



Home of  
District Governor:  
Jim Squire  
&  
Past District Governors  
Frank Bentley,  
Ralph Thurmond,  
and Barry Smith

## Meetings

June is Rotary Fellowships  
Month

### Our Rotary Family

## BIRTHDAYS

6/3 Bob Belmonte  
6/6 Steven Jordan  
6/6 James Paschal  
6/13 Sally Wyeth Mclaughlin  
6/23 Rusty Paul

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

6/11 Steve Soteres (34)  
6/14 Fred Ferrand (34)  
6/28 Linda Randolph (34)

## Rotary Online

<https://sandyspringsrotary.org>  
<https://rotary6900.org/>  
<https://rotary.org/>

## ROTARY CLUB OF SANDY SPRINGS

Mondays, 12:15 pm  
Hilton Suites  
6120 Peachtree Dunwoody  
Road, NE  
Sandy Springs, GA 30328



### PRESIDENT'S CORNER

## President Nancy Schroeder's Welcome Message

On behalf of the Rotary Club of Sandy Springs, I welcome you to visit our club and experience the Rotary Club of Sandy Springs' hospitality and energy. We meet on Monday for lunch at 12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. at the Hilton Perimeter Suites, 6120 Peachtree Dunwoody Road, Sandy Springs, GA 30328. You can reserve a spot by going to our website at [www.sandyspringsrotary.org](http://www.sandyspringsrotary.org). Join your fellow professionals, and community and business leaders, and learn how Rotary can fit in your future. Experience Rotary Making A Difference!



### Upcoming Virtual Program

## Garrett Smiley, Co-founder of Sora high school speaks to the Rotary Club of Sandy Springs



On June 8th, Garrett Smiley will be speaking to the Rotary Club of Sandy Springs about SORA.

Prior to Sora, Garrett co-founded a charity which built wells in developing nations called Drops of Love. Garret also directed a university startup incubator called Core Founders at Georgia Tech, and started an education non-profit that worked with foster children to develop financial literacy called Flip. Garrett studied Computer Science at Georgia Tech. Garrett also worked as a Venture Partner at Contrary Capital where he scouted, invested in, and mentored startups in the Atlanta area.

His current at Sora is the realization of a childhood dream and years research.

Please join us virtually on June 8th at 12:15pm to give Garrett a warm Rotary welcome.

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**HERE IS THE ZOOM LINK TO JOIN THE MEETING. (NO  
PASSWORD IS NECESSARY)**  
<https://zoom.us/j/976595952>

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### Previous Program

## Ladisa Onyiliogwu - Our Common Bond



*Ladisa Onyiliogwu, Photo captured during Zoom meeting.*



## LEADERSHIP

President	Nancy Schroeder
President-Elect	John Neill
Treasurer	John Neill
Secretary	Mike Stacy
Membership	Adam Bowling
Foundation	Will MacArthur
Public Image	Todd Lawrimore

On Monday June 1<sup>st</sup> The Rotary of Sandy Springs invited Fulton County’s Director of Senior Services, Ladisa Onyiliogwu to share her thoughts and plans for guiding her department through this COVID-19 pandemic.

She and her team members share a common bond in providing some of the most important programs that support older adults in Fulton county. The department of Senior Services has a mission to improve the quality of life for adults age 55 and above. They support healthy aging, setting goals and offer programs for eligible residents to safely age in place. Though recent events have been challenging, her team has been able to continually provide transportation services to seniors with medical needs and to provide homebound seniors with case management and services like personal care, home-maker, and home delivered meals.

While her bond with her team is strong, Ladisa noted that our strongest common bond is Service. The Rotary moto of **Service Above Self** resonated with her. She says it is a great illustration of what innumerable Americans are doing in response to COVID-19. Ladisa goes on to say, we will forge ahead and face each new day with service in mind. Service is at our core. Service is our common bond and service will be the catalyst that can fill our hearts to love more, give more and to continue positively impacting the lives of seniors in Fulton county.

***Our core values of accountability, teamwork and cooperation, transformers of government and fiscal stewardship provide the foundation to carry on through these tumultuous times.***

The Rotary Club of Sandy Springs would like to thank Ladisa Onyiliogwu for all the work she does for our community and for taking a moment to speak to us.

To find more information about Ladisa, check out her linked-in page here: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/ladisa-onyiliogwu-15773249/>

To find more information about Fulton County’s department of senior services click the link below and search for the many articles available.

<https://www.fultoncountyga.gov/news/2019/04/19/senior-services-brings-attention-to-nutrition-and-food-deserts>



### Other News

## The Installation Banquet for John Neill will be June 13th

Mark your calendars and plan to join the Rotary Club of Sandy Springs for John Neill's installation as our next club president.

The banquet will be at the Dunwoody Country Club on June 13th, 2020.

***Invitations to follow soon.***

