

Rotary Programs

This Week - Terry Bragg and the Oak Hill Band
Rotarian of the Day - Kay Anderson
Last Meeting - Lee Oliver, director of the local EMS, Formerly Oconee EMS, now under Medical Center of Central GA
Rotarian of the Day - Terry Kennedy

Last Meeting

Lee Oliver
Guest Speaker, December 6 meeting



L-R: David Perry, Alan Horton (both from ORMC), Lee Oliver (EMS) and Rotary President Karen Brooks. Lee is the Director of EMS (Emergency Medical Services) for the Medical Center of Central Georgia. He had an intriguing presentation on many aspects of the EMS including its new communication center, field staff education and their relationship with ORMC.

Visiting Rotarians

None

Guests

Alan HortonKaren Brooks
 David PerryKaren Brooks
 Karen YoungLarry Kenyon
 Nick PreziosoKay Anderson
 Vickie HansonRobin Becker
 George GrimesTara Peters

Absentees

Barlow, Beasley, B. Brown, Carlton, Chandler, Cooper, Cox, Dahanayake, Daniel, Davidson, Gandy, Gilbert, Grant, Griffith, Haney, Jackson, Matthews, Mills, Murphey Jr., Murphy Sr., Neely, Pope, Purvis, Reese, Sibilsky III, Tyson, Williams, Yearwood, Zarkowsky

Makeups

Brad OliverTullahoma, TN
 Tommy JeffersonJones County
 Terry KennedyJones County



Rich Bertoli CART Fund:
\$37.95 - TOTAL: \$583.09

50/50 Club - December 6, 2007
John Ferguson had the winning ticket.
He was unsuccessful in his draw.
47 Cards Left Pot: \$125.00



New member to the Rotary Club Mike Holmes (left) along with fellow Rotarian Fred Van Horn.

Paul Harris Fellows Honored by St. Simons Rotary Club



L-R: Paul Sanders Jr., Paul Sanders IV and Paul Sanders III are all Paul Harris Fellows.

Rotary District Governor Dick Hyer of Macon attended a recent meeting of the St. Simons Rotary Club to assist in presenting Paul Harris Fellow designations to 14 club members.

Hyer called The Rotary Foundation, the "heart-beat of Rotary International." Noting that foundation funds have helped eradicate polio from 95% of the world, he urged all club members to become at least sustaining members of the foundation.

Twelve Rotarians were recognized by Wally Forsythe as new Paul Harris Fellows. They are: Bob French, Erik Kaufmann, Marion Moore, Joe Mruk, Mike Muldowney, Roger Peterson, Willard Snyder, Maria Vogt and Martin Worthy, District Governor Hyer, assisted by club members Jim Bruce and Stan

Humphries received certificates, lapel pins and medallions. Next, three generations of the Sanders family, Paul Sanders Jr., Paul Sanders III and Paul Sanders IV were recognized as Paul Harris Fellows.

"We believe it may be unique, not only for our club but for Rotary International, to have three generations of one family so recognized," Forsythe said.

To conclude the program, club president Jim Bruce and member Leon Jorgensen were also recognized as Multiple Paul Harris Fellows. Governor

Hyer made the presentations assisted by member, Stan Humphries.

Governor Hyer expressed his appreciation for this high dedication to The Rotary Foundation through being a Paul Harris Fellow.

MEMBER PROFILE

Jason Miller



Jason Miller has been the Director of Development for John Milledge Academy since June 2006. His responsibilities include the coordination of all fundraising, alumni relations and

public relations for the school. Jason attended JMA from kindergarten through high school, graduating in 1995.

After graduation, he followed his heart to Athens where he attended the University of Georgia, earning his bachelor's degree in marketing from the Terry College of Business in 2000. He began working with the UGA Athletic Association's marketing and promotions department as an undergraduate student assistant in 1999. Following graduation, he served as an intern in that department for a year before joining the staff on a full-time basis the following summer as an assistant director of marketing and promotions. During his tenure, Jason oversaw those responsibilities for UGA's women's basketball, baseball, soccer, softball, volleyball, golf, swimming and diving, and track and field programs. He also coordinated on-field presentations and other aspects of marketing and promotions for the Georgia football program.

Jason's interests include Georgia sports (especially football), Braves baseball, and spending time with close friends and family. He loves country music and enjoys going to as many concerts as possible. A little known fact about Jason is that he enjoys putting together jigsaw puzzles.

Jason says he has enjoyed his first year in the Rotary Club and looks forward to serving on the board as PR Director. "My favorite parts of Rotary are the friendliness of the members, the relationships that are created, and the chances the club provides to help the people in the community and world around us," Jason notes.

