Buckhead Rotary Club

UNITE FOR GOOD

PAWSITIVITY PARTNERSHIP

Buckhead Viewer

APRIL 30, 2026

May 4 Meeting: Rotary on the Road

Buckhead Rotary heads on the road for lunch and to hear about the Shepherd Center's therapy dog program.

Please arrive early and RSVP here: May 4 Rotary on the Road

Julie Shepherd along with the Peer support team will be on hand to discuss how the therapy dogs are used in the work they do with patients. This will be followed by a Q&A. We will conclude with an optional tour of the new MCAR building and the new Human Performance Lab. We will meet at our regular time. Please arrive early to grab your lunch and find a seat.

Zoom is not available for this meeting.

MCAR, Marcus Center for Advanced Rehabilitation,...

Turn on the street immediately north of the main entrance – closer to Houston. But the address is the same.

Parking: Free, covered parking is available in a dedicated parking deck for the Marcus Center for Advanced Rehabilitation, For GPS, use the address 2060 Peachtree Road NW, Atlanta, GA (at the corner of Peachtree Road and Peachtree Valley Road).

ADA-accessible parking is available on all levels.

Take a ticket when entering the deck — patients and visitors with appointments at the Marcus Center for Advanced Rehabilitation can validate their ticket inside.

Use the parking elevators to reach Level 1, where you'll find the building entrance.

Please note: The MCAR building is not easily accessible from Shepherd Center's main parking deck on Manderson Drive.

Meetings

April is Environment Month

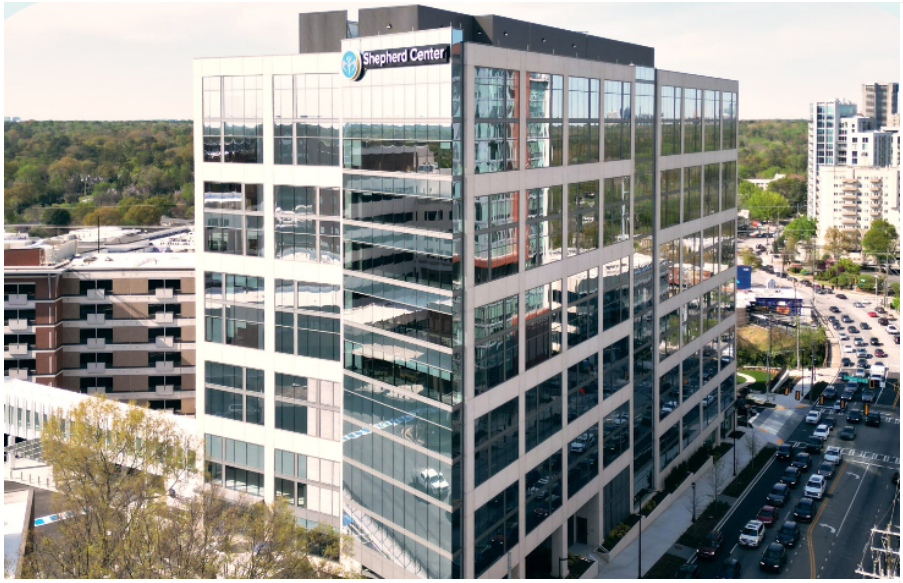
5/4	Rotary on the Road at Shepherd Center @ 12:00 pm
5/11	Paul Byrd, Braves Broadcaster
5/18	Russell R. McMurry, P.E., Commissioner, Georgia Department of Transportation
5/25	No Meeting: Memorial Day Holiday
6/1	Tomer Zvulun, International Stage Director and CEO, The Atlanta Opera
6/8	Rotary on the Road: 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

Events

5/4	Parking for the location of our meeting Monday (Marcus Center for Advanced Rehabilitation)
5/16	Pawsitivity Partnership with Buckhead Rotarians Delivering Pet Food with OpenHand
5/18	Board of Directors Meeting
5/21	Thirsty ThirdsDay
6/8	Board of Directors Meeting
6/14	Year End Pizza Party
6/20	Pawsitivity Partnership with Buckhead Rotarians Delivering Pet Food with OpenHand
9/14	Lee

Our Rotary Family BIRTHDAYS

4/5	Stanley Brading, Jr.
4/6	Jerrol Nicholson



President's Message: April 30, 2026

What an incredible afternoon we shared this past Monday! I want to extend a massive, heartfelt thank you to every one of you who joined us for our Sandwich Project.

Seeing 50 Rotarians and guests roll up their sleeves and dive in was truly inspiring. Because of your energy and hard work, we didn't just meet our goal—we absolutely shattered it. Together, we hand-crafted 1,020 turkey and cheese sandwiches, setting a brand-new club record!

A Special Thank You

We owe a debt of gratitude to Miriam Falaki and Allie Geisler. They handled the heavy lifting behind the scenes, organizing everything from the mountain of sandwich fixings to that delicious Mexican buffet dinner we enjoyed afterward. It was a wonderful time of fellowship and service that none of us will soon forget.

Beyond the numbers, these sandwiches are now providing much-needed meals to our neighbors through some of our most trusted community partners:

- Boyce L. Ansley School
- The Elizabeth Foundation
- Atlanta City Baptist Rescue Mission
- Midtown Assistance Center

4/7	Fernando Torres
4/7	Rosa McHugh
4/8	Jack Blackmon
4/8	Anthony Rodriguez
4/9	Phyllis Neimark
4/11	Scott Thompson
4/14	Radu Zernoveanu
4/20	Jim Breedlove
4/21	Cody McClatchey
4/21	Alec Elchahal
4/22	Anne Stuhler
4/24	Susan Smith
4/25	Catherine Land-Waters

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

4/13	Scott Thompson (30)
4/23	Liz Loreti (10)
4/27	Judge Gardner, III (13)

Rotary Online

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These organizations ensure that your hard work goes directly into the hands of those in our community who need it most. Thank you for showing up, breaking records, and embodying the true spirit of "Service Above Self."

Volunteer Opportunity you Pawsitively Don't Want to Miss!

Lend a paw (or a hand) through our Pawsitivity Partnership bringing together Buckhead Rotarians supporting LifeLine's mission to keep pets with their people. We are delivering pet food to those in need. We will meet at OpenHand for an orientation and then each carload will hit the road to help our furry friends and their people.

Sign up here and feel free to bring friends and family! Claim Your Volunteer Spot Here

May You Never go Thirsty!

Join us for casual conversations, drinks, and snacks in a relaxed and friendly environment. Fellow Rotarian Jim Floyd and his wife Nancy are hosting. Weather permitting, we will enjoy some sips and snacks on their lovely deck. We would love you to join us for this special evening of fellowship.

545 Pinetree Drive, NE, Atlanta 30305

Help Jim and Nancy plan for this thirsty crew! RSVP Here for Thirsty ThirdsDay