

Meetings

October is Economic and Community Development Month

- 10/20 DG George Granade
Official Club Visit
- 10/27 Restaurant Industry Post-COVID
- 11/3 Interact Kickoff
- 11/10 John Germ - Past RI
President & Chair of End
Polio Now

Events

- 10/18 Rotary Means Business
(district networking event)
- 10/18 RR After Hours Club
- 10/19 DG Dinner
- 10/20 Alive In Roswell

Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

- 10/1 Ralph Rowland, Jr.
- 10/2 Sandy Buhler
- 10/2 Cheryl Greenway
- 10/4 Ronald Cowan
- 10/4 Adele Hamilton
- 10/4 Lucy Hall
- 10/6 Cathy Steffen
- 10/7 Lynne Lindsay
- 10/7 Stephen Bragg
- 10/10 Jeffrey Meyers
- 10/11 Charlie Brown
- 10/11 William Albers
- 10/12 SaraBeth Huntley
- 10/12 Jeff McCoy
- 10/13 Kyle Woods
- 10/14 Jeremy Ashman
- 10/15 Tori Nielsen
- 10/16 David Wash
- 10/16 Natalie Cook

President's Message



President John's Message

I'm excited to host our District Governor George Granade this week at Rotary and share with him the many things that Roswell Rotary has already accomplished this year. Things like:

- Launching the impactful Roswell Teen Talks podcast series developed by Wellstar and Roswell Rotary to address behavioral health with our teens in this stressful post-Covid world.
- Funding needed replacement tools and seed for the Unity Garden at the Chattahoochee Nature Center utilizing our district grant.
- Donating blood to the American Red Cross on a quarterly basis.
- Our Golf and Tennis Tournaments that raise funds for projects like the Teen Talks podcasts and support many local charities.
- Honoring our police and fire personnel with our 3rd Annual First Responders Cookout around 9-11.
- Hosting our second Rotary Youth Exchange student La Neige from Thailand.
- Hosting our latest GRSP student Emilio Ochoa from Columbia.
- Sending bottled water to Jackson, MS after historic flooding disabled the city's water system.
- Collecting trash as part of Rivers Alive along the Chattahoochee River.
- Spending a beautiful Fall day at Gary Garrett's farm for our annual Farm Day event.
- The budding partnership with the City of Roswell to redesign and revitalize a neighborhood park in Roswell's only high vulnerability zone.

10/17 Jim Byrd
10/17 Geoff Smith
10/18 A.D. Dalton
10/19 Jack Stephens
10/23 Mindy Jones
10/23 Lisa Smith
10/26 Katie Anderson
10/31 Virginia Martz

YEARS OF SERVICE

10/1 Fate McKinney, III (21)
28 years in Rotary
10/4 Shields Blankenship, III (0)
6 years in Rotary
10/6 Chuck Savage (6)
14 years in Rotary
10/7 Jim Coyle, Jr. (13)
10/7 Matt Millard (13)
10/10 Mike McRay (20)
10/11 Ted Lescher, Jr. (3)
9 years in Rotary
10/11 Samuel Pittman (3)
10/11 William Lindsey (3)
10/11 Darrell Bartlett (3)
10/12 Tom Rowsey (16)
18 years in Rotary
10/13 Jennifer Briggs (11)
10/16 Lou Tabickman (14)
10/19 Kurt Hilbert (5)
5 years in Rotary
10/19 Timothy Klatt (5)
10/23 Steve Stroud (36)
10/25 Dazia Fumbah (4)
10/28 Ryan Gehricke (1)
10/28 Bill Hoban (1)
10/28 Geoff Smith (1)
10/29 Hal Coleman (24)

Rotary Online

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

ROTARY CLUB OF ROSWELL

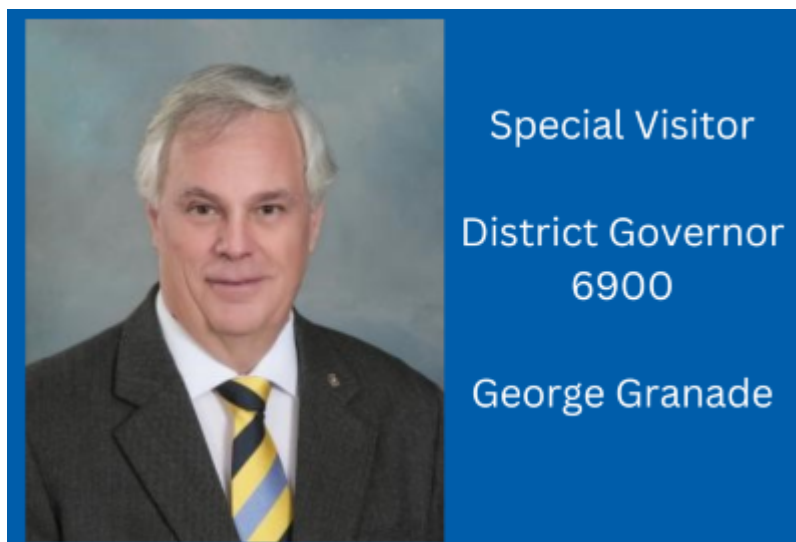
Thursdays, 12:15 pm
Roswell Area Park
Bill Johnson Community Activity Building
10495 Woodstock Road

