

# KIWANIGRAM

## of SKIDAWAY



### President's Message

August/September 2014

Congratulations and a big THANK YOU to all who worked on the Concert on the Green. This year's concert was just great. It was an experiment in not asking our members to sell tickets and in changing the date from May to August to accommodate the schedule of the 3rd ID band. Because we could not sell tickets, we also had to drop our VIP section, which meant we would lose that additional revenue.

Despite all of this, our gate revenue was very close to \$20 per person, so not selling tickets worked out fine. The timing probably limited our crowd a bit, and we will try to move the timing back to May next year. People happily brought their own picnics and made a party out of it.

The band was a big hit with our crowd, and the musicians made many positive comments about how much they enjoyed playing here. We were honored to have so many officers from Ft. Stewart and Hunter in the audience, just mingling in with the crowd. Sonny Dixon picked them out of the crowd and introduced them and did a wonderful job as our Master of Ceremonies.

The entire committee did a wonderful job. Frank Liebgott and Ed Lavish deserve special mention and thanks for all of their hard work. I know they had sleepless nights, but, in the end, it was a grand event enjoyed by all.

Thanks also to all our members who volunteered with registration at the 2014 Kiwanis Georgia District Convention August 15–16 at the Savannah Marriott. The event went smoothly, and your presence helped everyone feel welcome and able to get where they needed to be. At Saturday night's banquet, our club's PR/marketing materials received special recognition in the large club category, as we brought home second place for our website and first place for our club brochure and event flyers and two first places for our newsletter.

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Third Infantry ID color guard presents the colors at the 2014 Concert on the Green. For more photos, see pages 3-5.

## ***Presidents Message (continued from page 1)***

This will be my final letter to you as President of your club. Bob Norton will be installed as President on October 2. It has been an honor to work with all of you, and a true pleasure. I found that, on any Thursday morning when I left the house feeling less than cheery, the sight of all of you always cheered me up and got the day off to a good start.

A year goes by very quickly and there isn't time to accomplish everything that one would like to get done. I've had a wonderful board to work with, all of whom have contributed to what we have accomplished this year. Those who will be leaving the board this year are Dan Umbel, Jeff Heeder, Jim Overton, and Tom Sayers. Please join me in thanking them for their hard work and all the time and effort they have put in on behalf of the kids of Chatham County.

This is a great club made up of fine people. Thank you for a wonderful year.

- Melissa



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## **Fundraising News**

### **Concert on the Green — A Rousing Success!**

The 2014 Concert on the Green broke new ground in a couple of ways. Most dramatically, we decided to test a concept we were most anxious to test, namely, not selling tickets in advance of the event. This was less risky because the 3rd I.D. Army Concert Band does not charge for their performances, significantly reducing our expenses.

So, how did we do? Our estimated attendance at the Concert was 475 and gate donations were \$9,411, an average of \$19.81 per person in attendance. This compares very favorably with the \$20 per adult ticket price used for previous Concerts. At least for this event it would seem that asking for donations in lieu of selling tickets did not reduce receipts. This is good news.

The other major change was holding the Concert in August rather than our traditional time in early May. August was not our desired time of the year, but rather driven by the availability of the 3rd I.D. Army Concert Band. Attendance at an estimated 475 was somewhat less than last year. We have already begun a dialogue with the Army to schedule the 3rd I.D. Concert Band in May next year.

One final point, and this is very important. We were operating with approximately 80% of our membership available to run this very complicated and labor-intensive event.

So, how did you do? In a word, OUTSTANDING! Nearly every single member participated, many participated in multiple assignments, and the event was an absolute success. We are not going to try to name each and every one of you who participated. If we missed just one person, that would not be good.

Suffice it to say, you all did an amazing job! THANK YOU!

