

Soundings

February 16, 2012



Song.....Jennifer Stupica
 Pledge of Allegiance.....David Tirard
 Invocation.....Denise Spencer

♪ YOU'RE A GRAND OLD FLAG ♪

You're a grand old flag
 You're a high flying flag;
 And forever in peace may you wave.
 You're an emblem of the land I love
 The home of the free and the brave.
 Ev'ry heart beats true
 'neath the red, white, and blue,
 Where there's never a boast or brag.
 Should auld acquaintance be forgot
 Keep your eye on the grand old flag.

**TODAY'S PROGRAM
 LAW ENFORCEMENT AND
 SECURITY OFFICERS
 OF THE YEAR**

Upcoming Programs

February 23.....Coach Les Steckel
 President/CEO, Fellowship of Christian Athletes
 How to Build a Championship Team: 32 Years
 Coaching in College and the NFL
 March 1.....Teri Lewis—Town of HHI
 Improvements to Commercial Bldg. Permit Process
 March 8.....International Piano Competition

Coming Events

Rotary After Hours.....February 23
 The Alliance Group Realty—Steve Hyslop
 Foundation for Educational Excellence—Mar. 2
 Hands-On Volunteer project-Beaufort Schools
District Conference—Hilton Head- Mar 23-25
Marriott Hotel and Resort-HHI

Family of Rotary

Birthdays

Tena Hammonds.....February 18
 Hendrik Smit.....February 20

Anniversaries

None

Club Anniversaries

Keith Bogart.....29 Yrs.....February 18
 13 Yrs. Our Club 16 Yrs. Other Club
 Kurt Eibling.....2 Yrs.....February 18
 John Howe.....14 Yrs.....February 19
 Pat Carey.....21 Yrs.....February 21
 Marty Pauls.....26 Yrs.....February 21
 John Snodgrass.....16 Yrs.....February 22
 Maynard Barker.....45 Yrs.....February 22

SAFETY TOWN NEEDS

In coordinating with the Fire Dept. we can be of help providing items to furnish the Safety House. The Fire Dept. is looking at setting up 2 rooms for fire safety ~ a kitchen and a garage. The following items are needed—all a size usable by 5 or 6 yr. olds.
 A small child sized stove w/oven
 A small cabinet with doors that open
 Large candle
 Curtains (for a window in the house—again child size)
 Wallpaper, Paint
 Pots for the stove
 Magazines
 Small sized appliances if they can be found (can opener, toaster, blender, etc)
 Small portable grill
 Small fuel tank (that would look like it goes with the grill)
 Gas can
 Book shelf for the garage

If you have any such items, please bring them to the meeting next week. We will also need a volunteer with a truck that day to collect and deliver these items to the Fire Dept off of Dillon Rd. If you have questions or need to make special arrangements for pick up of items, please call Glenn Stanford at 682-3674 or e-mail to glennstanford@mac.com.

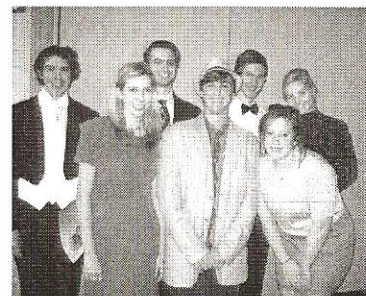
HILTON HEAD PREP "SCOUNDRELS"

"Freddy, as a younger man, I was a sculptor, a painter, and a musician. There was just one problem: I wasn't very good. As a matter of fact, I was dreadful. I finally came to the frustrating conclusion that I had taste and style, but not talent. I knew my limitations. We all have our limitations, Freddy. Fortunately, I discovered that taste and style were commodities that people desired. Freddy, what I am saying is: know your limitations. You are a moron."

— Lawrence Jamison "Dirty Rotten Scoundrels"

When you think of going to see a good theatre performance you can usually expect to see a play adapted from classic literature, poetry or significant cultural events. Rarely do you get to see a play adapted from the silver screen — and if you do, the words "comedy starring Steve Martin" are the last you would expect to see on the advert!

Nevertheless, the talented thespians at Hilton Head Prep do just that and they seem to be pulling it off well. "Dirty Rotten Scoundrels" is the hit 1988 comedy film starring Steve Martin and Michael Caine as con men on the French Riviera. The duo of Martin's "Freddy" the American and Caine's "Lawrence" form an "odd couple" of opposing style and manner. The American slob and the British sophisticate compete for territory and in the process enter into an uneasy pact as they settle a wager to see who can be most successful in fleecing a wealthy victim. Hilarity ensues.



And so it does here! Leading men Tyler Williamson along with Adam and Mark Oppenheimer do the characters justice and a fine cast brings this together not only as a comedy but as a musical. "Turning the story into a musical really lets you flush out the characters. It's a hysterical story with really fresh references," says director Ben Wolfe. Last week the club was treated to several songs from the show by members of the cast and a good time was

had by all. "Dirty Rotten Scoundrels" will be presented from Feb. 16-19 at the Hilton Head High VPAC. Shows will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday-Saturday; and 1 p.m. Sunday. Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$10 for students and \$15 for the matinee show and for ages 60 and older. Order at hhprep.org. For details call 404-538-0333.

-Matt Richardson-

HELPING HANDS APPRECIATED

Many Rotarians were very busy this weekend with volunteer projects. Event sponsors were most grateful for our contributions and praised our work.

Thanks to all who helped with the Hilton Head Half Marathon. Because of your braving the blustery temperatures and early awakening, we raised \$1885 for our Rotary charities! Hilton Head Prep and Hilton Head Island High School Interact Clubs also helped.

Thanks also to all who volunteered at the Literacy Volunteers of the Lowcountry's Cooks&Books event. The results from the sale of tickets and the auction were record breaking, with the auction yielding \$16,000 (versus the \$11,000 total last year). Thanks to our drivers, both Friday and Saturday transfers were efficient and smooth. Sunday was fun and productive. We sold \$1250 in 50/50 raffle tickets, compared to \$972 last year.

If you weren't involved this weekend, then mark your calendars for our next pathway extension project at the Coastal Discovery Museum on Saturday morning, March 31st. There's room for everyone doing Service Above Self in our community.

Goal Corner

Member Goal... 6/30/2012..... 151
 Current Active Members..... 146