- Building a float with the Interact clubs for the Youth Day Parade and taking home 2nd place, Civic division.

And that's just the first three months! Be there Thursday when DG George shares with us what our District is doing this year.

District 6900 District Governor

Program Oct. 20: George Granade-Our District Governor



It's always such a treat to have the District 6900 Governor visit. And very special when that person is George Granade. Excited to hear about all the work happening in the district and to share with him all that Roswell Rotary Club has already accomplished this year. Let's have a full house for his visit and give him a fried chicken Roswell Rotary welcome!!

More about George Granade-
[\[read more\]](#)

Support World Polio Day

Corn Hole Tournament at Lucky's

Roswell, GA 30075

CONNECT WITH US



LEADERSHIP

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|-----------------|----------------------|
| President | John Carruth |
| President-Elect | Alex Kaufman |
| Immediate PP | Terry Taylor |
| Treasurer | Trummie Patrick, III |
| Secretary | Nancy Alterman |
| Membership | Katie Anderson |
| Foundation | Leslie Bassett |
| Public Image | Michael Gould |

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



First Annual
World Polio Day
Mon. Oct. 24 6pm
Lucky's Cornhole Tournament



Let the games begin. Turn out to support World Polio Day with your family and friends at the first EVER World Polio Day Cornhole Tournament at Lucky's

When: Monday October 24, 6 PM

Where: Lucky's Burger and Brew

What: Enter the tournament with a \$25 donation to Rotary's PolioPlus fund (tax deductible). Or consider sponsoring one or more tournament slots. [Click on this link](#) to enter or to sponsor a slot(s)

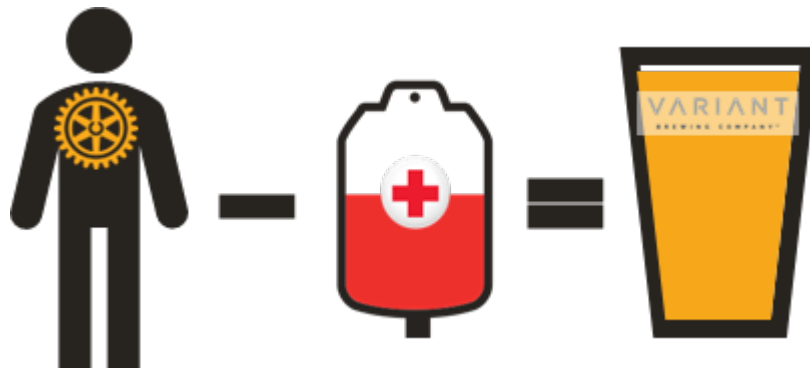
Roswell Rotary...Doing what we do...Raising money for great causes while having fun!!

[Add To Calendar](#)

TUE, OCT 25 NEW LOCATION: COMPUTER MUSEUM OF AMERICA

Why Does This Beer's Name Matter?

Imagine that you can save lives even though your chances are 2 out of 3 that you can't give blood. The solution is simple: find a friend, family member -- or our favorite solution, your coworkers -- to donate a pint. Not only will they get cookies and snacks, but they'll also get the Roswell-popular "Pint for a Pint" coupon from Variant Brewing, including the premiere of "Blood Orange Cashmere" to celebrate all blood donors!



Then [share this link with the one who will 'giveth and receiveth'](#) so that they can reserve a donor table of their choice.

Questions should be directed to Darrell Bartlett at 770-883-7757 or Hal Schlenger at 770-335-0077.

JUST ANNOUNCED:



[Add To Calendar](#)

Join the Fun!

Alive in Roswell This Thursday Oct 20 5pm-9pm



Meet under the Roswell Rotary tent in the Hagan Business Center Parking Lot. Parking only \$5 and food and drinks free at Rotary tent. Thank you, Big Oak Tavern, for providing sliders! As depicted above with the Incredible Family, if you feel adventurous come in costume!

you can help

Roswell Teen Talks Podcast Program Launched!



