



Too Much Awesomeness To Share!

By Gordon Owens
We had so many great things to share between all the service projects clubs are up to, our upcoming events, opportunities to participate in fundraisers, resources for growing your club and updates from the half way point in the Rotary year that we had to send a second newsletter. Keep having fun with your Rotary family while serving those in need. Let's see if we can have even more stories to share next month! [more]

LEADERBOARD Check out the full district scoreboard

Here are the clubs that are leading the way in our district for membership, annual fund and polio plus.

Category	NET MEMBERSHIP	ANNUAL FUND	POLIO PLUS
I	Atlanta Brasil	Emory-Druid Hills	Brookhaven
II	Bremen	Jackson-Butts County	Sandy Springs
III	North Columbus	Vinings Cumberland	Dougherty County (Albany)
IV	Dunwoody	Dunwoody	Carrollton-Dawn Breakers
V	Peachtree City	Alpharetta	North Cobb County

Key Dates

Wednesday, **Columbus Governor Visit**
August 5th, 2026

Thursday, **Muscogee-Columbus Governor Visit**
August 6th, 2026

Tuesday, **Smyrna Governor Visit**
August 11th, 2026

Wednesday, **Harris County Governor Visit**
August 12th, 2026

Wednesday, **La Grange Governor Visit**
August 12th, 2026

Thursday, **West Point Governor Visit**
August 13th, 2026

Tuesday, **Polk County Governor Visit**
August 18th, 2026

Wednesday, **East Cobb Governor Visit**
August 19th, 2026

Wednesday, **Vinings Cumberland Governor Visit**
August 19th, 2026



Club News
**Meriwether
County
Football
Fundraiser
Supports
Rotary
Foundation**

By Kay Williamson
As the college football season unfolded, the Rotary Club of Meriwether County and passionate "friends of Rotary" enthusiastically chose a college football team to rally behind and cheer for. Throughout this exciting season, members came together at Rotary meetings to passionately discuss and record their team's weekly scores, building camaraderie and friendly competition among them. By the conclusion of the regular football season, the Rotarians' commitment shone through as they collectively decided to donate an amount equal to their team's total points scored throughout the season. An impressive \$5,504 was raised, reflecting their love for the game and their dedication to supporting the Foundation in their names. [more]

Friday, August 21st, 2026	Decatur Governor Visit
Tuesday, August 25th, 2026	North Fulton District Governor Cynthia Edwards Visit
Wednesday, August 26th, 2026	Marietta Governor Visit
Thursday, August 27th, 2026	North Atlanta Governor Visit
Tuesday, September 1st, 2026	Americus Governor Visit
Wednesday, September 2nd, 2026	On The Flint, Albany Governor Visit
Wednesday, September 2nd, 2026	Cordele Governor Visit
Thursday, September 3rd, 2026	Albany Governor Visit



Club News
**Americus
Sponsors
Pictures
with
Santa**

By Angela Smith
The Americus Rotary Club continued its annual tradition of providing its community an opportunity to get photos with Santa in the historic Windsor Hotel in downtown Americus. In addition to hosting families for hot chocolate and cookies while they wait to see the jolly one himself, children are treated to gift bags with color crayons and coloring books. Rotary has a photographer on hand to take pictures and parents are welcome to take pictures as well. December's event saw 91 children come through to visit with Santa.

[more]



Club News **Santa Delivers for Seniors**

By Kay
Williamson
Meriwether
County Rotary
Club embraced
the spirit of
giving by
organizing a
heartfelt event
called Santa
for Seniors.
This event
brought joy to
the residents
of the Warm
Springs
Nursing Home
and Mountain
View Assisted
Living Facility
by delivering
Christmas gifts
to each
resident. In an
incredible
display of
community
spirit, Santa
Rotarians,
Woman's Club,
and Kiwanis
Club members
generously
distributed
over ninety
beautifully
crafted gift
bags, each
with delightful
surprises to
spread holiday
cheer. [more]



Club News

North Cobb Recognized as Peacebuilder Club

By Ada Wikina
A new Peacebuilder Club is born!
The Rotary Club of North Cobb is now also a Peacebuilder Club. The club got its certificate from the Rotary Action Group For Peace (RAGFP). As we celebrate the installing of yet another Peace Pole on the Marietta village of MUST MINISTRIES our club is committed to further. Jeff Bass, who is our champion for the installation of peace Poles says, we are engaging our community to imbibe inner peace, spread the message of peace to any and every one we come in contact with. Peace is not only the absence of war; it is reaching out and providing service to those around us and also to those we may never meet but sharing love through all avenues available to us. [more]



Saturday,
March 22, 2025

Paddle for a Purpose

By Dave
Bernard

Join The Rotary Club of Johns Creek-North Fulton for an exciting day of pickleball, fun, and community impact! Calling all beginners and recreational players! This is a non-sanctioned, stress free, fun pickleball tournament to raise money for some great causes. This is a community event, so bring your friends and family who want to play pickleball in a fun and no pressure environment! For more info or to register, [click here](#).
[more]

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Smoke On The Lake BBQ Festival

By Jose Gonzalez
Join the North Cobb Rotary Club in hosting their annual fundraiser, **Smoke on the Lake** on May 9th and May 10th. This event is held the Friday night and Saturday of Mother's Day weekend at Logan Farm Park, in Acworth, GA. The club partners with local municipality, business associations and major food vendors including Publix to put on the event. Participants can purchase taster tickets on Friday night to taste and vote for the best chicken wings crowning our Lord of the Wings champion. Taster tickets are sold on Saturday for the Tasters Choice Pork contest. Friday night also offers a FREE concert hosted by 293 band. We hope to see you there. [more]



Saturday, February 22 @9AM

Run For Mercy 5K

By Sara Jewell
Join the Muskogee-Columbus Rotary Club for the 3rd annual Run For Mercy Med at 9AM on Saturday, February 22. The proceeds from this event support Mercy Med in treating not just physical ailments but care for patients mental and spiritual well being as well. They treat patients for as little as \$35 and charge based on a persons ability to pay. We hope you can join us for this great event for a great cause. **Get Registered Today.** [more]



Club News

Dunwoody Golf Tournament - FORE the Memories - May 19, 2025

By Jackie Cuthbert
Dunwoody Rotarians are embarking on their fourth annual FORE the Memories Golf Tournament - scheduled for May 19 at St. Marlo Country Club. The Georgia Alzheimer's Association and Anchor Place Respite Care in Dunwoody will be two of the tournament's major beneficiaries, along with the Rotary Club of Dunwoody Charitable Fund. Co-chairs Bob O'Brien and Charlie Augello hope to raise at least \$50,000 in this year's event. Golfers and individuals who would like to help sponsor our causes are invited to contact either of our co-chairs. [more]
