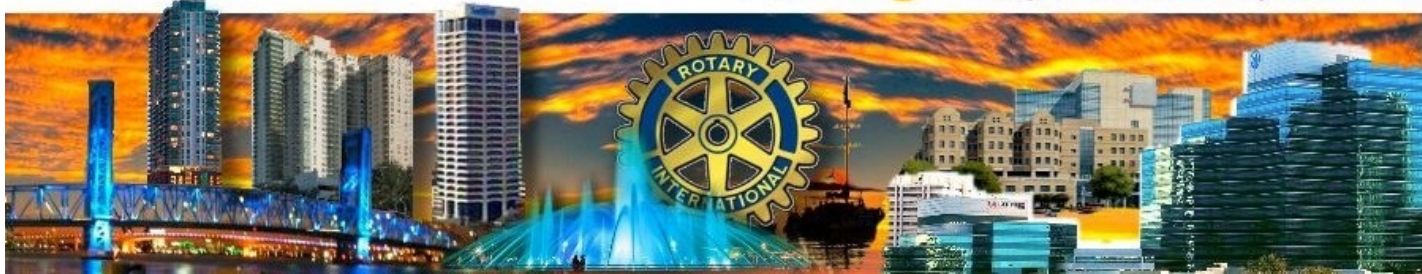




South Jacksonville Rotary



Putting Service Above Self since 1955



Club Meeting

South Jacksonville
Meets at Doubletree Hotel
1201 Riverplace Blvd
Jacksonville, FL 32207
Time: Tuesday at 12:30 PM

Events

September 3rd
[Labor Day week-no lunch meeting](#)
September 7th
[South Jacksonville Family Friendly Social](#)
September 10th
[Aundra Wallace](#)
September 24th
[Board Of Directors lunch meeting](#)
September 24th
[No lunch meeting-Social week](#)

Birthdays



[William M Traer III](#)
September 3rd



[Randy Gordon](#)
September 5th



[George F Armstrong](#)
September 7th



[PP Thomas Ranney Jr.](#)
September 8th



[William H. Harrell](#)
September 9th



[PP William R. Jaycox](#)
September 10th



[Megan Madrid](#)
September 21st



[John R Pope](#)

President's Corner



This week in Rotary, even though we did not have a lunch meeting, our club and its members have been busy! Ten of us made the decision to attend the Vibrant Clubs Seminar hosted by the district. We had 9 of our members attend the event. It was great to see folks out on a Saturday learning more about Rotary and what we can do as Rotarians to have an impact in our communities and our clubs.

The second board meeting of the year was also conducted this past week. First, let me thank all of you for your engagement in the well-being of our club; 78% of our members responded to the budget survey. After reviewing the responses and the corresponding comments, the board is recommending an increase in dues of \$160 annually for active members and \$40 annually for R85 members. This covers the increase in dues from both RI, the District, for active members. This recommendation of the board will be voted upon at our next lunch meeting during the business portion of our agenda. Treasurer Ryan, Vice President John, and myself will be meeting to revise our budget assumptions and get an approved budget in place for this Rotary year. I am very proud to be a part of a board that is so engaged and looking out for the best interest of the entire club membership and our club's future. Making decisions like this can be difficult. A few great long strategies have also been presented to keep our club financially viable well into the future. More to come on this as ideas are developed into action plans.

Last but definitely not least, our social at Volunteers in Medicine (VIM), [Our Story | Free Medical Clinic, Jacksonville, FL | Volunteers In Medicine Jacksonville \(vimjax.org\)](#) sponsored by Bacardi was just simply fabulous. The new facility is so thoughtfully laid out for its patients and volunteers. CEO Jennifer Ryan was so hospitable and informative. She conducted tours of the facility herself, shared the VIM story and history and also shared a great video with us highlighting the patients they serve. Talk about community impact and service about self. And if you did not know, our very own Lynn Bauman is Board Chair of VIM, and Bacardi Ambassador. Bacardi was our very generous sponsor of our refreshments. And a shout out to Maria Matromatteo at VIM for the amazing charcuterie she put together for us. Oh, I would be remiss if I did not mention the well-equipped basket Bacardi raffled off last night. Pics are somewhere in The Gear. Can you guess who won the basket?

Enjoy the long holiday weekend. Happy Labor Day to you. There is no lunch meeting next week due to the holiday, but we are having a family-friendly social at club member Jen May's community pool, Saturday, September 7th. It starts at 11. Bring your sunscreen! Check out The Gear and the calendar for more info. Be safe and see you soon!

Date	Greeter	Pledge/Prayer	Intro Guests	Craft/Industry Talk or PP Minute/History	Intro Speaker	SaA Team
03-Sep-24	No Club Meeting-Labor Day week					
10-Sep-24 Club Meeting	Gloger, Vicki-lynn	Booth, Edward M. Jr.	Shewey, Mike	Scott, Richard Dean		
17-Sep-24 Club Meeting		Borello, Mark	Shad, Cole	Stringer, Jan		
24-Sep-24	No Club Meeting					



September 23rd

Rotary Pool Social - End of Summer Splash

Please RSVP

Years of Service



Edward M. Booth Jr.
07-07-1987
38 Years



Ricardo Morales III
07-31-1990
35 Years



PP Richard Dean Scott
07-07-1998
27 Years



Mitchell Ghaneie
07-01-2022
3 Years



Michael B. Hotaling
07-01-2022
3 Years

Wedding Anniversaries



Jay Plotkin
September 8th



Bernie Lucking
September 15th



Lisa Kennedy
September 15th



There's a pool, kiddie pool, & splash pad and we will grill lunch.
We have a gazebo (the one by the lap pool with the grill - opposite from last year) reserved for us.
Bring a side or snack to share! Invite a guest or friend!

There is no gate to the subdivision. Park anywhere at the amenity center. At the building, there is an attendant and let them know you are with the Rotary Social / Jennifer May, and they will direct you to the gazebo to the right by the lap pool and the grills. Feel free to grab any lounge chair by the pools too.

There is a kiddie pool at the front, a splash pad and a regular pool too! No big floats are allowed and no open alcohol either.

We will have hot dogs and burgers or chicken sliders. If you'd like to grill something else, feel free to bring it! Feel free to bring a side to share!

Please RSVP along with guests so we have an adequate headcount.

Contact Jen May 386-852-9095 or Jennifer.may@haskell.com

Bartram Springs Club House
14530 Cherry Lake Drive E
Jacksonville, FL 32258

[RSVP for ReThread](#)



Preparing leather for resale items made by those exposed to human trafficking.

September 26, 2024

Volunteers needed 1:30p - 4:30p

51 E 9th St

Jacksonville, FL 32206



Volunteers In Medicine Social

This Week's Topic: No Meeting Labor Day





**No Meeting September 3
Happy Labor Day**

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