Roswell Rotary Club

# Rotascope

APRIL 13, 2021

## President's Message

## The Secret Sauce



Not a week goes by that a speaker or guest does not comment on what is so special about Roswell Rotary.

Words such as “I’ve heard about your club, now I get it”, or “wow, you guys really have fun!”

We have known the answer for years. Fellowship. Friends are the family you choose. I am so grateful we choose Roswell Rotary!

“Friendship is the only cement that will ever hold the world together." Woodrow T. Wilson

## This Week's Speakers

## Roswell Police and Fire Chiefs

### MEETINGS

April is Environment Month

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| 4/15 | Police Chief Conroy & Interim Fire Chief Papoutsis |
| 4/22 | 70th Anniversary Celebration - Anne Matthews |
| 4/29 | Laws of Life |
| 5/6 | Nancy Diamond - Charity Update |
| 5/13 | Dr. Benjamin Zussman - Stroke Prevention |
| 5/20 | Dr. Dan Salinas, CHOA - Covid's Impact on Children |
| 5/27 | Tom Price & Dave Young - Memorial Day Ceremony |
| 6/3 | Jasmine Stewart - Celebrity Chef |

### EVENTS

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| 5/12 | Hump Day @ Variant |
| 5/20 | Farmers to Families Food Boxes |
| 5/22 | Holiday/Anniversary Party |
| 5/31 | Memorial Day Virtual Ceremony |
| 6/7 | GBI EHT Training - Set Up Crew |
| 6/7 | End Human Trafficking Police Training |
| 6/7 | GBI EHT Training - Snack Table Manning |
| 6/7 | GBI EHT Training - Lunch Serving |

### LEADERSHIP

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| President | Lynne Lindsay |
| President-Elect | Terry Taylor |
| Immediate PP | Gordon Owens |
| Treasurer | Alex Kaufman |
| Secretary | John Carruth |
| Public Image | Trummie Patrick, III |
| Past President | Becky Stone |



James Conroy is currently the Chief of Police for the City of Roswell. He was selected for this position following a nationwide search and began serving the City of Roswell on July 29, 2019.

Before joining the Roswell Police Department, Chief Conroy grew up in DeKalb County, and served the DeKalb County Police Department retiring in 2019 with 30 years of service. He worked his way through all ranks and divisions and served as the DeKalb County Chief of Police for the last five and one half years. Under his leadership, DeKalb County experienced a significant reduction in overall crime and he led efforts to increase public trust and overall transparency of the department by implementing body worn cameras and enhancing public access to crime data.

Chief Conroy is happily married for over 16 years to his wife Ginger. They have two girls, Reagan age 15 and Reese age 13. They keep him very busy with their competitive cheerleading and travelling.

## 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/

## SOCIAL MEDIA

## BIRTHDAYS

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| 4/16 | Bill Shore |
| 4/16 | Bob Clarkson |
| 4/17 | Michael Thompson |
| 4/20 | Jonathan Crooks |
| 4/22 | Thomas Campbell |
| 4/23 | Will Colley |
| 4/25 | Michael Curling |
| 4/28 | Peter Saddler |
| 4/29 | Marcus Smith |
| 5/1 | Bill Kolbrener |
| 5/3 | Danny Broadway |
| 5/4 | Frank Brown |
| 5/4 | Jerry Orlans |
| 5/8 | Casey Weldon |
| 5/9 | Asch Aschenbach |
| 5/11 | Edward Klaas |

## YEARS OF SERVICE

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|---|---|
| 4/19 | Dr. Kay Howell (3) |
| 4/19 | Jeffrey Meyers (3) |
| 4/19 | Hal Schlenger (3)<br>13 years in Rotary |
| 4/19 | Bill Shore (3)<br>36 years in Rotary |



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| 4/29 | Leslie Bassett (1) |
| 4/29 | James Stone (1) |
| 5/4 | George Polatty, Jr. (43) |
| 5/4 | Mary Trapp (1)<br>7 years in Rotary |
| 5/8 | Michael Schoppenhorst (7) |

Tony Papoutsis started in the fire service on July 2, 1977 in Fayetteville PA. Tony was hired by the Roswell Fire Department in 1989 as a part time firefighter and became a full time Assistant Fire Marshal/Arson Investigator in 1990. He was promoted to Training Captain in 1997 and then Deputy Fire Chief in 2005. He is currently the Interim Fire Chief until the arrival of Chief Joe Pennino on June 1st. Tony holds a Bachelor's Degree in Education and a Masters Degree in Public Administration.

Tony has been married to his wife Kelly for 26 years and has a 23 year old son Zach (who is a Cobb County Firefighter) and a 19 year old son Alex who is studying to be a medical doctor at the University of South Carolina.

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**Thursdays, 11:45 - 1:15 PM | Holiday Inn**

## Meeting Protocol Virtual and In-Person



You can participate either way.

1) Join us at the Holiday Inn. We have expanded our space to all three ballrooms and have requested additional tables be added with fewer seats per table. The Holiday Inn is located behind the Olive Garden at 909 Holcomb Bridge Rd, Roswell, GA 30076.

2)  Join us virtually at 12:15pm by computer, tablet or phone via CLICKING/TAPPING THIS LINK.  If you are asked, the password is **Roswell.**

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### Sat, April 17th 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

## Free Document Shredding



Do some “Spring Cleaning,” get out of your house, enjoy some coffee and donuts, and support a great charity!

You may bring up three (3) boxes of old bills, and statements for shredding. You can watch your own documents get shredded in the truck. WE MAKE IT EASY. You do not have to remove staples or paper clips. HELPFUL TIP – Its suggested you keep tax documents for 7 years and the returns indefinitely.

Sponsored by: Odyssey Personal Financial Advisor Please SIGN UP for a time slot at **www.OdysseyPFA.com/events/free-shred-day**

We will be in our office parking lot centrally located Off Alpharetta Hwy (Hwy 9) Near Honda Carland & Sherwin-Williams two traffic lights north of Mansell Rd. 500 Sun Valley Drive, Suite A6 | Roswell, GA 30076 | 770-992-4444 Turn west onto Sun Valley Drive and follow the signs. For more information, please contact Janeen Blecker at 770-992-4444 or **janeen.blecker@OdysseyPFA.com**.

ALL ARE WELCOME! Bring a neighbor or friend.

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## Rotary Last Week








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2020-21 President
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