The Concert on the Green Committee

- Dave Fox, Ben Gustafson, Ed Lavish, Frank Liebgott, Roger Nord, and Phil Van Ess



# 2014 Concert on the Green



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# 2014 Concert on the Green



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# 2014 Concert on the Green





# Kiwanis Families Have Fun, Help Kids

## Youth Join Show the Colors

Many thanks to Phil van Ess's grandchildren, Maren and Tyler Sandness, for helping to install lawn flags for our July 4th celebration!

The next opportunity for island youth to help will be for our Veteran's Day celebration. They can help our tube-stuffing team or our installation team.

This is a great way to promote patriotism and service and to spread the word about our club to families on our island. Please encourage your children and grandchildren to participate; and invite the parents of children and youth in your neighborhood to let them join the fun!

For more information, contact Keith Glenn (598-9483) or Phil van Ess (335-8083).



## "Love It, Share It, Live It" at Kiwanis Family Day

"Love It, Share It, Live It" is the tagline for Kiwanis "The Formula" membership drive campaign — For more information, see our article on page x of this Kiwanigram.

Kiwanis Family Day, on September 13 at Georgia Tech, is a wonderful way to Love It, Share It, and Live It with your family and fellow Kiwanians.

For more information about this outing, see [www.gckeyclub.org](http://www.gckeyclub.org) or contact Sam McLaughlin (598-0971) or Dave Fox (598-1837).



## Sponsor News

- Jeffrey Heeder, Corporate Sponsor chairman

Two of our bronze sponsors have changed their branding: Russell Clemmons DDS, LLC is now **Savannah Dental Aesthetics** and The Savannah Bank is now **South State Bank**. Volvo of Savannah has renewed as a bronze sponsor with **Volvo of Savannah/Mitsubishi Motors** branding.

We thank all of our new and returning sponsors for helping us to serve Savannah's at-risk children.

If you know of a business that could like to learn more about sponsoring our club, please let me know. I can provide you a sponsor packet or help you make the contact. Thank you!

# Agency News

## Update from Savannah Early Childhood Foundation (SECF)

- Special to the Kiwanigram from SECF and Tom Sharp



**SAVANNAH EARLY  
CHILDHOOD FOUNDATION**  
All Children Ready At School Age

*Note: Earlier this month, Savannah Early Childhood Foundation announced exciting expansion news. SECF President Paul Fisher will be joining our September 4 meeting to provide an update and help our club launch our second round of Take a Chance for Kids, our fundraiser that is dedicated to help SECF succeed.*

SAVANNAH, GA – As area students begin the 2014-15 school year, the Savannah Early Childhood Foundation (SECF) and Parent University are pleased to announce the expansion of their groundbreaking Early Learning College (ELC) program to a third school this fall. East Broad K-8, Shuman Elementary and Brock Elementary (formerly Bartow) will each host two free Saturday morning ELC sessions in the first half of the 2014-15 school year.

Launched in 2012, Early Learning College offers local parents, caretakers and supporters of young children, from birth to age three, an opportunity to learn from professional instructors about proven ways to enrich their child's development and better prepare them for school. More than 300 local parents have attended previous ELC sessions at East Broad K-8 and Shuman Elementary over the past two years.

"This year's expansion of Early Learning College to a third school speaks to the overwhelming demand that exists for this sort of program and the generous support we've received from this community," said Savannah Early Childhood Foundation President Paul Fisher. "We believe ELC is filling a critical gap that has existed for some time. Building on this momentum, our focus now turns to raising the funds we need to create the infrastructure to support the enthusiastic response we're seeing from local neighborhoods."

Former Savannah Mayor Dr. Otis Johnson offered further praise for the program: "The emphasis that SECF places on parent skill training and their child's development is exactly what is needed to break the cycle of intergenerational academic failure, which contributes to persistent poverty in our community. Early childhood development is essential to children being ready to enter school ready and able to learn."

Developed and conducted in partnership with local community and public service organizations, including Parent University, Early Start Child Care Resource and Referral, Wesley Community Center and the Lady Bamford Center, each ELC session is four hours long and free to the public. The curriculum includes subjects like discipline with love, nutrition, multiple ways to create language-rich environments, how to create educational toys from common household goods, and much more. Anyone interested in creating a safe, nurturing, language-rich environment for young children in their neighborhood is encouraged to attend.



