

# Rotary

## Club of Forsyth County (Cumming)



### Speakers

July 4, 2024:

No Meeting!

July 11, 2024: Club Meeting

July 18, 2024:

Emergency Response

Dive Team, courtesy of

Mike Smith

July 25, 2024:

Offsite Meeting: Tour of

the Bagwell Boys & Girls

Club, 2150 Antioch Rd,

Cumming, GA 30040,

courtesy of Deana

Jordan

The following dates are currently open for programs. If your name is beside the date, you are responsible for finding a speaker for that date. Please let Stephanie Woody know as soon as you have someone confirmed:

Aug. 1: OPEN

Sept. 5: Eric Abbott

Sept. 19: Kerry Carithers

Oct. 3: Tyler Dominy

Oct. 10: Melissa Durand

Oct. 17: Drew Hayes

Oct. 24: Jonathan Heard

Oct. 31: Jonah Howell

If you are not able to come up with a program, or need help, please let Stephanie Woody know ASAP. Once you have your program set, please also let Stephanie Woody know at [swoody@forsythnews.com](mailto:swoody@forsythnews.com). Your help is greatly

### Club Meeting

Forsyth County (Cumming)  
Meets at FoCAL Center  
1150 Dahlonega Hwy.  
Cumming, GA 30040  
Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

### Officially reported Polio cases (as of June 28, 2024)

*\* there is a week lag in reporting*

#### Wild poliovirus (WPV)

Total global WPV1 cases in 2023: 12

Total global WPV1 cases in 2024: 11 (compared with 6 for the same period in 2023)

#### Circulating vaccine-derived poliovirus (cVDPV) cases

Total global cVDPV cases in 2023: 526

Total global cVDPV cases in 2024: 77 (compared with 128 for the same period in 2023)

### Upcoming Events:

Aug. 26: 28th Annual Challenge Scholarship Golf Tournament at Crsytal Falls Golf Club.

\* If you have any upcoming events that you would like to see in the bulletin, please reach out to Stephanie Woody at [swoody@forsythnews.com](mailto:swoody@forsythnews.com).

### Rotary International Monthly Themes:

Month	Theme
July	Maternal and Child Health Month
August	Membership and New Club Development Month
September	Basic Education and Literacy Month
October	Community Economic and Development Month
November	Rotary Foundation Month
December	Disease Prevention and Treatment Month
January	Vocational Service Month
February	Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention Month
March	Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Month
April	Environmental Month
May	Youth Service Month
June	Rotary Fellowships Month

### This week in history

1776

#### Continental Congress adopts the Declaration of Independence

In Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on July 4, 1776, the Continental Congress adopts the Declaration of Independence, which proclaims the independence of the United States of America from Great Britain and its king.

*appreciated!*

## Club Leaders



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The declaration came 442 days after the first volleys of the American Revolution were fired at Lexington and Concord in Massachusetts and marked an ideological expansion of the conflict that would eventually encourage France's intervention on behalf of the Patriots.

The first major American opposition to British policy came in 1765 after Parliament passed the Stamp Act, a taxation measure to raise revenues for a standing British army in America.

Under the banner of "no taxation without representation," colonists convened the Stamp Act Congress in October 1765 to vocalize their opposition to the tax.

With its enactment in November, most colonists called for a boycott of British goods, and some organized attacks on the customhouses and homes of tax collectors. After months of protest in the colonies, Parliament voted to repeal the Stamp Act in March 1766.

Click [here](#) for more information.

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*If you have a question about the bulletin/programs, or have a program of interest to the club, please contact Stephanie Woody at [swody@forsythnews.com](mailto:swody@forsythnews.com) or mobile 678-878-0516.*

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