

President's Message: June 2026

June is a special month for Buckhead Rotary. Four of our members are marking more than 20 years as Rotarians. Their dedication, service, and leadership have shaped our club, our district and Rotary International.

Please join me in congratulating:

Candace Klein 23 Years

Cathy LaMon - 24 Years

Aadu Allpere- 28 Years

Ken Clary - 38 Years

What an amazing accomplishment! Thank you, Candace, Cathy, Aadu, and Ken, for your unwavering commitment and countless contributions over the decades. Your example inspires us all. Here's to many more years of service above self.

Tommer Zyulun, Atlanta Opera & Bobby Jones Clubhouse

Tommer Zvulun will join us Monday to introduce us to an exciting project for the Atlanta Opera. The Opera will transform the historic Bobby Jones Clubhouse, located on Woodward Way on the Atlanta Beltline, into a home for opera and the performing arts in a community-forward, multi-disciplinary arts center. The plan will create a nature-inspired recital hall, immersive theatre venue, and education spaces, as well as administrative and rehearsal areas for the Opera. A significant cultural addition to the Buckhead landscape. This is a special insider look into this exciting new endeavor and Tommer promises a program not to be missed.

RSVP HERE: [Click Here to RSVP](#)

MEETINGS

May is Youth Service Month

- 6/1 Tomer Zvulun, International Stage Director and CEO, The Atlanta Opera
- 6/8 Rotary on the Road: Lunch and Short Volunteer at Fulton County Animal Shelter
- 6/15 No Meeting: Register for End of Year Party
- 6/22 Jonathan J. Hunt, Esq., Interim General Manager, MARTA
- 6/29 Year-end awards and Installation of new officers and directors.
- 7/6 No Meeting: July 4th Holiday
- 7/13 Ann Marie Bedtke, Executive Director, Horizons Atlanta
- 7/20 2026-27 Buckhead Rotary Club Outlook

EVENTS

- 6/8 Board of Directors Meeting
- 6/14 Year End Pizza Party
- 6/20 Pawsitivity Partnership with Buckhead Rotarians Delivering Pet Food with OpenHand
- 10/20 Donate a Plushee Pals® Toy to the Boyce L. Ansley School Students

BIRTHDAYS

- 5/29 Cort Neimark
- 5/30 Sam Alston
- 6/2 Bea Garner
- 6/2 Peter Guentermann
- 6/9 Rich Kruse
- 6/10 Gail Wofford
- 6/15 Liz Loreti
- 6/17 Marilyn Morgan

Need to join by Zoom? Click the link below:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87941219913?pwd=S15RIBjTE1TRk1NaDRNa3hTcmphUT09#success> Password: 485257

Invocation: Brandon Smith

Sunshine: Carl Wilhjelm

Rotary Club of Buckhead

Maggiano’s Little Italy

3368 Peachtree Road

Atlanta, GA 30326

WEDDING
ANNIVERSARIES

- 6/3 Travis Bowden (2)
- 6/11 Alec Smythe (43)
- 6/18 Patty Webb (12)

ROTARY ONLINE

<https://buckheadrotary.com>
<https://rotary6900.org/>
<https://rotary.org/>

SOCIAL MEDIA



LEADERSHIP

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June 8: Rotary on the Road: We're Making Dog and Cat Lick Mats!

Wear your Buckhead Rotary Polo and join us for a delicious taco lunch and a short volunteer opportunity that enables Rotarians to put service above self. There will be tours for anyone who is interested. We meet in the conference room at the entrance so no need to walk through the shelter if that isn't your thing.

Fulton County Animal Shelter: 1251 Fulton Industrial Boulevard, NW, Atlanta, GA 30336

[Click Here to RSVP Today!](#)



RSVP Today! End of Year Pizza Party

We're throwing a pizza party to celebrate a year of dedication, teamwork, and meaningful moments. It's the perfect time to kick back, enjoy some hand-tossed pizza and fellowship. Come hungry, it's guaranteed to be a slice of fun! Cathy LaMon is hosting us at her home at 576 Westover Drive NW, Atlanta.

Date: June 14, 2026

Time: 5:30 pm— 7:30 pm

[Click Here to RSVP and Bring Your Family!](#)

