



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

District 6920

Rotary Spray

September 30, 2008

Today's Program:

Karen Handel

Georgia Secretary of State

Club	Area Rotary Clubs Meeting	Day & Time
Brunswick	Christie's Restaurant	Thu. 12:45 P.M.
Glynn County	Brunswick Hospital	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

Maria Vogt

Visiting Rotarians

Joe O'Brien – Glynn County

Attendance

Sept. 23 – 76 members (62%)
(Plus 1 guest for total of 77)

Rotobucks

Charles Lewis - \$45

Greeters

9/30 Brooke Pridmore, Paul H. Sanders
10/7 Paul Sanders III, Tom Sayer

Birthdays: Sept. 30 – Oct. 6

David Medford – 10/2

Jim Langston – 10/5



Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

First: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

Second: High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

Third: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;

Fourth: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Upcoming Programs

10/7 - Classification Talks

10/7 - Board Meeting

10/14 - Juvenile Court Judge George M. Rountree

10/21 - Fall Social (No regular meeting that day)

10/28 - Vince Dooley for Georgia/Florida Week

11/4 - Board Meeting

11/4 - Jeff Chapman – Georgia State Senator – Dist. 3

11/11 - Documentarist Michael Jordan – "Ships for Victory"

11/18 - Bees – Ted Dennard – Georgia Small Business Person of the Year for 2007

September 23, 2008

Mary Beth Wester

Superintendent

Fort Frederica National Monument

Club member Mary Beth Wester talked about the “boundary expansion study” to determine new properties that could be added to Fort Frederica to protect their archeological, cultural and natural resources.

The National Park Service is looking at five properties totaling approximately 175 acres.

She noted that the Park Service normally acquires land from willing sellers, and that the St. Simons Land Trust is working in partnership with the Park Service to preserve these lands for conservation purposes.

The park superintendent said she hopes the study will be completed by the fall of 2009. But the entire process of adding such land to a national park could take five to seven years, even with the necessary approvals, she added.

Fort Frederica preserves the archaeological remnants of a fort and town built by James Oglethorpe between 1736 and 1748 to protect the southern boundary of the British colony of Georgia from Spanish raids. About 630 British troops were stationed at the fort. A town of up to about 500 residents existed outside the fort. The town was named Frederica, after Frederick, Prince of Wales, son of King George II.

Fort Frederica was authorized as a National Monument on May 26, 1936. Starting in 1947, the National Park Service and the Ft. Frederica Association sponsored a series of archaeological investigations at the Frederica site. Using information from 18th century maps and journals as a guideline, archaeologists unearthed sections of the fort and town. By matching the archaeological data to the historical documents, these archaeologists have provided a glimpse into Frederica's past.

As an historic area under the National Park Service, the National Monument was administratively listed on the National Register of Historic Places on Oct. 15, 1966. Fort Frederica is open to the public.

Wester arrived at Fort Frederica in August 2007.

(Don Fielder introduced the speaker.)



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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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