

Rotary



Club of Georgetown

Tuesday, February 20, 2024

Birthdays

Michael F Yip
February 20th
John Stalvey
February 20th
George R. Blalock
March 4th
William W. Doar Jr.
March 9th

Wedding Anniversaries

Keith R. Wilson
March 8th
William F. Crowther
March 8th
Horace H. Sibley
March 18th

Years of Service

Robert T. Mayer Jr.
02-01-1971
54 Years
George K. Chastain
01-31-2005
20 Years
James Charlie Daniels
02-08-2016
9 Years
Anna Ferrer
02-06-2024
1 Year

Upcoming Events

March 12th, 1:00
[Georgetown Shag Festival Committee Meeting](#)

Opportunities to Serve

Miss Ruby's Kids Mentors



Miss Ruby's Kids Mentors volunteer at least 30 minutes a week in Georgetown County Schools. If you are interested, please contact Amanda Oliver, Education Mentor Coordinator @ mentor@missrubyskids.net, or (843) 436-7028 (office), or (843) 461-5945 (cell)

Citizens Academy



Our local Sheriff's Office is looking for individuals to participate in their Citizens Academy. Please see flyer for details.

Weekly Club News

Warm Coats & Happy Feet Project



Rotary Club of Georgetown would like to thank the Rotarians, Interact Club, and all those who helped make this event possible. Happy Feet and Warm

Coats was a successful event! Over 75 students received shoes and coats due to the hard work of people in our community.

Updating Member Bio's

We are in the process of updating our member bios and profile photos for dacdb. If you have not provided us with a bio yet, or you have an updated bio, please send it to Marie Livingston.

Rotary Leadership Insitute

Rotary - RLI Part 1, 2, & 3 - Charleston, SC



In-Person RLI Parts 1, 2, and 3 Hosted by District 7770

Thursday, March 21, 2024

Check-in begins at 8:30 pm

Class run from 9:00 am to 3:40 pm

Trident Technical College

SC Aeronautical Training Center, Building 1000

7000 Rivers Ave, Charleston, SC 29406

Registration of \$95 includes all materials plus lunch

Join us and bring a friend



There is an RLI event coming to Charleston and you are invited to participate. RLI is intended to help Rotarians learn about Rotary. Courses are fun, topical, interactive, and geared toward busy business and professional persons who want to be more effective leaders in their vocation and club. Participants will not learn everything about all of Rotary's programs, but they will gain a greater appreciation for the avenues of service and programs of Rotary International.

There will be a Part 1, a Part 2, and a Part 3 RLI session during the event on March 21, 2024. Which one do you need to attend? The Thursday event will be held at the Trident Technical College, SC Aeronautical Training Center, Building 1000, 7000 Rivers Ave, Charleston, SC 29406. Join us for a great opportunity to meet new people and learn about Rotary in the process.

Doors open at 8:30 am and classes begin at 9:00 am. Lunch is included and we finish at 3:30 pm.

Registration link:

<https://Registrations.DACdb.com/Register/index.cfm?EventID=77716965&NoCaptcha>

Paul Harris Society, Roger Ackerman Circle and/or PolioPlus Society Member

Please consider becoming a Paul Harris Society, Roger Ackerman Society and/or PolioPlus Society Member. To commit to all 3 would be an investment of \$1060 per year. You can pay monthly, quarterly, or annually. If you can't do all, perhaps choose one.



14 in 40 Membership Drive

Our membership drive - 14 in 40 is now in play!!! We currently have 9 new members. Please consider who you can sponsor as a new member. We look forward to welcoming them to our Georgetown Rotary Club.

15th Annual Shag Festival



Get ready to dance the night away at the South Carolina Maritime Museum, located on Front Street in Georgetown, SC.

This in-person event is a must-attend for shag enthusiasts and music lovers alike. With a live performance from the sensational Catalina's, you'll be grooving to the rhythm of beach music all night long. Whether you're a seasoned shagger or just starting out, this festival offers something for everyone.

Enjoy the lively atmosphere, delicious food, and refreshing drinks as you mingle with fellow shag enthusiasts. This is the perfect opportunity to make new friends and create lasting memories. Don't miss out on this exciting event!

The following food choices will be available: braised short rib over mashed potatoes, BBQ bowl, or chicken salad on salad - each \$10. Water, soft drinks, beer and wine will be available for purchase and will range from \$1 - \$5. Food and beverage tickets can be purchased at the registration desk. Cash or check only.

