

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

Links:

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Club Leaders



Mike McGraw **President**



Ron G. Quinn President -Flect



Christina D <u>Jones</u> Treasurer and President -Nominee



Joey Tripp Secretary



Julia Gesch Clay Membership Director

William D Lee

Meeting Location: Garland Jaeger Perkins



Garland Perkins

Senior Manager Innovation and Sustainability, The Oppenheimer Group ("Oppy")

Garland Perkins is the Senior Manager of Innovation and Sustainability for the Oppenheimer Group, "Oppy," a global grower, shipper and marker of fresh produce. Garland established Oppy's strategy for both innovation and sustainability in recent years and her responsibilities pertaining to innovation include: managing precision agriculture technology and exploring numerous technologies focused on automation and creating efficiencies in the supply chain. In 2022, Garland also defined Oppy's focus areas for the company's sustainability efforts, as well as setting tangible, measurable objectives culminating with Oppy's first-ever in-depth sustainability report released in February 2023.

Previously she lead Oppy's insights team, analyzing retail and consumer data to monitor market trends, consumption and consumer behavior. Garland also worked in sales and business development for Oppy, managing retail customers across the Southwest US. Additionally, she served as a Key Account Manager for food service customers and identified opportunities for growth within the food service arena.

Prior to Oppy, Garland worked for Francis Produce in Greenville, SC and she obtained a Bachelor of Science in Business Management and a Spanish Minor from Clemson University as well as obtaining a Master of Science in Agribusiness from Cal Poly in San Luis Obispo, California. In 2021 Garland was recognized by Produce Business in the 40 Under 40 list, featuring leaders who have shaped the produce industry in a very short time and those

paving the way for the future. Her interests outside of work include going on adventures with her husband and two young boys, reading, biking, skiing, traveling and spending time with family and friends. Garland is honored to be in the produce industry in addition to being a proud alumnae of the Clemson Tigers.

Ramp Build #147



Membership Vice Director



<u>Lindsay</u> <u>Allison</u> Public Image Vice Director



<u>Chandler G.</u> <u>Brown</u> Sergeant-at-<u>Arms</u>



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Chris Davis Service Projects Vice Director



<u>Bill Hall</u> Past President



Kathleen Owen Service Projects Director



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Liz Coates Youth Services Director



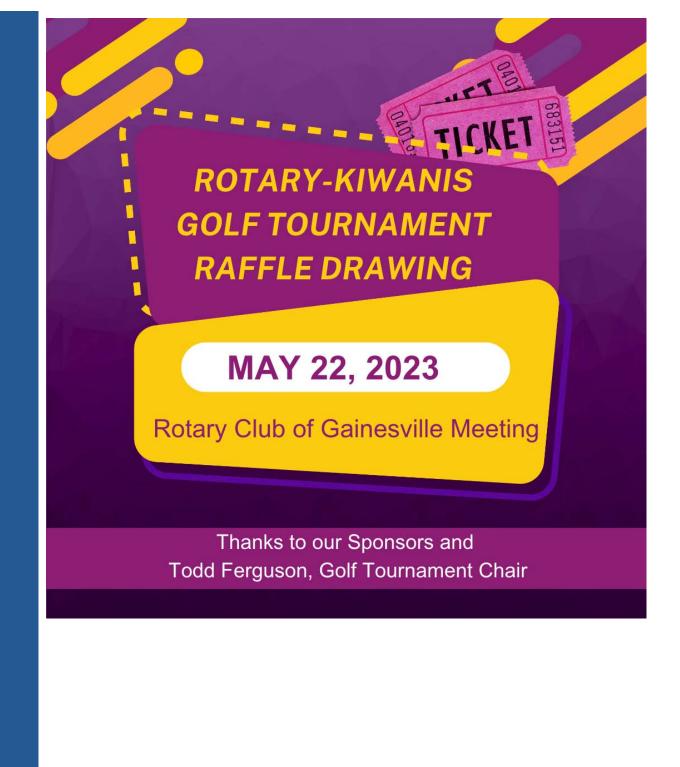
<u>Amanda Willis</u> iPast President



Classification Talk

Glassification Talk







Midland Music Fest this Weekend, Saturday at 5:00pm!



Midland Music Fest is finally here! Join us this weekend, Saturday, May 27th at 5:00pm for live music, food trucks, a beer garden, and lots of fun!

To sign up to volunteer, please visit the following link > Midland Music Fest Volunteer Sign Up

Our hope is that all club members can find a way to participate! Whether you attend, volunteer, or sponsor, your support is valuable in making this event a success! You can purchase tickets or sponsorships at the link below!

midlandmusicfest.com

ATTENTION: Midland Music Fest Volunteers

FOR VOLUNTEERS WHO ARE SIGNED UP

**If you are signed up for the first shift from 5:00pm-7:30pm, please arrive around 4:00pm for training. Those who are signed up for Check-in or the Beer Garden will have apps to be downloaded to their phone and we will need time to get you setup before the gates open.

**If you are signed up for the second shift from 7:30pm-10:00pm, please make your way to the area you've signed up for at least 10 minutes prior to your start time.

For questions regarding volunteering, please contact Lindsay Allison at lindsay@lindsayallisondesign.com or Chris Davis at chris.davis@msebranded.com

We still need more volunteers! We still need more volunteers to make the Midland Music Fest an amazing event that our community will look forward to every year. Please follow the link below and sign up for the position and time-slot(s) for which you would enjoy volunteering. Positions are available on a first come, first served basis, so hurry up and make your selection now!

Volunteer Sign Up Midland Music Fest

Volunteers will receive training, a Midland Music Fest T-shirt, and access to the VIP tent, food and beverages.

Thank You to our Midland Music Fest 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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Upcoming Schedule

Rotary Club of Gainesville Events Schedule

DATE	MEETING OR EVENT	LOCATION
May 27	Midland Music Fest featuring RUMOURS - A Fleetwood Tribute	On the Midland Greenway
May 29	No Meeting - Memorial Day	
June 5	Liz Coates, Executive Director, Good News Clinics	First Baptist
June 12	Change of Watch	First Baptist
June 19	No Meeting	
June 26	No Meeting	





Birthdays







Randy J. Phillips May 25th

Wedding Anniversaries



William H. Beyer May 25th

Shelly Echols May 22nd



Jimmy H. Hammock Jr. May 26th

Gregory R Giugliano May 22nd



<u>Jessica V. Dudley</u> May 27th



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