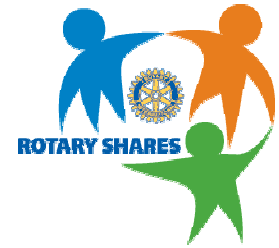




The Sumter Rotary Club

The Swan



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April 15 2008

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Dr. M. Todd Warrick of Tuomey Pain Treatment Center was our program speaker. His topic was "Interventional Pain Management". Todd highlighted the following as reasons for seeking interventional methods:

- Chronic Pain is far too common
- Chronic pain is expensive
- Chronic Pain is complicated
- Pain is hard to treat

Some Interventional Pain Management Options:

- Epidural Steroid Injections Facet Joint Interventions
- IDET (Intradiscal Electrothermal Therapy)
- Discograms
- Radio-frequency thermal ablation

Todd stated that people seek pain medication for different reasons and part of his job is to determine whether it's for actual treatment of pain or narcotics being used negatively. He offers Percutaneous RF (Radio Frequency) Rhizotomy. Todd said that neuropathic pain responds poorly to narcotics.

Todd said there are problems with narcotics and that on March 27, 2007 the New York Times published an article "Trafficker or Healer" And who is the victim?

Todd's practice is located at 129 N. Washington Street in Sumter. Please contact him if you would like to know more about Interventional Pain Management.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please note last week's attendance was 54 not 70 as was posted in the bulletin. All other numbers in the attendance report were correct.

Due to the great response to our own March Madness, we may continue this program into April!

We will be working on the new Rotary Directory, so please update your information at the front table over the next couple of weeks.

UPCOMING MEETING

April 22, 2008

Chairman..... Mark Durrett
Program..... Brad Smith of Souper Bowl
Sunshine..... Edwin Kinney
Greeter..... Will Holmes
Reception..... Jamie Campbell & Jimmy Watkins

April 29, 2008

Chairman..... Austin Floyd
Program..... Santee Cooper (Tentative)
Sunshine..... Roby Kelley
Greeter..... Roby Kelley
Reception..... Tim Hardee & Eric Rush

If you would create something, you must be something.

Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

ON THE WEB
Rotary International:
www.rotary.org
District 7770:
www.rotary7770.org

Makeup: www.rotaryclubone.org

CART COUNT

Today \$ 86.94
Month to date \$ 229.24

YTD Total \$11,761.30

**April Corporate Match:
Mr. Phil Edwards**

<http://www.cartfund.org/>

April CART Match

Thanks Mr. Phil Edwards!!!!!!

MEMBER AREA

ATTENDANCE REPORT:

Active Ordinary Club Members: 83
Attendance Goal: 80%
Attendance Today: 64
Make ups: 3
Attendance for Today: 68.35%
Attendance for Year: 62.80%

MAKE UPS

| <u>Make-Up</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Where</u> |
|----------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Jack Osteen | 12/18/07 | Board Meeting |
| Rick Shaw | 12/11/07 | E Club |
| Gene Weston | 3/29/08 | Rotary District Con |

WE MISSED YOU!!

Beatson, Black, D. Bowen, L. Bowen, Bracalente,
Bynum, Cox, DeSollar, Douroux, Goodwin,
Griffith, Hardee, Hardy, Hilton, Jackson, Kelley,
Kinney, Lundberg, Morton, Noonan, Osteen,
Pompeo, Richardson, Senter, Shaw, Smith,
Weston.

GUESTS

*Courtney Foisey, Marques Morris
Reyna Rush, Teresa Dillard*



Member Anniversaries:

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|----------------|----------|
| Lad Owens | 42 Years |
| Bo Shaw | 42 years |
| Julian Frasier | 9 years |

Member Birthdays:

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| Deanie Ray | April 13th |
| Abe Stern | April 16th |
| Al Douroux | April 17th |



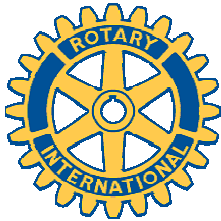
UPCOMING PROGRAMS

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Theme: "Rotary Shares"

2007-2008

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Ed Bynum
Les Carpenter
Britton Moseley
Shelly Lundberg
Travis McIntosh

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| Club Service | Eric Whaley* |
| International Service | Melissa White* |
| Community Service | Jeanie Crotts* |

*Elected Director

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