Roswell Rotary Club

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MARCH 28, 2023

President John's Message



Our Past President moment this week will feature PP Dave Schmit. It's appropriate we learn about Dave's year on the same day we have our Interact Clubs join us at Roswell Rotary.

Many years ago, Dave came up with the concept of Progressive Interact. We had Interact at Roswell High School, but who ever thought we should include our middle and elementary schools. Fast forward after more than 10 years and we have clubs in most of the Roswell High School cluster of elementary and middle schools. And we also sponsor and support Interact Clubs at the Cottage School, Blessed Trinity, Fellowship, and Independence High Schools.

For several years, Michael Schoppenhorst has been our Interact chair for the club, helping with organizing clubs, working with club teacher advisors, and recruiting club members as liaisons. We owe a huge debt of thanks to Michael for all his efforts.

You don't want to miss one of the best meetings of the year when we hear what our Interact Clubs accomplished during this school year.

Spring Interact Report

MEETINGS

March is Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Month

3/30	Spring Interact Program - Michael Schoppenhorst
4/6	Veterans Benefits - Jim Swain
4/13	Wellstar Behavioral Health Videos Rollout
4/20	Laws of Life
4/27	Growing Up in the South Ain't What It Used To Be - Hal Coleman
5/4	Serve Others. Live Without Fear. - Lance LoRusso
5/11	GRSP & Rotary Youth Exchange End of Year Report
5/18	John King, Georgia Insurance and Fire Safety Commissioner

EVENTS

4/4	RR After Hours Club-Moss Hill Farms
4/13	Roswell Rotary Family Waiting Room Dedication - Wellstar North Fulton
4/18	Rotary Means Business
4/18	RR After Hours Club
4/20	Alive In Roswell
4/25	Atlanta Braves - Living Donor Awareness Game
4/26	Purple Madness - benefitting End Human Trafficking Now
4/29	RR After Hours - Unity Garden Service Project

BIRTHDAYS

3/30	Darrell Bartlett
4/1	Kirk Wilson
4/3	Paul Lang
4/5	James Broadway
4/6	Mike Hampton

Program this Week: Michael Schoppenhorst and Project Updates



(Picture above is Michael Schoppenhorst with his son Andrew) Interesting story- Michael was introduced to Roswell Rotary through Andrew's involvement in the Elkins Middle Interact Club! And the rest is history!!

The Spring Interact Meeting is always a rewarding Rotary meeting. We get to hear the projects our Interact Clubs completed through the school year. What an inspiration. Additionally, we will be hearing from Interact Coordinator, **Michael Schoppenhorst**, as he hands over his reins to **Bill Hoban** after 5 years in this role. He will talk about how decisions do impact your whole life and directly impact both those you know and don't know. He is also going to showcase some of his "high impact"

Rotarians. See you Thursday.

Past President Moment

Dave Schmit - 2013-2014







The District Governor Blake McBurney's theme for 2013-14 was Indiana Blake and the Crusade. Our own intrepid leader "Indiana" Dave led Roswell Rotary on expeditions to expand Interact in our schools, endow our Roswell Rotary Foundation

4/6	Dave Schmit
4/6	John Connell
4/7	Vatsala Jajoo
4/8	Richard Stilley
4/8	Jordan Jedneski
4/10	Michael Byars
4/12	James Stone
4/16	Bob Clarkson
4/16	Bill Shore
4/17	Michael Thompson
4/20	Jonathan Crooks
4/22	Thomas Campbell
4/23	Will Colley
4/25	Michael Curling

YEARS OF SERVICE

3/28	Leonard Greski (4)
3/28	Bob Clarkson (4)
3/29	Jonathan Crooks (2)
3/29	Alesia Booth (2)
3/30	James Savage (2)
3/30	Rudiger Lind (23)
4/1	Dave Schmit (19)
4/5	Joseph Gillespie (1)
4/7	Donald Howard (40)
4/7	Cheryl Greenway (29)
4/9	Bill Wolff (2)
4/11	Sandy Buhler (10)
4/12	Jon-Paul Croom (4) 6 years in Rotary
4/19	Bill Shore (5) 38 years in Rotary
4/19	Hal Schlenger (5) 15 years in Rotary
4/19	Jeffrey Meyers (5)
4/19	Dr. Kay Howell (5)

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for future generations, and even improve how we served lunch. We capped the year off with the all-time largest scrapbook cover - the Ark of the Covenant. Unfortunately, the Ark is now lost in some vast warehouse or other resting place, but come check out Dave's scrapbook on the big screen before the meeting and hear what Roswell Rotary did in the Rotary year 2013-14.

April 27 - April 30

Free Time Options for District Conference in Sandestin, Florida



After an evening in the best hospitality suite…what to do?

The Beach…Did someone say the Beach ?? Yes that's right…free time on Friday and Saturday can be spent at the beach, playing golf, playing tennis, or just plain relaxing. Then join the group again in the hospitality suite before the evening festivities and meetings begin.

Join us April 27-30 for District Conference 2023. Make your reservations today! Click here for Registration and Accommodations

ROTARY CLUB OF ROSWELL

Thursdays, 12:15 pm
Roswell Area Park
Bill Johnson Community Activity Building
10495 Woodstock Road
Roswell, GA 30075

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