2013 Grystal Anniversary TRIBUTE TO WOMEN LEADERS

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Welcome

On behalf of the YMCA of Coastal Georgia and the Tribute to Women Leaders Steering Committee, welcome to the 15th Annual Tribute to Women Leaders luncheon. This event allows us to honor women in our community who are touching lives and changing hearts around us every day.

It also enables the YMCA to fulfill its mission of putting Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all.

We hope you are inspired by what you see and hear today; we thank you for being a part of this very special occasion.

Event Chair

We have accomplished so much in the last 15 years. We've blazed a trail with the help of women who came before us, and are honored to keep the torch lit for the next generation.

- Candice Temple, Event Chair



Candice Temple

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Dedication

he Golden Isles YMCA dedicates this 15th year anniversary luncheon to the 1999 inaugural class of the Tribute to Women Leaders. The luncheon was designed to recognize the contributions local women have made to area businesses and to our community.

Carolyn Hall, then Executive Director of the YWCA, along with Susan Shipman and Faith Willis, the first program co-chairs, envisioned a signature event which would not only highlight the accomplishments of these women but also foster women's leadership development in future generations. The event has now honored over 300 women of all ages and walks of life. The Golden Isles YMCA Board of Managers is proud to continue this fine tradition. As we reflect on the commitment, diversity and achievements of the many women who have been honored since 1999, we are pleased to dedicate this Crystal Anniversary Edition to the women who represent the first class of honorees:

Wanda Lorraine Allen Charlie D. Atkinson Marsha Jeanine Jones Certain, M.D. LaVerne Cooper Emily C. Davenport Susan Server Hamer Jo Ann Joubert Sharon Kelly Dorothy L. Lord, Ph.D. Catherine Sylvia Pittman Gail Rose Lana S. Skelton, M.D. Rebecca Rutherford Steinmann Charlotte Summers Shayla Mina Thomas Susan Thornton Merry Tipton Mary Grace "M.G." Whittle Amanda Williams, J.D. Lisa Godbey Wood, J.D.



Jeanne Manning, Faith Willis & Susan Shipman



Cathy Cox, Georgia Secretary of State

The Board of Managers of the YMCA wants to recognize and thank five local contributors who have supported the Tribute to Women Leaders event each of the 15 years since its inception:

ACE Garden Center The Azalea Fund The Darkroom Jekyll Island Ned Cash Jewelers





1999 Tribute Honorees

A Message from the Branch Director





2012 was a year of transition and change for the Golden Isles YMCA. It marked the completion of our first full year as a chartered member of the YMCA of Coastal Georgia and also generated leadership changes at our facility and with our board. We have emerged as a stronger organization with expanded programs and more connection to the communities we serve.

This past year, we have worked diligently to implement the YMCA areas of focus: Healthy Living, Youth Development, and Social Responsibility. In the area of healthy living we offer a free monthly Lunch and Learn lecture provided by experts in areas such as nutrition, diabetes, and cancer. Activate Golden Isles, which is offered by our fitness staff, provides personalized exercise and nutrition plans to our members along with one on one monitoring and consultation. Most notably, the refurbished outdoor Olympic sized pool reopened to rave reviews and just in time for the summer season.

Our Bright From the Start licensed child development center and the Pryme Tyme after school enrichment programs serve as the pillars of our Youth Development activities. The child development center meets a critical need in our community by providing high quality, affordable childcare, and early learning opportunities in a supportive and educational environment.

In keeping with the history and traditions of the YWCA of Brunswick, The Golden Isles YMCA is honored to continue two vitally important legacy programs: the Tribute to Women Leaders and the Young Women's Career Adventure Program. The latter initiative provides a unique leadership development experience for 24 rising eighth grade girls each year. Its primary component involves an intensive two week summer program which introduces students to local professional women, provides instruction in personal development skills, and allows them to explore a variety of career fields, all in a motivational and fun environment. Y Tribute serves as an excellent opportunity to honor our community's women leaders, while raising funds to provide financial support and scholarships for YMCA programming.

I thank you for your faithful support of the YWCA of Brunswick and now the Golden Isles YMCA. Working together we will continue to build on nearly 100 years of service to this area while developing new programs and services to meet the growing needs of our community.

