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Club	Venue	Day & Time
Brunswick	Brunswick Country Club	Thu. 12:45 PM
Glynn County	Brunswick Hospital	Wed. 7:30 AM
Jekyll Island	Jekyll Island Club Hotel	Wed. 7:30 AM
St. Simons Island	Sea Palms	Tue. 1:00 PM
SSI Marshes of Glynn	Epworth – Jinks Dining Room	Thu. 7:30 AM

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## 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 of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service

## 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?

**St. Simons Island Rotary Club**  
 Georgia, USA Rotary District 6920



## Rotary Spray

Today's Program: April 17, 2012

## Gary R. Colberg, FACHE President and CEO, Southeast Georgia Health System



Since taking the helm as President and Chief Executive Officer of Southeast Georgia Health System in March of 2001, Gary R. Colberg, FACHE, has ushered in a new era of financial stability, medical excellence and community support. Under his direction, the Health System has brought critical new medical services, programs and physicians to the people of Southeast Georgia. In 2011, his many accomplishments were recognized by the Georgia Alliance of Community Hospitals when they named him the 2011 CEO of the Year.

Before joining the Health system, Mr. Colberg had amassed 35 years of experience in health care leadership, including positions of senior vice president for Birmingham Operations for Medical Center East-Eastern Health System Inc. and as a vice president with Jewish Hospital Health Care Services in Louisville, Kentucky.

## Upcoming Programs

**April 24:** What's Happening at Frederica Golf Club? Angela Harrison and William Peacher

**May 1:** GSE Team from Turkey. Introductions by Mike Muldowney and Hamsa Thota

**May 8:** (Board of Directors Meetings) The Bruce/Tharp Rotary Scholarships



<b>Guests—Hosts (3)</b>			
Zach Albright—Cindi Phillips Angel & Gary Hobby—Ginny Johnson			
<b>Visiting Rotarians (3)</b>			
Charles Taylor—Brunswick Redmond Thayer—Lancaster, NH Bob Whitney—Littleton, NH			
<b>Speech Delegation</b>			
<b>Speakers - See page 3 (3)</b>			
<b>Guests of Club (8)</b>			
Sabrina Ali-Mashi		Katherine Sadowski	
Bruce Foisy		Catherine Holt	
Angela Fleischer		Laura Marino	
Craig Fleischer		Loren Dittmar	
<b>Attendance</b>			
Members	84	Speakers	3
Guests	3	Guests of Club	8
Visiting Rotarians	3	Total	101

<b>Greeters</b>	
4/17	Beverly McBride Marion Moore
4/24	Joe Mruk Linda Muir

**Birthdays 4/17-4/23**

<b>Clyde Taylor</b>	<b>4/17</b>
<b>Ted Wright</b>	<b>4/23</b>



<b>Rotobucks</b>	
<b>Redmond Thayer</b>	<b>\$38</b>

## Last Week's Program: April 10, 2012

### Speech Contest Introductions by Cindi Phillips

Hard to believe it's been an entire year since our last Glynn County High School Students Speech Contest. Headed once again by fellow Rotarian Cindi Phillips, the student's speech presentations are always a highlight of our annual programming.

This year, three local high school students were speakers. The students, *(in order of their presentations)* were: Zachery Fleischer from Glynn Academy, Rose Foisy from Brunswick High School, and Amira Al-Mashi also from Brunswick High. As one would expect, all three are high achievers, honor students, school leaders, and all of them, with far too many activities and awards to mention here. Not surprisingly, all three are college-bound to the University of Georgia on the Hope Scholarship. It's always rewarding to see and appreciate capable, enthusiastic leaders amongst our youth.

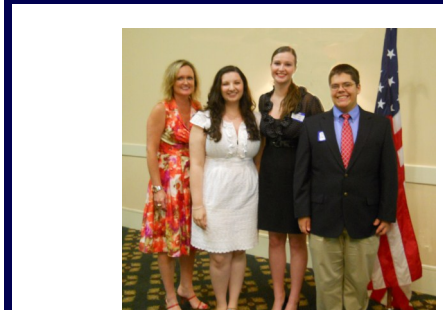
All three presenters chose the theme: *The Rotary Four-Way Test*. Each speech took a different twist on the topic. Each presenter made their case with eloquence and confidence, but alas...only one could be chosen for first place, and that distinction was awarded to Amira Al-Mashi, with Rose Foisy in second place, and Zachery Fleischer awarded third. Respectively, cash prizes of \$100, \$50 and \$25 were awarded. The first and second place winners will go on to the Zone Competition in Statesboro, GA on April 21st for an opportunity to win a \$1,000 scholarship. The top three winners of the Zone Competition will be awarded their scholarships at the District Annual Conference in Savannah on May 19th, 2012. Good luck Glynn County students!

This year's official judges for our competition were Paul Sanders, Jean Hurst and Bob Brown. Jim Henderson officiated as official score keeper. The presentations were evaluated by a number of key criteria including: appropriateness, appearance, organization and relevance of content and conclusion, presentation, and delivery.

Again, we congratulate our student presenters for "jobs well done."  
Best of luck for the exciting future ahead of you!

## Club News from the April 10, 2012 Meeting

- Bill Abel** made a donation to the Club for \$5,000 to use for our community work. Thank you, Sir!
- Cart Buckets:** Fill 'em up. 100% of funds goes to Alzheimer's Research.
- District Conference:** Scheduled for May 18 thru 20 in Savannah. Please see President Mike or register online.
- 4th Quarter Dues Invoices:** Out the week of April 9. Please pay promptly. We need the money to pay for our meals, International and District dues and club expenses.
- Beverly Trainor** received her Blue Badge. Congratulations, Beverly.
- Book Buddies** are still needed to read to children at the FACES center in Brunswick and are ready to read at the "Imagination Room" at McIntyre Court B&G Club. The new reading program will start the end of April and will continue through the summer into the new school year. See Linda Muir.
- GSE Team** from Turkey will be here April 29 to May 2. Hosting details have been announced.
- May 8 Club Meeting** will not be at Sea Palms. Alternate arrangements are being made.



**The Speech Contest**  
**(L-R) Rotarian Cindi Phillips with Contestants:**  
**Amira Al-Mashi,**  
**Rose Foisy, and**  
**Zachery Fleischer.**  
Thank You, Ladies and Gentleman.