

Rotary

Club of Mecklenburg County-South, NC



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Home Club of District Governor Beth Trotter 2019-2020

Home Club of District Governor Debb Corbett 2023-2024

Welcome Sarah Hardinger, President of Mecklenburg Historical Association!!!!



Sarah Sue Hardinger is President of the Mecklenburg Historical Association. She is also a member of the Board of the Hugh Torrance House and Store, Inc., where she is a Docent and Lead Historian and an active member of the Vesuvius Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution based in Denver, NC.

She is an 18th century reenactor with the First Mecklenburg Militia, a living historian of the late 18th century and early 19th century, and an author of a historical novel on the first twelve years of the Jamestown settlement. She is currently writing two books, one on the Seven Sister Presbyterian Churches of Revolutionary Mecklenburg County and a new biography of the signers of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence.

Club Meeting

Mecklenburg County-South
Meets at Hyatt House Charlotte,
Rea Farms (9930 Sandy Rock
Place)
9930 Sandy Rock Place
Charlotte, NC 28277
Time: Friday at 07:15 AM

Speakers

May 17, 2024

Sarah Sue Hardinger, President
of Mecklenburg Historical
Association

The Mecklenburg Declaration of
Independence

May 31, 2024

BMOF
BMOF 2024 Kickoff
Presentation

Club Leaders



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Club Director
Club Service Chair



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President-Nominee



Jonathan Todd
Greene
Club Director



Frank Henry
Bulletin Editor
Public Relations Chair

Roof Above Lunch Assembly last Friday

Last week there was a great turnout of members to assemble 200 lunches for the Roof Above Men's Shelter. GREAT work Meck South helping homeless men in need of a meal in our community.



Celebrating Safety Patrols at Pineville Elementary School

This week, the 30 Safety Patrol members at Pineville Elementary School celebrated the year with a pizza party, and were awarded certificates. Meck South has sponsored this program the past few years from it's beginning at the school. Please see the pmail Jill Bastian sent out earlier this week for the many comments the kids shared about what it means to them to be on the safety patrol. The comments will warm your heart. Future Rotarians are definitely coming out of this group of 4th and 5th graders.



Upcoming Service Projects in May and June

By Jill Bastian

Friday, June 14th Service Project- Center of Hope @ Hyatt House Hotel

On Friday June 14th we will organize and pack toiletry bags for the children at Center of Hope. There are currently 58 families and 292 residents; half of them children.

The Salvation Army Center of Hope in Charlotte, N.C. provides emergency shelter and rapid re-housing to individual women and families with children. An institution in the community for more than 100 years, the Center of Hope embraces a philosophy of accepting people regardless of their needs.



Kyle Romanat
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Sergeant-at-Arms



Robert W. Bugg
Club Programs Chair



John H Gorman
Club Service Chair



Michael Masci
Club Programs Chair

Events

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Birthdays

Wil E. Brooks
May 16th
Beth E. Trotter
May 17th

Wedding Anniversaries

Christopher Bona
May 20th

Years of Service

Wil E. Brooks
05-20-1997
27 Years
Earl Swanson
05-22-2023
1 Year
Steven Neal
05-22-2023
1 Year

CART fundraiser Rotary jersey - order yours now



A limited number of these special jerseys are available. They are approved by RI for a one-time event and all proceeds will go to [The CART Fund!](#) Order yours today for \$40 [by completing this google form!](#)

Thanks for your consideration! Once they fill out the google form, I send an invoice via PayPal then I can ship as soon as they pay! (this offer compliments of Tiffany Ervin, Executive Director of the CART fund and former DG in SC District 7670 If you need to reach her, call # 828.243.5870)

LETS GO TO A KNIGHTS GAME - a Rotary Social Event on June 18th you do not want to miss!!

A promotional poster for a baseball game. At the top left, it says 'Go Rotary!' with the Rotary District 7680 logo and 'CREATE HOPE in the WORLD'. In the center, it says 'TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME' in red. Below that, it shows the logos for the Charlotte Knights and the Gwinnett Strippers, separated by 'VS'. The text 'GO ROTARY NIGHT! BASEBALL GAME AND BARBECUE PICNIC JUNE 18, 6-8PM-PICNIC, 7PM-GAMETIME' is in the middle. A red box with a QR code and the text 'TICKETS \$39' and 'REGISTER HERE' is prominent. At the bottom, a baseball sits on a green field. A white box at the very bottom says 'THE KNIGHTS ARE A WHITE SOX AFFILIATE- BRING SOCKS TO DONATE & DROP IN THE BIN TO SUPPORT THOSE IN NEED'.

NO MEETING ON FRIDAY MAY 24th (Memorial Day weekend)

A quick reminder that there is **NO MEETING on May 24th** due to Memorial Day weekend.

We look forward to seeing everyone again the following Friday, on May 31st, when we will do our check presentation to Beds for Kids for the funds we raised during the BMOF tournament this year. Please invite supporters you know of the Beds for Kids mission to join us for this presentation and a discussion on this upcoming year's event (another great golfing extravaganza) to be held at the Longview Golf Club on September 30th.

Join Us For Our Rotary Meeting - Online or In Person

All members & visitors are welcome - we're happy to have you!



Option 1 - In person

We meet at Hyatt House Rea Farms (9930 Sandy Rock Place, Charlotte, NC) from 7:15 AM to 8:30 AM.

A breakfast buffet is available for \$12, or you may also bring your own breakfast.

Option 2 - ZOOM (link is below)

Agenda

7:20-7:30 AM Log On

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85754400627?pwd=NHQ2SjRkSkRKZEKzazE5bVQrZWJlUT09>

Meeting ID: 857 5440 0627

Passcode: 974042

One tap mobile phone: [+16468769923](tel:+16468769923), [85754400627#](tel:+16468769923), [*974042#](tel:+16468769923)

Fellowship until 7:35

7:35 AM - Announcements & Comments

8:00 AM - Our program is found on the right side of this bulletin

8:30 AM - Meeting adjourned

Holiday Schedule for 2023/2024

We will not be meeting on these dates:

- May 24th (Memorial Day)
- July 5th (Independence Day)