

# Rotary

## Club Mecklenburg County South, Charlotte, NC



[www.mecksouthrotary.org](http://www.mecksouthrotary.org)

**Home Club of District Governor Beth Trotter 2019-2020**

### Classroom Central School Supply Drive

By Jill Bastian on Wednesday, August 7, 2019

### Meck South Rotary Classroom Central School Supply Drive August 9-23

Mecklenburg South Rotary will be hosting a school supply drive collaborating with Classroom Central. Classroom Central serves more than 127,000 students and their teachers across 6 school districts in 199 high-poverty schools. Their mission is to equip students in need to effectively learn by collecting and distributing free school supplies to their teachers.

For thousands of children, basic learning tools are a luxury. In fact, more than 50% of the students in Charlotte-Mecklenburg, Iredell-Statesville, City of Kannapolis, Union, Gaston, and Lancaster, SC school districts come from families that can't afford lunch, let alone school supplies.

Moved by this need and the fact that teachers, on average, spend \$500 - \$1000 out of their own pockets each year to provide basic supplies for their students, the Charlotte Chamber and the Carolina Panthers founded Classroom Central in 2002.

1. The AmazonSmile Foundation donates 0.5% of eligible purchases prices back to charitable organizations, such as Mecklenburg County South Rotary.

2. There is no AmazonSmile app.

3. Sign in to **smile.amazon.com** on your desktop or mobile phone browser.

4. From your desktop, go to Your Account from the navigation at the top of any page, and then select the option to Change your Charity.

#### Club Meeting

Mecklenburg County-South  
Meets at Another Broken Egg Restaurant  
11324 N. Community House Rd.  
Charlotte, NC 28277  
Time: Friday at 07:15 AM

#### Speakers

**August 09, 2019**

[Christopher Kubala](#)  
Political Corruption

**August 16, 2019**

[TBA](#)

**August 23, 2019**

[TBA](#)

**August 30, 2019**

[President Julie Nee](#)  
Club Assembly

#### Club Leaders



[Julie W. Nee](#)  
President



[Daniel Z. Fogarty](#)  
President-Elect



[Lawrence A. Kraujalis](#)  
Secretary



[Bryan E. Cochran](#)  
Rotary Foundation Chair  
Treasurer



[Jon C. Hall](#)  
President-Nominee  
Club Programs Chair



[Wallace E. Olson Jr.](#)  
Bulletin Editor



[June Thoreson-Rogers](#)  
Public Relations Chair



[Richard R. Bowden](#)  
Sergeant-at-Arms



[William W. Woodruff](#)  
Membership Chair

5.

Select new charitable organization to support: Mecklenburg County South Rotary

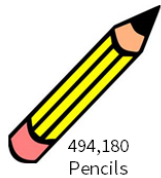
As you begin ordering, **make certain the items you are purchasing state:** Eligible for **amazon smile** donation.

Here is the link to consider Classroom Central School Supplies:

<https://www.classroomcentral.org/get-involved/donate-supplies/>

If you have any questions please contact Jill Bastian. 407-920-5028 or [bastianjill@gmail.com](mailto:bastianjill@gmail.com)

## Most Needed Items:



494,180  
Pencils



22,808  
Packs of Markers



296,508  
Highlighters



148,254  
Glue Sticks



247,090  
Packs of Filler Paper

# 1.8 Million Supplies!



494,180  
Composition Books



22,808  
Packs of Colored Pencils



49,418  
Scissors



26,611  
Packs of Crayons

### Board Meeting Agenda:

By Julie W. Nee on Wednesday, August 7, 2019

Board Meeting Agenda:

- Vote on new members ♦ James Pagano and Thomas Rollek
- Align on FY calendar and ♦ no meeting ♦ dates
- SAW grant next steps
- Approve Blessings in a Backpack
- Classroom Central School Supply drive/Amazon Smile
- Ways to drive CART donations
- Align on Foundation Celebration budget
- Discuss/align on Club Trainer
- Roundtable ♦ all club leaders