Tom Sharp

## Take a Chance for Kids—Round Two Begins

"Round Two of our *Take a Chance for Kids* fundraiser will begin September 4," announced Kiwanis of Skidaway advisor and SECF board member, Tom Sharp, "and our new elevator speech is simpler than ever."

1. Take a Chance for Kids is a dedicated fundraiser for Savannah Early Childhood Foundation. When you buy a chance, you are helping SECF to offer training and support for Savannah's parents to help their children learn.
2. Chance tickets are \$25 each, or 5 for \$100. Only 1,200 chances will be sold.
3. Each ticket has 10 chances to win \$500. Drawings will take place in the first quarter of 2015.

You and your friends can buy chances now, and we hope to conclude sales for Round Two by Thanksgiving. Please join me and *Take a Chance on Kids* today!

## Junior Achievement News

- Special to the Kiwanigram from Tom Stephens and Jen Singeisen, Director, Programs, JA Georgia

*Note: See the green box for specific news about our club's plans for JA for the 2014-2015 school year at Hesse Elementary. Read on to learn more about JA's accomplishments in Georgia during the 2013-2014 school year and plan to be part of the JA success story.*

### Kiwanis of Skidaway & JA at Hesse K-8

JA needs you! Kiwanis of Skidaway volunteers will be JA mentors at Hesse K-8 this year. We're starting with grades 1-3 in October and will continue with grades 4-6 in February. Hesse is our neighborhood school and is just past the Truman Parkway on 204.

Mentors teach using JA's instructor kits and lesson plans starting the week of October 6. Each course involves 5-6 weekly 45-minute sessions.

**Want more info?** Contact Tom Stephens (502-641-3720, cell)), attend JA training on September 11, or see <https://www.juniorachievement.org/web/ja-usa/elementary-state-standards>

## JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT OF GEORGIA NEWSLETTER – SUMMER 2014

As we close the books on the fiscal year we have a lot to be proud of. From Savannah to Dalton, Junior Achievement impacted more than 160,000 students across the state—all receiving programs that inspire and prepare young people to own their future economic success. One of our most proud moments was the opening of Junior Achievement's Chick-fil-A Foundation Discovery Center this past September. Since the grand opening, more than 30,000 middle school students took part in the immersive learning experience that provided students with a glimpse into what their future could entail. The results we have seen are staggering: After participating in JA Finance Park, 94 percent of students reported that they see why school and education are important to the lifestyle they want to live. At JA BizTown, 94 percent of students state that after completing the program they expect to graduate from high school. This is a large increase from Georgia's current graduation rate of 72 percent. We look forward to another exceptional year where we will serve another 30,000 students at the Discovery Center as well as break ground on the newest location in Gwinnett County. Yes, you read that correctly—JA BizTown and JA Finance Park are coming to Gwinnett County, the largest school district in Georgia! Doors will open fall 2015.

The exciting news does not end there. JA of Georgia's JA Fellows took home top prize at the National Student Leadership Compe-

tion where teams of teen-run businesses, from across the country, competed to win the title of Company of the Year. This is a phenomenal accomplishment for the students of metro Atlanta who dedicated much of their past 9 months to conceptualize, launch and maintain a fully functioning company. More news about this can be found in today's newsletter.

These are just a few of the many accomplishments that were achieved over the past year. We are so grateful to each of our supporters who continue to partner with JA and allows us to grow and impact more students throughout Georgia.

### Stay In Touch

Want to connect with JA more often? Find us online and stay up to date on the latest JA news. You can see photos and videos, and learn about the latest trends in business development, entrepreneurship, financial literacy and education here in Georgia and beyond. JA is active on Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, and now Instagram.

