

Meetings

July is Maternal and Child Health Month

- 7/10 President Trummie Lee's Vision
- 7/17 Clark Dean - Connection, Community + Convergence
- 7/24 Attorney General Chris Carr
- 7/31 Coaches John Coen, John Thompson, Ray Manus, Pete Poulos, Wayne Smith + Coach Tim McFarlin
- 8/7 Jenn Gray - Why Rotary?
- 8/14 Mike Linch - Host of the Linch with a Leader Podcast
- 8/21 Danny Wuerful - Fmr. New Orleans Saints Football QB
- 8/28 Golf + Tennis Tournament Kick Off Meeting

Events

- 7/17 Alive in Roswell with Roswell Rotary Club
- 8/20 Pint for a Pint Blood Drive
- 8/21 Alive in Roswell with Roswell Rotary Club
- 9/8 Aubrey Greenway Golf/Hagan Cup Tennis Classic

LEADERSHIP

President	Trummie Patrick, III
President-Elect	Leslie Bassett
Immediate PP	Nancy Alterman
Treasurer	Mike Agurkis
Secretary	Katie Anderson
Public Image	Hal Schlenger

Message from President Trummie Lee



Dear Fellow Roswell Rotarians,

It is an incredible honor to welcome you to the 75th anniversary year of our amazing club. As we step into this milestone, I'm filled with both gratitude and excitement to serve as your President. We are standing on the shoulders of those who built this club over the past seven and a half decades — and now it's our turn to carry that legacy forward with fresh energy and a bold vision.

As Wayne Dyer wisely said, “When we change the way we look at things, the things we look at change.” That's exactly what this year is about — honoring our traditions while embracing a new perspective on how we serve, celebrate, and grow together.

A MILESTONE YEAR WITH A FRESH APPROACH

This is a special year, and we're going to make it count. We'll keep the great traditions you know and love, but we're also adding some exciting new twists:

- **Adding Pickleball** to our Hagan Cup Classic which along with our Golf Tournament will still be held the Monday after Labor Day but moving to Country Club of Roswell. Our goal is to raise \$300,000 this year for the causes we support, and I believe together, we can do it.
- **Social Event Additions** This December 13th, we'll gather for a festive Holiday Party at Roswell Junction, and in March 2026, we'll celebrate our club's 75th Anniversary with a party worthy of the history we're honoring.
- **Deeper Dive for Polio** -
 - In Roswell-Around Polio Day/month, get ready to toss some bags in our

PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS

Cheryl Greenway 2012-13
Bob Hagan 2015-16
Gordon Owens 2024-25

ROTARY CLUB OF ROSWELL

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

Rotary Online

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



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text CLUBALERTS to
(833) 456-2829

Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

7/1	George Polatty, Jr.
7/3	Max Walker
7/5	Bob Hagan
7/6	Jack Wyche
7/11	Craig Simons
7/12	Andy Williams
7/13	Scott Moscow
7/13	Langdon Hollingsworth
7/16	Mike McRay
7/17	Jack Tolbert, Jr.
7/19	Alex Kaufman
7/19	Mark Snoddy
7/23	Steven Palmer
7/27	Walt Woliver
7/29	Matt Thomas
7/29	Leigh Brown

Cornhole Tournament—but this year join Gordon's Roswell brew-pub crawl right after the meeting where we just heard from our city's best breweries. We will have our tournament at Gate City and Variant.

- *Athens & Mercedes-Benz*—We're taking our polio awareness efforts on the road! On October 4th, we're teaming up with clubs across Georgia for a Polio Tailgate in Athens during the UGA vs. UK game. If all goes well, we'll follow it up with a second tailgate at Mercedes-Benz Stadium for UGA vs. Georgia Tech on November 29th.

- **Expanding to TWO events: 9-11 Cookout and a First Responder Family Event** In addition to our special 9-11 Cookout held near that date each year, for 2025, we're also showing extra appreciation to our local first responders with a family cookout just for them on October 12th. We asked the police and fire chiefs what else we could do to boost morale, and this was their answer. It's a chance for these everyday heroes and their families to connect and recharge — and we're proud to host it.
- **More Backpack Projects**—Backpacks for local students kick off our year of service. We're expanding that effort this fall by using our Community Grant to help homeless veterans, equipping them with backpacks full of essentials and dignity.

HONORING LOCAL HEROES ALL YEAR LONG

This year's theme is about recognizing the first responders and everyday heroes who serve our community with courage and humility. District Governor Steve Ivory challenged us to lift up those who serve quietly and consistently — and we're answering that call.

