

Rotary

Club of Greene and Putnam Counties



Student of the Month 3.20.25

The Rotary Club of Greene and Putnam Counties meets at The Glen.

1070 Old Salem Road, Greensboro, GA 30642
The Glen at Lake Oconee Village

Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

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Adam Kalmanowicz - Lake Oconee Academy

Adam Kalmanowicz is a senior at Lake Oconee Academy. Adam's parents are Adam and Diane Kalmanowicz. Adam is an honor roll student, President of LOA's Senior Beta Club, and captain of the Varsity Cross Country and Tennis team. Adam also enjoys playing soccer, hanging with friends, and reading. Adam has completed over 250 hours of community service and continues to serve his community.

After high school, Adam plans to attend the University of Miami and pursue a degree in entrepreneurship where he hopes to have a career in hospitality.

Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Baxley is Adam's chosen Lake Oconee Academy

teacher of the month. Adam would like to thank them for their commitment to making Adam the most successful student he could be.

Riley Payne - Lake Oconee Academy

Riely Payne is a senior at Lake Oconee Academy. Riley's parents are Chad and Amy Payne. Riley is an honor roll student and has been a part of SGA, Chickfilla leadership and plays softball and tennis at LOA. Riley considers her kindness and compassion as her positive attributes. She has spent her time serving her community through youth sports camps and mission trips. She attends Lakeside church and is heavily involved with youth life.

After high school, Riley plans to attend college at Georgia College and State University to pursue a major in mass communication. In 10 years, Riely sees herself as sports media and journalist for professional sports.

Keetan Singleton is Riley's chosen Lake Oconee Academy teacher of the month



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TJ Wright - Greene County High School

TJ Wright is a native of Greensboro, GA, and the great-grandson of Anita White Carson, the namesake of the local middle school. A highly involved student leader, TJ is the president of the GCHS Student Council, was a captain of the football team, and serves as chairman of the Principal Advisory Council. He also contributes to the educational community as a member of the Superintendent Student Advisory Council and as a leader for Greene County's FCA program.

TJ plans to attend Morehouse College to study Theology and Film, with aspirations to both pursue a career in the film industry and become a pastor. Currently, he works as an Early Leader at Atlas Ministry, serves as an executive assistant to the City Manager of Greensboro, and is a youth pastor at Historic Springfield Baptist Church, where he actively leads and guides his community.

Ms. Tianshia Miller of Atlas Ministry is TJ's chosen teacher of the month.

Kaden Keiser- Gatewood High School

Kaden Keiser is a senior at Gatewood High School. He is the son of Don and

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Joni Keiser. Kaden is an honor roll student, class president, and a member of the National Honor Society. He was selected as a Senior Superlative by his teachers and voted Best All Around by his classmates. Kaden plays basketball and runs track.

After graduation, Kaden plans to attend the University of Georgia to pursue a law degree.

Mr. Don Keiser, his American Government teacher, basketball coach, and father, is Kaden's chosen Gatewood High School teacher of the month.

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Matthew Jackson Finch - Nathanael Greene Academy

Matthew Jackson Finch is the son of Matthew and Andrea Finch of Union Point. He has attended NGA since Kindergarten and is currently in the 10th grade. He is an NGA student who also attends the Greene College and Career Academy, where he participates in Dual Enrollment through Athens Technical College for their Welding program. He has really enjoyed the opportunity to meet new people from other schools through this wonderful program.

After high school, he plans to attend Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College (ABAC) to complete the first two to three years of the Regents' Engineering Pathway before transferring to his school of choice, Georgia Tech. Jackson would like to pursue a career in Environmental Engineering.

Jackson has been very involved at his school both during and after school.

You can find Jackson working in the computer lab, helping with the setup and cleanup of various events that the school hosts, working the scoreboards for the intramural games, and he is always willing to help wherever needed. He has been a member of the Beta Club for two years, serving as this year's Treasurer. He played varsity baseball for two years. He also participated in a Fine Arts One Act Play (Sound and Lighting) for two years. Last Spring, he was honored to receive the Rotary Youth Leadership Award – where selected by the school and sponsored by the Rotary Club of Greene and Putnam to attend Rotary Youth Leadership Camp

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in Tallulah Falls, GA. Outside his activities at school, Jackson enjoys participating in Greene County 4-H in various programs and activities. He has been a member of the Greene County 4-H S.A.F.E. Programs Shotgun Club for two years. He can be found working at Rutherford's Flower Shop after school and GCCA, helping with the deliveries, errands and light maintenance. Jackson and his family are members of Grace Fellowship in Greensboro, GA.

Mr. Charles (Chuck) Finch is Jackson's chosen Nathanael Greene Academy teacher of the month.



Tanner Lukens - Putnam County High School

Tanner Lukens is a senior at Putnam County High School. Tanner's parents are Randy and Regina Lukens. An honor roll student, Tanner is a member of the Student Government, Farmers & Merchant Bank Junior Board member, STEM Club, Technology Student Association, National Honors Society, Beta Club, Raiders Team, Sabre Team, Color Guard Commander, and plays on the Varsity Baseball Team. Tanner is also the Battalion Commander for JROTC at Putnam County High School. He enjoys playing baseball, fishing, golfing, and flying with his dad. Tanner pursues aviation in his spare time, flying a Piper J-3 Cub with his dad to gain experience and flight hours. Tanner considers his love of aviation as his most motivating factor to achieve his dream of becoming a pilot. Tanner's dad, Randy, is the person he respects the most. He respects him because of the way he pushes him to achieve more and never become complacent.

After high school, Tanner plans on attending the United States Naval Academy to pursue a degree in History and becoming a Naval Aviator. Tanner sees himself as a Naval Pilot of the F-35 in 10 years.

LTC Frank Adkinson is Jackson's chosen Putnam County High School teacher of the month.

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ORDER YOUR ROTARY BASEBALL JERSEY TODAY!!!

PRICING WILL BE APPROX \$30 EACH

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Contact Laura Dent with quantity and size 706-347-1160



Business After Hours March 26, 2025

Join us for our annual **Business After Hours** event co-hosted by The Rotary Club of Greene and Putnam Counties, Greene County Chamber of Commerce, and Eatonton-Putnam Chamber of Commerce

**SAVE THE
DATE...**
**BUSINESS AFTER
HOURS**
WED. MARCH 26, 2025
5-7 PM
HARBOR CLUB CLUBHOUSE

Come mingle, exchange ideas, and see how we can grow stronger together!

Light refreshments will be served.

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Rotary District Conference 2025




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Rotary Calendar

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MARCH DESIGNATION IS
WATER AND SANITATION MONTH

"Clean water..... is a basic need for human beings. When people, especially children, have access to clean water, they live healthier and more productive lives."

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TAKE ACTION: Join a Project

- Mar 6th – Rotary Youth Leadership Awards Program
- Mar 13th – Tyler Robinson
- Mar 13th – Board Meeting
- Mar 15th – Second Harvest
- Mar 20th – Student of the Month
- Mar 26th – Business After Hours, Harbor Club
- Mar 27th – No Meeting

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The Four-Way Test

of what we think, say or do

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

Useful Rotary Links



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