

February is...

Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution Month



This Weeks Program!

As we celebrate and honor Black History Month we have some local hero's who are making a difference in our community. We will have a panel discussion with Chris Hopkins, Owner of Hopkins Mortuary, Rosco Smith, Owner of A+ Lawn & Cleaning Services, Rickela Reynolds, Owner of Rickela Does Film, and Dr. Brittany Crenshaw, Internal Medicine Specialist. They are apart of the 40 and under entrepreneurs club, they are trailblazers who create, build and provide hope here in Thomasville.

MEETINGS

February is Peace and Conflict Prevention Month

- 2/3 New Black History Makers
- 2/10 Regular Meeting - Chase Vande Zande PGA JR League
- 2/17 Kelvin M. Owens
- 2/24 Regular Meeting - Gary W. Sanchez Regional Director of External Affairs South Georgia AT&T
- 3/3 Regular Meeting - Chandler Giddes Thomasville-Thomas County Humane Society
- 3/10 Regular Meeting - Rossman Apiaries
- 3/17 Regular Meeting - Lindy Savelle - Georgia Grown Citrus
- 3/24 Regular Meeting - Sydni Ingram with UGA EXTENSION and NATURAL RESOUCES

BIRTHDAYS

- 2/5 Gregory Adams
- 2/8 Devona Thompson
- 2/9 Luten Nunnally
- 2/10 Laura Pike
- 2/12 Lorraine Williams Rahming
- 2/16 Renee Oliveto
- 2/18 Sandra Wright
- 2/19 Tom Harrison
- 2/19 Marta Jones-Turner
- 2/21 Paul Overstreet
- 2/24 Daniel Pittman

WEDDING

ANNIVERSARIES

- 2/4 Robert Ackerman (54)
- 2/6 Julie Carter (29)
- 2/14 Erik von Hellens (21)



What you Missed Last Week!

We had a fantastic meeting last week! The Rose City String band from the Thomasville City School System rocked the room and those kids are just talented.



A special thank you, to our Spark spokesman Mike Bixler and guest Doug for sharing the purpose of the program and the role that Rotary and fellow Rotarians play in supporting local entrepreneurs. Congratulations, to our winner Irene for winning the pot last week with a little over \$1,800. Her winning story is... She took a dollar out of her mom purse and only bought one ticket. Her mom is still with her and making it happen. We love you Irene and Congratulations!

- 2/14 Andy Vann (1)
- 2/17 John Kepler (45)
- 2/22 Eugene McNease (55)
- 2/24 Tim Daniel (26)
- 2/25 David Sofferin (38)

YEARS OF SERVICE

- 2/1 Marta Jones-Turner (28)
- 2/1 Bradford Jackson (28)
- 2/8 Joe Tarver (4)
- 2/26 Nathaniel Tyler (24)
- 2/27 Shelba Sellers (7)
- 3/1 Joe Brown (17)

ROTARY ONLINE

<https://thomasvillerotary.org>
<https://rotary6900.org/>
<https://rotary.org/>

ROTARY CLUB OF THOMASVILLE

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

SOCIAL MEDIA



LEADERSHIP

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|-----------------|-------------------|
| President | Wayne Newsome |
| President-Elect | Danny Braddy |
| Immediate PP | John Brown |
| Vice President | Jeff Zoller |
| Treasurer | Teri White |
| Secretary | Angela Williamson |
| Public Image | Adrian Burns |

Directors

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| Club President | Mary Beth |
| Nominee | Donalson |
| Membership | Janet Liles |



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| Foundation | Fran Milberg |
| Service Projects | Mary Beth Donalson |
| Admin | Cameron Jahnke |
| Youth Service | Susie Shin |
| Community Service | Mary Beth Donalson |

Upcoming Events!

UPCOMING EVENTS





3 FEBRUARY
BLOOD MOBILE
11AM

14 FEBRUARY
Rotary Has Hearts
Cookout 11Am

23 FEBRUARY
Rotary's Anniversary

Rotary Club
of Thomasville

"Service Above Self"



You Are Not Alone!

This is something that affect us all and brings great pain. You can make a difference!

SUICIDE PREVENTION

YOUR STORY ISN'T OVER

KNOW THE 12 SUICIDE WARNING SIGNS



- ▶ FEELING LIKE A BURDEN
- ▶ BEING ISOLATED
- ▶ INCREASED ANXIETY
- ▶ FEELING TRAPPED OR IN UNBEARABLE PAIN
- ▶ INCREASED SUBSTANCE USE
- ▶ LOOKING FOR A WAY TO ACCESS LETHAL MEANS
- ▶ INCREASED ANGER OR RAGE
- ▶ EXTREME MOOD SWING
- ▶ EXPRESS HOPELESSNESS
- ▶ SLEEPING TOO LITTLE OR TOO MUCH
- ▶ TALKING OR POSTING ABOUT WANTING TO DIE
- ▶ MAKING PLANS FOR SUICIDE

5 STEPS TO HELP SOMEONE AT RISK

- ▶ ASK
- ▶ KEEP THEM SAFE
- ▶ BE THERE
- ▶ HELP THEM CONNECT
- ▶ FOLLOW UP

LET'S FIGHT
SUICIDE TOGETHER

YOU ARE NOT ALONE

If you're thinking about suicide, are worried about a friend or loved one, or would like emotional support, the Lifeline network is available 24/7.

1-800-273-8255 | [suicidepreventionlifeline.org](https://www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org)