov 20 8:00am What could possibly motivate you to go for a walk on a Saturday morning?

If you're like the majority of people, the answer is "not much." Would feeling as good as President Terry and Matt Millard and as svelte as President Terry and Matt Millard give you reason to reconsider?

After a brief talk from Dr Bush about "3 Common Myths about Being Healthy", we'll hike through the Vickery Falls trails. You can talk with Dr Bush or talk with others on the walk. It's an ideal way to start a weekend!

While this link lists 100 research articles how walking is good for you, Rotary is making it fun. We're joining up with the national "Walk with a Doc" program for a 2 mile and a 3 mile walk. In addition to the 100 reasons to walk, the 101st is to make room for Roswell Rotary's fried chicken for lunch. And there are several bonuses to participating in this community event

• The opportunity to get advice from our doctor while walking

- Free parking
- •Earn credits for free coffee at Roswell's Land of a Thousand Hills Coffee

Date: Sat, Nov 20, 8:00 – 9:30am. Note: Our December walk will be Sat, Dec 4 at the Chattahoochee Nature Center and coincide with their Annual Holiday Market.

For questions, contact Hal Schlenger at HSchlenger@GreatSouthBenefits.com or 770.335.0077.

# **Upcoming Project - Bulloch Hall Cleanup**

In cooperation with the City of Roswell, Roswell Rotary is putting together a cleanup day on the grounds of Roswell landmark Bulloch Hall. Stay tuned for future updates and a specific date to be announced. Let's grab our tools and gather and help repay the City of Roswell in some small way for the use of the Gym and kitchen facilities that we enjoy each week. Please contact Matt Millard to let us know you are interested and we will forward you a volunteer waiver. Thank you!

## Become a Paul Harris Fellow November is Rotary Foundation Month

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#### Most of you know that November is Rotary Foundation Month.

It's during this month that we put a push in the Roswell Rotary to have everyone in our club contribute to the Rotary Foundation. What you may not know is that our club will match your donation up to \$300 to help you reach the next Paul Harris Fellow level. This year, if you were within \$600.00 of the next PHF level, you would have received an email from Don Horton, Roswell Foundation Chair, outlining the amount you needed to reach that next level, the amount you needed to give to get the club matching funds. There were 63 individuals who were within \$600.00. Out of those, 15 people stepped up and received the matching funds. Additionally, three individuals wanted to become Major Donors and went well beyond the match to do so. We plan to honor all the Paul Harris Fellows, and Major Donors in January of 2022.

#### **Every Rotarian, Every Year**

Another push for the Rotary Foundation is what we call EREY, which means Every Rotarian, Every Year. During this period, we ask all Roswell Rotarians to give at least \$25.00 to the Rotary Foundation. In every case, to make is easy, you can simply have the contribution billed to your Roswell Rotary Account.

#### End Polio NOW donations count toward Paul Harris level

It should be noted that any contributions you make to the "End Polio Now" campaign does count toward your PHF status. In fact, you can designate any or all of your contribution to "End Polio Now" and every penny will go toward your Paul Harris Fellow level.

#### Why contribute to the Rotary Foundation?

The Rotary Foundation transforms your gifts into service projects that change lives both close to home and around the world. Since it was founded more than 100 years ago, the Foundation has spent more than \$4 billion on life-changing, sustainable projects. With your help, we can make lives better in your community and around the world. The mission The Rotary Foundation helps Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace by improving health, providing quality education, improving the environment, and alleviating poverty.

What impact can one donation have?

• For as little as 60 cents, a child can be protected from polio. • \$50 can provide clean water to help fight waterborne illness. • \$500 can launch an antibullying campaign and create a safe environment for children.

#### Please donate to the Foundation during November!

So will you please consider giving to the Rotary Foundation during the month of November. Our club benefits from many of the grants given by The Foundation.

## RSVP Today! Christmas Party- Friday December 3rd-6:30 PM

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The Big Question??? What suit will President Terry Wear????

6:30 pm

972 Alpharetta St. Roswell GA 30075

# Rotary dates to save Which of These Rotary Events are a Priority for You?

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This is what make earns Roswell Roswell such a great reputation ....and "Club of the Year" recognition. Plan to attend.....and think about bringing a friend or prospective new member.

If you believe in Rotary's mission and recognize the value our club brings to our community and our world, then share it with others!

Date	Time	Event	
16-Nov	6:30pm - 8:00pm	Rotary Means Business (networking) at Iron Hill Brewery	
18-Nov		Adopt a Platoon	
20-Nov	8:00am - 10:00am	Walk with a Doc at Vickery Creek Mill	
20-23 - Nov	V	Honor Air Basketball Tournament	
3-Dec		Holiday Party at Roswell Historic Cottage	
4-Dec	8:0am - 10:00am	Walk with a Doc at Chattahoochee Nature Center (visit their Holiday market at the end of the walk)	
10-Jan	10:00am	Ron Clark Academy Tour	
Rotary Last Week			
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