

## **ROTASCOPE**

July 11, 2023

## **Meetings**

July is New Rotary Year Month

7/13 President Alex Kaufman -2023/2024 Vision

7/20 Tiffany Ervin - CART

District Governor Visit

8/3 Congressman Dr. Rich McCormick

#### **Events**

7/18 Rotary Means Business / District 6900 event

7/20 Deadline for Pajama Donations

7/20 Alive in Roswell

7/22 RR After Hours - Unity Garden Service Project

#### **LEADERSHIP**

President Alex Kaufman

Nancy President-Elect Alterman

Matthew

Treasurer Millard Trummie

Secretary Patrick, III

Membership **Bob Clarkson** Foundation James Stone

Public Image Becky Nelson

#### **PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS**

Cheryl Greenway 2012-13 Bob Hagan 2015-16

#### **ROTARY CLUB OF** ROSWELL

Thursdays, 12:15 pm Roswell Area Park

## **President Alex's Message**

# Greetings from Rotary Club Pakistan





Hello from Pakistan-

Today I had the pleasure of joining the Rotary Club of Lahore Pakistan for a club meeting and a discussion on potential joint projects that range from a water project in a village, to polio vaccine administration, to a women's empowerment project involving a sewing business initiative. I hope that this is just the start to expanding our club's impact around the world.

We are also amidst our planning and fundraising for our Greenway Golf Tournament and Hagan Cup Tennis Tournament + our first ever Pickle Ball Tournament. Please sign up and help Bobby Clarkson and his teams get sponsors for our number one charity fundraiser!

I'm excited for our first meeting together on July 13th. We will have Wah Lah Catering's initial debut and a wonderful family style luncheon together.

Have a wonderful week and do good!

Alex

# **Speaker This Week:President Alex Vision for** 2023-2024

Bill Johnson Community Activity Building 10495 Woodstock Road Roswell, GA 30075

## **Rotary Online**

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



#### **GET CLUB SMS ALERTS**

text CLUBALERTS to (833) 456-2829

# Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

- 7/1 George Polatty, Jr.
- 7/3 Maxwell Walker
- 7/5 Bob Hagan
- 7/6 Jack Wyche
- 7/7 Eddie Smith
- 7/8 Richard Austin
- 7/11 Craig Simons
- 7/12 Andy Williams
- 7/13 Scott Moscow
- 7/13 Langdon Hollingsworth
- 7/14 Matthew Ashman
- 7/16 Mike McRay
- 7/17 Jack Tolbert, Jr.
- 7/19 Alex Kaufman
- 7/19 Mark Snoddy
- 7/20 Sarah Byrd
- 7/23 Steven Palmer
- 7/27 Walt Woliver
- 7/27 Ian Mari
- 7/29 Matt Thomas
- 7/29 Leigh Brown



President Alex is kicking off the 2023-2024 Rotary year by addressing the club and sharing his vision for the 2023-2024 upcoming year. Don't miss this important first meeting and message and let's give President Alex a full room for his first meeting!

**Click Here** to learn a little more about Alex

#### **Save the Date**

#### **District Governor Visit**

Let's give a warm welcome to our new 2023-23 District Governor Andre Marria when she visits our lunch meeting on July 27th!

# Join us on Canton Street next Thursday

# It's Alive in Roswell Time!! Thursday July 20

# Roswell Rotarians Gather at Hagan Center at 5pm



## YEARS OF **SERVICE**

- Larry Harman (16) 24 years in Rotary
- Zachary Fields (7)
- Steve Bragg (1)
- 7/11 John Ross (6)
- 7/12 Rich Austin (11)
- 7/16 Don Horton (8)
- 7/17 Betty Price (9)
- 7/17 Mike Agurkis (9)
- 7/17 Mark Snoddy (20) 23 years in Rotary
- 7/20 Robert Button (23)
- 7/20 Michael Hernandez (23)
- 7/22 Becky Stone (14)
- 7/25 Pat Rains (15)
- 7/25 Jack Tolbert, Jr. (38)
- 7/26 Joe Mazzeo (5)
- 7/26 Dave Hallman (22)
- 7/27 William Albers (1)
- 7/27 Justice Brakache (1)
- 7/27 Grant Miller (1)
- 7/28 John Webster (12)
- 7/28 Jack Wyche (18)
- 7/28 Chris Archer (12)

#### **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

## After Hours' First Meeting of the Year is July 18!



After Hours is thrilled to kick off the new year with a great meeting on Tuesday, July 18 at The Artillery Room @ Gate City! Join us at 6:30 as we welcome guest speaker Colonel Richard H. White who serves as Director & Chairman of the Board for the **Georgia Military Veterans Hall of Fame** (GMVHOF).

The GMVHOF is a non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation that exists solely to honor Georgia Veterans, educate youth and citizens about real heroes, and prepare future leaders of America through the GMVHOF ROTC Scholarship Program. Colonel White will speak to the club about his organization and how After Hours can get involved and support. Everyone is welcome!

Also, please help us welcome our new RRAH Board!

- Brooke Foxman President
- Leigh Brown Secretary
- John Connell Treasurer
- Lindsay Davies Philanthropy
- Ashley Doran Membership
- Amanda Verdin Communications
- Belle Prothero Social

To get in touch with our club, please email <u>afterhours.roswellrotary@gmail.com</u>.

**RRAH Continues Volunteering at the Unity Garden** 



Last month, Roswell Rotary After Hours volunteered at the Unity Garden at the Chattahoochee Nature Center once again! It's always a great time breaking a sweat, getting a little dirty and contributing around the garden and greenhouses. Plus, Henning von Schmeling, Horticultural Curator, is never shy to share his wealth of knowledge about the various plants.

