



## CAPITAL ROTARY

### **Who we are?**

We are a service-based organization of 56-professional leaders providing humanitarian services locally, nationally and internationally. Our motto of "Service Above Self" conveys that humanitarian spirit in our outreach efforts.

### **Where do we meet?**

The Palmetto Club  
1231 Sumter Street  
Columbia, SC 29201

### **When do we meet?**

Every Wednesday morning from 7:30-8:30. On months with a 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday we will meet offsite at a local business or non-profit to learn about their impact on Columbia.

Our meetings feature weekly speakers from all over the city ranging from business owners to non-profits to celebrities.

### **How do we serve?**

Our four main service projects are:

1. **Wreath Sales** – Our annual fundraiser, club members sell or purchase a set number of wreaths in December. Funds collected from the wreaths are for scholarships to local high school students for college tuition.
2. **Meals on Wheels** – Two members from the club will deliver hot meals on Fridays to those that cannot provide for themselves. Normally, each member will deliver twice in a calendar year for 1-2 hours.
3. **Dictionary Project** – Teams of club members deliver dictionaries and spend time with local 4<sup>th</sup> graders in schools throughout the city. Normally a one-hour time commitment per year.
4. **Blood Drive** – Our annual blood drive is held in July benefitting the American Red Cross.

### **What else do we do?**

There are two socials in the calendar year, in the spring and our annual Holiday Social in December. This is strictly a social event for members and their guests.

### **What does it cost?**

The cost is \$195 per quarter with \$60 going to dues, \$25 going to the Rotary Foundation and \$110 for the breakfast.

For more information on our club, club news and scheduled speakers, please visit [www.capitalrotary.com](http://www.capitalrotary.com)

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