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Membership Awards- Meredith Diebold

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Membership Retention- Toni Giusto

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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/Ryla- 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

Louis Andrews, Frank Barbee, John Butler, Doug Clepper, Jeff Fehrman, Frank Spears, Gil Strader

Duties

Pledge: Aubrey Highsmith **Invocation:** David Cantrell **Greeter:** Russ Stullken **Mystery Handshaker:** Danny Sheehan **Winner:** Ron Lewis

Visiting Rotarians

Rotarian:	Home Club:
Neita Mulherin	Augusta

Make-Ups

Rotarian:	Club or Event:
Glenn Bedell (2)	GSE Team Dinners
Danny Sheehan	A. Brian Merry
Bill Phillips	TSW Wrap Up Meeting
Damon Cline	San Manuel, AZ
Kelli Simon (3)	P.E.T.S.

Ticket Raffle

Rich Laschober won the lucky ticket raffle, but did not draw the ace of spades. The pot is at \$440 and rolls over to next week's meeting.

District Conference

The District Conference will be held on the beautiful Jekyll Island from April 23-25. Of course you can stay at any available hotel, but the Beach View Inn is where the Famous Hospitality Room will be located!

On line registration is closed. However, you can register on site at the District Conference.

Here are a few highlights!

Friday Lunch Speaker

Bill Curry- Georgia State University Coach

Saturday Morning Speaker

Allan I. Levey, M.D., Ph.D.

"Alzheimer's Disease Research"

Saturday Evening

Cliff Dochterman

Rotary International President -- 1992-93

Rotary International

Gates encourages Rotarians to keep up fight against polio

In a video message to Rotarians, Bill Gates, cochair of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, thanked Rotarians for their hard work in the effort to eradicate polio and congratulated Rotary for surpassing the halfway point in meeting Rotary's US\$200 Million Challenge.

"The work you're doing to raise funds for the program is critical, especially given the tight government budgets and increasing costs for a very aggressive polio program," Gates said. "Your work as advocates is also very important. We need to keep this fight high on the world's list of priorities."

Rotary has been a leader in the fight against polio since the launch of the PolioPlus program in 1985. Recently, the Gates Foundation awarded two grants totaling \$355 million to Rotary in support of its work in eradicating the disease. In response, Rotary pledged to raise \$200 million. To date, Rotary has raised \$117.5 million.

You can view this video at www.rotary.org

District Assembly

The District Assembly will be held Saturday, May 15 in Sandersville. This assembly is open to all incoming club leadership for 2010-11. You will find out what our incoming District Governor Lloyd Horadan has planned for District 6920. If you hold a leadership role in our club, you are encouraged to attend. Contact President elect Kathy DeLoach for more information.

Announcements

Recently Hospitalized:

Louis Andrews was recently hospitalized at University Hospital and was expected to be released. Please keep Louis in your thoughts and prayers during his recovery.

Group Study Exchange Team:

The Group Study Exchange Team from India arrived in Augusta on April 12 and departed for Sandersville on April 15. The group was able to attend the Augusta and Augusta South Club meetings. They also visited MCG, ASU and Fort Gordon. They took a stroll on Riverwalk and saw the Rotary bench at the amphitheater. Each team member was also paired with other Rotarians in their field of work and was able to spend the day with them. Several Rotarians hosted the team in their homes too. Thank you

to all who participated and a big THANK YOU to AG Pam Lightsey for making the arrangements for the team.



Dinner at Taj Indian Restaurant



MCG Visit



Meeting at Augusta South with Mayor Deke Copenhaver

Up-Coming Events

April 23-25, 2010: District Conference, Jekyll Island

May 13: Final Board Meeting

May 15: District Assembly, Sandersville

June 20-23, 2010: RI Convention, Montreal, Canada

June 26: End of the Year Party

Up-Coming Programs

April 22: David Harless-Evergreen carpet recycling (Earth Day)

April 29: Media Day/Louis Harris Award (joint meeting w/Aug. South)

May 6: David Thorsson, GRSP final presentation

May 13: Russ Krueger, Occozio

May 20: Dr. William Conkright, medical director, Trinity Hosp.

Last Week's Meeting



Bill Phillips recently left the Information Technology business and is the new owner of Countersync. They specialize in solid surface countertops for the home and office. He presented President Kathy with a corian cutting board.

David Cantrell told the club about his bride to be, Brie Brown and said they would be married in June 2011. He also gave an update on Goodwill Industries.

