

**Rotary**  
Club of Thomasville




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# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

February 18, 2019

February is Peace and Conflict  
Prevention/Resolution Month

Thursdays, 12:15 pm  
The Plaza Restaurant  
217 South Broad Street  
Thomasville, GA 31792 May 1, 1921  
Active Membership: 141 

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**From the Desk of President Andre'**



## Club Calendar

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- 2/21 Regular Meeting - Kha McDonald - "Walking in My Shoes...Without Getting Your Feet Wet"
- 2/28 Regular Meeting-Special Guest-You don't want to miss this one!
- 3/7 Regular Meeting - Mike Stephenson - Thomas County News
- 3/14 Regular Meeting

## Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

- 2/1 Clay Campbell
- 2/5 Gregory Adams
- 2/5 Claire Bowen
- 2/9 Michele Arwood
- 2/11 Nick Murray
- 2/12 Lorraine Williams Rahming
- 2/15 Tom Callaway, III
- 2/16 Renee Oliveto
- 2/19 Tom Harrison, Jr.
- 2/19 Marta Turner
- 2/25 Shelley Zorn
- 2/27 Ronnie Godwin

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- 2/4 Bob Ackerman (51)
- 2/15 Erik von Hellens (18)
- 2/22 Eugene McNease (52)
- 2/28 John Archer, Sr. (5)

## SERVICE ANNIVERSARIES

- 2/1 Bradford Jackson (25)
- 2/1 Marta Turner (25)
- 2/1 Tom Hill (46)
- 2/1 Russell Chubb (42)

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2/4 Nancy Tillinghast (20)  
2/5 Al Nicholson (4)  
9 years in Rotary  
2/8 Joe Tarver (1)  
2/26 Nate Tyler (21)  
2/26 Al Bryan (4)  
2/27 Shelba Sellers (4)

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## Rotary Online

<https://thomasvillerotary.org>  
<https://rotary6900.org/>  
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Treasurer	Rick Piper
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Foundation Chair	Scott Rich
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Public Image Chair	Marta Turner
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