Yours in Service,

Shane Ruffin, Branch Director

ogram Agenda

Welcome and Program Dedication Invocation Lunch Introduction of Speaker Keynote Address Tribute to Honoree

Adjournment

Vel Knight McGrath, Honorary Co-Chair Abra Lattany-Reed, YMCA Tribute Steering Committee

Candice Temple, Event Chair Carmen Agra Deedy, Children's Author Lea King-Badyna, YMCA Tribute Steering Committee Jannett D. Bradford, Ph.D., YMCA Tribute Steering Committee Sheriff Neal Jump, Honorary Co-Chair

Special Thanks to the following businesses and persons:

Linda Wright; Jennifer Gray, Ph.D., College of Coastal Georgia; Dawn Hart, ACE Garden Center; John and Nick Toth, The Dark Room; Ned Cash Jewelers; Paramount Printing; Lindy Thompson, Golden Isles Photography; Susan Thornton;

Honorary Co-Chairs



Vel Knight McGrath

Pel Knight McGrath, a Tribute To Women Leaders Alumna, has a deep history as a Tribute volunteer, including Steering Committee member, committee co-chair, and now Honorary Co-Chair.

Mrs. McGrath moved to St. Simons Island in 1980. Known to most as "Vel," she established three branch offices of Kelly Services, Inc., an international leader in the temporary help industry. Under her leadership, these offices earned many national achievement honors and eventually employed over 500 temporary workers in addition to full time staff members. Mrs. McGrath went on to co-own CoastLink Realty, Inc. for ten years. She is presently a Realtor with Signature Properties Group. She is a Life Member of the Golden Isles Association of Realtors Circle of Excellence.

Mrs. McGrath attended the University of Dayton in Ohio, earning a bachelor's degree in English. She remains a passionate advocate for a humanities-based education. The first woman elected Chairman of the Brunswick Golden Isles Chamber of Commerce, Mrs. McGrath is also one of the first women members of the Brunswick Rotary Club. She thrived in these pioneering roles and sought to prepare a pathway for other women leaders with the vision to inspire others.

Mrs. McGrath previously volunteered as a director for the Southeast Georgia Health System Foundation, the United Way, and American Heart Association Boards of Directors, and on the advisory boards of the College of Coastal Georgia and YWCA of Coastal Georgia. She was chosen as "Woman of the Year" in 1990 by Shiloh Baptist Church in Brunswick and was recognized in the "Women of South Coastal Georgia" exhibition by the Lighthouse Historical Society. Currently, she is an Associate on the Victory Board of The American Cancer Society and is a Lifetime member of the Brunswick Golden Isles Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors.



Sheriff Neal Jump

heriff Neal Jump, a member of the YMCA Board of Managers, has established a distinguished career in his 35 years in law enforcement. After joining the Georgia State Patrol in Douglas at the age of 18, he served for more than 25 years as a state trooper in the Douglas, Savannah, and Brunswick posts; the last 13 years included Assistant Post and Post Commander leadership roles.

Over the years, his duties have included traffic enforcement, accident investigation, emergency response, and prison riot assignments among other responsibilities. He was a Field Training Officer, Field Commander for Troop 1 DUI/Drug Team, a driving instructor, and an instructor at the Kentucky Trooper School. He served on both the Olympic and Super Bowl details in Atlanta and was Assistant Commander assigned to Savannah during the G8 Summit on Sea Island. Sheriff Jump has also been trained in advanced accident investigations and SWAT operations. Sheriff Jump retired from the Georgia State Patrol in 2008 as the Brunswick Post-Commander, Sergeant first-class. Not long after his retirement, he joined the Glynn County Sheriff's Department as Deputy Sheriff. Less than two years later, he was promoted to Major, becoming a Unit Supervisor. His responsibilities expanded to include administrative tasks including coordination and supervision of serving criminal arrest warrants and other court documents or orders, security of the courts and jurors, prisoner transportation, and budget preparation and oversight, among other responsibilities.

In the fall of 2012, Sheriff Jump was elected Glynn County Sheriff and was sworn into office in January. He considers it a great honor to have been given the opportunity to serve in this role and is grateful to the citizens of the community for entrusting him with the duties of his office.

Our Speaker

Carmen Agra Deedy

Agra Deedy has been writing for children for over two decades. Born in Havana, Cuba, she came to the U.S. as a refugee in 1964. She grew up in Decatur, Georgia, where she lives today. Deedy began writing as a young mother and storyteller whose NPR commentaries on All Things Considered were collected and released under the title, Growing Up Cuban In Decatur, Georgia. The pithy collection of 12 stories soon garnered awards, among them a 1995

Publishers Weekly Best Audio (Adult Storytelling) and a 1996 Parents' Choice Gold Award.