Good Morning Roswell Rotarians and Friends!

Roswell Rotary recently announced the launch of the **Roswell Teen Talk Podcast Series** because today's Roswell students say being a teen has never been more challenging. Parents struggle with ways to help their teens navigate through today's environment. Listen to their struggles and learn how to help with tips from professional mental health experts, teachers and parents. This series is Phase 1 (of 3) of a partnership between the WellStar Foundation and Roswell Rotary. Roswell Rotary (THAT MEANS YOU AND ME!!) will be the boots on the ground to get the message out to students and parents throughout our community and beyond. This content is FREE and our goal is to share it with EVERYONE! Here's what you do:

DOWNLOAD AND LISTEN TO THE PODCASTS!

Podcasts are located here:

- Spotify: <https://open.spotify.com/show/1BeGInok87iSlU8AWx2epC>
- Amazon: <https://music.amazon.com/podcasts/5d38562f-adc7-4d7c-a04e-ed09d7504ae4/roswell-teen-talk-podcast?refMarker=null>
- Pod bean: <https://roswellteentalk.podbean.com/>
- Apple: Coming soon

SHARE THE PODCASTS!

[read more]

No After Hours Meeting Tonight



In lieu of their normal meeting, After Hours is having a special private social event in honor of Halloween on Tuesday, October 18! They will be getting their spook on at the Roswell Ghost Tour. **There will be no meeting at the Artillery Room** and they resume their normal programing on Tuesday, November 1st at 6:30.

Join us for Talk Saves Lives



Save the date: RRAH is having a special *virtual* meeting on Tuesday, November 15th. Join us as we dive deeper into suicide prevention with a virtual course: Talk Saves Lives: An Introduction to Suicide Prevention. Sponsored by the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, the community-based presentation will cover the general scope of suicide, the research on prevention and what people can do to fight suicide. *All* Rotarians are invited and more information will be shared closer to time.

Tue, Oct 18 at Eclipse di Luna

Business Networking is Better When It's with Fellow Rotarians (12-club event)



For you, or someone on your staff.....6:00 - 8:00pm.

For more information, contact Ken

Carter **404-386-3214** <ken.carter@floorcoveringsinternational.com> or Hal Schlenger **770-335-0077** <HSchlenger@GreatSouthBenefits.com>

RHS Career Day



We are coming up on a very special day! It is Career Day for Roswell High School on Thursday, Nov 17th. You may have participated before, or you may have always wanted to shape the minds of young brilliance. This is your opportunity!

We will be looking to fill spaces immediately for our day (7:30 - 3:30), in 20-minute slots. Let's make it fun for the 30-35 young minds (each session) that you will be engaging. You can demonstrate what you do to youth by bringing props and wearing what you would wear to work: uniform, equipment, suit/tie!

This is the time to show a new generation about this exciting career path! What should you talk about you are thinking? It should be whatever projects that you work on in your career. Be you-very engaging! You can even sprinkle questions throughout the crowd for them to ask you! This may be the time to break out your company's swag or marketing materials if you choose.

Don't wait until the last minute to sign up, so you will have enough time to complete the virtual volunteer training by November 14th. It should only take about 20 minutes to complete and can be found at <https://www.fultonschools.org/Page/9539>.

You don't want to miss this opportunity! There is going to be a rush to fill these spaces, so sign up today.

Sign up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0444AEAD2DA7FC1-roswell>

For additional information please contact [Kay Howell](#) 678-656-8801

[Add To Calendar](#)

Save the dates

This is where Roswell Rotary's Magic Happens. How will you help?



This is what earns Rotary such a great reputation...and "Club of the Year" recognition. 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!

Rotary Means Business (district networking event)

[Add To Calendar](#) Tue, Oct 18 6:00pm

Last Alive in Roswell

[Add To Calendar](#) Thurs. Oct. 20 5:00pm - Until

First Annual World Polio Day Cornhole Tournament

[Add To Calendar](#) Mon. Oct 24 6:00pm at Lucky's

Red Cross Blood Drive

[Add To Calendar](#) Tue, Oct 25 8:00am - 1:00pm

After Blood Drive Party at Variant

[Add To Calendar](#) Tue, Oct 25 5:00pm - Until

Hump Days Begin Again in November TBA

Day of the Dead

[Add To Calendar](#) Tue, Nov. 1 2:00pm - 8:00pm

RHS Career Day

[Add To Calendar](#) Thur. Nov. 17th 7:30am - 3:30pm

Holiday Party

[Add To Calendar](#) Friday, Dec. 9 TBA

Rotary Last Week