Each month, we'll recognize one hero from the many police officers, firefighters, EMTs, teachers, military service members, and veterans who have served our city and made a special impact. It's a small gesture that speaks volumes — and it embodies the very heart of Rotary.

Our Focus: Membership. Fundraising. Service.

As we step boldly into our 75th year, our mission is focused and clear:

- **Membership** – Let's grow by bringing new voices and fresh perspectives to the table.
- **Fundraising** – Let's be bold and creative in raising the resources needed to make a big impact.
- **Community Service** – Let's lead with heart, humility, and hands ready to work.

Special Recognition: *To commemorate our 75th year, we've created special edition lapel pins and anniversary charms. Every member who participates in a service project, makes a financial contribution, or sponsors a new member will receive one. It's a token of appreciation — and a symbol of our shared commitment to service.*

Thank you for placing your trust in me during this historic moment. I'm inspired by each of you, and I can't wait to see what we accomplish together.

Here's to the next 75 years — let's make them count.

Sic Vos Non Vobis,
Trummie Lee Patrick III
75th President, Roswell Rotary Club

YEARS OF SERVICE

7/11 John Ross (8)
7/12 Rich Austin (13)
7/12 Al Nash (2)
7/12 Jeff Kramer (2)
7/16 Don Horton (10)
7/16 John McCool (1)
7/16 Mishel Miller (1)
7/16 Drayton Robertson (1)
7/17 Betty Price (11)
7/17 Mike Agurkis (11)
7/17 Mark Snoddy (22)
25 years in Rotary
7/18 Steven Malone (1)
2 years in Rotary
7/18 Sam Lane (1)
7/20 Michael Hernandez (25)
7/20 Robert Button (25)
7/22 Becky Stone (16)
7/25 Pat Rains (17)
7/25 Jack Tolbert, Jr. (40)
7/26 Dave Hallman (24)
7/26 Joe Mazzeo (7)
7/27 Grant Miller (3)
7/27 Justice Brakache (3)
7/28 Jack Wyche (20)
7/28 Chris Archer (14)

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 Lynne Lindsey and all news should be directed to her at lynnehlindsay@outlook.com

Hagan Cup now includes Pickleball!

The Annual Aubrey Greenway Golf & Hagan Cup Tennis Tournament Returns



Get Ready to Play for a Purpose! Roswell's Ultimate Tournament for Charity is Back!

New location! This year we will play at The Roswell Country Club at 2500 Club Springs Drive, Roswell, GA 30076

Why We Play: For Our Beloved Roswell!

Join us for a day of exhilarating fun and friendly competition that makes a real difference right here in our community! This is our **47th Annual Greenway Golf & 13th Annual Hagan Classic Cup (now with 1st Annual Trummie Sr. Pickleball Tournament at the Hagan Cup)!**

Our annual tournament proudly supports over 25 incredible Roswell charities, working tirelessly to uplift, educate, empower and support our fellow neighbors at their most vulnerable times of need!

From providing essential services to fostering vibrant community programs, every swing, serve, and smash made helps build a stronger, brighter Roswell for everyone.

What to Expect: Fun for All Ages! Whether you're a seasoned pro or a novice playing for fun, there's something for everyone! Get ready for:

Thrilling Tournament Play: Compete in your favorite sport! Family-Friendly Activities: Fun on and off the courts/course!

Delicious Food & Refreshments: Fuel up for the fun! Fantastic Prizes & Giveaways: You could be a winner!

A Lively Atmosphere: Connect with friends, family, and fellow community supporters!

Mark Your Calendars!

Date: Monday, September 8th, 2025

6:00 AM - First Flight Registration

6:30 AM - First Flight Putting Green & Driving Range Open Daylight

7:30 AM - First Flight Golf - Shotgun Start

12:00 PM - Second Flight Golf-Registration

12:00 PM - 2nd flight-Putting Green & Driving Range Open

12:15 PM - Lunch

12:45 PM - Ball Drop

1:00 PM - Awards for First Flight

1:00 PM - Silent Auction Registration

1:30 PM - Second Flight Golf - Shotgun Start

6:00 PM - Small Bites & Beverages Club House

7:30 PM - Awards for Second Flight

7:30 PM - Silent Auction Closes-do not have to be present

Choose Your Game!

Pick your passion and sign up today! Golf Tournament: Tennis Tournament: Pickleball Tournament: all skill levels welcome!

How You Can Get Involved:

1. Play & Participate! Join us as a player! Gather your foursome, find your doubles partner, or sign up solo and we'll help you find a team.

