# North Fulton Rotary

## THE ROTARY TIMES

December 2, 2025

## **Meetings**

December is Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

12/9 Jay Litton, The LittonGroup

12/23 No Meeting - Christmas Holiday

1/13 Speaker: TBD

1/27 Speaker: TBD

2/10 Speaker: TBD

2/24 TBD

3/10 Speaker: TBD

3/24 Speaker: TBD

### **Events**

12/4 Holiday Party

12/6 Peace Pole Installation at Wellstar North Fulton Hospital

12/9 Donations for NFCC Toyland

12/17 Board Meeting

1/15 Companion Club Meeting

1/19 Classroom Cleaning at Children's Development Academy

1/21 Board Meeting

2/3 Engaging with our Community Seniors

### LEADERSHIP

President Erik Bykat
Vice President Dan Jenkins
Treasurer Mike Mudd
Secretary Steve Siders
Public Image Lisa Gelber

## No Meeting Recap This Week (since there was no meeting last week)

There is no meeting recap this week since we did not meet last week, but please enjoy this photo from one of our work days at the North Park Peace Garden (courtesy of Stacy Georges). We were so thankful that Brad brought his auger to help with our planting!



### **Membership Minute**

Submitted by Jeffrey Esterkes, Membership Chair

As the year closes, reflect on the friendships and impact Rotary has brought. Renew your commitment by inviting one person to join us in the year ahead.

## Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

12/6 Amie Blanton12/31 James Marosek

## YEARS OF SERVICE

12/2 Richard Matherly (10) 17 years in Rotary

12/7 Doug Higgins (20) 22 years in Rotary

## ROTARY CLUB OF NORTH FULTON

Tuesdays, 12:00 pm Brimstone Restaurant & Tavern

### **Rotary Online**

https://northfultonrotary.org https://rotary6900.org/ https://rotary.org/

# ROTARY



# MEMBERSHIP MINUTE

### **Holiday Party 2025**



Join us for our Holiday Party on December 4th at Mac McGee's at 936 Canton Street in Roswell from 6 to 9 pm. We will have the upstairs all to ourselves, so bring your significant others for some fellowship and fun!

## Peace Pole Installation at Wellstar North Fulton Hospital

We will be installing a Peace Pole, some pavers and a bench at Wellstar North Fulton Hospital on December 6th, beginning at 9:30 am. Past President Rick Clark is leading this effort and could use some volunteers. Please reach out to Rick for the specific details at (704) 807-0083.



## **NFCC Toyland**

Our club will be supporting North Fulton Community Charities Toyland again this year. Please take a look at this list and choose something to donate to make the holiday season a bit brighter for a deserving child. All donations need to be brought to our club holiday party on **December 4th** OR our meeting on **December 9th** so we can deliver to NFCC by their deadline. If you have any questions, please contact Amie at (770) 315-9974.

## Rotary Club of North Fulton is partnering for this year's

Please bring your unwrapped gifts to the December 9th meeting



### **Brighten** the Holidays for a Local Child

Toyland provides about 1,400 local children with new, unwrapped toys. Your donation will not only bring joy to a child, it will bring comfort and financial security to their parents so that they can focus their resources on the rising cost of living expenses. Keep an eye out for toys featured in holiday gift guides provided by major retailers. If a toy is popular in the store, it will be popular at Toyland! Please do not forget to keep teenagers in your hearts this year. We have an increased need for teen gifts. Thank you!

#### **Group Project Ideas**

Assemble Gift Wrap Supply Kits Assemble Stocking Stuffer Bags

#### Infant (0-2)

Fisher Price play sets, Laugh and Learn plush toys Activity cubes, floor gyms, MEGA Blocks VTech developmental toys, bath toys, musical toys Push/pull or riding toys, MEGA Blocks Baby blankets, teethers, diapers and baby gear

#### Young Children (3-10)

Baby dolls (all ethnicities), and doll accessories Pretend play items, VTech Learning sets, Lego Duplo Barbie and Disney dolls, Rainbocorns My Little Pony, Little Live Pets, Bluey, Li'l Woodzeez Hatchimals, L.O.L. Rainbow High, Magic Mixies, Pokemon, Fortnite, Roblox and Minecraft items Legos, K'nex, and STEM building sets Marvel, DC, Star Wars and Transformers action figures Smashers, Robo Alive, Hot Wheels, Nerf toys RC's, Instant Print Cameras, Smartwatches BattlePots, Bevblade sets. Fiddets

### Preteens and Teens (11-18)

Most requested: \$25 Gift cards to popular stores including Target, Walmart, Kohls, Best Buy, Sephora, Ulta Beauty, Macy's, Marshalls, TJ Maxx, VISA, etc. Watches, jewelry, phone accessories
Headphones, wireless earbuds, portable speakers
Curling/straightening irons and hair accessories
Makeup, nail polish, bath and shaving kit sets
Local sports themed items
Purses, wallets, and mini backpacks
Advanced building models and science kits
Fun room decor, bulletin boards, LED lights, etc,
Drones, RC's, Polaroid Cameras and small electronics

#### All Ages

Sporting equipment and outdoor games Craft kits, art supplies, Play-Doh sets Books in English and Spanish Board games and puzzles Scooters, wagons, skates, skateboards with helmets Pajamas, warm socks, winter clothes and blankets Stuffed animals and Squishmallows

#### **Dates and Location:**

Roswell Presbyterian Church 755 Mimosa Blvd., Roswell Donation Collection Dates: December 15-17 from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m-Distribution Dates: December 18-20

#### Contacts:

Program Sponsorship and Donation Opportunities: SaraSpring Weston sweston@nfcchelp.org | 678-387-4474 Volunteer Opportunities: Vipal Sharma vsharma@nfcchelp.org | 678-387-4471

### Ways to Help: Visit https://nfcchelp.org/toyland-shop/



- Organize a collection drive
- Register your donation on SignUpGenius
- Purchase an item from our Amazon Wish List
- Volunteer your time and
  talents
- Make a financial contribution to Toyland

### Don't Miss the Fun at District Conference!



District Conference is a great time to join together with other Rotarians from our District in a relaxing and fun environment. For this Rotary year, we won't have a long drive because our conference will be held right up the road at Lake Lanier!

Details can be found at the following link:

**District Conference Details**