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### **MARTIN STEPHENSON, Tournament Director TOUR Championship by Coca-Cola, PGA TOUR**

Atlanta native **Martin Stephenson** is currently working on his 11th TOUR Championship by Coca-Cola.

After graduating from Southern Methodist University in 2003 Martin began work on the TOUR Championship at Champions Golf Club in Houston, TX. He continued with the TOUR Championship when it moved to its permanent home at the East Lake Golf Club in Atlanta in 2004.

In 2005 Martin joined the Atlanta Hawks and Thrashers organization and worked through the 2006-07 Seasons. In 2007, when the TOUR Championship was announced as the FedExCup Playoff Finale, the season-ending event for the PGA TOUR, he returned as the sales manager for the TOUR Championship and the Liberty Mutual Legends of Golf. In 2015 the PGA TOUR promoted Martin to tournament director.

Outside of the tournament, Martin serves on the Friends of the First Tee Committee. Martin lives in Atlanta with his wife Anne, and their two young boys, Gibson and Sanders



**Introduction— Mason Stephenson  
Invocation— David Moore**



### **Ambassador Andrew J. Young**

**Andrew Young** heard the call to service as a young man. He has lived his life in response to that call, from his ordination as a minister, to his work on behalf of civil and human rights, to his public service career as a member of Congress, U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations, and Mayor of Atlanta. The Andrew Young Foundation builds on his legacy by developing and nurturing new generations of innovative leaders to tackle this era's global challenges.

Born in New Orleans, Young graduated from Howard University and Hartford Theological Seminary. While pastor in Thomasville, he was active in the Civil Rights movement, organizing voter registration drives in the African-American community, enduring death threats.

In 1972 he became the first African-American representative from the Deep South since Reconstruction. In 1977, Pres. Carter appointed him as the nation's first African-American Ambassador to the United Nations.

Young was elected Mayor of Atlanta and served two terms. He led the successful effort to bring the Centennial Olympic Games to Atlanta in 1996. Pres. Clinton appointed him founding chair of the Southern African Enterprise Development Fund, and he served as president of the National Council of Churches.

In 2003, he founded the Andrew J. Young Foundation. He is a television producer and author, and has received numerous honorary degrees, awards, medals and honors, and served on dozens of boards. He continues to call Atlanta home with his wife, Carolyn, and is the father of four children and the grandfather of eight.

**Introduction— Phil Smith  
Invocation— Jean Mori**



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## UPCOMING PROGRAMS

### SEPTEMBER

- 1 Tad Little, Foreman, APS Trial
- 8 Governor Nathan Deal
- 15 TBD
- 22 Todd Groce, CEO, GA Historical Society

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

The annual **Kiwanis Kids Cultural Challenge** is **October 3**, at Warren Boys and Girls Club, 790 Berne Street, S. E., Atlanta, near Zoo Atlanta, 9 am – 1 pm. [Contact Dennis Withers](#) to join in the fun!

**96th Annual Georgia District Convention** by Vice President Mike Halpin - On Aug 7-9, Pres Ernie Prickett, Pres-Elect Barbara Hill, and I attended the GA District Convention in Columbus as delegates for our club. During the general session, the district officers elected for 2015-16 are Gov Richard Dixon, Gov-Elect Carol Wisdom, and Vice Gov Juanita Edwards. Also, a new set of GA District bylaws that conform to KI standards were adopted.

At the Awards dinner, two Atlanta Club members received special individual recognition from Gov Jimmy McCorlew. Russ Wagner was awarded a "President's Challenge Award" for his work as Lt. Gov of Div 1 during the 2013-2014 year. Karen Losin was awarded a "Governor's Special Appreciation Award" for her outstanding organizational work for the "Centennial Tour" Atlanta visit of Past-KI President John Button. We thank you for the opportunity and privilege of representing our club at this year's District Convention.

Remember, during these hot ☀ summer months, we have a summer casual dress code—collard shirts and slacks are good!

**2015 GRANT APPLICATIONS** are now available and due Sep. 11th. If you would like to apply for a grant, contact [office@kiwanisatlanta.org](mailto:office@kiwanisatlanta.org) for a packet.

### INTERCLUBS

**Mon., Aug 17, Druid Hills**, Noon, Petite Auberge Rest. Chuck Bruce, [chucksaudio@mindspring.com](mailto:chucksaudio@mindspring.com)

**Thu., Aug 27, Marietta**, Noon, Marietta Hotel & Conf Center, Jim Schulz, [jschulz@merrittwatson.com](mailto:jschulz@merrittwatson.com). RSVP by August 20!

**Fri., Aug 28, Northside**, 12:15 pm at First Presbyterian Church. Mike Halpin, [mhalpin@wpba.org](mailto:mhalpin@wpba.org)

**Tue., Sep 1, Peachtree**, 7:30am, Landmark Diner, 3652 Roswell Road. Bob Wiggins, 404-522-1701

**Mon, Sep 14, Buckhead**, 12:30-Location TBD, Karen Carlisle, [kcarlis5@kennesaw.edu](mailto:kcarlis5@kennesaw.edu)



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