

# ROTASCOPE

July 18, 2023

# Meetings

July is Maternal and Child Health Month

- 7/20 Tiffany Ervin CART
- 7/27 District Governor Visit
- 8/3 Congressman Dr. Rich McCormick
- 8/10 Do Nguyen Rotary Service Above Self

#### **Events**

- 7/18 Rotary Means Business / District 6900 event
- 7/18 After Hours Club Meeting
- 7/20 Deadline for Pajama Donations
- 7/20 Alive in Roswell

#### LEADERSHIP

President	Alex Kaufman
President-Elect	Nancy Alterman
Treasurer	Matthew Millard
Secretary	Trummie Patrick, III
Membership	Bob Clarkson
Foundation	James Stone
Public Image	Becky Nelson

#### PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS

Cheryl Greenway 2012-13 Bob Hagan 2015-16

#### ROTARY CLUB OF ROSWELL

Thursdays, 12:15 pm Roswell Area Park

#### **President Alex's Message**



This week we will be joined by Rotarian (and Beauty Queen) Tiffany Ervin of South Carolina to introduce us to our reinstated initiative The CART Fund. CART stands for Coins for Alzheimer's Research Trust. CART is a non-profit grassroots organization that provides "seed" money for cutting edge, high impact research grants to help find a treatment or cure for Alzheimer's Disease.

I want to thank everyone for their patience as we continue to work through the logistics of a new dining vendor and experience. I appreciate everyone's constructive feedback. We will endeavor to make our lunch meetings the best around. We will not have assigned seating this week, but I do hope that people got to know their fellow members better last week and enjoyed the shake up. We will continue to occasionally have randomized assigned seatings in the future.

Onward and upward!

Alex

#### Coins for Alzheimer's Research Trust Speaker: Tiffany Ervin Rotary Geek and CART

Bill Johnson Community Activity Building 10495 Woodstock Road Roswell, GA 30075

# **Rotary Online**

https://roswellrotary.club https://rotary6900.org/ https://rotary.org/



#### **GET CLUB SMS ALERTS**

text CLUBALERTS to (833) 456-2829

#### Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

- 7/1 George Polatty, Jr.
- 7/3 Maxwell Walker
- 7/5 Bob Hagan
- 7/6 Jack Wyche
- 7/7 Eddie Smith
- 7/8 Richard Austin
- 7/11 Craig Simons
- 7/12 Andy Williams
- 7/13 Scott Moscow
- 7/13 Langdon Hollingsworth
- 7/14 Matthew Ashman
- 7/16 Mike McRay
- 7/17 Jack Tolbert, Jr.
- 7/19 Alex Kaufman
- 7/19 Mark Snoddy
- 7/20 Sarah Byrd
- 7/23 Steven Palmer
- 7/27 Walt Woliver
- 7/27 Ian Mari
- 7/29 Matt Thomas
- 7/29 Leigh Brown



So many families have been touched by the long goodbye of Alzheimer's. And while much research is being conducted, we still have no treatment or cure. But there is much hope as scientists search for the breakthrough. So we are delighted to welcome Tiffany Ervin to speak at our club this week about CART.

The CART Fund (Coins for Alzheimer's Research Trust) is a non-profit grassroots organization that provides "seed" money for cutting edge, high impact research grants to help find a treatment or cure for Alzheimer's Disease. While primarily supported by members of Rotary Clubs in the United States, CART has an active volunteer base and can accept donations of major gifts, bequests or volunteer efforts from anyone. Don't miss this opportunity to learn more about this Rotary driven non profit and example.

About our speaker-[read more]

Family of Care Thoughts and Prayers Needed: Hal Coleman & Rick Meer

# **Roswell Rotary Club Family of Care**



Contact President Alex <u>roswellrotaryclubpresident@gmail.com</u> or Lynne Lindsay <u>lynnehlindsay@outlook.com</u> whenever you know of a Roswell Rotary member or RRC family member who are in need of the power of our collective prayers.

**Hal Coleman:** Update from Hal's family 7-17. He made it through surgery and that went as well as possible! He's sedated and on a breathing tube. He lost about 4 liters of blood and they gave him a lot. Next 48 hours are crucial and he is not out of the woods yet. Because of the blood loss, he can still have a significant heart problem. Hal will be in ICU for several days and we'll know in 1-2 days if he's getting better or worse. They said expect to be in hospital for 2 weeks.

