North Fulton Rotary Club

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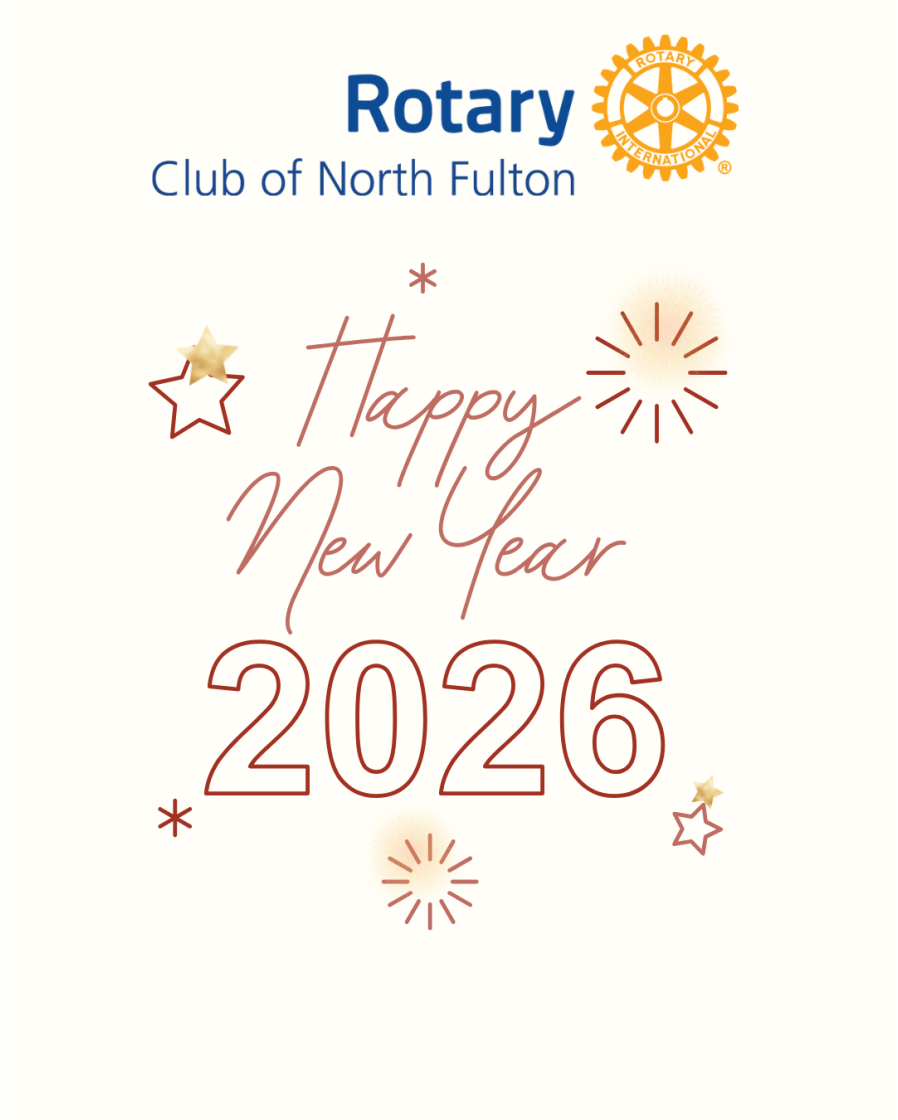
The Rotary Times

JANUARY 6, 2026

Welcome, 2026!

The year ahead offers fresh opportunities to serve our communities, support one another, and live out *Service Above Self.* Each project, each act of kindness, and each moment of leadership contributes to the positive impact we create together.

May we begin this New Year renewed in purpose, inspired to serve, and confident in what we can accomplish as Rotarians.



MEETINGS

January is Vocational Service Month

1/13	James and Van Marosek: Vietnam Experience
1/27	Milton Fire Chief Gabe Benmoussa and Chief Medical Officer Mark Haskins
2/10	Jay Litton, The Litton Group
2/24	Mt. Pisgah Football Coach Brad Watkins and Joseph Powell
3/10	Ira Gleser, Author of "Stewardship for Business"
3/24	GA Secretary of State Brad Raffensperger
4/14	Spencer Maxwell: Heart for Africa
4/28	Dr. Greg Coffman with Rick Clark

EVENTS

1/6	First Tuesday Social at Voodoo Brewing
1/15	Companion Club Meeting
1/19	Classroom Cleaning at Children's Development Academy
1/21	Board Meeting
2/3	Engaging with our Community Seniors
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2/7	Polar Bear Plunge
2/18	Board Meeting

LEADERSHIP

President	Erik Bykat
Vice President	Dan Jenkins
Treasurer	Mike Mudd
Secretary	Steve Siders
Public Image	Lisa Gelber

Next Meeting is January 13th at Brimstone

Our next meeting is January 13th at Brimstone. Our guest speakers have a special story to share with us. Our very own James Marosek, and his wife Van, will be sharing about their recent trip to Vietnam. Van is from Vietnam and left as a child (during the Vietnam War) on the next to last plane. She and James have long wanted to visit Vietnam and the trip was an emotional one for them. Please join us at our first meeting of 2026 to hear this story!



BIRTHDAYS

1/11	Kathleen Peneguy
1/19	William Bennett
1/20	Stacy Georges

YEARS OF SERVICE

1/9	Steve Cory (2)
1/9	Stacey Nyman (2)
1/9	Garrett Vaughn (2)
1/22	Michael Freeman, Sr. (7)
1/22	Lisa Gelber (7)
1/26	Tom Georges (1)

ROTARY CLUB OF NORTH FULTON

Tuesdays, 12:00 pm
Brimstone Restaurant & Tavern

ROTARY ONLINE

https://northfultonrotary.org
https://rotary6900.org/
https://rotary.org/

SOCIAL MEDIA

MLK Day of Service at the CDA

Members, please get ready to roll up your sleeves to help us clean the classrooms at the CDA on Monday, January 19th from 10 am to 12 pm. We need 15 volunteers to help tackle this assignment. Keeping the

classrooms clean is so important at the CDA. When a child gets sick, their parent must miss work to stay home with them and the loss of wages is very detrimental to their households.

Please sign up on the link provided by the CDA: Clean the CDA Classrooms



Score for Polio Plus Fundraiser: Final Results

Submitted by Doug Higgins, Foundation Chair

This is our final update on our Score for PolioPlus Campaign. Thanks to your generosity and the success of your teams, you pledged $7,053.60, twice the amount of our PolioPlus goal! You have already donated $3,578 to PolioPlus so please direct any additional donations to the Annual Fund.

If you have been reading these updates, it will be no surprise that Jonathan has won bragging rights with $702.50 pledged for his Atlanta Falcons. As a result, the club will pay Jonathan 10% of the total pledged, or $705. Generosity has its rewards!

For those of you who haven't paid your pledge, here is a link to the Foundation donation page: Donate here

Please select Annual Fund for your donation. This fund is the source for District Grants. Half of all money donated by our District comes back to the District in three years. If you have any questions, contact Doug Higgins at (404) 401-2094 or doug@doughiggins.com.

Thanks to all of you who participated!

