

## We had a successful Rotary has Heart for Seniors

Thank you to all who helped, greeted, and smiled at our visiting seniors last Thursday. They thoroughly enjoyed being a part of our meeting. One senior stated that the entire morale of the senior center had been increased since seeing the February calendar with an outing to The Plaza for Valentine's Day. They could hardly wait to have their annual party with Rotarians again. Thank you for caring. And thank you to those Rotarians who sponsored a table.



## Tomorrow, February 21st at the Plaza Blood Drive starting 11am - 2pm-We need your BLOOD!



## ABC's of Rotary

Some Rotary "Firsts" .

The first Rotary club meeting was in Chicago, Illinois, on 23 February 1905. .

The first regular luncheon meetings were in Oakland, California, chartered in 1909. .

The first Rotary convention was in Chicago in 1910. .

The first Rotary club outside of the United States was chartered in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, in 1910. .

The first Rotary club outside of North America was chartered in Dublin, Ireland, in 1911. .

## Meetings

February is Peace and Conflict Prevention Month

- 2/21 Regular Meeting - Kha McDonald - "Walking in My Shoes...Without Getting Your Feet Wet"
- 2/28 Regular Meeting-Special Guest- You don't want to miss this one!
- 3/7 Regular Meeting - Calvin Cole, DNR Southwest Georgia Hunting & Shooting Education Specialist
- 3/14 Regular Meeting - THS Odyssey of the Mind
- 3/21 Regular Meeting- Jonathon Canon - Southwest GA Xtreme R/C Club
- 3/28 Regular Meeting - Will Watt - He flew "The Hump"
- 4/4 Regular Meeting - Randolph Russell &
- 4/11 Regular Meeting - Lisa Mitchell & Joey Blackburn, Crime Scene Investigator - Social Media-risk to kids & adults

## Our Rotary Family 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, Jr.
- 2/19 Marta Jones-Turner
- 2/21 Paul Overstreet
- 2/24 Daniel Pittman

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- 2/4 Robert Ackerman (58)

The first Rotary club in a non-English-speaking country was in Havana, Cuba, in 1916. .

The first Rotary club in South America was chartered in Montevideo, Uruguay, in 1918. .

The first Rotary club in Asia was chartered in Manila, Philippines, in 1919. .

The first Rotary club in Africa was chartered in Johannesburg, South Africa, in 1921. .

The first Rotary club in Australia was chartered in Melbourne in 1921. (Original idea from "Scandal Sheet")

## Tomorrow, February 21st @ 5:30 pm February Board Meeting, at the Library



### From the Desk of President Andre'



2/6	Julie Carter (33)
2/14	Erik von Hellens (25)
2/14	Andy Vann (2)
2/17	John Kepler (49)
2/22	Eugene McNease (59)
2/24	Tim Daniel (30)
2/25	David Sofferin (42)

### YEARS OF SERVICE

2/1	Marta Jones-Turner (25)
2/1	Bradford Jackson (25)
2/8	Joe Tarver (1)
2/26	Nathaniel Tyler (21)
2/27	Shelba Sellers (4)

### 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

President	André Marria
President-Elect	Kim Walden
Immediate PP	Teri White
Vice President	Tom Callaway, III
Treasurer	Teri White
Treasurer	Rick Piper
Secretary	Angela Williamson
Program Director	Jay Flowers
Public Image	Marta Jones-Turner

## **Directors**

Club President Nominee	John Brown
Foundation	Scott Rich
Foundation	Kim Walden
Membership	Ben Wilds
Youth Service	Eddie Smith
Community Service	C. Grubbs, III