

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



[Bill Hall](#)
President



[Amanda Willis](#)
President - Elect



[Joseph Alan Tripp](#)
Secretary



[Christina D. Jones](#)
Treasurer



[Mike McGraw](#)
Membership Director



[Lindsay Allison](#)
Public Image Director

[Carol M. Colon](#)
Club Administration
Director

Robert and Charlene Hall



Charlene Hall

Charlene has been both a political volunteer and staff member for various campaigns. Charlene was the campaign manager for the late Senator Paul Coverdell in his last race for the Georgia State Senate. In addition, she has had responsibility for recruiting and organizing volunteer workers in several political campaigns. Charlene has served on the National Platform Committee of the Republican Party, and as a delegate to the Republican National Convention.

She has twice served as president of her local chapter of P.E.O., an international philanthropic educational organization. She designed and has led several Rotary training sessions for spouses. A frequent speaker on Rotary's Polio Eradication Initiative including awareness and fundraising efforts, Charlene created a presentation designed for elementary school children on the cause and effects of polio and the need for eradication. In 2006 she participated in a polio National Immunization Day (NID) in Uttar Pradesh, India. She serves as a Regional Director for CART (Coins for Alzheimer's Research Trust). Charlene speaks frequently about the devastation of Alzheimer's Disease and the need to provide seed money for cutting edge innovative research. She is also a Major Donor & Bequest Society Member and in 2017 received the Rotary International Spouse/Partner Service Award for Humanitarian Service.

Charlene has been an active leader, volunteer and fundraiser in many community-based organizations involving at risk youth. She has been a Sunday school teacher, Cub Scout Leader, and volunteered with Hands on Atlanta, the American Red Cross, First Love Kids, the Atlanta Day Shelter for Women & Children and the Salvation Army.

Charlene is married to Robert Hall. The Halls are active members of their church, have taught Sunday School and been involved with youth programs. Robert has served as Chair of the Finance Committee and Chair of the Board of Deacons. Robert and Charlene have 3 children and 7 grandchildren.



Michael W. Giles
Rotary Foundation
Director



Zachary T. Propes
Rotary Foundation
Vice Director



Alison Bagwell Smith
Sergeant-at-Arms &
Public Image Vice
Director



Kathleen Owen
Service Projects
Director



Nancy Jo Zimmer
Club Administration
Vice Director



Amy Haralson Kienle
Youth Services
Director



Kim English Marks
Youth Services Vice
Director



Tommy Howard
iPast President



Chad Bingham
Assistant Governor



Robert Hall

Robert is a graduate of the Georgia Institute of Technology and received his MBA from Tulane University. He retired from the IBM Corporation and owns HRH Consulting, specializing in Executive, Management & Professional Consulting, Search & Career Coaching.

Robert has been a member of the Rotary Clubs of Brunswick, GA, Milwaukee WI and Baton Rouge La.

He is now a member of the Rotary Club of Dunwoody, GA and an honorary member of the Rotary Club of Atlanta, GA. Robert has served Rotary International as Director, on the Board's Executive Committee, Chair of the 2017 Atlanta International Convention Host Committee, member of the 2017 Rotary International Convention Committee, the 2017 Rotary Foundation 100th Celebration Committee and Chair of the Rotary Action Groups, Audit and Global Engagement & Service Groups committees. He has been a Council on Legislation representative, District Rotary Foundation Chair, End Polio Now Coordinator, the Director Nominating Committee and International President Nominating Committee. He has represented the RI President at district conferences & been a keynote speaker in several states and countries for Rotary & other organizations. Robert has participated in several international projects and led a National Immunization Day team to Uttar Pradesh, India. He is currently Vice Chair of the End Polio Now: Countdown to History Committee.

Robert is a Major Donor & Bequest Society member and a member of the Arch Klumph Society Circle of Honor. He has received the Service Above Self Award, the Citation for Meritorious Service, the Distinguished Service Award and the Regional & International Awards for a Polio-free World. He was President of the Georgia Tech National Alumni Association, Trustee of the Georgia Tech Foundation, and received Georgia Tech's prestigious Dean Griffin Community Service Award. He served on the boards of Communities in Schools of Georgia, the Georgia YMCA, the Ferst Foundation for Childhood Literacy, the United Way, President of the DeKalb County Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Secretary of the Better Business Bureau, and in an advisory role to Oglethorpe University and MedShare International.

