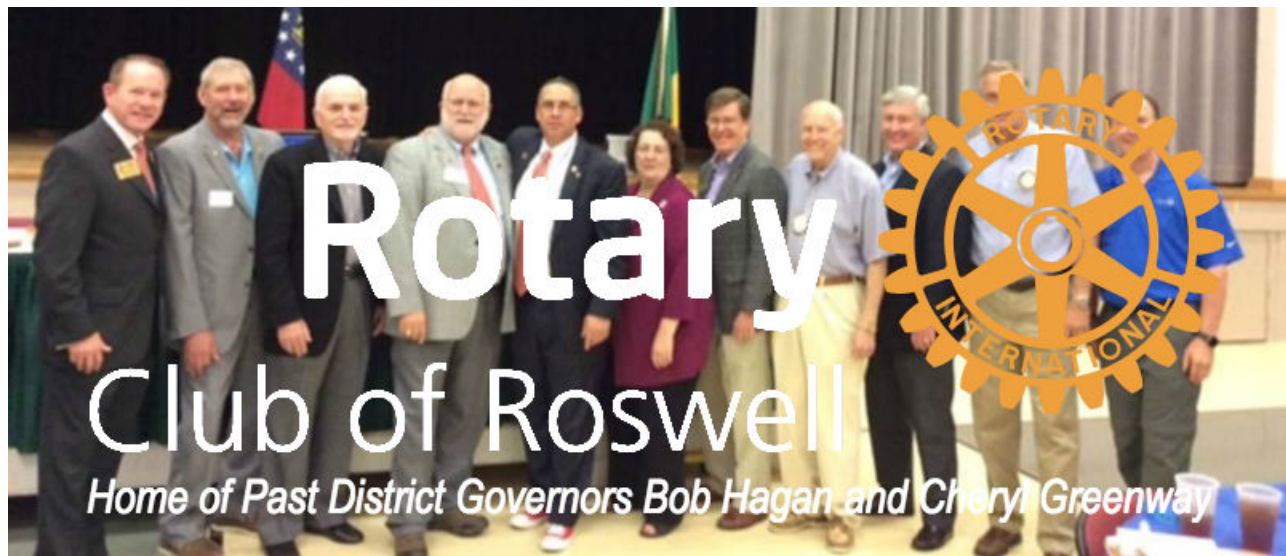


Roswell Rotary Rotascope October 6, 2016

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President's Message

We look forward to kicking off our 2nd quarter by honoring one of our more distinguished members - Mr. Don Howard. Don proudly served our US Army from 1967-1971 which included 3 tours in Vietnam, entailing over 350 missions on U-8 & U 10 aircrafts as a radio operator. Don is the current Chairman of the Board for the Bank of North Georgia and has been a Roswell Rotarian since 1983. Don served as Roswell Rotary's President in 1996-1997 as received the distinguished Service Above Self award in 2004. Don & his wife Teri have 3 adult sons & 5 grandchildren that keep them moving in addition to cheering on the Dawgs.

Thanks to our Patriot Flight leaders for creating such an amazing opportunity for our local heroes!! Thank you all for making our DG visit a memorable one for all!! I personally thank you all & congratulate you on a fantastic first quarter to our Rotary year!!

Welcome Kay Love & Mayor Jere Wood as we kick off Roswell's 66th annual Frances McGahee Youth Day Celebration. In addition, we'll get informed about the proposed TSPLOST initiative.

Let's make it a great year!! See you Thursday!!

President Jeff





Honoring our Veterans

Don Howard

US Army - 1967-1971

Don enlisted in the Army in September 1967 and was assigned to Fort Jackson, S.C. for basic training. He was then in Fort Devins, Mass. for advanced training as a Morse Code Intercept Operator for the Army Security Agency. After graduation he arrived in Viet Nam in July 1968 for the first of three tours that ended in September 1970. During his tours of duty in Viet Nam, he was assigned to the 138th Avn Co in Phu Bai and DaNang. He flew over 350 missions as a radio operator in a fixed wing aircraft (U-8's and U-10's) which equals over 1500 hours. There was a stretch where Don flew 68 consecutive days. Don returned to the States in September 1970 and was stationed at Fort Bliss in El Paso, Texas. He was honorably discharged in September 1971.



Program: Youth Day Parade and TSPLOST

Roswell Rotarians Kay Love and Mayor Jere Wood present the Youth Day Parade announcements and introduce the student leaders.

