



## **Club Meeting**

Spring Valley (Columbia)
Meets at Northeast Presbyterian Church
601 Polo Road
Columbia, SC 20223

Columbia, SC 29223 Time: Thursday at 01:00 PM

## **Club Leaders**



Ted Rausch President



Denise LaRue Ruben Satellite Club Chair



Lachaska Salmond President-Elect Vice President



Holly Swan Secretary



William Keith Chichester Treasurer



Patricia A. Barclay Club Service Chair



Diane Wood Junis Club Public Image Chair



Brian P. Dunphy iPast President Membership Chair



Peter J. Stahl Club Foundation Chair



John Walko Community Service Chair



Michele L. Dunphy Youth Services Director

# Speakers

## August 08, 2024

<u>David Vandelay, 2024 Outbound Youth Exchange Student</u>

Youth Exchange Update - And introduction of our 2024-2025 Inbound Student

## August 15, 2024

Tom Falvey, Director of Audience Engagement, South Carolina State Museum

Tuesday, August 6, 2024

# Meeting agenda 8.8.2024

Menu: Chicken Stir-fry, Brown and White Rice, Green Beans, Salad,

**Dessert and Tea** 

Invocation and Pledge: Lee Roberts Health and Happiness: Patricia Barclay Vocational Talk: LaChaska Salmond

Today's Program - The Rotary Youth Exchange Program

**Hosted by Shelly Dunphy** 





# David Vandaley - Recap of his 2023-2024 year in Spain



Introduction of our Inbound Student for the 2024-2025 year, Iina Linna who is from Finland.



**Rotary's August Theme** 



August 22, 2024

Yvett Thomas, "The Candle Lady"

August 29, 2024

District 7770 Governor Mary Gasque

**September 12, 2024** 

Melissa Payne, M.S. PAALS Executive Director Update on Palmetto Animal Assisted Life Services

#### **Events**

August 17th

**Adopt-a-Highway Trash Pick-Up** 

August 19th

**Transitions Service Opportunity** 

August 21st

**Satellite Club Meeting** 

August 22nd

**SV Rotary Board Meeting** 

August 29th

**SV Rotary Board meeting with District** 

Governor

September 16th

**Transitions Service Opportunity** 

September 18th

**Satellite Club Meeting** 

September 19th

**SV Rotary Board Meeting** 



# **Youth Exchange Inbound 2024-2025**



# **Rotarian George Goldsmith**



It is with deep sadness that we share the passing of Rotarian and MG George Goldsmith. He died on Tuesday morning, August 6, after a brief illness. George was a lifetime Rotarian, serving a total of 50 years. He joined Rotary in 1972 and came to our club in 1998 and was a member until Nov. 2022. Service details are not yet available. Our deepest sympathy to his family. He is survived by his wife Emily.

## **Meals on Wheels Delivery**

Signed up are:

8/8 - Ted Rausch and Peter Stahl

8/15 - Brian Dunphy and ONE VOLUNTEER NEEDED

**8/22 - TWO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** 

Isn't it time YOU signed up?



Thanks Phil Newsom for being a regular Meals on Wheels volunteer!

Please consider signing up for a **Thursday** Meals on Wheels delivery. This involves meeting at Spring Valley Presbyterian Church at 10:45 a.m. and delivering meals to 5â€"10 homes on our Northeast Route. Delivery takes about an hour. Ideally, we want two members to sign up. A spouse or friend, non-member or potential member can deliver with you.

## **MEALS ON WHEELS SIGN UP link**

Thanks to Patricia Barclay for serving as our club's Meals on Wheels coordinator! Contact her with any questions.

Patricia Barclay 386.449.9452 or email avatarpbj@yahoo.com

## **SIGN UP NOW!**

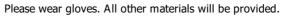
NEXT pick-up date: Saturday, August 17

Signed up are: Stan Luallin, Greg Seymour and Ginny Reed Need 8-9 more!

"Many hands make light the work!"

Join fellow Rotarians and SVHS Interact Students as we pick up trash on our section of Polo Rd.

