

## CLUB SERVICE

### 4-Way Test— April

4/22 Corey Feraldi

4/29 Ahmed Samaha

### April Greeters- Betty Ryberg & Liz Neal

#### Guest-

Caleb Leberette	SACS
Robert Morris	AHS
Dede Biles	Aiken Standard
Sgt Tom Canzano	guest of club
Allen Davis	Mary Allen
Elizabeth Cronk	Rhonda Overby
Margaret Key	Herb Maddox
Norwood Bodie	guest of speaker
Coker Day	Chad Matthews
Rick Riebesell	HHI



SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER  
We will continue to hold a weekly 50/50 drawing to benefit the scholarship program.  
\$62 was collected last week to go towards the Scholarship Fund!



**Cart fund update**  
**April 15**  
**CART Buckets: \$137 US plus 200 Colombian Pesos (worth \$0.06!)**

**Weekly Witticism**  
A lie gets halfway around the world before the truth has a chance to get its pants on.  
Winston S. Churchill

## Margarita Make-Ups

The Willcox

5:15 pm - 6:15pm

Last Wednesday of each month

2018-2019

5/29, 6/26

Remember to turn-in your Make-up to the Sergeant-at-Arms You don't need a make-up!!  
Just come spend time with fellow Rotarians



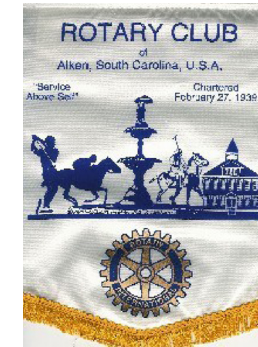
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117 Newberry Street, SW  
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# THE GEAR

APRIL 22, 2019



## Rotary Club of Aiken

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### PROGRAM LAST WEEK by Mallory Holley



Lieutenant Chris Medlin spoke to the club about the Aiken Civil Air Patrol on April 15, 2019. Chris Medlin was joined at the meeting by Lieutenant Norwood Bodie. The Civil Air Patrol is an official U.S. Air Force auxiliary that performs inland search and rescue missions. In addition to search and rescue, the Civil Air Patrol offers a Cadet program for kids age 12 and older. The adult members of the Civil Air Patrol volunteer for ground and aviation search and rescue, mentoring to the 12 to 18 year olds, help when natural disasters strike and provide civilian support to the U.S. Air Force. Recently, the local Civil Air Patrol provided assistance to the Federal Emergency Management Association (FEMA) with the hurricanes that hit the coast of South Carolina. The majority of the photos seen on television were taken by Civil Air Patrol and turned over to FEMA. In addition to taking aerial photos, the Civil Air Patrol provided

assistance with checking water levels and inspecting roads. The Aiken Civil Aiken Patrol has 22 members and they are always looking for additional adults to lead and pilots to help with the aerial search and rescue. Chris also shared that the Civil Air Patrol has 10 planes that the volunteer pilots can use when participating in Civil Air Patrol at no cost to the pilot. As a 501c3, donations are always welcome to help offset the cost of weekly meetings and other activities. The state legislature does provide approximately \$55,000 per year, but additional funding is appreciated. The group meets every Thursday from 6:30 to 8:30 at Millbrook Baptist Church and they occasionally have weekend trainings. Chris emphasized the importance of the cadet program to help develop leadership skills, introduce flying to young people and to build good moral character in our young people. The adult mentors and the structure of the Civil Air Patrol help develop our young people and also help cadets that are planning to join the military. In addition, cadets are given to opportunity to get their pilots license at no cost. Finally, Chris encouraged members to think about becoming mentors and to read further into the Civil Air Patrol at [www.GoCivilAirPatrol.com](http://www.GoCivilAirPatrol.com).

## PROGRAM TODAY

Sheila Kinard  
Fire Safety

## FUTURE PROGRAMS

**April Theme:**  
Maternal and Child Health Month  
4/29 Project Lifesaver Joseph O'Conor

## BIRTHDAYS

Michael Graham	April 23
Rob Kent	April 25
Brian Coulter	April 27
Bob Erikson	April 27
Al Sorensen	April 27

## CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

Cecile Fleming	04/23/18
Del Hickey	04/23/01
Lexi Milford	04/23/18
Greg Roberts	04/25/11
Bill Taylor	04/27/09
Tom Young	04/23/07

## MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



**MICHAEL S. McNEILL**

Classification:  
Real Estate-Appraiser

Date of Induction: 11/28/2011



**CINDY MEARES**

Classification:  
Accounting Services

Date of Induction 09/30/2002



**Aiken's Cookin' with Chefs**  
*Celebrity*  
Cookin' for a cause!  
**LIVE MUSIC**  
Third Time Charmers

**FRIDAY APRIL 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2019**  
7:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.

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**Location**  
THE RESERVE CLUB

**Chef Teams.**  
Ahmed Samaha & Corey Feraldi  
Aiken Barnwell Mental Health Center  
Aiken Electric Cooperative  
Aurora Pavilion  
Cole Funeral Home  
Community Medical Clinic  
CSRA Multimedia, Inc.  
George Funeral Home  
Hitchcock Place  
Juvenile Arbitration Office  
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The Hawk Law Group  
United Way of Aiken County  
USCA Nurses  
Gloria Tollman and Mary Daniels

**Advance Tickets \$40**  
Available at:  
**3 Monkeys**  
or at  
[www.mha-aiken.org](http://www.mha-aiken.org)

**All proceeds benefit Mental Health America of Aiken County**  
For more information call: (803) 641-4164

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NURTURE HOME  
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