Player Registration: Click Here To ==> [Register](#)

Includes: Greens fees/court fees, tournament entry, lunch, and more!

2. Become a Sponsor! Showcase your business or family's commitment to Roswell! We have a variety of sponsorship levels designed to maximize your impact and visibility.

Become A Sponsor. Click Here To ==> [Become A Sponsor](#)

3. Volunteer Your Time! Not a player but want to help? We need enthusiastic volunteers to make this event a smashing success!

Become A Volunteer. Click Here To ==> [Volunteer](#)

Don't Miss Out! Register Today! Spaces are limited, so sign up early to secure your spot and help us make a massive impact for Roswell's charities!

Visit Our Website for Full Details & Registration: Click Here To ==> [Register](#)

Questions? Contact Tori Nielson: Click Here To ==> [Contact Event Manager](#)

Thursday July 19 5:30pm

Alive in Roswell

It's Alive in Roswell Time!!

Thursday July 17 5:30 - 7:30pm

Roswell Rotarians

Gather at Hagan Center at 5pm



Alive in Roswell is a free monthly festival held every third Thursday from April through October in Roswell, Georgia. In 2025, the schedule is: April 17, May 15, June 19, July 17, August 21, September 18, and October 16. The festival runs from 5:30 PM to 9:00 PM,

but our tent closes at 7:30.

Come join us in front of the Hagan Center for burgers, dogs, and Roswell Rotary fellowship! It's a Roswell Rotary tradition and a great way to get to know other members.

Huskies Helping Huskies

Back to School Backpack Drive



ROSWELL ROTARY SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

For Crabapple Middle School's "Huskies Helping Huskies"

It's time for RRC's 2nd Annual School Supply Drive — and we need your help to make it a success!

You can help a student start the new school year with everything they need for success.

Our Goal: Fill 40 Backpacks!

☐ It's easy!

Just scan the QR code below to purchase supplies and support a local student.

Let's come together and make a difference — one backpack at a time!

**Just Click QR Code Below
to Purchase Supplies Online**

Amazon



Walmart



[Click here for Amazon](#)
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Volunteer Opportunity

Be a meeting Visitor Ambassador

Volunteer to be a Visitor Ambassador



Just like we have volunteers for the Pledge of Allegiance and the Four-Way Test at our weekly meetings, we need volunteers to greet our visitors and make sure they are introduced around and settled in at a table with someone to introduce them. Sometimes they are visiting from another club, some have seen a social media post and are walking in for the first time. And some are coming with a Roswell Rotarian who has invited them for lunch. The most important thing is that we need volunteers to make our guests feel welcome and to show how inviting our club is.

Just use this link or QR code to sign up for a meeting. Any questions, just reach out to Courtney Lott courtney.lott@kw.com

Sign Up Link [Click Here](#)

Sign Up with QR Code Here



Roswell Rotary Billing -New Look



Your Roswell Rotary Club payment notices will now be coming from Quickbooks. So when you get the email to pay your dues (or anything else you've asked to be billed for) it will look different, but it is real. So please pay it! Any questions, contact Cheryl Greenway cgrotarydg1213@aol.com or Tori Nielson admin@roswellrotary.com.

Upcoming Roswell Rotary Events

**Save the Date: Find Your Spot and Help Us to Unite
for GOOD**

Save the Date



Michael Curling
Service Projects Chair



Bob Clarkson
Social Chair

Alive in Roswell

Thursday, July 17

[Add To Calendar](#)

Golf & Tennis Tournament

Monday, Sept. 8 Country Club of Roswell

[Add To Calendar](#)

Trummie Lee & Team Knock Installation Out of the Park

President Trummie Lee Installed



Just WOW! What a wonderful night at the installation party of Roswell Rotary Club's 75th **President-Trummie Lee Patrick III**. **Bob Clarkson**, you made things happen for sure. Food was great and we kept the bar tender very busy. **Courtney Lott** and **Katie Tucker**, the flowers and decor were top notch and the whistles were "a thing!"

And the music was excellent. Many thanks to the extremely talented **Sam & Savannah**.

And the presidential message. No words- from the heart, inspiring and moving. This quote was especially heartfelt, "Everyone I'm looking at out here, this club does it. I don't, and I want to talk about what we can accomplish." Make sure you are at the July 10th meeting where President Trummie Lee will address the Club and kick us off for the 2025-26 75th presidential year. We have a lot of rewarding work ahead of us as a club and a leader who is going to challenge us to accomplish great things for RRC and our community.

[Click here](#) to view Google Photos page from party