

# ROTASCOPE

June 10, 2025

# Meetings

June is Rotary Fellowships Month

- 6/12 Stroud/Williams Southern Post / City of Roswell Update
- 6/19 President Nancy's Wrap Up Meeting
- 7/3 No Meeting at Roswell Rotary
- 7/10 President Trummie Lee's Vision

## **Events**

6/12 Comedy for a Cause

6/19 Alive in Roswell

- 6/21 Walk w a Doc featuring Dr Betty Price
- 6/23 RUMC Job Networking

#### LEADERSHIP

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

#### PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS

Cheryl Greenway 2012-13 Bob Hagan 2015-16

#### ROTARY CLUB OF ROSWELL

Thursdays, 12:15 pm Roswell Area Park Bill Johnson Community Activity

# **President Nancy's Message**



# Thank you, Justin Farmer - Plus, Congratulations to RRC Public Image and Vocational Education Committees.

A big thank you to **Justin Farmer** for his engaging talk at Roswell Rotary on tariffs, your 401(k), and key insights into smart investing. His practical advice and global perspective gave us all something to think about as we plan for the future.

Congratulations to **Kathy Igou / Public Image** for earning the Rotary International Platinum Public Image Certificate for Roswell Rotary—a well-deserved recognition for helping elevate our club's visibility and impact!

And kudos to **Ken Briggs and Darrell** Bartlett, and their **Vocational Education** team for the successful ribbon cutting at The Drake House, celebrating the completion of the beautiful new playhouse built by Roswell High School students. What an amazing collaboration to support families in need!

Roswell Rotary continues to serve, lead, and inspire-together.

# Don't Miss This Week's Meeting - State of Roswell Tourism and Business + Farewell to DG Gordon!

Join us this Thursday for an exciting and informative meeting featuring **Steve Stroud and Andy Williams**, who will share the State of Roswell Tourism and Business —what's happening now and what's ahead for our vibrant city. You won't want to miss their local insights and updates!

We'll also welcome District Governor Gordon Owens for his final visit to our club as DG. Let's show our appreciation for his leadership and support over the past year.

Can't wait to see everyone there—this is a meeting you don't want to miss!

Building 10495 Woodstock Road Roswell, GA 30075

# **Rotary Online**

https://roswellrotary.club https://rotary6900.org/ https://rotary.org/



#### **GET CLUB SMS ALERTS**

text CLUBALERTS to (833) 456-2829

#### Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

6/1 Joe Mazzeo 6/2 Sam Lane 6/3 David Houck 6/7 John Wolfe 6/7 Jay Pickett, III 6/11 Mike Prewett 6/12 Dean Robertson 6/14 Tim McFarlin 6/15 Peter Korman 6/16 Brian Hansford 6/17 Mary Trapp 6/20 Rett Gunn 6/21 Tate Jones 6/22 Hal Coleman 6/23 John Ross 6/23 Syd Mostajabi 6/25 William McFarlin 6/26 William Lindsey 6/26 David Young 6/28 Ridge Cannon 6/29 Lisa Carlisle 6/30 Tori Alterman

# YEARS OF SERVICE

6/2 Lori Allen (8)
6/10 Gabriel Prado (3)
6/12 Ronald Cowan (28)
6/14 Karen Ewing (2)

Nancy Alterman Roswell Rotary President 2024-25 Service above Self 770-262-6300

#### Roswell Inc.

**Speakers Thursday: Steve Stroud and Andy Williams Roswell Tourism and Business** 



Steve Stroud



Andy Williams





So excited to have Steve Stroud and Andy Williams as our speakers this week! If you are interested in Roswell Tourism and Business (and aren't we all?), this is a no-miss meeting. And a great meeting to bring your friends or neighbors to see what Roswell Rotary is all about! [read more]

#### June 27-Doubletree Roswell Trummie Lee's Installation Party

 6/14
 Dr. V Jajoo (2)

 6/20
 Tom Campbell, Jr. (6)

 40 years in Rotary

#### **FAMILY OF ROTARY**

Our membership cares deeply about the needs and concerns of our members. We don't want to miss an opportunity to reach out in friendship when such concerns arise. The chairperson of this committee is Lynne Lindsey and all news should be directed to her at lynnehlindsay@outlook.com



It's time for Trummie Lee to take his place as president of Roswell Rotary Club. His 2025-26 presidential year will be marked by an especially important time in Roswell Rotary Club history-our 75th Anniversary as a club! From 1951-2026, we have demonstrated true "Service Above Self" in Roswell. And now, it is time to get this party started!

Join your fellow Club members on Friday, June 27th at the Doubletree Hotel Roswell at 6pm. Food, drinks, music, dancing, and Trummie Lee starting off his rotary presidential year. Let's pack the house. Register

at https://roswellrotary.club/reservation/create?event=7534

\$50 per person and spouses welcome. Register TODAY!

# **Comedy for a Cause is THIS WEEK!**



Get ready to laugh for a cause, our 3rd Annual Comedy for a Cause is THIS WEEK!!!!!!

Join us for our 3rd Annual Comedy for a Cause — where we turn laughter into support for those who need it most. This year, we're proud to partner with Giving Grace, a local Atlanta organization dedicated to helping families with everything from child care assistance and rent support to securing housing for those experiencing homelessness.

