

## President's Message



Taking the slide

Congratulations to our newest member of the Heavy Hitters Club, Alisia Booth! She is relatively new to Roswell Rotary but yet she is always there to help when needed. And that smile is contagious! Thank you Alicia!

This last week we had a small group of Rotarians tour the Ron Clark Academy. Ron has spoke at our club many times but you cant get the total impact of his school until you tour the facility and see Ron and his staff in action. I can only hope that some of our local schools are willing to take the risk and make some form of alterations to the way we teach and engage with our students of Roswell. At the end of the tour, you can return to the vestibule by way of the stairs or by way of the slide, with the slide representing taking a different rout with an element of risk. Rotarians took the slide!

**Read my mind!**

## MEETINGS

January is Vocational Service Month

- 1/20 Mark Johnson - Mentalist
- 1/27 Steve Beecham - motivational speaker
- 2/3 Maurice Hilliard
- 2/10 Hearts for Honduras
- 2/17 John Maxwell team
- 2/24 Skipper Hoke Student HS Leadership Awards
- 3/3 GN FCC- Kali Boatright
- 3/10 Roswell Arts Fund

## EVENTS

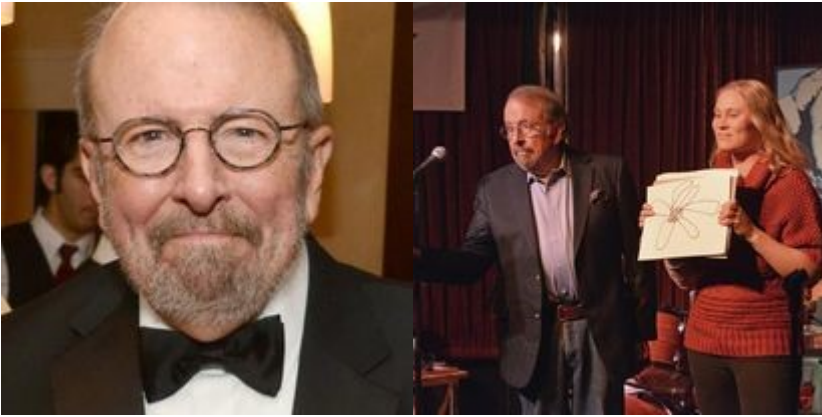
- 1/18 BUSINESS NETWORKING ROTARY-STYLE
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- 2/2 Hump Day
- 2/10 Membership Committee Happy Hour
- 2/12 Bulloch Hall Clean-up
- 2/19 Polar Plunge benefiting Special Olympics
- 2/19 BULLOCH HALL CLEAN-UP
- 2/22 PINT FOR A PINT

## LEADERSHIP

|                 |                |
|-----------------|----------------|
| President       | Terry Taylor   |
| President-Elect | John Carruth   |
| Immediate PP    | Lynne Lindsay  |
| Treasurer       | Nancy Alterman |
| Secretary       | Alex Kaufman   |
| Past President  | Becky Stone    |

## ROTARY CLUB OF

## Mark Johnson- Rotarian & Mentalist & Psychic- Speaker for Jan. 20th meeting



### A fellow Rotarian

Mark Johnson is the immediate past president of the Buckhead Rotary Club. He has been a member since 2001 and is a Paul Harris Fellow.

#### It's Magic!

He is a nationally known mentalist and psychic entertainer who has performed all over the United States. He is a member of the Psychic Entertainers Association and the International Brotherhood of Magicians. He performs his unique show for corporate events, private parties, and more. He has also presented his program to countless Rotary Clubs.

### His Family

He is a native of Atlanta — four generations — and he and his wife, Rebecca, live in Smyrna with a Great Pyrenees dog who is still trying to figure out how she ended up in Cobb County.”

### The Program

When asked to describe his program in three words, Mark said: "Impossible to explain." Don't miss this fascinating meeting.

## 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/>

## BIRTHDAYS

|      |                   |
|------|-------------------|
| 1/17 | Jackie Jordan     |
| 1/17 | Alicia Hughes     |
| 1/20 | Evan Coyle        |
| 1/21 | Gary Garrett      |
| 1/23 | Kurt Hilbert      |
| 1/24 | William Noethling |
| 1/24 | Dr. Kay Howell    |
| 1/25 | David Bourne      |
| 1/26 | Courtney Lott     |
| 1/28 | Priya Crumpton    |
| 1/30 | William May       |
| 1/31 | Blake Turner      |
| 1/31 | John Reddick      |
| 2/3  | Chris Patterson   |
| 2/6  | FJ Levy II        |
| 2/9  | Angela Freeman    |
| 2/10 | Richard Meer      |

## YEARS OF SERVICE

|      |   |
|------|---|
| 1/19 | Susan Rumble (11)                       |
| 1/23 | Jack Stephens (36)                      |
| 1/24 | Andy Williams (3)<br>10 years in Rotary |
| 1/30 | Mindy Jones (25)                        |
| 1/31 | Allen Dalton (37)                       |
| 2/1  | David Bourne (49)                       |
| 2/2  | Lee Dodson (8)<br>44 years in Rotary    |

**Business networking Rotary-style continues on Tue, Jan 18 6:30pm (and Tue Feb 15)**  
**Smarter Business Development When It's with Fellow Rotarians (multi-club event)**

- 2/8 Dutch Earle (15)  
24 years in Rotary
- 2/11 Alex Kaufman (12)
- 2/11 Langdon Hollingsworth (1)



tunity for you or someone on your staff, or someone you are interested in recruiting to Roswell Rotary.

