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Rotary Calendar

January 8, 2008

Angel Postell,
Charleston Food &
Wine Festival

January 15, 2008

Marc Chardon,
Blackbaud

January 22, 2008

George Stevens,
Coastal Community
Foundation

January 29, 2008

Ford Motor Company
Executive

Francis Marion Hosts Holiday Luncheon

December 18th, 2007: Rotarians celebrated the holiday season with a festive luncheon in the Carolina Ballroom at the Francis Marion. Our sincere thanks to **Steve Dopp** and all the staff at the Francis Marion for hosting this special event. The hotel was beautifully decorated and the food was outstanding. We were treated to holiday music by Rotarian **John Tecklenberg** and ensemble, who



have been playing together for 22 years.

We also had a special visit from Paul Harris (well, almost). Joseph Stukes, who is a retired history professor and Florence Rotary Club stalwart, rendered an extremely realistic representation of what Mr. Harris would have discussed if he were addressing our club in 1947.

The bottom line remains: "We profit best if we serve the best."

However, pictures tell the best story of this fabulous event. Please look on to see pictures of yourself and friends enjoying the holidays.



In other business. . .

Leslie Fellabom led us in the Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance. **Andy Brack** (filling in for new daddy, Jermaine) made the announcements, **Tom Sweeny** presented a gift to Fraser, and **John Tecklenberg** provided the Holiday music.

Splinters from the Board

Your “pocket change” does make a “life” change in others:

No bucket collections at the holiday luncheon.

Board Meeting

The board will meet this coming Tuesday, January 8th at 11:00am. All current board members, as well as newly elected board members should attend.

Education Committee to meet

Tom Sweeny has called a meeting of the entire Education Committee on Tuesday, January 15 at 1:30pm (immediately following lunch).

Program Committee meeting notice

The next Program Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 22 at 11:45am.

Resignations

The board regretfully announces the resignations of **Ben Smith, Bill Helms** and **Dick Redden**. We will miss all these Rotarians and wish them the best.



Announcements:

Rotarians Ring the Bell for Salvation Army



Thank you to all those members who took time to “ring the bell” for the Salvation Army on Friday, December 21st. You showed true holiday spirit! It was a successful day. The amount collected by our members will be announced in the upcoming weeks.

Holiday Parties at Ansonborough House

Thanks to everyone who stopped by to help celebrate the holidays with our friends at the Ansonborough House on December 20th and 21st. Your many wonderful gifts were distributed and appreciated. Food and fellowship was enjoyed by all!

AREA CLUB MEETING TIMES

Summerville - Oakbrook
Wescott County Club
Monday 7:30 AM

North Charleston
Airport Radisson
Monday 12:30 PM

East Cooper Breakfast
Zeus Grill & Seafood
Restaurant
Tuesday 7:30 AM

Goose Creek
Oaks Country Club
Tuesday 1:00 PM

Charleston
Citadel Alumni House
Tuesday 12:30 PM

Mt. Pleasant
Holiday Inn
Wednesday 12:30 PM

Summerville
Sticky Fingers Restaurant
Wednesday 1:00 PM

North Charleston Breakfast
Embassy Suites
Thursday 7:30 AM

Daniel Island
Daniel Island Medical
Center
900 Island Park Drive
Wednesday 7:30 AM

Moncks Corner
Western Sizzlin
Highway 52
Thursday 12:30 PM

St. Andrews-Charleston
Bessinger's BBQ, Hwy. 17S
Thursday 12:30 PM

Charleston Breakfast
Harbour Club
Friday 7:30 AM

St. Johns Parish
Berkeley Electric Coop
Maybank Hwy.
Wednesday 7:30 AM

Gift to Fraser Elementary

Tom Sweeny presented Mishawna Moore, Principal of Frasier Elementary School and Gail Blair, Student Advocate at Frasier, our Club's Merry Christmas Gift...funds to purchase more books. They thanked the entire club for a "wonderful year" of support and a "heartfelt thanks for all we've done." Mishawna also complimented Tom and stated they "wanted to adopt him."

Re-gifting for Rotary Wheels

Andy Brack informed everyone Lorraine Perry informed him the December 18, 2007 Post and Courier had a very good "seasonal" article on re-gifting those "less than wanted Holiday gifts." Lorraine asked Andy to emphasize it's never too early to set aside those gifts for our 2008 Rotary Wheels Fund Raising Event.

Congratulations to President (Dad) Jermaine

Our newest future Rotary member, London Jade Husser (6 lbs 8 oz; 20 in), arrived Friday, December 14, 2007. What a blessing for President Jermaine and our Club! Congratulations to both Jermaine and Thytyke!

