

**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. The ideal of service is fostered; 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.

**Rotary Programs**

**This Week - March 15** - Margaret Chambliss on Baldwin County Citizen Advocacy

**Rotarian of the Day: Mark Scott**

**Last Meeting - March 8** - W. Todd Groce, President and Chief Executive Officer, Georgia Historical Society

**Rotarian of the Day: Richard Hicks**

**Last Meeting**



Last week Milledgeville Rotary welcomed Dr. Todd Groce who spoke on the topic "'Saving Private Ryan:' World War II in History and Memory." Dr. Groce is President and Chief Executive Officer of the Georgia Historical Society, Georgia's first and only statewide historical society, headquartered in Savannah.

**Visiting Rotarians**

Paula Fuller .....Thomson

**Guests**

Andy Cartee.....Brad Oliver  
 Lee Ann Caldwell .....Robert Haney  
 Annie Griffeth .....Hank Griffeth  
 Terry Kennedy .....Henry Pope  
 Hulane George.....Carl Buice

**Absentees**

Adkins, Bertoli, Black, P. Brown, Burke, Cooper, Cox, Daniel, Davidson, Eberhardt, Fontenot, Gandy, Gheesling, Jackson, Kenyon, Kirkwood, Kisida, McNeill, Mills, Murphey Sr., Neely, Nunn, Owens, Prather, Purvis, Reese, Richardson, Samuels, Theus

**Makeups**

Sam Watson .....Online



**CART Fund:** Nolan Stephens will match Donation of \$17.50 - Thanks!!

**50/50 Club - March 8, 2007**  
 Lee Dennis with the winning ticket was unsuccessful in his draw.  
 49 Cards Left **Pot: \$88.00**



**This Week's Program**

**Advocacy**

Margaret Chambliss will discuss Baldwin County Citizen Advocacy.

**Next Week's Program**

**Literacy**

Former District Governor Jim Puryear visits from Augusta to speak on literacy.

**Profiles Needed!**

It's getting tougher and tougher to get people to submit their profiles. Everyone has good intentions and loves reading profiles of other folks, but no one seems to have the time to write one. We are now requesting that everyone who has been a member less than two years submit a profile now, and later we'll be asking for those who have been members for two to four years, four to six years, etc.

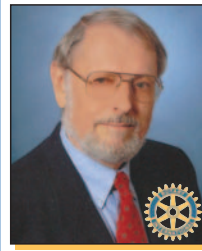
The profiles need not be long. Take a moment to look through past bulletins at the profiles we've already done for ideas of what sort of information we are looking for - just a little bit about yourself, your work, your family, and how you came to be a part of Rotary. We will keep the submitted profiles for future bulletins and announce when we need the next group. To help us with your profile, please send your information to [roy.moore@gcsu.edu](mailto:roy.moore@gcsu.edu)



**Upcoming Programs**

**March 22** - Former District Governor Jim Puryear on Literacy  
**Rotarian of the Day: David Jackson**

**March 29** - John Jensen, State Herpetologist of Georgia, Department of Natural Resources  
**Rotarian of the Day: Tommy Jefferson**



The Rotary Club of Milledgeville

**MEMBER PROFILE**

**Carl Buice**

The Reverend Carl Buice has been an Episcopal priest for thirty years, serving in several churches in the Diocese of Atlanta. He has been Rector of Saint James Church in Macon for the past fifteen years. He is also a member of the State Bar of Georgia, admitted in 1957. He practiced law in Atlanta and Gainesville, Georgia, before coming to Milledgeville. He currently serves as of counsel to the law firm of Waddell and Associates in Milledgeville. He holds AB and JD degrees from Mercer University and an MA (Theology) from the University of Notre Dame.

In the past he has been President of the Younger Lawyers Section of the State Bar of Georgia, served on the Board of Governors of the State Bar, and been President of the Ocmulgee Circuit Bar Association and a member of the Executive Board of the Diocese of Atlanta. He is a member of the Georgia Bar Foundation and a Trustee of Appleton Family Ministries, a service agency of the diocese.

