



Rotary Opens Opportunities

## Club Meeting

South Jacksonville  
Meets on Tuesdays via Zoom  
Social time begins at 12:00 PM  
Meeting begins at 12:30 PM

## Events

- September 1st  
[Anthony Austin, news anchor](#)
- September 8th  
[Labor Day week-no lunch meeting](#)

## Birthdays



[William M Traer, III](#)  
September 3rd



[Randy Gordon](#)  
September 5th



[George F Armstrong](#)  
September 7th



[Marcus E. Drewa](#)  
September 7th



[Rob Gatta](#)  
September 8th



[P Tom A. Ranney](#)  
September 8th

[William H. Harrell](#)

## Welcome Anthony Austin

By Mike Shewey on Friday, August 28, 2020



### Anthony Austin, Anchor First Coast News

In elementary school, Anthony's music teacher cast him as a news anchor in a school play, because she thought he resembled NBC Today Show Host Bryant Gumbel. I guess you can say...the rest is history. Anthony Austin joined First Coast News in January 2016 as an anchor and reporter. He now anchors the evening newscasts with Jeannie Blaylock and Heather Crawford. He headed to the sunshine state after spending two years as the primary anchor at Time Warner Cable News in Raleigh, North Carolina.

Anthony grew up in East Texas. He graduated from the University of North Texas, where he majored in Broadcast Journalism and minored in Social Science. For nearly six years, Anthony was an anchor and reporter at the CBS affiliate in his hometown of Tyler. He worked his way up from weekend anchor to the anchor of the 5 p.m. news while he was there. Anthony's most memorable assignment was visiting Iraq. For a week, Anthony spent time with the soldiers of Fort Hood as they prepared to come home. He told their stories, and showed viewers back home in Texas, what they were doing for our country and for the people of Iraq. Anthony was there as they returned home to their loved ones.

Anthony enjoys volunteering in the community. He is on the Board of Directors for the American Diabetes Association and a mentor with the "Take Stock in Children" program. Outside of work, Anthony is a lover of good food and company. You can find him enjoying the restaurants and beautiful beaches in the Jacksonville area.

## Lunches for Teachers

By Mike Shewey on Friday, August 28, 2020

South Jacksonville Rotary provided lunches for teachers at Hendricks Ave Elementary School in appreciation.



## Membership Minute



### THE CLASSIFICATION PRINCIPLE

Virtually all membership in Rotary was based upon a "classification." Basically a classification describes the distinct and recognized business or professional service which the Rotarian renders to society.

The principle of Rotary classification is somewhat more specific and precise. In determining the classification of a Rotarian it is necessary to look at the "principal or recognized business or professional activity of the firm, company or institution" with which an active member is connected or "that which covers his principal and recognized business or professional activity." It should be clearly understood



September 9th



PP [Bill R. Jaycox](#)  
September 10th



[Erin Perry](#)  
September 12th



[John R. Pope](#)  
September 23rd



[Andrea Hartley-Myers](#)  
September 27th

that classifications are determined by activities or services to society rather than by the position held by a particular individual. In other words, if a person is the president of a bank, he or she is not classified as "bank president" but under the classification "banking."

It is the principal and recognized activity of a business or professional establishment or the individual's principal and recognized business or professional activity that determines the classification to be established and loaned to a qualified person. For example, the permanently employed electrical engineer, insurance adjuster, or business manager of a railroad company, mining company, manufacturing concern, hospital, clinic, etc., may be considered for membership as a representative of the particular work he or she may be doing personally or as a representative of the firm, company, or institution for which the professional service is being done.

The classification principle also permits business and industries to be separated into distinct functions such as manufacturing, distributing, retailing and servicing. Classifications may also be specified as distinct and independent divisions of a large corporation or university within the club's territory, such as a school of business or a school of engineering.

Though the classification principle is not as dominant as it once was it is still important that we make an effort to assure that each Rotary club represents a cross section of the business and professional service of the community.

## Club Anniversaries

### Years of Service



PP [Allan P. Clark](#)  
09-30-1980  
40 Years



[Vic J. Zambetti](#)  
09-10-1991  
29 Years



PP [Robert M. Harris](#)  
09-19-2000  
20 Years



[Greg Anderson](#)  
09-13-2011  
9 Years



[Michelle Kalil](#)  
09-15-2015  
5 Years



[Leslie Redd](#)  
09-22-2015  
5 Years



[Tamara Baker](#)  
09-17-2019  
1 Year

## Wedding Anniversaries



PE [Richard Dow](#)  
August 28th



PP [Jay Plotkin](#)  
September 8th

## This Week in History

By Mike Shewey on Friday, August 28, 2020

### **Bobby Fischer becomes the first American to win the World Chess Championship**

On September 1, 1972, in what ♠s billed as the ♠Match of the Century, ♠ American chess grandmaster Bobby Fischer defeats Russian Boris Spassky during the World Chess Championship in Reykjavik, Iceland.

In the world ♠s most publicized title match ever played, Fischer, a 29-year-old Brooklynite, became the first American to win the competition since its inception in 1866. The victory also marked the first time a non-Russian had won the event in 24 years.

Fischer, who started playing chess professionally at age 8, won the U.S. Open Championship when he was 14 (he would go on to win it seven more times) and became the world ♠s youngest international grandmaster at age 15.

Fischer ♠s skills and age ♠and demanding, arrogant attitude ♠made him a pop culture phenomenon. He became the subject of books and movies and even inspired a song, ♠The Ballad of Bobby Fischer. ♠

## Club Leaders



[Tom A. Ranney](#)  
President



[Richard Dow](#)  
President - Elect



[Charlie G. Cofer](#)  
Treasurer/Secretary



[Greg Anderson](#)  
Sergeant-at-Arms  
International Service  
Ave Dir



[David M. Armentrout](#)  
Club Director  
Fundraiser Chair



[Bea Fore](#)  
RI & District Awards  
Chair  
iPast President



PP [Gary L. Wilkinson](#)  
Club Service Ave Dir



[Lisamarie Winslow](#)  
Mentor & Training  
Chair  
Vocational Service  
Ave Dir



PP [Vicki-lyne Gloger](#)  
Community Service  
Ave Dir



[Julia Kalinski](#)  
Youth Services Ave  
Dir



[Crystal Broughan](#)  
Rotary Foundation  
Chair



[Bill Langley](#)  
Membership Chair  
Past President



[Janet Reagor](#)  
Assistant Governor



[Julia Kalinski](#)  
September 25th