

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

Links:

[Club Website](#)
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Club Leaders



[Ron G. Quinn](#)
President



[Christina D. Jones](#)
President-Elect



[Marsha Hopkins](#)
President-Nominee



[Joey Tripp](#)
Secretary



[Zachary T. Propes](#)
Treasurer



[Julia Gesch Hayes](#)
Membership Director



[William D. Lee](#)
Membership Vice Director



[Lindsay Allison](#)
Public Image Vice Director

Jere W. Morehead - President, UGA -



President Jere W. Morehead began his tenure as the 22nd University of Georgia President on July 1, 2013. Under his leadership, the University has risen in the rankings of the best public colleges and universities and has completed a series of initiatives to enhance student learning and success, including a requirement for experiential learning for all undergraduates.

President Morehead has served the University of Georgia since 1986 in both faculty and administrative roles. Before becoming President, he was Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost from 2010 to 2013. Prior to 2010, he held several key administrative assignments, including Vice President for Instruction, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs, Associate Provost and Director of the Honors Program, and acting Executive Director of Legal Affairs.

He is the Meigs Professor of Legal Studies in the Terry College of Business, where he has held a faculty appointment since 1986. He is a co-author of several books and book chapters, including *"The Legal and Regulatory Environment of Business,"* and he has published scholarly articles on legal topics ranging from export controls to jury selection. He has served as Editor-in-Chief of the *American Business Law Journal*.

President Morehead serves as Co-Chair of the University Leadership Forum, a national initiative led by the Council on Competitiveness. He also serves as Chair of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division I Board of Directors, a member of the NCAA Division I Administrative Committee, and a member of the NCAA Board of Governors. He previously served on the NCAA Presidential Forum; the Working Group on Name, Image, and Likeness; and the Federal and State Legislation Working Group. He is Past President of the Southeastern Conference (SEC). Additional service includes membership on the boards of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce, Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, Georgia Research Alliance, Atlanta Regional Council for Higher Education, and Emory University Candler School of Theology.

In 2021, he received the Chief Executive Leadership Award from the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education District III for outstanding leadership and service in support of education. He has received several University-wide teaching awards, including the Josiah Meigs Awardâ€”UGAâ€™s highest honor for teaching excellence, the Richard B. Russell Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching, the Teacher of the Year Award in the Terry College of Business, and the Lothar Tresp Outstanding Honors Professor Award. He also earned the UGA School of Lawâ€™s premier honor for alumni, the Distinguished Service Scroll Award.

President Morehead holds a bachelorâ€™s degree from Georgia State University and a law degree from the University of Georgia.



Carol M. Colón
Club Administration
Director



Robert E. Cuttino Jr
Sergeant-at-Arms



Jon Peterson
Rotary Foundation
Director



Michele L. Rasmussen
Public Image Director



Kathleen Owen
Club Administration
Vice Director



Chris Davis
Service Projects
Director



Liz Coates
Youth Services Vice
Director



Jennifer Tarnowski
Youth Services
Director



Mike McGraw
iPast President

Congratulations to our Annual Banquet 2024 Winners



Rotary District 6910 Annual District Conference Registration

— **District Conference 2024** —
Setting Sail for a Lake Expedition Convenient for Everyone!

Lanier Islands
one of Georgia's most exclusive retreats

**Registration and
Lodging
Now Open!**

April 26-28, 2024
Lanier Islands Legacy Lodge
Buford, Georgia

just a short drive north of Atlanta, Lanier Islands spans 1200 acres of breathtaking landscapes to explore, lavish & comfortable accommodations, and activities galore
~ Whatever Floats Your Boat! ~

Join fellow Rotarians for excitement, relaxation and unforgettable memories amidst nature's luxurious lake landscape

Plot Twist! ADVENTURE AWAITS!
Rotary District 6910 Conference
Choose a New Course for a Lake-based Expedition
Lanier Islands Rotary District 6910 Conference April 26-28, 2024

QUESTIONS? Contact Conference Co-Chairs
Jennifer Hendrickson at jhendrickson@ggc.edu or Mark Willis at mwillis@gsba.com

Our club is doing a manual group club registration. Please see Carol Colon if you are interested in attending the district conference.

We need your help with new Club Membership Directory



Club Directory 2024-25

We are beginning the process of publishing an updated Rotary membership directory for 2024-2025.

Purchasing Ads

In order to make this possible, the Club needs your support by purchasing ads to be printed in the directory. If you would like to have your ad placed in the new directory, please fill out the ad form and submit to Lindsay Allison at your earliest convenience. Forms will be sent via email and available during regular meetings.

Member Headshots

Members will have an opportunity for a new headshot to be included in the printed directory. A special thank you to Larry Griffeth for offering his services.

Please attend one of the following meeting dates if you would like a new headshot.

- February 26
- March 4
- March 18

Member Information

In the coming weeks, you will receive a member information form which includes the most recent information the club has on file for you as well as your new headshot. Please fill out and return these forms to Lindsay Allison. Forms will also be available to fill out during regular meeting times throughout the directory process.

Volunteers Needed for Ramp Build #157

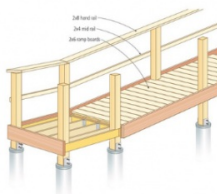
Rotary
Club of Gainesville
Ramp Team



Please see Lou Henderson or Chris Davis
for more details

RAMP BUILD #157

**MARCH 2, 2024
3881 CATO ROAD,
GAINESVILLE, GA 30507**



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Upcoming Schedule



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UPCOMING EVENTS SCHEDULE

MAR
4

Carol Burrell, Northeast Georgia Health System President and CEO - Game Changer Program

MAR
11

Richard Higgins, Hall County Commission Chair

MAR
14

Thirsty Thursday - Standard Service
5:00-7:00 pm

MAR
18

BOD Meeting: 11:00 am
Frank Norton and Philip Wilheit - Game Changer Program



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Birthdays



[John G. Breakfield](#)
February 25th



[Larry Jewett](#)
February 25th



[Peter Louis Henderson Jr.](#)
February 26th

[Glenn Earl Barnes](#)
February 27th



[Robert V. Norton](#)
March 1st



[James J. Adams](#)
March 1st



[Nicole Pleasant](#)
March 3rd

Wedding Anniversaries



[Matthew Scott
Dubnik](#)
February 26th



[Rob L. Fowler Jr.](#)
February 27th

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