

Bulletin #10  
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# “THE PALMETTO,” weekly bulletin of the Rotary Club of Sumter–Palmetto

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2007-2008  
Rotary International Theme:  
“Rotary Shares”

**CURRENT CLUB MEMBERS:** 52  
**MEMBERS PRESENT TODAY:** 38

### **ABSENT ROTARIANS:**

Will Andersen, Gloria Bateman, Randy Brown, Nancy Cataldo, Jay Davis, Chuck Gibbs, Doug Horne, Rick Levy, Deron McCormick, Bill Painter, C.J. Troyer, Chris Wiernicki, Patty Wilson, Tony Wrobel

### **LEAVE OF ABSENCE:**

Pete Watcher (until 10/1/07)

### **MAKE-UPS:**

Joe Sublette, District meeting, 9/14

### **VISITING ROTARIANS:**

Angus McDuffie, Sumter

### **GUESTS:**

None

### **BIRTHDAYS:**

Doug Horne, born September 23

### **ANNIVERSARIES:**

Will Andersen, Sept. 20 (Club anniversary)

Scott Kinder, Sept. 23 (Club anniversary)

### **PROPOSED NEW MEMBER:**

Ashley Pharr of the United Way of Sumter, Clarendon and Lee Counties, has been proposed for membership in the category *Volunteer Director*. If no objections, in writing, are received by the Club President within ten days of the first publication of this notice, a membership offer will be extended to Ashley.

### **MEMBERSHIP UPDATE:**

Philip Scarborough resigned from our Club.

**ON THE WEB:** Rotary International: [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)  
District 7770: [www.rotary7770.org](http://www.rotary7770.org)  
Our Club: [www.sumterpalmettorotary.org](http://www.sumterpalmettorotary.org)  
Makeup: [www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org)

### **TODAY'S PROGRAM:**

Classification talks are always a great way to learn more about our newest members. Today, Tim Murphy told us that he's a Pennsylvania native who spent five years attending seminary high school and college before deciding the priesthood wasn't really for him; he then spent another nine years attending Duquesne University completing bachelor's and law degrees. He was commissioned as a US Air Force officer, and he spent nearly twenty years in England, California, Colorado, Delaware and D.C. before being stationed at Shaw AFB. Tim and his wife Jody decided that Sumter would be a good place to raise their two boys (now ages 16 and 18), so he retired and today practices law with Wade Kolb and also serves the Sumter community as an assistant public defender. Barry Reynolds is a Sumter native and Clemson grad who started out working at BD here and then in Puerto Rico. After five years with that company, he moved to Sumter Coatings in 1979, remained with them until about five years ago when he relocated to Atlanta with Sherwin Williams, and he recently returned home to Sumter to rejoin Sumter Coatings. (Barry's wife Beth is a former member of our Club.)

### **QUEEN OF SPADES:**

No one won;  
there were 46 cards; the pot was \$144.

### **SPECIAL ROTARY MONTHS:**

September is “New Generations” month.

### **CART FUND MATCHING SPONSOR:**

Thanks to Becton Dickinson/Jim Sanyi.

### **UPCOMING MEETINGS:**

Tuesday, September 18, 2007

*The Sunrise Club's program is Nicole Modeen*

Tuesday, September 18, 2007

*The Sumter Club's program is classification talks*

Thursday, September 20, 2007

***Our meeting today will be held at 1 p.m. at Alice Drive Baptist Church as part of today's Foundation Seminar—PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND SO YOU WON'T NEED TO DO A MAKEUP***

***Dove shoot is at 2 pm; dinner is 6:30 pm***

Tuesday, September 25, 2007

*The Sunrise Club's program is to be announced*

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*The Sumter Club's program is Dr. David Apple, Doctor of Ophthalmology*

Thursday, September 27, 2007

Greeters: Henry Holland, Bill Painter

Program: Carl McIntosh

Speaker: Tim Richards on investing

Sunshine: Curtis Chandler

Thursday, October 4, 2007

Greeters: Gloria Bateman, Tim Richards

Program: Carl McIntosh

Speaker: Nicole Modeen, Rotary Cultural Scholar

Sunshine: Rick Levy