



# Rotary Club of Covington Bulletin

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## Rotary Program June 3rd - Rise Against Hunger - Kari Stauder

By Levi Bailey on Sunday, December 8, 2024



Rise Against Hunger works in countries worldwide to fight hunger, targeting communities facing high rates of food insecurity. We provide volunteer-packaged meals and other assistance, often through school feeding programs, to support nutrition, education and health for children and families facing hunger right now. We also partner with local leaders to implement sustainable agriculture and income-generating projects that support long-term solutions to food security and empower communities to become self-reliant and thrive.

[Rise Against Hunger](#)

## Rotary Club of Covington Future Programs and events

By Joseph Davidson on Friday, July 8, 2022

**Regular Meetings are being held at Covington First United Methodist Church at 12:00pm**

06-10-2025 - Regular Meeting - Kat Perkins - Girls with Pearls have Power

06-17-2025 - Regular Meeting - Scouts America - Josh Kirkham

06-24-2025 - Regular Meeting - Officer Induction

07-01-2025 - Regular Meeting - NO MEETING that day

07-08-2025 - Regular Meeting - Jeff Herold - Warrior Leadership

[Read More](#)

## June Birthdays & Anniversaries

By Levi Bailey on Sunday, January 1, 2023

### Birthdays & Anniversaries

#### Birthdays

Jessica Allred 06/11

Chris Shurtz 06/17

Evan Newton 06/18

Clay Hodges 06/22

Mary Campo 06/28

Salisa Bacon 06/30

#### Anniversaries

Brook & Katie Collins 06/11

Chris & Andrea Shurtz 06/13

Brad & Marlece Bettis 06/14

James & Gail Carter 06/16

Boone & Dawn Brothers 06/28

#### Member Anniversaries

Jerry Roseberry 16 Years

Dale Evans 16 Years

Joe Davidson 23 Years

Johnny Capes 23 Years

C.L Johnson 37 Years



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## Birthdays

Jessica Allred  
June 11th  
Chris Shurtz  
June 17th  
Evan Newton  
June 18th  
Clay Hodges  
June 22nd  
Mary Campo  
June 28th  
Salisa Bacon  
June 30th

## Wedding Anniversaries

C. L. Johnson  
June 7th  
Brook Collins  
June 11th  
Chris Shurtz

## State Representative Brad Raffensberg



State Representative Brad Raffensberg (Left) was our speaker for our April 22, 2025 Rotary Meeting with Tarrence Houston, Rotary President 2024-2025 .

## Beef & Freezer Raffle

By Joseph Davidson on Tuesday, March 25, 2025

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

**Jennifer George was our winner of the Beef and Freezer Raffle.**

**Thank you to everyone who helped support the raffle**

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Club of Covington

4 Ribeyes  
2 Filet Mignons  
2 Sirloins  
4 New York Strips  
2 Packs Cube Steak  
2 Packs Beef Stew  
1 Chuck Roast  
1 Brisket  
20 Pounds Ground Beef

**Beef and Freezer Raffle**

Donation \$10.00

Drawing 03/25/25

Includes 7 cu ft Freezer

## Union County Rotary works with the Isaiah 117 House

# Rotary Club of Union County

works with Isaiah 117 House



June 13th  
Brad Bettis  
June 14th  
James R. Carter  
June 16th  
Boone Brothers  
June 28th  
Jim Tudor  
July 1st

The Rotary Club of Union County has invested time in working with foster kids through their partnership with Isaiah 117 House. Check out this project. [Read More](#)

