

Rotary



Club of Gilmer County

Club Meeting

We meet on the
Second and Fourth
Mondays at Albert E
Harrison Hall
180 S Dalton Street
Ellijay, GA 30540
Time: Noon

Events

September 23rd
Club Meeting
Speaker: Judge
Amanda H. Mercier of
the Georgia Court of
Appeals

October 2nd
**Rotary Open Golf
Tournament**

October 14th
Club Meeting

October 28th
Vocational Tour
Speaker: Jeanne
Stanton, RN
Subject: Vocational
tour of Parkside
Center for Nursing &
Rehab at Ellijay

Club Leaders



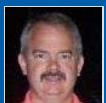
Nathaniel
Andrew
Ashurst
President



Shanna P
Downs
President-
Elect
Membership



Jared
Arrant
President-
Nominee
Community
Service



Marvin
Chance
Secretary



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Past
President
Training
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Charles
Pults
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Meeting Agenda - Monday, September 9, 2019

Call to Order and Welcome	President Andy Ashurst
Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance	Club
Lunch	
Introduction of Guests	Secretary Marvin Chance
Announcements	Andy Ashurst
Sergeant-At-Arms	Scott Chastain
Program	Bradley Cook, District Membership Chair Rotary Membership
Dismissal	The Four Way Test

Our 2019-20 GRSP Student Visits

Monday, August 26, 2019



Gilmer Rotarians welcomed our GRSP (Georgia Rotary Student Program) student, Hannah Espelin-Rolfson, as our guest speaker at the August 26 meeting. Hannah is from Norway, and will spend this academic year at Young Harris College under a scholarship provided by Rotary Clubs in Gilmer County, Blue Ridge, Union County and Lake Chatuge/Hiawassee. We look forward the getting to know her better and wish her an exciting and fulfilling year.



Barry A. Lee
Past
President
Club
Programs
GRSP Chair



Betsy Lea
Sheppard
Public
Relations



Scott C.
Chastain
Sergeant-
at-Arms
Youth
Services



Penelope
Oldfield
Marshall
Rotary
Foundation



Jeanne L.
Stanton
Club Admin



Kathy Pults
Club
Service
Family of
Rotary



John E.
Tutten III
Club
Fundraising



Debra M.
Cook
Vocational
Service



Jerry D.
Johnson
iPast
President



Patricia
Schaeffern
Kenney
Assistant
Governor

Birthdays

Jared Arrant
September 17th

Scott C. Chastain
September 22nd

Paige Green
September 23rd

Heath Lee
September 29th

Wedding Anniversaries

Scott C. Chastain
September 11th

Bill Craig
September 25th

Boy & Girls Club Duck Race Challenge

Monday, August 19, 2019

Saturday, September 28, 2019

BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF NORTH GEORGIA

THE GREAT 515 DUCK DERBY

Pickens County
Gilmer County
Fannin County

Ducks Launch at Noon!

9/28/2019 ~ 10,000 yellow rubber ducks will splash into the Toccoa River and race towards the finish line at Horseshoe Bend Park in Mineral Bluff.

Grand prize is \$5,000!
2nd place is free Chick-fil-A every week for one year!

Rotarians (and anyone else, for that matter) can participate in the Capital Campaign to fund renovations at the new Progress Road location and upgrades to the Civic Center location by racing a duck (or 100) in the Great 515 Duck Derby: [Click here](#). For more information on the Capital Campaign go [HERE](#) or contact Bill Slaughter at bgcellijay@etcmail.com or 770-380-6147. And if you want to support the effort by adopting a duck for our Club effort in the upcoming race go online to <https://www.duckrace.com/northgeorgia/teams/9048>

Hurricane Dorian Relief Update

By Donald W. Martin (District Governor) on Monday, September 2, 2019



Greetings to all on a spectacular Labor Day in North Georgia. Unfortunately, not all of our friends, particularly those in the Caribbean, the Bahamas and even coastal communities of Florida, Georgia and the Carolinas are having the same sort of weekend.

The most pressing need right now is for cash to get relief moving into the Bahamas. The good news there is that not all of the Bahamian ports are damaged so they will be able to get supplies into the country quickly and then ferry them to the most affected areas.

For those of you whose clubs I have visited so far this year, you know that I believe that there is no better place than **The Rotary Foundation** to contribute your funds and have a better chance that they will go through the pipeline and come out on the other end exactly where you intended. That is absolutely true in this case. Your donations will be going through Rotary and managed by Rotary and Rotarians on the other end.

The most pressing need right now is in the Bahamas; however, this fund will be available to assist all communities in all of Zones 33 and 34 if they should need assistance as a result of this storm.

Here is a link to where you can donate directly through a special Rotary Relief Fund: [Hurricane Relief](#)

Please pray for our friends and families in harm's way and then prayerfully consider getting out your checkbook and becoming a Rotarian of Action.

Thanks in advance for your attention to this very urgent matter.

