



TODAY'S MEETING

October 27
HorseDreams Youth Ranch
Program, Laura Thompson
ROTARIAN OF THE DAY
Paul Dean

October 20 Meeting

Dr. Stas Preczewski spoke to the Club about Georgia College. He highlighted the excellent standing GC has as a liberal arts college, the low student/ teacher ratio, the quality of the faculty, the many athletic and arts opportunities available to the community, and the emphasis on community involvement/service of students. He also updated the Club on the process of searching for a permanent President of GC and that it is well underway.



Dr. Stas Preczewski

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

The Club presented the Baldwin Co. Fire Prevention program with \$500 to purchase children's fire hats. The hats will be given out to students at fire safety presentations in the schools.



NEW MEMBER



Barry Jarrett, sponsored by Henry Pope, was inducted into the Club. Welcome, Barry!

VISITING ROTARIANS

None

GUESTS

Stas Preczewski.....
Bruce Harsharger
Stas Preczewski.....Sandra Jordan
Bill Neely.....David Sinclair
Justin Jones.....Blake Jones
Troy Reynolds.....Steve Somers

ABSENTEES

Bentley, Bragg, Brown P, Ennis, Ferguson, Gray, Langston 2, Roberts 2, Schulte, Theus, Thornton, Van Horn, Williams B, Williams C

MAKE-UPS

Ferguson.....Morning Make-up
Gray.....Board Meeting
Thornton.....Board Meeting

RICH BERTOLI MEMORIAL CART FUND

\$10.00 TOTAL: \$119.14



50/50 CLUB
Pot: \$992.00



UPCOMING PROGRAMS

- Nov. 3 - Ferst Foundation
Nov. 10 GMC Color Guard, April Bragg Leads Club in Patriotic Song, Talks from Club War Veterans
Nov. 1 - 7District Governor Visit
Nov. 24 No Meeting (Holiday)

DISTRICT 6920 NEWS

Group Study Exchange Trip to Turkey Slated for 2012

This year our Group Study Exchange is with the incredibly historic area in Turkey included in District 2440 in western Turkey along the Aegean Sea, which includes Ephesus. In addition, the team will conclude their trip with several days in Istanbul, the city identified as the world's most livable city by the readers of the Financial Times of London. Applications are now being accepted and should be completed and delivered to our GSE Chair by November 15, 2011.

The team is tentatively scheduled to depart for Turkey on May 2, 2012 and return on June 1st. The Rotary Foundation provides each team member with a round-trip air ticket, and local Rotarians in Turkey provide meals, lodging and travel within their district so the cost of the trip for team members is minimal. Patrick Roche, member of the Rotary Club of Macon will lead prepare and lead our team of four nonRotarians under the age of 40. Patrick is an MD on the faculty of Mercer Medical School.

Turkey is the land bridge connecting Europe and Asia. As such, it has an historic past. This is where Achilles battled the Trojans in Homer's Iliad. It is where tradition says that Alexander the Great cut the Gordian knot. It is the site of Ephesus, capital of the Roman province of Asia and the site of early Christian churches visited by the Apostle Paul. It is the former Ottoman Empire. Turkey is also of strategic importance today. It is a country where 98% of the people are Muslim. Yet it is also seeks to be a secular state. It is a member of NATO and is a candidate for admission to the European Union. Rotary District 2440, which will host our team, lies along the Aegean Sea. It includes some of Turkey's most historic sites. In addition, our team will conclude their trip with several days in Istanbul, in District 2420.



Rotary Roasters serve up great BBQ and fun at 2011 Deep Roots Festival

The Rotary Roasters team fired up the grill at Deep Roots last weekend and no one went away hungry. Bobby Murphey and his team put on a feast for Rotarians, guests, and anyone who just needed a good meal. Over 200 plates of BBQ, stews, slaw, rice, chips and desserts were served Friday night and Saturday. If you missed the event, you missed a good time!! The Rotary Roasters walked away with 3rd place in the Sauce Competition... congrats!!

Many Rotarians assisted in the cooking, setting up/taking down, decorating, and serving: Bobby Murphey, Scott



Brown, Mark and Wendy Archer, Halsey Leavitt, Laura Thompson, Renee Fontenot, Brad and Gail Oliver, Keith Drinkwater, Christa Kahea, Troy Reynolds, and Nolan Stephens. Bobby's sister, Cindy Robinson, and his friend,

Mike Ethridge, who aren't Rotarians yet worked tirelessly to make the event a great success, too.

There are expenses to any project of this magnitude and we'd like to express appreciation to the following Rotarians for their monetary contributions: Mark and Wendy Archer, Keith Barlow, Robyn Becker, William Black, Karen Brooks, Carl Buice, Michael Cleveland, Mike Couch, Tara Dyer, Ken Eberhardt, Jim Fain, John Ferguson, Jeff Gray, Mike Holmes, Jim Johnson, Justin Jones, Christa Kahea, Heather Langston, Halsey Leavitt, Deborah Marsh, Brad Oliver, Troy Reynolds, Randy Stewart, John Thornton, Fred Van Horn, Sam Watson, Fielding Whipple, Linda Zarkowsky and Dick Marcott.

Be sure to put this event on your calendar for next year. The Rotary Roasters would like to serve up a plate of BBQ for each Rotarian next year!



DEFINITION OF ROTARY

Rotary is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide, who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethicalstandards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world. There are approximately 1.2 million Rotarians, members of 31,936 Rotary clubs in 166 countries. Rotary is not a political organization, but all Rotarians are vitally concerned with everything pertaining to good citizenship and the election of good men and women to public office. Rotary is not a charitable organization, yet its activities exemplify the charity and the sacrifices that one should expect from people who believe that they have a responsibility to help others. Rotary is not a religious organization, but it is built on those eternal principles that have served as the moral compass for people throughout the ages.

OBJECT OF ROTARY

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise through the development of acquaintance as the opportunity for service, the promotion of high ethical standards in business and professions, through service in one's personal, business, and community life, and the advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Rotary International is to support its member clubs in fulfilling the Object of Rotary by:

- Fostering unity among member clubs;
Strengthening and expanding Rotary around the world;
Communicating worldwide the work of Rotary; and
Providing a system of international administration.

ONGOING MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES

- (1) Sponsoring a new member. (2) Volunteering at a local school. (3) Visiting another Rotary Club. (4) Earn one make-up per quarter by visiting the e-club at www.rotaryclubone.org and taking the "test." Print the receipt and give it to Club Secretary Halsey Leavitt. (5) Attend a Rotary Board meeting. (6) Attend monthly breakfast meeting.

ROTARY WEBSITES

Milledgeville Rotary: www.milledgeville Rotary.org District 6920: www.rotarydistrict6920.net Rotary International: www.rotary.org