

A holiday feast for local soldiers

THOMASVILLE — Members of the Thomasville Rotary Club held their annual Christmas party for the soldiers and families of the Georgia Army National Guard's 1230th Transportation Company, based in Thomasville.

The event was held at the unit armory and along with food, there were raffles for bikes and scooters for the children.



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**Pat Donahue/Times-Enterprise** Sgt. 1st Class Francisco Mendez was given the Peacemakers Award from Kim Walden, Rotary Club members and unit officers and non-commissioned officers served turkey, ham, Club president, and Rotary Club member and Col. (ret.) Joe Brown, also a Rotary Club member. dressing, green bean casserole and more to the Guardsmen and their families.





Santa Claus came dressed in his normal red and white suit rather than an Army Combat Uniform.

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The older party attendees also got moving on the armory floor.

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