

# Soundings

May 24, 2007

Song Leader.....Barbara Clark  
Pledge of Allegiance.....Mary Noonan  
Invocation.....Denny Nelson

## ♪ OVER THERE ♪

Over there, over there,  
Send the word, send the word, over there,  
That the Yanks are coming,  
The Yanks are coming,  
The drums rum-tumming ev'ry where.  
So prepare, say a prayer,  
Send the word, send the word to beware,  
We'll be over, we're coming over,  
And we won't come back  
Till it's over, over there.

## TODAY'S PROGRAM PDG ANNE MATTHEWS ROTARY FOUNDATION GIVING

### OFF TO PASS CHRISTIAN

As we meet today, six of our members are in Pass Christian, Mississippi participating in a Hand's On project to help complete a community park which was destroyed in Hurricane Katrina. Our financial contributions to Katrina relief went to this area to help fund the park. Our additional Hand's On contribution is to help build some handicap access and a unique swing which accommodates wheel chairs. Our members left at "0 dark 30" Tuesday morning for a 13 hour drive, and will start wending their way back on Friday. Please pass on your thanks and appreciation for their great "service above self" to *Sandee Brooks and her husband Mike Rambo, Denis Bonnett, Pat Carey, Steve Clark, and David Tirard.*

### Upcoming

#### Programs

May 31.....Hendrik Smit  
                    Connecting the Dots: a Life  
June 7.....History of the HHI Rotary Club  
                    Mike Jukofsky  
June 14.....Dr. Stephen Snyder NIH  
                    National Success of Rotary CART Fund

### Family of Rotary

### Birthdays

Norm Reeves.....May 28  
Larry Sanders.....May 29

### Anniversaries

John and Jackie Wilson.....May 25  
Jay and Lisa Ann Mullinax .....May 26  
Frank and Randalyn Clabaugh.....May 29  
Michael and Kathleen Sanz.....May 30

### Club Anniversaries

On May 26, the following people will celebrate their 2 year anniversary as a club member:

**Steve Breen, Paul Hattimer, Carole Howe, Michael Pritchett.** On May 28, **Bob Sullivan** will have been a member for 30 years.

### Future Events—Save the Date

End of the Year Party.....June 24

### PAUL HARRIS HONOREES

As part of today's meeting, PDG Anne Matthews will be recognizing new Paul Harris Fellows. Those who have achieved this honor are **Mary-Stuart Alderman, An Grosshuesch, Nick Inman, John Jakes, Alison Meeks, George Rowan, Larry Sanders, and Ray Westmoreland.** Also being recognized are **Bernie and Nancy Riedel**—Major Donors and **Mike Pritchett**, a new member of the Bequest Society. Many thanks for your generous donations to the Rotary Foundation.

### LOOKING INTO THE FUTURE

Last week's meeting honored the area's Middle School students, selected by their school administrators. Students were selected on basis of GPA, extra curricular activities, community service, and leadership. One of the administrators described the students as a group as "other centered". Many were members of the Beta Club which provides assistance for developmentally challenged adults. There was an amazing range of sports and activities in which these students participated, including Toastmaster, ballroom dancing, comedy, acting, karate, Irish Dance, lacrosse, and basketball

The students who were honored and their school administrators were as follows:

#### Hilton Head Christian Academy

Ms. Deborah Liss introduced her students with enthusiasm and pride. She also announced that after 9 years of coming to our meetings and proudly making these introductions, this would be her last time with us as she was moving to another position at the Academy. We'll miss her great energy. The students honored were **Ashley Brown and Joshua Beste.**

#### Hilton Head Preparatory

Nathan Stevens introduced his school's stellar students: **Katie Brunori and Kevin Bruderer.** Our members were astonished and exhausted by Kevin's list of activities, accomplishments, and countries to which he had traveled at his young age. Most of us could hardly remember the names of so many wonderful places, let alone have traveled there! What a start he has in life to be a world ambassador.

St. Francis Catholic School

The middle school program at this school is still fairly new, but it is producing wonderful examples of youthful scholarship and community service. Teresa Fitzgibbons proudly introduced this year's honored student, **Tyler Bautista**.

Home School Community

We were again honored to meet members of the Griswold family as mother Barbara Griswold proudly presented her son **John Robert Griswold** to us. We had previously met his older sister, Martha, when she was honored as an outstanding high school student AND a Rotary scholarship recipient. John Robert is already active in his community volunteering for a number of service projects.

All of the students demonstrated a great thirst for learning, a sense of community, and ambitions to make a difference in our world. We are always reassured by these student presentations that our future is bright.

The three students from Hilton Head Middle School were unable to attend. **Brian Kurtz, Rosie Dungan, and Alex Orlschak** were the students selected by their school principal for this recognition.

*-Paul Hattimer-*

**PLANNING FOR THE NEW ROSTER**

Step ONE: Look up your listing in the Rotary membership roster.

Step TWO: If the information is not up to date ...and you have not already submitted your updates during this year.... please call or e-mail Linda in the Rotary office to confirm your correct data. Remember, a membership roster is only useful if the information is correct.

We'll be going to press right after the start of the new Rotary year on July 1, so please do your part to make the Roster a membership benefit to all fellow Rotarians. Thanks for your help.

**ANOTHER CHANCE TO PARTY!!**

What do you do at the end of the year to honor and thank President Mary for a great year???? You **CELEBRATE!!** Be among the happy crowd on Sunday, June 24, at the Sea Pines Country Club to enjoy all the festivities. You know the drinks and food will be terrific, and your favorite Headliners will be back to provide music and dancing for a great evening of entertainment. Get the date on your calendar now.

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