

**Rotary**  
Club of Thomasville



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## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

December 30, 2020

December is Disease Prevention  
and Treatment Month

Thursdays, 12:15 pm  
The Plaza Restaurant  
217 South Broad Street  
Thomasville, GA 31792

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☒ As is the custom when future Rotary District Governors are announced, Past District Governor's attend the home club of the District Governor Nominee Designate when the announcement is made. Attending the meeting last week were Past District Governor (PDG) Bob Hagan, Roswell; District Governor Elect, Mary Ligon, Dougherty; District Governor Nominee Designate Andre' Marria, Thomasville; PDG Fran Milberg, Thomasville; PDG Cheryl Greenway, Roswell; District Governor Nominee George Granada, Griffin; PDG Court Dowis, Harris County and PDG Raymond Ray, Griffin Daybreak.

## **Thank you Red Kettle Participants!**

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PS A new addition this year was a young man who went around to the kettle sites playing trumpet. His name was Sam. He is from Thomasville and a Freshman at Georgia State University. He was brought in by the S.A. to spread some Christmas joy.

## **GOODbye 2020!**

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## Meetings

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- 12/31 NO MEETING TODAY - HAPPY NEW YEAR
- 1/7
- 1/14 Regular Meeting
- 1/21 Regular Meeting

## Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

- 12/6 Andy Sheppard
- 12/7 Oscar Mims
- 12/10 Andy Jones
- 12/11 Eric Ward
- 12/13 Bob Drummond
- 12/14 Walter Gilbert
- 12/16 John Bracey, Jr.
- 12/16 Mike Bixler
- 12/23 Eugene McNease
- 12/24 Carlton Bryant
- 12/29 Susie Shin
- 12/31 Rob Milberg
- 12/31 Robert Jackson
- 12/31 Brett Jenkins

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- 12/1 Harry Tomlinson (41)
- 12/11 Rankin Smith, Jr. (29)
- 12/14 Robert Vice (124)
- 12/19 George Stephens, Jr. (68)
- 12/21 Fran Milberg (51)
- 12/22 Shelba Sellers (29)
- 12/27 Frederick Buechner (45)
- 12/27 Matt Brown (30)
- 12/29 Joe Brown (62)
- 12/30 Tim Filston (25)

## YEARS OF SERVICE

- 12/1 Scott Rich (43)

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12/1 Rebecca Strickland (17)  
12/1 Pat McLeod (33)  
12/2 John Brown (10)  
12/3 Thomas Carlton (5)  
12/3 Howard Stephens (5)  
12/10 Richard Christenson (0)  
12/13 Gerhard Sommer (19)  
12/13 John Blackmon (2)  
5 years in Rotary  
12/13 Matt Brown (2)  
6 years in Rotary  
12/13 Julie Cannady (2)  
12/13 Susie Shin (2)  
12/13 Barbara Williams-  
Anderson (2)  
12/18 Frank Helms (6)  
7 years in Rotary  
12/19 Gerry Gilmer (1)  
3 years in Rotary

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## Rotary Online

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<https://rotary6900.org/>  
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Treasurer	Teri White
Secretary	Angela Williamson
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