



Thursday, Nov. 21

## Vashti

Continuing a 103-year tradition of meeting at Vashti on the Thursday before Thanksgiving, Rotary will meet at The Vashti Center on Thursday, Nov. 21. The program will be provided by Rotarian and Vashti Center Executive Director **David Sofferin**.

For more than a century, Rotary has supported the work of Vashti with club and personal donations. Club support has varied from financial assistance to project support, and even donated a station wagon to the center once decades ago.

Look for signs on Vashti's grounds pointing you to the dining hall.



Saturday, Nov. 23, 2024

## Produce Market at Weston Park

Rotary will host a produce distribution at Weston Park on Saturday, Nov. 23 from 9 a.m. until 10:30 a.m., or until all food is distributed. This is one of our local Rotary Club's Big Impact Projects to help make fresh vegetables and fruits available to all.

We will *not* have a sort and pack this week, so we will assemble as needed at the park – so please join us to make it a smooth event.

To volunteer, please arrive by 7:30 a.m. to begin setting up and registering participants.

## MEETINGS

November is Rotary Foundation Month

- 11/21 Meet at Vashti -- Program: David Sofferin, Director
- 12/5 Evening Celebration & Program by Durrell Smith, artist & dog trainer
- 12/12 VA's HUD-VASH Program
- 12/19 Meet at Second Harvest – Pack & Sort Veggies for Free Produce Market
- 12/26 No Meeting: Happy Holidays
- 1/2 No Meeting: Happy New Year
- 1/9 Regular Meeting at Vashti: Club Assembly & 6 Month Update
- 1/13 Board Meeting at the Chamber

## EVENTS

- 11/21 Online Auction
- 11/23 Fresh Produce Distribution at Weston Park
- 11/28 HAPPY THANKSGIVING
- 12/5 Celebration (Auction Close & Holiday)
- 12/9 Salvation Army Bell Ringing
- 12/12 Blood Drive
- 12/21 Produce Market
- 1/13 Board Meeting at the Chamber

## ROTARY CLUB OF THOMASVILLE

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

## LEADERSHIP

President Marta Jones-Turner  
President-Elect Nathaniel Tyler



Thursday, Nov. 28

## No Club Meeting: Thanksgiving

There will be no club meeting on Thursday, Nov. 28 in recognition of Thanksgiving.



Nov. 21 to Dec. 5

## Rotary Online Auction

Our **online auction** to help fund our club's community service, youth projects and other programs throughout the year will launch Thursday during the meeting. The auction will end on Thursday, Dec. 5.

More than 50 items have been donated, including vacation stays, hunts, fishing trips, merchandise, dining experiences at unique venues, jewelry, art, antiques, designer items, guns, and more.

To donate an additional item, contact **Marta Jones Turner** (229.221.0858) today.

Immediate PP	Mary Beth Donalson
Vice President	Nathaniel Tyler
Treasurer	Warren Ballard
Secretary	Anna Lee
Public Image	David Sofferin

### Directors

Membership	Angela Williamson
Service Projects	Barbara Williams-Anderson
Foundation	Carol Jones
Club Director	Scott Rich
Youth Service	Chandler Giddes
Admin	Devona Thompson

### ROTARY ONLINE

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

### YEARS OF SERVICE

11/29	Tom Harrison, Jr. (23)
12/1	Scott Rich (47)
12/1	Tom Shaw (2)
12/1	Brigit Smallridge (2)
12/10	Richard Christenson (4)
12/13	John Blackmon (6) 9 years in Rotary
12/13	Susie Shin (6)
12/13	Barbara Williams-Anderson (6)



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**Dec. 9-Dec. 13**

## **Mark Your Calendar: Salvation Army Bell Ringing**

Please mark your calendars for Monday, Dec. 9 through Friday, Dec. 13. Rotary members will ring the bell for the Salvation Army throughout the week.

Be on the lookout for sign-up opportunities coming soon.

