

The Geechee Greeter

The Official Weekly Bulletin of The Rotary Club of Savannah South in Savannah, GA

A 100% Paul Harris Club
Founded in 1981

Sunday, March 5, 2023

This Week's - A Place to Dream and Aqua Vitae - Not Meeting at Carey Hilliard's

On Tuesday **we are NOT meeting at Carey Hilliard's**, but it's still a busy day for our Club. In the morning, several Club Members will be setting up beds in the homes of children in our community. And Tuesday night, there will be a Club Social at 5 p.m.

The bed service project is one with A Place to Dream, a project of the local YMCA and Housing Authority of Savannah to provide beds for children who have been sleeping on the floor, piles of clothes, or sharing a bed with several family members. Our Club is using a District Grant, funded by money from The Rotary Foundation, for the project.

The Tuesday social is at 5 p.m. at Aqua Vitae Lounge, 719 E 65th St, 31405 (It is near Medical Arts on the section of 65th between Waters and Paulsen. Heavy hors d'ourves and appetizers will be served, and we will have an open bar (full bar service). You may bring a guest for \$15. If you have not signed up already, please contact Tom Hussey, tom.hussey@raymondjames.com or 912-604-2555.



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Club Meeting Time & Place

Savannah South
Meets at Carey Hilliard's Private
Banquet Hall
11111 Abercorn Extension
Savannah, GA 31419
Time: Tuesday at 12:30 PM

Speakers

March 21, 2023

[Patti Lyons](#)
Executive Director, Senior Citizens,
Inc. Meals on Wheels

Events

March 7th

[A Place To Dream Service
Project Aqua Vitae, 5 p.m., 719
East 65th Street 31405](#)

March 21st

[Savannah South Weekly Club
Meeting](#)

Birthdays

Jacquelyn Embler Ogden
March 4th

Steve Pound
March 21st

Thomas J. Hussey
March 26th

Jazmine Spicer
March 30th

Years of Service

Robert E. Laramy III
03-01-1983
40 Years

Thomas J. Hussey
03-01-1994
29 Years

Offsite Meetings and No Meeting Dates

Listed below are dates that are exceptions to our normal meeting schedule of Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m. at Carey Hilliard's.

- March 7 – Offsite - Project with A Place to Dream and Social at Aqua Vitae
- March 14 – St. Patrick's Day – No Meeting
- April 4 – Spring Break – No Meeting
- April 11 – TBD
- May 9 – TBD
- June 6 – TBD
- June 27 - TBD

New Hampstead Senior Wins Speech Contest



Jada Hendrick, a New Hampstead High School senior will represent our Club and the Rotary Club of Savannah West in the Eastern Zone Preston Johnson District 6920 Speech Contest on Saturday, April 1 in Glynn County.

At the contest, Jada presented a speech on Rotary's 4-way test and the other student, Sierra Lowery, a sophomore at Calvary Day School, gave a speech on this year's Rotary theme: "Imagine Rotary." As the judges noted, the scores were very close between the two contestants; both students did an admirable job.

Tameka Tribble and Shavondra Ceasar from Savannah West attended to represent Savannah West, along with two young men they asked to serve as judges. Our own Steve Lewis served as a judge, too. Billy Sanders served as Timekeeper, and Byron Loomis and Rafe Semmes showed up to represent the club. (Rafe got pressed into service as Doorman and Greeter, because he happened to show up before everybody else.)

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March is Water & Sanitation Month
