

# Rotary



## Club of Chattanooga Downtown

### Events

February 29th  
**Jason Provonsha - CEO  
Steam Logistics**

March 7th  
**Greg Sedrick, Chattanooga  
Engineering Society  
Anniversary**

March 14th  
**April Cameron -  
Chattanooga Metropolitan  
Airport**

March 21st  
**Butch Eley - Deputy  
Governor, TNDOT  
Commissioner**

### Club Leaders



J. Tom Glenn  
President



Douglas S. Thompson  
President-Elect



Marlin D. Gines  
Secretary



David Michael Costello  
Treasurer



Jonathan J.  
Armstrong III  
Club Director



Robin B. Derryberry  
Public Image Chair



Jane L. Kaylor  
Club Director



Stacy G. Lightfoot  
Vice President



Kirby W. Yost  
Vice President



Kurt J. Faires  
Club Membership  
Chair



Kathryn Cooper  
Harbison  
Club Rotary  
Foundation Chair

**Tom Glenn**



**110th Rotary President**

**Rotary Meeting  
Thursday  
February 29, 2024  
12 Noon  
Chattanooga Convention Center  
Ballrooms: 4 / 5 / 6**

**SPEAKER:**



Ronald Harris  
Sergeant-at-Arms



Don McDowell  
Club Service Chair



Edna E. Varner  
Club Youth Services  
Chair



Virginia Anne Sharber  
iPast President

## Club Meeting

Chattanooga  
Meets at Chattanooga  
Convention and Trade Center  
One Carter Plaza  
Chattanooga, TN 37402  
Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

## Jason Provonsha



### CEO Steam Logistics

#### TOPIC:

#### Designing a Winning Culture

Steam Logistics, a leading third-party logistics company headquartered in Chattanooga with an impressive network of 10 additional offices across the country. Under his leadership, Steam seamlessly caters to the diverse transportation needs of over 2,000 clients, offering comprehensive solutions ranging from international ocean and air freight to customs brokerage, domestic trucking, drayage, and intermodal transportation.

Before assuming the helm at Steam, Provonsha held executive roles at Coyote Logistics and Access America Transport. His career path also includes a noteworthy tenure at another Chattanooga-based company, True North Custom Media, where he contributed significantly to the company's national prominence.

A proud alumnus of the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga,

Jason Provonsha is not only a seasoned professional, but also a devoted family man.

He shares his life with his wife, Sarah, and is a dedicated father to three wonderful teenagers: Lucy, Willa, and Wyatt.

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## Welcome New Members

### Todd Ricke

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## Rachel Gammon - Northside Neighborhood House

**CONGRATULATIONS!!**  
Northside Neighborhood House  
100 Year Anniversary



Rotarian, Rachel Gammon-CEO

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**SAVE THE DATE: MAY 16\*\*\*\*\***  
**\*\*SPRING OUTING\*\***  
**Reflection Riding**

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## R. Gordon R. McInally Rotary International President 2023-24 February Newsletter



I am enthused and encouraged by your embrace of mental health initiatives throughout the Rotary world. More than 1,000 of you have responded so far to an ongoing survey by the Rotary Action Group on Mental Health Initiatives, offering your feedback on what Rotary can do to improve the personal well-being of members.

The top suggestions are illuminating. Rotary members are asking for more fellowship, camaraderie, conversation, cohesiveness, and connection. They also want more recognition, validation, and integration. They are seeking more service opportunities, and they want more wellness activities, including mental health speakers, awareness efforts, and education.

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