# YEARS OF **SERVICE**

- Larry Harman (16) 24 years in Rotary Zachary Fields (7) Steve Bragg (1) 7/11 John Ross (6) 7/12 Alvin Nash (0) 7/12 Jeff Kramer (0) 7/12 Rich Austin (11) 7/16 <u>Don Horton</u> (8) 7/17 Betty Price (9) 7/17 Mike Agurkis (9) 7/17 Mark Snoddy (20) 23 years in Rotary 7/20 Robert Button (23) 7/22 Becky Stone (14) 7/25 Pat Rains (15) 7/25 Jack Tolbert, Jr. (38) 7/26 Joe Mazzeo (5)
- 7/20 Michael Hernandez (23)
- 7/26 Dave Hallman (22)
- 7/27 William Albers (1)
- 7/27 Justice Brakache (1)
- 7/27 Grant Miller (1)
- 7/28 John Webster (12)
- 7/28 Jack Wyche (18)
- 7/28 Chris Archer (12)

#### **FAMILY OF ROTARY**

Our membership cares deeply about the needs and concerns of our members. We don't want to miss an opportunity to reach out in friendship when such concerns arise. The chairperson of this committee is Lynn Dunn and all news should be directed to her at

Update 7-18 Never underestimate the power of prayer! Hal woke up and is communicating! He wanted a kiss from Lynne and a pencil. His color is good and his kidneys are working and "his vitals are excellent."

Thanks for your continued prayers!

Rick Meer: Our friend and fellow Rotarian, Rick Meer, suffered a heart attack this week. He is recovering at home but he and his family can use our prayers and love during this time.

## 2023 Golf & Tennis Tournament Update Volunteers for 9-11 Rotary Golf & Tennis Tournament



The Aubrey Greenway Golf Tournament and Hagan Cup Tennis Classic planning committees are all underway and working hard to make this year's event one of our best! With the 9-11 tournament date, the tournament will focus on honoring Roswell first responders. They are the people who are there for our community whenever tragedy strikes. What better way to honor them on this sacred day and to show our mission of service above self. Make sure you jump in to give your time and talent as a volunteer for our largest fund raiser of the year!

Michael Curling is heading up the volunteer committee and has the sign up genius link ready for you to grab your volunteer spot and become a part of this fundraising effort. Roswell Rotarians do not disappoint and we cannot wait to see this whole club pulling together to make this tournament truly historic!

**<u>CLICK HERE</u>** to secure your volunteer spot. You will not regret one second of the time you dedicate to this event! For more information, contact Michael Curling michael.curling@gmail.com

#### **Bring Pajamas to Rotary-Last Call** Pajama Collection for STAR House through July 20th



# Back to School Pajama Drive for Star House



Roswell Rotary is partnering with Star House for a Back to School Pajama Drive. Collections will continue until July 20th. The first week of August we will be distributing at Star House Center. We are in need for the following:

All children size pajamas from Kindergarten (size 5- size 14 or men/ women size Small)-4th and 5th Grade - only require pajama bottoms. Kindergarten- 3rd Grade would like both Top and Bottom matching sets.

Volunteers are needed for packing and distribution. Email Courtney Lott if you are interested in serving Courtney.lott@kw.com

# Join us on Canton Street this Thursday

It's Alive in Roswell Time!! Thursday July 20 Roswell Rotarians Gather at Hagan Center at 5pm



## **After Hours Meets Tonight!**



After Hours is thrilled to kick off the new year with a great meeting tonight, Tuesday, July 18 at The Artillery Room @ Gate City! Join us at 6:30 as we welcome guest speaker **Colonel Richard H. White** who serves as Director & Chairman of the Board for the **Georgia Military Veterans Hall of Fame** (GMVHOF).

The GMVHOF is a non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation that exists solely to honor Georgia Veterans, educate youth and citizens about real heroes, and prepare future leaders of America through the GMVHOF ROTC Scholarship Program. Colonel White will speak to the club about his organization and how After Hours can get involved and support. Everyone is welcome!

Add To Calendar

# Volunteer at the Unity Garden this Saturday with RRAH!



After Hours is on deck to volunteer again this Saturday at the Unity Garden at the Chattahoochee Nature Center! It's always a great time breaking a sweat, getting a little dirty and contributing around the garden and greenhouses. Plus, Henning von Schmeling, Horticultural Curator, is never shy to share his wealth of knowledge about the various plants.

