

WARNER ROBINS ROTARY CLUB

Jan. 26, 2010

Greeters

Today Carl Veline, Seaborn Crosby, Woody Davis
Feb. 2 Mike Loden, Sam Dorsey, Bob Dubiel

Invocation..... Rob Tawse

Pledge of Allegiance..... Joel Bickmore

Four-Way Test Rodney Smith

TODAY'S PROGRAM

**Daniel Shirley, sports editor, The Telegraph,
and author,
"Hatch Attack - Chris Hatcher"**

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Feb. 2 Barbara Lilley Long, executive director,
NAMI Central Georgia Inc.
(National Alliance on Mental Illness)

Feb. 9 Garrett Williams, scout executive,
Central Georgia Council, Boy Scouts of America
on the 100th anniversary of Scouting

Feb. 16 TBA

Feb. 23 Linda Herdina, METS director, Rotary District 6920

PROGRAM REPORT

Jan. 19, 2010

**Dr. Martha Venn,
vice president for academic affairs,
Macon State College**

Dr. Venn is now serving her second stint at Macon State, after making her mark establishing the college's early childhood education program.

"(Her program) serves as a model for teacher preparation in higher education," said Mike Hale in his introduction.

After a brief time working at the state Board of Regents, Venn returned recently to take the position of vice president for academic affairs.

In her presentation, she stressed the need for higher education to be more flexible and more responsive to the changing needs of the workforce.

Venn said MSC's mission can be summed up with the question, "What skills should students have when they graduate and enter the workforce?"

The answer to that question is a moving target, but MSC is more nimble and flexible than ever, capable of adding and removing programs as needed.

"We have to do things differently," she said. "We have to produce a different workforce."

CLUB DONATES SHELTER BOX FOR HAITI RELIEF

A shelter box, costing \$1,000, has been donated by the Warner Robins Rotary Club for Haiti earthquake relief.

To learn more about shelter boxes, visit this website:

<http://shelterbox.org/>

ROTARY DISTRICT 6920 RAFFLE

Tickets are \$25 each, or five for \$100.

IMPORTANT: Be sure to make your check out to "Rotary District 6920 Raffle" in the amount of at least \$50 (the price of two tickets).

Gary Lee is collecting payments for the tickets.

Payment is due by March.

UPCOMING ROTARY DATES

Feb. 12-13 Assistant Governor & District Director Training, Jekyll Island
March 13-14 PETS - Renaissance Concourse Hotel, Atlanta Airport
April 23-25 District Conference, Jekyll Island Convention Center,
Jekyll Island
June 20-23 Rotary International Convention -- Montreal, Canada

ROTARY ON THE WEB

Club website www.warnerrobinsrotary.org
District website www.rotarydistrict6920.org
District and Club Database www.dacdb.com
Rotary International www.rotary.org
eClub One www.rotaryclubone.org

MAKE-UP SCHEDULE

Monday.....noon, New Perry Hotel, Perry
Monday.....1 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, Macon
Tuesday.....7:30 a.m., Piccadilly Cafeteria, Centerville
Tuesday.....noon, Community House, Cochran
Wednesday.....8 a.m., Country Cupboard, Byron
Wednesday.....noon, The Steak House Restaurant, Hawkinsville
Wednesday.....12:30 p.m., Macon Centreplex, Downtown Macon
Thursday.....noon, Idle Hour Country Club, 251 Idle Hour Drive, Uptown Macon
Thursday.....noon, Holiday Inn, Forsyth
Thursday.....12:30 p.m., Country Club, Milledgeville
Friday.....noon, Sidetrack Cafe, Eastman
Friday.....12:30 p.m., Dublin Country Club, Dublin
eClubOne (24/7).....www.rotaryclubone.org

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