



Rotary Club of Statesville



Rotary is where neighbors, friends, and problem-solvers share ideas, join leaders, and take action to create lasting change.

November 13 2018



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OFF SITE MEETING

Our November 20th meeting will be held at the Boys & Girls club at noon.

CONGRATULATIONS

on their recent re-election

James Mallory - County Commissioner

Jim Mixson - Clerk of Court

Rena Turner - NC House of Representatives

You can start the holiday season on a charitable note by donating on Giving Tuesday, 28 November.

Why should Rotary be your charity of choice?

Because our 1.2 million members see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.

Here are six reasons to donate to Rotary.

1. We fight disease around the world
2. We teach people to read
3. We build peace
4. We provide clean water, sanitation
5. We grow local economies
6. We save mothers and children

To make a gift to the foundation go <https://my.rotary.org/en/donate>

Today's Program

**Emily Speece
with
Statesville Family
Medicine will
have the program**

You may now pay your quarterly bill online. Simply go to www.statesvillerotary.org and click on the member information tab.

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THE FOUR WAY TEST

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Club Anniversaries

Bud Bramley	11/12/96	22 years
Robb Collier	11/29/11	7 years
Gary Duncan	11/23/10	8 years
Gloria Hager	11/1/93	25 years
Frank Johnson	11/1/92	26 years

Happy Birthday

Alan Carpenter		November 18
Bryan Duncan		November 2
Darbah Skaf		November 13

50 Things Every Rotarian Should Know About Rotary (continued) (by Steve Garret, District Governor 1994-1995)

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In many Rotary clubs throughout the world, wives of male members are affectionately called "Rotary Anns". This designation was never one of disparagement, but rather grew out of an interesting historical occasion. The year was 1914 when San Francisco Rotarians boarded a special train to attend the Rotary convention being held in Houston. In those days few wives attended Rotary events, and until the train stopped in Los Angeles, the only woman aboard was the wife of Rotarian Bru Brunnier. As the train picked up additional convention-bound delegates, Mrs. Ann Brunnier was introduced as the Rotarian's Ann. This title soon became "Rotary Ann." Since the clubs of the West were inviting the Rotarians to hold their next convention in San Francisco, a number of songs and stunts were organized which would be performed in Houston. One of the Rotarians wrote a "Rotary Ann" chant. On the train's arrival at the Houston depot, a delegation greeted the West Coast Rotarians. One of the greeters was Guy Gundaker of Philadelphia, whose wife was also named Ann. During the rousing demonstration, someone started the Rotary Ann chant. The two petite ladies, Ann Brunnier and Ann Gundaker, were hoisted to the men's shoulders and paraded about the hall. The group loved the title given to the two women named Ann. Immediately the same term of endearment was used for all of the wives in attendance, and the name "Rotary Ann" was here to stay. Guy Gundaker became president of Rotary International in 1923 and Bru Brunnier was elected president in 1952. Thus, each of the two original Rotary Anns became the "first ladies of Rotary International."