



Rotary Club of Durham



Friday, March 28, 2025

Club Meeting

Durham
Meets at Durham Bulls Athletic Park
PNC Triangle Club -- 3rd Floor 409
Blackwell Street Durham, North
Carolina 27701
Durham Bulls Triangle PNC Club
409 Blackwell Street 3rd Floor
Durham, NC 27707
Time: Monday at 12:30 PM

Events

No Events found

Speakers

Club Leaders



Robinson O. Everett Jr.
President



Sara S. Stephens
President-Elect



Susan Cranford Ross
Vice President



Robert L. Wiley III
Secretary



Mark Miller
Treasurer



John Cross
Club Director



David Tulloch Durack
Club Director



Russell Haddad
Club Director

Rich Haney
Club Director

Weekly Rotary Meeting -- 3.31.2025 Guest Speaker Cecily Mitchell

ROTARY CLUB OF DURHAM WEEKLY MEETING
MONDAY, 3.31.2025 -- 12:30 PM -- 1:30 PM
GUEST SPEAKER: CECILY MITCHELL
MISSY LANE'S ASSEMBLY ROOM



CECILY MITCHELL

Board Meeting Reminder -- Monday, 3.31.2025 -- 11am

reminder

**TO: ROTARY CLUB BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
OFFICERS & COMMITTEE CHAIRS**



Rebecca Anne Johnson
Club Director



Cecily Kalkhof
Public Image Chair
Club Director



Matthew Patrick McDowell
Club Director



Shemecka McNeil
Club Director



Kim Shaw
Club Director



Allison O'Shea
Sergeant-at-Arms



Edward H. Pikaart Jr.
Rotary Foundation Chair



Crystal Ellice Taylor
Membership Chair



Elisabeth Harper Wiener
iPast President



Newman C. Aguiar
Past District Governor



Board Meeting

**MONDAY, 3.31.2025 --- BEGINNING AT 11AM
DURHAM BULLS PNC TRIANGLE CLUB
3RD FLOOR, SUITE # 8 -- DURHAM**

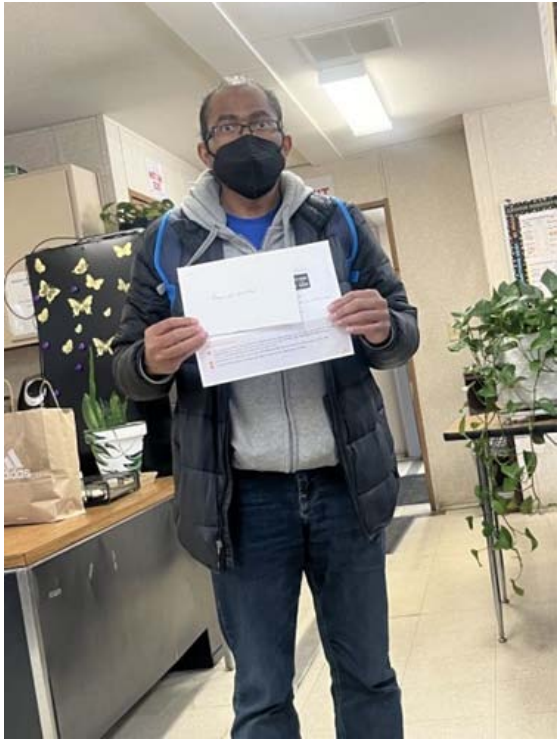
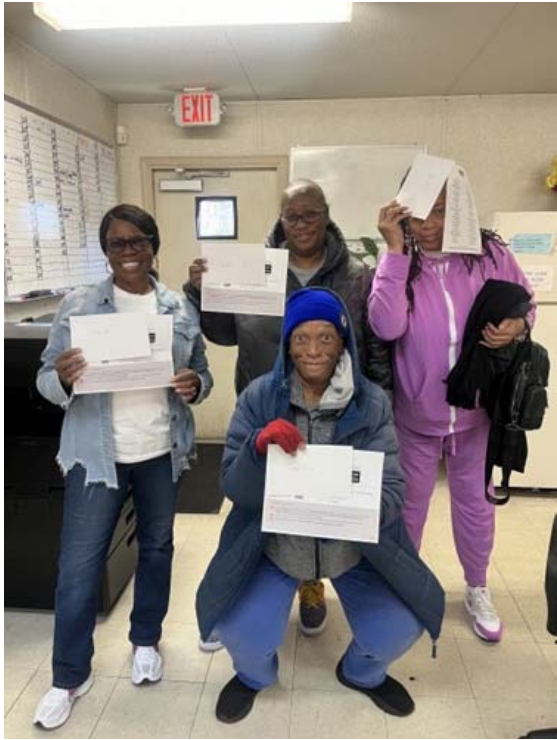
DPS Bus Drivers -- THANK YOU!



