



## Meetings

June is Rotary Fellowships Month

- 6/8 Drug Companies and PBMs - Alan Greensmith
- 6/22 Roswell Rotary Year End Recognitions
- 6/29 NO MEETING TODAY - Installation Party tonight
- 7/13 President Alex Kaufman - 2023/2024 Vision

## Events

- 6/6 RR After Hours Club
- 6/10 Homestretch Run the River 5K & 10K Race
- 6/10 Magnolia Ball
- 6/15 Alive In Roswell

### LEADERSHIP

|                 |                      |
|-----------------|----------------------|
| President       | John Carruth         |
| President-Elect | Alex Kaufman         |
| Immediate PP    | Terry Taylor         |
| Treasurer       | Trummie Patrick, III |
| Secretary       | Nancy Alterman       |
| Membership      | Katie Anderson       |
| Foundation      | Leslie Bassett       |
| Public Image    | Michael Gould        |

### PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS

Cheryl Greenway 2012-13  
Bob Hagan 2015-16

**ROTARY CLUB OF**

### Liberty Square Project update

## President John's Message



At our meeting last week, I noted that where one door closes, often another opens. We recently had to decide to forgo our Honor Air trip this year due to delays in the permitting from the National Park Service and subsequent flight schedule difficulties.

However, another door opened. It was with great pleasure that Jeff Leatherman, Director of Roswell Recreation, Parks, Historic and Cultural Affairs, and Councilman Will Morthland came to our meeting and announced that the City of Roswell received a \$2.2 million grant from the State of Georgia for a complete rebuild of the Liberty Square Park and associated Trail System connections and extensions. This park was previously selected by our Charity Committee and Board of Directors to be our Community Impact Project for 2022-23.

Coupled with this announcement, the City has also received a \$2 million grant from the U.S. Department of Transportation for Trail System improvements between this park and the Big Creek Park on the east side of GA 400. Roswell Rotary was instrumental in helping the City secure both these grants.

For more of the story on these grants,  
[\[read more\]](#)

## Drug Companies and PBMs- Alan Greensmith Program Speaker

## ROSWELL

Thursdays, 12:15 pm  
Roswell Area Park  
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: *RRC*  
To: (833) 456-2829

## Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

|      |                  |
|------|------------------|
| 6/1  | Joe Mazzeo       |
| 6/7  | John Wolfe       |
| 6/7  | Jay Pickett, III |
| 6/9  | Ken Carter       |
| 6/11 | Mike Prewett     |
| 6/13 | Nancy Alterman   |
| 6/13 | Kym Leonard      |
| 6/14 | George McFarlin  |
| 6/16 | Brian Hansford   |
| 6/17 | Mary Trapp       |
| 6/20 | Rett Gunn        |
| 6/21 | Tate Jones       |
| 6/22 | Hal Coleman      |
| 6/23 | Syd Mostajabi    |
| 6/23 | John Ross        |
| 6/23 | Bonnie Mauldin   |
| 6/26 | David Young      |

## DRUG COMPANIES AND PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS



The pharmaceutical industry provides life changing and lifesaving medications. Pharmacy Benefit Managers have become important partners in bringing these branded medications to U.S. employers and patients. Unfortunately, we in the U.S. pay 3-10 times as much as the rest of the world for the very same medications. These inflated prices are impoverishing Americans while straining companies and government. Roswell Rotary Member Alan Greensmith reviews how we got into this situation and shares strategies to help employers get pharmacy costs in control. Please join us at this week's meeting to learn more.

For Bio- [\[read more\]](#)

## Past President Moment

### Terry Taylor - 2021-2022



Has it been a year since Terry was president? My how time has flown. This week Terry reminds us of what we accomplished last year - things like our first Community Impact Project - Teen Talks podcasts and videos, our Global Grant water projects in Panama, starting a satellite club, the Heavy Hitter Award winners, and much more. Come hear from our most recent Past President this week about his year 2021-2022.

6/26 William Lindsey  
6/29 Lisa Carlisle  
6/30 Tori Alterman

## YEARS OF SERVICE

6/2 Lori Allen (6)  
6/10 Gabriel Prado (1)  
6/12 Ronald Cowan (26)  
6/20 Tom Campbell, Jr. (4)  
38 years in Rotary

## 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

[lynn.dunn@rmcpa.com](mailto:lynn.dunn@rmcpa.com)

## After Hours Meets TONIGHT!



After Hours will welcome Courtney Rodebaugh, Chief Programming Officer for LeadAbroad, to speak on Identifying Your Core Values tonight at 6:30 at The Artillery Room @ Gate City! Courtney develops and operates all logistics for LeadAbroad programs around the world, with their main focus currently in Europe, Central America and South Africa. She is also responsible for recruitment, training and management of their international staff, vendor relations, LeadAbroad curriculum, risk management and new program development.

