



**Wednesday, June 17 (tomorrow)**  
**Coffee Chat**



Join us tomorrow, Wednesday, June 17, at Grassroots Coffee anytime between **7:30 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.** for a cup of coffee and a casual conversation with fellow Rotarians! Stay long enough to enjoy breakfast and get to know your fellow Rotarians better or grab your coffee to go. No agenda, no program.

**Thursday, June 18 and Saturday, June 20**  
**Sort, Pack & Distribute Fresh Produce**  
**This Week**

The club will meet on **Thursday, June 18 at 11:30 a.m.** at Second Harvest Food Bank to pack food boxes for this month's fresh produce distribution. After we finish packing, enjoy a box lunch with the team or grab one to go.

**MEETINGS**

June is Rotary Fellowships Month

- 6/18 Second Harvest: Pack & Sort Produce
- 6/25 Joe Tarver Induction
- 7/2 Club Survey Results, Year Overview
- 7/9 Thomasville Entertainment Foundation
- 7/16 Program TBA
- 7/23 OEM Osteoporosis Hospital
- 7/30 Echoes of the Gavel
- 9/10 District Governor Cynthia Edwards Visit

**EVENTS**

- 6/17 Coffee Chat
- 6/20 Fresh Produce Market at Weston Park
- 7/13 Board Meeting
- 7/15 Coffee Chat
- 7/30 Blood Drive
- 9/9 Happy Hour with District Governor Cynthia Edwards
- 9/10 Board Meeting with District Governor Cynthia Edwards
- 10/1 Blood Drive

**ROTARY CLUB OF THOMASVILLE**

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

**LEADERSHIP**

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|-----------------|--------------------|
| President       | Nathaniel Tyler    |
| President-Elect | Joe Tarver         |
| Immediate PP    | Marta Jones-Turner |



We'll distribute our fresh produce boxes on **Saturday, June 20** at Weston Park. Set-up begins at **7:30 a.m.**, and distribution begins at 8:30 a.m. or as soon as we are ready. Please join us. Whether you're a seasoned volunteer or trying it out for the first time, we'd love to see you there. Bring your energy, your smile, and maybe a friend or two!

**Thursday, June 25**

## **Installation of New Officers**

Joe Tarver will be inducted as president of our club. New officers and directors will begin their terms with the new Rotary year beginning July 1.

Vice President	Joe Tarver
Treasurer	Warren Ballard
Secretary	Anne Candelaria Flores
Executive Secretary/Director	Teri White
Past President	André Marria

### **Directors**

Club President Nominee	Chandler Giddes
Public Image	David Sofferin
Membership	Arthur Wigfall
Service Projects	Melanie Cromartie
Foundation	Jason Goldman
Youth Service	Chandler Giddes
Admin	Sally Bowman

### **ROTARY ONLINE**

<https://thomasvillerotary.org>

<https://rotary6900.org/>

<https://rotary.org/>

### **YEARS OF SERVICE**

6/16	George Stephens, Jr. (3) 56 years in Rotary
6/27	Rob Milberg (24)
6/27	Daniel Pittman (2)
6/27	Robert Ackerman (12) 49 years in Rotary
7/1	Rick Piper (2) 9 years in Rotary
7/1	C. Grubbs, III (39)
7/1	Donald Sims (37)
7/1	Jeff Zoller (17)
7/1	Mary Beth Donalson (12)
7/1	Sharon Patrick (22)
7/2	William Dickey (11)
7/4	Nicholas Rahming (7)
7/4	Erik von Hellens (14)
7/6	Kim Walden (9) 15 years in Rotary
7/8	Chandler Giddes (5)
7/12	Eric Ward (14)



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## Dues Increasing July 1

Quarterly dues will increase in the new fiscal year that begins July 1. Dues will increase from \$185 to \$235, not including \$25 quarterly optional donations to the Rotary Foundation and GRSP that are encouraged.

### Why now?

- Our dues have not increased since 2015.
- Both District 6900 and Rotary International have increased dues three times since 2015.
- The adjustment also accounts for increasing prices for meals, venue costs, and other routine expenses that support our meetings and activities.

If you have any questions about these cost increases, please contact **Teri White**, who will be treasurer in 2026-2027.

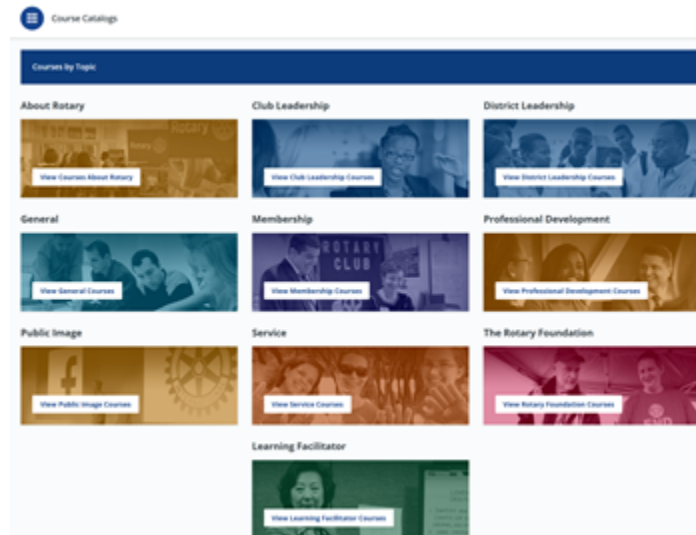
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## Training Courses Available

Log into your **My Rotary** account to take advantage of Rotary training courses in a variety of areas, including professional development and timely topics like change management and uncovering unconscious bias.

All officers and directors who will take office in July for the 2026-2027 Rotary year are required to take the courses available for their role. Anyone who would like to volunteer as committee members and potential officers are also encouraged to take the courses.

Questions? Contact André Marria (229.221.7230), learning facilitator for our club and the district.



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## June Calendar



Here's a look at the calendar for the remainder of June:

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Looking ahead to July:

- **Thursday, July 2:** Club Survey Results and Year Overview with new president Joe Tarver
- **Thursday, July 9:** Thomasville Entertainment Foundation with Rick Ivey
- **Thursday, July 9:** Wine or Whine at 5:30 p.m.; location TBD
- **Monday, July 13:** Board Meeting at Chamber of Commerce, beginning at 5:15 p.m.
- **Wednesday, July 15:** Coffee Chat  
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- **Thursday, July 16:** Meeting program TBA
- **Saturday, July 18:** No produce distribution at Weston Park in July or August
- **Thursday, July 23:** OEM Osteoporosis Hospital
- **Thursday, July 30:** Echoes of the Gavel - *join us to learn more about this topic!*

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The calendar is subject to changes. Find the most updated Rotary calendar anytime:

- Add individual **calendar items** to your personal calendar.
  - **Subscribe to the Rotary calendar** for automatic updates.
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