

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

District 6920

# Rotary Spray

May 20, 2008 Today's Program:

# Ed Bruce Scholarship Awards

#### Club

Brunswick Glynn County Jekyll Island St. Simons Island SSI Marshes of Glynn

# Area Rotary Clubs Meeting

Christie's Restaurant
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Jekyll Island Club Hotel
Sea Palms (Confirm before attending)
Epworth—Jinks Dining Room

#### Day & Time

Thu. 12:45 P.M. Wed. 7:30 A.M. Wed. 7:30 A.M. Tue. 1:00 P.M. Thu. 7:30 A.M.

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Visiting Rotarians

Ron Wilson - Jonesboro, GA

Guests - Hosts

Linda Muir - Don Fielder

Brian Peebles - Jim Bruce

Attendance

May 13 – 59 members (60%)

Rotobucks

Wally Forsythe - \$45

Makeups

Don Myers - Marshes

#### **Greeters**

5/20 Ruth Heyward, Bill Hicks 6/3 Myra Hocutt, John Hofmann

### Birthdays: May 20 - June 2

John Buchanan - 5/20

Catherine Maybank - 5/22

Bill Warren - 5/27

Marie Dodd - 5/28

Paul Sanders – 5/29

Leon Jorgensen - 5/31

Robert Cable - 6/1

## Club Notes

Blue Badge: Presented to Martin Turbidy.

Honored by Elementary School: Our club was honored at the St. Simons Elementary School on May 8 at the morning assembly. Attending were Jim Bruce, Chuck and Sue Cansler, Connie Herndon and Cathey Petkash. We donated \$1,000 to the school for reading equipment (including tapes and tape recorders).

**Veteran's Walk:** If you would like to honor a veteran while contributing to a worthy cause, you might consider Veteran's Walk. This is an engraved brick walkway and memorial in front of the Bandstand at Neptune Park honoring the men and women who have served our country. Proceeds from sale of the engraved bricks — \$75 per brick - go to the charitable and scholarship activities of Rotary. An application form is available at

www.veteranswalk.org/application.htm.

# **Upcoming Programs**

5/27 - No Meeting (Tuesday following Taps at Twilight)

6/3 - Shepherd's Spinal Center - James Shepherd

6/7 - Rotary District Assembly in Dublin, GA

## May 13, 2008

# **Community Image Awards**

Vocational Service Director Robert Cable presented awards to the following:

The institutional award went to **Coastal Georgia Community College** for "dedication and commitment to the education of all citizens of Coastal Georgia."

The award was accepted by CGCC President **Dr. Dorothy Lord**, who has led the institution for 17 years. She called her experience "a great ride." She also talked about CGCC's upcoming transition to four-year status, and the recent expansion to a Camden County campus.

Dr. Lord (who is a member of the Brunswick Rotary Club) was introduced by club member **Marie Dodd**, who provided a history of CGCC, which began in 1961 as Brunswick College – the first two-year Georgia college in the state's university system. The name was changed to Coastal Georgia Community College in 1996 to better reflect the service the college offers in our five coastal counties: Glynn, McIntosh, Camden, Brantley and Wayne.

Marie called the award to Dr. Lord "a very modest recognition of your great value to higher education in our state and your commitment to our community."

The individual award went to **Julie Hunter**, **co-founder and director of Signature Squares of Brunswick**, which was incorporated in December 2004 as a nonprofit organization with the sole purpose of restoring and preserving the parks and squares within the Historic District of the City of Brunswick.

She was cited for her "dedication and commitment to preserving the historical character and unique lifestyle of our community."

The recipient said her work gives the area a "sense of place," and ripple effects increase property values, leading to more preservation and restoration.

There are fourteen squares interspersed along Newcastle and Norwich Streets, stretching south of H Street to 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue. Signature squares works with the city on each project, with the amount budgeted through the city becoming a match to funds raised by Signature Squares.



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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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