



St. Simons

Rotary Spray

CEO Southeast Georgia Health System

Guest: Christy Jordan

Christy D. Jordan is the President & CEO of Southeast Georgia Health System. She was appointed to the role June 1, 2025 after serving at the Health System for 13 years in a variety of leadership positions, including as Chief Legal Officer beginning in 2014 and as Chief Operating Officer from 2018 to 2020. Over the course of her tenure, she has been integral in working with the Health System management team and its Boards to execute the Health System's strategic priorities.

Ms. Jordan was an architect in the Health System's 2014 Coastal Community Health regional alliance with Baptist Health, in Jacksonville, Florida to share best practices, optimize resources and achieve greater efficiency – a partnership still in full force today. She played a key role in the \$142 million Master Renovation and Expansion Project at the Brunswick Campus, launched in 2018 and completed in 2022. She led a multi-year process to bring a physician residency program to the Health System, securing grant funding and overseeing feasibility work, culminating in the July 1, 2025 launch of an internal medicine program for the training of medical residents at the Brunswick Campus. Ms. Jordan also played a pivotal role in initiatives supporting the Health System's financial recovery necessitated by impacts of the COVID pandemic.

Prior to joining the Health System, Ms. Jordan was in private practice for eight years with nationally recognized health law practices, representing both investor-owned and tax-exempt health care organizations in a variety of sectors including hospitals and health systems; hospice and long-term care providers; physician practices; surgery centers; rehabilitation providers; and revenue cycle and health care management firms.

In addition to her Health System role, Ms. Jordan serves on several professional and community boards, including the Golden Isles Development Authority (currently Chair); Hospice of the Golden Isles (currently ex-officio after nine years of service); and the Christ Church Frederica Vestry. She was recently elected to the College of Coastal Georgia Foundation and will begin her service in Fall 2025. On the state level, she participated in the Leadership Georgia program in 2022 and the Leadership Southeast Georgia program in 2017. She currently serves on the Government Affairs Council of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce.

A resident of the Golden Isles since 2007, Ms. Jordan was raised in metro Atlanta. She earned her undergraduate degree in nursing from the Medical College of Georgia and her juris doctorate from the University of Georgia School of Law.



What's for Lunch?

Tex Mex salad with corn, beans, cheddar and spicy ranch. Sides of blackened salmon and chicken. Tortilla chips and guacamole. Chef's choice dessert.

Paul Harris Fellows Recognition by Michael Muldowney. Anna K Mansfield -Paul Harris Fellow +2, Sue Cansler- Paul Harris Fellow +7, and Joe & Terri Leek- Rotary Foundation Major Donor award



Salvation Army Bell Ringing 11/26/2025 Grand Total \$1,943.25



Announcements



Clyde Taylor III of St. Simon's Island, Georgia, passed away peacefully at his home on Nov. 25. Clyde was a member of SSI rotary since 1/25/2000. A private burial will be held Dec. 5 in Atlanta. A memorial service will be held at **2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 17, at Golden Isles Presbyterian Church.**

Maria Jennings - SSI Rotary Impact is collecting dry goods for Second Harvest. The donation box is set up at DeLoach Sotheby's to gather items.

Dialo Cartwright shared with us that his son was accepted to Auburn.

Jim Keilt gave us an update on Second Harvest donations and volunteer opportunities.

Lucia Gumaer shared that the Lynx has returned to SSI

Jim Henderson was kind enough to share a joke with the club.

SSI Rotary took a sunset cruise to the Okefenokee.



Member Birthdays	Birthday
Anderson, Lisa W. (LISA)	29 December
Andreae, Eric (ERIC)	13 December
Kaufmann, Erik (ERIK)	21 December
Killgallon, John C (JOHN)	21 December
Pridmore, Brooke M. (BROOKE)	01 December
Thota, Sindhu H. (SINDHU)	04 December



Member Anniversaries	Start Date	Years
<u>Donahoo, Dorothy Ann(DOT)</u>	12/31/03	22
<u>Friedman, Mark(MARK)</u>	12/05/06	19
<u>Wethern, James D.(JIM)</u>	12/01/72	53

Area Rotary Club Meetings

Brunswick	Brunswick Country Club	2nd&4th Thurs.,
Golden Isles	Kemble Center, SGHS	Wed., 7:30 am
Jekyll Island	Jekyll Island Golf Club	Wed., 7:30 am
St. Simons	Best Western	Tues., 1:00 pm

ROTARY WEBSITES

www.ssirotary.org - St. Simon Rotary Website

www.rotarydistrict6920.org - District 6920 Website

www.facebook.com/rotaryssi -St. Simons Rotary Facebook

www.facebook.com/Rotary6920 - District Facebook Page

Four Way Test

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL &
better FRIENDSHIP?

Is it BENEFICIAL to all
concerned?