



Medium Club of the Year 2019/2020

ZOOM LINK FOR ROTARY MEETING



Zoom links for Thursday's meeting.

NOTE: Meeting will be held at the Lakeside Church as well as via Zoom!
Topic: Regular Club Meeting

Time: May 13, 2021 11:30 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

(Zoom Link): <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89911744450>

Meeting ID: 899 1174 4450

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Greene and Putnam Counties Meetings are being conducted as Hybrid meetings in the main Sanctuary of The Lakeside Church.

Zoom links are in the weekly bulletin.

5800 Lake Oconee Parkway Highway 44
Greensboro, GA 30642
Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

Club Leaders



Lu Erier Byrd
President



Scott A. Gessay
President - Elect



Donna R. Osborne
President - Nominee
Secretary



Chan Layson
Past President
Treasurer



Robert Massey
Past President
Membership Retention Chair



Michelle King Tanner-Baird
Past President
Membership Chair



Laura Dent
Past President
Public Relations Chair



Margie Eddy-Forbes
Past President
Family of Rotary



Vicki Hall
Bulletin Editor



Steven A. Harrold
Past President
GRSP Chair



Richard L. Panyik
On-To Conference Chair
Rotary Foundation Chair
Training Officer



Reid Conklin
Past President
Sergeant-at-Arms



Jennifer C. Pennington
Club Director



Terry Lawler
Club Programs Chair



Robert Shannon Osborne
Past President
Club Executive Secretary
Webmaster

DG Tina D. Fischlin
Past President

Balazs Magyar (Hungary) - GRSP Student 2016-2017

This program is one-of-a-kind. We have been bringing nations together since 1946. The program began with only 4 scholars, and now we are proud to say that we have more than 3,692 alumni from all over the world. The program's purpose is to broaden the understanding of world peace through people and that is exactly what we've done.



Since 1946, Rotarians in Georgia, USA, have promoted world peace through understanding by offering scholarships to international students for one year of study in Georgia colleges and universities. Georgia Rotary Clubs sponsor students recommended by a Rotary Club in their home country.

The students become adopted members of a Georgia host family, living on-campus at the school they attend. This is an ambassadorial scholarship program, not an exchange! Each year, students from all over the world make friends in the United States and other nations and learn about differing cultures and lifestyles. Georgia Rotarians believe "Peace is Possible" and through GRSP promote international goodwill through friendship and understanding.

LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION

Saturday, May 1, 2021

By DG Tina D. Fischlin

WOW that is the first word that stands out in my mind when I think about last weekend's virtual District Conference.

There are no other ways to express this awesome event. If I tried to list all of thank yous that need to be listed, I would miss someone. However, I must give a HUGE thank you to Dianne Cammarata and our entire District conference team. Phil Ciccone and the technology team brought an event that was as close to being in person as possible.

We celebrated our clubs and our members. Congratulations to Doug Bolton, Rotarian of the Year; Pete McDonald, Assistant Governor of the Year; and Dianne Cammarata, who received Rotary's highest award, Service Above Self. These are just a few of the highlights from conference. Read all about the wonderful awards in the Awards & Honors article.



DG Tina prepares to present the "Service Above Self Award."

May is here! We have a lot going on in the District, and Clubs are busy with their fundraisers and finishing up their service projects.



International Service Chair



Barbara Fisher
International Service Chair



Patricia L. Ware
Past President
ROCK Co-Champion
Vocational Service Chair



Thomas P. Cornella
Past President
Interact Club Sponsor
Youth Services Chair



Donna H. O'Neal
iPast President

Birthdays

William W McCartney Jr.
May 13th
Margie Eddy-Forbes
May 14th
Barbara Fisher
May 16th

District Leaders

DG Tina D. Fischlin
District Governor
Michael L. Berg
District Governor-Elect
Gerry Taylor
District Governor-Nominee
David Thomas Upchurch
District Communications Officer
Randy Redner
District Feed10Million Chair
Chad Bingham
District Membership Chair
Brandy Lynn Swanson
District Public Image/PR Chair
Bruce Allen Azevedo
District Rotary Foundation Chair



Jennifer Hendrickson and Mark Willis, both from the Rotary Club of Gwinnett County, performed superbly as this year's district conference emcees.

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Lastly, there are four reminders for our clubs:

1. Register for District Assembly—it is FREE, but you must register in DACdb.
2. Please update your 2020-2021 Officers and Directors in DACdb. The District Directory is being prepared and we want your most current information in this Directory. Please contact your assistant Governor if you are not sure how to update your information.
3. Sign up for RYLA.
4. District grant final reports are due May 10.

Have a great month!

DG Tina

Everyone is making the push to finish out this Rotary year strong and train the new leaders to do more than we did this year.

Rotary's theme for May is Youth Service Month, Rotary's annual celebration of all the ways in which we support young people to fully explore and develop who they are and what they have to offer this world. Young people are our future and the future of Rotary. Rotary

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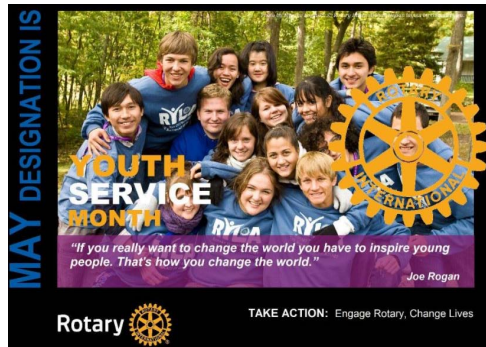
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Our Rotary Calendar

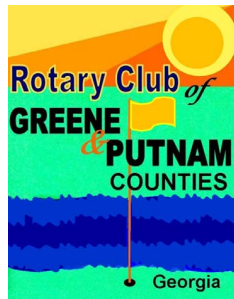
YOUTH SERVICE MONTH



May 6 Kathryn Fields, GRSP Marketing & Development Director/Steve Harrold
May 13 Board Meeting 10:30
May 13 Balazs Magyar (Hungary), GRSP Student 2016-2017/Donna & Shannon Osborne
May 15 Second Harvest
May 20 Alla Campbell, Alla's Travel Log/Donna & Neal
May 27 Vocational Tour/Pat Ware & Rich Panyik

[Read More](#)

Rotary Club of Greene & Putnam Counties



MISSION STATEMENT

Our Rotary Club provides its members the opportunity to improve lives by serving others, both locally and internationally, including our own members, and to promote high ethical standards, fellowship and goodwill.

VISION STATEMENT

The Rotary Club of Greene and Putnam Counties will continue to be the premier Service Club for our community's service-minded leaders of all ages, who enjoy each other's company, have fun working together, and are committed to the Rotary motto "Service Above Self"!

Rotary 4 Way Test

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The Four-Way Test

of what we think, say or do

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

Useful Rotary Links



Rotary Opens Opportunities

