

# Rotary



# Club of Dougherty County

Friday, November 13, 2020

## Club Meeting

Dougherty County (Albany)  
Doublegate Country Club  
Tuesday at 12:00 PM



Rotary Opens Opportunities

## Club Leaders



Cindy Wisham  
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Gayle B. Woolard  
Rotary Foundation

## Ruth's Cottage and The Patticake House

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Kayla Meyers with Ruth's Cottage and The Patticake House spoke with the Dougherty County Rotary Club on Tuesday, November 10, 2020. She was accompanied by two very special guest, service dogs, Harley and Oakley.

Ruth's Cottage is a domestic violence prevention program which includes the provision of a 25-bed emergency shelter for women all victims. Residents usually stay an initial four to six weeks and shelter staff work with them to make goals and plans for a safe life, post shelter. While at the shelter, all basic needs of the women and children are met while their emotional and education needs are also addressed through referrals to area agencies and support groups.

The Patticake House joined the Ruth's Cottage domestic violence program in 2005 to make the Tifton Judicial Circuit Shelter, Inc. a dual agency, with two state certified programs. The Patticake House is a Child Advocacy Centers of Georgia full affiliate child advocacy center which provides forensic interviews for children who have been suspected of having been severely physically abused, sexually abused and/or witness to severe family violence. The children served with a forensic interview are only referred for service by one or more of the following: law enforcement, Department of Family and Children's Services and/or District Attorney's Office. Children cannot be referred for an interview by a family member or a concerned citizen. Those who feel they know a child that has been abused or they strongly suspect abuse should call 911.

Learn more on how to donate or volunteer at [www.StopTheHurtGA.org](http://www.StopTheHurtGA.org)

## Canned Food Drive

Friday, October 23, 2020

Our club will be collecting can goods for the Salvation Army at our November 17 meeting. Please give generously.



Chair

## Birthdays

Cindy Wisham  
November 27th

Tammy McCrary  
November 27th

Judy Randle  
December 4th

Gayle B. Woolard  
December 10th

Edward West  
December 12th



## Henry's Angels

Wednesday, November 4, 2020



A representative from Henry's Angels will speak to us at the November 17 meeting.

On August 12, 2017 Henry William Farris was welcomed into the world by his parents, Sarah and Zac Farris. Shortly after delivery Henry was taken to Heaven. In honor of Henry, Henry's Angels was created to help provide Christmas for children in our community.

## Events

November 17th

**Dougherty County (Albany) Weekly Club Meeting**

**Speaker:** Speaker from Henry's Angels

**Subject:** Plus we will be collecting canned food items for Salvation Army

December 1st

**Dougherty County (Albany) Weekly Club Meeting**

November 24th

**No Club Meeting on November 24, 2020**

December 8th

**Dougherty County (Albany) Weekly Club Meeting**