



ROTARY THROBS

MONDAY, September 9, 2019

Macon Transit Authority Upgrades Craig Ross

If you would like to know more about our programs, go to the DACdb club calendar on either your phone or desktop. The Club Program Chair, Ivey Hall, has added a brief description of upcoming programs.

FUTURE MONDAY PROGRAMS approved by the Board of Directors

September

16	Wesleyan College Update	Dr. Vivia Fowler
23	Central Georgia Technical College Update	Dr. Ivan Allen
30	Ocmulgee National Park and Preserve	Brian Adams

October

7	District Governor Mike Muldowney	
14	No Meeting	Columbus Day Holiday
21	Middle Georgia State University	Dr. Christopher Blake
28	Georgia Farm Bureau Hurricane Recovery	David Jolley CFO

November

4	Birthday Tables Foundation Meeting	Anthony Holloman/George Lee
11	Crimestoppers	Macon Centreplex
18	Subject TBD	Pat Mitchell
25	No Meeting	Thanksgiving Holiday

Past Presidents Dinner-September 17th

All Past Presidents of our club and any member that has been a Past President of any Rotary Club is invited to our Annual Past Presidents Dinner. This is the time when all past presidents share their experiences and wisdom to benefit President Fred. There will be a brief board meeting for our board at 6pm prior to the dinner at 7pm. All current board members are expected to attend the dinner. It will be held September 17th at Idle Hour Country Club. Rusty Bradford is coordinating RSVP – watch for his email or you can email him at <mailto:rusty@maconjanitor.com> to confirm your attendance.

Meeting Report
September 2, 2019
Coins for Alzheimer Research Collections \$0
Attendance 0%

No meeting held Labor Day Holiday

Raffle: Raffle is “on hold” for a couple of months.

Vocational Spotlight

See <http://maconrotary.com/vocational-spotlight.php> to read more information on Rotarians featured monthly on our website <http://maconrotary.com>

If you would like to be included in a Vocational Spotlight, please contact Sam Hollis

Dates to Remember

September 17 Board Meeting + Past Presidents Dinner Idle Hour Country Club

Approved Makeups-Family of Rotary Events

Reminder - Makeups can only be used 2 weeks before or after a missed meeting

August 22 Macon Magazine 5 under 40 Celebration Reception 5:30-7:30 473 Hawthorne St
August 24 Macon Beer Festival
August 24, 25, 29, 30,31,Sept 1 Theatre Macon 12th Night William Shakespeare 8:00 2:30 7:30
8:00 2:30 Check with box office to attend
September 11 Author Judge Richard Gergel “Unexampled Courage” Pierce Chapel Wesleyan
College 7pm
September 13 Habitat’s Home court Tennis & Pickleball Tournament Tattnell Square Tennis
Center Register at maconhabitat.org/homecourt
Anytime Rotary Project or Rotary Committee Meeting
Anytime Volunteer at Volunteer Clinic
Anytime Live stream of Macon Rotary Club meeting on FaceBook when available
<https://www.facebook.com/TheMaconRotaryClub/>

Club Membership Applications

Our club is using a new membership application. It can be found on maconrotary.com or contact Cindy Gibson, Membership Chair, any board member or officer or the Club Administrator and all we need is the potential members name and email address to send an application to them for the potential member to complete and submit online.

All members of our club need to think about who would make good Rotarians. There are many classifications that could be filled. If you know of someone check with Kathryn Dennis, Classification Chair first to make sure there are no conflicts with other members. The process is easy and rewarding to bring in new members.

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Excused Absence

Members have the opportunity to receive a board approved Excused Absence during a long-term family, health, or business crisis. When a member realizes they have a situation that will keep them from attending Monday meetings for an extended period they can contact the Club Administrator or President with the reason. This contact needs to be immediate and not after the crisis. The board can approve a beginning and ending date and attendance is excused on club and district level. Short term absences are best made up online as indicated below.

HOW TO MAKE UP MISSED MEETINGS

Please make up missed meetings to help our club's attendance percentage rank with District 6920 and Rotary International. Our attendance is reported each month to the district and is required to be reported before the 15th of the following month. **Members are required to maintain an attendance average of 60%.**

Missed meetings must be made up **14 days before or after the meeting you miss**, it is in our club's Constitution!

You can make up from the comfort of your home or office online at <http://rotaryclubone.org/> They will email a notice of the makeup to the Club Administrator and you will be credited.

When you make up at another club please send an email immediately afterwards to the Club Administrator, cecilcoke210@gmail.com so your makeup can be recorded. Do not expect the club where you make up to report to our club.