

Soundings

May 20, 2010

Song Leader.....Barbara Clark
Pledge of Allegiance.....Hugh O’Kane
Invocation.....Rick Carr

♪THE 4-WAY TEST SONG♪

Is it the truth; is it fair to all concerned?
Will it build good will and better friendships?
Will it be beneficial to all concerned?
That’s the Rotary four way test!

Adopted many years ago by Rotarians worldwide,
Some simple rules for dealing with
The people by your side.
A guide for life’s decisions no doubt one of the best.
Just 24 quite simple words... the four way test!

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TODAY’S PROGRAM ANDREA NARANJO HOW ROTARY SHAPED MY LIFE

Upcoming Programs

May 27.....Mary Noonan
A Road Less Traveled

June 3.....George Milner
Foster Care in SC

June 10.....Rotary Business Expo
Vocations on Parade

Family of Rotary

Birthdays

Peter Cooper.....May 20
Anthony Kandel.....May 23

Mark Adelman.....May 24

Anniversaries

Merrick and Christy Baroni.....May 21

John and Jackie Wilson.....May 25

Jay and Lisa Ann Mullinax.....May 26

Club Anniversaries

Carole Howe.....5 Years.....May 26

Upcoming Events

TONIGHT.....Rotary After Hours

Gallery at Arts Center of Coastal Carolina

May 22.....All Family Picnic

At the Crescent in Bluffton

June 4.....Champagne and Dessert Reception

For **HOSTS** of Dining In with Friends Events

Held at Memory Matters facility —7:30 PM

June 27.....End of Year Party

Shipyard Beach House

DINING IN WITH FRIENDS HOST RECEPTION

As a wind-up to our Dining In With Friends fundraiser, everyone who hosted or co-hosted an event, or who made a specific donation to support this fundraiser is invited to attend a champagne and dessert reception at the Memory Matters facility on Friday, June 4 at 7:30PM. Do come and see the wonders our donations have enabled in this new building. Since this was our first year doing this type of fundraiser, we not only want to thank the hosts that embraced the concept, but to also get your feedback on the program, and how we can make it even more successful in the future. Please see Jim Collett, Ken Raichle, or contact Linda in the Rotary office to RSVP.

ROTARY SHIRTS

Barbara Clark will be taking orders for shirts and other clothing items with the Rotary logo at this week's meeting. Lots of colors, lots of styles. Wear your Rotary membership proudly!

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Mary Briggs introduced our program by noting for the benefit our guests the people who helped make scholarship funds possible through their work as bus hosts, forecaddies, and will call volunteers at the Heritage Golf Tournament, and others who dedicated time and talent that resulted in funds to distribute to deserving high school students. We all owe to them a debt of gratitude.

Mary explained that the Scholarship Committee is faced every year with deciding whether to give small scholarships to lots of students, or award larger scholarships to fewer students? It's not an easy task that Mary and her committee undertake.

In the end, the determination was made this year to award as much money as possible to a fewer number of students who met a stiff standard of excellence. Taken into consideration was class ranking, overall GPA, SAT and ACT scores, and financial need. The students selected to be this year's award winners truly represent the best of the best in our community.

Wesley Cooler attends HH Christian Academy, and will attend the University of South Carolina Honors Business program. He plans to return to this community where he has made his home, and make his mark

on history among the people he knows best. "When you get old, come find me and I'll see what I can do to help," he joked.

David Fletcher, senior at Hilton Head Island High School, will enroll in the Clemson Biochemistry program, and hopes to eventually attend medical school.

Madison Howell, senior at Bluffton High School, will attend the College of Charleston in their pre-med program. She would like to be an emergency room doctor, and even foresees opening her own clinic. "This money means a lot," she said with a smile and a wave. She will be the first person in her whole, very large family to ever attend college.

Andrea Keriazakos received a special scholarship, made possible by a gift from the family of former member and supporter of our scholarship program, Bill and Kathleen Ruth. She is a senior at Hilton Head Prep and will attend Princeton in the fall, with a major in biology that she hopes will lead to a medical school education.

Marissa Nichols from Hilton Head Island High School will attend Winthrop University in the Honors Elementary Education program. She plans to minor in Theatre.

Janel Raquet walked to the front of the room on crutches as a result of a fractured tibia from a recent soccer game. She will attend Furman as a math major and plans to earn her PhD. Her ultimate goal is to become a teacher. She currently attends Hilton Head Christian Academy.

Erika Sonberg, Hilton Head Christian Academy, will attend University of South Carolina as an Accounting major. She plans to attend law school and become a tax attorney.

Ellie Williams, Hilton Head Christian Academy, will attend University of South Carolina in their Elementary Education program. She determines to be a 5th grade teacher at the conclusion of her college career.

Robert Trask accepted a \$7000 donation from our club to benefit the Technical College of the Lowcountry. He stated that we could rest assured that the donation would be used immediately, well, wisely, and would benefit our local community. -Jill Briggs-

HEEL TO TOE FOR POLIO

October 2nd may seem far away, but Sponsorships are needed now as we plan for our Second Annual Heel to Toe for Polio. This is your chance to get your company name in front of many area people while helping our club and the Rotary Foundation on its final push to eradicate polio. Sponsorship opportunities range from \$100.00 to \$3,500.00. Call Mike Jukofsky or Andrea Bhatt for more details.

Goal Corner

Member Goal...6/30/2010.....151

Current Active Members.....144

Memory Matters 2010 Goal...\$250,000

Current total.....81.1%.....\$202,686