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Rotary Club of Augusta

September 23, 2024
Club Assembly

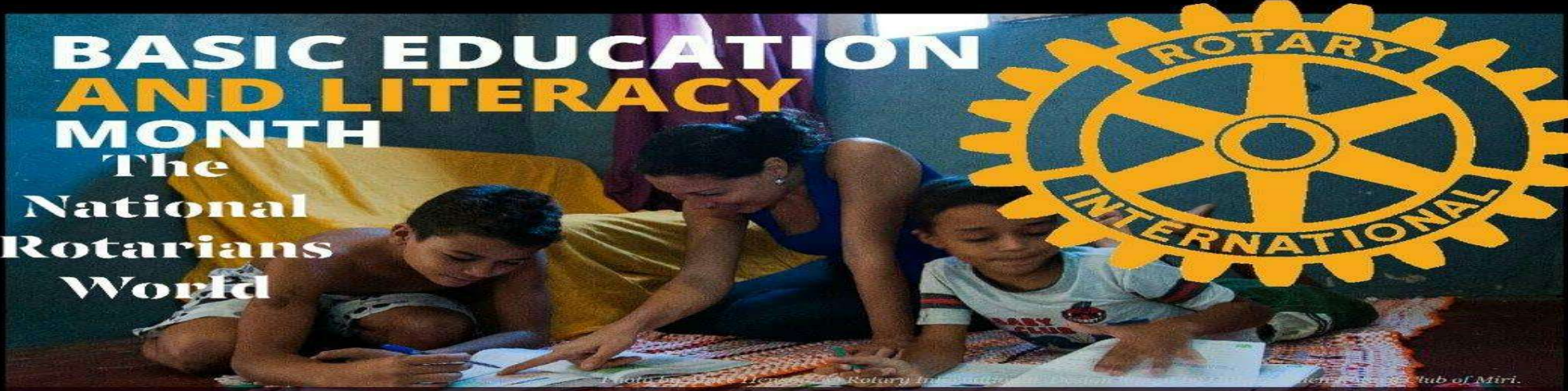


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SEPTEMBER IS

BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY MONTH

The
National
Rotarians
World



“To read is to empower, to empower is to write, to write is to influence, to influence is to change, to change is to live.”

Jane Evershed

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TAKE ACTION: Get Involved, Be a People of Action

The image features a large American flag waving on a silver pole against a bright blue sky with scattered white clouds. The flag is positioned on the left side of the frame, with its stars and stripes clearly visible. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

PLEDGE AND INVOCATION
Presented by Henry Holt III

THE SUNSHINE REPORT

Presented by:
Connie Melear



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Member Anniversaries:
Celebrating Years as a Rotarian

Lawrence Gaskins	16
Candice Hillman	3
William Keogh	26

Presented By :
Sheri Osburn & Beverly King

VISITORS AND GUESTS



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New Members Induction

Beth NeSmith

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Program Speaker
Charmaine Brackett
Publisher of Good News

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Today's Challengers

INSIDE CART CHALLENGER

SHELL KNOX BERRY



SCAN ME!

Contribute to the blue buckets
or online at mycartfund.org



KEVIN GROGAN

OUTSIDE CART CHALLENGER

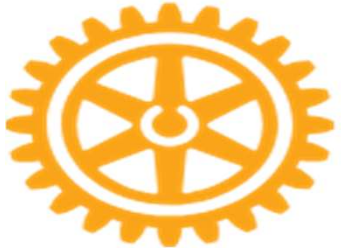


Brenda's Retirement on September 27, 2024



As one of the biggest arts festivals in the Southeast, Arts in the Heart has more than 100,00 attendees each year. Brenda Durant had many goals as executive director, and she worked hard to achieve them.

After 27 years, Brenda Durant made Arts in the Heart what it is today and is now passing the torch.



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youth
exchange
Southeast



Outbound Student (to go overseas on exchange)

- Nearly 10000 students participate each year.
- Rotary Youth Exchange programs are open to students ages 14-17 years old at the time of application.
- Reside and attend high school in a Rotary Youth Exchange certified district.
- Scholarship value is greater than \$24000. Cost to participate is \$5500.
- Application fee is \$150(non-refundable)

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Karen Head, walked with the Rolla Rotary Club and helped provide free water at the “House of Friendship” tent Rotary shares with the S&T Chapter of Engineers without Borders. She put a pin for Augusta on the friendship map.





UPCOMING MEETINGS:

- **New Bell Auditorium and James Brown Arena update by Brad Usry on September 30, 2024**
- **ChatGPT & Generative AI by Glenn Fink on October 7, 2024**
- **NO Meeting on Columbus Day, October 14, 2024**



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2024 College Pick'em

Stacy Tallent

New Membership Orientation

- Tuesday, September 24, 2024, at 4:30 PM at Enterprise Mill.
- Session takes about one hour fifteen minutes.



Speech Contest Committee Meeting

- Monday, September 23, 2024, after the Club Meeting.



Hull Fund Committee Meeting

- Monday, September 30, 2024, after the Club Meeting.



IMPORTANT

ANNOUNCEMENT



Healing in a Divided World

PRESIDENTIAL PEACE CONFERENCE

Istanbul, Türkiye • 20-22 February 2025

Register today at rotary.org/istanbul25





THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

first

Is it the **TRUTH**?

second

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

third

Will it build **GOODWILL** and
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

fourth

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to
all concerned?