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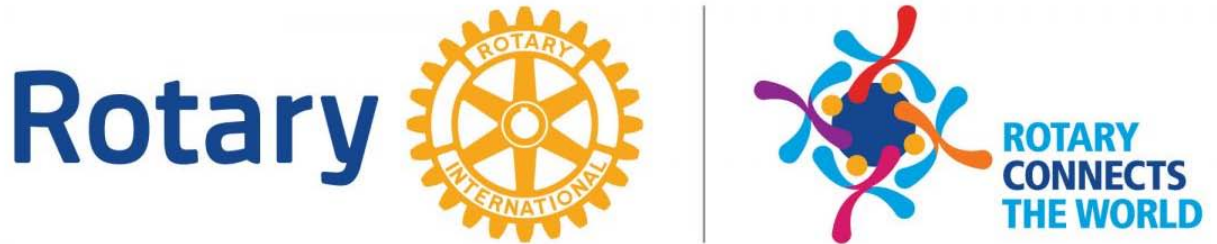


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Service Projects Chair



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**About Rotary**



Rotary International is an international service organization whose stated purpose is to bring together business and professional leaders in order to provide humanitarian service and to advance goodwill and peace around the world. There are 34,282 member clubs worldwide, representing 200 countries and 1.2 million members.

RI President-elect Mark Daniel Maloney's theme for 2019-20, *Rotary Connects the World*, asks Rotarians to strengthen the many ways that Rotary Connects the World, building the connections that allow talented, thoughtful, and generous people to unite and take meaningful action through Rotary service.

**Upcoming Programs**

**Upcoming Rotary Program: Club Assembly**



**Upcoming Programs:**

- August 6 - Terry Welscher - Citizens Climate Lobby
- August 13 - Jason McCarthy - Arbor Pharmaceuticals
- August 20 - Brandy Swanson - Smith And Howard
- August 27 - Donna Hall - Atlanta Journal Constitution
- September 3 - Lisa Anders - Explore Gwinnett
- September 10 - Ken O'Kelley - YMCA Summer Camp

**Recap of Last Week**

A special thank you to Sean Brown, President and COO of SnapTech IT for a very informative presentation. He reminded us of all the hackers we hear about. Ransomware is now commonly known and he believes we are all in a cyberwar. The cost of cyber crime is immense. Cyber attacks can be extremely expensive - the 2018 incident in Atlanta cost the City \$10 million, not to mention there are added costs to clean it all up.

Chair  
 Adam Frangos  
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**Birthdays**

Tyler Phillips  
 July 18th

Sherwin M. Levinson  
 July 24th

David Edward McCulloch  
 July 27th

Matthew Holtkamp  
 July 28th

Louise Radloff  
 August 4th

Chris Dooley  
 August 7th

Jasper Watkins III  
 August 10th

Bobby Robinett  
 August 11th

Joe Godfrey  
 August 11th

Cyber attacks come primarily in 3 forms:

- a. Social Engineering ♦ Phishing emails, Spearphishing, Phone-vishing, and tailgating, USB (some USBs have malware installed on them)
- b. CEO ♦ fraud
- c. Malware
- d. Dark web ♦ an online market place where criminals sell information

Mr. Brown told us there are more than 350,000 malware programs created each and every day, and many are state-sponsored. Also, over 30,000 websites get hacked each day. Most of these hackers are extremely sophisticated now and very clever. Business owners need to have systems set up in place for protection against cyber crimes.

He shared with us that most of the hackers ♦ communications can be recognized by their ♦sense of urgency♦. So every time you feel like there is somewhat of an urgency to an email, stop and think about this, and do not click on the links.

He provided us a checklist to decrease our risk:

- The National Institute of Standards in Technology (NIST) created a Cybersecurity Framework and Mr. Brown offered to provide a Cyber Risk Assessment and Security Awareness Training if interested.
- Manage third party vendors. Make sure they have ONLY the information they need.
- IOT awareness. There are lots of connections to the internet in our homes and we need to realize each one is a potential risk point.
- Hardware/software inventory
- Develop an incident response plan
- Create a data and equipment disposal policy
- Develop a disaster recovery plan
- Have an enterprise firewall
- Have an image-based backup system and disaster recovery solution
- Manage anti-virus and anti-ransomware options and make sure they are up to date
- Patching ♦ Adobe, Shockwave are examples
- Email and spam management
- Always use Two-Factor Authentication
- Limit administrator accounts/access
- Physical security
- Remote access
- Be careful with public wifi

Sean said that everyone can get free antiware for their home at <https://home.Sophos.com>. He also stated that if any of us wanted a free risk assessment, to contact him.



**New Member Induction** Tom Upchurch inducted our newest member, Mike Smith. He is our Club's 103<sup>rd</sup> Rotary member. Congratulations, Mike! We are happy to have you with us!



**Special Recognition** Wayne Ellison, on behalf of The United Way presented an award to Past President, Mark Willis in recognition of our Club's charitable contributions.



#### Save The Date!

The Rotary Club of Gwinnett County will recognize a Hidden Hero tomorrow. Each year Gwinnett County Public Schools selects one Bus Driver who represents "Service Above Self" to be recognized as our Hidden Hero. This will take place tomorrow, Monday, July 29th between 11:00 -12:00 at Hebron Baptist Church: 202 Hebron Church Road in Dacula. Rotarians are welcome to join us for the presentation.

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## 2019-2020 AVENUES OF SERVICE GRANT APPLICATION

NOW ACCEPTING GRANT APPLICATIONS

This year, the Rotary Club of Gwinnett County will accept applications to determine eligible non-profits to be considered for selection as the charitable recipients of the proceeds raised via the Club's Derby Down South fundraising event to be held May 2, 2020. Three non-profit beneficiaries will be selected to receive grants to support their work in the Gwinnett community specifically focused on addressing poverty, food insecurity, homelessness and human sex trafficking. We ask that members please share this grant application with non-profit organizations that you work closely with that you would like to be considered. Applications will be accepted July 1-August 30, 2019. For questions, please reach out to Paige Havens.



[Application Link](#)

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Gwinnett County  
Meets at The 1818 Club

Time: Tuesday at 12:00 PM