

Rotary Club of Gainesville Newsletter



Meeting Location:

First Baptist Church
Banquet Hall
751 Green Street
Monday at 12:30 PM
Lunch begins serving at
Noon
Founded in 1923

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May 20, 2024 Featured Program

GAINESVILLE GAME CHANGER PROGRAM honoring Abit Massey

MONDAY, MAY 20, 2024



MC
MATT DUBNIK



MC
MIKE GILES



BUTCH
MILLER

Rotary
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LEWIS
MASSEY

Featured Speakers honoring Abit Massey



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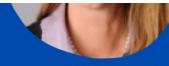
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PRE-RECORDED MESSAGES honoring Abit Massey



BRANDY SWANSON
ROTARY DISTRICT 6910
Governor



RON QUINN
President, Rotary Club
of Gainesville



DR. SONNY PERDUE
Chancellor
and Former
Georgia Governor

Midland Music Fest coming up Next Weekend!



A promotional poster for the Midland Music Fest 2024. The background is a dark, textured image of a city skyline at night. The poster features a central logo for 'MIDLAND MUSIC FEST' with a stylized train engine and the date 'May 25 GAINESVILLE, GA'. Above the logo, it says 'Rotary Club of Gainesville PRESENTS THE THIRD ANNUAL'. To the left, it says 'MAY 25th 2024'. To the right, it says 'OUTDOORS AT THE Smithgall ARTS CENTER'. At the bottom, it lists '5:00^{pm} Gates Open' and '5:30^{pm} Music Starts'. There are also logos for 'SKYNFOLKS' and 'Street Choir'. A QR code and the website 'midlandmusicfest.com' are at the bottom.

LIVE LOCAL FOOD
MUSIC BREW TRUCKS

Rotary
Club of Gainesville

PRESENTS THE THIRD ANNUAL

MAY
25th
2024

OUTDOORS
AT THE
Smithgall
ARTS CENTER

MIDLAND
MUSIC
FEST
May 25
GAINESVILLE, GA

SKYNFOLKS
THE AUTHENTIC LYNARD SKYNYRD EXPERIENCE

Street
Choir
A VAN MORRISON TRIBUTE

5:00^{pm}
Gates Open

5:30^{pm}
Music Starts

midlandmusicfest.com

[CHECK OUT THE MIDLAND MUSIC FEST PROMOTIONAL VIDEO!](#)

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Get Involved with Midland Music Fest!

VOLUNTEER

We still need volunteers for next weekends event! Volunteers are the backbone of putting on such a big event for our Rotary Club.

This is such a fun event to be a part of, and we hope everyone can come together again this year to make it a huge success! All volunteers receive VIP admission!

For questions about volunteering, please contact Chris Davis or Lindsay Allison.

[SIGN-UP TO VOLUNTEER](#)

ATTEND

The easiest way to participate in Midland Music Fest is to attend and invite your friends, family, and coworkers!

Featured artists include: SkynFolks: The Authentic Lynyrd Skynyrd Experience, Street Choir: A Van Morrison Tribute, and local band, GoodFolk. Tickets are \$30 presale and \$35 at the door.

VIP Tickets are also available for individual purchase at \$150 per person. This includes access to the VIP tent, a catered meal, open bar (beer & wine only), and 1 event t-shirt!

[PURCHASE YOUR TICKETS](#)

LOCATION

We are so pleased to be hosting this year's event at The Arts Council's Smithgall Arts Center while the amphitheater is being completed at the Midland Greenway. With such a beautiful venue in the heart of Downtown, we know this year will be a huge sensation!

Thank You to Our Sponsors!



THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

Proceeds from the event will be directed to the Midland Music Fest Fund, administered by North Georgia Community Foundation (NGCF). The Fund will grant to this year's event beneficiaries, the Hart Joiner Endowment Fund for Children & Youth and The Rotary Club of Gainesville Centennial Project that is in collaboration with the City of Gainesville.



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Message from Golf Tournament Chair Todd Ferguson



Thank you to all the sponsors, teams, and the volunteers for making this year's tournament successful. The 50/50 raffle will be drawn on June 10th at the luncheon meeting.

Upcoming Schedule

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UPCOMING EVENTS
SCHEDULE

MAY 25	Midland Music Fest Outdoors at the Smithgall ARTS CENTER Gates open at 5:00 pm
MAY 27	NO MEETING Memorial Day Holiday
JUN 3	No lunch meeting Offsite Membership Social Chattahoochee Grill 5:00-7:00 pm
 JUN 10	11:00 am BOD Meeting "Stephanie Stuckey - CEO of Stuckey's"

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Birthdays

[Jamey Prickett](#)
May 23rd



[Kathleen Owen](#)
May 24th



[Randy J. Phillips](#)
May 25th

Wedding Anniversaries



[Shelly Echols](#)
May 22nd

[William H. Beyer](#)
May 25th



[Gregory R. Giugliano](#)
May 22nd



[Jimmy H. Hammock Jr.](#)
May 26th

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