

President Nancy's Message

**Thank you to
Those Who
Keep Us Safe**



Roswell Rotary Delivers Lunches to EMTs at Station 24

This past Thursday, members of Roswell Rotary had the privilege of delivering 21 lunches to the hardworking EMTs at Station 24. A special thanks goes out to Juan, who expertly prepared the lunches in under 24 hours, and to Gene Beckham, Jack Wyche, and Elwyn who took time to deliver the meals.

Station 24 is an essential part of our community, and they were the first to respond to Officer Labonte on Friday night. We are grateful for their quick response and unwavering dedication to keeping us safe.

This small gesture of appreciation is just one way we can say “thank you” to the men and women who are always ready to serve. Roswell Rotary stands with our first responders and appreciates their service to our community.

Upcoming Rotary Meeting: Dan Corso, President of Atlanta Sports Council

We are excited to announce that our next meeting will feature Dan Corso, President of the Atlanta Sports Council and a fellow Rotarian from the Atlanta club. Dan has been instrumental in bringing major sporting events to our city, including the Super Bowl, the College Football Playoff National Championship, and the upcoming FIFA World Cup.

Dan will share insights on how the Sports Council continues to make Atlanta a premier destination for global sporting events and how these events impact our local economy and community. His extensive experience and leadership in the

MEETINGS

February is Peace and Conflict Prevention Month

- 2/20 Dan Corso - Atlanta Sports Council
- 2/26 Leadership 2020
- 2/27 Leadership 2020 - Dave McCleary - EHT
- 3/6 Ben Young - Editor & Chief of Georgia Trend Magazine
- 3/13 Dr. Ben Arthur - Stem Cell Research
- 3/20 Mitch Harris - US Maritime Day - USN Veteran & Former St. Louis Cardinals Pitcher
- 3/21 Be The Voice 10th Annual Anniv. Gala
- 3/27 Samir Abdullahi - Fulton County Economic Development

EVENTS

- 2/24 RUMC Job Networking
- 2/26 Women of Rotary
- 3/10 RUMC Job Networking
- 3/15 Roswell Relays
- 3/19 Meals On Wheels
- 3/21 Meals On Wheels
- 3/22 Sweep the Hooch
- 3/24 RUMC Job Networking

LEADERSHIP

President	Nancy Alterman
President-Elect	Trummie Patrick, III
Treasurer	Katie Anderson
Secretary	Leslie Bassett
Public Image	Kathryn Igou

ROTARY CLUB OF

world of sports will provide us with a unique perspective on the business and civic partnerships that drive success.

Please join us for what promises to be an engaging and informative meeting. This is a fantastic opportunity to hear from a true leader in the sports industry who is dedicated to making a difference both on and off the field.

Nancy Alterman
Roswell Rotary
President 2024-25
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Dan Corso -Atlanta Sports Council to Speak



Dan Corso
President Atlanta Sports Council

Welcome Dan Corso, a fellow Rotarian from Atlanta Rotary, to our club. Dan has been instrumental in attracting major sports events to Atlanta. In 2024, FIFA announced that Atlanta would host eight matches during the 2026 FIFA World Cup—including a semifinal. The international soccer competition is expected to generate approximately \$415 million in revenue for metro Atlanta. Amazing opportunity for this city!

The ASC promoted metro Atlanta as the site for U.S. Soccer's National Training Center. In April, U.S. Soccer broke ground on the center, located in Fayette County; it is expected to open in 2026. And there is so much more.

We look forward to hearing much more from Dan about his role in bringing these events to Atlanta. Let's pack the house Thursday!

Lunches to Fire Station #24

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

2/18	Gordon Owens
2/20	Lenna Castagna
2/21	Michael Gould
2/22	Becky Stone
2/22	Bill Wolff
2/24	Dutch Earle
2/27	Leonard Greski
2/27	Justice Brakache
2/28	Alexandria Shuval Weiner
3/3	Ken Vaughn
3/3	Don Horton
3/3	Jeff Kramer
3/4	Tillie O'Neal-Kyles
3/5	Steve Dorvee
3/7	Nancy Alterman
3/11	Jon-Paul Croom
3/13	Amanda Verdin
3/15	Rich Austin
3/16	Mickey Deaton

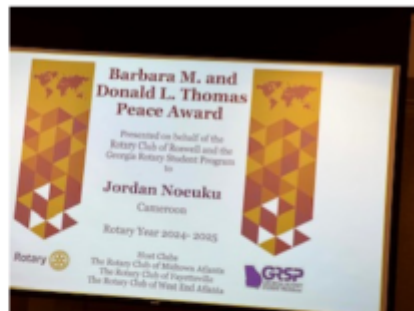
YEARS OF SERVICE

2/23	Richard Stilley (8) 10 years in Rotary
2/27	Stephen Clausen (2)
3/2	Gene Beckham, III (25)
3/4	Ken Briggs (43)
3/7	Amy Brannen (12)
3/7	Terry Taylor (12)

**Thank You Elwyn Gaisert, Jack Wyche,
Gene Beckham, & Chef Juan**



**Thomas Peace Award Recipient
Jordan Noeuku**



Congratulations!

