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Club	Venue	Day & Time
Brunswick	<b>Brunswick Country Club</b>	Thu. 12:45 PM
<b>Glynn County</b>	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
<b>SSI Marshes of Glynn</b>	<b>Epworth – Jinks Dining Room</b>	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

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?

The Four-Way Test

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## Rotary Club of St. Simons Island

Georgia, USA Rotary District 6920

## Rotary Spray

# October 30, 2012 FUTURE ECONOMICS AND THE ELECTION Dr. William ("Skip") Mounts

Dr. Mounts is the Dean of the School of Business and Public Affairs at the College of Coastal Georgia, as well as a Professor of Economics. He brings extensive knowledge to this current topic, having written for journals such as: *Economics of Governance, Journal of Macroeconomics, Southern Economic Review* and many others. Dr. Mounts also has an active consulting practice specializing in economic valuation and interest rate forecasting.

## Photo from Last Week's Meeting

L-R: Rotarian Paul Pieschel and Guest Speakers Sharon Flores and Buff Leavy. Story on page 3.



## **Visiting Rotarian**Bill Koons—Chagrin Valley OH

**Club Guests** 

Susan Christian (pm) —Cathy Petkash Nancy Matthews—John Matthews Katherine Worthy—Martin Worthy

Members 69 Visiting Rotarians 1
Speakers 2 Guests 3
Total....75

Rotobucks Clint Winne \$62

Greeters

10/30 Mary Beth WesterJim Wethern11/6 Lisa WickerMildred Wilcox

Birthdays 10/30—11/5
Mildred Wilcox 11/1
Allen Berry 11/4



## In Memoriam

Judge Glen Edward Clark

November 23, 1943—October 25, 2012

## Club News, October 23, 2012 Meeting

Cart Buckets are on the table. !00% of donations goes to Alzheimer's research.

**Quarterly Dues** statements are out. Please pay now so we may continue to pay our bills.

Nancy Matthews discussed the Buddy Reader Program.

**Wally Forsythe** discussed Swing for Kids plans. Wally and team were congratulated for their golfing fundraiser successes.

**Beverly Trainer** discussed the Veteran's Walk project and sale of bricks for Veteran's Day.

Ginny Johnson discussed the Christmas Luncheon December 11.

Monica Jolley was presented her Red Badge.

## **Upcoming Program**

**November 6:** Scott McQuade, President and CEO, Golden Isles Convention and Visitors Bureau (Introduction by Marie Dodd).

# **2012 Georgia Literary Festival Sharon Flores and Buff Leavy**

Community leader Sharon Flores, (wife of fellow Rotarian Michael Flores), joined Buff Leavy, President of The Brunswick News, to speak at our weekly luncheon about a new, very big event that is coming to the Golden Isles.

Now celebrating its 14th year, the 2012 Georgia Literary Festival is cosponsored by the College of Coastal Georgia, Golden Isles Arts & Humanities Association, Golden Isles Convention and Visitors Bureau & the Jekyll Island Authority, among 14 other local and regional sponsors. Held for the first time in the Golden Isles, the 2012 Georgia Literary Festival promises to bring a new level of culture and entertainment to our community. And, it will have plenty to offer.

The event includes three days of lectures, special events, tours, and culinary events, most of them FREE to the public.

Highlights include compelling presentations from 30 leading authors tied to the State of Georgia.

The keynote speaker of the Literary Festival is the recently named 19th Poet Laureate of the United States, Natasha Trethewey. Winner of the 2007 Pulitzer Prize for Poetry, Ms. Trethewey will speak at Atlantic Hall at the Jekyll Island Convention Center on Saturday, November 10, at 10:00 am.

Broken down into six unique literary tracks including Fiction, Georgia Review, History, Nature, Culinary Arts, & Children's Literature, 30 renowned authors will conduct lectures relevant to their academic discipline, all of which are open to the public without admission fee.

Other highlights where reservations are recommended include a dramatic recreation of "Shame the Devil" by former St. Simons resident and writer, Frances Ann Kemble (1809 -1893), who will be portrayed by local actor and Director of Golden Isles Arts & Humanities, Heather Heath.

Also high on the list of *paid* ticketed events are a tour of Casa Genotta, the historic Sea Island home of noted American dramatist Eugene O'Neill; a St. Simons Island Tour as seen through the eyes of beloved local fiction writer Eugenia Price; and the four-course Wine Dinner hosted by noted wine expert Jane Garvey and Master Chef Hugh Acheson, to be held at the Morgan Center on Jekyll Island at 7:00 pm on Saturday, November 10.

Thank you Sharon Flores & Buff Leavy for your most informative presentation.

(See the website at www.GoldenIslesLiteraryFestival.com.)