

Rotary



Club of Johns Creek



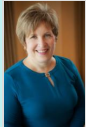
Speakers

July 15th
[Stephanie Ungashick](#)

July 22nd
[Mr. Bez Rengifo](#)

August 12th
[Allen Bowns, AG on District Rotary topics](#)

Club Leaders



[Marilyn Margolis](#)
President



[John Salter](#)
Club Learning
Facilitator
Treasurer
President-Elect



[Susan Brown](#)
Secretary



[Robert F. Scott Jr.](#)
Vice President



[Arthur E. Holst](#)
iPast President
Membership Chair
Retention Chair



[Gary L. Glover](#)
Rotary Foundation
Chair



[Michelle N. Pirkle](#)
Public Image Chair
Family of Rotary



[E. Allen Bowns](#)
On-To Conference
Chair



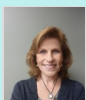
[Frederick Lee Miller](#)
Sergeant-at-Arms



[Abbe G. Poline](#)
Community Service
Chair
Service Projects Chair



[Julia Butka](#)
Club Programs Chair



[Sue Kay](#)
Club Fundraising Chair



[Lynn A. Carlson](#)
International Service
Chair
Past President

Rotary leaders lead us into the future

By Marilyn Margolis on Sunday, July 14, 2024

What a great meeting last week-we inducted two new members, Alex Lentz and Scot Jacobson. We learned about their heart for service and their decision to choose service above self. Welcome and thank you for your commitment to our club and community already! Then we had an impressive classification talk from our own Julia Budka. Who knew that Julia has had such an extensive career in a short time and is now helping people understand and manage their money? Her hubby, Nathan, and she had a wonderful friendship which bloomed into romance and had a wonderful wedding! She was heard saying that she has always gotten fulfillment from helping others, in all her jobs or leadership roles she has held.

After the meeting, I found this quote on the DacDB website, "Good leadership requires thought, planning, preparation, a willingness to try something new, not being bound by the past and the confidence to take risks." We are going to lean into all these skills to get to our true north goal of performing service, building our team and having fun.

Abbe Poline has been working on service projects and we are continuing our partnership with The Place, whose vision is "To improve lives collaboratively using the resources in our community." What a match for the Rotary vision and we are proud to be a part of this wonderful organization. In July we will be working with them on back-to-school backpacks for homeless students. Here is the Amazon website to donate: <https://a.co/61Z9nYS>

Please mention that you are a member of the Rotary of Johns Creek.

There will also be a list of items at Monday's meeting that you can purchase and bring to the meeting that will be delivered to The Place.

We will also work with them on the Holiday House, Orange Duffel Bag Program and Financial Literacy for the students at The Place. We will also have a few team building experiences with them on a club serve day and do a lunch/learn at The Place on August 26th for a tour and lunch. Abbe is working on getting all the service projects, the social events with Michelle Pirkle and other important dates on one calendar so that you have a full year reference. We will also do a quarterly road clean up and the dates will be shared at our meeting on Monday (and, of course, be on the calendar).

BUT wait, there's more.... Arthur has agreed to head up our journey with Impact Clubs. Michelle had some great ideas how this can work for us and Arthur is serving on the District Board and is getting information from that group.

Can't wait to get this party started. Yours in Service, Marilyn



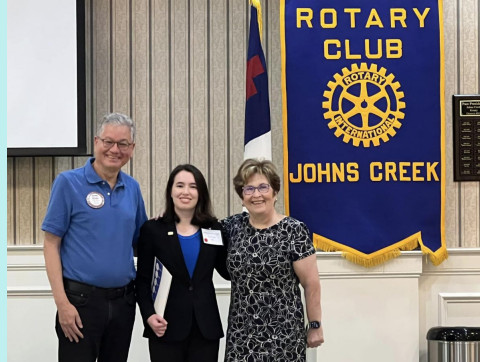
[Bob Ostapower](#)
Club Fundraising Chair

Great First Meeting of the Rotary Year

The new Rotary year, under President Marilyn Margolis, got off to a great start this past Monday with the induction of two new club members, Alex Lentz (sponsored by Marilyn Margolis) and Scot Jacobson (sponsored by Michael McCullar and Scot Jacobson).



[Ansleigh Cagle](#)
RYLA Coordinator
Interact Club Sponsor
Youth Services Chair



Then we heard a great classification talk from Julia Butka, our new Program Chair.



Save the Date - July 29, 2024

Sunday, July 14, 2024

First Rotary Social of the Year
Monday, July 29, 2024
5 pm - 7 pm
Six Bridges Brewing

The club will provide a Mexican Taco Bar.
It's a BYOB (Buy Your Own Beer) event.

Rotary Fellowship Fund

Sunday, July 14, 2024

Marilyn Margolis recently announced the newly formed Rotary Fellowship Fund as follows:

Fellowship Fund Membership

- **Goal-** Grow the number of members that will generate innovative ideas, more donors to events, young members participation and secure the future of Rotary.
- Offer a Fellowship fund rate for members who don't have corporate sponsorship and cannot manage the Rotary membership
- Create a Fellowship Fund as a line item in the Operational Budget of the club to assist in covering members who need assistance. Established Rotarians can contribute to this to assist new members. Annually the unused balance will go directly to the operational budget.
- Board approval is unchanged for all new members as well as the sponsorship award based on need.
- There will be a request of consideration for all established Rotary members to donate to the Young Professionals fund, which is totally voluntary.
- The fellowship fund approval will be reviewed twice a year.

Fellowship Fund Fee Structure:

- The Fellowship Fund is available for two years at the \$1200.00/ year fee structure.
- All applicants must complete a form for approval by the board. This is completely confidential and available to current members and new members based on the ability to pay for a two year period.
- If a change in the ability to pay or If reimbursed by their organization, the fellowship fund recipient has a responsibility to notify the board president.
- All would be subject to board approval based on need.
- All fellowship members are required to pay \$150.00 per year to cover application fees. Also must follow all Rotary guidelines and participate in service projects.

If you find yourself in a situation where the Rotary Fellowship Fund may apply, please see Marilyn Margolis or Arthur Holst for an application.

The Four-Way Test



Events

No Events found

Birthdays

[Bob Ostapower](#)
July 20th

[Frederick Lee Miller](#)
August 5th