Meet in the parking lot behind the Taco Bell, at the corner of Polo and Two Notch Rd at **8:45 am, and we'll finish by 10 am.** Non-Rotarians, spouses, teenagers and prospective members are always welcome!



Use this link to sign up: Adopt-a-Highway Sign Up Link

Questions? Contact Greg Seymour at <a href="mailto:gseymour25@yahoo.com">gseymour25@yahoo.com</a>



# **Serving Dinner at Transitions**





We're helping Transitions fulfill their mission of serving 3 meals a day, 365 days a year!

Thanks to these members for serving on July 29: Ted Rausch, Hannah Emery and Denise Ruben

NEXT Service opportunity is: Monday, August 19 - Signed up are - Brian Dunphy and Ginny Reed Room for one to two more. Thanks!

## **Transitions Sign Up Link**

We need a member to lead our monthly service project at Transitions. If you are interested, please contact President Ted or Community Service Chair, John Walko.

To learn more about the great work Transitions is doing in our community, visit: Transitions website

## **Club Leaders Needed**

We have an immediate need for someone to take over as the **Health and Happiness coordinator.** This entails scheduling members to do the brief health and happiness portion of our meetings. If you are interested and want to know more, please contact:

Ted Rausch, President, (803) 351-5913, <a href="mailto:Ted.Rausch@colliers.com">Ted.Rausch@colliers.com</a>, or Patricia Barclay, Club Services Chair at (386) 449-9452, <a href="mailto:avatarphj@yahoo.com">avatarphj@yahoo.com</a>

We need someone to lead our efforts at **Transitions** where we serve a meal at dinner time the third and fifth Mondays of each month. If you are willing to coordinate this **service project**, please contact:

Ted Rausch, President, (803) 351-5913, <u>Ted.Rausch@colliers.com</u>, or John Walko, Club Community Service Chair at (704) 968-4915, john.walko@standoutwebsite.com

Want to get more involved with our Youth Exchange Program? Shelly Dunphy is looking for several members to serve on the **Youth Exchange Committee**. This committee will help to ensure that we offer the best experiences to our exchange student. Please contact Shelly at: <a href="mailto:shellydunphy@icloud.com">shellydunphy@icloud.com</a> or call (803) 920-3709.

We're also looking to two members to serve as **"AT-LARGE" members of the board**. For more information, contact President Ted.



## **Membership Update**

Wanted to make the club aware that Vic Murdaugh has resigned due to a decline in his health. Vic joined the club in January 1980, and was a member for 44 years. His contact information is below if you want to give him a call or drop him a note. Both he and Betty would enjoy hearing from fellow Rotarians.



## bgmhvm@gmail.com

Mobile Phone: 803-920-9075 Home Phone: 803-788-8820

# Address:

255 Southlake Rd Columbia, SC 29223

# **CART Lunch and Learn**

We are pleased to welcome Dr. Levi Wood as our guest speaker for the Aug 21 "Lunch & Learn" series to provide an update on Alzheimer's Research, including outcomes from his CART-funded grant. We will meet via Zoom from Noon-1pm FST.



Dr. Wood was the recipient of a \$187,500 CART grant in 2019.

Join Zoom Meeting

https://zoom.us/j/92254791564?

pwd=BK9BigwScab81bHvaebJ6CzgKKApHL.1

Meeting ID: 922 5479 1564

Passcode: 941938



# The Weekly Raffle: July-September 2024



Door prizes are always needed for our weekly raffles. Please consider contributing an item.

Any questions, contact Judy Gaskins,

jgaskins001@sc.rr.com or (803) 315-3723. Have items you can "re-gift?" A bottle of wine is always the coveted prize! Or maybe a gift card?

For the first quarter of this Rotary year (July-September) our weekly raffle proceeds will help fund our End Polio Now campaign.

## **Birthdays**



James William Oliver August 5th



Marion Hanna August 8th



Roland S. Corning
August 9th



Charles Kerekes August 11th

# **Wedding Anniversaries**



Phillip F. Newsom August 5th

# **Years of Service**



Viola Robinson Faust 1 Year