



The Keyway

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Rotary Calendar

August 18, 2009
Senator Jim DeMint

August 25, 2009
Cathy Haynes, Chas.
County Emergency
Preparedness

September 1, 2009
Scarlett Wilson,
Solicitor

“What Do You Know ... a Clemson Grad is Introducing Me?”

August 11, 2009

Our club thoroughly enjoyed the good natured ribbing between the Clemson and Gamecock fans in the audience. Todd stated he'd spoken to “100s of Rotary Clubs over the years and never been introduced by a Clemson graduate [**President Kyra**], because they can't read.” He then graciously complimented our Club stating this was the best Rotary meal he's ever enjoyed.

After a few good natured jokes and “war stories” he provided great insight into the Gamecock's 2009:

- Schedule: “one of the top 5 most difficult in the US”
- Recruiting Class: “the best since 1985 when I was recruited ;-)”
- Coaching Staff: “6 new coaches that are rock solid”
- Team Strengths: “talent in secondary and size on defense”
- Team Weaknesses: “offensive line: they've been last in rushing 3 years in a row.”



Todd Ellis



Todd Ellis & Coach Steve Spurrier

Todd provided personal insights about “retiring at 27 years old” and having to return to law school and the wonderful opportunities he's experienced walking the sidelines as a commentator for 13 years and then as the voice of the Gamecocks. After a vigorous question and answer session our Club applauded his candid responses with smiles and appreciation.

Submitted by Bill Crowe, Keyway Committee

In other business. . .

Henry Fishburne gave the invocation and led us in the *Pledge of Allegiance*. **Leslie Fellabom** introduced *visiting Rotarians & guests*. The *Community Minute* was hosted by **President Kyra Morris**. **President Kyra** dressed in an orange Clemson shirt introduced our guest, **Todd Ellis, USC Football**.



**This Week's
Silver Spoon
Award goes to:**

Rick Bailey for his Clemson "orange" tie, stirring up our Gamecock program and fans.



Rick & President Kyra

The Four Way Test

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOOD-WILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFI-CIAL** to all concerned?

Announcements:

Membership Roster Update:

Did you know that you can now access our membership database on-line? It is as easy as going to our club's website (www.charleston-rotary.org), click on "Member Sign-In" located in the blue box at the top left, and log in by using your e-mail address as your USER NAME and your Rotary Member number (found on the label of your Rotarian Magazine) as your PASSWORD. Once you are logged in, click on the "My Club" tab at the top to access contact information and pictures for all our members. You can also click on the "Members" tab, and then the "View My Data" is automatically displayed. Remember to change your password and any other information by using "Edit". This database is run by our District and will be an important tool for all of our members starting this Rotary year. Members will now be able to access contact information for all members and know it is current. We will be printing minimal copies of the membership roster for those that don't have access to the web, but expect members to use this database to get contact information on members or to print their own hard copy of the roster if that is what you prefer. Take a few minutes to try it out

Community Minute:

George Stevens announced our dues will now be placed in the Coastal Community Foundation providing a 25-30% tax savings for our members, "allowing us to give more."

Extra Mile Award:

Please turn in suggestions of people in our community who deserve to be recognized by our club, as going "the extra mile". See **Tom Sweeney** for an application or go to the club's website—www.charleston-rotary.org.

Trident United Way Day of Caring:

Mark your calendars now to participate in our club's Trident United Way Day of Caring project on September 11. Our club will be volunteering at one of our school partners, Jane Simmons Elementary School.

Remember...

....our school partners, Jane Simmons Elementary and Mitchell Elementary have asked for donations of old sporting equipment, including tennis racquets, basketballs and footballs, as well as, musical instruments, game boards, gym equipment, computer and office equipment. They also need a refrigerator for staff use. If you have anything to donate, please bring it to an upcoming Rotary meeting or contact Lorraine Perry at 607-6511 or lorperry62@yahoo.com.

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

Old Goose Creek Recreation Center (Temporary)
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

<http://twitter.com/rotary>

Hey there! Rotary is using Twitter.

Twitter is a free service that lets you keep in touch with people through the exchange of quick, frequent answers to one simple question: What are you doing? Join today to start receiving **Rotary's** tweets.