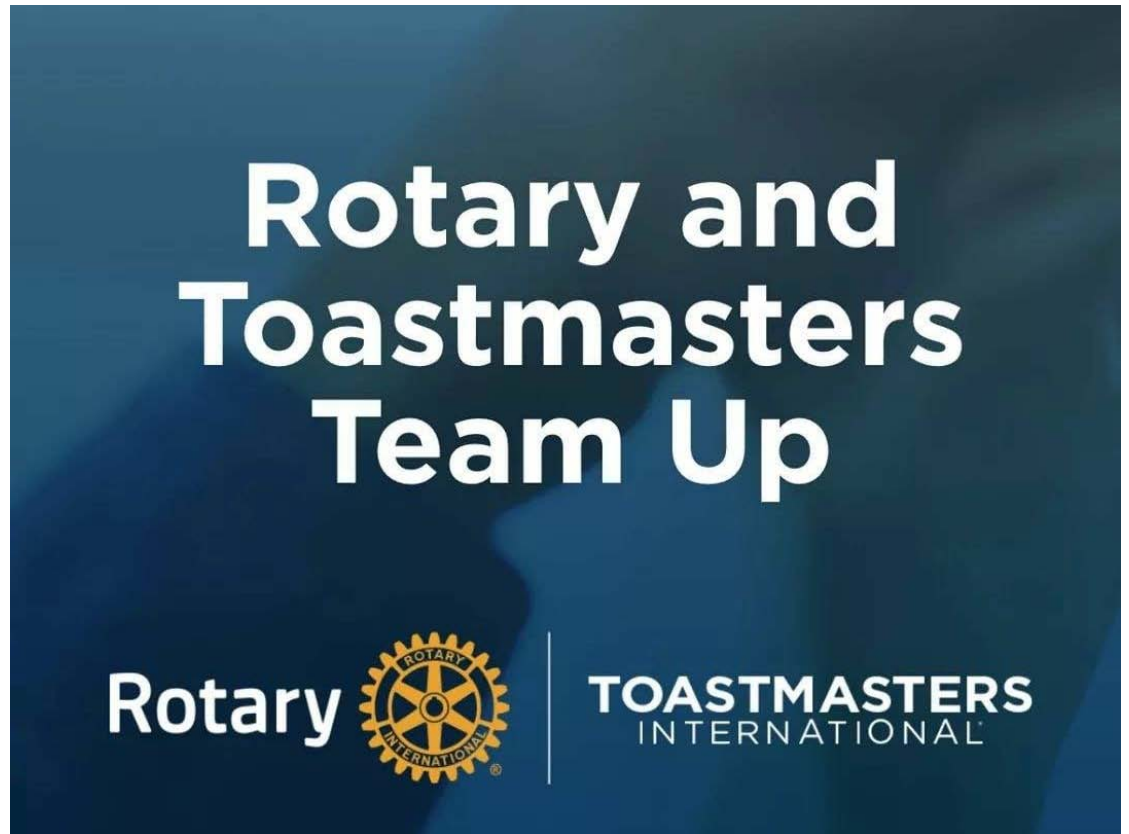
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Rotary Celebrates 20 Years of ShelterBox





Rotary International Teams Up with Toastmasters



Toastmasters and Rotary partner to help members grow professionally and make a difference in their communities

Members of Toastmasters and Rotary will enhance their skills, broaden their networks and increase their positive impact in communities through a new collaboration.

The ongoing relationship between the two organizations will begin at the grassroots level with local club members learning and working together. Additionally, Toastmasters will create a set of eight structured communication and leadership development courses for Rotary with a phased rollout that will be available in English in 2020, and in more languages in 2021.

◆The strategic alliance with Rotary is exciting and allows both organizations to leverage our unique and similar strengths,◆ says Deepak Menon, Toastmasters' 2019-20 International President. ◆We look forward to providing our current and prospective members with ongoing additional offerings that meet their evolving needs....◆

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About Toastmasters International: Toastmasters International is a worldwide nonprofit educational organization that empowers individuals to become more effective communicators and leaders. Headquartered in Englewood, Colo., the organization's membership exceeds 358,000 in more than 16,800 clubs in 143 countries. Since 1924, Toastmasters International has helped people from diverse backgrounds become more confident speakers, communicators and leaders. For information about local Toastmasters clubs, please visit www.toastmasters.org. Follow [@Toastmasters](https://twitter.com/Toastmasters) on Twitter.

July is New Leadership Month



Upcoming Tentative Schedule

Date	Meeting or Event	Location
August 3, 2020	Evening Meeting Social 6:00 pm ♦ 8:00 pm Spouses and guests invited	American Legion Pavilion 2343 Riverside Dr., Gainesville, GA 30501
August 10, 2020	BOD Meeting ♦ 11:00 am	ZOOM Meeting
August 10, 2020	NO MEETING	
August 17, 2020	Hybrid Meeting Annual Farm Family Appreciation Day honoring Gilbert and Donna Barrett Featured speaker: Dr. Mark A. McCann, Assistant Dean for Extension, UGA	Gainesville Civic Center Chattahoochee Room
August 31, 2020	Hybrid Meeting Gainesville Police Chief Jay Parrish and Hall County Sheriff Gerald Couch	Gainesville Civic Center Chattahoochee Room
September 7, 2020	NO MEETING - Labor Day Holiday	

Birthdays

[Nancy Jo Zimmer](#)
July 28th

[Christine M. Slate](#)
July 28th



Wedding Anniversaries



[Ayham Yousef](#)
[Haddad](#)
July 28th

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