Proposed New Members

Name: **Richard S. Dukes, Jr. (Rich)**
Address: Turner Padgett Graham & Laney, 40 Calhoun St.
Class.: Law/Civil Litigation
Sponsor: Amy Jenkins

Name: **Virginia H. Hinnant**
Address: 2443 Stonowatch Dr., Johns Island, SC
Class.: Business/Entrepreneurship
Sponsor: Jennet Robinson Alterman

Any comments regarding proposed new members may be directed in writing to the board of directors.



Birthdays

- Dec. 25—Ted Stern
- Dec. 27 – Chris Kerrigan
- Dec. 27 – Peter Lucash
- Dec. 27—Bill Scarborough
- Dec. 29—Rob Dewey
- Dec. 29—Bud DiMaggio
- Dec. 31—Beth Savage
- Jan. 1—Bob Adden
- Jan. 2—Tony Johnson
- Jan. 3—Jim Culpepper
- Jan. 3—Paul Dacey
- Jan. 6—Jermaine Husser
- Jan. 8—Scott Hansen
- Jan. 10— Cal Calcote
- Jan. 12—John Bleecker
- Jan. 12—Jim Livingston

ATTENDANCE SCORE BOX

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Members Absent:

- Anderson, T., Anderson, I., Arnaud, Atkins, Bailey, Bergvall, Berlin, Blackford, Body, Brockinton, Bryan, Bullard, Butts, Cartland, Condon, Condon, Creech, Crowe, Dewey, Dukes, Dulles, Echols, Edwards, Ellington, Ethridge, Fallon, Fishburne, Freer, Garcia, Gershon, Gilbert, Gill, Gilliard, Goff, Greene, L., Greene, G., Ham, Hand, Hasbrouck, Helms, Hood, Husser, Jackson, Johnson, Al, Johnson, Angie, Jones, K., Jones, R., Jordan, Katzman, Kelley-Duncan, Kerrigan, Knowlton, Kramer, Krawcheck, Lansu, Lawrence, Leibowitz, Lester, Livingston, Lucash, Mandell, McCormack, McKay, McKnight, Meetze, Mobley, Murdy, Norvell, Peters, Poliakoff, Postell, Prewitt, Redden, Rosa, Sisco, Stevens, Thomas, L., Thomas, R., Thompson, Van Ryssselberge, Walker, Watkins, Welborn, Whitmore, Wilson, Wilson, Wish, Wombwell, Zucker

Out of Town Make-Ups:

None

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District Governor #7770: Mary Martinl

Rotary International President: Wilfrid J. Wilkinson

2007/2008 Officers & Committee Chairs

Jermaine Husser, President
Andy Brack, President-Elect
Don Horres, Treasurer
Don Oswalt, Secretary
Amy Jenkins, Past President
Herb McGuire, Sergeant-At-Arms
Jennet Alterman, Club Service A
Richard Gershon, Club Service B
Amy Riley, Club Service C
Tom Sweeny, Education
Andy Brack, Community Service
Ellen Jackson, Vocational Service
John Bleecker, International Service
Anita Zucker, RCCF
Carroll Schweers, Executive Secretary

Jennet Alterman, Club Service A

Jim Geffert, Programs
Don Oswalt, Fellowship/Family of Rotary
Rhett Dunaway, Health & Happiness
Richard Gershon,
Visiting Rotarians & Guests
Jim Parker/Tony Holz, Invocation
Ricky Bailey, Emblem
Herb McGuire, Sergeant-At-Arms

Richard Gershon, Club Service B

TBD, Membership Retention
Vito Scarafile, Rotary Information
Johnny Jordan, College of Knowledge
Amy Jenkins, Membership Development
Kenny Krawcheck, Classification
Earl Walker, Nominations
TBD, Special Events/Social

Amy Riley, Club Service C

Bill Crowe, Keyway
Don Horres, Finance
Gitta Wombwell, PR/Magazine
Richard von Werssowetz, Roster
Lisa Thomas, By-Laws
Cooper Coker, Capital Creations

Tom Sweeny, Education

Joan Ustin/Dennis Bergvall,
Excellence in Education
Jay Hart, Rotary Scholars
Kathy Jones, Rotary Readers
Kathy Jones, School Partnership Coordinator
Tom Sweeny, Barrier Island Trip
Ray Jones, Students & Seniors
Tom Sweeny, Sea Student Program

Andy Brack, Community Service

Cooper Coker, Salvation Army
Mary Peters, Senior Aging & Issues
Cooper Coker, Environmental Protection
Jennifer Audi, Wellness

Ellen Jackson, Vocational Service

John Bleecker, International Service

Kyra Morris, Rotary Foundation
Stovall Witte, Ambassadorial Scholars
Robin Freer, GSE
Frederick Dulles, International Grants