Mark your calendars and join us at the South Carolina Maritime Museum for the Rotary Club of Georgetown's 15th Annual Shag Festival. Tickets can be purchased online at <https://rb.gy/0mhoh5>.

[Learn more about how you can be a sponsor and showcase your business!](#)

Rotarian Spotlight



MICHAEL FU MAN YIP

Michael was born on February 20 in Hong Kong, China. He joined Rotary in 2018 as a corporate member of the Georgetown County Water and Sewer District. Michael graduated from Marion High School and obtained his bachelor's degree in mathematics, chemistry, and physics as well as a master of science in environmental management. He is the operations director for the Georgetown County Water and Sewer District and is married to Cindy. They have two children and celebrate their wedding anniversary on October 26th. Michael is a member of the Water Environmental Association and the American Water Works Association. In his spare time he enjoys ping pong, tennis, the beach, quality time with his family and giving back to the community.

Speaker of the Week



Christy Whitlock, The George Hotel

Real estate agent at the Litchfield Company, Lachicotte. Experienced Chief Executive Officer with a demonstrated history of working in the real estate industry. Skilled in Investment Properties, CEOs, Healthcare, Yoga Instruction, and Business Networking. Strong business development professional graduated from MUSC College of Pharmacy.

Monthly Prayer & Pledge Schedule

Day	Prayer/Pledge	CART Match
2/20	Rick Yant	Bob Mayer
3/5	Jenna Squires	Ed Kimbrough
3/19	Alan Walters	Ed Kimbrough

Member Rotary Accolades

Georgetown Rotary Members			
Annie Adams	PHF+1, SM	Robbie O'Donnell	PP, PHF+7, B, SM
Carolyn Baker	SM	Graham Osteen	SM
Ed Bell	PP, SM	Kevin Owens	PE, SM
George Blalock	PHF+3, SM	Jeffrey Pelham	PP, SM
DB Brown	PHF, SM	Jean Pieterse	H
George Chastain	PP, PADG, PHF+3, SM, 10, RLI, RAC	Keith Price	PEE, PHF+1, SM
Bill Cowan	PP, PHF+3, SM	Sandra Quinn	PHF, SM
Lori Cromartie	SM	Betty Roberts	PP, PHF+4, SM, B
Bill Crowther	PP, PHF+7, SM	Danny Siau	PHF+2, SM
Chip Daniels	PHF+2, SM	Horace Sibley	PHF+2, B, SM
Bill Doar	PHF+5, SM	Eric Spatz	SM
Robin Gabriel	PHF+2, SM	Jenna Squires	P, PHF+4, PHS, SM, RAC, PPS
Anne Hartis	PP, PHF+3, SM	John Stalvey	PP, PHF+2, B, SM
Frankie Hills	SM	Gabby Sulpizio	SM
Raad Joseph	SM	Bobo Thompson	PHF+6, SM
Kim Kaminski	PP, PHF+7, SM	Alan Walters	PP, PADG, PDG, PHF+8, SM, B, MD, 10, RAC
Ed Kimbrough	PP, PHF+1, SM	Micky Watts	PHF+1, SM
Angie Kohl	PP, ADG, PHF+6, PHS, B, SM, 10, RAC	Matt Wesolowski	PHF+1, SM
Teddy Kohn	H	Keith Wilcox	PP, PHF+2, SM
Pete Little	PP, PHF+8, SM, 10, RAC, RLI	DI Wilson	PP, PHF+5, B, SM
Marie Livingston	PHF, SM	Keith Wilson	PHF+6, SM
Bob Mayer	PHF+6, SM	Banks Wise	SM
Robert McCarley	PHF, SM	Rick Yant	PHF, SM
Walker McKenzie	SM	Michael Yip	PP, PHF, SM

Key:			
P	President	SM	Sustaining Member
PP	Past President	RLI	Rotary Leadership Institute Graduate
PE	President Elect	PDG	Past District Governor
PEE	President Elect-Elect	ADG	Current Assistant District Governor
H	Honorary Member	PADG	Past Assistant District Governor
PHF	Paul Harris Fellow	B	Rotary Foundation Benefactor
PHF+1	Paul Harris Fellow + Additional	BQ	Rotary Bequest Society
PPS	Polio Plus Society	10	Paul Allen 10 Star Rotarian
RAC	Roger Ackerman Circle	MD	Major Donor
PHS	Paul Harris Society		