



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

District 6920

Rotary Spray

March 23, 2010

Today's Program:

Valerie Hepburn

President of the
College of Coastal Georgia

| Club | Area Rotary Clubs Meeting | Day & Time |
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| Brunswick | Fourth of May | 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

Bill Warren

Greeters

3/23 – Millie Wilcox
Ervin Williams
3/30 – Clint Winne
Martin Worthy

Visiting Rotarians

C. W. Davidson - Decatur

Rotobucks:

John Parkins - \$43

Guests/Hosts

Sue Taylor – Clyde Taylor
Craig Bolint – Paul Pieschel
The Honorable Stephen Kelley – Club
Roslyn Jackson – Club
Angie Votsis – Club

Birthdays

March 23-29

Camille Adams – 3/25
Lee Scheinman – 3/28

Attendance

March 16th – 73 members (64%)
(Plus 10 guests for total of 83)

Club News

- Today, Jack and Beverly are collecting food items for our **Child in Crisis** program at Altama Elementary School. If you did not bring food, they will accept cash and shop for you.
- District 6920 **raffle tickets** are still available.
- You may register for the **District Conference** online. Do not pay on line for the Friday luncheon. The club will pay for this. A sign up sheet will be available at a future club meeting.
- **Interact Club** invites Rotary members to a planting day, 3:45 PM at Fort Frederica. Contact Mary Beth if you can make it. The Board has endorsed the club's service project to construct a playground at McIntyre Court.
- The **Board approved** charitable donations for The Bruce-Tharp Scholarship Fund and the Coastal Coalition and Hospice of the Golden Isles.

Upcoming Programs

3-30-10 **Connie Patrick**, Director of the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC)
4-6-10 **New Member Orientation**
4-6-10 **Chief Al Thomas** of the Glynn County Fire Department.
4-13-10 **Board of Directors meeting**

John Turbidy introduced the four contestants for the **speech contest**. Astria Gafford and Kathleen Kelley were from Brunswick High and Jacqueline Van De Velde and Kelsey Taylor were from Glynn Academy. Susan Hardwick, Bob Brown and Robert Cable were judges. The topic was ***“The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands.”***

Jacqueline Van De Velde won first place. She is first in her class and is an accomplished pianist, having won many awards. She has a national gold medal in Latin and awards for math, science, English, world history and psychology. She is a poet and a member of the Beta Club and the National Honor Society. She also finds time to be involved in many areas of volunteer work.

Kathleen Kelley won second place. She is ranked second in her class and has a 4.2 grade point average. She participates in the National Honor Society, Beta Club, Latin Club, National Latin Honor Society, Cheerleading, Student Council (Vice President), and Soccer and Cross Country (Captain). She has received gold and silver medals on the National Latin Exam. She plans on majoring in biology and continuing on to medical school.

Astria Gafford won third place. Astria has a grade point average of 4.0. She is enrolled in four advanced placement courses. She is in the National Honor Society (Secretary), Beta Club and the Future Business Leaders of America. She is an avid poet and reader and loves to write. She chairs the committee for the March of Dimes, and holds a part time job as a sales associate at TJ Maxx. Her vision for the future is to work in experimental psychology.

Kelsey Taylor is an honor roll student with awards in Spanish, art history, and social studies. She participates in the Model United Nations, Beta Club, The National Honor Society, Key Club and is on the Student Advisory Board. She is Advertising Manager of the High Tide Yearbook. She is active in the community through the Kiwanis Club and is on the United Community Bank Junior Board of Directors.



Rotary Officers & Directors

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District 6920 Governor Designee Gordon Matthews
Assistant Governor - SSI Area Pat Storino

St. Simons Island Rotary Club

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Assistant Treasurer Stan Humphries
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Past Presidents' Representative Jim Bruce
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Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms Brian Peebles
Historians Allen J. Berry & Julian Flexer

Directors

Club Relations & Public Relations John Matthews
Club Service & Membership Don Myers
Community Service Mary Beth Wester
International Service Cathey Petkash
Programs & Fellowship Gary Schwartz
Vocational Service Everett Millican

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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