Thank You

DPS Bus Drivers were thrilled to receive the handwritten appreciation notes from our Club's YES & REP Committees! Downtown Durham Inc. has seen a noticeable uptick in merchant activity for the discount cards included already.

THANKS to all involved, and stay tuned for future volunteer and fellowship opportunities!







FLAGS FOR HEROES -- LET'S VOTE FOR THE DOG'S NAME AT MONDAY'S MEETING 3.31.2025

Vote!

**WE WILL BE VOTING
ON THE DOG'S NAME AT
MONDAY'S MEETING, 3.31.2025!!**

See The List of Suggested Names Below!

What's my Name?

Dog
Hero
Flagstaff
RALPH (Rotarians All Love Personal Heroes)
Stripes
Betsy (Ross) (or Ruff)
Rover
Ruff
Francis (Scott)
Old Glory
Jose (Can you See?)
Fundraiser
Windy or Puff



Weekly Rotary Meeting -- 3.24.2025 Speaker Fellow Rotarian Sasha Zarzour

**A HUGE THANKS TO FELLOW ROTARIAN
SASHA ZARZOUR, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR -- CARING HOUSE
FOR HER INFORMATIVE PRESENTATION AT OUR
3.24.2025 MONDAY MEETING!**

*Board Member/Treasurer, Mark Miller,
Leads Our Invocation & Pledge For Today's Meeting*



***Board Member, Russ Haddad & Public Image Chair, Cecily Kalkhof
Re: DPS Bus Drivers***



***Speaker, Fellow Rotarian, Sasha Zarzour
Executive Director -- Caring House***



***Congratulations To Kimberly Rehberg
Re: Her Paul Harris Fellow Award Recognition
Presented By: Board Member, Becca Johnson***



***A Warm Durham Rotary Welcome To New Member
Dr. Thomas Howard -- Executive Director -- Kidznotes
Sponsored By: Vice-President, Susan Ross
Pictured Below:***

VP Susan Ross, New Member, Dr. Thomas Howard & IPP Elisabeth Wiener



**Past-President, Todd Taylor
Flags For Heroes Project!
And "Introduction" of "The Dog"
Don't Forget -- Send Your Name Suggestions For "The Dog" To Sharon!**



SAVE THE DATE -- GREEN TEAM PROJECT 4.12.2025 -- 10AM -- NOON



GREEN TEAM PROJECT

4.12.2025

10AM -- NOON

QUESTIONS:

PLEASE SEE JENNY LEVINE OR NICHOLE GANTSHAR



Books On Break





**SAVE THE DATE
BOOKS ON BREAK
MAY 12-14**



**IF YOU ARE PLANNING TO VOLUNTEER,
PLEASE COMPLETE THE DPS BACKGROUND CHECK:**

https://ec.samaritan.com/custom/1343/volunteer_registration

District Spring Assembly -- 4.26.2025 -- Register Now To Attend



ROTARY BEST PRACTICES FORUM

[Learning Assembly]

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

7000 Creedmoor Road, Raleigh

9:00 AM - Noon

Registration Opens at 8:30

Light refreshments will be served. Donation \$5

**A Raffle Will Be Conducted To Support
The Winning Club's Projects. \$1/Ticket**

See Sharon If You Need Assistance In Getting Registered To Attend!

District Conference -- Register Now!



Rotary District 7710 Conference

DISCON25

Event Venue:

The Friday Conference Center
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
100 Friday Center Drive
Chapel Hill, NC 27599

FRIDAY, May 16, 2025

Registration includes continental breakfast, 2 breaks, and lunch.

Speakers include:

- Bill Gormont, a motivational speaker and master magician
- Tiffany Ervin, you've heard her enthusiastic presentation on CART, but at DisCon25 she will talk about Why Rotary? Why Join? Why Stay? Why Serve?
- PDG Nancy Barbee will share her latest experience in India where she led a Polio Immunization Team
- We hear a lot about the Duke-UNC Rotary Center, but at DisCon25 we will have a panel of Peace Fellows who will share with us the impact they are making in the world
- And we'll hear from DGN Pat Gallagher and Kathleen Cody as they share the impact the clubs in District 7710 are making in our local and international communities

And who knows what other magical surprises there might be. Register today and find out!

