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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 of St. Simons • Founded in 1950 • www.ssirotary.org
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 25, 2006

Guinea Worm Eradication

Robbie Turner

Area Rotary Clubs

| Club | Meeting | Day & Time |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| Brunswick | Christie's Restaurant | Thu. 1:00 P.M. |
| Glynn County | Christie's Restaurant | Wed. 7:30 A.M. |
| Jekyll Island | Jekyll Island Club Hotel | Wed. 7:30 A.M. |
| St. Simons Island | Sea Palms (Confirm before attending) | Tue. 1:00 P.M. |
| SSI Marshes of Glynn | Epworth—Jinks Dining Room | Thu. 7:30 A.M. |

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Data Reports

Teresa Jones-King
 Maria Vogt

Attendance

July 11 54%
 July 18 57%

Rotabucks

\$23 Fred Freyer

Visiting Rotarians—Club

• Allen Payne Long—Buckhead
 Atlanta

Guests—Hosts

• Teresa Lee (Prospect, 2nd)—
 Teresa Jones-King

Wellness Report

Nothing reported today.

Greeters

7/25 Tom Swan
 Walter Swift
 8/1 Jim Szwast
 Clyde Taylor

Makeups

• Millard Allen—Brunswick

This Week's Birthdays
July 25—31

| | |
|--------------|---------|
| Nat Johnson | July 26 |
| Joe Mruk | July 26 |
| Don Varnadoe | July 26 |
| Bo Broadwell | July 28 |
| Fred Freyer | July 28 |
| Bob French | July 29 |
| Pat Storino | July 31 |



July 18, 2006

Buff Leavy

President, Owner, & Editor
The Brunswick News



Bill Warren introduced Buff Leavy. Buff began by explaining he represents the fourth generation of the family that founded *The Brunswick News* more than a century ago. He said he would speak of the “paper’s history, where we are now and where we are going.”

Buff graduated from the UGA journalism school and after joining the *News* and working in every department took over the paper’s operation in 1999. He succeeded his father, C.H. Leavy. The *News* was founded in 1902 by Clarence Levy.

Buff spoke of “ink in your veins” and of writing styles ‘then and now.’ Buff said today’s emphasis is to get and keep readers, but the main premise about ‘bringing the news’ has remained the same for years. *The Brunswick News* wants to be the place where people go to find out what’s going on. Buff spoke of public records such as birth announcements and death notices, and how large newspapers can’t capture all that is captured by smaller papers. Buff talked of the differences computers have made in the print editing and production processes, and then talked of the internet and web sites, and their influence on delivering the news. He spoke of further expanding TheBrunswickNews.com and specifically mentioned the adding of video. He referenced further diversification and the new publication *The Golden Isles Magazine*. This new publication has been well received by advertisers and readers. Buff concluded the interesting presentation with a Q&A session.

From the President

Thank You Letters Letters were received from the SSI Public Library and the Historical Society thanking Rotary for our contributions.

GRSP Student Our club is one of three in the area sponsoring this year’s GRSP student and Sandy Sanders comes through again. Sandy received a round of applause.

Upcoming Programs

8/1 Joel Meyer—Manager of Little St. Simons Island
 8/8 Richard Wood—Chairman, Jekyll Island Authority
 8/15 Classification Talks
 8/22 Julie Hunter—Signature Squares of Brunswick

Special Drawing and Prize

August 1 as Part of the Rotabucks Drawing A special prize will be rewarded: A free night’s stay for two on Little St. Simons Island. More details to be announced.

Club Membership

| | |
|----------------------|------------------------|
| Start of 2006-2007 | 132 |
| Lost Members | 0 |
| New Members | 0 |
| Prospective Members | 0 |
| Projected Losses | 1 Bob Egger (date TBA) |
| Projected Membership | 131 |