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Membership Development- Aubrey Highsmith
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Red Badge- Ron Lewis
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Membership Awards- Meredith Diebold

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Media Day- Bob Smith

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Publicity- Tom Grant

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District Reporting- Jean Grover
Budget & Audit- Louis Andrews
Club Bulletin- Kelli Simon
Programs/ Speakers- Damon Cline
Fellowship- Bill Phillips

Club Administration 2- Meredith Diebold

Historical- Mike Felz
Football Follies- Bill Hamilton
Club Website- Nancy Szocinski
District Conference- Toni Giusto
Meeting Place- Kit Rogers
Service Projects 1- Russ Stullken
St. John Towers- Bill Phillips
A Taste of Something Wild- Russ Stullken
Literacy- David Bullington & Meredith Diebold
Interact/RILA- Kathy DeLoach
Vacation Raffle- Joe Converse
Service Projects 2- David Bullington
Highway Beautification- Bob Lemon
Soup Kitchen- David Cantrell
CART Fund- Charles Meyer
Construction Project- Max Knight
Medical Missions- Bill Caput & Frank Spears
Vocational Service- Damon Cline

Rotary Foundation- Glenn Bedell

GRSP- Anne Cordeiro
Group Study Exchange- Bill Caput
EREY- Glenn Bedell
Paul Harris Fellows- Rich Laschober

The Four-Way-Test

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIP?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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 of service;

Second: High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and dignifying by each Rotarian of this occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

Third: The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his personal, business, and community life;

Fourth: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional men and women united in the ideal of service.

Closest Make-up Meeting Places

Monday:

Augusta Club- Enterprise Mill, 12:15 pm
Aiken Club- Municipal Auditorium(The Alley), 12:45 pm

Tuesday:

Augusta South- Holiday Inn Gordon Hwy, Noon
Col. West- Lewis Memorial Meth. Church, 12:15 pm

Wednesday:

Columbia County- Wesley United Meth. Church, 7:00 am

Thursday

Aiken Sunrise-Houndslake Country Club, 7:15 am
Thomson- The Depot, 12:15 pm

Friday:

Martinez/Evans- Double Tree Hotel, Noon

Online:

www.rotaryclubone.org

Web Sites:

Club: www.augustawestrotary.net

District: www.rotarydistrict6920.net

International: www.rotary.org

District Database: www.dacdb.com

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DISTRICT 6920, CLUB 4225



Kathy Tuckey.....President
Nancy Szocinski.....Secretary
Joe Converse.....Treasurer
Ralph Stewart.....Sergeant-At-Arms
Kathy DeLoach..... President-elect

John Kenny.....RI President
Clyde Taylor.....District Governor
Pam Lightsey.....Assistant Governor



Georgia Rotary Student
David Thorsson
Sweden



Westside High School
Interact Club



"Service Above Self"

Absentees

Frank Barbee, John Butler, Anne Cordeiro, Kathy DeLoach, Leonard Fletcher, Toni Giusto, Mistie Harris, Gloria Jennings, Mike Keck, Max Knight, Rich Laschober, Bob Lemon, Ron Lewis, Charlie Meyer, Gene Norris, Tod Petty, Mack Shealy, Kelli Simon David Smithers, Jack Weinstein

Duties

Pledge: Gil Strader **Invocation:** Jeff Fehrman
Greeter: Russ Stullken

Club Guests

Guest: Chris Kerley
Guest of: Mike Felz

Make-Ups

Rotarian:	Club or Event:
Joe Converse	TOSW Meeting
Jean Grover (2)	TOSW Meeting, District Reporting
Russ Stullken	Literacy
Meredith Diebold	Literacy
David Cantrell (2)	Augusta, Augusta South
Al Kitchen (2)	E-Club One

Sunshine

Birthdays:
Mike Felz- 10/30
Wright Lankford- 10/30
Bill Phillips- 11/3

Ticket Raffle

Joe Converse won the raffle drawing but did not draw the ace of spades. The pot is over \$1000 and will roll over to next week's meeting.

