

Rotary



Club of Chattanooga Downtown

Events

May 16th

Save the Date
****Spring Outing**
May 16**

May 23rd

Robert Divine -
Immigration Law

May 30th

Brian Wright,
Stadium Corp &
Tim Morgan, CSO
Chattanooga
Sports

June 6th

TBA

Club Leaders



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Glenn
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President-
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Club
Membership
Chair

Tom Glenn



110th Rotary President



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Club Rotary
Foundation
Chair



Ronald Harris
Sergeant-
at-Arms



Don McDowell
Club
Service
Chair



Edna E. Vamer
Club Youth
Services
Chair



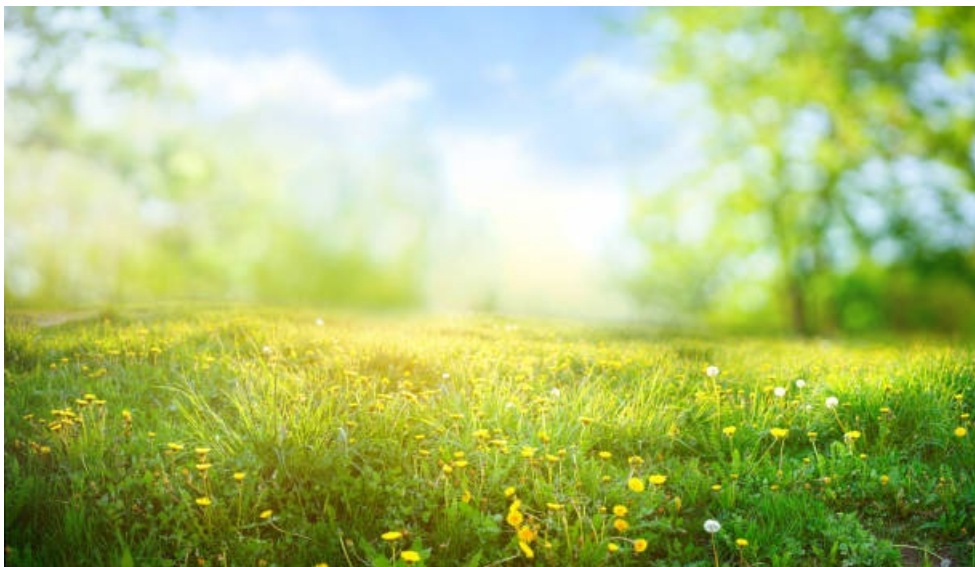
Virginia Anne Sharber
Past
President

Club Meeting

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

Thursday, May 16th Spring Outing

2024 Rotary Spring Outing
Thursday, May 16 @ 5PM
Reflection Riding Arboretum & Nature Center
400 Garden Road, 37419



For those who made a Reservation.
Dinner will be under the big tent at Reflection Riding.
400 Garden Road, Chattanooga, TN 37419
5 pm - 8 pm
Hope to see you there around 5PM. Dinner will be at 6PM.
We're hoping for a beautiful evening in beautiful surroundings.
Please wear comfortable shoes!!!

NO NOON MEETING ON MAY 16TH.

Welcome New Members

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2023-24 Rotary International President



R. Gordon R. McInally May Newsletter

I am deeply gratified by the enthusiasm shown across the world in the past year to better support the mental health needs of each other and the people we serve.

In January 2023 when I first spoke about the need for Rotary to become more engaged on this crisis, I noted that the global mental health system couldn't be described as broken only because it didn't exist. But I also offered a highly aspirational wish that Rotary could help build that system.

The first glimmers of this vision have been brought to light by you in dozens of mental health projects. But just as important is the invitation many of you have given to fellow Rotary members to share their stories. I am impressed by the leadership young Rotarians and Rotaractors have shown and by the brave, inspiring stories they have shared. Former Rotaractor Freddie Almazan, a survivor of gun violence who refused to give in to despair, has an especially powerful personal narrative that you can hear firsthand at this month's Rotary International Convention in Singapore.

To create lasting change, the work we do needs to have a sustainable [impact](#) on the people and communities we serve. One great example of that kind of impact: Rotary clubs in Colorado endowing a pediatric mental health fellowship at Children's Hospital Colorado.
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