

# Rotary



## Club of Waxhaw-Weddington

### Club Meeting

Waxhaw-Weddington Meets at Due to Covid, the club will be meeting via Zoom. Please find link info in the article to the left.  
2700 Providence Rd. S.  
Waxhaw, NC  
Time: Thursday at 07:30 AM

### Club Leaders



[Jeanne M. Pritt](#)  
President



[Marcus A. Watson](#)  
President-Elect



[Kay Persing](#)  
Secretary



[Stephen David Koehler](#)  
Treasurer



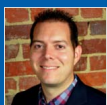
[Allyn M. Oliver](#)  
Bulletin Editor  
Rotary Foundation Chair



[Kathleen Thurston](#)  
Public Relations Chair



[Marnie E. Carter](#)  
Membership Chair



[Athanasios A. Koutsafis](#)  
Sergeant-at-Arms



[Yorda Kidane](#)  
Club Service Chair

[Michael Webber](#)  
Youth Services Chair

### Spring Fundraiser Results

By Jay Burns

The Random Acts of Kindness Fundraiser raised a total of \$5,878! An impressive sum for a new fundraiser! 13 Members participated. Imagine what we can do with twice that number?! Participants earned raffle entries based on the number of times they shared the fundraiser through email, text, social media and total donations. The raffle winners were...

- 1st Place - Yorda Kidane (Hand & Stone Spa and Nothing Bundt Cake gift card)
- 2nd Place - Christopher Brantigan (Cupcake Queen, Waxhaw Candle Co., and Nothing Bundt Cake gift card)
- 3rd Place - Bill Whittaker (Nothing Bundt Cake gift card)

We look forward to running this fundraiser again in the future! Not only is it hassle free and easy for everyone to participate but by sharing with friends and family, we were also able to support and bring awareness to 3 local charities - Community Shelter, Turning Point, and Common Heart. We were also able to highlight some of the great work that we do in the community as Rotarians.

Thanks to everyone who participated!

### Partnering in the Community

By Allyn M Oliver

A few months ago we announced the club's donation of \$2,000 towards a new refrigerated truck for Common Heart. We partnered with five other Rotary clubs (Monroe Breakfast, Monroe Lunch, Matthews & Marshville) for an approximate total donation of \$6,500. This is the first time all six clubs have worked together on a project. Take a look at the truck!

This truck will allow Common Heart to better serve our neighbors in eastern Union County. It is great to partner not only with this organization but also our other Union County Rotary clubs!



### Club Meeting Info

Waxhaw-Weddington Rotary Club Zoom Meeting on Thursdays @ 7:30-8:30A

[Click to join Zoom meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 788 2144 2471  
Passcode: 222910

See you there!





Paula Jeanne Smith  
iPast President



Paula Jeanne Smith  
Assistant Governor-  
Union County



## Events

April 15th  
[Waxhaw Weddington -  
Thirsty Thursdays](#)

April 21st  
[Community Shelter  
Service - Dinner Service](#)

April 21st  
[Waxhaw-Weddington  
Youth Services Committee  
Monthly Meeting](#)

April 27th  
[Waxhaw-Weddington  
Membership Committee  
Monthly Meeting](#)

## Birthdays

Steven K. Helms  
April 2nd

Cathy Burns  
April 7th

Ron Pappas  
April 17th

Bryce L Miller  
April 17th

Ashley Danehy  
April 20th

## Member Anniversaries

Gary Summerfield  
04-16-2009  
12 Years

Alicia Campbell  
04-05-2012  
9 Years

Jenna L Westbrook  
04-27-2017  
4 Years

Marnie E. Carter  
04-26-2018  
3 Years

Sherry McNitt-McCoy  
04-11-2019  
2 Years

Pedro Morey  
04-11-2019  
2 Years

Anthony Garshnick  
04-11-2019  
2 Years

Christopher John Brantigan

## The Weekly Agenda

### Welcome Waxhaw-Weddington Rotarians and Guests! Thursday, April 1st

7:30am	Log into Zoom	
7:35am	Welcome	Jeanne Pritt
	Invocation & Pledge	Nancy McCoy-Duncan
7:40am	Guest Introductions	Athanasios Koutsaftis
	Health & Happiness	New Member
	Announcements	Committee Chairs
7:55am	Happy Dollars	Members
8:05am	Introduce Speaker	Christopher Brantigan
	<b>Program: NorthPoint Christian Academy</b>	Jim Badolato
	For the Good of Rotary	All
	The 4-Way Test	Jeanne Pritt
8:30am	Adjourn	

## Community Food Drive

By Yorda Kidane

Millbridge is hosting a community food drive on Sunday, April 18th. They will be raising funds & awareness for Common Heart's 10 food pantry programs.

**Sunday, April 18th**  
**10am - Noon**  
**Millbridge Community House**

Neighbors are encouraged to meet at 10am at the Millbridge Community Houes with food and/or cash donations. See you there!



## District Conference

By Fiona J. Swaenepoel



The District Conference will be **Saturday, April 24<sup>th</sup> from 8:30am - noon, and 5pm - 8:00pm** We will share much more information soon, but please put it on your calendars now.

We have some great speakers and sessions lined up. There will be an RLI that afternoon too. It will be the last free District Conference hopefully in a long time!

Please Register for the event now on the DACdb Calendar.

## Meeting Space Needed

Soon we will be able to offer virtual AND in person meetings for those who choose-YAY! Unfortunately, the hospital is not ready to open the community room.

Please contact Jeanne Pritt or Marcus Watson with any recommendations you have for meeting space.

## SFTL

By Michael Webber

Our club is sponsoring 3 student scholarships again this year to SFTL! Student registration is open Mar 1-31 for SFTL this summer, July 22-25 @ Gardner Webb University! Seminars for Tomorrow's Leaders (SFTL) is a 4-day youth leadership program designed with curriculum from Center for Creative Leadership (CCL) that helps prepare youth to be our future leaders.

04-11-2019  
2 Years

We are also looking for volunteers, now is a great time to engage and help develop the leaders of tomorrow! The Center for Creative Leadership (<https://www.ccl.org/>) creates a great experience for both the students and the volunteers.

[Facebook link](https://www.facebook.com/SFTL.Rotary7680) (<https://www.facebook.com/SFTL.Rotary7680>)

[Instagram link](https://www.instagram.com/Rotary7680sftl/) (<https://www.instagram.com/Rotary7680sftl/>)

[District 7680 Website](http://www.rotary7680.org/sftl.php) (<http://www.rotary7680.org/sftl.php>)

Reach out to Cristina Capello or to Mike Webber with any questions.

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*“Every child deserves a chance at life filled with love, laughter, friends and family.”*

*Marlo Thomas*



## MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH MONTH

TAKE ACTION: Get Involved, Join Rotary

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