### 078-09-2019 Bulletin Info

Welcome Meck South Members & Guest

August 2019 - Membership & Extension Month



Jill Bastian  
Club Service Chair



Edward Levoe Tillman  
iPast President



Linda Rakvic  
Assistant Governor -  
Mecklenburg County South

### Events

August 9th  
**Club Meeting**

August 16th  
**Club Meeting**

August 23rd  
**Club Meeting**

August 30th  
**Club Meeting**

### Birthdays

Lawrence A Kraujalis  
August 10th

Debra L. Corbett  
August 14th

Wallace E. Olson Jr.  
August 21st

Alan L. Davidson  
August 23rd

Joanne Stanley Brown  
August 28th

Jill Bastian  
August 30th

June Thoreson-Rogers  
September 3rd

Winifred Ereyi  
September 4th

### Wedding Anniversaries

J. Scott Pavlish  
August 11th

Frederick Clay Ferguson  
August 16th

John R. Potter  
August 18th

Nancy L. Roberts  
August 22nd

### Years of Service

Alan L. Davidson  
09-01-2004  
15 Years

Robert W. Bugg  
08-19-2011  
8 Years

Bryan E. Cochran  
08-16-2013  
6 Years

Winifred Ereyi  
09-02-2016  
3 Years

Jon C Hall  
08-11-2017  
2 Years

Raychelle Stafford Robinson  
08-11-2017  
2 Years

Kim Bolt-Davidson  
08-11-2017  
2 Years

Jacob C. Elgin  
08-11-2017  
2 Years

Rodney J Holtzmuller  
08-24-2018  
1 Year



7:15 am Social time  
7:35 am Welcome Club President

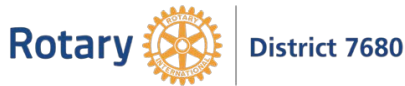
Invocation & Pledge by **Joni Brown**  
Visitors & Rotary Guests  
Birthdays & Anniversaries  
Health & Happiness  
Announcements

*Today's Program*  
*Check listing to your right under Speakers or go to*  
[mecksouthrotary.org](http://mecksouthrotary.org)

8:25 am Is Elvis in the House?  
8:28 am The 4-Way Test  
8:30 am Adjourn

Todd Greene has signed us up for serving at the Men's shelter every fourth Tuesday of the month. We need to be at 3410 Statesville Avenue Men's Shelter by 5:50p.m. and will promptly finish at 7:00 p.m. There are a maximum of 6 spaces. Bring a baseball hat if you don't want to wear a hairnet. [Mens Shelter Sign Up Link](#)

#### District Events



DG Beth Trotter Installation dinner at Ballantyne Hotel, June 29, 2019, 6:00 PM  
All Meck South members were sent an invitation to this event. For more info, contact Janet Newton.

#### DGE Beth Trotter District Conference is a Cruise, sign up early

[RotaryDistrictConferenceRegistration-2020](#) Click link to register

Questions, contact Christina Beckmann, Travel Consultant, at [christina@forestlaketravel.com](mailto:christina@forestlaketravel.com)

or Lorena Prince (Rotarian at The Queen City Club) [garzalster@gmail.com](mailto:garzalster@gmail.com)

Click here to see the video from DGE Beth Trotter [2020 Conference Promo Video](#)

Note: Registration is done directly through the travel agent, you'll have to provide payment at time of registration.



**BOARD:**  
Directors: Daniel Beckmann, Alan Davidson, Sandy Darst and Kelly Gaines  
Sgt @ Arms: Dick Bowden

Secretary: Larry Kraujalis  
IPP: Edward Tillman  
PE: Daniel Fogarty  
Pres Nominee: Jon Hall  
Treasurer: Bryan Cochran

**Committees:**  
Membership: Bill Woodruff and Sally Jane as Co-Leads, Adam Snelling and Daniel F on committee  
Public Relations: June Rogers  
Rotary Foundation: Bryan Cochran  
Service: Jill Bastian and Tameka Brantley as Co-Leads  
Social: Raychelle Robinson and Todd Greene as Co-Leads  
Club Admin: Jay Bastian  
Programs: Jon Hall