

# Rotary



# IMAGINE ROTARY

## Birthdays

Cathy Mabry Cloninger  
June 2nd  
Frederick S. Cloninger  
June 2nd  
Timothy Lee Fridley  
June 4th  
Davidson Robert Hobson  
June 4th

## Wedding Anniversaries

Phillip Bryson Welch Jr.  
June 2nd

## Years of Service

William B. Shuford  
06-01-1978  
45 Years  
May Gray Robinson  
06-01-1994  
29 Years  
Howard Fred Caldwell Jr.  
06-01-2000  
23 Years

## Club Leaders



Patricia Lane Black  
President



Leslie Gene Davis  
Membership Chair  
President-Elect



Kay Collins Peninger  
Secretary



Patrick Larkin  
Bulletin Editor  
Public Image Chair



Robin McDonald Loupus  
Treasurer

D. Scott Scarborough  
Assistant Treasurer

## President's Message - June 1, 2023

Dear Rotary Friends,

Hello to my fellow Rotary Members!

**"To those in uniform serving today and to those who have served in the past, we honor you today and every day."- Unknown**

I hope everyone enjoyed the Memorial Day holiday. And you take a moment to remember the meaning behind this day in May.

Even though the weather didn't cooperate, we had a wonderful time being together at The Schiele Museum this past Saturday (May 27th). Our thanks to *Ann Tippitt, Tony Pasour*, and the museum staff for helping to organise our Spring Social. We walked among the dinosaurs, lions, tigers, birds and other wildlife. Then we sat down to a traditional BBQ meal. Hard to beat pork, chicken, baked beans and finish with banana pudding. It was a fun evening.

I look forward to seeing each of you at our next meeting. Our program will be the Gaston County Rotary Foundation.

Yours in Rotary Service,

President Patti

## This Week's Program: June 1 - Gaston County Rotary Foundation

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**Karen Walker, Steve Driscoll**



Steve Driscoll (former Club Foundation Co-chair) and Karen Walker (current Club Foundation Co-Chair) are providing an update on what's in our local Foundation and what does/will the Foundation do with its assets.

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.**

**The Zoom link will open at 12:15pm.**



James Copeland Smith  
Club Director



Kathryn Ellen Styers  
Club Director



Luke Lucas Upchurch  
President - Nominee



Karen Walker  
Rotary Foundation  
Chair



Laurel Roe Morris  
iPast President  
Webmaster



Sharon Jenkins Padgett  
Club Director



Donald Benton Parrott  
Club Director



Tony Eugene Pasour  
Club Director



Marcia Scheideman  
Club Director



Nancy Anne Kuney  
Club Director



Pamela Peacock  
Overcash  
Club Director



Steven D. Long  
Club Trainer



Laurel Roe Morris  
Assistant Governor -  
Gaston County



>>>>> PLEASE NOTE NEW ZOOM INFORMATION <<<<<<

You can join the meeting here:  
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85921621955?pwd=SUJpSGpWUnQyOHp6VTJzclIBOUYvdz09>

Meeting ID: 859 2162 1955  
Passcode: 522413

## This Week's Birthdays: May 29 - June 4



*Cathy Cloninger-June 2 Fred Cloninger-June 2  
Tim Fridley-June 4 Davidson Hobson-June 4*



## Club Anniversary Celebration

### Highlights From Our Club Anniversary Celebration

The rain couldn't keep the smiles away from those attending the Club Anniversary Celebration on Saturday, May 27. Our thanks to The Schiele Museum for hosting us, and to the staff for making us feel so welcome.





## Next Week's Program: June 8 - Cramer Mansion History

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Chris Leazer



Chris Leazer and his wife are the proud owners of the historic Cramer Mansion atop of Cramer Mountain in Cramerton. Chris will share his knowledge of the history of the mansion as well as what he and his family have done to bring it up to date.

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## ROTARY 101

**7680 ROTARY101**

**New to Rotary or want to know more – This is for you!**

You are part of a group whose impact reaches around the world through local community service by our 1.4 million members in 200+ countries.

Join us for "Rotary 101" a virtual tour of Rotary and Rotarians that will inspire you to engage even more in the Rotary community. District 7680 has implemented a brand-new initiative specifically for new members. It is a 45-minute virtual event held monthly to help engage new members and encourage them to become involved in their club and district activities.

Wednesday August 24 was the kickoff for ROTARY 101, an online program designed for new and potential members of Rotary.

Upcoming monthly events (new time):

- Wednesday, June 7, 2023, at 7:00pm

Register on DACdb or use the link below:

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81801636156?pwd=d2sraXFqdWRISTVtL2ltO0dIT1dPZz09>

Meeting ID: 818 0163 6156

Passcode: 539445



Questions: Contact Marcia Scheideman ([mscheideman.ms@gmail.com](mailto:mscheideman.ms@gmail.com)) or Lorena Prince ([garzalster@gmail.com](mailto:garzalster@gmail.com)) for any questions you might have. Looking forward to seeing you virtually!

## May is Youth Service Month



## Events

June 1st

Club Meeting: Gaston County Rotary Foundation

June 8th

Club Meeting: Cramer Mansion History

June 15th

Club Meeting: Polio Progress Through Rotary

June 22nd

Club Meeting: New Member Introductions