

KIWANIGRAM

Keith Glenn takes over as President

It is an honor and privilege to serve as the President of our club for the next year. As always we have challenges, but with your support we will move the club forward. I see two basic objectives: first we need to continue our support of the kids with our time and \$s. Second, we must have a strong and vigorous club as the basis of support. Our current level of activity is sustainable, but would be easier with a larger committed membership.

I suspect most of you were like me, met a Kiwanian (in my case Al Cywin) and he invited me to a meeting. Recruiting new members is really that simple. Not everyone is interested, but you never know without asking. We have tried numerous approaches, but the winning formula is members recruiting. I challenge every member to bring at least one prospective member to a breakfast meeting. If we did that and a third of these joined we would reverse the trend of declining membership numbers. If we get a prospect to the meeting, the club does a great job of selling it self.

We are into the fund raising season. The recruitment of businesses to support our three fund raisers is underway. (By the way Emerson Ham could use additional bodies.) The Kiwanis Partners was launched in mid Sept., headed by Bill Wright. As a reminder Kiwanis Partners is the solicitation to non-Kiwanians for a donation with or without tickets to our fund raising events. And the annual Chili-cook-off will be Nov. 11th. Our fund raisers are compressed by factors beyond our control. To be successful we need the summer's travelers back on the island. Second we must fit around the holiday schedules and conflicting events such as; Moon River Classic, Landlovers Sale, Legends of Golf, Men's Invitational etc. All this limits when we can fit in the events. They do come in quick succession, but with everyone's help it will continue to be enjoyable and profitable. The winners are Savannah Kids.

Kiwanis Calendar of Coming Events

Oct 7	Kiwanis Orientation	Plantation Ball Room
Oct 29	Membership Cocktail Party	To be announced
Nov 4	Georgia Southern Football Game	Paulsen Field Statesboro, GA
Nov 8	Bowling Special Olympics (County)	Tibet Ave Bowling Center
Nov 11	Chili Cook-off	Landings Park
Dec 4	Red Cross Blood Drive	Methodist Church Skidaway
Dec 6	Bowling Special Olympics (Regional)	Tibet Ave Bowling Center
Feb 3, 2007	Pancake Breakfast	Presbyterian Church
May 6, 2007	Concert on the Green	Association Athletic Field



BREAKING NEWS

Your humble media staff at the Kiwanis Club of Skidaway were surprised and pleased to learn that the entry of our two club publications Club Flyer, and Club Bulletin (Kiwanigram) were entered into the Kiwanis State competition Gold Division and won first in both classes. Can you believe it. We can make these publications better only if we continue to have membership support in supplying the important information relating to club activities that our membership needs to know.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS

At the Seattle Special Olympics, nine contestants, all physically or mentally disabled, assembled at the starting line for the 100-yard dash. At the gun, they all started out, not exactly in a dash, but with a relish to run the race to the finish and win. All, that is, except one

little boy who stumbled on the asphalt, tumbled over a couple of times, and began to cry. The other eight heard the boy cry. They slowed down and looked back. Then they all turned around and went back... every one of them. One girl with Down's Syndrome bent down and kissed him and said, "This will make it better." Then all nine linked arms and walked together to the finish line.

Everyone in the stadium stood. The cheering went on for several minutes. People who were there are still telling the story. Why? Because deep down we know this one thing: What matters in this life is more than winning for ourselves. What matters in this life is helping others win, even if it means slowing down and changing our course.

Learn about and understand an Alternative to the Income Tax and the



IRS The Fair Tax
The Plantation Ballroom at the Landings
Friday October 20th, 2006 10:00 -11:30 AM

U. S. Representative John Linder Author with Neil Boortz of The Fair Tax Book Sponsored by The Skidaway Island Republican Club

Please confirm your attendance by October 16th.

