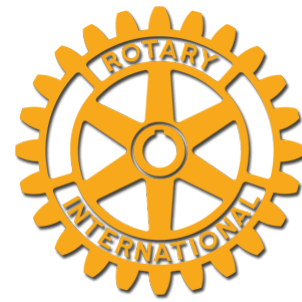


Rotary

Club of The Classic City of Athens



July 11, 2022: Muhammed Kisirisa-Mo, UGA Mandela Washington Fellow

Thursday, July 7, 2022



Muhammed Kisirisa-Mo will be our speaker on July 11th. Mo is a former amateur soccer player with over 3 years of experience in the sport of the field development. His passion for sport and changing lives drove him to start up Golden Boots Uganda, a nonprofit organization using sport as tool to empower youth with disabilities, girls and refugees. Mo holds a Higher University Certificate in Project Design and Management. Prior to joining the Rotary Club of Bugolobi Morning Tide, he served as a Service Director at the Rotaract Club Of Kampala West from 2011 - 2013. Mo has been recognized for his works, In August 2017, he received the Young Achievers Award for Social Entrepreneurship. In 2016 he was Africa's Regional Finalist, and he received The Commonwealth Youth Award for Excellence in Development Work. In 2013, he became the first African and youth to win, The Muhammad Ali Humanitarian Award-Conviction where he met with Muhammad Ali the Greatest of All Times-GOAT.

Want to connect to the meeting via Zoom?

To join the meeting with one-click, [CLICK HERE](#).

Meeting ID: 848 1309 0687
Passcode: Classic

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During our club meeting this Monday July 11th, District Governor Gerry Taylor will present an overview of the upcoming Rotary year (2022-23). Our club is so honored that one of our dedicated members has ascended to the position of District governor and we are here to support Governor Gerry in every way possible.

Meeting roundup:

Greeter: Nipuna Ambanpola
Pledge: Marilyn Appleby
4-Way Test: Jeff Auerbach

Meet Our New Club President: Michelle Roberts

Thursday, July 7, 2022

Michelle Roberts will lead the Classic City Rotary Club of Athens as the President in the new Rotary year. Michelle

Birthdays

Jeffrey Auerbach
July 9th

James J. Milner
July 22nd

Bowen Craig
July 22nd

Pamela Shropshire
July 26th

Blair Dorminey
July 29th

Club Meeting

The Classic City of Athens
Meets at Trumps Catering.

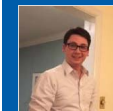
(2026 South Milledge Ave
Suite B Athens, GA 30605)

Time: Monday at 12:00 PM

Club Officers



[Michelle Elizabeth Roberts](#)
President



[Jeffrey Auerbach](#)
President-Elect



[Jordan Bowen](#)
Club Director
President-Nominee



[Tammy Tate Gilland](#)
On-To Conference
Chair
Secretary



[Christine S. Waite-Morgan](#)
Club Director
Treasurer

[Emily K. Escoe](#)
Membership Chair

is the Retail Market Manager for Synovus. She is an experienced licensed worker in the banking industry with a passion for service and community involvement. Growing up in a military town, Michelle saw at a young age just what service entailed and has made it her number one value in life, promoting it daily. Michelle serves as a Board Member at the United Way of Northeast Georgia and is also a LEAD Athens graduate. Michelle is also a Board Member at the American Red Cross of Northeast Georgia. Michelle has an extensive background in Rotary, having started her journey in Interact and Rotaract. Michelle enjoys traveling in her free time.



