

## THE BULLETIN

May 5, 2017

## Club Calendar

May is Youth Service Month

- 5/12 Club Assembly PE Rick Otness
- 5/19 Lws of Life Essay
- 5/26 Donaldson Bannister Farmhouse - Dunwoody Preservation Trust

6/2 Regular Meeting

# Our Rotary Family **BIRTHDAYS**

- 5/3 Michael Wilensky
- 5/4 Lorri Christopher
- 5/7 Tom Lashway
- 5/17 Craig Gregozeski
- 5/20 Tina Philpot
- 5/23 Bill Schwendler

## **ANNIVERSARIES**

- 5/29 Mike Shortal5/11 Jeffrey Priluck5/20 Bob O'Brien
- 5/4 Jennie Stipick
- 5/9 Kelly Hundley
- 5/11 Hoshi Daruwalla Daruwalla
- 5/27 Jack Francisco

## **Rotary Online**

https://dunwoodyrotary.com https://rotary6900.org/ https://rotary.org/

#### ROTARY CLUB OF DUNWOODY

Fridays, 7:15 am The Westin Atlanta Perimeter North H

## This Week's Meeting

This week's meeting is a Club Assembly. President Tina will conduct the meeting and President Elect Rick Otness will lead the discussion.

PE Rick will be leading a member discussion and answering questions about the Club's plans for 2017-2018. PE Rick's vision for 2017-2018 will be discussed, as well as how that vision will impact the Club. Please plan on attending and contributing your ideas for how the Club can better serve the needs and passions of the members during 2017-2018.

## **RCD Award Winning Club!**

The following awards, organized by category determined by club size, were announced at the recent District Conference in recognition of our club:

Governor Citation Award -- Rotary Club of Dunwoody District Service Award -- Jackie Cuthbert

#### Winner -- Category III

Best Club Best Membership Retention Best Foundation Total Giving Best International Service Project Best Youth Service Project Best Yearbook.Scrapbook

#### Runner Up -- Category III

Best Club Administration Best Fund Raiser Project Best Foundation Per Capita Giving Best Community Service Project Best Bulletin

## Sign up to be a volunteer for 2017 RI Convention

If you are already registered to attend the 2017 RI convention, now is the time to sign up to also do a single 4 hour volunteer shift. RI needs to order materials (hats, vests, etc.)and plan training sessions. To do that they need to know the number of volunteers from each club. We have one of the highest percentage of club members signed up to attend the 2017 RI Convention, but are currently one of the least best clubs in terms of the % of club attendees that have committed to volunteer for a single 4 hour shift during the convention. Lets move the dial on this and become one of the best clubs in terms of percent of attendees that have volunteered.

Like many of us, I have been waiting for a formal signal to go sign up. Consider this to

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President-Elect Rick Otness Secretary

Treasurer

President Tina Philpot Cathie Brumfield Larry Domenico

be the formal request to volunteer. Below are the simple steps you need to follow to "officially" volunteer. If you have any questions please call Rick Otness at 770-715-9251, or email the question(s) to otness r@mindspring.com .

Steps

- 1. Visit www.rotaryconvention2017.org/volunteer.
- 2. Click on the Volunteer Registration Form link.
- 3. Fill out the form completely.
- 4. Click on the Send Volunteer Registration

## **Dunwoody Arts Festival**

The Dunwoody Arts Festival 2017 on Mother's Day weekend, May 13 and 14, is not far off, and we are tentatively committed to assisting again this year, with some perks and less work. We will be given a strategically-located booth at no charge to the club. To accommodate our presence, we need about 10-12 members willing to "man" the booth in 2-hour stints from 9:00-5:00 Saturday and 12:00-5:00 Sunday afternoon.

Kathy Brandt, Kelly Hundley, and Tina Philpot are coordinating 12 volunteers to help with artist set-up in early morning on Saturday.

If you are willing to assist in either of these ways, please contact Kathy Brandt for the early morning shifts and **Dottie Toney** for the daytime slots.

## Atlanta Rotaract

Do you know a young professional (ages 21-30) that:

- Wants to make their community and the world a better place?
- Desires to expand their circle friends at home or aboard?
- Seeks to develop their leadership skills and explore career opportunities?

This could be your child, your grandchild, your neighbor, your co-worker or employee. The Rotaract Club of Atlanta would welcome an opportunity to have them visit one of our meetings.

For more info, please visit www.atlantarotaract.com or follow us on Facebook, Twitter or Meetup.

Dunwoody Rotary members are always invited to attend Rotaract events and meetings! Please visit www.atlantarotaract.com for information on upcoming meetings and events, including the time and place.

## **Missed Meeting Make-Up Information**

Make-Up a Missed Meeting <> Visit an E-Club!!!

Please help the Rotary Club of Dunwoody lead District 6900 in attendance average!

Rotary International has approved the request of 27 clubs to form with virtual or electronic locations. A visit to one of these **E-CLUBS** may satisfy a club member's make-up requirement, if this online visit counts. Also read "**E-CLUBS** forge new path for Rotary," a Web-exclusive feature story at www.rotary.org about Rotary **E-CLUBS**.

http://makeup.rotaryeclubofthesouth.org/

http://recswusa.org

http://www.rotaryeclubone.org

http://www.rotaryeclubny1.com

http://www.rotaryeclubsouthwest.org

http://www.rotaryeclub7890.org

http://www.rotaryeclub3310.org/index.asp

http://www.rotary-eclubd3450.org/en/

http://www.rotaryeclubzante.gr (Greek and English)

FOR A LIST OF OTHER ONLINE SITES:

www.rotary.org/newsroom/downloadcenter/pdfs/eclub\_...

### From the desk of the Newsletter Editor

Send your Newsletter submission to **<u>rcdnewsletter@yahoo.com</u>** 

Our Club's Weekly Newsletter typically consists of:

- Speaker bio
- New Member Name(s)
- Featured article(s) (regarding events, service projects, or on-going topics general club administrative items, etc..).
- Foundation initiatives or other topics of interest to Members and with value for our Club archives.
- Announcements (seeking volunteers, advertising service projects, etc.)
- For Your Calendar (Club and other activities we encourage members and/or their spouses to attend, including Family of Rotary events
- Member News (birthdays, anniversaries, accomplishments, Caring Hands)

Please keep in mind key components to include with your submission:

- Title of your article
- Description of the activity
- Dates, Time, Location, deadline, etc... (especially for upcoming events)
- Key Points of Contact Information and/or a link to reference website for details
- Names and/or headcount of Rotarians (and others) participating,
- The reaction of those benefiting and the numbers of those benefiting.
- Picture(s)

Please also tell me the number of weeks would you like the article published. Finally, the deadline for articles to run in the current week are **Mondays by 5 p.m.** 

If you have any questions feel free to ask.

Thank you! Eleni