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Imagine A World of Peace

February Message from DG Gerry Taylor

Sunday, February 5, 2023



GET ON BOARD...

MONTHLY MESSAGE FROM DG GERRY TAYLOR

February is Peace and Conflict Resolution month. Peace is a major effort in our Rotary World. Rotary International has Peace Centers in various parts of the world in conjunction with major universities that produce Peace and Conflict Resolution graduates. One of those recent graduates will be making a presentation at our District Conference in Chattanooga in April. GRSP was also established as a peace initiative and was started just after World War 2 as a program to promote world peace. It still flourishes today. Also, our district just completed its third \$25,000 international grant with Ukraine. During February, I hope that each of our clubs will do something to promote Peace and Conflict Resolution.

I have completed all 71 club visits for this Rotary Year, and I have to tell you that every club visit was wonderful. Each club is moving forward and doing amazing things in their community and around the world. I couldn't be more proud of all of you and appreciate your leadership! District 6910 is truly one of the finest districts in the world for many reasons, and each of you have made that possible.

As I write this message, District 6910 is number 1 in our Zone and in all of North America for net new members. District 6910 is the number 2 district in the world for the percent of sustaining members donating \$25 or more to The Rotary Foundation annually. We also have been the number 1 District in the world donating to Polio Plus for the last several years. These are amazing accomplishments that make us all proud.

Lastly, our District Conference in Chattanooga in April is where we will be celebrating

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District Events

February 11th
[Rotary Learning Institute - Lake Oconee](#)

February 16th
[Rotary Means Business at Kettlerock Brewing!](#)

February 23rd
[Rotary International Birthday](#)

March 3-5th
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Zones 33-34



individual and club achievements. Will you be there? "Get on Board the Rotary Express."

- DG Gerry Taylor

GRSP Fosters Peace through International Scholars

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Georgia Rotary Student Program commemorates the Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution Month through education and public awareness as our one-of-a-kind program has been bringing nations together since 1946. GRSP's purpose for the last 77 years has been to develop potential global leaders who promote understanding and peace around the world.

[Read More](#)

PEACE, OH WHAT A GLORIOUS TIME.
WHEN MAN ON EARTH IN PERFECT RHYME
WILL CO-EXIST IN HARMONY.
PEACE, OH WHAT A GLORIOUS TIME!

Meet our Members - Valentine's Day Edition A Story on a Couple that Believes in Serving

Ed Sternberg & Cathy O'Gara | Rotary Club of Union

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TWO FOR THE ROAD

From Manhattan's Lower East Side to the mountains of Berkshire County, Massachusetts, to sunny St. Thomas in the U.S. Virgin Islands and currently North East Georgia, Cathy O'Gara and Ed Sternberg have enjoyed 52 years of marriage and successful careers.

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Let's Celebrate Rotary's birthday: Key Landmarks

By Anu Narula on Sunday, February 5, 2023

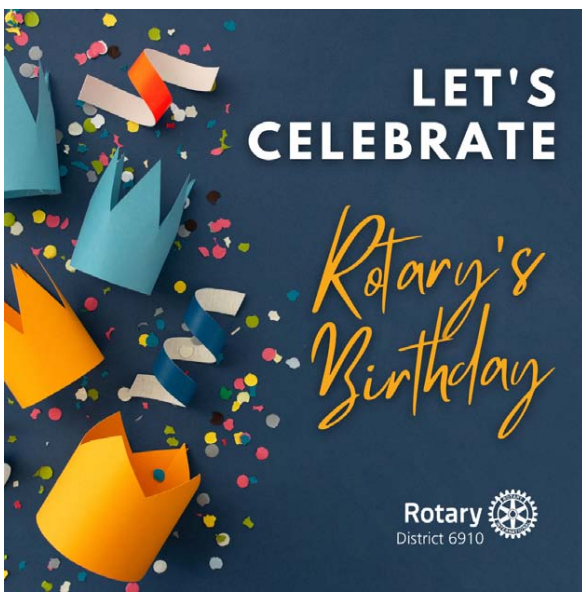
Join us as we celebrate the birthday of Rotary during the month of February. Learn about some significant events that lead to the worldwide organization that we know and serve today. [Read More](#)



