

The Geechee Greeter

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

A 100% Paul Harris Club
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Paul Harris Fellow Recognition Planned for September 19

District Governor Felix Smith will recognize our recent Paul Harris Fellows (PHF) and multiple PHF recipients and other Foundation giving achievements during his official club visit on September 19. So, now is a wonderful time to take advantage of our club's matching campaign to help you become a Paul Harris Fellow or to achieve your next level before his visit. Questions? Reach out to [Maliece Whatley](mailto:Maliece.Whatley) at whatley402@gmail.com or 912-663-3133.

This Week's Program - Michael Chriszt - Vice President Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta



Natatia VanEllison, DTM, Distinguished Toastmaster

Michael Chriszt is vice president and regional engagement officer in the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta's Corporate Engagement Division. In this role, he serves as the Atlanta Fed's lead public engagement officer focusing on smaller cities and towns, as well as rural areas, in the Sixth District, connecting directly with citizens to explain the Federal Reserve and its policy decisions, and he in turn learns how the economy is affecting their lives. He shares this information with the Bank's senior leaders and other policy experts throughout the Atlanta Fed to deepen understanding of the District economy.

Prior to assuming his current responsibilities, Chriszt was a vice president and public affairs officer, where he led the Bank's outreach and communications efforts. Before joining Public Affairs, he worked in the Atlanta Fed's Research Department, where he held numerous positions, including leadership positions in the Bank's Regional Economic Information Network.

While at Miami University in Ohio, Chriszt earned two bachelor's degrees, one in history and one in diplomacy and foreign affairs. He also earned a master's degree there in political science with emphases on international economics and



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

September 19, 2023
[Felix M Smith Jr.](#)
DG Official Visit

Birthdays

Maxwell Greenberg
August 24th

Byron Loomis
September 3rd

H. John Hoffman
September 20th

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

Jacquelyn Emblar Ogden
07-14-2015

9 Years

Lisa S. Harrington
07-16-2021

3 Years

Brian Dawsey
07-16-2021

3 Years

comparative politics.

Chriszt is a member of the National Association of Business Economists and the Atlanta Economics Club, where he served as president from 2015 to 2017. He also serves on the advisory board of the Michael J. Coles College of Business at Kennesaw State University and the board of the Georgia Council on Economic Education. A native of Cleveland, Ohio, Chriszt is married to Maxine, and they have five children and three grandchildren.

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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 22	Vineyard, Bob	Witbeck, Greg	Turner, Matt	Peter Muller
August 29	See you to Bar! Bar! on Wilmington Island 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.			
September 5	NO MEETING			
September 12	Sanders, Billy	Greenberg, Max	Lewis, Steve	Miller, Tommy

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