Early bird fee is \$79 until February 28, 2025.

\$99 from March 1st to March 31st, 2025.

\$119 after April 1, 2025,
and registration closes May 5, 2025.

Rotary District 7710 Cancellation Policy

All registration cancellations are subject to the following cancellation fee. The following cancellation structure applies:

- 6+ weeks notice: Full refund
- 5-6 weeks notice: 60% refund
- 4-5 weeks notice: 40% refund
- 0-4 weeks notice: No refund
- Failure to attend: No refund

Transfer of registration

All fully paid registrations may be transferable to other Rotarians or non-Rotarians. Transfers must be made by the registered person in writing to executivesecretary@rotary7710.org. Details must include the full name of the replacement person, their title, contact phone number and email address.

Questions, please contact [Executive Secretary Sharon Lassiter](#).

Pending New Member -- CLAYTON BROWN

**PENDING NEW MEMBER
CLAYTON "CLAY" BROWN**

SPONSORED BY: PRESIDENT ROB EVERETT
INDUCTION DATE: TBD



CLAYTON BROWN

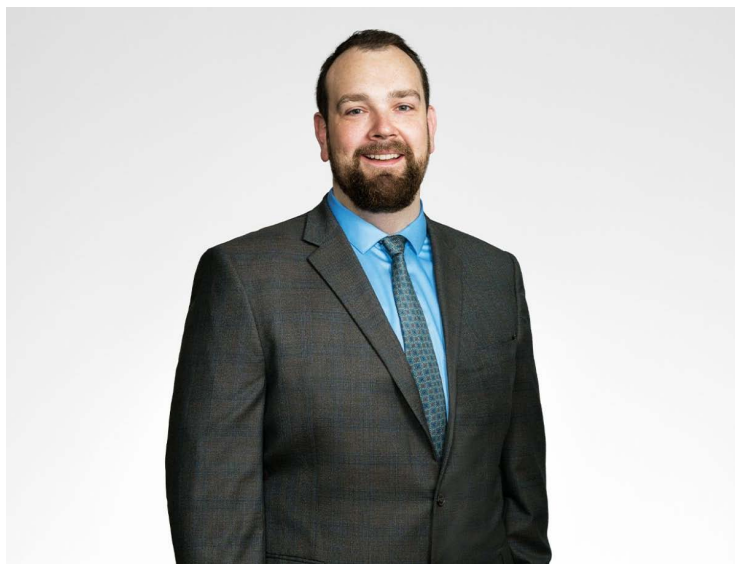
Pending New Member -- RYAN GRAY

PENDING NEW MEMBER

RYAN GRAY

Sponsored By: Crystal Taylor

Induction Date: TBD



RYAN GRAY

Do You Know Someone Interested In Joining Our Durham Rotary Club?

By Sharon Kay Lassiter on Tuesday, November 26, 2024



DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE INTERESTED
IN JOINING DURHAM ROTARY?



Contact Sharon at slassiter38@nc.rr.com

OR

919.868.0212

Contact Sharon For A Copy Of

The Club's Membership Application

[Or pick up an Application at a Monday Meeting]

Durham Rotary Club -- SOCIAL MEDIA HANDLES

By Sharon Kay Lassiter on Tuesday, November 26, 2024



SOCIAL MEDIA HANDLES





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@durhamrotary

Birthdays



[Robinson O. Everett Jr.](#)
April 1st



[Gerard John Musante](#)
April 3rd



[Diane Dracos Cutshaw](#)
April 4th



[Stephen E. Hancock](#)
April 4th



[Scott Eblin](#)
April 4th



[Matthew Patrick McDowell](#)
April 6th



[William G. Ingram](#)
April 13th



[Jennifer Levine](#)
April 15th



[Tanika Bunbury](#)
April 16th



[Sarah Davis](#)
April 17th



[Richard H. Brodhead](#)
April 17th



[Wendy Jacobs](#)
April 20th



[William A. Stokes Jr.](#)
April 20th



[James B. Brame Jr.](#)
April 21st



[Michelle L. Burton](#)
April 23rd



[Narayana Bandhi](#)
April 24th



[Carrie M. Heinonen](#)
April 24th



[Keith B. Artin](#)
April 27th