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Club	Venue	Day & Time
Brunswick	Brunswick Country Club	Thu. 12:30 PM
Golden Isles—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

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Rotary Spray

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Hurricane Sandy—National Park's Involvement Randy and Mary Beth Wester

We all know the destruction that Hurricane Sandy brought to our eastern sea-shore, and also about the many volunteers who helped out. Among those were our own Mary Beth Wester and her husband, Randy. They will make the facts even more personal for us.

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?

Last Week's Program



Annual High School Speech Contest

(Pictured Left-to-Right)
Christian Sullivan,
Stephanie Baione,
Rotarian Cindi Phillips,
Rose Foise,
Aimee Jamison and
Amy Tye.

Not pictured:
Jenny Barrow.

Please see the article by Jennifer Broadus on page 3.

Attendance Data for 02-05-2013
TBA

Upcoming Programs

February 19: Beau Sasser, MD, Medical Director, Southeast Georgia Health System's Sports Medicine Program.

February 26: Mayor Bryan Thompson.

March 5: Zach Albright and Joni Bennett: Glynn Place Mall (Intro by Cindy Philips)

March 12: (Board Meeting). Club program to be announced.

March 19: Tim Mescon, Columbus State University (Intro by Martin Turbidy).

March 26: Cathey Petkash, Sarah Dodd: *Your Rotary Dollars at Work*

Rotobucks \$37 Jack Dinos

Greeters

2/12 John Buchanan
Dennis Burgess
2/19 Robert Cable
Chuck Cansler

Birthdays 2/12—2/18

Pam Johndroe	2/12
Cathey Petkash	2/12
Mike Flores	2/15
Ruth Heyward	2/15
Marion Moore	2/18



Club News, February 5, 2013 Meeting

Cart Buckets – 100% to Alzheimer's Research. Raise the bucket, pass it around and give!

Sandy Relief – Our \$3,500 has been matched and sent to Staten Island, NY. We still have the opportunity to give the remaining \$1,500, which will also be matched until March 31, 2013.

Charitable Giving—Bob Brown reminded us of this effort. The form is on the club's website.

Correction to *Speaking up for Children* Article in February 5 Issue

As it was written, "67.4% (GA students) never complete high school."
Should be, "only 67.4% complete high school."

Sorry for the confusion.

February 5, 2013

Our Annual High School Student Speech Contest Chaired and Narrated by Cindi Phillips

Every year we are treated to a program of speeches presented by some of our most impressive local citizens – our high school students. This year's St. Simons Rotary Student Speech Contest featured six inspiring young presenters – two each from Brunswick High, Glynn Academy and Frederica Academy. Presenting in order by luck of the draw, five young women and one young man focused their unique speeches on their choice of two topics offered them – *'Peace Through Service'* or *'The Four Way Test.'* All six speeches were truly outstanding.

The judging led by the team of Jean Hurst, Bob Brown and Paul Sanders with Jim Henderson as time-keeper, really had their work cut out for them. The voting was very close – in fact, resulting in a tie for first place. The speaker closest to the required 3-minute, 30-second time limit won the contest! And the winners were:

1st Place – Aimee Jamison – Glynn Academy (awarded \$100 prize)

2nd Place – Rose Foise – Brunswick High (awarded \$50 prize)

3rd Place – Jenny Barrow – Brunswick High (awarded \$25 prize)

The other outstanding speakers were Abby Tye of Glynn Academy, Stephanie Baione from Frederica Academy, and Christian Sullivan also from Frederica Academy. Every one of these impressive young presenters are student leaders, honor students, active in their schools in too many clubs and projects to mention here, and each possessing many, many talents and interests. They were all inspiring to listen to, and helped us all realize, that each one of them is among the best and the brightest future leaders in the community. The two top winners will go on to compete in regional competitions.

Thanks to Cindi Phillips and our Rotary committee who helped organize this worthwhile program.



**(L-R) Rotarian Cindi Phillips with
speech winners:
Rose Foise (2nd place) and
Aimee Jamison (1st place).
Jerry Barrow (3rd place)
is not pictured.**