



## Meetings

January is Vocational Service Month

- 2/1 Skipper Hoke / Football Leadership
- 2/1 Tony Barnhart
- 2/8 Lunches 4 Learning - Phil Dodson
- 2/15 Celia Cortes - GAI Cares

## Events

- 1/31 Blood Drive for Jan
- 2/3 Polar Bear Plunge-Wills Park Pool
- 2/7 Hump Day at Gate City Artillery Room
- 2/15 Roswell High School Career Day

### LEADERSHIP

President	Alex Kaufman
President-Elect	Nancy Alterman
Treasurer	Leslie Bassett
Secretary	Trummie Patrick, III
Membership	Bob Clarkson
Public Image	Becky Nelson

### 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

## Sports Journalist, TV sports analyst, Radio commentator, Tony Barnhart to Speak



Tony Barnhart completed his 47th season of covering college football for newspapers, radio, television and the internet. He was a college football analyst for eight years with the SEC Network. Previously he was a college football analyst for CBS Sports and a reporter for ESPN's College GameDay. He spent 25 years at The Atlanta-Journal Constitution as a college football writer. Tony is a 1976 graduate of Grady College, the

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## Rotary Online

<https://roswellrotary.club>  
<https://rotary6900.org/>  
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text CLUBALERTS to  
(833) 456-2829

## Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

1/1	Ken Briggs
1/1	Andrew Dalby
1/1	Ron Redner
1/2	Aliza Gevirtz
1/4	Jere Wood
1/7	Jeff Hamling
1/7	Trummie Patrick
1/10	Chris Good
1/12	Bruce Peoples
1/14	Chris Webb
1/17	Alicia Hughes
1/20	Evan Coyle
1/21	Gary Garrett
1/23	Kurt Hilbert
1/24	William Noethling, Jr.
1/24	Kay Howell
1/25	David Bourne
1/26	Courtney Lott
1/27	Joseph Kincaid
1/30	William May
1/31	Blake Turner
1/31	John Reddick

school of Journalism at the University of Georgia. Tony has authored five books on college football. Among the books are the autobiographies of Vince Dooley and Larry Munson. His sixth book *The 19 of Greene* was published in October 2023. The book details the Greene County Tigers football team's surprisingly successful season, the enduring relationships he formed with his teammates, the difficulties of school sports integration, and the positive impact this team had on the community.

## Skipper Hoke Awards

### Skipper Hoke Leadership Award



### Honoring Student Athletes

It's Skipper Hoke Leadership Awards Week!

During our lunch we will be recognizing the 2023 football programs at Blessed Trinity, Fellowship Christian, and Roswell High School as well as a standout student athlete from each. These students exhibit high leadership ideals and embody the Rotary ideal of Service above Self. They are honored with their name being added to the impressive trophy which sits in their respective school lobby year round. They will also receive an individual trophy to keep. Listening to how these student athletes are involved in the community, in their school, and focused on their life goals is exciting.

Skipper was a long-time member of the Roswell Rotary Club having joined in 1981 and served as President in 1990. He loved his UGA Bulldogs, his childhood hometown of Newnan, and the Roswell community while being Vice President of the Roswell Bank for over 20 years. His wife, Nancy, can still be seen at a Roswell Rotary event occasionally. She is proud that this tradition continues strong for it started in 2017 after Skipper's unexpected death in 2016 at age 72. Thanks to Dave Young and Jim Broadway for honoring not only a great community member but also a great Rotarian by keeping this award relevant to our high school student's today.

Give a pint of blood, get a pint of Variant beer

## Blood Drive Jan. 31 & Chance to Win SuperBowl Tickets

## YEARS OF SERVICE

1/2	Raymond Peabody (1)
1/3	Carleton Ohly (4)
1/4	Paul Lang (34)
1/5	Kathryn Igou (7)
1/5	William Noethling, Jr. (7)
1/11	Ken Davis (17)
1/12	Jere Wood (6) 26 years in Rotary
1/19	Susan Rumble (13)
1/20	Joseph Kincaid (19)
1/23	Jack Stephens (38)
1/24	Andy Williams (5) 12 years in Rotary
1/28	Chris Good (8)
1/30	Mindy Jones (27)
1/30	Kadijah Vickers (1)
1/31	A.D. Dalton (39)

## 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

[lynnhills@outlook.com](mailto:lynnhills@outlook.com)



- Encourage someone to donate a pint of blood (or make the donation yourself)
- Save up to three lives
- Get a free pint of Variant beer & chance to win Superbowl tickets.