### Special News for SOUTH COASTAL GEORGIA

**JA Finance Park Virtual Piloted in South Georgia.** JA of Georgia's South Coastal Region piloted JA Finance Park Virtual in Wayne County Schools during the month of May. Taking students deep into the world of business, JA Finance Park is a month-long economics education program that introduces personal financial planning and career exploration. At the culmination of this program, students participate in a virtual JA Finance Park, a community where they can put into practice what they've learned about economic options and the principles of budgeting. This program is a viable alternative for students to participate in JA Finance Park, who otherwise could not travel to Junior Achievement's Chick-fil-A Foundation Discovery Center located in downtown Atlanta. JA Finance Park Virtual will be piloted throughout the state during the 2014-2015 school year.

**Students Get on the Job Training.** JA of Georgia's Southern District coordinated job shadow experiences for over 900 students in 2013-14 during the fall and spring seasons. Students from Chatham and Effingham Counties visited a wide range of host companies from technical, logistics, medical, legal and culinary. Thanks to the continued support of the following companies for making it all possible: Armstrong State University, AT&T, Bon Appetit, Case Veterinary, Dan Vaden Automotive, Effingham Animal Hospital, Georgia Historical Society, JCB, Chatham County Juvenile Court, Maggie's Morning School, Memorial University Health, Peebles Industries/East Coast Terminal, Savannah High School, The Savannah Bank, Savannah Technical College, Telfair Museums, The Learning Treehouse, The City of Tybee Island, US Army, West Broad Street Y, Westin Savannah Harbor Resort, White Bluff Elementary, WRHQ, WTOC, Briggs and Stratton, SAVOR Savannah, WSAV, WJCL, Weyerhaeuser, Savannah Tire, Herty Foundation, St. Joseph's Hospital.



# Help Team Kiwanis Go “*Over the Edge*” for Boy Scouts

- Special to the Kiwanigram from Matt Spencer



**O***ver the Edge*, Savannah's most exciting fundraiser, will take place on Friday, October 31, 2014, at the Manger Building, 7 E. Congress Street. Hosted by the Coastal Georgia Council, Boy Scouts of America, ***Over the Edge*** is an exciting event that allows the public to check an item off their “bucket list” as they rappel off the side of a building in historic downtown Savannah on Halloween Day.

Kiwanis Club of Skidaway is dedicated to serving the disadvantaged and at-risk children of our community. By working together to raise at least \$2,000 to send two of our members ***Over the Edge***, we can make sure that at-risk children in our community have the opportunity to benefit from all that Scouting has to offer.

Coastal Georgia Council Resource Development Director, Matt Spencer stated, “This is a unique experience for a great cause! All funds raised through ***Over the Edge*** will benefit Scoutreach, our inner city outreach program that insures that all boys in our community have the chance to benefit from Scouting, regardless of family income or circumstance.”

Pledge now to send Team Kiwanis Club of Skidaway Island ***Over the Edge***. Just go to [www.otesavannah.org](http://www.otesavannah.org), click on the “Donate to An Edger” tab and find Team Kiwanis Club of Skidaway, or contact Matt Spencer at 912-927-7272 x 209 or [mspencer@bsamail.org](mailto:m Spencer@bsamail.org) for more details. To register for your own ***Over the Edge*** experience, visit [www.otesavannah.org](http://www.otesavannah.org) and click on ‘Become An Edger.’

About: Established in 1920, the Coastal Empire Council, Boy Scouts of America serves approximately 6,500 young men and women annually in coastal Georgia through traditional Scouting, inner city Scoutreach programs, Learning for Life, and Explorer Post programs. The Boy Scouts of America provides the nation's foremost youth program for character development and values-based leadership training, which helps young people be “Prepared. For Life.”™



## News from the 2014 Georgia District Convention

**T**he 2014 Georgia District Convention was hosted at the Savannah Marriott August 15-17. Many thanks to everyone in our club who helped with participant registration and to our delegates (Melissa Emery, Bob Norton, Jan Wright) and alternates (Joyce Glenn, Chris Butler).

