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**The Four-Way Test**

*of the things we think, say or do*

1. Is it the **truth**?
2. Is it **fair** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **goodwill** and better **friendships**?
4. Will it be **beneficial** to all concerned?

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**Rotary Club  
 St. Simons Island  
 Georgia, U.S.A**

**District 6920**

# Rotary Spray

**May 3, 2005**

**Today's Program:  
 Phil Overton  
 State of the County**

**Area Rotary Clubs**

Club	Meeting	Day & Time
Brunswick	Twocan's, Brunswick	Thu. 1:00 P.M.
Glynn County	Twocan'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	Thu. 7:30 A.M.

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**Attendance**

April 26 68%

**Rotabucks**

- Robert Cable: Symphony Tickets

- Bob French: \$56

**Visiting Rotarians**

- Clint Day—Gwinnett

- Ed Fullerton—Petaluma CA

**Guests—Hosts**

- Elizabeth Freyer—Fred Freyer

- Stan Humphries—Leon Jorgensen

**Upcoming Programs**

May 10—Bill Tipton, *Visitor Development in Brunswick & the Golden Isles*

May 17—Leslie Mattingly, *Community Image Awards*

**Greeters**

5/3 Don Varnadoe

Maria Vogt

5/10 Bill Waddington

Bill Walker

**Wellness Report** by Sam Shaw

- Nothing reported today.

**Makeups**

- Bill Halderson, On-Line

- Brooke Pridmore, On-Line

**This Week's Birthdays**

Guerry Norwood May 6

Bill Hicks May 9

**Announcements from the President**

**New Member** Bill Halderson introduced new member Gary Schwartz.

**Blue Badge** Congratulations to Bill Gussman.

**First Tuesday at the Pub** President Leslie reminded all that next Tuesday, May 3, is the first Tuesday in May. Plan to attend the event 5-7 p.m. at the Village Inn and Pub.

**Board Meeting** The next Board of Director's Meeting is 11:30 a.m. next Tuesday, May 3.

**Pictures from the District Conference...** Don't miss these. See the SSI Club Web Page. (Go to the District 6920 Web Site, click on **Clubs** and click on **St. Simons Island.**) Enjoy the pictures.

**Last Week's Program (April 26, 2005)****Ted Davis & Friends  
Fiddlers of Glynn**

David Williams introduced Ted Davis, a Board member of the Coastal Symphony of Georgia. Ted is a graduate of Georgia Tech and the Harvard Business School. Ted and his wife Joann came to St. Simons about two years ago; he enjoys community activities, golf and fishing.

Ted said there were two parts to his agenda today: to introduce the Fiddlers of Glynn and to share information about the Youth Symphony Orchestra, an initiative of the Coastal Symphony. First, about the Fiddlers. Two years ago, several dedicated board members of the Coastal Symphony approached the Board of Education in Glynn County with a request to kickoff a special type of musical program, "string music education." The Board was receptive, the program was started and Mrs. Lynn Fogarty was hired as instructor. Lynn has been successful in recruiting as well as instruction. About 90 students are involved from elementary and middle schools.

This brought Ted to the "problem stage." What happens after the Fiddler program? The answer at the time was nothing, meaning there were no string or symphony programs in our high schools. The Coastal Symphony Board recognized the challenge. Elizabeth Freyer became President of the Symphony Board and resolved that Glynn County would have a Youth Symphony Orchestra for the 5th grade through high school. Lynn Fogarty was hired as Director of the Orchestra and the program became successful. In May, each applicant will receive a proper audition. Beginning in September, there will be a rehearsal each Sunday afternoon. Ted commented that the Youth Symphony Orchestra is needed, appropriate and is turning out to be successful for our community and county. He encouraged us to get involved and see one of the Rotarians on the Symphony Board — Jim Bruce, Becky Stephenson or Anita Crispin.

Next, 13 members of the Fiddlers of Glynn, under the direction of Lynn Fogarty, performed several pieces, delighting the audience with their music, talent and dedication. Truly an entertaining program by the group and an enlightening talk by Ted Davis.