Every need is unique, and Giving Grace is there to meet people where they are. Now it's our turn to give back!

Come out for a Thirsty Thursday full of laughs, community, and purpose — and help make a difference, one punchline at a time!

When: June 12th, 2025

Time: 6-9pm

Location: Roswell Junction 340 S Atlanta St. Roswell, GA 30075

### **Goodbye District Governor Gordon Owens**

# Last time we see District Governor



# **Gordon Owens**

After this meeting, Gordon will be **Past** DG Gordon Owens along with Past DG Cheryl Greenway and Past DG Bob Hagan. What a wonderful year he has had as District Governor 6900 and what a difference he has made for so many! Please join us at Thursday's meeting to honor his last visit to our club as DG. Gordon, you made Roswell Rotary very proud!

## Return to Country Club of Roswell Golf & Tennis Tournament Sept. 8, 2025



Next meeting: Thursday June 12 11:15 am before lunch meeting

Reminder: All members are part of the Golf & Tennis Committee. **New 2024-25** members should attend.

Volunteers Still Needed:

- Sponsorship committee members-Raise money
- **Beverage** Chair-Make sure we have alcohol, water, drinks, ice-SUPER CRUCIAL JOB for this club
- Auction Chair-Run silent auction
- Ball Drop-Run the ball drop (needs to get started soon)

Any questions, reach out to Ryan at 678-983-2042

#### New Member Spotlight Welcome New Member David Houck



**Background:** I grew up in New Jersey and moved to the Detroit area for work, where I met my wife, Tina. (She is a former Rotary member, so some of you may know her.) Since then, we have lived in Roswell for the past ten years. For those who are wondering, the weather is much nicer in Atlanta than it was in Detroit. We live in East Roswell-Horseshoe Bend.

**Why I joined Roswell Rotary:** I am looking forward to connecting and getting to know everyone at Rotary and seeing what we can do together in Roswell! I have already spent time working on the Blood Drives. And am working with Public Image Committee. I am eager to plug in where I am needed! [read more]

Thursday June 19 5pm Alive in Roswell





Alive in Roswell is a free monthly festival held every third Thursday from April through October in Roswell, Georgia. In 2025, the schedule is: April 17, May 15, June 19, July 17, August 21, September 18, and October 16. The festival runs from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM.

Come join us in front of the Hagan Center for burgers, dogs, and Roswell Rotary fellowship! It's a Roswell Rotary tradition and a great way to get to know other members.

# Huskies Helping Huskies Back to School Backpack Drive



Let's kick Lee's year off with the 2nd annual Back-to-School Backpack Stuffing for Huskies Helping Huskies, the 501(c)3 dedicated to helping those in need at Crabapple

Middle School. Launched in 2015, Roswell Rotary Club and individual members of it have extended foundational support whether money, services, media and/or introductions the entire tenure. Middle School students do a lot of work with paper, posters, binders and pencils. These items are more expensive than ever before and the families are having to choose between food, gas or school supplies. Therefore, we are able to help the households by supplying the initial school supply list for the 40 students living on the margins and attending Crabapple. [read more]

# **Blood Drive June 25-Roswell Junction** K **New Donation Location -**A Function at the Junction! 340 S Atlanta St **Roswell GA** Wednesday, June 25th 8:00 am - 2:00 pm Roswell Rotary

# Honoring Patsy Wolff- Picture next week 6/19



**Special Request:** We request that all women members in the Club please gather after our Thursday lunch meeting June 19 for a group picture that we can present to the family in honor of Patsy's trailblazing for women in Rotary!

## Sat. June 21 8:30am Walk with a Doc- Speaker Dr. Betty Price



# Dr. Betty Price

# Walk with a Doc

Before our walk through historic Roswell, Dr Price will speak about identifying different types of pain and treatment options.

We'll meet at the coffee shop, hear from Dr Price, and then walk beautiful historic Roswell to enjoy places that too many people simply whiz by. 2 and 3 mile routes.

Land of a Thousand Hills Coffee 352 S Atlanta St, Roswell, GA 30075.

NOTE: Overflow parking is available 1 block north on Atlanta St. Turn onto Bannister Dr and park at the 1st two businesses on the left.

There is a path between these buildings to Land of a Thousand Hills Coffee.

For more information, contact Hal Schlenger 770.335.0077 or Betty Price 678.525.2184.

#### RRC in the Media Where to find news about Roswell Rotary Club



- Video on Fox 5: Roswell Remembers Memorial Day ceremony | FOX 5 Atlanta
- Story: Metro Atlanta honors those who died for their country on Memorial Day | FOX 5 Atlanta
- Video on Vimeo: Memorial Day ceremony in Roswell Fox 5 ATL
- Video on 11 Alive: Roswell honors fallen in somber Memorial Day ceremony

Coming Up at RRC Save the Date: Making Roswell Rotary's Magic Happen



Mary Trapp Service Projects Chair Michael Curling Social Chair

**Comedy For a Cause** June 12 6-9pm Roswell Junction Add To Calendar

Alive After Five Thursday, June 19 5pm - 7:30pm Hagan Center parking Lot under Rotary Tent Add To Calendar

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