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THE STATESBORO ROTARY CLUB

Dr. Lewis Holloway — District School Report

Dr. Lewis Holloway, Bulloch County Schools Superintendent, discussed the latest interpretations of student testing and demonstrated how new “Smart Boards” will aid in teaching geography in the classroom.

The club was given a short multiple choice quiz from the Georgia High School Science test to see how our membership would do if we had to take it. To graduate, a student must get 40% of the answers correct. Dr. Holloway said the SAT has become a kind of intelligence test.



Dr. Lewis Holloway

Google Earth

Some student tests, he said, have “lowered the bar” in requirements due to the “No Child Left Behind” legislation. Using the results of these to help students strengthen areas of weakness in the past has not been timely or efficient. New testing developments, however, using new online methods mean results can be viewed by administrators within 24 hours.

Using the free internet software “Google

Earth,” a demo zoomed into virtual global close-ups of Robin Island, South Africa (where Nelson Mandela was held captive), as well as the Cape of Good Hope and Wonder Lake. With funding through SPLOST, about half of Bulloch Classrooms will have new Smart Board technology.

To aid in security, new schools being built in the county will have video systems for review 24/7 by the principal.

(Photo by Jim Healy, Summary by Randy Morton)

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Upcoming Programs

- October 22 — Bob Olliff, The United Way Campaign (arranged by Ray McKinney)
- October 29 — State Police Colonel, Words from the GA State Patrol (arranged by Charles Houston)
- November 5 — Ron Sibbald, Status of banking and real estate prospects in Bulloch County (arranged by Ron Shiffler)

Greeters for Monday, October 22, 2007

Teresa Thompson

Gregg Todd

Sam Tillman

Si Waters

Rotary Club Guests

Guest	Rotarian	Association
Donna Jones	Guest of the Club	Pianist
Vicki Davis	Club	Habitat for Humanity
Heath Seymour	Michelle Childs	Dir. Downtown Dev. Auth.
Mary Hendley	Club	BOE
Craig Liggott	Club	BOE
George Morris	Raybon Anderson	Consultant
Lynda Yawn	Charles Wilson	Asst. Super BOE
Shawn Haralson	Bob Olliff	Principal: Julia P. Bryant
Kevin Harrison	Brandon Parker	Citizen Bank

Rotary Quote

"No drug, not even alcohol, causes the fundamental ills of society. If we're looking for the source of our troubles, we shouldn't test people for drugs, we should test them for stupidity, ignorance, greed and love of power."

-P.J. O'Rourke, writer

Members Absent October 15, 2007

John Adams	Joe Griffen	Buddy Morgan	Dan Snipes
Paul Akins	Billy Griffis	Sandy Newell	Kenny Stone
Ralph Andrews	Bruce Grube	Dewey Newton	Jody Stubbs
Linda Bleicken	Bill Hatcher	Andy Oliver	Danny Taulbee
David Bobo	John Hatcher	Jim Oliver	Teresa Thompson
Keith Boyett	Kakki Herrington	Hudson Powell	Sam Tillman
Jim Bradford	Jane Hudak	Buddy Rabitsch	Gregg Todd
Sam Brannen	Lane Johnston	John Ray	Hal Waters
Tom Clark	Dub Lovett	Lamar Reddick	Si Waters
Jack Conner	Max Manack	Jimmy Redding	Jim Watson
Earl Dabbs	Joe Mathews	Terry Reeves	Fred Whitt
Lee Davis	Joey Maxwell	Al Roesel	Brad Williams
Joe Franklin	Ray McKinney	Eddie Rushing	
Robbie Franklin	Gary Means	Ron Shiffler	Total = 57
Walter Gibson	Jimmy Mooney	Bobby Smith	

Makeup Policy

Online: Missed meetings can be made up online. Just go to www.rotaryclubone.org and follow the directions. Please note that members can make up a maximum of four missed meetings online in any given year.

You can also do a make up by attending a meeting of the club's directors. The next directors' meeting is: Wednesday, November 14, noon, First Southern National Bank.

In Person: If you miss a meeting, you can make up at one of these nearby Rotary Clubs.

Day	Location
Monday	Savannah, 12:30 p.m., Desoto Hilton Swainsboro, 12:00 p.m., Catered Creations
Tuesday	Metter, 12:05 p.m., Western Steer Restaurant Savannah South, 12:30, Carey Hilliard's Restaurant on Abercorn Extension
Wednesday	Claxton, 12:00 p.m., Veteran's Center, Hwy. 280 W. Millen, 12:00 p.m., Community House Savannah West, 12:30 p.m., Regency Hyatt
Thursday	Sylvania, 12:30 p.m., R&D's Restaurant Downtown Statesboro, 7:15 a.m., R.J.'s Steakhouse
Friday	Savannah East, 12:30 p.m., Desoto Hilton

Rotary Links

Rotary International: www.rotary.org

Rotary District 6920: www.rotarydistrict6920.net

Statesboro Rotary Club: www.statesbororotary.org

The Four Way Test



1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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Georgia Southern Football — Part 4

“Bookend Championships

The Eagles began and ended the 1990s with back-to-back championships, winning in 1989, 1990, 1999, and 2000. The 1989 squad was lead by all-American quarterback Raymond Gross. That team dominated the season, recording fifteen wins and no losses. The 1989 team was also the last to be coached by Russell, who at age sixty-three finished his career at Georgia Southern with an 83-22-1 overall record. His teams averaged an astounding 10.4 wins per year against I-AA competition.



New coach Tim Stowers won a championship in 1990 with many of the same players from the 1989 team. Under head coach Paul Johnson, who took over in 1996, Georgia

Southern returned to dominance with Adrian Peterson, the all-time leading rusher in I-AA history. Like Tracy Ham, he saved his best for the play-offs, averaging 171 yards rushing in postseason games. In 1999 he won the Walter Payton Award as the I-AA player of the year. He also gained national attention for his NCAA record of forty-eight straight games with at least 100 yards rushing, failing to attain that total only once in his career.”
 * From The New Georgia Encyclopedia