

# KiwaNews



## Kiwanis of Uptown Augusta

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This week we welcomed Gary Swint who spoke to us about the new Richmond County Library

### A New Library to Illuminate and Anchor our Community



Public libraries make it possible for everyone—regardless of their age, race or social status—to access books that can change their lives.

Thanks to a Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (SPLOST) and the State of Georgia we have raised more than \$24 million to fund a new library at Telfair Street and James Brown Boulevard scheduled for completion in 2010. The facility will triple the size of the current library and bring it into the 21st century. The designs are approved. The land is cleared. The ground has been broken.

But due to increases in the price of construction materials we are short of the funds needed to complete the library. So the Library Foundation Board, a group of area business and civic leaders, has launched a capital campaign to raise \$3 million.

### Kiwanis of Uptown Augusta Volunteers

Thanks to all who participated in the Salvation Army Bellringing – in the first week we topped our record raising over \$450 – Week of Dec 6<sup>th</sup> – Phil Hydrick, Clarence Stirewalt, Art Maier, Clint Lewis, Randy Hickman, Jim Williams, Lansing Lee III, Tom Altizer, Lansing Lee, Jr., William Jackson, George Brodbeck, Ed Durant, Bill Monro. Week of Dec 13<sup>th</sup> – Chris Etterlee, Bennett Yort, Parris Sparks (better late than never!), Bill Cooney, Kile Kinney, Bob Claussen, Bill Gamble, Bob Rowland, Paul May, Gary Dean, Fred Gunter, Bennett Yort (again!) and a special volunteer guest Katie Gillikin.



Have you donated yet?

@ eAuctionDepot to

Nancy or Kyle Gallagher -

3328 Washington Rd (706)364-9078

tell them it's for Kiwanis of Uptown Augusta

hours: M-F 10am - 6pm best to call first

### DEC PROGRAMS –JEFF HECK

**DEC 16<sup>TH</sup> MARK A. THOMPSON, HULL COLLEGE OF BUSINESS – THE STATE OF THE US AND OUR LOCAL ECONOMY**

**The Next Board Meeting will be held on January 13<sup>th</sup> 2009 – Noon @ the Partridge Inn – all members are invited and encouraged to attend. We need your input!**

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### 2008-2009 CLUB OFFICERS

President Parris Sparks  
Vice President Lansing Lee III  
President Elect Chris Etterlee  
Secretary Jeff Heck ☉  
Treasurer George Brodbeck  
Past President David Henderson ☉  
Club Directors: Gary Dean, Phil Hydrick, Hunter Baggs, Scott Simms, Lee Cannon, Bob Claussen, Bennett Yort, Bill Monro & Elige Hickman

## *Kiwanis International Serving the Children of the World™*

We are on the web!

<http://www.uptownkiwanis.com>

**Wherever there's a need, Kiwanians will be there – as they have for 93 years, making a difference for children and for their communities.**

### Greeters

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday Tom Altizer  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday Wm Jackson  
3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday Levi Hill  
4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday Roy Krouse  
5<sup>th</sup> Tuesday Phil Hydrick

### Door Prizes Donated by

Dec 16<sup>th</sup> Lansing Lee, Jr.

### COMMITTEE BULLETIN BOARD!

- ❖ **Membership!** Keep on inviting new prospective members! Membership Chair **Bill Bates invited Rick Berry** who filled out his application!

Proposed Member Profile  
Rick Berry – North Augusta

- ✚ **Fundraising!** HAVE YOU DONATED ITEMS YET?

- **Community Service!** – Thanks to all of your participation – we booked over 14 volunteer hours on this one event.

- ⊕ **Special Events** – Save the Date for our Christmas Holiday Celebration – December 23<sup>rd</sup> @ Lunch – invite a guest/potential member

## Kiwanis of Uptown Augusta Membership Directory

Altizer, Tom	733-4019	Jackson, William	736-9570
Baggs ☉, William	650-6644	Jones, James	481-1021
Bailey, Henry	733-4575	Jones, Thomas	650-8877
Bates ☉, William	306-6328	Kinney, Kile	724-0586
Bentley, Hubert	863-2583	Krouse ☉, Roy	736-6664
Blanchard, Russell	868-6688	Lee, Jr. ☉, Lansing	733-7922
Bowen ☉, Charles	863-8953	Lee III, Lansing	737-2724
Bowen ☉, George	863-8953	Lewis ☉, Clinton	736-0786
Bragg, Brian	860-4971	Maier ☉, Arthur	860-1986
Brodbeck ☉, George	736-2988	May ☉, Paul	868-0395
Cannon, Lee	737-4471	Meeks, Phillip	739-1450
Claussen, Bob	447-2990	Miller, Boyd	736-4679
Cooney ☉, William	860-6600	Monro ☉, William	737-8374
Cooper, Jamie	737-0373	Mulherin ☉, Brian	733-6426
Dean, Gary	651-8621	Moody, Bert	738-2679
Dixon, Karen	724-2557	Rowland, Robert	733-6635
Durant, Edward	738-5529	Partridge Inn	364-1546
Etterlee, Chris	724-2063	Smith ☉, J Dan	863-7762
Far, WW	736-1491	Sparks, Parris	823-4118
Gamble, Bill	496-2308	Stafford ☉, Frank	724-0271
Griffin ☉, Alan	737-4575	Stirewalt ☉, Clarence	863-4240
Gunter, Fred	736-5779	Strickland ☉, Curt	228-4748
Hill ☉, Levi	736-5281	Whitney ☉, Barry	722-3704
Heck ☉, Jeff	737-1745	Williams, James	855-5187
Henderson ☉, David	828-2454	Williamson ☉, Charles	737-1759
Hickman ☉, Elige	863-2880	Yort, Bennett	823-4132
Hickman, Randy	868-3772		
Hodges, Michael	279-4887		
House ☉, Stanley	722-3341		
Hydrick, Phil	790-8567		

☉ Indicates Active Past Presidents

*56 Members and Growing!*

## Committees 2008-2009

**Membership – Bill Bates – Chair** David Henderson, Brian Mulherin, Paul May, Lansing Lee III (2), Elige Hickman, Stan House

**Youth Services – Randy Hickman – Chair** Jeff Heck, Parris Sparks (2), Bert Moody, Bill Farr, Bert Bentley, Brian Bragg, Tommy Jones

**Human/Spiritual Committee – Gary Dean Chair** Bob Rowland, Fred Gunter, Henry Bailey, Charles Bowen, George Bowen, James Jones, Boyd Miller,

**Community Service – Bennett Yort – Chair** Jim Williams, Bill Gamble, Clint Lewis, Hunter Baggs, Art Maier, Ed Durant

**Fundraising – Phil Meeks – Chair** Frank Stafford, George Brodbeck, Alan Griffin, Barry Whitney, Russell Blanchard, Bill Monro,

**Meetings – Levi Hill – Chair** Program Coordinators: DEC-Jeff Heck, NOV-Phil Hydrick (2), JAN-David Henderson, FEB-Mike Hodges, MAR-Tom Altizer, APRIL-Lansing Lee III, MAY-Chris Etterlee, JUN-Charles Williamson, JUL-Barry Whitney, AUG-Brian Mulherin, SEP-Bennett Yort, OCT-Frank Stafford. Other meeting issues: Partridge Inn. William Jackson.

**Public Relations – Bob Claussen – Chair** Lee Cannon, Bill Cooney, Clarence Stirewalt, J Dan Smith, Jamie Cooper, Roy Krouse

**Special Events – Lansing Lee, III – Chair** Lansing Lee, Jr, Phil Hydrick, Curt Strickland, Kile Kinney