Roswell Rotary Club

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President Nancy's Message



Honoring Our Heroes: A Fabulous Memorial Day Program

Roswell Rotary proudly hosted a moving and meaningful Memorial Day program last week, reminding us all of the true purpose of the holiday: to honor and remember the brave men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice in service to our country.

A heartfelt thank you goes to Dave Young and his dedicated committee for organizing such a thoughtful and powerful event. From the stirring presentation of colors to the solemn moments of remembrance, every detail was handled with care and respect. The program was a beautiful blend of reflection, gratitude, and community spirit, resonating deeply with all in attendance.

Special recognition goes to our speakers and participants who shared personal stories, patriotic songs, and touching tributes. Their contributions helped create an atmosphere of reverence and pride.

Thanks again to Dave and the entire team for their hard work in bringing this important program to life. Roswell Rotary continues to honor service above self, and this Memorial Day event was a shining example of that commitment.

This Thursday: Beth Lehman Shares the Gift of Life Through Organ Donation

Join us this Thursday for a powerful and inspiring program featuring Beth Lehman,

MEETINGS

May is Youth Service Month

5/29	Beth Lehman - Organ Donation Recipient
6/5	Justin Farmer
6/12	Stroud/Williams Southern Post / City of Roswell Update
6/19	President Nancy's Wrap Up Meeting
6/26	No Meeting at Roswell Rotary June 26-Trummie Lee Installation Party June 27
7/3	No Meeting at Roswell Rotary
7/10	President Trummie Lee's Vision
7/17	Clark Dean - Connection, Community + Convergence

EVENTS

6/5	Ribbon Cutting Playhouse- Drake House
6/7	Cops and Cars
6/9	RUMC Job Networking
6/12	Comedy for a Cause
6/19	Alive in Roswell
6/21	Walk w a Doc featuring Dr Betty Price
6/23	RUMC Job Networking
6/25	"Pint for a Pint" blood drive

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a passionate advocate for organ donation. Beth will share her deeply personal story that underscores the life-changing—and life-saving—impact of saying “yes” to organ donation.

As both a donor family member and a spokesperson for LifeLink of Georgia, Beth brings a unique perspective to the conversation. Her message is one of hope, healing, and the extraordinary power of generosity. You’ll learn how one decision can create a ripple effect that touches countless lives.

This is a program you won’t want to miss. Whether you’re already registered as an organ donor or just curious to learn more, Beth’s story will leave you inspired and informed.

Invite a guest and join us for a meeting that reminds us all of the incredible ways we can make a difference.

This Thursday, Kaho will give her heartfelt final presentation before returning to Japan, sharing reflections on her time with us.

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Roswell Rotary President 2024-25
Service above Self
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Live Organ Donations

Speaker Thursday



It's Personal

The decision to become an organ donor is an individual one. Personally, I cannot say I ever thought about it. I signed up to be

ROSWELL

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

ROTARY ONLINE

https://roswellrotary.club
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BIRTHDAYS

6/1	Albert Mazzeo
6/2	Sue Royappa
6/2	Sam Lane
6/3	David Houck
6/6	Brian Fennie
6/7	Jay Pickett
6/7	John Wolfe
6/12	Jason Stine
6/12	Dean Robertson
6/14	Mindy Smith
6/14	Tim McFarlin
6/15	Peter Korman
6/15	Connor Beecham
6/16	Brian Hansford
6/17	Mary Trapp
6/18	AJ Bonds
6/20	Rett Gunn
6/21	Haniel Jones
6/22	Harold Coleman
6/23	John Ross
6/23	Syd Mostajabi
6/24	John Greaves

YEARS OF SERVICE

5/31	Michael Curling (7)
6/2	Lori Allen (8)
6/10	Gabriel Prado (3)
6/12	Ron Cowan (28)

and organ donor when I turned 16 and got my driver's license because it was the right thing to do.

But now, it is different. Had my donor not made the choice to selflessly give the gift of life, I may not be here today. They tell me I did not have long...

And so begins Beth's story of life and death and the gift of life from an organ donor. Thursday, hear Beth's story as only she can tell it. As well as information about others who have donated organs. Our own John Albers is a vivid example. Who can forget the picture of John and his son Will on their way to surgery for their kidney transplant?



