





Suleima Salgado  
August 21st



Rich Bartolotta  
August 24th



**CART FUND - The CART JAR Challenge**

Terry Swaim encouraged us to get creative in raising funds while we continue to meet virtually. He suggested that we have a CART JAR (mason jar, high ball glass, bowl, etc.) in our office and/or home to collect our daily "extra change" while encouraging others to do the same. Terry requests that we bring our change to our next in-person meeting to be placed in our blue CART Fund buckets. A small amount can quickly add up!

**Derek Higgs - Classification Talk**

Derek Higgs is the Co-Founder of Higgs Leadership Development which is an organization designed to expand the capacity of individuals within their respectful organizations as well as their own aspiration. This is accomplished through keynote speaking, coaching, and the use of assessment tools and workshops. His wife of 12 years, Robyn, is also the Co-Founder of the organization and they have recently built Sapphire Youth Development Center to assist in developing youth and advancing their futures. Together, they have a blended family and one grandchild. And all their children, except Derek's daughter is at least six feet tall.

An unapologetical NY Giants and Yankees fan, Derek was born in Brooklyn and raised in Queens. He graduated from Bryant University in Rhode Island. A few fun facts about Derek: he played basketball while in college and was an intern on Wall Street. He had dabbled into modeling and acting, and has modeled for his daughter's talent agency but says the sweater tied over the shoulder is not his look.

Thank you, Derek for allowing us to take a sneak peek into your world. Welcome to our club - we are happy to have you in the Rotary Family!

**Program Speakers Needed**

Start putting on your thinking caps! Each member needs to think of people in their contacts who might have new and interesting subjects in science, business, education, public-awareness, charities, politics, literature, entertainment, etc. Send speaker suggestions to our new Program Chair, Scott Jordan.

In addition, if you would you like to participate in a roundtable discussion of what our club members have learned about working remotely, please let Scott and Terry know that too. Many thanks in advance for your input!

**Rotarian of the Month**

If you know of a member that deserves to be recognized as Rotarian of the Month, send submissions and recommendations to Terry Swaim.

**Rotarians Stand for Peace and Unity on September 21st**

Georgia Rotarians are gathering at Rotary Peace Poles across the state on September 21, 2020 to recognize the International Day of Peace. Our club, along with Lawrenceville, Duluth and Gwinnett Sunrise will gather at the Rotary International Peace Pole on Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup> on the Lawrenceville Lawn, located at the corner of Jackson Street and Luckie Street.

This event will be held both in person and virtually, and will feature speakers from across the state, a Duke/UNC Rotary Peace Fellow, Rotary District Peace Scholar and more. More details to come as they become finalized but go ahead and mark your calendars now to attend if your schedule allows.



*Will you stand with us for peace and unity in our communities?*

**Update Your Calendars:**

In the interest of everyone's health and knowing social distancing would be a huge challenge, our End of the Year Party that is scheduled for July 29th at AC Myers has been postponed to late August or September. Details will become available as soon as can determine it is safe to gather together.

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