Her children's books have won numerous awards as well. The Library Dragon received various children's state book awards and has sold near half a million copies. In 2003 the book was her home state's choice to represent Georgia at the Library of Congress's National Book Festival.

The Yellow Star was the recipient of the 2001 Jane Addams Peace Association Book Award (Honor), presented to Ms. Deedy at the United

Nations by Mrs. Kofi Annan. It also received the 2001 Christopher Award, the 2000 Parent's Choice Gold Award, the 2001 Bologna Ragazzi Award (for best international children's book), the 2002 WOW Award (National Literary Association of England), among other notable awards and honors. It has been translated to over a dozen languages.

Martina the Beautiful Cockroach was presented with the 2008 Pura Belpre Honor Award, the 2008 NCSS/CBC Notable Social Studies Book Award, the 2008 Best Children's Books of the Year (Bank Street College of Education), the 2008 International Latino Book Award, the Irma Simonton and James H. Black Award (Honor), and the 2009 ALA Odyssey Audio Award (Honor), among others.

Deedy's children's book, 14 Cows for America, is based on an astonishing gift Americans received from a Maasai village in Kenya, following the events of 9/11. The book was released in September of 2009 and is a New York Times Bestseller. The Wall Street Journal described it as a "... moving and dramatically illustrated picture book."

She has now expanded into the world of chapter books with The Cheshire Cheese Cat: A Dickens of a Tale. This is a story of deception, intrigue, and derring-do that reveals the unlikely alliance between a





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cheese-loving cat and the Cheshire Cheese inn's mice in Victorian England.

Fans of Carmen's work will be delighted to know that the sequel to The Library Dragon was released August 2012. The Return of the Library Dragon brings us back to

Sunrise Elementary School and the Library Dragon we have all come to know and love. On the eve of her retirement, some shocking changes happen in her library that bring out the dragon in her.

Deedy has spent the past 20 years writing and telling stories. She has been an invited speaker at venues as varied as The American Library Association, Refugees International, The International Reading Association, Columbia University, The Smithsonian Institute, TED, The National Book Festival, and the Kennedy Center.

An ardent supporter of libraries, she was the 2008 National Spokesperson for School Library Media Month (AASL). She has spoken before Noble Laureates and Pulitzer Prize winners, CEOs of major corporations, and heads of state. Over a span of 20 years, Deedy has told stories to hundreds of thousands of school children. They remain her favorite audiences. 7



GEORGIA POWER COMPANY HONORS

Stacy Bell

Stacy has worked for Georgia Power as Senior Distribution Support Representative for 14 years. Her life is guided by the five "C's" - commitment, care, compassion, competence, courage, and communication. These qualities make her a productive, spirited, and effective leader at home, at work, and in her community.

- James Hawkins, Engineering Supervisor 1, Georgia Power

iving back to community is not just a way of life for honoree Stacy Bell, it is part of who she is. Whether through her job as Senior Distribution Support Representative for Georgia Power, or on her own time, Mrs. Bell does her part to help others and make the world a better place.

As a University of Phoenix alumni mentor, she provides support and encouragement to currently enrolled students. She serves as a Georgia Power "PowerTown" school volunteer, teaching others how to stay safe around electricity. Mrs. Bell is a 2012-13 Brunswick-Golden Isles Chamber of Commerce Leadership Glynn participant and Junior Achievement mentor, who enjoys teaching school students to create, build, run, and liquidate a company. Not afraid to roll up her sleeves and get to work, she is actively involved in Earth Day Turtle River clean ups, Special Olympics projects, Martin Luther King Day service projects, and American Cancer Society Relay for Life and Pitch for a Cure events.

Through Georgia Power, Mrs. Bell has had many opportunities to make a difference professionally as well. She has served with Citizens of Georgia Power, Southern Style Council, Employee Council, Coastal Region Technical Women in Georgia, the Customer Service Satisfaction Team, and the Customer Touch Point Committee.

Mrs. Bell graduated summa cum laude from the University of Phoenix with a bachelor of science degree in Psychology, She and her family reside in Midway. Raising a son who is happy, well adjusted, and successful in school is the achievement of which she is most proud.