Carl is married to Superior Court Judge Hulane George and between them they have seven children and fifteen grandchildren.

**District News - Annual Silent Auction to be Held at District Conference in May**

The annual District Conference will be held May 4-6 in Savannah. As per tradition a Silent Auction will be held to raise funds for The Rotary Foundation and the Georgia Rotary Student Program. Your Club is invited to participate by donating items for the Auction. Suggested items are art work, collectibles, jewelry, framed prints, sporting equipment, event tickets, week-end vacations, catered meals, and gift certificates. The value of each donated item should exceed \$300. Your Club is asked to donate at least two such items. Please indicate to me the items your Club will donate via email at [lrsseb@aol.com](mailto:lrsseb@aol.com). For publicity purposes I need this information by April 1. You can them bring your items to the Conference on Friday, May 4.

Also per District tradition, door prizes will be given away at the end of each session of the Conference. Your Club is invited to assist by donating several door prizes. Suggested items include golf shirts, hats, umbrellas, gift baskets, company promotional items, and gift certificates. Your Club is asked to donate at least six door prizes. Please bring your door prizes to the Conference on Friday, May 4.

If you have any questions concerning the Silent Auction and/or the Door Prizes, feel free to contact me at [lrsseb@aol.com](mailto:lrsseb@aol.com). Your cooperation and support will be greatly appreciated. As you will note, the deadline for Silent Auction information is approaching. I look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your participation.

Your fellow Rotarian,  
 Rick Sebastian  
 Rotary Club of Effingham County

**Area Rotary Club Make-Up Meeting Sites**

- Perry** - Mon 12:00 - New Perry Hotel, downtown Perry
- Macon** - Mon 1:00 - First Presbyterian Church
- Cochran** - Tue 12:00 - Community House, 3rd St next to MGC
- Warner Robins** - Tue 12:00 - Wellston Center, 155 Maple St.
- Centerville** - Tue 7:30 - Piccadilly, 2745 Watson Blvd., Warner Robins
- Downtown Macon** - Wed 12:30 - Macon Centreplex, just off I-16
- Jones County** - Thu 12:00 - Landfall at Porter Subdivision clubhouse, Hwy 129, Gray
- Sandersville** - Thu 1:00 - Twin City Country Club, Hwy 68
- Dublin** - Fri 12:00 - Dublin Country Club, East off Hwy 441 N

**International News - Alabama club plans to help community rebuild following deadly tornado**

Alabama Rotary clubs are planning how to put Service Above Self to help their communities recover and rebuild after a deadly tornado. On 1 March, a tornado ripped through Enterprise, Alabama, killing eight students at Enterprise High School.

Danny Dicus, president of the Rotary Club of Enterprise, who was near the school when the tornado hit, said it was "like a war zone."

"It was nightmare. There were smashed cars, roofs ripped off houses, and dazed people walking around."

Dicus and his club are working with Past District Governor Bob Rudder to assess the needs of the community while they collect relief and recovery funds through their club's foundation. Any clubs wishing to contribute can do so by sending a check noted "Tornado relief" to: Enterprise Rotary Club Foundation, P.O. Box 310664, Enterprise, AL 36330. For questions, contact Danny Dicus.

After evaluating how to best make an impact, the club will work with local officials, disaster relief organizations, and other local volunteers to develop projects. The club is also in contact with the Rotary Club of Enterprise Sunrise to discuss pooling together their efforts.

Although the club is looking into organizing a clean-up day to help move dead trees and debris, it has set its sights on identifying long-term needs to be addressed.

"There is a tremendous amount of volunteer help going on right now in the community, in the form of food and clothing drives for the short term. In a few weeks, when all of that begins to slow down, we hope that Rotary will step in and fill in the void for long-term recovery, because in reality it will take us years to recover from this disaster," says Dicus.

**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.rotaryeclubone.org](http://www.rotaryeclubone.org) and taking the "test." Print the receipt and give it to the Club Secretary (Halsey Leavitt).