Courtney is a UGA graduate, mother of three, and sister to RRAH member, Ashley Doran. LeadAbroad is an innovative, purpose-driven organization focused on leading transformative experiences at home and abroad, serving students from 70+ universities. Learn more at [www.leadabroad.com](http://www.leadabroad.com)

**Picture Refresh Opportunity - Thurs. June 8th**

**Last Chance for a New Directory Headshot!**





Need a do-over of your headshot for the Roswell Rotary Directory? Or just an upgrade because you are looking better than ever? Or even just want a change? Well, you are in luck because on Thursday, June 8th you will have an opportunity to get your headshot retaken. Couldn't be easier! You'll be at Rotary anyway!

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## 2023 Run the River 5K/10K Race



Help **HomeStretch** Run Homelessness Out of Town!

### **20th 5K/10KRun, 5K Walk, 1M Fun Run**

**When: Saturday, June 10, 2023**

**Where: St. Andrew Catholic Church 675 Riverside Road, Roswell GA 30075**

**Rain or shine: We Run!**

#### **The Run the River Race benefits HomeStretch, Inc.**

Our mission is to guide working, homeless families to permanent housing and lasting stability. We are a non-profit agency in North Fulton County that has been serving working, homeless Atlanta families for more than 30 years, helping them break the cycle of poverty and reach and maintain economic independence. Proceeds from the Run the River Race help us to keep delivering safe, affordable, and quality housing and life-changing services for working, homeless parents and their children. We greatly appreciate your support at any level.

For more information contact: Lee Hollingsworth [lee@leehollingsworth.com](mailto:lee@leehollingsworth.com)  
678-576-4838

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### **Friends of Bulloch Hall Event**

## **Magnolia Ball June 10**



*The Friends of Bulloch, Inc.*  
REQUEST THE PLEASURE OF YOUR COMPANY AT  
*The*  
*Magnolia Ball*  
DUNWOODY COUNTRY CLUB  
1600 DUNWOODY CLUB DRIVE  
ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30350  
SATURDAY, THE 10TH OF JUNE  
TWO THOUSAND TWENTY THREE  
AT SIX IN THE EVENING  
COCKTAILS, DINNER, DANCING  
\*FORMAL EVENING ATTIRE\*

[Click here](#) for information and to buy your tickets!

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## **Alive in Roswell - June 15th**

***It's Alive in Roswell Time!!***

**Thursday June 15th**

**Roswell Rotarians  
Gather at Hagan Ctr at 5pm**



Food & Beverages will be provided by Roswell Rotary. These events are so much fun and Roswell Rotary's tent is THE PLACE to be. Be there!

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## **Comedy for a Cause is Coming!**



Save the date for the biggest event of the summer! Roswell Rotary After Hours' signature event is coming on June 22nd!

Grab your family and friends for burgers, brews and belly laughs at the 1st Annual Comedy For a Cause, presented by Roswell Rotary After Hours. Get ready to chuckle, howl and giggle at this special fundraiser benefiting the Roswell community. The event is \$30 and will feature several knee-slapping local comedians. What are you waiting for? Save your spot today and we will see you on June 22nd on the lawn of Lucky's Burger & Brew Roswell. Doors open at 7 p.m. and the show starts at 8 p.m. Food and beverages will be available for purchase.

[Buy tickets here.](#)

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**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!

### **RRAH Meeting**

[Add To Calendar](#) Tuesday, June 6 6:30pm Gate City Artillery Room

### **Homestretch River Run Race**

[Add To Calendar](#) Saturday, June 10 St Andrews Catholic Church Roswell

### **Magnolia Ball**

[Add To Calendar](#) Saturday, June 10 6:00pm Bulloch Hall

### **Alive in Roswell**

[Add To Calendar](#) Thursday, June 15 5:00pm Hagan Center

### **Rotary Means Business**

[Add To Calendar](#) Tuesday, June 20 6-8pm Mutation Brewing 5825 Roswell Rd Sandy Springs, GA 30328

Comedy For A Cause RRAH

[Add To Calendar](#) Thursday, June 22 7:00pm Lucky's Burgers & Brew

### **Alex's Installation Party**

[Add To Calendar](#) Thursday, June 29 6:30pm Roswell Gardens

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### **Rotary Last Week**