Our last gathering again drew a crowd from the Atlanta Metro, Dunwoody, Peachtree City, Roswell, Sandy Springs and Tucker clubs. While it had similarities to other networking events, you knew that attendees honored the integrity of the 4 Way Test!

This is what Paul Harris formed Rotary for 1905. Professionals with diverse backgrounds could exchange ideas, form meaningful, lifelong friendships, and conduct business together. Paul Harris was networking well before the term "networking" was used to describe connecting people in order to build a business network.

While Rotary is about "Service Above Self," there is a growing place for networking in Rotary, particularly for those responsible for generating revenue.

The next event moves to a new location for 2022:

**Red Pepper Taqueria** 4555 Ashford Dunwoody Rd,  
Dunwoody, GA 30346, one block NE of Perimeter Mall

Please plan to join us on Tue, Jan 18 from 6:30 - 8:00pm. For more information, please contact Hal

Schlenger [HSchlenger@GreatSouthBenefits.com](mailto:HSchlenger@GreatSouthBenefits.com) | (770-335-0

077), or Johnathan Clark of the Tucker Club  
(johnathanmclark@gmail.com | 404.512.6058)

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## **Pint for a Pint -- or Because Donating Blood is the Right Thing to Do**

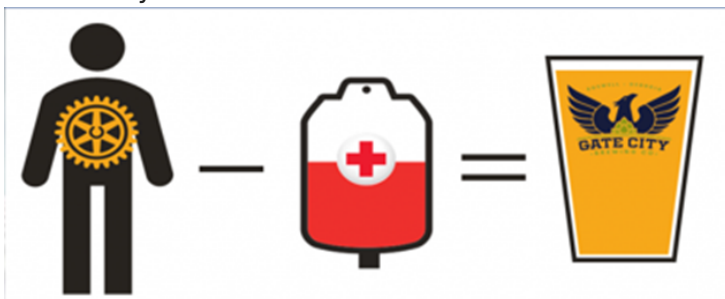
Our club has shown that we're really good at rolling up our sleeves and give the gift that keeps on giving!

The "deuces" will be wild when we get back together for the Roswell Rotary Gate City Blood Drive 2/22/22.

With that in mind...please either reserve a table for yourself OR if you can't give, get the word out about our drive and get at least 2 new family members or friends to Gate City for our drive.

**Click here to reserve 60 minutes on Two's-day Feb 22nd to donate.** For more information, contact Darrell Bartlett or Hal Schlenger.

As always, we want to thank Pat Rains and Michael Curling for their current and past help saving lives in our community.



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**You're Invited- Saturday Feb. 26 6:30pm - 10:30pm**

**Save the Date- Hearts for Honduras**



# LUNCHES FOR Learning



## **The Facts about Honduras**

\$2 or less earned per day means living below poverty level

30% of children drop out of school to work for food

\$150 feeds a child for the school year

70% of people in Honduras Live in Poverty

Saturday February 26, 6:30pm - 10:30pm

Join us for an exclusive event with Latin Cuisine and refreshing libations

Latin Music by the Willie Ziavino & C.O.T Band

The Artillery Room at Gate City, 932 Canton St. Roswell, GA

Reserved Seating Limited...Get Your Tickets Early!!!!

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Can't Attend the Event? You can **[DONATE NOW](#)**

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**Rotary dates to save**

## Which of These Rotary Events are a Priority for You?



This is what makes Roswell Roswell such a great reputation ....and "Club of the Year" recognition. Plan to attend.....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 share it with others!

| <b>Date</b> | <b>Time</b>      | <b>Event</b>  |
|-------------|------------------|---|
| Tue, Jan 18 | 6:30pm - 8:00pm  | Rotary Means Business District 6900 in Sandy Springs    |
| Fri, Feb 4  | school hours     | Roswell High School Career Day                          |
| Sat, Feb 19 | 8:30am - 10:00am | Walk with a Doc at Sope Creek trail, river & mill ruins |
| Tue, "2/22" | 9:00am - 5:00pm  | Pint for a Pint Blood Drive (special guest at 2:22pm)   |
| Fri, Feb 26 | 6:30pm - 10:30pm | Hearts for Honduras                                     |

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