The main business of the convention was to hear from Barbara Thompson, Kiwanis International Trustee for the Georgia District; update District bylaws, elect and install new officers; participate in valuable training on a host of topics; celebrate club achievements; raise money for Project Eliminate; thank 2013-2014 governor Katrina Baranko and other outgoing leaders for their service; and —last but not least—meet and enjoy the company of other participants.

New Governor Jimmy McCorlew shared that his 2014-2015 goals for the Georgia District are the same as Kiwanis International's seven criteria for distinguished clubs ([http://www.kiwanis.org/kiwanisone/lead/club-leaders/secretary/distinguished-criteria#.U\\_j-kRazOIw](http://www.kiwanis.org/kiwanisone/lead/club-leaders/secretary/distinguished-criteria#.U_j-kRazOIw)). Moreover, all clubs are encouraged to embrace “The Formula” to help grow membership, to make a commitment great or small for Project Eliminate, and to make plans to celebrate Kiwanis International's 100th anniversary in January 2015.

- 2014-2015 District 4 Lt. Governor, Erv Hietbrink

# Club Calendar for August & September

Date	Guest Speaker & Topic
August 7	<b>Pat Yovich</b> , President, Navy League of Savannah <i>Topic: Update on Navy League Activities and Achievements</i>
August 14	<b>Jen Singeisen</b> , Director, Programs, Junior Achievement of Georgia, Southern District <i>Topic: Junior Achievement at Hesse Elementary for the 2014-2015 School Year</i>
August 21	<b>Craig Maggione</b> , Savannah River Pilot, Port of Savannah <i>Topic: Responsibilities of the Savannah River Pilot Association</i>
August 28	<b>Cdr. Amy Beach</b> , Marine Safety Unit, US Coast Guard, at Port of Savannah <i>Topic: Responsibilities of USCG's Marine Safety Unit in Savannah</i>
Sept 4	<b>Paul Fisher</b> , Executive Director, Savannah Early Childhood Foundation <i>Topic: SECF Update, Expansion Plans, Opportunities to Help</i>
Sept 11	<b>Jill Stanberry</b> , VP and Volunteer Coordinator, Horsin' Around <i>Topic: How Horsin' Around Helps Kids</i>
Sept 18	<b>Carolyn McInerney</b> , Skidaway Audubon volunteer <i>Topic: Audubon's Terrapin Project</i>
Sept 25	<b>Dr. Allen Amasson</b> , Dean of Business Administration, Georgia Southern <i>Topic: TBA</i>

## Upcoming Club Events &...

- **Take a Chance for Kids**  
Thursday, September 4, we will launch our new round of Take a Chance for Kids. The first drawing will be in January 2015.  
*Contacts: Tom Sharp, Chris Butler*
- **Board Meeting**  
Monday, September 8, starting at 8:15 a.m.  
*Contact: Ron Weber*
- **Junior Achievement Training**  
Thursday, September 11, immediately following our membership meeting.  
*Contact: Tom Stephens*
- **Kiwanis Family Day**  
Saturday, September 13, at Georgia Tech.  
*Contact: Sam McLaughlin*
- **New Member Orientation**  
Thursday, September 25, immediately following our membership meeting.  
*Contact: Keith Glenn*

## ... More Upcoming Events

- **Induction of Club Officers and Directors**  
Thursday, October 2.  
*Contact: Ron Weber*
- **October Board Meeting**  
Monday, October 13, starting at 8:15 a.m.  
*Contact: Ron Weber*
- **New Member Orientation**  
Thursday, October 30, immediately following our membership meeting.  
*Contact: Keith Glenn*
- **Over the Edge**  
Friday, October 31, at the Manger Building.  
*Contact: Matt Spencer*
- **Chili Cook-Off: Save the Date!**  
Saturday, November 1, TLA Athletic Field.  
*Contact: Terry Overton*



# Member News for August/September

## New Members (Sponsors)

- Kevin O'Neil (Dan Umbel)

## New Member Recruitment

Club brochures and member application forms are available every Thursday at the check-in desk for our meetings. Application forms are also available at [www.kiwanisofskidaway.com](http://www.kiwanisofskidaway.com) under the Membership tab.