Football Follies

Year to Date Standings:
Louis Saul- 1st place

Gil Strader- 2nd place
Glenn Bedell- 3rd Place
Coming in last below 40%
John Butler, Terry Cook and Jeff Fehrman

Announcements

Santa Wheels:

David Bullington announced that our club will participate in the Santa Wheels Project. On Saturday, November 21, volunteers are needed to help repair bicycles. NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED! It will only require 1 ½ hours of your time. The refurbished bicycles will be distributed to needy children in the area. Contact David for more information.



Rotary Leadership Institute

District 6920 will once again be offering the Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) courses. The next one will be in Savannah at the Savannah Tech Airport Campus, on Saturday, 21 November 2009. Parts 1, 2, and 3 will be offered.

RLI is a multi-district, grassroots leadership development program. The one-day courses are excellent opportunities for ALL Rotarians to discover more about Rotary. It does not matter if you have been a Rotarian for 1 day or 20 years.

Please go to: www.rltraining.org to register.

Special Presentation

Augusta West Rotary club presented a check in the amount of \$1,050 to help with the costs associated with Mike Felz's trip to Papua New Guinea to aid in the fight of Malaria. Club members donated \$550 and the club contributed \$500. President Kathy also presented him with a Rotary coin to show our support and prayers as he makes his journey.

Announcements

November 5, Program Change:

The program for November 5 has been changed. Instead of having a blood drive, our guest speaker will be Fred Gehle, the local point person for the national Veterans History Project. The project, authorized by Congress in 2000, collects video stories about U.S. veterans. Right now, the project is focused on WWII vets, because they are the ones who are dying off the fastest.

November Fellowship

Come join your fellow Augusta West Rotarians for a fun evening of Oktoberfest ~~Oktoberfest~~ **Novemberfest**, on Thursday, November 12th, 7:00 pm, at Villa Europa. Experience the best in international cuisine.

Your choice of entrée

House Specialty Jaegerschnitzel,
Chicken Cordon Bleu, or Salmon

Please respond to Bill Phillips with a yes or no and your entrée choice to: billphillips@knology.net

Up-Coming Events

November 12: Novemberfest at Villa Europa
November 14: Highway Beautification
November 21: Santa Wheels
December 3: St. John Towers Holiday Program
December 17: Holiday Party
March 6: *A Taste of Something Wild*
April 23-25, 2010: District Conference, Jekyll Island
June 20-23, 2010: RI Convention, Montreal, Canada

Up-Coming Programs

November 5: Fred Gehle, National Veterans History Project
November 12: Rotary Foundation
November 19: Bob Young, former mayor, HUD official
November 26: *No meeting (Thanksgiving)*
December 3: St. John Towers party

Rotary International

The fact that November is Foundation Month in Rotary is no accident. November is traditionally a time for reflection and as the calendar year winds down to a close, Rotarians often find themselves asking, "Have I done enough? What more can I do to help?"

Your simple gift to the Annual Programs Fund provides hope and opportunity to people in worldwide, in nations where little hope and opportunity exist. If by your birth, you were born in a shanty, sent at the age of three to forage in the garbage dump for food to help feed the family, and were lucky to live long enough drinking contaminated water, what kind of a life could you expect to lead? Without an opportunity for basic education, how would you even know that another world existed outside of your realm?

UNICEF, one of our partners in the global eradication of polio, publishes the fact that over one-half of the world's population (three billion people) live on less than US\$2.50 a day. Too, we often hear in Rotary that most of us are quick to spend more than that on a cup of Starbucks coffee every day or we spend our money on something else that we really don't need. Maybe we can think about question number four on the Four-Way Test, "Is it beneficial to all concerned?"

In Rotary, our motto is to do good in the world. You can do just that by making your gift to the Annual Programs Fund before 2009 comes to a close. By doing so, you will provide a source of funding from which all Rotarians can work together to save lives and change lives through our Rotary Foundation.

"The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands." So is the life of someone in need. Concern yourself with being beneficial by being extraordinary this year. Make your annual gift today.

Thank you.
Joanne Bertsche
Annual Giving Officer
The Rotary Foundation