## Club Member Anniversaries

Thomas E. Davis  
08-15-2006  
19 Years

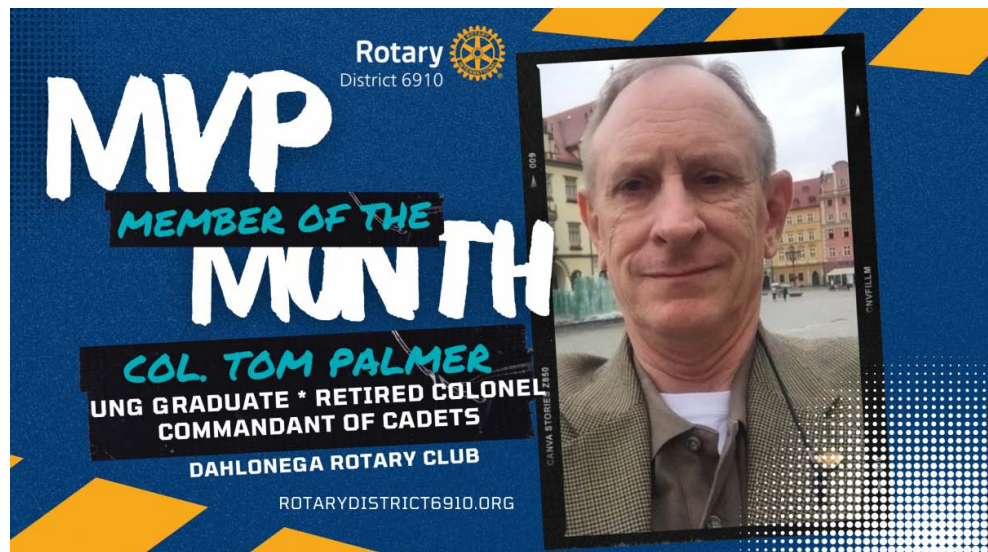
## Inaugural Lynn Clarke Leadership Award Presented to District 6910 GRSP Student



Georgia Rotary Student Program District 6910 Director James McCoy presented the inaugural Lynn Clarke GRSP Women in Leadership Award to Atche Bilyal at the Rotary Club of Hall County on April 22. [Read More](#)

## Meet our May MVP - Colonel Tom Palmer's Leaving a Lifetime of Legacy

By Barbara Myers Mason APR



From the battlefields of Europe to the classrooms of UNG and the heart of Dahlonega's Rotary Club, Colonel (Ret.) Tom Palmer



has spent his life serving his country, his students, and his community. After 26 years in the U.S. Army and two decades as Commandant of Cadets, Palmer continues to lead through Rotary—most notably by organizing the club's signature Gold Rush Festival fundraiser. Read how this decorated veteran and dedicated Rotarian is still making an impact, one parking space at a time. [Read More](#)

## May Update from DG Bobby: Georgia Conference, Opioid Fight & Youth Focus



Check out this recap of our District Conference as well the energy and engagement from the first weekend in May, a time filled with impactful service projects and vital fundraising events hosted by Rotary clubs. [Watch Now>](#)

## Georgia Opioid Abatement Trust Update



Learn more about this exciting new opportunity for clubs across our district. [Read More](#)

## Ignite Mobile App is Now Available!



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## Winners

By Dr. Anu C. Narula

# The Ethos of the Georgia Laws of Life Essay Contest Program:

## The Profile of Winners

by: Dr. Anu Narula



In this season of celebrating youth, one Rotary program continues to uplift and inspire thousands across Georgia — the Georgia Laws of Life Essay Contest. With over 30,000 students participating in 2024-25, this powerful character education initiative gives young people the chance to reflect on their values, share their life lessons, and grow into tomorrow's leaders.

Read about the moving words of this year's state winner, Alphonsa Joby, and discover how her essay, *"It's Not What You Got, It's What You Give,"* beautifully echoes Rotary's motto: *Service Above Self*.

[Read More](#)

## Rotary's MVP Lineup: District 6910 Champions Score Big at Jekyll Island



Relive the magic of the first-ever multi-district conference on Jekyll Island! Over 1,000 Rotarians enjoyed inspiring speakers, fun competitions, beach vibes, and celebrated a year of incredible service. We also collected hundreds of pounds of sporting goods and shoes for donation! Join us in congratulating our 2024-25 District 6910 award winners for their outstanding leadership, impactful projects, and unwavering commitment. [Read More](#)