Definition of Rotary

Rotary is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide, who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world.

There are approximately 1.2 million Rotarians, members of 31,936 Rotary clubs in 166 countries.

Rotary is not a political organization, but all Rotarians are vitally concerned with everything pertaining to good citizenship and the election of good men and women to public office.

Rotary is not a charitable organization, yet its activities exemplify the charity and the sacrifices that one should expect from people who believe that they have a responsibility to help others.

Rotary is not a religious organization, but it is built on those eternal principles that have served as the moral compass for people throughout the ages.

Object of Rotary

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise through the development of acquaintance as the opportunity for service, the promotion of high ethical standards in business and professions, through service in one's personal, business, and community life, and the advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace.

RI Mission Statement

The mission of Rotary International is to support its member clubs in fulfilling the Object of Rotary by:

- Fostering unity among member clubs;
- Strengthening and expanding Rotary around the world;
- Communicating worldwide the work of Rotary; and
- Providing a system of international administration.

Ambassadorial Scholarships

Ambassadorial Scholarships, The Rotary Foundation's oldest and best-known program, was founded in 1947. Since then, nearly 37,000 men and women from about 100 nations have studied abroad under its auspices. Today it is the world's largest privately funded international scholarships program. Nearly 800 scholarships were awarded for study in 2005-06. Through grants totaling approximately US\$500 million, recipients from about 70 countries studied in more than 70 nations.

"The Rotary Foundation does some terrific things, not the least of which is the Ambassadorial Scholarships program." - Michael R. Whiteman, international programs director, University of Idaho.

The purpose of the Ambassadorial Scholarships program is to further international understanding and friendly relations among people of different countries and geographical areas. The program sponsors several types of scholarships for undergraduate and graduate students as well as for qualified professionals pursuing vocational studies. While abroad, scholars serve as goodwill ambassadors to the host country and give presentations about their homelands to Rotary clubs and other groups. Upon returning home, scholars share with Rotarians and others the experiences that led to a greater understanding of their host country.

Generous contributions from Rotarians worldwide represent a continued faith that today's Ambassadorial Scholars will be tomorrow's community and world leaders.

Rotary Centers for International Studies in peace and conflict resolution

Rotary Centers provide Rotary World Peace Fellows with the opportunity to pursue a master's degree in conflict resolution, peace studies, international relations, and related areas.

Each year, up to 60 Rotary World Peace Fellowships are offered on a competitive basis at six Rotary Centers, which operate in partnership with seven leading universities:

- Duke University and University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA (joint Rotary Center)
- International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan
- Universidad del Salvador, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- University of Bradford, West Yorkshire, England

- University of California, Berkeley, USA
 - University of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia
- Coursework at the Rotary Centers focuses on preventing and resolving conflict by addressing its root causes - for example, responding to hunger with food security, disease with health care, illiteracy with education, poverty with sustainable development, and environmental degradation with conservation. Fellows put classroom lessons into practice through an applied field experience, when they work with a variety of governmental and nongovernmental organizations worldwide.

The fellows are chosen from countries and cultures around the globe based on their potential as leaders in government, business, education, media, and other professional areas. Learn more about program eligibility and deadlines.

Rotary Centers alumni have demonstrated their ability to further global understanding and peace in their work for United Nations agencies, the World Bank, European Parliament, the Organization of American States, and other nongovernmental organizations, along with national governments and international businesses.

Convention

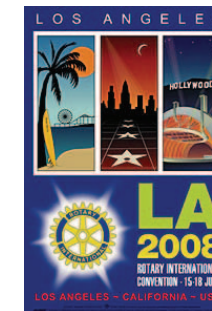
How to register

Complete all your convention forms online at www.rotary.org. It's convenient and secure. Your confirmation materials will be e-mailed to you. Browse the preliminary program to decide which events you want to attend before, during, and after the convention.

Register early for the convention to take advantage of special pricing!

First deadline: 15 December 2007
 Second deadline: 31 March 2008

Register online. It's convenient and secure. Your confirmation materials will be e-mailed to you. You will need to register for Member Access in order to register online. Not registered for Member Access? Sign up today.



ONGOING MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES

- (1) Earn a make-up for sponsoring a new member.
- (2) Earn a make-up by volunteering at a local school.
- (3) Earn a make-up for visiting another Rotary Club.
- (4) Earn one make-up per quarter by visiting the e-club at www.rotaryclubone.org and taking the "test!" Print the receipt and give it to the Club Secretary (Halsey Leavitt).

ROTARY WEBSITES

Rotary International: www.rotary.org
 District 6920: www.rotarydistrict6920.net
 Milledgeville Club: www.milledgeville Rotary.org