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Rotary Calendar

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Sharon A. Brigner
 Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America on Polio Eradication

November 17, 2009

TBD

November 24, 2009

Governor Mark Sanford

Dec. 1, 2009

Annual Meeting to elect board members; Nick Rigas of SC Wind Consortium

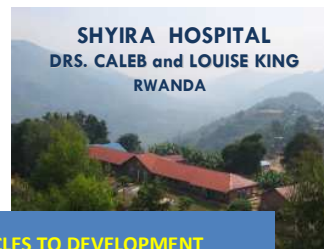
“Charleston’s Doing Miracles in Rwanda”



Dr. Lydia Engelhardt & Dr. Bill Rambo

MEDICAL RESOURCES NOT AVAILABLE

- BARIUM ENEMAS AND IVP'S
- CT SCANS AND MRI SCANS
- MEDICAL CONSULTANTS (IN OTHER SPECIALTIES)
- INTENSIVE CARE UNITS
- RESPIRATORS (VENTILATORS)
- ELECTRONIC MONITORING DEVICES
 - BEDSIDE OXYGEN AND SUCTIONING
 - IV PUMPS (TO CONTROL RATE AND DOSES)
- LAPAROSCOPY



SHYIRA HOSPITAL
 DRs. CALEB and LOUISE KING
 RWANDA

OBSTACLES TO DEVELOPMENT

INFRASTRUCTURE DEFICIENCIES

TRANSPORTATION ISSUES

GAPS IN NATIONAL ELECTRICITY GRID

POVERTY

DISEASE

MALARIA, TB, HIV, WATER BORN INFECTIONS

EDUCATION SYSTEM



PROGRESS REPORT 2009

MEDICAL PROGRESS

EDUCATION

NEW CONSTRUCTION

MATERNITY BUILDING

HIV COUNSELING AND TREATMENT CENTER

LIVING HOPE CENTER

HOUSES OF HOPE

HOSPITAL STAFF HOUSING

SATELLITE DISH FOR INTERNET CAFE

FUTURE PROJECTS

BIOGAS USE FOR HOSPITAL

DIGITALIZATION OF XRAY MACHINE

MORE SOLAR PANELS FOR HOSPITAL

HYDROELECTRIC POWER PROJECT

PATIENTS

PRESENT WITH ADVANCED DISEASE

OFTEN UNDERNOURISHED

LITTLE UNDERSTANDING OF DISEASE

CARE COMPLICATED BY SUPERSTITION



They Need Our Help!

Rotary International

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President's Corner



President Kyra:

The next board meeting is scheduled for this **Tuesday, Nov. 10 at 11am.**

November is Rotary Foundation Month and in recognition of this, several of our programs this month will focus on the Foundation and the wonderful things it does worldwide.

Nov. 10 – Sharon A. Brigner, MS, RN is a Deputy Vice President for the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America, a trade association in Washington, DC. She provides clinical expertise to executive leadership on legislation and policy positions for the organization, while also serving as a liaison and clinical expert to the forty member companies. Ms. Brigner also serves as adjunct faculty for the College of Health and Human Services at George Mason University. She will speak on polio eradication.

A big thanks to everyone who came to the 2nd Annual Fall BBQ and Chili Cook-Off. :

It was a great event and everyone seemed to have a wonderful time. A special thank you to the Social Committee for putting this event together: **Dave Echols, Edward Jackson, Kevin Mills, Digit Matheny, Abby Saunders, and Brian Johnson!** We also want to thank the following:

The Charleston Rifle Club: Membership to the Rifle Club is only \$100 a year and members get to use the facility for events like the one we did for the party, get to bowl in the alley, drink inexpensively at the bar, have featured events and parties and much more! To learn more, e-mail Mick Jewell at mjewell@ffsmortgages.com

Home Team BBQ: Owner Aaron Siegel is the husband of Rotary member, Darby Siegel. Located in West Ashley, they have been voted the best BBQ by several food critics. Home Team BBQ is a great place to enjoy sporting games, live music and great food throughout the week. They do great catering like they did for our event and are highly recommended. Visit www.hometeambbq.com to learn more.