## August Birthdays

- August 3—Terry Overton
- August 6—Peter Pickerill
- August 7—John Hamson
- August 8—Jerry Buckley
- August 17—Jim DiGiorgio
- August 18—John Fishburne
- August 19—Jim Giddens
- August 23—Richard Barnett
- August 24—Curtis Shambaugh
- August 26—Bill McNellis
- August 26—Bruce Custis, Emerson Ham, Bill McNellis & Jim Overton
- August 29—Jim Garrison, Jeff Heeder & Jack Sherrill
- August 30—Ron Morris
- August 31—Al Cywin & Marianne Schutz

## September Birthdays

- Sept 10—Bob Norton
- Sept 11—Neil Bader
- Sept 13—Sandra Mayer
- Sept 14—Brad Lucas
- Sept 15—Amy Utley & Bob Yeomans
- Sept 17—Clare Higby, Mike Pavlis & Bob Reinhard
- Sept 20—Kelly Burke & Bob Schivera
- Sept 22—Howard Gandelot
- Sept 23—Ed Coulsen and Tom Sayers
- Sept 27—Chris Britten
- Sept 29—Tom Stephens
- Sept 30—Jack Hart



**New Member Rudy Halbert delights fellow members with his card trick demonstration—just part of the magic he shared with kids at the Concert on the Green.**

## Membership Milestones for August & September

- 8 years—Jay Ahrens
- 16 years—Kurt Faxon
- 18 years—Sam McLaughlin
- 23 years—Gwen Leathley



## Meeting Location

Our weekly meetings continue to be held at the Deer Creek Club, while the Plantation Club is being renovated. We currently expect to be back at Plantation on September 11. We'll keep you posted! **Photo credit: The Landings Club**

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# VALUED SPONSORS

## Diamond Sponsors



## Gold Sponsors

**Savannah Square**  
**Smith Brothers\***

## Silver Sponsors

**Armstrong State University**  
**Bart, Meyer & Company**  
**Savannah Toyota**  
**The Village Bar & Grille**

## Bronze Sponsors &...

**Bernard Williams Insurance**  
**Certa Pro Painters**  
**Coastal Empire Boy Scouts**  
**Comfort Keepers**  
**Critz Auto Group**  
**Jalapeños Mexican Grill**  
**Klein Law Group**  
**Ossabaw Consulting, LLC**

## ...More Bronze Sponsors

**Savannah Dental Aesthetics**  
**The Skinnie\***  
**South State Bank**  
**TWATL\***  
**Volvo of Savannah/Mitsubishi Motors**  
**Wild Birds Unlimited**  
**Zipperer Land Management**

Corporate Sponsors are very important partners for our Club and 100% of their donations are used to help children. Annual donation levels are \$3,000 for Diamond sponsors, \$2,000 for Gold sponsors, \$1,500 for Silver sponsors, and \$750 for Bronze sponsors. Kiwanis Club of Skidaway recognizes our sponsors through publicity at fundraising events, at membership meetings, on our website, and in our monthly Kiwanigram and provides complimentary admission tickets to our fundraising events as a gesture of appreciation for their support.

\* Corporate sponsors with asterisks have provided donations in kind (food, advertising) that increase fundraiser net revenues by offsetting expenses.

*For more information about the Corporate Sponsor program, contact Jeff Heeder ([jeffrey.heeder@suntrust.com](mailto:jeffrey.heeder@suntrust.com)). Sponsor application forms are also available at [www.kiwanisofskidaway.com/sponsors](http://www.kiwanisofskidaway.com/sponsors).*



**GA District Lt. Gov.** – Tom Crankshaw

### 2013–2014 Board Officers

- **President** – Melissa Emery
- **Past President** – Dan Umbel
- **President-Elect** – Bob Norton
- **VP-Secretary** – Ron Weber
- **VP-Treasurer** – Jay Ahrens

