

## "THE FRIENDLY BREAKFAST CLUB" NEWSLETTER

October 6, 2021

## **Meetings**

October is Economic and Community Development Month

10/8 District Governor Mary Ligon's Official Visit

10/15 Stephanie Freeman and Shavonne Reed, Dunwoody Perimeter Chamber of Commerce

10/22 No meeting - join us for Thirsty Thursday

10/29 Freddy Morello, Clubhouse Atlanta

# Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

10/7 Mike Parks
10/13 Mike Shortal
10/22 Teak Pacetti, Jr.
10/24 Bill Woulfin
10/24 Charlene Hall

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

10/2 Ed Godshall (13) 10/10 Lorri Christopher (40)

10/12 Gary Lane (18)

10/25 Dottie Toney (7)10/31 William Kelly, Jr. (34)

## **Rotary Online**

https://dunwoodyrotary.org https://rotary6900.org/ https://rotary.org/

ROTARY CLUB OF DUNWOODY

This Week's Speaker

## Mary Ligon, District Governor



Join us this Friday at LeMeridien to help welcome District Governor Mary Ligon. Or, join by Zoom at <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86202979419">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86202979419</a>. Mary Ligon joined the Rotary Club of Dougherty County (Albany, GA) in 2002 serving in several capacities before becoming President in 2009-2010. At the district level, Mary has served as an Assistant Governor, AG Trainer/Coordinator, multi-district PETS facilitator and District Grants chair. She was recognized as District Rotarian of the Year in 2017, and with the Rotary Foundation Citation for Meritorious Service in 2018, and is a Rotary Foundation Major Donor.

Having served on numerous community boards and with over 20 years of experience participating in, volunteering in, and leading community leadership programs, Mary understands the opportunity and benefits of focus and scale in achieving impactful results. She is an alumnus of several community and regional leadership programs and served as the director of Leadership Albany for 17 years.

In 2016, the national Association of Leadership Programs recognized Mary with their Preceptor Award and she is currently serving as Resources Director for the organization. Mary has a BBA degree from Georgia Southern University in Management/Information Systems and began her career with IBM. Established in 1994, she maintains a consulting business - Mary Ligon, etc. Mary and her husband Jim have two grown daughters.

#### **Support Our Fundraiser**

## **Exclusive Whiskey & Cigar Pairing Raffle**



Last week, we launched a new fundraiser - our first ever Whiskey & Cigar Pairing Raffle. This is your chance to win an exclusive bottle of whiskey that is paired with a hand rolled cigar that was rolled just for us. All proceeds from the raffles will go to the Dunwoody Rotary Club's Charitable Fund - supporting the work we do in our community and around the world. Thanks to the fundraising committee - especially Hoshi Daruwalla, Bob O'Brien, Rick Woods (for the website) and Freddy Morello (social media) - for their hard work on this!

We need YOUR help - buying tickets of course, but more importantly, sharing this with friends, family and business associates who might be interested in this unique opportunity. We have posted a flyer you can download from here to distribute - and you can share the information through social media

Remember, individuals MUST be 21 years old to participate.

For more information scan the QR code on this page or head to <a href="https://www.whiskey-raffle.com">www.whiskey-raffle.com</a>.

Fridays, 7:15 am

Le Méridien Atlanta Perimeter 111 Perimeter Center West Atlanta, GA, GA 30346

#### **LEADERSHIP**

President Carter Stout

President Float Jennifer

President-Elect Bowler
Immediate PP Ardy Bastien

Treasurer Cathie

Brumfield
Secretary Louise Barden

Membership Brian Harper Foundation Jennie Stipick

Public Image Jackie Cuthbert

#### Celebrate the Work of Clubhouse Atlanta



You're invited to join in the one year anniversary celebration for Clubhouse Atlanta, an inviting place for adults with Mental Illness that gives them Respect, Dignity and Courage to reach their potential as valued and contributing members of their community. Our own Freddy Morello is the Clubhouse's Executive Director and will be sharing its story with us at the end of October.

In the meantime, consider stopping by this outdoor event and whether you'd be interested in supporting the fundraising efforts linked to this first anniversary. The organization is growing and serving more people every day, and its Campaign for Growth is targeting \$75,000 in new donations. You can learn more about Clubhouse Atlanta and make a contribution at <a href="https://www.clubhouseatlanta.org/">https://www.clubhouseatlanta.org/</a>. And don't miss Freddy's presentation on October 29.

#### **Club Calendar**

## What's Happening in October



Here's a way to keep up with all that's happening with the Rotary Club of Dunwoody. If you would like to add an event - or add a story to the bulletin, send an email to Jackie Cuthbert at cuthbert@mindspring.com by Tuesday evening.

- Oct. 7 Board dinner with DG Mary Ligon
- Oct. 8 District Governor Mary Ligon visits Dunwoody
- Oct. 9 Dunwoody Nature Center service project
- Oct. 15 Meeting: Stephanie Freeman and Shavonne Reed, Dunwoody Perimeter Chamber of Commerce
- Oct. 19 Board meeting: Zoom 7:30 am
- Oct. 19 Attorney/CPA Rotary Means Business,  $6:30~\mathrm{pm}$  at Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant, Perimeter
  - Thirsty Thursday, Porter Brew & Que Brewery, 5486
- Oct. 21 Chamblee Dunwoody Road, 5:30 pm Welcome Dunwoody Alumni
- Oct. 22 No meeting
- Oct. 23 Bounds Garden clean-up, 9:00 AM
- Oct. 29 Freddy Morello, Clubhouse Atlanta
- Oct. 31 First drawing, Exclusive Whiskey and Cigar Pairing Raffle