



# Sertoma Bulletin

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### President's Message

Other than the fact our speaker was a no show, this week's club meeting was successful. With reports from Todd Lewis about our CCH campaign as well as the Three Rivers Festival, we continue to generate sponsorship funds. Thanks again to all those who served this past weekend. The weather was the best of any festival so far, and even if our location was not the best, we should clear as much in sponsorship money as we did last year.

We continue to seek new fundraising projects. Our newest membership applicant, Lisa Cherry brings with her some fresh ideas from her former club; and we welcome them. We also welcomed yesterday, Wayne Zamora, our District Governor-elect from the Sumter Club, and learned about some of their projects such as Sumter @ Six, which a few of our members have enjoyed.

If you have ideas for future speakers, please

refer them

to our Speaker Chairman, Jack Godbold. Thanks again, Jack, for your hard work!

Have a great week; See you next Monday!

*Dan*

### Speakers & Events

#### May

1 Margie Gilbert  
Central Carolina  
Community  
Foundation

8 Rick Quinn  
Candidate for  
State Treasurer

15 Charles Austin  
Columbia City  
Manager

22 Daniel Burton  
Harmony Care  
Hospice

29 No Meeting

#### June

5 Jennifer Wolff  
Post Trauma  
Resources

19 Ben Tanner  
WIS-TV

#### Sergeant @ Arms Report

The HUGE \$185 Rollover Pot was WON!!

By Lane Duck President Dan Felker who  
graciously donated all the money to

Carolina

Children's Home.

What a Guy, to follow the Old Tradition.

## Business Meeting

President Dan Felker gave the Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance. He also won the Pot, so there you go.

### 3 Rivers Results

President-Elect Todd Lewis gave an excellent account of our Club's exploits.

- 22 Different people participated
- 30 Shifts of 4 to 8 hours were worked
- 150 hours donated by our members



Dee Moise was fearless, asking for donations as he served drinks. He lead the effort that generated \$520 in TIPS!

Jamie McComb displayed impressive stamina. He worked every day, every shift.

Our participation in this event would not have happened without the leadership of recent member Heather Fairchild, and of course, Todd Lewis. Thanks to all that helped out. Financial results will be published when available.

**Carolina Children's Home Fundraiser— 6th Week** Chairman Todd Lewis reported that \$2,750 was raised this week, bringing the total

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### Membership Application Final Posting

Renay Miller is a Clinical Research Coordinator for Emory University and is Vice President and State Board Secretary with SC Health Managers Assn. She has three "children", ages 18, 16 and 10, is a Methodist, and enjoys Hiking, Rock Climbing & Camping. Renay is sponsored by Rya Colucci. Please address any comments to a Club Officer or Board Member.



### Membership Application First Posting

Melissa (Lisa) Allison Cherry is General Manager of Digital Office Solutions, Inc. She is active civically, as member of the Columbia, Lexington AND Irmo Chambers of Commerce. She has a son named Mason and says she also enjoys theater productions, golf and softball. Renay is a past Sertoma President, sponsored by Todd Lewis. Address any comments to a Club Officer.



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to... \$51,000. CCH Director Keith Jones stated that The Home is in a sound position, providing an increasing level of service for an increasing number of kids.

The Home would not be where it is now without the support of our Club. *(ed. says that)*. \$3½ Million given since 1968 has had a critically important impact on the health of this organization and the lives of countless kids.

Last year's fundraiser started with 588 viable cards. We started off this year with only 555 cards. Working the same % as last year will not achieve our goal.

As Past CCH Chairman Tommy Bryson says, "Of all the fundraisers we do or have done, nothing comes close to being as productive per man-hour that this fundraiser". With that said, there are still about half the freakin' cards still outstanding. That's crazy, it's easy money just sitting there- as much as the proceeds from 30 3 Rivers Fundraisers.

The cards given to you were generated by a past member. This member probably worked each card for years, every year until he retired or passed away. If this card, this legacy, still sits in your envelope... If you are not going to honor the work of these past members, then shame on you! We will be wrapping up soon. Don't make some other Sertoman work your cards.

**Editor**



## Guests

**Erin & Marsh Julian**  
Guest of Father Mark



**John Kirwin & Joe Elliott**  
Guests of Todd Lewis  
**Wayne Zamora**  
Incoming District Governor and Guest of Neal Sutker.