Guided by a sense of family and community, honoree Stacy Bell makes a difference every day at work, home and in her community.



Georgia Power Company is the largest subsidiary of Southern Company, one of the nation's largest generators of electricity. The company is an investor-owned, tax-paying utility serving customers in all but four of Georgia's 159 counties. Georgia Power has been providing electricity to Georgia for over a century at rates well below the national average.

MIKE MURPHY AUTO GROUP HONORS

Mary Callaway-Hunt

Mary Hunt epitomizes selfless service for the community, her family, and friends.



lected to the Glynn County Commission in 2010, Mary Callaway-Hunt is one of the youngest female county commissioners currently serving in the state of Georgia. In 2013, or within two years of being sworn in to her office, she was then elected by her peers to serve as the Commission's Chairwoman.

Mrs. Callaway-Hunt has taken very seriously the duties required of all elected public servants. She was a member of the finance committee and has chaired the Pension and Personnel Committee. She immersed herself in the duties of a commissioner by attending the Advance Training Program for County Commissioners; she was also the commission's appointee to the Georgia Department of Natural Resources Advisory Council. Currently, in addition to her duties as Chair, she represents the commission on the Coastal Regional Commission and the Golden Isles Convention and Visitors Bureau. Mrs. Callaway-Hunt also enjoys a successful career as a real estate agent, having received her Graduate Realtor Institute (GRI) designation in 2003. She is currently an agent with DeLoach Sotheby's International Realty, where she has spent 11 of her 13 years in the industry.

In spite of her busy professional life, she has found time to volunteer for numerous organizations, working with the International Seafarer's Center International Night Out, the Bennett Foundation, and the St. Francis Xavier Harvest Ball Committee. She is currently a trustee for The Chapel, President of her homeowner's association, and a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She has also attended classes at College of Coastal Georgia.

Mrs. Callaway-Hunt and her husband Brendan have a young daughter and son. While she finds great satisfaction in her career and public service, her greatest joy comes in being mother to her children and in maintaining joy in her home and in lives of her husband and family.



Mike Murphy Auto Group acquired its first local dealership, Mike Murphy KIA, in Brunswick, Georgia. Its vision began with the desire to provide an excellent selection of new and used vehicles, along with outstanding service to enhance their customer's ownership experience. Mike Murphy Auto Group then expanded with the acquisition of a second dealership, Mike Murphy Ford in Darien, where it continues its objective to provide a superior customer service experience for individuals, families, and businesses.

- Mike Murphy, Sr.



GP CELLULOSE, BRUNSWICK CELLULOSE, INC. HONORS

Chasse-Fernald

Jenn is a valuable teammate at our mill and sets a great example with her dedication and passion for her job. Her experience, leadership, and work contributions help create value for Brunswick Cellulose. Jenn is a thoughtful and considerate co-worker who has the respect and admiration of her teammates; we are fortunate to have her with us.

- David Martinez, Vice President - Manufacturing

orn in a small mill town in Northern Maine, honoree Jennifer Chasse-Fernald began her career with Georgia Pacific at its facility in Baileyville, Maine, shortly after graduating with a bachelor of science degree in Chemical Engineering. While her impressive 17 year career with G.P. Cellulose has taken her from Maine to New York State, she and her family now call Brunswick and the Golden Isles home. In her current role as Senior Environmental Engineer at the Brunswick facility of G.P. Cellulose, Inc., she has worked to develop a market for the by-products created in the manufacturing process. Under her direction, the facility has increased the amount of by-product being beneficially reused or recycled from 0% to greater than 80%. With the goal of 100% recycling of the Brunswick facility's by-products in mind, she continues to pursue other markets to reuse the remaining 20%.

Since relocating to Brunswick in 2006, Mrs. Chasse-Fer-

nald has been very active in her adopted home community. She is an American Red Cross tri-athlon volunteer, participates as a member of the Brunswick Cellulose Inc. Relay for Life team and their Brunswick Stewbilee team. Her commitment to the environment is further expressed by her volunteer participation in the Keep Brunswick and the Golden Isles Beautiful phonebook recycling and electronics recycling events. She is also a 2009 graduate of Leadership Glynn, a prestigious program that provides existing and emerging leaders a behind the scenes look into our educational, judicial, and health systems, as well as local government and economics.

