



Club Meetings -

The Rotary Club of Big Canoe meets at the Big Canoe Clubhouse, 186 Clubhouse Dr, Big Canoe, GA 30143
Time: Thursday at 5:30pm (gather at 5pm)
(NO meeting on the last Thursday)
www.RotaryBigCanoe.org
11123 Big Canoe, Big Canoe, GA 30143

RI President Jennifer Jones
6910 District Leadership
District Governor Gerry Taylor
Assistant Governor Brooke Anderson

2022-2023
Rotary Club of Big Canoe - Officers & Directors
President - Fran Farias
President Elect - Susan Schwall
Secretary - Jeff Downing
Treasurer - Tom Mallini
Foundation - Bob Schwall
Membership - Mike Whatley
Club Service Director - Steve Curry
Community Director - Nikki Street
International Director - Dirk Ebener
Vocational Director - Mary Judson
Youth Service Director- Steve Moranos

August Member Birthdays
8/8 - Barbara Whatley
8/19 - Mary Judson

August Member Anniversaries
8/1 - Jodette & Chris Endsley
8/8 - Harry Lucenay
8/9 - Don Rolader



EACH ONE BRING ONE



August is Membership Month

Just Six Months ago, 6 Rotarians met to discuss organizing a Rotary club of Big Canoe. Without these dedicated individuals and a host of others, we would not be a club today! Membership is the lifeblood of our organization. Using the example of a pyramid, The Rotarian is at the top! The base of the pyramid is Rotary International, Rotary Districts, Rotary clubs, Rotary training, Rotary support systems, all there to help and support YOU, the Rotarian. At the August meetings, Mike Whatley, Membership Chair will share “Rotary Membership Moments”. On August 4, Assistant Governor Brook Anderson will induct 3 new members into our club and present a Paul Harris Fellow, Level 1 to Rotarian Dirk Ebener for your \$1000 contribution to The Rotary Foundation. Foundation grants are used by clubs to help support international projects as well as local district grants. On August 13, we have 7 members attending “RLI” -Rotary Learning Institute in Columbus (A portion of your dues pays for a class each year) AND join us for a Family of Rotary day of golf & gardens at Callaway Gardens on August 12 - RSVP-ASAP). September 3 will be our last terrace concert event - once again Rotarians will be recognized as a sponsor, we’ll tailgate and collect donations to help support our “Flagpole project” at the Big Canoe Wildcat recreation pavilion. “Rotary takes ordinary men and women and gives them extraordinary opportunities to do more with their lives than they ever dreamed possible”. I’m excited to see how these SEVEN Areas of focus are accomplished by Big Canoe Rotarians! Invite a friend to Rotary and **Imagine the Possibilities!**

AUGUST Club Meetings

August 4 - “Grow Pickens”

Green Suttles III, President & CEO
Pickens Co Development

Bringing 20 years of experience in economic development, Suttles was tapped to help “Grow Pickens” county. Building an inventory of resources is needed to put a community on the map in the eyes and minds of those who can new projects and investments.

August 11 - “Hospital Art Foundation”

John Feight, Founder

As a Self-taught painter, Feight found a passion of painting. While volunteering at Northside hospital, he discovered plain blank walls for those hospitalized. His foundation has brought over 50000 paintings across the worlds! Ukraine is next - Can Big Canoe Rotarians Help?

August 18 - “Classification Talks”

Meeting @ the BEACH CLUB

Learn more about our club members:

Tom Mallini - Banker
Sharon McCoy - Attorney
Barbara Myers-Mason - Public Relations
Mike Whatley - Equestrian Wholesaler

