



What You Missed Last Week!

Last week's meeting saw a return to in person meetings. We had thirty-seven in attendance at the Plaza and twenty-three online. It will probably be some time before attendance is back in the eighties and nineties, but it looks like we are getting there.

Don Simms lost his wife last week, so let's keep Don and his family in our thoughts and prayers. It was also announced that Ed Titus, Ed Elam, and John Glenn are doing well health wise. Joe Brown gave his classification talk. Joe, we all thank you for the many years you gave serving our country. Your service helps make it possible for us to meet each week. If anyone is suffering from cabin fever, please consider volunteering to help Hands Over Thomas County on October 17.

We sometimes take for granted the work we do as a club. Debbie Goodman in her program talk, reminded us that over the years, the Rotary Club of Thomasville has done an outstanding job providing funds to the Georgia Rotary Student Program. Debbie gave us reasons to walk with our heads held a little higher and with a little more bounce in our step. We do great work, and we should be proud knowing that we are making a difference not just in Thomasville but around the world. Thanks, Debbie, for reminding us of the good and meaningful work the Rotary Club of Thomasville is doing in the world. As president John Brown reminds us each week, Rotary Opens Opportunities.

This Week's Program



Alan Carson, Thomasville City Manager will speak about his first 18 months in Thomasville, accomplishments and current projects.

Meetings

October is Economic and Community Development Month

- 10/8 Alan Carson - City Manager
- 10/15 Fortson Rumble - running a successful small business
- 10/22 The Innocence Project of Florida
- 10/29 District Governor KIRK DRISKELL
- 11/5 Will Watt - Major Henry Elrod
- 11/12 Regular Meeting - Liza Donnelly, Cartoonist for The New Yorker & CBS News
- 11/19 Regular Meeting-Vashti Thanksgiving Lunch
- 11/26 HAPPY THANKSGIVING - NO MEETING TODAY

Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

- 10/4 Clark Lunsford
- 10/5 Morgan Bailey
- 10/5 John Comita, Jr.
- 10/11 Nicholas Rahming
- 10/12 David Flowers
- 10/13 Scott Sterling
- 10/14 Anna Lee
- 10/23 Walter Marria, Jr.
- 10/24 Wilson Carraway, Jr.
- 10/24 Kristy Wainright
- 10/31 Anne Candelaria Flores

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- 10/2 Warren Ballard (15)
- 10/3 Nathaniel Tyler (10)
- 10/10 Frances Parker (33)
- 10/16 Carol Jones (60)
- 10/22 Dawna Bicknell Tanner (9)
- 10/24 Vann Middleton (27)

Volunteers Needed



Volunteers are needed to assist with the Hands On Thomas County project the morning of **October 17th to help spruce up Vashti School**. Bill Dickey will have signup sheets at our meeting. If you are not planning to attend in person but would like to volunteer, please call him at 229-224-0189.

YEARS OF SERVICE

10/3	Julie Carter (1)
10/4	Kurt Stringfellow (2) 6 years in Rotary
10/13	Teri White (9)
10/16	Tim Filston (6)
10/16	Francis Lilly (6) 9 years in Rotary
10/27	Jim Carter (9)

Rotary Online

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<https://rotary6900.org/>
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ROTARY CLUB OF THOMASVILLE

Thursdays, 12:15 pm
The Plaza Restuarant
217 Broad St
Thomasville, GA 31792

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