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# **THE ROTARY CLUB OF MACON THROBS**

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**September 13, 2021**  
**Central City Apartments & Affordable Housing**  
**Mike Austin**

**\*\*\*\*\*Zoom Only Meeting starts 12:30\*\*\*\*\***

## **FUTURE MONDAY PROGRAMS approved by the Board of Directors**

### **September**

20 Ocmulgee River User's Guide Joe Cook  
27 TBD

### **October**

4 District Governor 6920 Ed Presnell  
11 No Meeting Columbus Day Holiday  
18 TBD  
25 Atrium Health Macon Delvecchio Finley, CEO

### **November**

1 End of Life and Estate Planning Kathryn Dennis  
8 No Meeting Veteran's Day  
15 Crimestoppers Program More info later  
22 No Meeting Thanksgiving  
29 Macon's Stained Glass Susan Welsh

### **December**

6 No Meeting Christmas Party  
13 Burdell Hunt Christmas Event  
20 No Meeting Christmas Holiday  
27 No Meeting New Year's Holiday

# MONDAY MEETING TIME CHANGE SEPTEMBER 13<sup>th</sup>

Bell Rings at 12:30pm – Meeting ends 1:30pm  
Mark your calendar for September 13th

## MEETING September 6, 2021

Attendance: Zoom %  
CART Collection \$0  
Club Membership 148

No meeting held due to Labor Day Holiday

## Donations to Rotary Foundation and CART

Club members can make donations to The Rotary Foundation or the CART Fund online using credit cards or EFT. These can be made in memory of, honor of, or personal donations. They can be setup as recurring or one time. Follow these easy steps:

**The Rotary Foundation:** Go to <http://rotary.org/> If you have never signed in you will need to register so it credits your Paul Harris Fellow account and our Club. You may need our District number 6920 and club number 4202. Once registered you can SIGN IN to MY ROTARY then click DONATE button in upper right. Check the area ANNUAL FUND or POLIO PLUS to donate, then just follow easy steps to make payment.

**CART FUND:** <https://mycartfund.org/Login.cfm> follow the online instructions. You will need our **Club number 4202** and **District number 6920**.

## Vocational Spotlight

See <http://maconrotary.com/vocational-spotlight.php> to read more information on Rotarians featured monthly on our website <http://maconrotary.com> If you would like to be included in a Vocational Spotlight, please contact Danny Gibson.

## Dates to Remember

September 21

Board Meeting 6PM Idle Hour Club

## Approved Makeups-Family of Rotary Events

### Reminder - Makeups can only be used 2 weeks before or after a missed meeting

When requested	Viewing of Monday meeting recorded on Zoom	See current Throbs link
Anytime	Rotary Project or Rotary Committee Meeting	
Anytime	Volunteer at Volunteer Clinic	
	Warming Center	
	Backpack Buddies	

## Club Membership Applications

Our club is using a new online (no paper) membership application. Contact Membership Chair Kris Vaughn <mailto:krishvaughn@gmail.com> or any board member or officer or the Club Administrator. All we need is the potential members name and email address to send an application to them for the potential member to complete and submit online.

All members of our club need to think about who would make good Rotarians. There are many classifications that could be filled. If you know of someone, check with Kathryn Dennis, Classification Chair first to make sure there are no conflicts with other members. The process is easy and rewarding to bring in new members.

[www.maconrotary.com](http://www.maconrotary.com)

## Excused Absence

Members have the opportunity to receive a board approved Excused Absence during a long-term family, health, or business crisis. When a member realizes they have a situation that will keep them from attending Monday meetings for an extended period they can contact the Club Administrator or President with the reason. This contact needs to be immediate and not after the crisis. The board can approve a beginning and ending date and attendance is excused on club and district level. Short term absences are best made up online as indicated below.

## HOW TO MAKE UP MISSED MEETINGS

Please make up missed meetings to help our club's attendance percentage rank with District 6920 and Rotary International. Our attendance is reported each month to the district and is required to be reported before the 15<sup>th</sup> of the following month. **Members are required to maintain an attendance average of 60%.**

Missed meetings must be made up **14 days before or after the meeting you miss**, it is in our club's Constitution!

You can make up from the comfort of your home or office online at <http://rotaryclubone.org/> They will email a notice of the makeup to the Club Administrator and you will be credited.

When you make up using the **Zoom link** of our meetings listed in meeting summary above or makeup in person at another club please send an email immediately afterwards to the Club Administrator, [cecilcoke210@gmail.com](mailto:cecilcoke210@gmail.com) so your makeup can be recorded. Do not expect the club where you make up to report to our club.