All Rotarians are invited! The shift starts at 9 a.m. and go until Noon. Sign up here.

## July 30, 2023 1:30 pm— 4:30 pm Braves vs Brewers Game: End Human Trafficking NOW



Meet us at the ballpark on July 30th!

#### Atlanta Braves vs. Milwaukee Brewers

Join us as we bring more awareness to Human Trafficking in Georgia. \$12 of every ticket sold will go back to End HT Now. Tickets are subject to availability. Parking can be purchased at braves.com/parking.

Get Tickets: https://fevogm.com/event/Endhuman2

Add To Calendar

# Save the Date District Governor Visit

Let's give a warm welcome to our new 2023-23 District Governor Andre Marria when she visits our lunch meeting on July 27th!

#### Sat. Aug 19th End Human Trafficking Event Area 13 Half Marathon



Where: 575 Riverside Road Roswell, GA US 30075

When: Sat. August 19

Why: Benefit End Human Trafficking NOW

AREA 13.1 and Terrestrial 5K/10K is an Out of this World Running Event. 13.1-10K-5K is a night race in Roswell, GA. One of the most popular courses to run in the State of Georgia. The courses are OUT OF THIS WORLD FLAT & FAST with a total elevation gain of the Half marathon at 224 feet, The 5K course total elevation gain of 50 feet, and only 90 feet of gain in the 10K !! WE are talking PR TIME!! All finishers will receive an awesome alien head medal that will make your head SPIN , coveted Area 13.1 tri blend shirt that will be your new GO TO SHIRT, and for runners 21 and over a free beer donated by Gate City Brewing Company. Come for the run and stay for the FUN !! Live band -DJ - Food trucks- Vendors- Gate City Brewing Company !! BRING THE ENTIRE FAMILY !!

Add To Calendar

#### Pint for a Pint Summer Blood Drive Aug 23



# Summer Blood Drive





## Wed. Aug 23

Location: Houck's Grille 10930 Crabapple Rd B130 Roswell, GA 30075

#### For Details Contact:

- Hal Schlenger
- Darrell Bartlett
- Jonathan Crooks

"Saving a life with your blood donation...true service above self"

# Sign Up to Donate Your Pint!



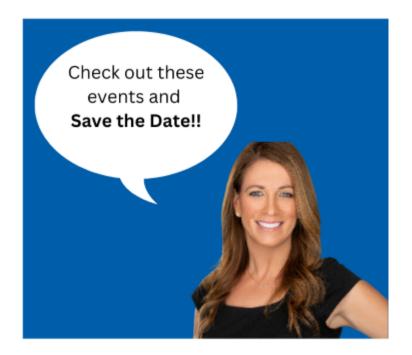
Graciously Supported By: Houck's Grill & Variant Brewery

#### Schedule an appointment here

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For more information, contact Hal Schlenger, Darrell Bartlett or <u>Jonathan</u> <u>Crooks</u>

Coming Up at RRC Save the Date: Making Roswell Rotary's Magic Happen



This is what earns Rotary such a great reputation...Service Above Self. Plan to attend many of these events...and think about bringing a friend or prospective new member. If you believe in Rotary's mission and recognize the value our club brings to our community and our world, then participate -- and share it with others!

Events Chair 2023-24 Katie Tucker

After Hours Club Meeting

Add To Calendar Thursday July 18 6:30pm

Alive in Roswell

Add To Calendar Thursday, July 20 5pm Meet at Hagan Center

Deadline for Pajama & Cash Donations for STAR House Back to School

Add To Calendar Thursday, July 20

**Unity Garden Service Project** 

Add To Calendar Saturday, July 22 9am-12pm

#### Braves Game vs Milwaukee Brewers-End Human Trafficking NOW Benefit

Add To Calendar Sunday, July 30 1:30pm - 4:30pm

Hump Day is Back! Rockin Taco

Add To Calendar Wednesday, August 2 5:30pm

#### Area 13 Half Marathon-10K-5K-End Human Trafficking NOW Benefit

Add To Calendar August 19th 7pm

#### **Golf & Tennis Tournament**

Add To Calendar Monday, September 11 Brookfield Country Club

**Rotary Last Week** 