FEB. 23RD - APRIL
23RD, 2023

IDEAS TO PARTICIPATE

- Give a gas gift card to someone at the gas station
- Give away a store gift card (i.e., Walmart, Target, etc.)
- Help someone in need (i.e., carry groceries to the car)
- Help someone with garden and yard work
- Help repair someone's home
- Share your "you've been served" experience on social media
- Donate to a worthwhile cause and invite others to join you
- Pay for someone's groceries or give away gift cards for groceries at the supermarket
- Treat someone to a cup of coffee
- Buy someone breakfast, lunch, dinner or a snack
- Offer to help someone engaged



Rotary Convention Corner

Get to Know District Conference Keynote Speaker Past RI President John Germ

We are excited and honored to have Past RI President John Germ as our Saturday night keynote speaker at the Rotary District Conference in Chattanooga.

[READ MORE](#)> Not Registered for District Convention in Chattanooga? Act now, the conference almost sold out!! [Register Here](#)>



Rotary around the District and In the News:

[Dawson County doctor helps minister to Ukrainians in their home](#)

['Builders of the community': Rotary Club of Gainesville marks 100th year](#)

[Canton Rotary honors community leaders for professional excellence country](#)

[ATLANTA'S HELPINGUKRAINE.US HUMANITARIAN COMMUNITY CONVENES FOR VOLUNTEER SENDOFF](#)

- breakfast, lunch, dinner or a snack
- Offer to help someone engaged in a task to complete it



#ROTARYSERVES

February

PEACE & RESOLUTION
CONVENTION



Jake and Elwood have spoken and “we’re bringing back the band!”

We’ve been listening and we keep hearing about so many musically talented Rotarians, all over our district. Is that you? Yes you! Would you like to hear a concert and jam session comprised of an entirely Rotarian Band? Do you play a musical instrument? Would you be interested in discussing the possibility of putting together a District 6910 band/musical group? The possibilities are endless in the area of music service, collaboration, education, and even fundraising.

If you are interested in sharing your musical talent and leadership in fully exploring these possibilities, please send your contact information with musical talent to Bobby Hildreth at rotarybobbyhildreth@gmail.com. We also welcome you sharing the musical talents of Rotary Family as well. We can’t wait to “rock out” together!



Ideas to Support Peace & Conflict Resolution in Your Community:

- Hold an awareness event at a local PEACE Pole.
- Host a learning event that allows participants to learn about each other and embrace differences.
- Host a kindness rocks project.
- Create a public service campaign that uses Rotary.org resources
- Sponsor a DEI conversation about your community
- Partner with a local service organization to support their efforts.

Have a great way your club can impact and bring

INTRODUCING



ARE YOU PLANNING ON RUNNING THE 2023 PEACHTREE ROAD RACE?

Would you like to be a part of the Rotary Run Club?

- INCLUDES A CUSTOM RACE SHIRT
- POST RACE EVENT
- HELP BRAND ROTARY

JOIN THE EMAIL LIST FOR INFO

 SEND YOUR INFO TO ABOWNS@JOHNSCREEKDENTAL.COM



awareness to peace & conflict resolution?

Send them to us at pidistrict6910@gmail.com. Share on social media and make sure to use the hashtags #RD6910, #thelongestnight, #homeless and tag us at @RotaryDistrict6910

Pics 'n' Vids from January 2023

By Cathy O'Gara



Check out the best pics from around the District and Zone from the beginning of the year! [Read More>](#)

FEBRUARY IS PEACE & CONFLICT PREVENTION MONTH



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“Imagine all the people
living life in peace. You may
say that I'm a dreamer, but
I'm not the only one. I hope
someday you'll join us and
the world will be as one.”


- John Lennon



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 Rotary District 6910

Volunteers Needed



We need volunteers with Graphic Design
and Social Media skills for the District PI
Team! This is a part time volunteer position.

Send your interest of questions to
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