



October 10, 2021

Events

October 12th
[EarlyAct FirstKnight Knighting Ceremony - CANCELLED](#)

October 12th
[The Reedy River Greenville Weekly Club Meeting](#)

Speaker: Frank Cox, District Governor

Subject: DG Official visit

October 16th
[The Reedy River Greenville: Community Service - TreesUpstate](#)

October 19th
[Discover Rotary](#)

Speaker: Cathy Harry-Membership Chair

Subject: DISCOVER ROTARY

October 23rd
[Reedy River: Community Service - Pendleton Place Golf Tournament](#)

Speaker: Mist sign up with Pendleton Place first, receive confirmation, then DACdb

October 26th
[The Reedy River Greenville Weekly Club](#)

Meeting Program/Speaker

By Ann H. Golden

- 10-12-21 - **District Governor Official Visit** - Frank Cox, District 7750 2021-22 Governor
- 10-26-21 - Regular Meeting - **Greenville Area Development Corp's President Mark Evans**
- 11-9-21 - Regular Meeting - **Protecting Our Environment** - Bob Inglis, ED, Energy and Enterprise Initiative at George Mason University
- 11-30-21 (replaces our 11-23 meeting the week of Thanksgiving) - Regular Meeting - **The Rotary Foundation** - Anne Matthews
- 12-14-21 - **The December 14th Party** - Holiday dinner and party at the Hilton

Oct 12 Meeting - District Governor Visit



Frank Cox, District Governor, and member of the Clemson Sunrise Rotary Club

Frank had a 26-year Army career. He graduated from Daniel High School, played football for the Clemson Tigers, graduated in Chemical Engineering in 1968, and went on active duty in the Army. He commanded military units from company-sized to a vast Proving Grounds in Dugway, Utah. He served in the Pentagon twice ♦ worked for Colin Powell on the Joint Chiefs of Staff and was the senior chemical officer in the Office of Secretary of Defense. He retired from military service in 1994. After the Army, he worked in Columbus, OH, for a research and development company for 13 years; then moved home to Clemson in 2007 and worked for the South Carolina Research Authority

in Charleston. He retired in 2013. Frank joined his Club in May 2012 and is currently the Foundation Chair. Frank has been a Club President and an Assistant Governor. He and his wife, Crossie, are Major Donors and Frank is also a Paul Harris Society member. Crossie, is also a Rotarian and past Assistant Governor and Club President, and they have been married over 51 years with two wonderful children and four mischievous grandchildren who all take after their grandmother.

Members are encouraged to wear Rotary shirt, hats, etc. Bobby will donate \$10 for every member dressed beyond their nametag in Rotary gear. Mr. Cox's presentation will run about 30 minutes. **Club members should stand** when Mr. Cox is introduced to give his presentation and its completion. The Club will donate \$100 to the Rotary Foundation in honor of Mr. Cox.

Meetings Via Facebook Live

With the rise in COVID-19 numbers due to the highly contagious Delta variant, members will have the option of attending meetings in person or virtually. Virtual meetings will be accessible via Facebook Live. Go to the Club's Facebook page, or click [here](#), to access Facebook. Please do continue to use the email from Club Secretary, Prudence Taylor, to sign up for the each meeting using DACdb.

Meeting

Speaker: GADC

Mark Farris

Subject:

Greenville Area
Development
Corps.

October 30th

[The Reedy
River](#)

[Greenville:
TCMU](#)

[Halloween](#)

November 9th

[The Reedy
River](#)

[Greenville
Weekly Club
Meeting](#)

Speaker: Bob
Inglis

Subject:

Protecting Our
Environment

November 13th

[The Reedy
River](#)

[Greenville:
Community](#)

[Service -](#)

[Adopt-A-Road](#)

Years of Service

Uta S. Samuel

10-11-2011

10 Years

Birthdays

Michelle Stadler

October 22nd

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding
Anniversaries

Found

October is Economic and Community Development Month

Rotary International President Shekhar Mehta had the following words about Community and Economic Development Month. "When we work to improve the lives of people in underserved communities through, for example, projects that provide vocational training and access to financial resources we help build and sustain local economic growth.