- 3/8 John Michael Brunetti (2)
- 3/9 Michael Byars (19)
- 3/9 Jacque Digieso (19)
32 years in Rotary
- 3/9 Syd Mostajabi (16)
- 3/10 Will Colley (3)
- 3/10 Angela Medley (3)
- 3/10 Jeff McCoy (20)
- 3/10 Vivian Bankston (20)
- 3/10 Mickey Deaton (20)
- 3/11 Lynne Lindsay (15)
- 3/11 Lisa Carlisle (15)
- 3/11 Michael Gould (15)
- 3/12 Gordon Owens (14)
- 3/14 William May (12)
- 3/14 Jerry Orlans (23)
34 years in Rotary
- 3/16 Scott Morchower (9)
- 3/16 Tori Nielsen (3)
- 3/17 Michael Brown (3)
- 3/17 Amanda Verdin (3)
- 3/17 Tori Alterman (3)
4 years in Rotary
- 3/17 John Albers (14)
- 3/17 Evan Coyle (3)
- 3/17 John Connell (3)
- 3/17 Leigh Brown (3)
- 3/17 Walt Woliver (16)
43 years in Rotary
- 3/17 Lee Hollingsworth (16)
24 years in Rotary
- 3/17 Tim McFarlin (14)
- 3/18 Becky Nelson (11)

Rotary Leadership Institute



BUILDING BETTER MEMBERS,
ONE SESSION AT A TIME.

As Rotarians, you are all leaders, some in your community, some in your profession, and some in life in general..

Why Participate?

At RLI, our purpose is to give you the necessary tools and skills to be better Rotarians. As with every endeavor, the more you know about anything, the more interesting it becomes. Rotary is most assuredly one of those areas that the more you put into it, the more you get out of it. RLI can make that possible for you.

Investment in Roswell Rotary's Future

Graduates of RLI are more likely to remain in, and be a bigger part of Rotary, than any other demographic. RLI is a great place for newly inducted Rotarians to quickly learn about the “Object of Rotary”. Club Officers can build on their Rotary Knowledge to enhance their club experience. Club Presidents can expand on the skills gained at their President Elect Training Seminar. Long-time Rotarians can re-ignite the old Rotary flame, and at the same time share their experiences with the other participants. Roswell Rotary will reimburse you the \$100 (in-person session) or \$15 (online session) for the cost of the course! That is how much your club believes in the benefits of RLI.

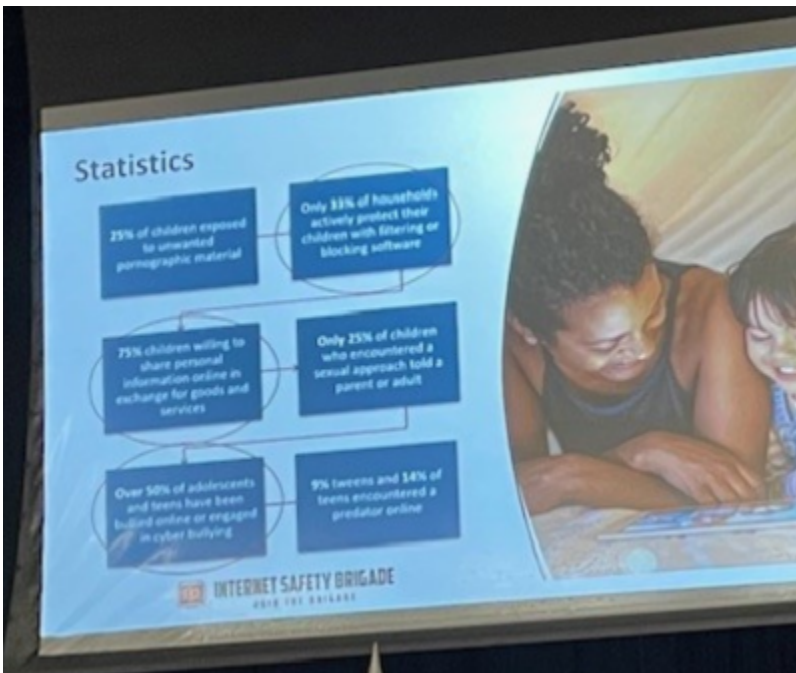
Go to <https://www.rlisunshine.org> for course information, dates and registration.

Walk with a Doc- Go Betty Price



Betty Price is unstoppable, participating in Saturday’s Walk with a Doc hike at Vickery Mills in spite of a little drizzle. A great example of ‘movement’ being a part of her plan to be her healthiest for her kids and grandkids.

Last Week at Rotary





Dancing



Bunny Award



Thank you from Veterans



RRC Getting the Word Out



Patriotism Flooded The Room at Roswell Rotary

Rotary Club of Roswell

On October 10, 1954, World War II veterans gathered for the signing of the War Spanglers/Reserve to the Roswell Rotary Club and its members, members of the room was decorated. "I am and please you participate besides the host and Club member Sandy Decker, all with hands on our own eyes. The just have to share the with someone's an organizer" Roswell Rotary representatives a part to present your's understanding as they to help the club in various ways to other clubs and with the youth of the Rotary International. With the help of Roswell Rotary staff and photographer Tom Smith and a team from Roswell Rotary, the video was recorded and is now being shared with us being shared.

Roswell Rotary Club President Helen Altemus said, "This is one of the traditions of Rotary. We can get an idea and through our network within the community to get things happen as quickly as possible. It means we should not have the meeting period, they will bring their country to us, let us proceed to the end of this project."

Rotary Club of Roswell, "In the name of service, we are humbled and honored to have people with the story behind the dedication and with the club will understand the importance of the flag under the present and our future generations. Please share the history of the battle and 'courage and glory' Please use the QR code to watch the video for yourself and to share with others. And we hope you are in the Spanglers Reserve. Help you understand the meaning of the flag and the history of the club and our club. We would like to say thank you to our Roswell Rotary sponsor and leader of this video project, Sandy Decker."

Scan to watch the video

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Thank you from Veterans



Farewell to Officer Labonte

