

## April 2016 – Roosevelt Thomas and Thomas Baker

*Congratulations to our April 2016 Volunteers of the Month – Roosevelt Thomas and Thomas Baker! Roosevelt has been volunteering with us since 2000, and Thomas since 2013. Both got their start at the AJC Peachtree Road Race and have never looked back. You can find these All-Star Volunteers at all of our events. Thank you Roosevelt and Thomas for all you do for Atlanta Track Club!*

### **1. Do you remember your first time volunteering with Atlanta Track Club?**

Both Roosevelt and Thomas first volunteered with Atlanta Track Club at the AJC Peachtree Road Race. Roosevelt's first volunteer position was as a course monitor and Thomas' was at the start corral.



### **2. What is your favorite Atlanta Track Club event? Why?**

Our favorite Atlanta Track Club event is the AJC Peachtree Road Race, because of the enthusiasm of the age 70+ runners and walkers.

### **3. What is one of your best memories from volunteering at any race?**

Our best memories include seeing the older running males and females finish the race.

### **4. What is your favorite thing about volunteering with Atlanta Track Club and what brings you back?**

Our favorite thing about volunteering is the friendships we have established - working with the crew chiefs like Ray Ganga, Vanessa Bennett, Scott Harriss and Phil Ozell, keeps us coming back to volunteer!

### **5. What do you do for a living? Do you work? Are you retired? Professional volunteer?**

Roosevelt is enjoying retirement. Previously, he worked as a diesel tractor technician for J. B. Hunt Transport. Thomas currently works for Gwinnett County Schools as a school bus diesel technician.

### **6. Tell us something interesting about yourself – an interesting fact or story that will help us get to know you...: We both like traveling, working with our hands, home projects and gardening.**

### **What others are saying about Roosevelt and Thomas...**

*“Roosevelt and Thomas are calm and competent. When I give them instructions on what to do, they just do it! They are wonderful people!”*

*– Scott Harriss*

*“When I see Roosevelt and Thomas coming, I don’t worry – I know everything is going to be done right. They are fun to work with and can do anything. They are dedicated, determined and dependable!”*

*– Vanessa Bennett*