

# Rotary

## District 7680



### Birthdays

Cathy Mabry Cloninger  
June 2nd  
Frederick S. Cloninger  
June 2nd  
Davidson Robert Hobson  
June 4th  
Nicole Burgess  
June 6th

### Wedding Anniversaries

Phillip Bryson Welch Jr.  
June 2nd  
Robin McDonald Loupus  
June 7th

### Years of Service

Donald Turner Rice  
06-05-2014  
11 Years  
Brent Nathaniel DeLong  
06-07-2018  
7 Years  
Andrea Stephens  
06-05-2023  
2 Years

### Club Leaders



Luke Upchurch  
President



Sharon Jenkins Padgett  
President-Elect  
Club Service Chair



Patrick Larkin  
Secretary



Pamela Peacock Overcash  
Secretary-Elect



Robin McDonald Loupus  
Club Director  
Treasurer

D. Scott Scarborough  
Assistant Treasurer

## President's Message - June 2, 2025

Monday, June 2, 2025



Greetings!

Thank you all for traveling to Belmont on Thursday for a productive and insightful session. It was a great success, and I appreciate your engagement as we explored the healthcare landscape in Gaston County.

A special thanks to CaroMont for its forward-thinking leadership and commitment to anticipating and addressing our community's needs well into the future.

### Important June Meeting Updates

Due to ongoing work at the Conference Center, we'll be meeting off-site throughout June. Please mark your calendars:

- **June 19:** Transition meeting at *First Presbyterian Church*
- **June 26:** Regular Meeting at *H.H. Beam Elementary School*

I appreciate your flexibility and look forward to seeing you at First Pres and H.H. Beam!

See you on Thursday!

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Luke

## This Week's Program - June 5th: Matt Rhoten - Gaston County: What's In Next Years Budget?

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Gaston County Manager Matt Rhoten will discuss the upcoming Gaston County budget.



Scott Thomas Attaway  
Club Director



Charles Calloway Elliott  
Club Director



Sharon Heinrich  
Public Relations/Image Chair



Nancy Anne Kuney  
Club Director  
Membership Chair



Sandi McCarter  
Club Director



Andrew Charles Pierce  
President-Nominee  
Bulletin Editor



Daniel Alexander Poole  
Club Director



James Copeland Smith  
Club Director



Phillip Bryson Welch Jr.  
Club Director



Laura Fellows  
Sergeant-at-Arms



Barbara Humphries Voorhees  
Rotary Foundation Chair



Karen Walker  
Rotary Foundation Chair



Steven D. Long  
Club Learning Facilitator



Donald Benton Parrott  
Club Director



Les Davis  
iPast President



# GASTON COUNTY

## North Carolina



The meeting begins at 12:40pm and is offered in-person and by Zoom.

**If you are attending in-person, join us at noon for the lunch service.**

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**You can join the meeting here:**

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Passcode: 522413

**This Week's Birthdays: June 2 - June 8**



*Cathy Cloninger - June 2*  
*Fred Cloninger - June 2*  
*Davidson Hobson - June 4*  
*Nicole Burgess - June 6*



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**This Week's Years of Service Anniversaries: June 2 - June 8**



*Donald Rice - June 5 (11 Years)  
Brent DeLong - June 7 (7 Years)  
Andrea Stephens - June 5 (2 Years)*



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## **Next Week's Program - June 12th: New Member Talks**

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Join us for our favorite club tradition, New Member Talks! Help us learn about our new members.



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## **Pop-Up Social: June 5th - Durty Bull Brewing Company**

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Join us this coming Thursday, June 5th at 5:00 p.m. (or whenever you can come) for another great pop-up

social at Durty Bull Brewing Company!

Location: 126 S Trenton St, Gastonia, NC 28052



## 2025 Gastonia East Rotary Concert Series

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See the graphic below for the dates and locations of the upcoming Concert Series from our friends at Gastonia East! Please consider attending these evenings to support their grant cycle fundraiser!

**GASTONIA Concert SERIES 2025**

**Thursday Nights**  
DJ Starts at 6pm • Live Music at 7:30

**Rotary Pavilion • Downtown Gastonia**

*Spring Fever*  
**On the Border**  
The Ultimate Eagles Tribute **MAY 1**

**MAY 29** *Summer Blast-Off*  
Gabriel Sanchez Presents  
**The Prince Experience**

*Southern September*  
**Petty Rewind**  
Tom Petty Tribute Band **SEPT 18**

**Caromont Health Park**

**OCT 30** *Monster Mash*  
**90's Kids**  
Special Trick-or-Treat Event

Presented by **GASTONIA** Great Place. Great People. Great Premier. **Gastonia East Rotary**

[gastoniaeastrotary.org/concerts](https://gastoniaeastrotary.org/concerts)

## Events

June 5th  
[Gastonia Weekly Club Meeting: Gaston Co. Budget Update](#)  
June 12th  
[Gastonia Weekly Club Meeting: New Member Talks](#)  
June 19th  
[Gastonia Weekly Club Meeting: Leadership Transition Meeting](#)  
June 26th