Sign up link



## Blood Drive

Wed. Jan. 31  
9am - 2pm

### Location:

Coastal Bar & Grill (formerly Houck's)  
10930 Crabapple Rd. B120  
Roswell, GA 30075



## Wills Park Pool

## Polar Bear Plunge Feb 3rd

Remember the Polar Plunge?

It's Back! Feb. 3rd Wills Park

RRC  
Fundraiser  
for

\*ADI Negev-Nahalat Eran Rehabilitation Village

\* A Custom-made Wheel Chair benefiting a little boy, who has lost nearly all of his limbs, located in Panama

\* Roswell Rotary Local Charities



RRC donation page



For more information, contact Courtney Lott [courtney.lott@kw.com](mailto:courtney.lott@kw.com)

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## New Member Spotlight

**Welcome William E. Brown**



We are delighted to welcome William E. Brown into the Roswell Rotary Club. He joined in November of 2023 and has been a regular at lunch. New members are the future of Roswell Rotary and we all look forward to working with this servant leader while serving our Roswell Community. Some interesting notes about William:

**Schools attended:** Vanderbilt University (undergrad. – Bachelor of Science); St. Louis University University School of Law (J.D.); St. Mary's University Greehey School of Business (MBA); Texas A&M University School of Law (L.L.M.)

**Where he lives and has lived:** Woodstock, Georgia; has lived in Tennessee, Missouri, Virginia, Kansas, and Texas

**Spouse:** Dr. Marilyn Brown

**Kids:** William (32); Alexander (23); and Ashley (20)

**Other involvement in community:** American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Georgia Football Official Association, church

**Career:** Attorney

**Hobbies & Interests:** Golfing, travel, and American history  
[\[read more\]](#)

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**Have you made your reservation?**

**Join Us in March-District Conference**



## District Conference March 21-24

Register [HERE](#) before early bird price is gone!

WHY should I go to District conference this year? [CLICK HERE](#) [read more]

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### Comedy for a Cause is Coming!



Roswell Rotary After Hours is excited to have officially booked Rock 'N' Taco for their second annual Comedy for a Cause! Mark your calendars for Wednesday, June 5th. Stay posted for more information on how you can help make this even bigger and better than last year!



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## After Hours Welcomes GT's Director of HS Relations



After Hours is thrilled to welcome Tim McFarlin as the guest speaker for their next meeting on Tuesday, February 6 at 6:30 at The Artillery Room @ Gate City. Tim, who also happens to be the father of RRAH member Will McFarlin, serves as Georgia Tech Football's director of high school relations. You may know him as the state championship-winning head football coach at Roswell High School who is considered one of the most successful football coaches in Georgia history. He will speak to the club on leadership, how to build a high-functioning team, and what really motivates people to perform their best. Everyone is welcome!

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**Sat, Feb 17 at 9:00am: Your body is asking for this**

**3 healthcare myths busted. Then our Docs walk and welcome your questions**



Location: Vickery Mills, 95 Mill St, Roswell, GA 30075

Meet at the covered bridge. Free parking. Dog friendly. A couple of hills to challenge you getting to a beautiful waterfall. Short and medium distance trails. [[read more](#)]

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**Coming Up at RRC**

## **Save the Date: Making Roswell Rotary's Magic Happen**



*Events Chair 2023-24 Katie Tucker*

### **January Blood Drive-**

Wed. Jan. 31 Coastal Bar & Grill 9am - 2pm [Add To Calendar](#)

### **Polar Bear Plunge Wills Park**

Sat. Feb. 3 [Add To Calendar](#)

### **Career Day at Roswell High School**

Thurs. Feb 15 9:30-1:30 [Add To Calendar](#)

Feb Walk with a Doc

Sat. Feb. 17 9:00am [Add To Calendar](#)

Feb Rotary Means Business

Tues. Feb.27 6:00pm - 8:00pm [Add To Calendar](#)

### **2024 District Conference** Jekyll Island

Thurs.- Sun. March 21-24

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## Last Week at Roswell Rotary