Jim Hazel (598-7596), Jack Kaster (598-7714), Martin Otto (598-1401)

Tom Sharp (598-5422), Melinda Stein (598-8090), Bob Reinhard (598-5445)

CHILI COOK OFF

The Kiwanis annual Chili Cook Off will be held on November 11, 2006. Along with upward of 20 chilies to sample there will be music, games and entertainment for the kids. This year we will again include a raffle as part of our fund raiser. There will be several prizes including gift certificates for meals, massage and other services. The grand prize this year will a Sony LCD TV designed to mount in the kitchen under a cabinet. The unit includes a TV with a 9" drop down screen as well as a DVD, Clock Radio and timer. This is a handsome unit that retails for several hundred dollars. **GET OUT AND SELL THOSE RAFFLE TICKETS!!**

KIWANIGRAM NEWS

Deadline for items to be published in the October Kiwanigram October 25, 2006. Call: Darrel Lowell 7334, Vern Kaskey 8641, Don Kipp 7530

October Speakers Chairperson Pat Cummiskev

October 5 Dr. Lee Boyd, M.D. VP of Biomedical Sciences Memorial Hospital

Tropic: State of the Art Gene Research & Future Molecular Therapy

October 12 Dr. Bruce Grube, President Georgia Southern University

Tropic: Advancement of Building and program Events

October 19 Brad Durham, DMD

Tropic: What's New in Cosmetic Dentistry

October 26 Marilyn Smith, President Skidaway Island Village Library

Tropic: Changes and long range plans Skidaway Island Village Library

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Our prospective member cocktail party brought in two new members, <u>Mary Ann Schutz</u> sponsored by Melissa Emery and <u>Jon Moore</u> sponsored by Vern Kaskey. Out total from the parties is five. Total for year is nineteen. Just think if half of our membership would sponsor one candidate per year! Hazel Brown is our leader with three new members and four other members have brought in two. Next party to be held <u>October 29th</u> start thinking about a candidate.

New Member Bio. Please Welcome our new members

<u>Stephen M. Arkin</u> could almost be classified as a native, having lived here since 1987. He and his wife, Liz, live at 1 Captain Dunbar lane. He attended George Washington University, achieving a BBA in Accounting, and later received a Masters of Taxation from Georgia State University. Steve has his own business, Arkin and Associates, and specializes in accounting and tax. His sponsor is Sam Mclaughlin.

<u>Jeffrey, "Jeff" Heeder</u> is the guy you see at the breakfast meetings dressed in a business suit, because he's still working, at Sun Trust. Jeff attended Rochester Institute of Technology, earning a BS in Accounting. He is a certified Financial Planner, and has worked for Chase Manhattan Bank, and the U.S. Treasury in the IRS. He's a golfer. Tennis player and like to bike and walk. He and his wife, Nancy, live at 204 Pettigrew Drive. He is sponsored by Melissa Emery.

<u>Robert "Bob" Austin</u> Vinyard is no stranger to Kiwanis, having been a Club Officer and Lieutenant Governor in Virginia. Bob and his wife Frankie, live next door to Vern Kaskey, his sponsor, at 8 Gossamer Lane. Bob matriculated at the University of Delaware and Washington and Lee University, with a BA, and later with a JD. He was a member of the ABA, The Virginia State Bar, and the Virginia Bar Association, and the Kiwanis Club of Abingdon, Virginia. Bob had his own firm, Robert Austin Vinyard, Attorney at Law.

Robert "Bob" D. Fischer and his wife <u>Debbie</u> have lived at 4 Windwalk Lane since September of 2005, after moving here from Gahanna, (spelling?) Ohio. He retired from American Electric Power after a career of 26 years, and started his own firm for Engineering, Design, Construction and Consulting, which makes sense since he has a Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering. He is a member of the International Code Council. His sponsor is Pete Liptrot.

SPEAKER CHAIRMAN

Hats off to Will Weeks who has volunteered to Chair the important committee of arranging our speakers for 2006/2007. Will will be looking for monthly chair people. Give Will a hand by passing along any speakers that you feel might be of interest. to our members.

Kiwanis Club of Skidaway

OFFICERS			DIRECTORS		
President	Keith Glenn	598-9483	2005-06	Peter Liptrot	598-7992
President-Elect	Evin Hietbrink	598-9483	2003-06	Dana Taylor	598-8065
VP-Services	Gary Bocard	598-7041	2004-07	Melissa Emery Thomas Sharp	598-1883
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VP Recording Secretary	Richard Shomaker	598-7103	2004-07		598-5422
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Past President	Thomas Rood	598-9753			
			All telephones are area code 912		

