



PRESIDENT ALEX'S MESSAGE



Fellow Rotarians-

I hope that everyone is enjoying their Summer. We have a lot of exciting things coming to Roswell Rotary, particularly with our Golf and Tennis Tournament (please sign up with Bob Clarkson and his committee to see how you can help and play) as well as our Veteran's Initiatives- Honor Bus Trip for November 11th. Stay tuned! These will both be all hands on deck events.

This week, our guest is Tomer Zvulun. Tomer is bringing an exciting presentation on behalf of the Atlanta Opera. Please come on time so that you do not miss out on the presentation and rumor has it a guest performance or two.

Tomer Zvulun - The Man Behind the Opera Curtain

MEETINGS

August is Membership and New Club Development Month

- 8/17 Tomer Zvulun - Atlanta Opera
- 8/24 Golf & Tennis Tournament Pep Rally
- 8/31 Maurice Smith - USDA / Foster Care
- 9/7 SC House Rep Brandon Guffey - Gavin's Law
- 9/14 no meeting
- 9/21 State Rep. Scott Hilton - Fall Legislative Preview
- 9/28 Roswell Mayor Kurt Wilson
- 10/5 Andy Robinson - The Jeremy Williams Story

EVENTS

- 8/15 Rotary Means Business (district networking event) August
- 8/16 Tennis Clinic
- 8/17 Alive in Roswell
- 8/19 Walk with a Doc
- 8/19 Area 13.1 Half Marathon - 10K - 5K - Benefitting End Human Trafficking Now
- 8/23 Summer Blood Drive
- 8/31 Christmas decorating at Bulloch Hall Meeting
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LEADERSHIP

President	Alex Kaufman
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General and Artistic Director of the Atlanta Opera since 2013, Israeli born Tomer Zvulun is one of opera's most exciting stage directors, earning consistent praise for his creative vision, often described as cinematic and fresh. His work has been presented and awarded domestically and internationally by prestigious opera houses. He launched Atlanta Opera's Discoveries Series, he created the first young artist program in Atlanta Opera's history, tripled the company's annual revenue, created a film studio, and built a theatre in a circus tent where performances were conducted safely during the pandemic. Tomer's work is being taught at Harvard Business School and back at home, Tomer gave a 2018 TEDx "Solve for X" Talk at Emory in Atlanta. Opera in the Age of iPhones, Tomer warns us, "When art and design are not interactive, they are broken. See his approach to reach new audiences with a 500-year-old artform: <https://tomerzvulun.com/gallery>

After Hours Meets Tonight!

Bring a school supply for the CDA!

ROTARY CLUB OF ROSWELL

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

ROTARY ONLINE

<https://roswellrotary.club>
<https://rotary6900.org/>
<https://rotary.org/>

BIRTHDAYS

8/15	Betty Price
8/17	Jacque Digieso
8/18	John Albers
8/19	Susan Rumble
8/20	Debbie Cwalina
8/22	Becki Campolito
8/26	Grant Miller
8/27	Lori Kirn
8/28	Richard Spencer
8/30	Theodore Lescher
8/31	Steve Stroud
9/2	Mishel Miller
9/4	Terry Taylor
9/4	Roger Wise
9/5	Cole Taylor
9/6	Rudiger Lind
9/6	Robert McIntyre
9/9	Bill Sawin
9/12	Alesia Booth

YEARS OF SERVICE

8/20	John Wolfe (31)
8/20	Trummie Patrick, III (8)
8/23	Jay Pickett, III (5)
8/25	Lynn Dunn (7)
8/28	Lori Kirn (9)
8/29	Lucy Hall (4)



8/29	Katie Anderson (4)
9/7	Sid Disher (14)
9/8	Jeff Bridges (18)
9/8	Karen Schwank (12)

Roswell Rotary After Hours' next meeting is tonight! Zack Houston, mental health advocate and founder of A Friend in Me, will share his personal story and talk about his nonprofit. A Friend in Me is dedicated to growing mental health awareness through love, kindness and intentional conversation.

The club will also be collecting school supplies for the Children's Development Academy (CDA). The CDA is a non-profit preschool providing high-quality learning programs to children whose families otherwise couldn't afford it. Find the school supply list [here](#). If you bring a school supply, you will receive a free beer! See you at 6:30 at The Artillery Room!

This Thursday Alive in Roswell

It's Alive in Roswell Time!!

***No Rain
Please!***

Thursday August 17

Roswell Rotarians

Gather at Hagan Center at 5pm



Sat. Aug 19th

End Human Trafficking Event Area 13 Half Marathon



Where: 575 Riverside Road Roswell, GA US 30075

When: Sat. August 19

Why: Benefit End Human Trafficking NOW

AREA 13.1 and Terrestrial 5K/10K is an Out of this World Running Event. 13.1-10K-5K is a night race in Roswell, GA. One of the most popular courses to run in the State of Georgia. The courses are OUT OF THIS WORLD FLAT & FAST with a total elevation gain of the Half marathon at 224 feet, The 5K course total elevation gain of 50 feet, and only 90 feet of gain in the 10K !! WE are talking PR TIME!! All finishers will receive an awesome alien head medal that will make your head SPIN , coveted Area 13.1 tri blend shirt that will be your new GO TO SHIRT, and for runners 21 and over a free beer donated by Gate City Brewing Company. Come for the run and stay for the FUN !! Live band -DJ - Food trucks- Vendors- Gate City Brewing Company !! BRING THE ENTIRE FAMILY !!

[Add To Calendar](#)

Sat, Aug 19 8:30am

Your Body is Asking for This - Community 'Walk with a Doc'



Is Procrastination your Friend without Benefits? Guest Speaker is Therapist and Licensed Professional Counselor Aleksandra Rakita-Jeremic, who will share tips and techniques to stay motivated long enough to see the results that reinforce your good intentions and keep you going. Need we say more?

BONUS: Potluck Picnic to follow: Bring a snack or beverage to share and spend time after the walk getting to know some of your fellow walkers AND doctors. We are about 'community.'

Location: The "Northern" Beltline adjacent to the Bobby Jones Golf Course 2205 Northside Dr NW, Atlanta, GA 30305

When: Saturday, August 19 8:30am

Walk options are 2 miles and 3 miles

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Rotary Last Week