Married to her high school sweetheart, Jason, she has one child and is expecting a second any day now. Mrs. Chase-Fernald credits her husband's love and support as the foundation that has enabled her to successfully balance her personal and professional goals.



G.P. Cellulose, LLC, is part of Georgia Pacific, a wholly owned subsidiary of Koch Industries. GP Cellulose owns three state of the art pulp mills in Brunswick, GA, Perdue Hill, AL, and New Augusta, MS. These mills produce fluff, market, and filter pulps. The Brunswick mill, in operation since 1938 and celebrating its 75th anniversary this year, is the world's largest single site fluff pulp mill. GP Cellulose continues to invest in new technologies at the Brunswick facility to ensure that its operations can competitively produce innovative products to meet the changing and future needs of the marketplace.

A BENEFACTOR HONORS

Suzanne Clements

In her 26 years with the Glynn County School System, Suzanne Clements has influenced the educational growth of countless students. As the principal of St. Simons Elementary School, she has proven her leadership and instructional expertise; she leaves a legacy of high student achievement and a school recognized as one of the state's finest schools.

- Debbie Bennett, Executive Director, Human Resources, Glynn County Schools



elen Keller once said that optimism is the faith that leads to achievement. When Suzanne Clements retires as the principal of St. Simons Elementary School in May, her successor will inherit a school sustained by that philosophy so effectively emulated by its leader. In 2012 the school was named a 2012 Georgia Department of Education Reward School for High Progress, and it was a 2013 Finalist for the Georgia Family Friendly School Award.

Mrs. Clements spent her first four years of teaching in Atlanta Public Schools and the District of Columbia, instructing mentally challenged students. After moving to Glynn County in 1987, she joined the faculty of Burroughs-Molette Elementary until her 2003 promotion to Instructional Coach. She was then named Interim Principal of Altama Elementary School in January 2007 followed by her appointment as Principal of St. Simons Elementary School later that year.

Her leadership skills and optimism allowed St. Simons Elementary to thrive after a dramatic shift in the school's demographics and population occurred in 2007. She is most proud of having had the opportunity to lead the school through the inherent challenges of major population shifts to being recognized as one of the state's finest schools. Equally, she cherishes its outstanding educators who make a difference in the lives of their students every day.

Her community service continued well after the dismissal bell rang. As a member of First Baptist Church, she has served in various capacities including Sunday School teacher and Committee Chair. She also led a Girl Scout Troop and actively volunteered for her children's sports teams, both through Glynn County Parks and Recreation and what was then known as the Brunswick YWCA Swim Team.

Mrs. Clements earned her bachelor's degree from the University of South Florida, a master's degree from Georgia Southern University, and Certification in Education Administration and Leadership from the University of Georgia. She and her husband of 42 years have three grown daughters.



With a tradition that dates back 225 years, the Glynn County School System is one of the oldest public education institutions in the state of Georgia. Today, nearly 13,000 students in grades prekindergarten through 12 are riding a wave of technology that brings the world into their classroom, opening the doors to limitless possibilities and visions of what the future may hold. St. Simons Elementary was also a School of Excellence in 2004, 1996, & 1990.



JEKYLL ISLAND AUTHORITY HONORS

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Since Jenna came to work at the JIA, she has become the "go-to" person for H/R and benefit issues for both employees and supervisors. She is the focal point for a new HRIS system. Jenna implemented and chaired the employee recognition and wellness committees and completed her bachelor's degree and PHR certification. Known as being "fair" and "level-headed," her positive attitude and motivation is a great asset to the JIA. – Marjorie Johnson, Chief Accounting Officer, JIA

hen honoree Jennifer Frost moved to the Golden Isles in 2001, she brought with her a strong sense of community and an enthusiasm for volunteerism. Putting that very outlook to work, she made involvement in her new community a top personal priority.

Keeping children near and dear to her heart, Ms. Frost is a volunteer and past board member for the Golden Isles Children's Advocacy Center. She is most proud of the "Holiday Hope Toy Drive" that raises both community awareness of child abuse and collects toys for local children in need. For these efforts, Ms. Frost was awarded the Michael Axelrod Power of Prevention Volunteer Award.

As a dedicated volunteer and past marketing chair for the American Cancer Society's local Relay For Life, she is actively making strides against a disease that touches so many lives. Ms. Frost also spends time volunteering with the Goodwill Job Connection and serves as a board member for Goodwill of the Coastal Empire. Her love for helping others spills over into her professional career as well with the Jekyll Island Authority human resources department. There she interacts with both employees and supervisors, assisting with a myriad of human resources and benefit issues. Bringing to Jekyll Island her spirit of volunteerism, Ms. Frost implemented and chaired the employee recognition and wellness committees.

