



FALL CLUB OUTING

Griffin Rotarians convened Thursday evening at The Big Shanty for our annual Fall Outing. It was a GRILL YOUR OWN STEAK NIGHT which proved to be very popular among the membership. Club outings are designed to allow members to interact in a totally social gathering. In the past, we have coupled a picnic type meal with golf, bocce, or a sporting clay shoot. This year, our organizing committee provided steak, chicken, shrimp, all the trimmings, and of course the grill for a cook your own. There were lots of fantastic foods, smiling faces, and conversation and friendship. Thanks to our committee of Tim Hearn, Charles Woodroof, Wade Miller, Charles Penny, Jeff Jacobs, Otis Blake, and others for making our Fall Outing a great success. William Wilson provided some nice photos of the event. Enjoy!

NEW MEMBER PROPOSALS

Any comments on this matter should be directed to Yvonne Langford in writing on or before October 11, 2018.

Steve Lease, General Manager/COO of Liberty Technology, Inc. has been proposed for membership by Allen Edwards. If approved, Steve's classification will be IT Services – Management.

Bob Stapleton, Project Management for Airport Authority has been proposed for membership by Randy Peters. If approved, Bob's classification will be Aviation Services – Project Manager.



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GABRIEL'S ART ASSIGNMENT IN SURREALISM

Gabriel, our GRSP student, shares this art class assignment experience

We have been studying Surrealism in my art class. Our professor told us he wanted us to experience being lost. My plan was to have an Uber leave me at some random location that I did not know and without my cell phone. Another international student joined in the fun. We chose a rainy day to make directions more difficult, and we had an Uber driver leave us at some location unknown to us. The streets were curved, and the houses looked the same. For me, it was a weird feeling but a good way to experience new spaces in the city. But the absence of known reference points (the unknown) made me uncomfortable and a little fearful. It was easy to imagine possible disasters. The thought of being physically lost affected my mental state. But, there was less anxiety because I was not alone. I found that the feeling of being lost increased my awareness of our surroundings. We were more attentive to street signs, the features of buildings, and other signs. I did not have a camera, but I clearly remember the images we experienced. We chose a random direction to start. I found it entirely different from the Brazilian neighborhoods I knew where almost every city is built on a grid. The curvy streets here made me feel even more lost. There were no sidewalks which added to the discomfort. As we walked along the roadway, cars passed very close to us adding even more discomfort. We eventually arrived at a rail line which I felt I knew would help us find a way back to familiar surroundings. We guessed a direction and walked 20 to 30 minutes. We saw a bus with a destination of Prince Avenue going in the opposite direction. Knowing that street, we turned around and walked another 40 minutes. We became very tired and could find no restaurants or retail stores. We finally asked directions finding out we were 5 miles from campus and going in the wrong direction! Despite all the upsetting feelings, the experience was an effective assignment and an exciting way to learn the city. Very surreal, huh?

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Club Calendar

OCTOBER IS ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH

October 11	Jeff Williams Executive Director Square Foot Ministries
October 18	Christi Plott American Tanning and Leather
October 20	Rotary Leadership Institute, Gordon College
October 27	Cynthia Cole Historic Banning Mills

Our Rotary Family

BIRTHDAYS

October 07	Art Hammond
07	James Jenkins
14	Bill Jones
19	Terry Killingsworth
20	Jim Fortune
21	Bobby Chappell
25	Charles Woodroof
29	Chuck Copeland

ANNIVERSARIES

October 09	Ben & Tracy Johnson
11	Tim & Robin Hearn
24	John & Elizabeth O'Neal
November 02	Bill & Ann Jones
02	Tamara & Greg Ison
07	Tom & Gail Gardner

MEETING MAKEUP INFORMATION

Monday - 12 Noon	Henry County	PJs Sidewalk Café, McDonough
Monday - 12:15 PM	Fayetteville	IHOP, Fayetteville
Monday - 6:30 PM	Coweta-Fayette	Senoia Coffee Company, Senoia
Tuesday - 12 Noon	Barnesville	Lamar Co. College & Career Academy
Tuesday - 12 Noon	Jackson/Butts Co.	Daughtry Park, Jackson
Tuesday - 12:15 PM	Thomaston/Upson Co	Thomaston-Upson Senior Center
Wednesday - 7:30 AM	Griffin Daybreak	J. Henry's Restaurant, Griffin
Wednesday - 12:15 PM	Clayton County	Holiday Inn, Jonesboro
Thursday - 7:15 AM	Fayette Daybreak	Windham ,Peachtree City
Friday - 12 Noon	Newnan	Newnan Country Club, Newnan

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