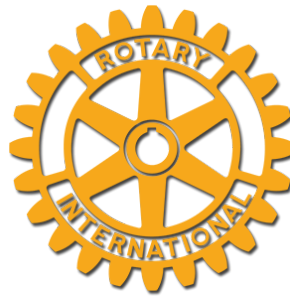


Rotary

Club of Lake Chatuge



Club Meeting

Lake Chatuge
Brasstown Valley
Resort and Spa +
Young Harris, GA
Tuesday at 12:00
PM

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President's Notes - September 7th

By Jack Payne

Fellow Lake Chatuge Rotarians,

First this week I have to inform everyone of some news we had hoped to avoid this year. We received the most recent update from Union General Hospital this week and the situation there with Covid 19 continues to deteriorate. They now have 57 inpatients with the virus--this in a hospital normally staffed to operate 45 beds. Included in this number are vaccinated "breakthrough" cases requiring hospitalization. 92% of these are unvaccinated and 8% vaccinated.

Out of an abundance of caution and safety, ***we will be moving back to outdoor meetings at Hamilton Gardens***, in the Paris Pavilion, until further notice. We are fortunate to have such a beautiful outdoor setting to fall back to.

I know we all wanted to avoid this, but we must do the right thing in the face of the increasing surge in the virus. As before, you will need to bring your own lunch. There are picnic tables at the pavillion and some members will bring chairs as well.

Jack Milgard will explain the impact on your bill at the meeting on Tuesday.

I encourage you to attend via Zoom if you cannot or wish not to attend in person.
[Read More](#)

Upcoming Meeting September 7

Speaker

Kristine Robertson
William Holland School of Lapidary arts

Greeter

Gerry Gutenstein

Invocation

Doug Stuart

Sergeant at Arms

Bud Branson

BACK TO HAMILTON GARDENS FOR SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER

Meetings in September and October will be moved to the Paris Pavillion at Hamilton Gardens

All members and guests should wear their mask, except while eating. Please spread across multiple picnic tables at Paris Pavillion. Some members may prefer to bring chairs to sit along the sides of the



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pavillion.
Dress for comfort.
Shorts exemption in effect.

Depending on your own personal immune and/or vaccination status, you may elect to attend the weekly meetings on Zoom until the current resurgence of the virus resolves itself.

VIRTUAL REVERSE RAFFLE UPDATE

The Fundraising Committee has decided to postpone the in-person event until it is safer to host a major indoor event.

The Reverse Raffle will go on as scheduled on September 25 virtually **via Zoom and Facebook Live**.

Since logging in and watching 300 tickets be drawn is a little monotonous, this year we have decided to split the drawing into two sessions.

The first 250 numbers will be drawn beginning at **1:00 pm** and then paused.

The final 50 numbers will be drawn beginning at **8:00 pm**. The entire event should conclude before 9:00 pm.

We will send out Zoom Invitations to club members and ticket holders as well as a link to our Facebook page for those who prefer to watch via Facebook Live.

URGENT - PLEASE SELL OR RETURN YOUR RAFFLE TICKETS

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ROTARY TAIL GATE PARTY

Name _____

Phone _____

Address _____

Email _____

Number attending _____

Cell Phone _____

10 20 30 40 50 40 30 20 1

With only 2 1/2 weeks left, we need all tickets accounted for by Tuesday September 7.

If you cannot sell yours, please turn them in this week so we can find alternate ways to sell them.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR EFFORTS !

Save the Date

Board Meeting	Tuesday, September 14 11:00am
World Peace Day	Tuesday, September 21
Rotary Virtual Reverse Raffle via Zoom and Facebook Live	Saturday, September 25 1:00pm and 8:00pm
World Polio Day	Sunday, October 24