Name Rotary International

Location Evanston, IL USA

Web <http://www.rotary.com>

Bio Official Twitter presence for Rotary International, a worldwide organization of more than 1.2 million business, professional, and community leaders.

3,940 Following

5,142 Followers

763 Tweets

There's more to Rotary than most members know!

Prayers:

Continue to keep **Tom Waring** and his wife, Janice, in your thoughts and prayers for a safe return of their daughter, Kate.

Wellness Tip of the Week:
Test your knowledge on a variety of wellness topics...

<http://july-quiz.rotarywellness.info>

<http://july-answers.rotarywellness.info>

Birthdays

- Aug. 19 – Mary Ann Kohli
- Aug. 20 – John Bettis
- Aug. 20 – Ellen Jackson
- Aug. 20 – Margarita Pate
- Aug. 23 – Bruce Murdy
- Aug. 23 – Bill Prewitt

Attendance Score Box

August 11th
90

Members Absent:

- Alterman, Anderson, I., Atkins, Baldwin, Berlin, Brockinton, Bryan, Burt, Butts, Cantey, Ciappa, Clement, Clymer, Coker, Condon, Dacey, DiLiegro, Dopp, Dukes, Dukes, Dunaway, Edwards, England, Fetner, Fimian, Forbes, Gaillard, Gasperson, Gill, Ginn, Grau, Green, D., Greene, L., Ham, Hood, Humphries, Jackson, Jenkins, Johnson, Al, Johnson, J., Kelley-Duncan, Kerrigan, Kramer, Krawcheck, Laurens, Lawrence, Leibowitz, Livingston, Mandell, McKelvey, Medich, Miller, Mills, Morse, Moss, Pate, Peters, Pitts, Postell, Proctor, Ravenel, Rosa, Savage, Schaefer, Siegel, Smith, L., Smith, M., Sommer-Kresse, Sullivan, Sumner, Sweeny, Tarleton, Tecklenberg, Thomas, L., Trawick, Van Saun, Vaughan, von Werssowetz, Walker, Wiles, Witte, Zucker

Out of Town Make-ups:

None

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**Remember the 4-Way Test
in all you do.**

WE'RE ON THE WEB:

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District Governor #7770: Alan Walters

Rotary International President: John Kenny

2009-2010 Officers & Committee Chairs

Kyra Morris, President
Brian Johnson, President-Elect
Tom Brown, Treasurer
Tommy Taylor, Secretary
Andy Brack, Past President
Robin Freer, Administration
Brian Johnson, Membership
Valerie Morris, Public Relations
Lorraine Perry, Education
Don Oswald, Service
Tom Clymer, Finance
Andy Anderson, International
Carroll Schweers, Executive Secretary

Robin Freer, Administration

David McCormack, Fellowship
Rhett Dunaway, Visiting Rotarians/Guests
Rob Dewey, Invocation
Ricky Bailey, Emblem
Herb McGuire, Sgt. At Arms
Lisa Thomas/Abby Saunders, By-Laws

Brian Johnson, Membership

Andy Brack, Rotary Information
Brian Johnson, New Members

Andy Brack/Brian Johnson, College of Knowledge
Andy Brack, Membership Development
Jermaine Husser, Nominating
Dave Echols/Abby Saunders, Special Events/Social

Valerie Morris, Public Relations

Rich Dukes, Program
Elizabeth Burwell, Keyway
Darby Siegel, PR/Magazine
Willis Cantey, Roster
Fred Sales, Historian/Club Photographer

Lorraine Perry, Education

Joan Ustin, Excellence in Education
Kathy Jones, Readers
Stephanie Wilson, Job Fair
, Buddy Sail
, Teacher of the Month
, Field Trips
, Weight Watchers, Yoga, Karate

Don Oswald, Service

Erin England, Salvation Army
Mary Peters, Senior Aging
Cooper Coker/Andy Anderson, Environment

Mary Ann Kohli, Wellness
Don Oswald, Vocational Service
, Service Above Self Scholars

Tom Clymer, Finance

Tom Brown, Budget
Mark Smith, RCCF
Hilton Smith/Amy Riley, Rotary Wheels

Andy Anderson, Foundation

Robert Miller, Annual Giving/Spec. Funds
John Bleecker, Ambassadorial Scholarships
Bill Prewitt, Group Study Exchange
John Tecklenburg, International Projects