Roswell Rotarian Kathy Igou's boss at Turknett Leadership Group, Tim Huff, recently donated a kidney-to a client! When we talk about service above self, live organ donations take service to another level!

6/14	Karen Ewing (2)
6/14	Vatsala Jajoo (2)
6/20	Thomas Campbell, Jr. (6) 40 years in Rotary



Come hear Beth's story and learn more about live organ donations.
This would be a great meeting to bring along a friend!

Kaho Says Farewell





In Memory

Funeral Arrangements Patsy Wolff Monday, June 2 11am



Dear Rotarians,

The service for Patsy Wolff will be on Monday, June 2nd at Roswell United Methodist Church in the chapel. The service starts at 11am followed by visitation.

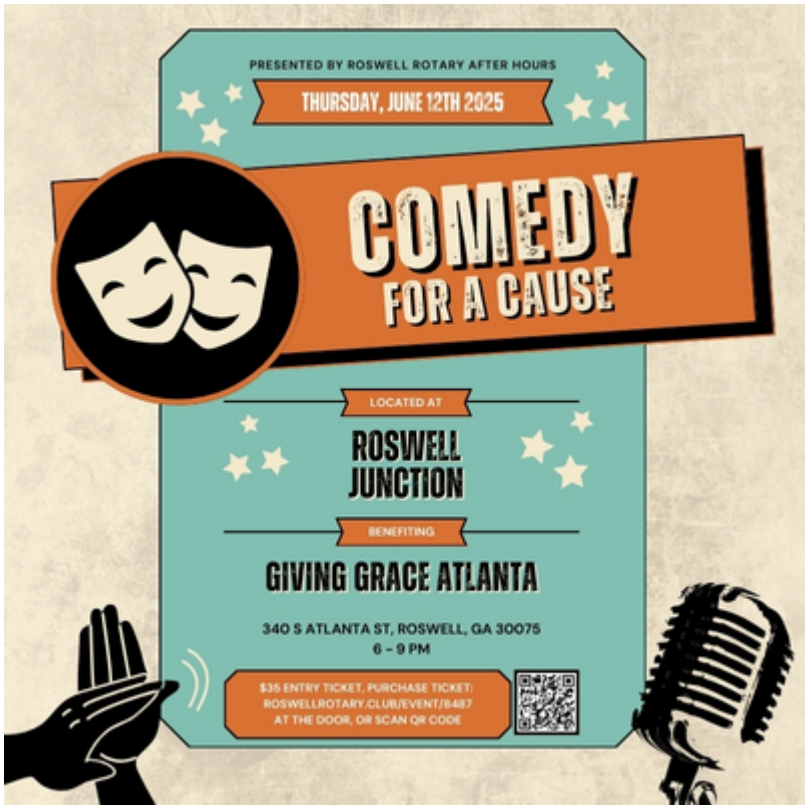
Please continue to keep the Wolff family in your thoughts and prayers.

In service,

President Nancy

2024/2025

After Hours 3rd Annual Comedy for a Cause!



Get ready to laugh for a cause!

Join us for our 3rd Annual Comedy for a Cause — where we turn laughter into support for those who need it most. This year, we're proud to partner with Giving Grace, a local Atlanta organization dedicated to helping families with everything from child care assistance and rent support to securing housing for those experiencing homelessness.

Every need is unique, and Giving Grace is there to meet people where they are. Now it's our turn to give back!

Come out for a Thirsty Thursday full of laughs, community, and purpose — and help make a difference, one punchline at a time!

When: June 12th, 2025

Time: 6-9pm

Location: Roswell Junction 340 S Atlanta St. Roswell, GA 30075

Preparing for 2025-26

Calling for Speaker Ideas

Let's Go!

We Need Your Speaker Ideas!



As President-Elect for 2025-26, I am working on lining up my speakers for the year. We've had an amazing year, and now I want to build on that success. If you know someone who inspires and excites, please help us get them as speakers. *Maybe you missed the email or it got hung up by your security software. never fear. Just click this link and add your thoughts!*

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Last Week at Rotary




























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GUEST
Charlotte Davison