

The Geechee Greeter

The Official Weekly Bulletin of The Rotary Club of Savannah South in Savannah, GA

A 100% Paul Harris Club
Founded in 1981

Monday, August 14, 2023

This Week's Program - Natatia VanEllison - Toastmasters and Rotary Alliance



Club Meeting

Savannah South
Meets at Carey Hilliard's
Private Banquet Hall
11111 Abercorn Extension
Savannah, GA 31419
Time: Tuesday at 12:30 PM

Speakers

September 12, 2023
Katheryne Fields - GRSP
Program Director

Birthdays

Robert Austin Vinyard
August 16th
Rebecca Leigh Page
August 20th
Maxwell Greenberg
August 24th
Byron Loomis
September 3rd

Years of Service

H. John Hoffman
07-01-1993
31 Years
Carolyn Amanda Brooks
07-21-2009
15 Years
Steve Pound
07-23-2013
11 Years



Natatia VanEllison, DTM, Distinguished Toastmaster

Natatia (pronounced Natasha) VanEllison is a recently retired SCCPSS Herschel V. Jenkins High School Educator and a Toastmaster since 1996. After a hiatus, she rejoined Toastmasters International in 2015. Natatia received her Distinguished Toastmasters (DTM) Award, the highest achievement in Toastmasters, in 2019 under the Traditional Toastmasters Program and before the new Pathways program rolled out. Natatia is on her way to earning her second DTM Award under the Pathways program by July 1, 2024.

Natatia is an active Savannah Toastmasters Preparing Speakers (STPS) President's Distinguished Club member and co-founder. She is the club's Immediate Past President and secretary-treasurer. She is also a member of the Small Business Chamber (SBC), coined as the lunchtime club, where she is the club's Immediate Past Vice President of Public Relations (VPPR), and the Advanced Online Presenters Toastmasters Club, where she served as Secretary for 2022-2023, and where all continents are representative as members.

Natatia is a recent co-founder of Bubby Toastmasters Club (Corporate) and a Pepsi-Cola affiliation; the official chartering ceremony will occur on August 30th. She has served in all of the leadership roles at the club level (e.g., President, Vice President Education, Vice President Membership, Vice President Public Relations, Treasurer, Secretary, and Sergeant at Arms) and district level as Area H Director (2019-2020) and (2021-2022), and now, Division H Director (2023-2024), overseeing 17 Toastmasters clubs and empowering four Area Directors who serve and support Division H Areas 81, 82, 83, and 84.

Natatia is a Toastmasters Addict and lifelong learner! Behind every lifelong learner and hardworking woman is a highly supportive and loving husband. Natatia has been married to her best friend and the love of her life, Darryl, for 32 years.

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All Clubs Conference Registration Will Open in

Jacquelyn Emblar Ogden
07-14-2015
9 Years

Lisa S. Harrington
07-16-2021
3 Years

Brian Dawsey
07-16-2021
3 Years

September

We have a Member thinking about organizing a day trip to and from the District Conference for the Friday afternoon activities. The day would include transportation from Savannah to the conference and back. More details and a survey to gauge interest are coming soon.

This year's District Conference April 26 to April 28 will be on Jekyll Island. Save the DATE! Registration for the Conference - open to all Rotarians - will open in September. Stay tuned for more details.



Club Leaders



Brian Dawsey
President



Jazmine Spicer
President-Elect



Robert Chad Reese
Secretary
iPast President



Doyle Devon Kelley Jr.
Treasurer



Anne M. Cordeiro
Club Director



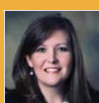
Stacey Marie Glassman
Club Director



Jason M Harper
Club Director



Mike McCann
Membership Chair
Public Image Chair



Rebecca Leigh Page
Sergeant-at-Arms



Maliece S Whatley
Foundation Chair



Carolyn Amanda Brooks
Club Programs
Chair



Michael O'Neal
Assistant Governor

Seeking a way to help Hawaii



August 9, 2023 was a tragic day for the Island of Maui. The fires across the island have changed lives forever. Truly devastating. If you are seeking a way to help, there are two at least two options. You can donate to Rotary International's Disaster Relief Fund rotary.org/3qsTvMs or you can donate to a [special Maui Fires Relief Fund](#) set up by Hawaii's Rotary District. (Helpful hint: Click on the words special Maui Fires Relief Fund. Link too long to insert

here.)

Meeting Assignments

If you are the Greeter or selling 50/50 tickets, please be at the meeting no later than 12:00 p.m. If you cannot fulfill your role, particularly 50/50 tickets, please find someone to do so.

Date	Greeter	50/50 Tickets	Invocation/Pledge	Fines
August 15	Annis, Kevin	Babcock, Michael	Pound, Steve	Meyer, Paul
August 22	Vineyard, Bob	Witbeck, Greg	Turner, Matt	Peter Muller
August 29	Thomas, Jere	Sullivan, Michael	Semmes, Rafe	Reese, Chad
September 5	NO MEETING			
September 12	Sanders, Billy	Greenberg, Max	Lewis, Steve	Miller, Tommy

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Missed a Meeting? Visit another Club or Make up Online

Find area clubs and their meeting times or visit Rotary [eClub online](#). Please note that club information is subject to change from time to time, and like our club, a club may have a special program and not be meeting on its normal day.

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