

# Rotary



# Club of Hendersonville-Four Seasons

Sunday, November 27, 2022

## Nov. 28: Certified Cannabis Banking (Ross Sloan)

By Tiffany Ervin on Wednesday, November 9, 2022

Join us on Monday, Nov. 28 to hear from Ross Sloan, the current president of the Rotary Club of Asheville.

Ross is SVP of Hemp & Cannabis Banking for West Town Bank & Trust. He is a graduate of Davidson College, with a B.A. in History. Ross' 36-year banking career has included roles in retail banking, business banking, commercial banking and middle market banking. In his current role, he works with others at the bank to serve hemp and cannabis related businesses throughout the U.S. by providing deposit accounts, merchant services and other financial services solutions. Ross' volunteer work includes serving as a member of the Cannabis Financial Institutions Group of the National Cannabis Roundtable, president of the Rotary Club of Asheville and as a board member of the Montreat Conference Center.

Ross and his wife, Martha, live in the Asheville area with their brown dog, Scout.

## Upcoming Meeting Schedule

By Tiffany Ervin

**November - Rotary Foundation Month - Program Chair: Melissa Johnson**

Monday, Nov. 28: Hemp/Cannabis Banking (Ross Sloan)

**December - Rotary Family Month - Program Chair: Cristina Hull**

Saturday, Dec. 3: Bellingring for Salvation Army (Sam's Club)

Monday, Dec. 5: Henderson County Health Dept

Monday, Dec. 12: Club Holiday Party (Joye's house - see separate story for more info)

Monday, Dec. 19: NO MEETING

Monday, Dec. 26: NO MEETING

Monday, Jan. 2: NO MEETING

January Program Chair: Wade Saunders

February Program Chair: John Linkous

## Rescue Mission-November Servers

By Tiffany Ervin on Sunday, November 27, 2022



Thank you MJ and Stella Saunders (and friends who were visiting for the holiday!) for serving lunch on Saturday at the Hendersonville Rescue Mission. Please sign up for one month in 2023 by emailing Bob at [bnksb562@gmail.com](mailto:bnksb562@gmail.com).

## Club Meeting

Hendersonville-Four Seasons Meets at Janitzio Mexican Restaurant, 1053 Spartanburg Hwy, Hendersonville, NC. Mondays, 5:30 - 6:30 PM 1053 Spartanburg Hwy Hendersonville, NC 28792 Time: Monday at 05:30 PM

## Club Leaders



Eugene M. Carr III  
President



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Wade Saunders  
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## District Leaders



Tammy Mosteller  
District Governor



Sean Gibson  
DG-Elect



Connie M. Molland  
DG-Nominee

## Birthdays

## Four Seasons Rotary Holiday Party-Save The Date!

By Tiffany Ervin

Our newest member, Joye Haynes-Ganger, has offered to host this year's Holiday Party for our members and partners!

Mark your calendar for Mon, Dec. 12th, 5:30pm. Holiday Attire, Potluck (bring an appetizer or finger food dish to share), BYOB, and Joye will provide a selection of desserts!

No gift swap - just fun, food and fellowship. There is plenty of parking - the address is 5 Shallow Valley Drive, Hendersonville. There's even a downstairs "man cave" complete with billiards. Hope to see you there!

## Salvation Army Bell Ringing Saturday, December 3, 2022

By Richard E. Miley

As a Four Seasons Rotary tradition, we will again be ringing the bell at the Salvation Army Red Kettle this year at Sam's Club in Hendersonville on Saturday, December 3, 2022, beginning at 10:00 am.

Two ringers (family members are welcome) are needed for each of the following time slots: 10 - 11:30 am, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm, 1:00 - 2:30 pm, 2:30 - 4:00 pm, 4:00 - 5:30 pm and 5:30 - 7:00 pm.

Please email or text your preference to Dick Miley ([remiley45@gmail.com](mailto:remiley45@gmail.com) or 828-551-6988).

## District Foundation

By Tiffany Ervin on Sunday, November 20, 2022

President Elect Michele and Past Presidents Chris & Melissa represented us this weekend at the Rotary District 7670 Foundation banquet. The event recognized participants in the Million Dollar Dinner (our club had two - Gene Carr and Cristina Hull) and featured Foundation Trustee Larry Lunsford as the guest speaker.



Cristina Hull  
November 3rd

### Wedding Anniversaries



Robert Engstrom  
November 19th

### Years of Service



Steven Ray  
Studebaker  
11-11-2003  
19 Years



Michael S. Hall  
11-01-2004  
18 Years



Melissa D. Johnson  
11-11-2014  
8 Years



John Linkous  
11-15-2021  
1 Year



Joshua J Farrier  
11-07-2022  
0 Years



Joye Haynes-Ganger  
11-07-2022  
0 Years