

Rotary



Club of The Classic City of Athens

Birthdays

Tammy Tate Gilland
April 19th
Paul Skinner
April 25th

Club Leaders



Jeffrey Auerbach
President
Club
Director



Jordan Bowen
President-Elect
Club
Director



Tammy Tate Gilland
Club
Director
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Laura Iyer
President-Nominee



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Club
Director
President-Nominee



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Club
Director
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Selena Blankenship
Membership
Chair



Jennifer Scott
Membership
Retention
Chair



Thomas J. Kramer
Public
Image Chair



Mary Lillie Watson
Club
Director
Rotary
Foundation
Chair

April 8, 2024 -- Drew Vandenberg, Owner -- Vandenberg Industries



Mr. Vandenberg will speak to us about the current state of the Athens music industry, the work by his recording studio, Vandenberg Industries, and his work with Athens Resonates, which is a group of Georgia-based creative businesses who have come together to raise money and awareness for Nucif's Space and the Boys and Girls Clubs of Athens' Music Makers Program by recording live bands and then pressing the songs to a 7" record.

Drew had a realization that "recording engineer" was a career when he was 15 years old from reading it on the liner notes of a CD, and in that moment decided that's what he wanted to do for the rest of his life. He got an internship at Chase Park Transduction in Athens, GA when he was 16, and then went to college at Indiana University where he received a B.S. in Recording Arts. He's been working on records with people ever since. He currently resides in Athens, GA with his incandescent wife Catherine.

Meeting Responsibilities

Date	Greeter	Pledge	Four Way Test
April 8	Tammy Gilland	Reed Sheats	Anjela Filipova
April 15	Clif Mullis	Jeffrey Auerbach	Cindy Darden
April 22	Richard Leffel	Bowen Craig	Leon Jourolman III
April 29	Beverly Harper	Tom Kramer	Emily Escoe

Next Meeting Programs

- April 15 -- Dr. Victor Thompson -- UGA Lab of Archaeology (Offsite at 6 PM)
- April 22 -- Lisa Brown, Haven Memory Care
- April 29 -- Rashe Malcolm, Rashe's Cuisine & Farm to Neighborhood

Service Committee

Wednesday, April 17 -- The annual Books for Keeps spring book distribution at JJ Harris Elementary School, 2300 Danielsville Rd., needs volunteers to assist students with selecting 12 books that they will take home to read over the summer to continue building their reading skills. Shifts are 8:00 AM to 11:15 AM and 12:45 PM to 2:40 PM. Volunteers are especially needed for the early shift. Club members will assist students with selecting 12 books that they will take home to read over the summer to keep building their skills and prevent the summer slide.

Friday, April 19 -- We are scheduled to make and serve lunch at Our Daily Bread, located at First Baptist Church at the corner of Hancock Ave. and Pulaski St. This program aids the homeless, the elderly, and the underemployed in Athens. The food prep shift is from 10:30 to 11:30 AM and the serving shift is from 11:45 AM to 1:00 PM. Please wear comfortable closed-toe shoes and a hat.



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