



Sertoma Bulletin

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President's Message

We are in the midst of our club's busy season in terms of fundraising activities. Our membership has been called upon to staff Farewell Farms for two full days of work, the State Fair for four grandstand concerts with an additional four shows remaining, football parking for three games with five games remaining, and a raffle for the Nike golf equipment. The membership has responded with ample manpower, we are to be all congratulated. One great part of service projects is that each of our members has a chance to contribute to earning sponsorship dollars and then enjoying the satisfaction when the sponsorship dollars are distributed. Some nights, days, events or projects are more profitable than others are, but we are glad for each of the dollars that are earned for sponsorships.

Guests

Sam King

guest of Jim Murphy

Ben Simons

guest of Chris Weston

**Tyra Mitchell &
Rodrick Muhammad
& Pedro Robles**

guests of Doug Brown

**Suzette Bryson &
Martha Morgan**

guests of President
Tommy Bryson

Doug Brown for bringing three guests, Pedro Robles, Tyra Mitchell, and Rodney Muhammad, Jim Murphy with his guest Sam King, and Chris Weston with his guest Ben Simons.

Happy Dr. C. Tucker Weston memorial State Fair week.



Tommy

Speakers & Events

October

2-12~State Fair
Fundraiser

13 Ernie Passailaigue
Director of Education
Lottery

November

1 Fall District
Leadership
Conference

10 Ms. Inez Tenenbaum
State Superintendent
of Education

17 Congressman Jim
Clyburn

We left out two announcements at the meeting; the District Leadership Conference is Saturday, November 1st for Club officers and any new member working on their GEM award. This is an opportunity for club paid leadership training. Second, please contact me if you are interested in being a player in the November 7th Sertoma golf tournament sponsored by the Capital City Club. The cost per player is \$75.

We have some good speakers scheduled; next week is the return of Ernie Passailaigue, Director of the SC Education Lottery. Also invite some guests for November 10th, with Inez Tenenbaum speaking and November 17th with Congressman Jim Clyburn speaking. Thanks to



Membership Application Final Posting

Tony Robinson is Sales Engineer for General Electric, is married to Nicole and has three children. He is active with the Chamber of Commerce and enjoys golf, fishing and tennis. A graduate of NC A&T State University, Tony is sponsored by Joseph Azar. Address any comments to an officer or board member.

Business Meeting

- Someone gave the Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance.
- **Football Parking** ~ The parking lot will be open this Thursday at 4:00 for the game. Please contact John Hedden or Reggie Belcher. Last week Mark and Chris raised \$400!
- **Coaches Corner**~



Sterling Anderson reported on USC's unfortunate loss to Tennessee. It says something when Tennessee's MVP is the punter. We did better than anyone expected. Late penalties hurt us. We play Kentucky Thursday, televised on ESPN. They have a good, well seasoned coach and a great quarterback. USC will beat the spread and win by 10 points or 2 touchdowns.

Neal Sutker, was not in attendance, due to Yom Kippur.

- **State Fair Fundraiser**~ Joby reported that we are half way through this year's fundraiser and we have grossed \$4,618 so far over a first four days. Conspicuously absent was Dr. C. Tucker Weston. The club toasted him and Chris handed out the Secret Sertoma Handshake to all in attendance- after the meeting. Our Club designated this years fair project "The C. Tucker Weston 2003 SC State Fair Project". If you have not yet signed up, it's not too late. Contact Joby at: 794-1488 (w) 799-6107 (h) or jcastine@fnf.com

Quest Speaker~ Lee Bandy, long-time reporter for The State gave an excellent overview of the history and near-future of politics in South Car-

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olina. With 30% Republican, 30% Democrat and 30% Independent, any party can win with the right candidate & issues. ed.

Sergeant @ Arms Report
35 Members and 7 guests attended and the \$36 Pot was WON!
by John Alam.

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Snapshots From The Fair