Meet Our New District Governor: Gerry Taylor

Thursday, July 7, 2022



Gerry Taylor will lead the Rotary District 6910 as District Governor for the years 2022-2023. Gerry Taylor is a retired Sr. Vice President of Resource Development in the United Way system. Prior to his career with United Way, he spent over eight years in sales and sales management, primarily with office product companies. He is an alumnus of the University of Minnesota and has completed various campaign and management courses from the National Academy of Volunteerism at United Way of America - a graduate of their 4 year Management Program. He is a Past President of the Classic City Rotary Club in Athens Georgia, Past Assistant Governor of District 6910, Past

District 6910 Training Vice Chair, Past District 6910 Awards and Recognition Chair, a member several District 6910 Conference Committees, District 6910 Board Member, a Board Member of Georgia Laws of Life, Peachstate PETS, GRSP and C.A.R.T, and Past President of Sales and Marketing Executives of the Birmingham Alabama Chapter and the Past President and founder of Professional Sales Association of Birmingham. There is more -- read the Governor's full bio [with this link](#).

On July 18th our speaker will be Deanne Rosso, Classic City Rotary Foundation Chair

Deanne will recognize and honor some of our Rotary members for their contributions to the Rotary Foundation. This will also be a great opportunity to learn more about the Rotary Foundation, charitable giving, and the foundation's impact! Make sure to mark your calendar!

Are you the Winner? Rotary 50/50 Cash Pot



[Beverly Harper](#)
Club Director
Membership Chair



[Lawrence Harris](#)
Membership
Retention Chair



[Nipuna Ambanpola](#)
Club Director
Public Image Chair



[Richard J. Leffel](#)
Training Officer



[Robert Wayne Offenhauer](#)
Club Director
Public Image Chair



[Deanne Rosso](#)
Club Director
Rotary Foundation
Chair



[Pamela Shropshire](#)
Family of Rotary



[Marilyn Appleby](#)
Club Service Chair



[Becky Engel](#)
CCO-Club Comm.
Offcr



[Robert A. Hawley](#)
Sergeant-at-Arms



[Paul H. Matthews](#)
Club Admin Chair
Club Director



[Heather J. McElroy](#)
Club Director



[James J. Milner](#)
Past President
Club Director
Club Programs
Chair



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Weekly 50/50

Join us weekly as we host a
50/50 cash pot!

Must be present in person or via Zoom at time of drawing

If you pick one of the 2 Jokers in the deck, you win!

If a Joker isn't selected, that card gets torn and the pot rolls over to the next week!

<p>Golden Tickets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rollover until that pot is won • \$25 for one ticket • \$100 for 5 tickets 	<p>Blue Tickets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Last only for that week • \$5 for one ticket • \$20 for five tickets
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We'll accept cash, check or Venmo!!



[Ellen Bryson](#)
Club Fundraising
Chair



[Roy M. Legette](#)
International
Service Chair



[Milton Masciadri](#)
International
Service Chair



[Blair Dorminey](#)
iPast President

Upcoming Service Projects

Service Committee Meeting: The Service Committee will meet Wed., July 13 at 2 p.m. via Zoom at Meeting ID: 899 1384 3699. Passcode: Service. All interested members are invited to attend.

We will start back with our service projects in earnest during the month of August. Mark your calendars for Aug. 19th for Our Daily Bread and August 20th for a Back-to-School event for J.J. Harris students. We will also start a diaper drive for the local Diaper Bank, and will plan for an Adopt-a-Highway litter pickup event.

Announcements

Did you know? #DYK: The price of lunch for the club in 1979 increased from \$3.15 to \$3.40, BUT if once each month, the meal was soup and a sandwich, the price would be \$3.23.

Club Board Meeting: The first board meeting for the new Rotary year will take place on Thursday, July 21, 2022 at noon on Zoom. Meeting ID: 890 2899 8529. Passcode: Classic.

Club Rotary T-Shirt Order: It's time for new club t-shirts -- the old ones have become threadbare or have disappeared into a closet drawer without a trace. Tammy Gilland will be taking orders. Let us know the size you'd like. The cost is estimated at \$20 and payment will be collected in advance. Be visible as a Rotarian at work!

New year Rotarian checklist!

Make sure to login to DACdb and MyRotary to review and update your information such as phone number, email address, headshot, etc. Updating this information will make sure that you receive all Rotary communication in a timely manner.

Also, we invite you to complete the **Rotary Youth Protection Training** online on the Rotary website. It is a great resource available for free. [HERE is the link.](#)

