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#### **Club News**

Monday, March 24, 2025

Today's Speaker - Rob Christensen, Award Winning Journalist "Southern News: Southern Politics"

Don't miss today's meeting featuring Rob Chistensen. Rob is a local political expert, author, historian and journalist who retired from a 45-year career with the News and Observer in 2018. He continues to write as well as mentor young journalists.

#### **Events**

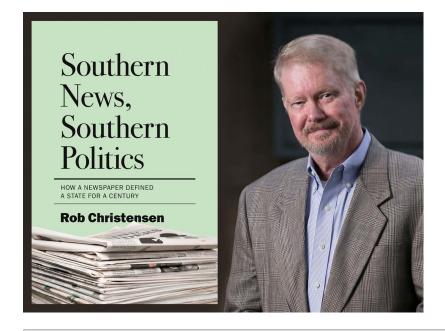
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#### **Birthdays**

James Matthew Barfield March 24th Elsa K. Silverman March 25th John Mark Livingston March 26th Jennifer Rodriguez March 28th

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#### Service Social This Wednesday 03/26/2025

Don't miss our March Service Social this Wednesday at Stir in North Hills from 4:30 - 6:00 PM. The address is 4242 Six Forks Rd #100, Raleigh, NC 27609. Bring snacks that will be distributed to schools across the county.

### March Service Project Report - Lion's Park Stream Cleanup

Our club had a successful stream cleanup in Raleigh this past Saturday lead by Service Chair Richard Averitte and attended by Randy Mounce, Tom Holder, and Jennifer Rodriguez. As usual, many strange things were found including what appears to be a deer skull in the photo below.



### **Boys and Girls Home Visit**

District 7710 had their annual visit to the Boys and Girls Home to visit Lake Waccamaw on Saturday. New Generations Chair, Shakema McClean, represented our club and presented a check for \$500 from our club's Foundation. We hope to have some of the boys and girls visit our club this summer.



# **Duke-UNC Peace Center - 22nd Annual Spring Conference**

Registration for the 22nd Annual Duke-UNC Rotary Peace Center Spring Conference is now LIVE!

This year's theme is "Stories of Peace: Centering Community for Collective Transformation". Our graduating Class 22 Rotary Peace Fellows will present their research, exploring new ways of thinking about peacebuilding, international development, and conflict transformation.

The conference will take place at the FedEx Global Education Center at UNC-Chapel Hill on Saturday, April 5th, 2025 from 8:30am to 3:00pm. Doors will open at 8:00am, and attendees are encouraged to arrive early to check in and view an exhibition of research posters by Class 23 fellows, featuring work from the Peace Innovation Showcase at Duke University last December.

If you cannot join us in person, register to attend virtually. <u>REGISTER</u> HERE



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# DisCon25 - District 7710 Conference Friday 05/16/2025

This year's District Conference (DisCon25) will be a one day event on Friday, May 16th. This will be a magical event at the Friday Center in Chapel Hill. There are great speakers lined up including Bill Gormont who's a motivational speaker and master magician, discussions on the Duke-UNC Rotary Peace Center, and presentations from local club leaders. It's less then \$100 to attend if you register before April 1st. You can register on DacDB: <a href="https://www.dacdb.com/">https://www.dacdb.com/</a>

Calendar/Event.cfm?EventID= 77812643 .



# Next Week's Speaker - Sommer Wisher, CEO of Wake Smiles

Don't miss our 03/31/2025 meeting where our speaker will be Sommer Wisher, CEO of Wake Smiles. Sommer will give us an annual report and a look forward to the exciting things the future holds for Wake Smiles.



### **RCOR 7-Day Forecast**

A mostly cloudy and showery Monday will give way to a pleasant spring week in Central NC. Today, a round of showers will cross the region in the afternoon, followed by a line of thunderstorms this evening. At this point, the thunderstorms that develop look to be sub-severe but, as always, keep an eye on the weather and head indoors if you hear thunder! The rest of the week will feature mostly sunny skies, high temperatures in the upper 60's to low 70's, and low temperatures in the upper 30's to mid 40's. There will be another chance of light rain overnight Tuesday as an upper-level disturbance moves across the region. We are still not out of the woods in regard to below-freezing temperatures. If you're in the process of planting a garden, make sure to keep an eye out for overnight temps that could drop below freezing. The long-range forecast shows a few days next week with the potential for chilly overnight temperatures.

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