

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

District 6920

Rotary Spray

August 28, 2007 Today's Program:

"An Angry Drummer Echoed"

Author

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Area Rotary Clubs

Club Meeting
Brunswick Christie's Restaurant
Glynn County Christie's Restaurant
Jekyll Island Jekyll Island Club Hotel
St. Simons Island Sea Palms (Confirm before attending)
SSI Marshes of Glynn Epworth—Jinks Dining Room

Day & Time
Thu. 1:00 P.M.
Wed. 7:30 A.M.
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Tue. 1:00 P.M.
Thu. 7:30 A.M.

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Data Reports

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Attendance

Aug. 21 - 70 members (70%)

Rotobucks

Paul Sanders \$38

Wellness Report

Leila Buchanan (spouse of John) is recovering following a third operation on her hip.

Cal Paynter

Bud Dorsey read a letter of resignation from veteran member **Cal Paynter**, who is moving with his wife Vivian to Atlanta to be near family.

Cal is widely known for establishing the club's flag program, which has profits totaling \$100,000. More than 30,000 small flags have been distributed, and the project funds the annual Taps at Twilight program.

Cal and Vivian have lived here since 1984.

Greeters

8/28 Bob Sprouse, Becky Stephenson

9/4 Pat Storino, Tom Stroud

Makeups

Bill Gussman – 8/14 – Northlake (Atlanta)

Ervin Williams – 8/20 - Savannah

Birthdays

Aug. 28 - Sept. 3

Stan Humphries – 8/28

John Matthews - 9/2



"Whatever Happened to Polio?"

That's the title of an exhibit that opened Aug. 11 at Georgia's Roosevelt Warm Springs Institute for Rehabilitation.

It's on permanent loan from the Smithsonian, and it gives Rotary International "prime recognition" for its role in fighting polio, club member Clyde Taylor said, inviting Rotarians to visit the exhibit.

Upcoming Programs...

- 9/4 "Our Island: Where Do We Go From Here?" Land Conservation SSI Land Trust Russ Marane
- 9/11 Update on Sea Island Activities Bill Jones III (In the Blasingame Room at Epworth by the Sea.)
- 9/18 "My Drill Instructor Was Tougher Than Yours" by Author Bob Shirley

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Classification Talk Paul Sanders

In what he described as a "semi-classification" talk, the veteran real estate appraiser recounted the years he spent as a consultant for several real estate projects in Chile.

He talked about the political upheaval in the South American country following the presidential election in 1970 of avowed Marxist Dr. Salvador Allende. This was followed by the overthrow of Allende and the politicial ascension of Augusto Pinochet, who was head of the Chile Army.

Paul said Pinochet brought stability to the country, as well as an economic recovery based on free trade and a market-based economy.

Paul was in Chile in the early 1980s, when Pinochet won election to the presidency with 69% of the vote.

"Chile prospered under Pinochet and the economic recovery amazed the economists of the world," Paul said. "Pinochet methods are now taught at the leading universities of the world. He was truly the savior of Chile."

Later, Paul said, Pinochet led a return to democracy in Chile with an election, which he lost. Pinochet stepped down, but remained head of the Army until he retired at 80. Pinochet died several months ago at 92.

"He is much maligned as a brutal dictator, but the truth is that he saved Chile from the ravages of Communism and brilliantly turned the economy from a severe depression to a booming economy," Paul said.

District Newsletter

In lieu of a printed district newsletter, President Jim Bruce will be posting it to the District website:

<u>www.rotarydistrict6920.newsletters.shtml</u>. The latest issue has been posted.



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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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