



Lend a Hand

**Rotary Officers & Directors**

<b>International President</b>	Jonathan B. Majiyagbe
<b>District 6920 Governor</b>	Leon W. Benefield
<b>Assistant District 6920 Governor</b>	Marie W. Dodd

**St. Simons Island Rotary Club**

<b>President</b>	Clyde Taylor, III
<b>President Elect</b>	Leslie Mattingly
<b>Secretary</b>	Barbara Chal
<b>Assistant Secretary</b>	Maria Vogt
<b>Treasurer</b>	James A. Szwast
<b>Assistant Treasurer</b>	Charles Lewis
<b>Immediate Past President</b>	Marie W. Dodd
<b>Past Presidents' Representative</b>	Nathaniel R. Johnson
<b>Sergeant-at-Arms</b>	George K. Dorsey
<b>Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms</b>	Minor S. Harris, Jr.
<b>Historians</b>	Allen J. Berry Julian E. Flexer

**Directors**

<b>Club Relations &amp; Public Relations</b>	Pasquale J. Storino
<b>Club Service &amp; Membership</b>	James Bruce
<b>Community Service</b>	Thomas Parker, Jr.
<b>International Service</b>	Richard K. Wicker, Jr.
<b>Programs &amp; Fellowship</b>	Kevin Lokey
<b>Vocational Service</b>	Edward T. Wright

On-Line Makeup  
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Rotary Club of St. Simons • Founded in 1950  
Meets Tuesday 1 P.M. - Sea Palms Golf & Tennis Resort  
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# Rotary Club St. Simons Island Georgia, U.S.A

**District 6920**

## Rotary Spray July 1, 2003

### Today's Program: Club Assembly

<b>Club</b>	<b>Area Rotary Clubs Meeting</b>	<b>Day &amp; Time</b>
Brunswick	P.G. Archibald's, Brunswick	Thu. 1:00 P.M.
Glynn County	P.G. Archibald's, Brunswick	Wed. 7:30 A.M.
Jekyll Island	Jekyll Island Club Hotel	Wed. 8:00 A.M.
St. Simons Island	Sea Palms (Confirm before attending)	Tue. 1:00 P.M.
SSI Marshes of Glynn	Epworth	Wed. 7:30 A.M.

**Managing Editor & Publisher**

John Buchanan

**Staff Reporters**

Lead – Susan Hardwick  
 Barbara Chal  
 Kevin Lokey  
 Maria Vogt

**Attendance**

72.5%

**Rotabucks**

\$61 won by Willard Snyder.

**Visiting Rotarians**

- Ron Maulden, Brunswick
- Allen Payne Long,  
Buckhead - Atlanta

**Makeup's**

- Bill McDougall - Internet

**Wellness**

- Bob Kester is home and receiving visitors.
- John Edwards was back at this week's meeting.

**Guests**

- Sue Taylor – Hosted by Clyde Taylor.
- Dick Jones – Hosted by Kent Taylor.

**Prospective Members**

- Jack Rayfield – Hosted by Clyde Taylor.
- Bill Halderson – Hosted by Roland Daniel.

**Upcoming Programs**

July 8: Jekyll Island Musical.

**Greeters**

- 7/1 Nat Johnson  
Rem Johnston
- 7/8 Leon Jorgensen  
Erik Kaufmann

**This Weeks Birthdays**

- Becky Farrow July 1
- Tom Stroud July 2

**Last Week's Program****Installation of Officers for 2003-2004**

Officers and Directors of the St. Simons Rotary Club were installed by John Parkins, District Governor-Elect, 2004-2005. The new officers and directors are listed on the back of today's program. Following the installation, Marie Dodd thanked everyone who helped during her successful year as president. Marie highlighted the activities of the past Rotary Club fiscal year -- distributing to the members present a two-page report on the significant accomplishments, noting her enthusiasm for a job well done.

Clyde Taylor, 2003-2004 President, presented Marie with mementoes in appreciation for her service. She received her past-president's pin, a wooden Rotary seal inscribed plaque with gavel, a handmade clay pitcher and a floral bouquet. To add a little humor, Clyde remarked about her future service during the coming year as an assistant director to the district governor, noting that she would probably need a saber and a personalized wooden oar – both duly presented. To complete the presentations, Clyde made reference to Marie's new hairstyle. To continue style changes, he thought she might also need a wig. His final gift to the outgoing president was a very curly, daisy-embossed blonde wig which Marie immediately modeled for the membership!

Prior to the installation of officers, Erik Kaufmann, Vocational Service Director, presented two awards. Merry Tipton received the Vocational Employee of the Year; and Ron Maulden, accepting for *The Brunswick News*, received the Business of the Year Award.

Prior to installing the officers, John Parkins discussed his travels to "dozens of Rotary Clubs" during the past year, remarking that the St. Simons Rotary Club is a "special club" – a "model club." He thanked the club for their participation in the Thunderbird raffle which provided more funds than any club in the state. Through the raffle and outside gifts, more than \$279,000 was raised to benefit the goal of polio eradication in the world. John also reported on his trip to the Rotary International Convention in Brisbane, Australia, where more than 16,000 Rotarians were in attendance. He urged club members to consider attending future conventions in Osaka, Japan in 2004 or Chicago in 2005.