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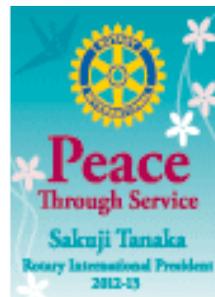
## Area Rotary Clubs

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 Club of St. Simons Island

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## Rotary Spray

Today's Program: May 7, 2013

## STAYING ALIVE: LIFE SAVING TECHNIQUES

Presented by our own Jim Kielt

It's always great to have one of our own present to the SSI Rotary, not only through the Classification Talks, but also when we can feature one of their areas of expertise. Jim is a certified Red Cross Authorized Provider who teaches CPR and Lifesaving Techniques. His talk will cover three topics: Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation or CPR, the Heimlich Maneuver to save a choking victim, and the use of the Automatic External Defibrillator (AEC). This is not meant to be a substitute for full Red Cross instruction, but rather an overview of what is normally covered and hopefully this will be an incentive for some to get a full CPR Certification.

## 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?



## April 30 Program

(L-R) Fellow Rotarian  
Jim Henderson,  
Guest Speaker  
Christina Patelidas and Club  
President  
John Matthews.

Please see the article  
on page 3.

### Attendance Data for 4-30-2013

#### Guests—Hosts

Phil Viviani (pm) —Clyde Taylor

#### Visiting Rotarians

None Today

#### Totals

Guests: 1    Members 81    Total 82

**Rotobucks    \$38    John Hofmann**

#### Greeters

5/7    John Gibson  
      Chad Goehring  
5/14    Ed Griffith  
      Bill Gussman

#### Birthdays 5/7—5/13

**Bill Hicks                    5/9**  
**Rick Mattox                 5/11**  
**Lisa Martin                 5/11**  
**Mary Ellen Parkins        5/12**  
**Don Fielder                 5/13**



### Club News: April 30, 2013 Meeting

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

**Blue Badge**—Congratulations to Sherrye Gibbs.

**First Tuesday**—Susan Imhoff announced the date, May 7, and the location, J. Macs Island Restaurant.

### Upcoming Programs

**May 14:** (Board Meeting). Dana Haza, President and CEO, United Way.

**May 21:** John Sours, Governor’s Office for Consumer Affairs. Intro by Jim Henderson.

**May 28:** No Meeting. Taps at Twilight is May 27, 6:45 pm, Neptune Park. Guest Speaker: Maj. Gen. Larry Taylor, USMC (ret.).

**June 4:** Bill Dawson, General Manager of the Port of Brunswick. *Port Reporting*. Intro by Marie Dodd.

**June 11:** Classification Talks. Moderated by Monica Jolley.

**June 18:** SSI Rotary Charitable Giving Report.

**June 25:** President’s Outgoing Message.

### April 30 Program

## Christina Patelidas

### Entertainer

#### Article by Jennifer Broadus

Three-year-old girl gets first pair of dance shoes. Girl learns to dance...dance...dance...dance...dance! Dance! Child prodigy teaches and creates choreography at age eleven! Twenty-year-old veteran cruises the ocean’s blue, dancing aboard luxury ocean liners. Dancer/Choreographer plies beside lions, tigers and bears in Las Vegas...literally! Sounds like an MGM Busby Berkley movie? Nope. It’s the real life saga of our April 30th speaker, Christina Patelidas.

Introduced by Jim Henderson, a co-worker of Christina’s at Sea Island, Ms. Patelidas is no stranger to many SSI Rotarians. Natives have watched this island darling grow up and entertain for years. Newcomers have enjoyed Christina’s gracing many local stages with her innovative choreography, sparkling blue eyes and contagious smile.

Today, Christina is Entertainment Director at Sea Island, busy booking entertainers rather than being on stage as one herself.

According to Christina, many years of pushing the physical boundaries that dancing as a profession requires have convinced her to hang up her dance shoes, at least as a full-time performer, but she happily reflects on a career that rocketed across four decades and many exciting show biz experiences.

As dance leader for five years at high seas for Norwegian Cruise Lines, Christina leaped amongst the waves throughout the Caribbean, the South Pacific, and ports-of-call around the globe. Later on the glittering stage of the Siegfried and Roy extravaganza at the Mirage Hotel in Las Vegas, Christina *arabesque’d* for sell-out audiences two shows a night, six days a week for five non-stop years. Frankly, it’s exhausting just thinking about it. Later, she returned to her roots on SSI and opened Christina’s Dance World, teaching many of the island’s children and grandchildren for eleven rewarding years.

In addition to her job as Entertainment Director, Christina hopes to convince the new owners of Sea Island to allow her to create an original entertainment production for Sea Island guests! Good luck Christina and thanks for sharing your extraordinary life with us.

May your dance shoes always be comfortable and close at hand. Hope to see you back on stage real soon!