Fulton County residents have identified transportation and congestion relief as one of the most important issues facing Metro Atlanta. The Fulton County Transportation Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (TSPLOST) is proposed for a 0.75% (3/4 of a penny) sales tax to raise an estimated \$655 million over 5 years and is on the November 8, 2016 ballot for a vote. Come hear from Mayor Wood and city staff how the proposed TSPLOST will address transportation improvements in Roswell.



Wreaths Across America Benefit at Tom and Betty Price's home October 7th 5 - 7 pm

Last year we honored 215 veterans in four Roswell cemeteries with your support. Please help us again by donating towards both the wreath cost (deadline Nov. 25th) and attending the laying of the wreaths Saturday, Dec. 17th (each branch of service will be represented.)

<https://wreaths.fastport.com/donateLocation.html?page=18145>



Be the Voice Proclamation Oct 10th at City Council Meeting

Council Meeting is at 7:00 p.m. at Roswell City Hall, 38 Hill Street, Second Floor, Council Chambers. Please arrive by 6:50 p.m. as we start promptly at 7:00.



Return Trip to Ft Benning October 21st

Speak to any of those who attended in 2015

Bus will depart early AM on 21 Oct from Roswell Park (here)

Breakfast and Lunch on base - Ft Benning

Ranger Exhibition in the morning

Guided tour of the base including the Tank Museum, Possibly the 35 ft Tower, etc

Bus Departs at 1700 ETA 1930 (we leave at 5 and get home about 730pm)

Estimated cost (depends on the number going) \$150 per person

Rotarians and Family only until 1 October and then others as invited by Rotary Club Members. Need names and numbers of each person going ASAP.

Contact Jay Herbert West (678) 428-4701 Alicia Hughes (678) 283-7098

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BOOK BY OCT 14th

Members can book it with just \$200 then cancel the booking by October 1st to get all



monies back. Final payment due January 2nd. Since this is a cruise, everyone has to book early.

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

or call AAA Travel at
706-324-7121.

Very Important Dates:

19th Annual Malone Dodson Golf Tournament - October 10th

New Member Social (PDG Bob Hagan's Home) October 25th 6:30pm

Christmas Party December 9th 6:30pm

Be The Voice Dates:

1. **Oct 29.... 10-1:00...** Sid Discher has announced as the date for the Fall Interact Conference! And.... it will be held in Roswell! This conference is for HS & MS clubs only... Lunch is included as well as workshops on RYLA, Be the Voice and End It Now. Look for more information from Sid soon.
2. **Oct 2-8.** Work dates will be announced to decorate the Youth Day Parade.... **The parade will be on Sat, Oct 8.**
3. **Oct 10-** Be The Voice Proclamation at City Council. Please have your students attend and support... With shirts on!
4. **Oct 13 -** Be The Voice will be the key note speaker for Roswell Rotary just in case you can invite interested school leadership, clubs, etc.
5. **Nov 3 -** Roswell Rotary hosts your Interact Clubs, liaisons and school leadership. Awards will be passed out.

Last Week in Pictures



Member Birthdays	Birthday	Member Anniversaries	Total
Garrett, Dan	10/9/16	Coyle, Jim	7
Huntley, SaraBeth	10/12/16	McRay, Mike	14
Lindsay, Lynne	10/7/16	Millard, Matt	7
McCoy, Jeff	10/12/16	Owens, Carl	25
Price, Tom	10/8/16	Rowsey, Tom	10
Rivenbark, Eric	10/11/16		

Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) dates and locations for 2016-17*.

Date	Area	District	City
November 5, 2016	Georgia	6900	Carrollton, GA
November 19, 2016	Florida	6890	Tampa, FL
January 28, 2017	Georgia	6900	Americus, GA
January 28, 2017	Florida	6940	Pensacola, FL
February 4, 2017	Georgia	6920	Savannah, GA
February 18, 2017	Georgia	6910	Athens, GA
May 20, 2017	Georgia	6900	Sandy Springs, GA

Seriously consider RLI as part of your Rotary Journey.

*For the complete listing and to register for RLI, go to www.rlitraining.org
The Rotary Club of Roswell will pay for the course for Roswell Rotary members.

Upcoming Meeting Schedule October 13 Program: Be the Voice



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Our membership cares deeply about the needs and concerns of our members. We don't want to miss an opportunity to reach out in friendship when such concerns arise. The chairperson of this committee is Karen Pilcher and all news should be directed to her at karen.pilcher@lionbank.com

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