

## Huskies and Summer Surfing, Oh My! President's Message July 21



We are in full Golf and Tennis planning mode now. Every week in our Rotascope you can learn about one of the many charities we support through the proceeds of the tournaments. Our program this week features two of these organizations. Come hear how we help support the Huskies at Crabapple Middle School and enjoy a special treat from Georgia Ensemble Theater's singing sensation Summer Surf Party. Also this week we will receive an update about the rollout of our Grace Period international project in Zimbabwe. It's sure to be a fun, informative meeting for all.

## RRC Makes a Difference Program July 21-Huskies and Summer Surfing



**MISSION: To help anyone in the Crabapple Middle School Community with lodging or food needs.**

### MEETINGS

July is Maternal and Child Health Month

- 7/21 Huskies Surfing? G.E.T. it? Summer Fun!
- 7/28 Back to School - Dr. Christopher Matthews
- 8/4 RYE Outbound Student - Revie Pierce
- 8/11 Chattahoochee Nature Center
- 8/18 UGA's Rennie Curran & High School Football
- 8/25 Golf & Tennis - Putting, Parrots, Pickleball, and Bob, Oh My!
- 9/1 Football Kickoff - G.T. A.D. Todd Stansbury
- 9/8 First Responders - Roswell Police & Fire

### EVENTS

- 7/19 RR After Hours Club
- 7/21 NFCC School Supply Drive final collection
- 7/21 Alive In Roswell
- 8/2 RR After Hours Club - Backhouse at Gate City
- 8/3 Blood Drive at Gate City Brewing
- 8/16 RR After Hours Club
- 8/17 Tennis Clinic at Brookfield Country Club
- 8/18 Alive In Roswell

### LEADERSHIP

President	John Carruth
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Immediate PP	Terry Taylor
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Some background on this program from Becky Nelson: "*Huskies Helping Huskies started in November, 2015 when the national Shop with a Cop program stopped funding middle school students for their trip to purchase \$100 worth of Holiday gifts for themselves with a police officer escort. They had to cancel due to lack of funding. Linda Porter smiled when I walked in the office that day (for our girls were students at CMS) and asked if I could help the school counselor create a new event. I knew, with the help of Roswell Rotary, I could. Within 48 hours, we had Wal-mart engaged along with John Albers who was inviting the Civil Servants as our Hero Escorts. A month later, we hosted 35 Crabapple Middle School students reflecting 23 families with a \$100 gift card and an escort. While the students shopped, their families enjoyed a festive Christmas Party in the Wal-mart break room with Santa and Karaoke. They ate breakfast donated by McDonalds and took home lunch donated by Walgreens + a 10lb plastic bucket with food for the holidays, \$100 worth of gift cards for gasoline, Aurora movie and Dairy Queen treats.*

*A month later, Jamie Manenti, Holly Smith, Jenny Haley and I met to decide to make HHH official. More stories to come on Thursday about how HHH has made a positive impact in hundreds of lives affected by divorce, medical emergencies, unexpected job loss/interruption, unexpected lease termination or rent hike... And the rest is RRC history!"*

### **And more from Thursday's Program**

Be looking for a cool surprise from Georgia Ensemble Theater with a little Summer Surfing entertainment!

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**How will YOU Serve this year?**

## **Golf & Tennis Tournament Monday September 12**

## **ROTARY CLUB OF 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**

7/19	Alex Kaufman
7/19	Marcus Snoddy
7/23	Steven Palmer
7/27	Walt Woliver
7/29	Matthew Thomas
7/29	Leigh Brown
8/2	Gene Beckham
8/3	Martha Spencer
8/3	Mike Ivkovich
8/4	Ryan Williams
8/4	Vanessa Snyder
8/7	Ryan Gehricke
8/8	Jay Pittroff
8/9	Jennifer Briggs
8/10	Kathryn Igou
8/12	Richard Dreger
8/13	Ross Patton
8/13	Lori Allen
8/13	Mike Mizell
8/15	Dr. Betty Price

## **YEARS OF SERVICE**

7/20	Robert Button (22)
7/20	Michael Hernandez (22)
7/22	Becky Stone (13)
7/25	James Rains (14)
7/25	Jack Tolbert, Jr. (37)



7/26	Dave Hallman (21)
7/26	Albert Mazzeo (4)
7/28	Chris Archer (11)
7/28	Jack Wyche (17)
8/1	Steven Palmer (6) 6 years in Rotary
8/3	John Carruth (27)
8/4	David Young (34)
8/6	Elwyn Gaissert, II (41)
8/13	Richard Meer (30)

Monday, September 12 How will YOU serve in the 2022 tournament?