### Board of Directors

- **Term expiring 2014:**  
Jeff Heeder, Jim Overton, Tom Sayers
- **Term expiring 2015:**  
Joyce Glenn, Frank Liebgott
- **Term expiring 2016:**  
Chris Butler, Ben Gustafson, Phil van Ess, Jan Wright
- **Board Advisor:** Tom Sharp

### Club Administration

- Attendance Reception – Jack Hart
- Attendance Records – Gary Brewer
- Auditor – Roger Nord
- Awards – Dan Umbel
- Club Historian – TBD
- District/Division Reports – Ron Weber
- Dollars for Doers – Dan Umbel
- Education/Orientation – Keith Glenn
- Fundraising – Bob Norton
- Human/Spiritual Service – Rev. Jim Giddens
- Inter-Club – TBD
- Kiwanigram – Jan Wright
- Legal Counsel – Bob Schivera
- Marketing & PR – Frank Liebgott
- Membership – Greg Stinson
- New Member Experience – Joyce Glenn
- Photography – Keith Glenn, Dick Glover
- Programs/Speakers – Ben Gustafson
- Safety – Jack Sherrill
- Social & Trips – Dave Fox
- Sunshine – Gwen Leathley
- Website – Jan Wright

### 2013–2014 Fundraising Committees

- **Chili Cook-Off** (November 2, 2013) –  
Bruce Custis, Jim Overton
- **Pancake Breakfast** (February 8) – Cecilia Russo,  
Christine Swanson, and Matt Spencer
- **Concert on the Green** (August 17) –  
Frank Liebgott, Phil van Ess
- **Corporate Sponsors Program** – Jeff Heeder
- **Show the Colors** – Keith Glenn, Phil van Ess
- **Take a Chance for Kids** – Tom Sharp

### Volunteer Service to Community Agencies

- America's Second Harvest – Gary Bocard
- Armstrong Circle K Club – Julie Gerbsch, Chris Aiken
- Backpack Buddies – Tim Baldwin
- Bethesda Academy – Gary Hughes
- CASA (Court-Appointed Special Advocates for Children) – Charlie O'Brien
- Childhood Cancer Family Support – Jim Beurle
- Coastal Children's Advocacy Center – Skip Salus
- Corporate Academy – Jack Sherrill
- The Eliminate Project – Gene McDonald
- Greenbriar – Gene McDonald
- Habitat for Humanity – Howard Gandelot
- Horizons – Greg Stinson
- Horsin' Around – Pete Liptrot
- Interfaith Hospitality Network – Mark Forssell
- Junior Achievement – Tom Stephens
- Kids Fishing Program – Tom Rood
- Landings Military Family Relief Fund –  
Lou Molella, Jack Munroe
- Library for the Blind – Dave Wyland
- L.O.V.E. (Local Outreach Volunteer Educators) –  
Joyce Glenn
- Mediation Center – Jerry Nusloch
- Music Medicine Institute – Elizabeth Jacobi
- National Museum of the Mighty 8th Air Force –  
Tom McMullin
- Park Place Outreach – Jack Hart, Jim Overton
- Performance Initiatives – Jeff Heeder
- Red Cross Blood Drive – Chris Britten
- Savannah Early Childhood Foundation –  
Tom Sharp
- Savannah Friends of Music – Melissa Emery
- Savannah Philharmonic – Julie Gerbsch
- Social Apostolate – Bob Egan
- Special Olympics – Bob Reinhard
- Telfair Museum – TBD
- The Salvation Army – Ron Morris
- Wesley Community Centers of Savannah –  
Jan Wright
- Youth Challenge Academy – Keith Glenn

**Kiwanis Club of Skidaway** is dedicated to helping the disadvantaged and at-risk children of the greater Savannah community. Since our Club was established in 1988, our members have volunteered over 300,000 service hours and raised and distributed over \$1.3 million to agencies that provide services to these children and their families.

### KIWANIS CLUB OF SKIDAWAY

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