

"THE FRIENDLY BREAKFAST CLUB" NEWSLETTER

February 16, 2022

Meetings

February is Peace and Conflict
Prevention/Resolution Month

- 2/18 No Meeting - Join us for
Thirsty Thursday
- 2/25 Regular Meeting - Alan
Mothner, President and
CEO, Spruill Center for the
Arts
- 3/4 Regular Meeting - Robert
Hall, PDG, Past RI Board
Member, PP Rotary Polio
Plus Campaign
- 3/11 Regular Meeting - Bob
Buschman, Associate
Director, Fiscal Research
Center, GSU

Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

- 2/4 Laura Kann
- 2/7 Freddy Morello, Jr
- 2/7 Buzz Law
- 2/9 Dr. John E. Carr
- 2/10 Eleni Bafas
- 2/13 Griff Ransom
- 2/24 David Burr
- 2/27 Bob O'Brien

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- 2/14 Erich Schuetz (45)

Rotary Online

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

ROTARY CLUB OF

No Meeting This Week

Take Time for Thirsty Thursday at Porter Brew & Que



Join us this Thursday night at Porter Brew & Que for fun and fellowship. Porter Brew & Que was a big supporter of our whiskey & cigar fundraiser, the atmosphere is cozy and the food is delicious! So plan to join the festivities - they start at 5:30 pm. Bring a friend!

Golf Tournament Update

Help Make FORE! the Memories a Huge Success!



Our **FORE! the Memories** golf tournament will take place on May 16 at St. Marlo CC - benefiting The Longest Day program of Alzheimer's of Georgia. Contact Bob O'Brien with any questions at robrien@farmersagent.com

To register go to www.RCDGolfTournament.com. Contact Hoshi Daruwalla with any website questions at hd@phirozsil.com

Please help us get all sponsor levels signed up. Please consider signing up as a \$250 Contributing sponsor or a \$100 Donating sponsor. Contact Rick Wood on sponsors at sdoowrm@gmail.com. Make checks payable to DRCF Golf Tournament.

We are also looking for some destination packages to auction so if you have a lake house, a mountain house or a coastal house consider donating a long weekend or week of rental! Contact Jack Sparks for details at JSparks@mosquitojoe.com

GRSP Leadership Weekend

Choose Your Place Now! Help Welcome the World - March 4-6






We want (and need) each of you to be part of a 20-year Dunwoody tradition ... the Georgia Rotary Student Program (GRSP) Leadership Weekend. Why have we been hosting this weekend for 20+ years? There are many reasons:

- We get to spend time with 38 international college students who are here for a one-year cultural exchange through a unique program created by Georgia Rotarians 75 years ago
- We have the opportunity to instill the spirit of Rotary in these young people
- We like spending time with each other - and with great partners from the Rotary Clubs of Buckhead, Gainesville and North Atlanta.

Many of you are hosting students for the whole weekend - THANK YOU! However, the rest of you should know that there are many other opportunities to be part of the weekend. Check out the [attached agenda](#) and the list of opportunities (click "more" at

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Fridays, 7:15 am
Le Méridien Atlanta Perimeter
111 Perimeter Center West
Atlanta, GA , GA 30346   

LEADERSHIP

President	Carter Stout
President-Elect	Jennifer Shumway
Immediate PP	Ardy Bastien
Treasurer	Cathie Brumfield
Secretary	Louise Barden
Membership	Brian Harper
Foundation	Jennie Stipick
Public Image	Jackie Cuthbert

the end of the story) - and give Ron or Louise Barden a call if you see an opportunity that's just right for you - or you have questions. [[more](#)]

Rotary Youth Exchange

Meet an Exchange Student! HOST an Exchange Student!!



Rotary Youth Exchange is BACK!! The Rotary Club of Dunwoody will be hosting a female high school student for the 2022-23 school year (August 2022 - May 2023). We need your help! There are two ways you can help:

- Become a certified Youth Exchange volunteer, which will allow you to help with driving our student to her activities, interviewing potential host families, and other interaction with our student and host families. This requires a short U.S. State Department training and a background check.
- Host our student! We are looking for three host families in the Dunwoody High School district to host our student for about three months each. No particular type of family is required - you can be empty nesters, a family with young children, a family with older children - any family make up. Hosting an exchange student will enrich every family's life!

Please consider becoming involved in this important program. Questions? Contact Deb Cameron, dsc630@gmail.com or 404.668.1259.

RI Convention 2022

RI Convention Live and in Person in Houston This June - Register Now!



We want you to know that, in response to questions and concerns raised by members world-wide, the Rotary International Board of Directors has confirmed that the 2022 Rotary International Convention will still be an **in-person** event in Houston, Texas, USA, 4-8 June.

In addition, the Board has determined that all participants, including Rotary International pre-convention participants, must either be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 ([as defined by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention](#)) OR provide a negative result from a COVID-19 test taken no more than 72 hours before their arrival at the convention.

To encourage attendance, considering this news, there is a special registration rate of US\$495 through 28 February, which is retroactive to 16 December. Any registrations made at the US\$575 rate since 16 December will automatically be refunded the difference in price — no action is required from the registrant.

Club Calendar

What's Happening in February, March and a Little Beyond



Here's a way to keep up with all that's happening with the Rotary Club of Dunwoody. If you would like to add an event - or add a story to the bulletin, send an email to Jackie Cuthbert at cuthbert@mindspring.com by Tuesday evening.

Feb. 17	Thirsty Thursday, 5:30 pm, Porter's Brew & Que
Feb. 18	No meeting, Join us for Thirsty Thursday
Feb. 25	Alan Mothner, President and CEO, Spruill Center for the Arts
Mar. 4	Polio update
Mar. 4-6	GRSP Leadership Weekend - Ask Ron Barden how you can help
Mar. 11	Bob Buschman, Associate Director, Fiscal Research Center, GSU
Mar. 12	Save the Forest, Free the Ferns - Dunwoody Nature Center Volunteers - 9:00 am
Mar. 15	Board Meeting via Zoom - 7:30 am
Mar. 15	Rotary Means Business, Red Pepper, 4555 Ashford Dunwoody Road, NE, Dunwoody, 6:30 pm
Mar. 17	Thirsty Thursday, Porters Brew & Que - 5:30 pm
Mar. 18	No Dunwoody meeting - Join us for Thirsty Thursday
Mar. 25	No Dunwoody Meeting - DeKalb Rotary Council Breakfast at Smoke Rise Country Club - 7:30 am
Apr. 28-May 1	District Conference, SanDestin
May 16	Our inaugural "Fore the Memories" Golf Tournament ... ask Bob O'Brien how you can help!