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

<u>ADMINISTRATION</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	Young Children	HUMAN AND SPIRITIAL
Attendance Reception	Community Service	Fishing Program	SERVICE
Jack Hart 598-2113	Community in Schools	Tom Rood 598-9753	Human & Spirit. Ser. Programs
Attendance Records	Joyce Glenn 598-9483	Greenbriar	Jim Giddens 598-8446
Gary Brewer 598-7792	,	Melissa Emery 598-1883	diff diddons
<u>Awards</u>	Dollars for Doers	Ford Oblights and Fall and the	
Pat Cummiskey 598-9129	Bruce Powley 598-0711	Early Childhood Education	
<u>District-Division Reports</u>	Golden K Middle School Mentoring	Tom Clark 598-9723	SPECIAL FUNCTIONS
Frank Zugel 598-4653	Frank King 598-7733	Bill Farmer 598-7430	Auditor
<u>Inter-Club</u>	Habitat for Humanity	Vault Oan Laa	Roger Nord 598-1873
Jim Chapman 598-7016	Frank Guy 598-8973	Youth Services	
<u>Kiwanigram</u>	Bob Yeomans 598-9700	Bethesda Home	Board Advisor
Vern Kaskey 598-8641	Interfaith Hospitality Network	Bob Caswell 598-8890	Hazel Brown 598-1302
Don Kipp 598-7530	Mark Forssell 598-8137	Children's Advocacy Ctr.	Club Historian
Darrel Lowell 598-7333	Juvenile Court	Skip Salus 598-2969	Martin Otto 598-1401
Kiwanis Education /Orientation	Chuck Ortmann 598-1011	Hesse Bears	Legal Counsel
Ron Morris 598-7882	Kids Café	Emmet Casey 598-7493	Bob Schivera 598-1022
<u>Membership</u>	Gary Bocard 598-1038	Junior Achievement	Publicity
Pete Liptrot 598-7992	Library for the Blind	Dick Johnson 598-7680	John Hamson 598-4134
Programs/Speakers	Dave Wyland 598-2296	Mighty 8th AF Museum	Photography
Will Weeks	Med Bank	Walt Binns 598-1050	Martin Otto 598-1401
Recording Secretary	Emmet Casey 589-	Notre Dame Academy	Safety Coordinator
Dick Shomaker 598-7103	Mediation Center	Gary Bocard 598-1038	Jack Sherrill 598-1115
	Dick Watters 598-1347	Park Place Outreach	Social and Trips
FUND RAISING	Outstanding Citizen	Jack Hart 598-2113	Dave Fox 598-1837
Chili Cook-Off (2005-06)	Sid Carr 598-4580	Special Olympics	Song Leader
Gene McDonald 598-4250	Parent and Child	Robert Haas 598-7960	Bob Ennis 598-8610
Terry Overton 598-2064	Tom McMullin 598-7684	St. Paul's Academy	Sunshine
Concert on the Green	Pediatric Oncology Support	Bill Trice 598-7621	Gwen Leathley 598-8417
Chris Williams 598-1259	Pete Liptrot 598-7992	Youth Challenge Academy	
Pancake Breakfast (2005&2006)	Red Cross Blood Drive	Jack Huber 598-7607	50/50 Drawing
Tim Frame 598-2980	Chris Britten 598-7566		Sid Carr 598-4580
Skip Salus 598-2969	Salvation Army	Sponsored Youth Programs	
Corporate Fund Rasiing	Ron Morris 598-7882	Key Clubs	
Emerson Ham 598-8280	Social Apostolate	Erv Heitbrink 598-7041	
	Bob Egan 698-5424	217 1101101111111	
	Telfair Museum		
	Jack Neises 598-1149		
	Village Library		
	Jim Chapman 598-7016		

Kiwanis Website

World Wide Web <u>Internet</u>: http://www.kiwanisofskidaway.com Contact Richard Watters (598-1374) or Melissa Emery (598-1883) for ID and Password

KIWANIS CLUB OF SKIDAWAY INSTALLATION DINNER 28 SEP 06



Tom Rood passes Gravel to Keith Glenn



President Keith Glenn



Sam, Pete & Larry having fellowship



Officers & Directors 2006/2007



Bob & Jane Reinhard Jack Huber Dick Shomaker



President Glenn and First Lady



Dick Shomaker Bill & Alice Wright



Fun evenings with the Baker's and the Morris's