

Rotary Club of Gainesville Newsletter



Meeting Location:

First Baptist Church Banquet Hall
751 Green Street
Monday at 12:30 PM
Lunch begins serving at Noon
Founded in 1923

Links

[Club Website](#)
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Club Leaders



[Tommy Howard](#)
President



[Bill Hall](#)
President-Elect



[Joseph Tripp](#)
Secretary



[Christina D. Jones](#)
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Membership Chair



[Lindsay Allison](#)
Public Image Chair



[Michael W. Giles](#)
Rotary Foundation Chair

Joe Pecorelli, Ph.D., University of North Georgia



Joseph ♦Joe♦ D. Pecorelli is an assistant professor of Portuguese and Spanish at the University of North Georgia. He received his PhD in Portuguese from Indiana University in 2018. From Indiana University, he also holds an MA in Portuguese (2012) and an MA in Italian Studies (2008). Additionally, he has an MA in Applied Linguistics (2006) from Ohio University. His research interests include the depiction of immigrants in Brazilian literature and Italian-language writing in Brazil. He is a contributor to ♦The Portuguese Newsletter♦ and has written articles on Brazilian Modernist Ant♦onio de Alc♦antara Machado and the Italian-language press in S♦ao Paulo. On the rare occasions in which he has spare time, Joe enjoys playing pool in his local APA league, working out, and spending time with his cat, Miss Gladys.

Successful Membership Social

Our first membership social of the year was a huge success and, of course, lots of fun! Thank you to Bill Sanders for taking members on a sunset cruise aboard his house boat "Last Dance".





Alison Bagwell Smith
Sergeant-at-Arms



Angela Kay Blackstock
Community Service &
On-To Conference
Chair



Carol M. Colon
Club Admin &
Program Chair



Amy Haralson Kienle
Youth Services Chair



Kim English Marks
Youth Services Co-
Chair & Rotaract
Sponsor



Tom D. Calkins
iPast President



Chad Bingham
Assistant Governor



Join the 10 Million Meal Challenge

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10 Million Meal Challenge

Collaborate with Feeding America Food Banks in Rotary International Zones 33 & 34 to make a lasting impact on ending hunger in the Southeast, where 1 in 5 children go hungry.

SEPTEMBER 16 - 27

A two week, signature "10 Million Meal Challenge" food and fund drive competition will take place from September 16-27 to coincide with Feeding America's Hunger Action Month. During the two week period, Clubs across RI Zones 33 & 34 will donate food and funds to their Feeding America food banks in a collective effort to reach the 10 Million Meal goal.

Clubs will be awarded "meal points" for volunteer hours, food donations and dollars donated during each of the two competition years that started January 2019 and end in September 2020:

In November of each year, a Club winner will be recognized in each Rotary District and one overall District winner will be recognized in each Zone. Club and District winners will be ranked on a per capita basis according to the club's membership at registration.

- ▶ \$1 dollar donated = 4 meal points
- ▶ 1.2 pounds donated = 1 meal points
- ▶ 1 volunteer hour = 10 meal points

WE
NEED
YOU!

Here's how you can help:

1. Donate **foods** to your local food bank.
2. Donate **funds** to your local food bank.
3. **Volunteer** with your local food bank.

For more info on how Rotary Club of Gainesville is participating, please contact Kay Blackstock at kay@gamountainfoodbank.org



Annual Fall Cookout Coming Up Sept. 30th



**Rotary Club of
Gainesville
Annual Fall
Cookout**

**In Honor of
Lewis Coker and
Buck Ward**



SEPT 30, 2019
ROTARY CLUB OF
GAINESVILLE

President Tommy Howard invites you and your family to attend our Annual Fall Cookout. Bring a guest and share the Family of Rotary experience.

We will serve fish, french fries, coleslaw, baked beans, hush puppies and banana pudding. Children can enjoy hot dogs and there will be chicken for non-fish eaters!



6:00-8:00 PM

American Legion
2343 Riverside Drive
Gainesville, GA 30501

Upcoming Schedule

Date	Meeting or Event	Invocation and Pledge
September 2, 2019	No Meeting ♦ Labor Day Holiday	
September 9, 2019	Sonia Hirt, FAICP, PhD, Dean and Hughes Professor in Landscape Architecture and Planning, College of Environment + Design University of Georgia	Kay Blackstock
	Dan Solla, JD, Veteran	

September 16, 2019	Coordinator, PTSD Foundation of America	Bill Hall
September 23, 2019	Dr. Anne Skleder, President of Brenau University	Brian Lackey
September 30, 2019	Annual Fall Cookout	
October 7, 2019	SPLOST VII ♦ Hall County	Christina Jones

Birthdays



[Thomas Field](#)
August 27th



[LaDon T. Shaw](#)
August 29th



[Frank K. Norton Jr. Jr.](#)
August 30th

Wedding Anniversaries



[William Brent Cochran](#)
August 31st



[Hector Luis Colon](#)
September 1st



[Carol M. Colon](#)
September 1st



[Haydee Anderson](#)
September 1st

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