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## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

July 20, 2021

July is New Rotary Year Month

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

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### It's Good to See Our Fellow Rotarians

Golf Tournament... Please see Scooter Grubbs

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## Meetings

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- 7/22 Regular Meeting - GLIMPSE AT STEPHEN FOSTER - PETER POTTER AND JACK POPE
- 7/29 Regular Meeting - Camp Crosspoint
- 8/5 PRESIDENT WAYNE NEWSOME - INTRODUCTION OF NEW BOARD MEMBERS
- 8/12 Regular Meeting - High School Football Review

## Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

- 7/8 George Stephens, Jr.
- 7/19 Coy Irvin
- 7/20 Jamie Lawrence
- 7/21 Dale Hodges
- 7/28 Bryant Beadles
- 7/28 Stuart Jackson
- 7/28 Richard Christenson

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- 7/12 Paul Hancock (46)
- 7/12 Debbie Quinton (35)
- 7/23 Rick Piper (17)

## YEARS OF SERVICE

- 7/1 Jay Flowers (11)
- 7/1 Rick Piper (0)  
6 years in Rotary
- 7/1 Jonathan Cleveland (0)  
5 years in Rotary
- 7/1 Scooter Grubbs, III (34)
- 7/1 Donald Sims (32)
- 7/1 Warren Stafford (41)
- 7/1 Jeff Zoller (12)
- 7/1 Mary Beth Donalson (7)
- 7/1 Sharon Patrick (17)
- 7/1 Lauren Vann (5)
- 7/2 Bill Dickey (6)

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- 7/4 Erik von Hellens (9)
- 7/4 Nic Rahming (2)
- 7/6 Ronnie Godwin (4)  
26 years in Rotary
- 7/6 Kim Walden (4)  
10 years in Rotary
- 7/8 Chandler Giddes (0)
- 7/12 Eric Ward (9)
- 7/14 Frederick Buechner (5)  
30 years in Rotary
- 7/15 Dominic Ford (0)
- 7/16 Brett Jenkins (1)
- 7/17 W. Clay Campbell (9)  
25 years in Rotary
- 7/18 André Marria (16)
- 7/22 David Lewis (11)
- 7/30 Charles Hill (2)  
48 years in Rotary

## Rotary Online

<https://thomasvillerotary.org>  
<https://rotary6900.org/>  
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President	Wayne Newsome
President-Elect	Danny Braddy
Immediate PP	John Brown
Vice President	Jeff Zoller
Treasurer	Teri White
Secretary	Angela Williamson
Membership	Janet Liles
Foundation	Fran Milberg
Public Image	Adrian Burns

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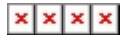


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