Rotary Club of Dunwoody

# The Friendly Breakfast Club

SEPTEMBER 23, 2020

### This Week's Speaker ... In Person and Zoom

## Welcome District Governor Kirk Driskell ... at Dunwoody Country Club or via Zoom



This Friday, the Rotary Club of Dunwoody is proud to welcome Kirk Driskell, our District Governor. You have a choice ... Join us at the Dunwoody Country Club at 7:15 am or grab your coffee or tea and join us on Zoom at 7:15 a.m. to hear from DG Kirk. Just follow the Zoom link - **https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86202979419.**

Kirk joined the Alpharetta Rotary Club, following in the footsteps of his father, Ken Driskell, who was a charter member and past president of the club. Kirk served as his Club's President in 2015-2016. Prior to serving as Club President, he served in multiple club leadership roles and was honored to receive both, "Rookie of the Year" and "Rotarian of the Year" awards. He has served on multiple International service trips and local community service projects.
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## MEETINGS

September is Basic Education and Literacy Month

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| 10/2 | Peter Kyle, RI Director, Zones 33-34 |
| 10/9 | William Baker, Senior General Manager, Perimeter Mall ... in Person or via Zoom |
| 10/23 | Rob Sayer, Musician, Entrepreneur, Educator in Person and via Zoom – Case Study in Business Success and Inspiration! |
| 10/30 | Christopher C. Hanks, Institute for Entrepreneurship ... in Person and Via Zoom |
| 11/6 | Sean Minton, Returning Global Grant Scholar ... in Person and Via Zoom |
| 11/13 | Robert Hall, End Polio Now ... in Person and Via Zoom |
| 11/20 | No Friday Meeting - instead consider joining us for Thursday Thursday live! |
| 11/27 | No Friday Meeting - Enjoy Your Thanksgiving Holiday! |

## EVENTS

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| 9/25 | Board Meeting & Official Visit with District Governor Kirk Driskell |
| 10/2 | USO |
| 10/10 | Dunwoody Nature Center - Clean Up Day - Service Project |
| 10/15 | Thirsty Thursday |
| 10/20 | Rotary Means Business - Atlanta |
| 10/31 | Halloween Clean Up at Bounds Garden |
| 11/7 | Community Assistance Center Volunteer Opportunity |
| 11/14 | Dunwoody Nature Center Volunteer Day |

## From Our President

# Having Fun, Doing Good!




This has been a busier week for the Rotary Club of Dunwoody, as we designed and painted our community picnic table (thanks to all who helped), cleaned up at Bounds Garden, and readied ourselves for this Friday's visit from District Governor!

We have also confirmed with the Dunwoody Country Club that we will be meeting there (with Zoom options always) for the Fall ... with meeting plans almost set through our annual Holiday Luncheon on December 11. That includes a special appearance next week from Peter Kyle, RI Director for Zones 33-34; he will be presenting via Zoom but you may attend on Zoom or in person. It is a special honor to have our Zone RI Director joining our meeting, and Peter will discuss Rotary International's partnership with the United Nations, UNESCO, UNICEF, World Bank, and other groups.

I am proud to be your President this year and thank all of you for the work you are doing. The picnic table project came about because Louise saw something online and acted on the opportunity. We encourage all of you to keep your eyes and ears open for SMALL and LARGE ways we can serve in our community. It's who we are and what Rotary is all about.

See you soon!

## BIRTHDAYS

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| 10/2 | Felicia Voloschin |
| 10/12 | Sarah Friend |

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

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| 10/6 | Alison Norris (30) |
| 10/10 | Lorri Christopher (39) |
| 10/12 | Gary Lane (17) |
| 10/17 | Jennifer Shumway (0) |

## ROTARY ONLINE

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

## ROTARY CLUB OF DUNWOODY

Fridays, 7:15 am
Maggiano's - Perimeter Mall
4400 Ashford Dunwoody Rd,
Dunwoody, GA 30338
Atlanta, GA , GA 30338

## SOCIAL MEDIA

## LEADERSHIP

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| President | Ardy Bastien |
| President-Elect | Carter Stout |
| President-Elect | Mike Parks |
| Immediate PP | Cathie Brumfield |
| Treasurer | Josh Podczervinski |
| Secretary | Jennifer Shumway |

Serving Our Community

# The Tale of a Picnic Table ...


J.LOHR
PASO ROBLES
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
SEVEN OAKS





How many Rotarians does it take to create a painted picnic table? As many as want to join in the fun!

Louise Barden identified the opportunity, brought it to the community, and worked with those in charge of the community effort. She was joined by Jennie Stipick and Anne Glenn who collaborated on the design , Rick Woods and Griff Ransom who prepped the table for painting, Ron and Louise Barden, Ed Holliday, Hoshi Daruwalla and Jennie who helped with painting.

The table will be located near the CheeseCake Factory at Perimeter Mall - joining others to provide outside dining possibilities. And it's just one more example of how the Rotary Club of Dunwoody is finding projects where social distancing can happen, but the volunteers can do something fun and benefit the community at large.

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### Thanks for Your Service

## Bounds Garden - "We're Here So Let's Go"



Ranger Fred Bounds was feeling under the weather last Saturday (09/19/20), so he canceled the planned session. But as often happens when you publicize an event, not everyone gets the stand down order.

Fred asked Rick Otness to be there to let any people that showed up know that the session was cancelled. When President Nominee Jennifer Bowler showed up at 9 AM sharp with tools, she said to Rick, "Well we are here, why can't we just get it done." Rick didn't have a good answer, so for the next hour Bounds Garden happened, and is now weed free except for two items they couldn't agree were weeds.

Fred may need to start watching over his shoulder. For others interested in maintaining the "Bounds Garden" traffic island at the intersection closest to the Dunwoody Library, there are four more sessions scheduled this year - 10/31/20,  1/9/21,  3/6/21, and  5/8/21.

Mark your calendars. The fun starts at 9 AM and usually lasts an hour. Come join our volunteers - Having Fun, Doing Good.