The next opportunities to volunteer are July 22, September 23 and October 21. *All Rotarians are invited!* The shift starts at 9 a.m. and go until Noon. Sign up here.

#### **Bring Pajamas to Rotary**

# Pajama Collection for STAR House through July 20th



# Back to School Pajama Drive for Star House





Roswell Rotary is partnering with Star House for a Back to School Pajama Drive. Collections will continue until July 20th. The first week of August we will be distributing at Star House Center. We are in need for the following:

All children size pajamas from Kindergarten (size 5- size 14 or men/ women size Small)-4th and 5th Grade - only require pajama bottoms. Kindergarten- 3rd Grade would like both Top and Bottom matching sets.

Volunteers are needed for packing and distribution. Email Courtney Lott if you are interested in serving <a href="mailto:Courtney.lott@kw.com">Courtney.lott@kw.com</a>

#### **Golf & Tennis Tournament News**

# **Sponsor Committee Up & Running & Already Landing Sponsors!**



The Golf & Tennis Tournament Sponsorship Committee is already working hard! This team held a call-a thon last week and already have the first GOLD Sponsor for Golf-WellStar and the first ROUND ROBIN Sponsor for Tennis Bob Hagan. Thank you WellStar and Bob for leading the pack!

Reach out to any of the Sponsorship Team: (Chair) <u>Jonathan Crooks</u> and Team <u>Jerry Orlans</u>, <u>Danny Broadway</u>, <u>Jim Savage</u>, <u>Geoff Smith</u>, <u>Michael Curling</u>, <u>Alan Greensmith</u>, <u>John Michael Brunetti</u>, <u>Chris Webb</u>, <u>Michael Agurkis</u>, or <u>Scott Morchower</u> and commit to your sponsorship today!

And huge thanks to our 2023 sponsors!

### First GOLD SPONSOR Golf 2023

### First ROUND ROBIN Tennis 2023





**REMINDER:** Golf & Tennis Committee meets Thursday at 11:30 just before lunch!

July 30, 2023 1:30 pm- 4:30 pm

# **Braves vs Brewers Game: End Human Trafficking NOW**



## Meet us at the ballpark on July 30th!

#### Atlanta Braves vs. Milwaukee Brewers

Join us as we bring more awareness to Human Trafficking in Georgia. \$12 of every ticket sold will go back to End HT Now. Tickets are subject to availability. Parking can be purchased at braves.com/parking.

Get Tickets: <a href="https://fevogm.com/event/Endhuman2">https://fevogm.com/event/Endhuman2</a>

Add To Calendar

Sat. Aug 19th

# **End Human Trafficking Event Area 13 Half Marathon**



Where: 575 Riverside Road Roswell, GA US 30075

When: Sat. August 19

Why: Benefit End Human Trafficking NOW

AREA 13.1 and Terrestrial 5K/10K is an Out of this World Running Event. 13.1-10K-5K is a night race in Roswell, GA. One of the most popular courses to run in the State of Georgia. The courses are OUT OF THIS WORLD FLAT & FAST with a total elevation gain of the Half marathon at 224 feet, The 5K course total elevation gain of 50 feet, and only 90 feet of gain in the 10K!! WE are talking PR TIME!! All finishers will receive an awesome alien head medal that will make your head SPIN, coveted Area 13.1 tri blend shirt that will be your new GO TO SHIRT, and for runners 21 and over a free beer donated by Gate City Brewing Company. Come for the run and stay for the FUN!! Live band -DJ - Food trucks- Vendors- Gate City Brewing Company !! BRING THE ENTIRE FAMILY !!

Add To Calendar

#### Pint for a Pint

#### **Summer Blood Drive Aug 23**







# Wed. Aug 23

Location: Houck's Grille 10930 Crabapple Rd B130 Roswell, GA 30075

#### For Details Contact:

- Hal Schlenger
- Darrell Bartlett
- Jonathan Crooks

"Saving a life with your blood donation...true service above self"

## Sign Up to Donate Your Pint!





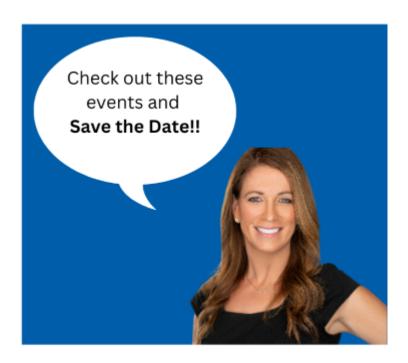


#### Schedule an appointment here

For more information, contact Hal Schlenger, Darrell Bartlett or Jonathan **Crooks** 

Coming Up at RRC

# Save the Date: Making Roswell Rotary's Magic Happen



This is what earns Rotary such a great reputation...Service Above Self. Plan to attend many of these events...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 participate -- and share it with others!

Events Chair 2023-24 Katie Tucker

Alive in Roswell

Add To Calendar Thursday, July 20 5pm Meet at Hagan Center

Deadline for Pajama & Cash Donations for STAR House Back to School

Add To Calendar Thursday, July 20

**Unity Garden Service Project** 

Add To Calendar Saturday, July 22 9am-12pm

Braves Game vs Milwaukee Brewers-End Human Trafficking NOW Benefit

Add To Calendar Sunday, July 30 1:30pm - 4:30pm

**Hump Day is Back! Rockin Taco** 

Add To Calendar Wednesday, August 2 5;30pm

Area 13 Half Marathon-10K-5K-End Human Trafficking NOW Benefit

Add To Calendar August 19th 7pm

**Golf & Tennis Tournament** 

Add To Calendar Monday, September 11 Brookfield Country Club

# Last Week (and maybe the week before) at Rotary