Contact a Member:

Remember if you need contact information for any of our members, 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. If you have any questions, you can contact Carroll at chas-rot@comcast.net or Willis Cantey at willis@canteytechnology.com

Don't Forget Our Schools:

Remember Our school partners, **James 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.

New Paul Harris Fellows:

President Kyra recognized the following members with Paul Harris Fellows: **Jim Bryan, Willis Cantey, Howard Chapman, Steven Coe, Jeremy Cook, Bill Crowe, Alex Dallis, Rich Dukes, Rhett Dunaway, Dave Echols, Leslie Fellabom, David Ginn, Ellen Brown, Kathy Jones, Barbara Kelley-Duncan, Mary Ann Kohli, Peter Lucash, Nancy McGinley**

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 Club
600 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

Paul Harris Fellow:

The District started the Paul Harris Society Program in Rotary's Centennial year (founded in 1905) with 125 Charter members. The District goal is to continue to grow by securing new Paul Harris Society Members. The Paul Harris Society is a level of recognition for those donors who choose to give \$1,000 or more each year to the Foundation. The contribution is designated primarily for the Annual Programs Fund whereby 50% of the funds will be returned to the District in three years through District designated funds. Starting this past Rotary year, the District is also accepting contributions designated for Polio Plus.

Each donor who agrees to annually contribute \$1,000 to the Rotary Foundation will be awarded membership in the Paul Harris Society of District 7770. Members will receive a distinctive lapel pin and certificate recognizing their membership in the Paul Harris Society. A special Paul Harris Society banner will also be given to each club who has a Member. The Paul Harris Society Program is an official Program of the Rotary Foundation and is administered in the District. All funds are funneled through the District and forwarded to the Foundation. District 7770 has many Rotarians who have the capability of becoming Society members. The District Leadership Team and the Board members of this Club encourage your participation in the Paul Harris Society.

It is easy to *begin* the path towards becoming a Paul Harris Fellow by starting as a sustaining member designated by annual contributions of \$100 or greater to the Rotary Foundation. Our club is based on service and this is just one more avenue of service, both on a global basis and through our local activities. Our Club provides you the platform to become a sustaining member via semi-annual billings reminding Rotarians to contribute to the Rotary Foundation. However, you do not have to wait for the billing, contributions are accepted at any time, see Carroll Schweers to contribute.

Cost to be a sustaining member: \$ 50 semi-annually; \$100 annually

Synopsis of fund designation(s): How is the money used? What impact on our club does my contribution have?

The Rotary Foundation supports humanitarian, educational, and cultural programs and their operations. Specifically a major effort is focused on the eradication of polio with over 750M committed to the cause. Rotary is also deeply involved in the educational efforts, both in community locally such as our club efforts with Mitchell Elementary to providing educational support in lesser developed nations along with efforts such as Ambassadorial Scholars, World Peace Fellowships and Grants for University Teachers.

Wellness Tip of the Week:

It's All In The Wrist

If you work at a computer typing for long hours, have hand and wrist injuries or suffer from arthritis, you may have experienced a loss of dexterity in your hands.

<http://your-wrist.rotarywellness.info>

Birthdays

- Nov. 11 – David McCormack
- Nov. 11 – Paul Welborn
- Nov. 14 – Alex Grimsley

Attendance November 3rd

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- Baldwin, Berlin, Brown, E., Bryan, Clement, Coker, Condon, DiMaggio, Dunaway, Edwards, El-sasser, England, Fimian, Forbes, Gaillard, Galos, Gasperson, Gilbert, Gill, Ginn, Green, D., Green, R., Greene, L., Greene, G., Ham, Hawkins, Hood, Humphries, Husser, Jenkins, Jervey, Johnson, A., Johnson, J., Kelly-Duncan, Kerrigan, Kramer, Krawcheck, Laurens, Lawrence, Leibowitz, Lvingston, Lucash, Lyles, Mandell, McGinley, McMaster, Outlaw, Peters, Postell, Riley, Rosa, Saunders, Savage, Seguer, Siegel, Smith, L., Smith, M., Sommer-Kresse, Standard, Stevens, Sullivan, Sullivan, Thomas, R., Van Ryssel-berge, von Werssowetz, Wilson, Yarborough, 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