**Golf** - <https://roswellrotary.club/event/6502> Add To Calendar

**Tennis** - <https://roswellrotary.club/event/6503> Add To Calendar

**We need your help!**

## **Backpacks for Back to School**



Please help us send children off to school this year with the supplies they need! The supply list can be found through this link to North Fulton Community Charities:

<https://nfcchelp.org/how-we-help/back-to-school-program/>

Courtney Lott is the main contact on this project, with David White and June Brown assisting. Be sure to bring your items by the July 21 meeting date!

Add To Calendar

Come Meet RHS New principal  
**Alive In Roswell Thursday 7-21 5pm**

**MEET ROSWELL HIGH'S NEW PRINCIPAL**



LaToya Miley

*Alive in Roswell*  
Thursday, July 21  
5-7 p.m.  
Hagan Center parking lot  
Norcross & Canton Street



Let's make this Alive in Roswell a super huge turnout to welcome LaToya Miley to Roswell High School as the new principal! And as always, Mickey Deaton will be grilling burgers and hot dogs. Come join in the fellowship. Let's show the new principal how strong our partnership is!

[Add To Calendar](#)

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**You're Invited!**

**Youth Services 2022-23 Committee Meeting**



Youth Services is looking for folks who want to work with our youth through our sponsored Interact Clubs, Youth Day Parade, HonorAir Basketball tournament, Leadership 20/20, Star Student/Teacher Recognition, Athletic Leadership Recognition, Career Day(s), Roswell Relays, Laws of Life Essay, HS Scholarships and RYLA.

Want to learn more? Please contact Becky Nelson 404-406-6121. Or...just show up! If you cannot attend, let Becky know for the Zoom hotlink.

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**Artillery Room 6:30pm**

## **After Hours' Next Meeting is TONIGHT!**



After Hours' next meeting is tonight, Tuesday, July 19 at 6:30 at The Artillery Room @ Gate City! Henning von Schmeling, Senior Director of Operations and a gardener from the Unity Garden at the Chattahoochee Nature Center, will speak to the group. He will share how and why he started the Unity Garden and speak about upcoming opportunities for involvement.

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## **Encourage a friend or family member to give in your honor -- or give yourself. Why Jon Paul Needs Your Blood. Gate City sponsors "Pint for a Pint" on Wed, Aug 3**



"With our upcoming blood drive, I thought you might be interested to know how much blood we used in the last 12 months here in Roswell. That answer would be 2,546 units (or pints), which

equates to almost 7 pints every day. Of this total, we used 390 units for massive blood transfusions and another 138 pints for other emergencies.

As a Level II Trauma Center, our average may be a little higher than most community hospitals. Although some patients may only need a routine unit during or following surgery, we also see trauma patients that require numerous pints while surgeons work to stop blood loss from injury. For example, we have single accident victims that require two to three dozen pints if they arrive with significant blood loss.

As a Roswell Rotarian, I am humbled by the gift of life our members provide. Please know your donation directly benefits your neighbors every day." Jon-Paul Croom, President, Wellstar North Fulton Hospital

Every club member can support our hospital's needs. Encourage a friend or family member to give in your honor -- or give yourself. Every Rotarian wins. Every Rotarian helps.

For you or a friend to 'reserve a table' on Wed, Aug 3, click here to see availability and reserve your table.

For more info and questions, please contact Darrell Bartlett at [Darrell.Bartlett@allegion.com](mailto:Darrell.Bartlett@allegion.com) or Hal Schlenger at [HSchlenger@GreatSouthBenefits.com](mailto:HSchlenger@GreatSouthBenefits.com)

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## After Hours Hosts "Bring Your Own Board" Night



After Hours hosted a social event Thursday: BYOB! No, that's not "Bring Your Own Beer," but beer was enjoyed. This BYOB was "Bring Your Own Board!" Several members used their creativity to set up food items on a fancy display. Think charcuterie, but way better! Yummy boards included a Mexican board, veggie board, chicken nugget board and chocolate-covered pretzel board. Members John Connell and Brooke Foxman live at a sweet spot at The Battery, so we enjoyed views of Truist Park while snacking, laughing and planning future projects!

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## Rotary Last Week

