

Carroll Myers

Carroll Myers, a beloved and dedicated Leadership Sandy Springs alumna, passed away in October of 2017. Many friends have shared how she worked tirelessly for numerous community organizations, one of them of course was LSS, for which she was a frequent volunteer. In addition to serving as an ambassador, Carroll participated on the planning committees of two LSS signature events: Volunteer for a Better Sandy Springs day and Movies by Moonlight. Often a quiet presence working behind the scenes, Carroll was known for getting the job done, whether it was securing permits from the city or working the back of the concessions stand.

Born and raised in VA, Margaret Carroll Myers received her BA at Westhampton College – University of Richmond and her MA at East Tennessee State University. Her work life was spent in the IT arena as a computer programmer. Once she moved to Atlanta and made Sandy Springs her home, she invested deeply in the local community, donating countless hours to volunteering for numerous initiatives. Her service included being a greeter at the Anne Frank in the World exhibit, a mentor at Ison Springs Elementary School for the Sandy Springs Education Force (SSEF) Reading Buddies program, a member of the Sandy Springs Women's Club and active participant in service organization Altrusa International of GA, Inc., for which she served as president, treasurer and director. In LSS, she was one of three recipients of the 2009 Carolyn Axt Leadership Alumni Recognition Award. For a time, she served as president of the Southern Order of Storytellers. Carroll also used her technical skills for Altrusa as their webmaster and taught evening classes in Excel at the Roswell Adult Learning Center.

Her friends have sung her praises. "We are all saddened by the loss of a wonderful woman, Carroll Myers. She was my Leadership classmate, friend of many years. She was a terrific asset to our community and a great ambassador for LSS," said former Sandy Springs Conservancy Executive Director Linda Bain. Sally Fitzgerald (class of 1990) adds, "I will miss her. She was a good friend and a diligent worker in whatever she agreed to do."

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