"The need is great. According to the United Nations, 9 percent of the world's population that's 700 million people, a majority of them in sub-Saharan Africa live on less than \$1.90 a day. By supporting strong community development as well as entrepreneurs, we can help improve conditions for people in that region and others.

"Your club can also promote economic development in your own community by expanding vocational training opportunities through local schools and community colleges, partnering with lenders to improve access to financial services, or working with a nonprofit that provides resources to entrepreneurs and connects them with the business community."

Oct 16 - Plant Trees for Trees Upstate

As one of our ongoing community service projects, please join us as we head to the Juanita Butler Community Center at 2 Burns Street, Greenville, SC 29605. Sign up through DACdb and through [Trees Upstate](#) and scroll down to the October 16th event. Be on-site at 8:45am to sign in and we'll start planting at 9am. Wear clothing suitable to digging in the dirt and gloves are highly recommended. All other tools are provided. **You must register on the Trees Upstate website as well as through DACdb.**

Oct 19 - Discovery Rotary

Hey!...Invite your friends, family, and colleagues to get to know our community, learn to give back, have fun, meet new friends, and make a difference! We will be holding Discover Rotary once a month on a Tuesday and this month the date is October 19th. Check the Calendar on DACdb for additional scheduled monthly informational gatherings. Join us and discover a fun and informative 60-minute look to learn what Rotary is all about! Join us at the home of Cathy and Alan Harry at 8 Upcountry Lane, Travelers Rest, SC 29690 at 6pm. #SERVICEROCKS

Oct 23 - Pendleton Place Charity Golf Tournament by Synnex

As a service project, Club Members who signed up prior to October 1 will be giving their time to a golf tournament presented by SYNEX **Share the Magic**, an annual initiative providing funding for Upstate South Carolina children and youth. Founded in 2011 by Peter Larocque, SYNEX Corporations President, North America Distribution, SYNEX **Share the Magic** has now expanded from South Carolina to Canada, Colorado, Illinois, and the California Bay Area. Since its inception, the nonprofit has raised nearly \$14 million dollars to fund programs supporting those in need. Four Upstate children's charities benefit: A Child's Haven, Clement's Kindness, Make-A-Wish South Carolina, and Pendleton Place.

Oct 30 - Halloween Volunteers at TCMU

Volunteers are needed for The Children's Museum of the Upstate's (TCMU) annual Trick-or-Treat returns on Saturday, October 30. Children and families will wind their way through three floors of the decorated museum and collect candy from community vendors and sponsors. Then, head out to Bib's World to enjoy food, fun, and more Halloween surprises.

This year's Trick-or-Treat will take place from 9AM-5PM and will be **timed-ticketed only**, in order to manage capacities. If interested in volunteering, sign ups can be completed here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C48ABA72DA4F9C52-events>.

TCMU is located at 300 College Street, Greenville, SC 29601

Nov 5 - Dist 7750 Rotary Foundation Celebration

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Spartanburg Community College, Downtown Campus
220 East Kennedy Street, Spartanburg

Schedule:

2:00pm - Registration

2:30pm - 3:45pm - Rotary Foundation 101 Workshop

3:45 - 4:00pm - Break

4:00pm - 5:15 - District & Global Grants Workshop

5:30pm - 6:00pm Reception - Beer and Wine ♦ 1 Free Drink Ticket with Registration, **Other Drink Tickets must be bought in advance (5:30pm-6:30pm)**

6:00pm - 7:00pm Dinner - Buffet (Caterer: Carolina Culinary Creations of Spartanburg, SC)

Cost - \$45.00 per ticket for reception and dinner

No cost for seminars.

