

GOVERNOR GREETINGS

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READY, SET, GOOOOOO ARE YOU UP TO THE CHALLENGE?

Our Altrusa new year has begun. Many of you find yourself in new positions on your Boards of Directors and within your club's committees. You look around and see others are looking to you for "Leadership." So before panic sets in, let's ask "What is Leadership?" Before describing what makes a good leader, it may be helpful to start with a definition of leadership. If only it were that easy. There are as many definitions of leadership as there are people who have defined it. Aristotle once said, "He who cannot be a good follower cannot be a good leader." According to Bill Gates, "leaders are those who empower others." Scholar Warren Bennis said that "Leadership is the capacity to translate vision into reality". There is no one set definition of leadership, these examples paint a leader as someone who has a strong strategic vision and goal, knows how to motivate and mobilize people around that goal and knows when to listen and follow others who bring their own skills and qualities to the table. In Altrusa we develop our leaders from within. It is important we make sure we create an environment of being valued, so listen to your members. Good leaders are confident and creative, they delegate work to others, have compassion and humility in giving credit where it is due. As leaders we celebrate the success of others and keep members focused on their goals. To me, this combination of qualities will make you a successful leader and I wish you all a great year!

Thank you all for your exemplary service to Altrusa,

Shannon



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2021-2023 BIENNIUM GOALS



Together we can reach new heights! Every club should strive to attain these three important Biennium Goals.

Remember, the journey can be as important as achieving the goals in lifting others' lives and building better communities.

1. LEADERSHIP:

Set the roadmap for your goals. Submit a Club Strategic Plan to the District Governor.

2. SERVICE:

Shine a spotlight on your Club's activity or project. Submit at least two (2) articles to the DSB for publication.

3. MEMBERSHIP:

Help grow Altrusa with a net gain of four (4) or more new members during the biennium.



MEMBERSHIP: LET'S JAZZ IT UP

I have 10 opportunities for you to find new members:

1. Wear your Altrusa Pin all day long on meeting day.
2. Ask members to change their Facebook cover photo to something about Altrusa.
3. Post service project photos on Facebook and tag people who participated.
4. Look for creative ways to thank donors.
5. Plan a "Themed Membership Drive Party.
6. Encourage family members to become Altrusans.
7. Checkout International's web page "Member Development"
8. Make contact with missing committee members.
9. Review your goals for making a difference in 2022-2023.
- 10.

SMILE

WHEN THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE CALLS

PLEASE ANSWER

The call for nominations for the District Three Board will be out this month. Please consider taking up the mantle of one of these important positions. More details will be released in the Spring DSB, so please read and heed the call to step up and help lead our District into the future!

"Good, Better, Best. Never let it rest. Till your good is better and your better is best!"

- St Jerome



**ABOVE AND BEYOND
ALTRUSA LIFTS LIVES**



“It’s hard to beat a person who never gives up.”

- Babe Ruth

DON'T MISS THE DEADLINE

June 1, 2022 is upon us and that means our membership dues have come due.

Club Presidents need to work with their Treasurers to be sure all members are current with their dues.

Treasurers should not wait to submit dues, preferably on Group Tally, by June 15th to avoid late fees. Mailing to the International office is still not a good option, due to postal issues unresolved.

REMINDERS:

Update Your Leadership in Group Tally!

REMEMBER to please update all of your membership changes and additions in Group Tally.

Send all DSB Articles to:

Carol Thomas, DSB Editor
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Please send in **WORD** Format



Do You Have a Concern, Congrat or Suggestion?

SEND TO:
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LEADERS IN SERVICE

Mail District Dues to:

Scott Tice,
District Three Treasurer
NEW ADDRESS:
7610 SW 63rd Place Rd
Ocala, FL 34474

Pay International Dues:

Preferably On Group Tally

Altrusa International, Inc.
One North LaSalle Street
Suite 1955
Chicago, IL 60602-4006

ACT **Send Altrusa Caring Thought Requests to:**

altrusashannon@aol.com



JUNE 2022	TOPIC	WHO	RESPONSIBLE	NOTES
06/01/22	Governor's Newsletter	2021-2023 Governor	Governor	
06/01/22	Governor's Annual Report Due	2021-2023 Governor	Governor	Due June 1
06/01/22	Club Annual Report due	Local Club	2021-2022 Club Presidents	Due June 1
06/01/22	ASTRA Club Annual Report due	Local Club	ASTRA Member Altrusa Advisor	Due June 1
06/01/22	Club fiscal year begins	Local Club	Club Treasurer	May vary for some clubs
06/01/22	ASTRA Club fiscal year begins	Local Club	ASTRA Club	
06/01/22	Schedule all club and board meetings for the coming club year	Local Club	2022-2023 Club President	
06/01/22	Present annual budget to Club for approval	Local Club	Club Treasurer	
06/01/22	Sign new bank signature cards (President & Treasurer) so checks can be signed & distributed	Local Club	Club Treasurer	
06/01/22	Deadline to submit District and International dues	Local Club	Club Treasurer	Pass due after June 15
06/01/22	Governor-Elect training fee due to International by July 1	District	District Treasurer	In even numbered years Governor-Elect training fee is due to Int'l no later than July 1 (Policy 8F)
06/15/22	Treasurer notifies members with unpaid dues and advises of late fees	Local Club	Club Treasurer	Last day to pay June 30
06/15/22	Late fees charged for unpaid dues: \$5 International; (If applicable, 10% for District; 10% for local club)	Local Club	Club Treasurer	
06/15/22	Draft of call for Board of Director nominations to Governor	District Nominating Committee Chair		Review all relevant Bylaws and Policies include appropriate information in letter
06/19/22	Father's Day	All		



Wishing all our Altrusa Family Father's a great Day!

District Leadership

DISTRICT THREE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Governor	Shannon Schell	Lake County, FL	altrusashannon@aol.com
Governor-Elect	Dimple Overstreet	Starke, FL	dimplej@embarqmail.com
Vice Governor	Mantha Young	Lake City, FL	mantha@macmediaservices.com
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Director	Dorothy Manning	Gaffney, SC	demannin@gmail.com
Director	Nancy Shumaker	Statesboro, GA	nwshumaker@yahoo.com
Director	LaShone Surrency	Lake City, FL	Lsurrency@elcgateway.org
Secretary	Lori Davis	Lake County, FL	Lmdavis0824@gmail.com
Parliamentarian	Colleen Duris	Ocala, FL	cmdaltrusa@gmail.com

DISTRICT THREE COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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Service Program Development	Dee Dugger	ladydragonfly54@gmail.com
Webmaster	Susy Meier	susymeier@gmail.com

Board of Directors Club Assignments

Governor	Shannon Schell	Citrus, Orlando-Winter Park, Ocala, North Georgia
Governor-Elect	Dimple Overstreet	Lake City, Live Oak, Gainesville, Saint Augustine
Vice Governor	Mantha Young	Lake County, Marianna, Monticello, Statesboro
Director	Dorothy Manning	Gastonia, Charlotte, Salisbury, Waynesville
Director	Nancy Shumaker	Caldwell Co, Durham, Raleigh, Spartanburg
Director	LaShone Surrency	Tampa, Atlanta, Gaffney, Starke

Altrusa Above and Beyond



Altrusans are soldiers of an imaginary army secretly joining hands to make the world a better place.



Keep up with us on our District Facebook Page

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