

Rotary Club of Gainesville Newsletter



Meeting Location: Jennifer Gross, Director of Community Engagement, BMore Learning

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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Jennifer Gross is a former middle and high school teacher, coach, and tutor. She most recently worked as a Sr. Associate on the Education team for JA of Georgia, having served eight school districts in North Georgia. She is currently on the team that has launched BMore Learning, a brand-new nonprofit serving high school students and those who support them. She is a mom of three kids, ages 14 ♦ 20 and is experiencing firsthand, the dilemma with teens and young adults who are unprepared for the road ahead. She is passionate about helping students get ready for real life. Jennifer is also a charter member of the Kiwanis Club of Forsyth County and enjoys being involved in community service events.

The goal of BMore Learning is to reach and impact as many students and families as possible through the newly launched nonprofit. The mission is simple, to create a world with equipped students, encouraged parents and employers with a ready workforce they can employ with confidence. BMore Learning stands in the gap between education and the business world, helping students on their journey to independence. They provide communication, leadership, and social skills that build confidence and readiness for life in the real world.

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BMore Learning Story:

After decades of teaching adults how to improve their communication, leadership, and ability to change in the workplace, BMore Learning Founder Jackie Martin felt a shift happening. After raising two millennials into their 20s, she noticed how defensive she felt when business leaders she was training talked about ♦ kids these days ♦. After all it was her kids and their generation at the center of the frustration. That launched passionate research into generational changes and exploring what these emerging professionals were missing in their skill-based education. She and her team began to imagine a world where students and young professionals were ready and equipped for life, could communicate clearly, and were confident and eager to learn in the workplace. With her savvy group of instructors and curriculum designers at A Matter of Motivation, they pointed their years of training experience toward a younger audience, students, to create a curriculum that provides fun, hands-on, experiential training on life, work, and social skills. Knowing that training sticks when trusted adults, parents, and employers encourage the same lessons, her team created resource-filled curriculum for parents as well. The very first BMore Learning Workshops were piloted in the Forsyth County School district for students and their parents to rousing success.



New Member Inductions

The Perfect Time to Join...

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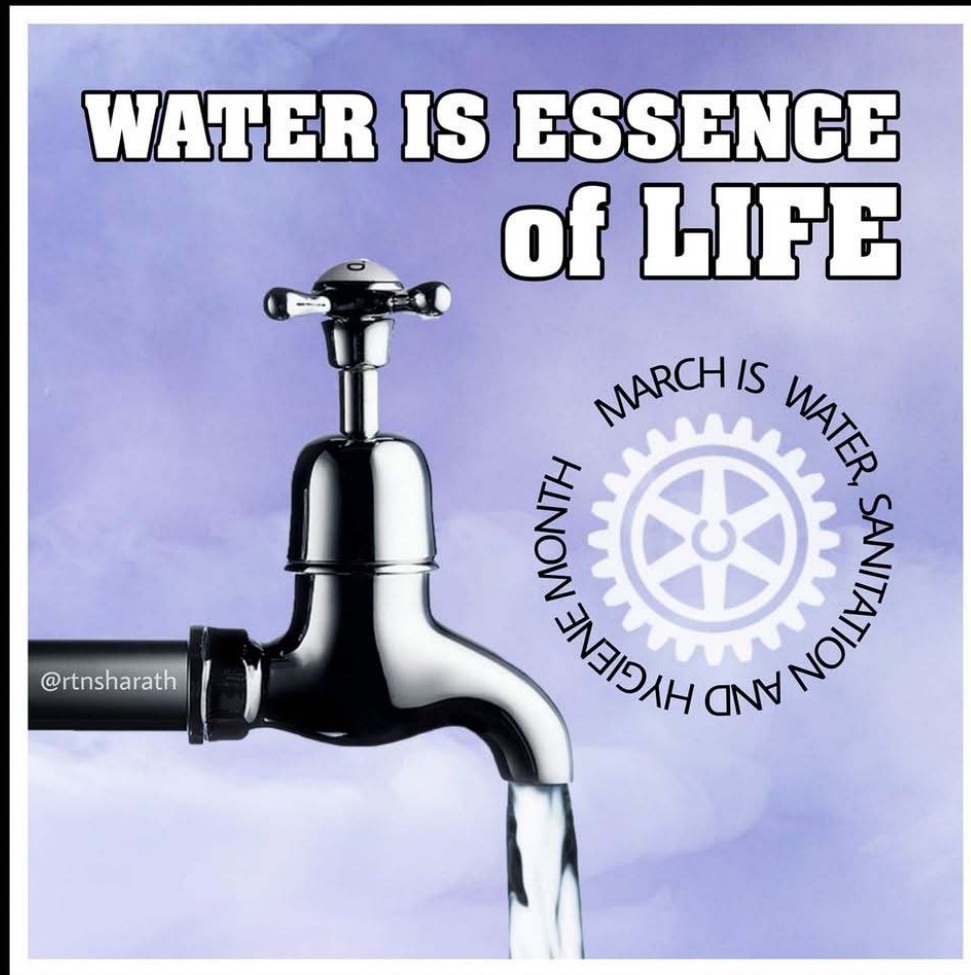
Jennifer Tarnowski ♦ sponsor Kate Maine



Michele Rasmussen ♦ sponsor Mike McGraw



March is Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Month



Support clean water for all

March is Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Month. Rotary's people of action mobilize resources, form partnerships, and invest in infrastructure and training that yield long-term change in communities' access to water and ability to stay healthy. Read about [Rotary's work to provide clean water and sanitation](#) and consider celebrating with a [gift to our Foundation](#) on World Water Day, March 22nd.

Upcoming Schedule

Date	Meeting or Event	Location
March 22, 2021	Jennifer Gross, Director of Community Engagement, BMore Learning by a Matter of Motivation ◆ BMore Learning ◆ Preparing Students for the Real World Reservation can be made by clicking below Eventbrite Registration	Gainesville First Baptist
March 25, 2021	Thirsty Thursday	Mellow Mushroom
March 29, 2021	NO MEETING ◆ Holy Week at FBG	
April 5, 2021	NO MEETING ◆ Spring Break	
April 12, 2021	Sheri C. Hardee, Ph.D., UNG ◆ Working Creatively to Address Critical Issues in Education Reservation can be made by clicking below Eventbrite Registration	Gainesville First Baptist
April 19, 2021	No Meeting	Board of Directors Zoom Meeting ◆ 11:00 am

April 26, 2021	Frank Norton, Jr., - ♦Annual Norton Native Intelligence Report♦	Gainesville First Baptist
May 3, 2021	No Meeting	
May 10, 2021	Shannon Casas, Editor in Chief, The Times ♦Changing Role of Local Newspapers in Today's Society♦	Gainesville First Baptist

Birthdays



[Kim English Marks](#)
March 24th



[Jon Peterson](#)
March 28th



[Larry Paul Griffeth](#)
March 28th

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries Found

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