Rotary Club of Dunwoody

The Friendly Breakfast Club

JUNE 3, 2026

Save the Date!

Events You Won't Want to Miss

As you are planning out your early summer, be sure your calendar includes:

- **Dunwoody Diners - Next Saturday (June 13) - dinner and the theater ...** Those who have signed up and have their tickets will meet for dinner, then head to the Aurora Theater for "In the Heights." Haven't signed up? Contact Sherry Levy ASAP - tickets are your own responsibility. Or, check out our next dinner and theater opportunity - Les Miserables in Sandy Springs this September (article below)
- **Dunwoody End of Year Celebration - June 26, Dunwoody Country Club** ... Help President Matthew celebrate a successful Rotary year and be there when President Elect Dave and his officers are installed for the 2026-27 Rotary Year! You and your "+1" are invited to enjoy a buffet supper and some fellowship time with the Dunwoody Family of Rotary. More details to follow ...
- **Fourth of July Parade and Hot Dog/Baked Goods Stand - Saturday, July 4** ... See the article below from Dave and plan to be on hand to help and enjoy the fun!
- **Mid-Summer Wine Event - Sunday July 12** at Marion and Austin Bunch's home ... See article below.

This Week's Speaker

Kyle Wingfield, President & CEO, Georgia Public Policy Foundation

MEETINGS

June is Rotary Fellowships Month

6/5	Kyle Wingfield; President & CEO of the Georgia Public Policy Foundation
6/12	Alan Mothner, Spruill Center for the ARts
6/26	END OF YEAR BANQUET
7/10	General meeting - club assembly
7/14	Board meeting
7/24	General Meeting - Tony Barnhart
7/31	General Meeting - Chris Brand, FODAC
8/7	General Meeting

BIRTHDAYS

6/4	Michael Kenig
6/11	Russell Reams, DBA
6/25	Hoshi Daruwalla
6/27	Lang Wooddy
6/30	Deb Cameron

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

6/7	George Stewart, Jr. (57)
6/15	Chris Gutschenritter (52)
6/17	Carter Stout (31)
6/22	Steve Dolinger (41)
6/23	Dr. John E. Carr (53)
6/24	Charlie Augello (65)
6/24	Ardy Bastien (22)
6/27	Kathy Brandt (56)
6/27	Fred Brandt (18)

ROTARY ONLINE

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



Join us this Friday at Maggiano's to welcome Kyle Wingfield, President & CEO of the Georgia Public Policy Foundation.

Kyle Wingfield is a native of Dalton and graduate of the University of Georgia. He joined the Foundation as president and CEO in April 2018 after spending nine years as an opinion columnist for The Atlanta Journal-Constitution. He has also worked for the Wall Street Journal, based in Brussels, Belgium, and for the Associated Press, based in Atlanta and Montgomery, Ala. Kyle's weekly column continues to appear in newspapers around the state.

Kyle is a graduate of the AEI Leadership Network and Leadership Georgia. He serves as a trustee of the Georgia Press Educational Foundation and is a past member of the University of Georgia's Board of Visitors. An Eagle Scout, he remains a volunteer in Scouting. He lives in Atlanta with his wife and their two sons.

ROTARY CLUB OF DUNWOODY

Fridays, 7:15 am
Maggiano's - Perimeter Mall
4400 Ashford Dunwoody Rd,
Dunwoody, GA 30338
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Help Us Shine as a Silver Sponsor of the Dunwoody Parade!



Have you ever stood along the crowded streets of Dunwoody on Independence Day, watched the vibrant parade roll by, and thought, *"I wonder who builds those floats?"* or *"How can I be a part of that magic?*" Now is your opportunity! The Rotary Club of Dunwoody is carrying out a fun-filled, 30+ year club tradition, and we need every hand on deck to make this year's participation an overwhelming success. This year, our impact is bigger than ever: **RCD is proud to be a Silver Sponsor of the City of Dunwoody's Fourth of July Parade.** To honor this commitment and showcase our vibrant club to the community, we need a strong, enthusiastic showing of volunteers.

Quick Details at a Glance:

- **Float Building & Social:** Sunday, June 28 (Late Afternoon)
- **Dunwoody 4th of July Parade:** Saturday, July 4 at 9:00 AM Sharp *(Staging at the corner of Jett Ferry & Mt. Vernon Highway).* Wear your Rotary shirt and comfortable walking shoes.
- **Hot Dog Stand & Bake Sale:** Saturday, July 4 (Post-Parade) @ End of the Parade Route in Dunwoody Village

Click more to read the rest of the details, then please reply directly to **Dave (dave@mailcenteretc.com)** and let him know exactly how you can help.
[read more]

From Your Fundraising Team

A Look at What's Coming/Request for Your Ideas

Your golf tournament committee heads are meeting this week to debrief our event as best we can with many people traveling or very busy. There will be a quick recap of the event at this week‘s regular meeting.

It’s also time to start thinking about the Whiskey Raffle and work has already begun on Whiskey Tastings, and other ways to keep this fundraiser top of mind all the way through the November or December drawing.

There has been some talk about having an auction at the transition dinner each year (just restaurant gift cards like the golf tournament) or a raffle (like 50/50), so please send your thoughts to Bob O’Brien on this idea. Basically, would you want an auction at our annual dinner?

Wine Fellowship

Join Us for a Mid-Summer Wine Fellowship

Marion and Austin Bunch are inviting us to gather at their home amidst their balcony garden for a mid-summer Wine Fellowship on **Sunday, July 12 from 4-6 pm**. The Bunches will provide soft drinks and a fresh shrimp platter. Guests should bring a bottle of wine and an appetizer to share. We had such a large crowd last year that our table was filled with the best appetizers you can imagine! The event will take place at PLAZA TOWERS, 2575 Peachtree Rd. NE, unit 20 E, Atlanta. The building has a wide driveway and we will have valet service. It commands an amazing view of Atlanta, the perfect setting for fellowship with friends. Please let Marion know if you will be coming - by email rffa.org@gmail.com or phone at 678 296 8951.

Dunwoody Diners

Les Miserables Alert - September 26!



The Dunwoody Diners will be attending a performance of “Les Miserables” at the Byers Theater in the Sandy Springs Performing Arts Center on September 26, 2026. As always, YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PURCHASING YOUR OWN TICKETS and we suggest purchasing as soon as possible if you'd like to join us, as this is one of the world's most popular musicals. The most efficient way to purchase tickets is to call the box office at 404-477-4365. The box office is open M - F from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. The address of the Sandy Springs Performing Arts Center is 1 Galambos Way, Sandy Springs, GA 30328.

The Diners will be meeting ahead of the theater at Aldo’s Italian Restaurant (6690 Roswell Road, Sandy Springs, GA 30328) at 5:30 pm. Please get in touch with Sherry Levy if further information is needed at sherrylevy13@hotmail.com. Also, please RSVP to Sherry Levy at sherrylevy13@hotmail.com before September 10, 2026. Thank you very much.