

Rotary



Club of Waxhaw-Weddington

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The Summer Newsletter

*Summer breeze makes me feel fine
Blowin' through the jasmine in my mind
Summer breeze makes me feel fine
Blowin' though the jasmine in my mind - Seals & Crofts*



Hybrid Meetings!

Hybrid meetings are now in effect. Whether you prefer to attend virtually or in person, it is always a great Thursday morning. Masks are optional and at individual discretion.

To participate in person:

Weddington Swim & Raquet Club
4315 Weddington Matthews Rd, Weddington, NC 28104

To participate virtually:

[Click to join Zoom meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 788 2144 2471
Passcode: 222910

At this new location volunteers are needed each week to:

- Set up and tear down tables and chairs
- Pick up breakfast
- Deliver any leftover breakfast to Waxhaw Police Department

Remember: Many hands make light work!

Announcements

Service Volunteer Update By Lisa Hilbisch

August is a busy month for us to make a difference in our community. Please check out the volunteer opportunities for August and let Lisa know where you can help. Thank you!

- **August 5th (THURSDAY)** - Common Heart Food Pantry Service- **(5:45-8:00)**

Our Rotary club partners with The Common Heart Mobile Food Pantry at the Union UMC the first Thursday of every month. This is part of the Rotary #FEED10MILLION campaign. We unload the truck, organize the items, and pass out much needed food supplies to local families. This is one of our ongoing volunteer opportunities and we need 6 volunteers. Please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up.

Location: Union United Methodist Church 6315 New Town Rd, Waxhaw, NC 28173

[Sign up here!](#)

- **August 14th (SATURDAY)** - Waxhaw Police Department and Waxhaw Community Back to School Bash **(10:30 - 2:00)**

This annual event provides free clothing, shoes, groceries, backpacks, school supplies and lunch to kids and families. We volunteer where needed that day. Please let Lisa know if you can make it.

Location: Waxhaw Elementary School, 1101 Providence Rd., Waxhaw

- **August 19th (THURSDAY)** - Board Meeting after regular meeting & In place of Thirsty Thursday we are having a meet and greet with local businesses at: Waxhaw Tap House from 5:30-8:30 - food and drinks supplied. Please **RSVP** here, on





Assistant
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Events

August 11th
**Youth Services
Committee Monthly
Meeting**

August 19th
**Thirsty Thursday
Local Meet and
Greet**

Birthdays

Michael Webber
July 9th
Cristina Tisa Capello
July 9th
Sherry McNitt-McCoy
July 14th
Alicia Campbell
July 16th

Years of Service

Don K. Fisher
07-15-2013
8 Years
Shana Lena Halajian
07-09-2015
6 Years
Paula Jeanne Smith
07-09-2015
6 Years
Myra Rowell
07-07-2016
5 Years
Michael Webber
07-25-2019
2 Years

the Event in the banner at the left of the newsletter or on DACdb

- August 28th (SATURDAY) ♦ United Way Day of Caring (8:00-11:00)

This event illustrates the power of uniting volunteers, organizations and resources to make a difference in our community. Volunteers help disabled or elderly members take care of their yard work (mowing, trimming, weeding, washing windows, pruning, etc.). Larry Hook is organizing this for us and he will know who we will be helping on August 8th. He needs at least 10 volunteers. Please let Larry or Lisa know if you can help.

Location: TBD

- , August 29th (SUNDAY) - Union County Community Shelter (11:00-1:00)

We have signed up to make lunch and Sherry and Michael McCoy will be leading our team. The shelter allows for 4 volunteers so we are looking for 2 more. We serve lunch at noon so you will need to be there at 11:00.

Location: 160 Meadow Street, Monroe

If you have any announcements for the newsletter, send those to **Kate Turner at kturner2991@gmail.com** by end of day Sunday.

The Weekly Agenda

Welcome Waxhaw-Weddington Rotarians and Guests! Thursday, July 29th

7:30am	Breakfast and Social Time	
7:35am	Welcome	Marcus Watson (See Schedule)
7:40am	Invocation & Pledge	Athanasios Koutsaftis New Member Committee Chairs Members
	Guest Introductions	Nancy McCoy Duncan (See Schedule)
	Health & Happiness	All
	Announcements	Marcus Watson
7:55am	Happy Dollars	
8:05am	Introduce Program	
	Program	
	For the Good of Rotary	
	The 4-Way Test	
8:30am	Adjourn	
	Room clean up	

Invocation & Pledge Schedule

If you are scheduled to give the Invocation & Pledge but can not make that meeting, if you would please try to find someone to sub for you, we would greatly appreciate it!

Date	Member Name
July 29th	Kim Angeli
August 5th	Ulanda Baker
August 12th	Ashley Bode
August 19th	Christopher Brantigan

Speaker Schedule

Date	Topic	Speaker
July 29th	Local Union County Artist - His life, his art, his inspiration	Bill Colt
August 5th	The Independence Fund - Champion for America's Veterans	Sara Verardo
August 12th	Waxhaw Police Foundation	Earl Cook
August 19th	Chefs for Seniors - Rachel's Kindness Matters Movement	Cynthia Schick

Are you Reading the Newsletter?

By Kate Turner

The **first five people** who come up to me at thursday morning Rotary and say the code phrase "District Conference" will get a club raffle ticket.

District Conference

District Conference - Charlotte, NC

September 10-11, 2021

Register [NOW](#) or send your REGRET that you cannot attend by [clicking here](#).

