



It is that time...

## Rotary has Heart for Seniors

This Thursday at the Plaza



### This Week's Program

## Tim Filston-Happy Valentine's Day from Mars

"Britain and America are two nations divided by a common language," quipped George Bernard Shaw.

Some days, the same thing could be said of men and women.

We've all heard men are from

Mars and women are from Venus. What rules of the road can help

keep us out of the ditches in

communication? What principles help clear up some of the chronic

issues and conflicts that arise

because of our different wiring? How can we learn to enjoy the

differences more along the way? Join us

next Thursday as we consider how to connect between two worlds.

Tim Filston is husband to Beth, father of triplets + 1, and Senior Pastor, of First Presbyterian Church, Thomasville. He grew up in North Carolina and has degrees from several places, including Furman University where he met his Valentine of 23 years. They have served churches in Houston, Orlando, and Chattanooga. The potential of one changed life continues to motivate them through the joys and difficulties of ministry. People have spotted him on the road riding on a couple of skinny tires, wetting a line in a Smoky Mountain river, or altering the landscape of an unsuspecting golf course. Tim blogs at [faithanddoubt.com](http://faithanddoubt.com) where he helps people respond well to life's questions and challenges.

## From the President Andre's Desk



### MEETINGS

February is Peace and Conflict Prevention Month

- 2/14 Regular Meeting-Tim Filston, Happy Valentine's Day from Mars
- 2/21 Regular Meeting - Kha McDonald - "Walking in My Shoes...Without Getting Your Feet Wet"
- 2/28 Regular Meeting-Special Guest-You don't want to miss this one!
- 3/7 Regular Meeting - Calvin Cole, DNR Southwest Georgia Hunting & Shooting Education Specialist
- 3/14 Regular Meeting - THS Odyssey of the Mind
- 3/21 Regular Meeting- Jonathon Canon - Southwest GA Xtreme R/C Club
- 3/28 Regular Meeting - Will Watt - He flew "The Hump"
- 4/4 Regular Meeting - Randolph Russell &

### BIRTHDAYS

- 2/12 Lorraine Williams Rahming
- 2/12 Landis Thomas
- 2/16 Renee Oliveto
- 2/18 Sandra Wright
- 2/19 Tom Harrison
- 2/19 Marta Jones-Turner
- 2/21 Paul Overstreet
- 2/24 Daniel Pittman
- 3/6 Darcy Craven

### WEDDING

#### ANNIVERSARIES

- 2/14 Erik von Hellens (18)
- 2/14 Andy Vann (4)
- 2/17 John Kepler (42)
- 2/22 Eugene McNease (52)
- 2/24 Tim Daniel (23)

# ABC's of Rotary

## The Secretariat

Many Rotarians consider the Secretariat simply another name for the RI World Headquarters in Evanston, Illinois, U.S.A. Actually, it is much more. While it does include the World Headquarters, the Secretariat encompasses nearly 500 individuals working to make Rotary International run smoothly and effectively. The term describes the entire operations of the general secretary and his staff. The Secretariat also includes eight Rotary Service Centres (formerly called Branch Offices) around the world, all of the staff serving in those centres, as well as all staff assigned to The Rotary Foundation. Its sole purpose is to serve the clubs, districts and administrative officers of Rotary International and The Rotary Foundation. RI World Headquarters, in a building called One Rotary Centre in Evanston, is the headquarters of the Secretariat.



## Come learn about our club during Fireside Chat

On Tuesday, February 19th, Teri will host our Fireside Chat at her Barn. Click here to reserve your place  
<https://thomasvillerotary.org/v2/reservation/creat...>

900 Clyde Griffin Road, Thomasville

5:45 pm - Refreshments

6:15 pm - Dinner will be served

6:45 pm - Program to begin

Join the fun, fellowship with new members, food, and great discussion.



## This Thursday, February 21st at the Plaza Blood Drive starting 11am - 2pm-We need your BLOOD!

2/25 David Sofferin (35)

## YEARS OF SERVICE

2/26 Nathaniel Tyler (21)

2/27 Shelba Sellers (4)

3/1 Joe Brown (14)

3/7 Bryant Beadles (6)

## ROTARY ONLINE

<https://thomasvillerotary.org>

<https://rotary6900.org/>

<https://rotary.org/>

## ROTARY CLUB OF THOMASVILLE

Thursdays, 12:15 pm

The Plaza Restuarant

217 Broad St

Thomasville, GA 31792

## LEADERSHIP

President André Marria

President-Elect Kim Walden

Immediate PP Teri White

Vice President Tom Callaway, III

Treasurer Teri White

Treasurer Rick Piper

Secretary Angela Williamson

Program Director Jay Flowers

Public Image Marta Jones-Turner

## Directors

Club President Nominee John Brown

Foundation Scott Rich

Foundation Kim Walden

Membership Ben Wilds

Youth Service Eddie Smith

Community Service C. Grubbs, III



Thursday, February 21st @ 5:30 pm

## February Board Meeting, at the Library



Rotary Project complete!

## Map painting at Garrison Pilcher Elementary School

Before

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