Nov 13 - Adopt-A-Road Clean-up

Our next Adopt-A-Road quarterly trash pick up is scheduled for Saturday, November 13th beginning at 9am. The more people we have the faster this service project is completed. Meet at the "intersection" of Conestee Road and Conestee Lake Road in the parking lot of Bosco's Baby's Restaurant. Sign up through DACdb. The address of 202 Conestee Road does not do a good job of getting you there, but neither does 202 Conestee Lake Road. Try GPS-ing "Bosco's Baby's Restaurant" and keep in mind the intersection of Conestee Road and Conestee Lake Road.

This event will fulfill the Club's 2021 quarterly obligation for picking up trash as participants in the Greenville County Adopt-A-Road program. Wear clothes appropriate for picking up trash - a hat is recommended. All other supplies will be provided.

One of the 50 Rotary Facts Every Rotarian Should Know

By Cathy Harry on Sunday, October 10, 2021



ROTARY'S WHEEL EMBLEM

A wheel has been the symbol of Rotary since our earliest days. The first design was made by Chicago Rotarian Montague Bear, an engraver who drew a simple wagon wheel, with a few lines to show dust and motion. The wheel was said to illustrate "Civilization and Movement." Most of the early clubs had some form of wagon wheel on their publications and letterheads. Finally, in 1922, it was decided that all Rotary clubs should adopt a single design as the exclusive emblem of Rotarians. Thus, in 1923, the present gear wheel, with 24 cogs and six spokes was adopted by the "Rotary International Association." A group of engineers advised that the geared wheel was mechanically unsound and would not work without a "keyway" in the center of the gear to attach it to a power shaft. So, later in 1923 the keyway was added and the design which we now know was formally adopted as the official Rotary International emblem.

The Blue Bead Fundraiser

The Blue Bead is a fun Rotary Club fundraiser. If you would like to try your luck at a chance to win the money in the Blue Bead pot, here's how it is played.

1. Buy a raffle ticket before the Rotary Meeting starts. Just \$1. More if you want more chances!
2. Near the end of the meeting, the raffle ticket numbers of the tickets that were purchased are placed in a jar and a non-playing member or guest can draw the ticket
3. The ticket holder then comes up to try for a chance to pull the **blue bead**.
4. If the ticket holder pulls the **blue bead** then they win half of the total pot (the game is started with \$25).
5. If the ticket holder pulls a yellow bead, the bead is returned to the outside of the bag (one less in the central part of the bag).

The amount raised at each meeting through the sale of raffle tickets is added to the starting pot of \$25. If there are no winners, the pot will increase each meeting. The proceeds will be donated to project or funds of the Club Members' choosing (i.e., Rotary Foundation, Polio Plus, projects, and such).

New Mailing Address for Club

The Rotary Club of the Reedy River Greenville has a new mailing address. Please use it for all club correspondence, remitting dues (unless you pay online), and Duck Derby business.

Rotary Club of Reedy River Greenville
Box # 500
325 Rocky Slope Rd, Suite 104
Greenville, SC 29607

Rotary Trivia

Another two-parter: How many Rotary International Conventions have been held in Chicago? What year was the most recent one held in Chicago? Email your response [here](#).

Contribute to The Quacker

If you are unable to use EzStory in DACdb, submit something for **The Quacker** by emailing the information to megcoffey@yahoo.com. Submissions must be received by the Wednesday prior to the next meeting.

Club Meeting

The Reedy River Greenville
Meets at The Hilton Greenville (2nd & 4th Tuesdays Only)
45 W Orchard Park Dr
Greenville, SC 29615
Time: Tuesday at 05:30 PM

Club Leaders

[Robert L Brown Jr.](#)

President

[Laurie M. Rapp](#)

Treasurer

[Edward F. Irick III](#)

Club Director

Club Executive Secretary

[Alan Ellis Harry](#)

Rotary Foundation Chair

Sergeant-at-Arms

[Cathy Harry](#)

Membership Chair

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[Rachel Bantly](#)

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Alan H. Calloway

President-Elect Nominee