Born in Bristol, Connecticut, Ms. Frost earned a bachelor's degree in Business Administration from South University in Savannah and is pursing an MBA degree in Human Resources Management from Brenau University.

Helping others, whether through her civic activities or chosen profession, is truly a way of life for honoree Jennifer Frost, and the Golden Isles community is all the better for that.



The Jekyll Island Authority is responsible for this unique barrier island on Georgia's coast, offering a variety of amenities, ten miles of beach, four golf courses, The Georgia Sea Turtle Center, Summer Waves, and more. Jekyll Island is the choice destination!

COASTAL NURSECARE, INC. HONORS

Phillis George, 9h.9

Since her arrival at Coastal Georgia, Dr. Phillis George has become a recognized and respected force for student achievement and community engagement. As the College's director of service-learning, Dr. George develops effective field-based educational partnerships which advance student learning and civic engagement. She is an awesome talent and a total treasure!

- Valerie A. Hepburn, Ph.D., President, College of Coastal Georgia



or Dr. Phillis George, the long-lasting value of engagement between local communities and higher education has never been purely academic. Her impressive career trajectory was launched thanks to an experience with service-oriented university students and faculty during her youth. As a scholar and leader, Dr. George now shares service-learning with a younger generation.

Dr. George grew up the youngest of six brothers and sisters in Canton, Mississippi. Her parents, clergyman Reverend Phil George and educator Dr. Emma George, instilled a sense of scholarship and service into young Phillis. As a young girl, she was impressed by visiting students on a service trip to Mississippi from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, including meeting a professor who was a freedom rider during the civil rights struggles of the 1960s.

After witnessing the community impact of student and scholar volunteerism, Dr. George accepted a prestigious Chancellor's Scholarship from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, earning her bachelor's degree in Sociology and Communicative Disorders. She continued her studies at Oxford University in the United Kingdom, returning with a masters degree in Sociology. Dr. George returned to Wisconsin, ultimately completing her doctorate in Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis.

Dr. George worked as a program director in the office of Academic Affairs at the University of Wisconsin-Madison before returning to Mississippi as Assistant Director of Service-Learning at Jackson State University. Dr. George was then chosen as the inaugural Director of Service-Learning and Community Engagement at the College of Coastal Georgia. With her help, the College of Coastal Georgia was named to the 2013 U.S. President's Higher Education Community Honor Roll.

Dr. George is most proud of her opportunity to serve as an engaged citizen, using her talents and gifts to honor and serve others. She volunteers on the United Way of Coastal Georgia Board of Directors, the Executive Committee of Young Leaders in Society, the Governance Board of Family Connection of Glynn County, the Coastal Advisory Board of the Georgia Center of Non-Profits, and the Golden Isles Chapter of the Junior League of Savannah.

Coastal NurseCare, Inc., founded in 1987 by Lee and Emily Davenport, is southeast Georgia's largest private home nursing care provider. Licensed by the state of Georgia, Coastal Nurse-Care provides in-home, assisted living services, skilled nursing, and pediatric critical care. Additional services include supplemental staffing for hospitals, nursing homes, clinics, and physician's offices. With the acquisition of CareStaff in 2001, Coastal NurseCare expanded services to Florida and Alabama. Coastal Addiction Counseling, a division of Coastal NurseCare, provides substance abuse counseling, anger and violence counseling, and is a state certified provider of DUI counseling for coastal Georgia.





SEA ISLAND COMPANY HONORS

Beverly Godley

Beverly Godley exemplifies leadership and lives our company values in both her daily work and service to the community. When thinking of Sea Island values that best represent Beverly, you think of caring, loyalty, and teamwork. Beverly comes early, stays late, and works on weekends when needed for golf tournaments.

- Roz Sheppard, Employee Relations Manager

Astering the art of living life may well be one of Beverly Godley's greatest successes. Perhaps this positive mindset is why she often finds herself serving as a surrogate mother to young golf professionals who train on the links of Sea Island.

Mrs. Godley joined Sea Island Company 24 years ago, spending her first 11 years working in the executive offices of The Cloister Hotel. She is now the Office Manager of the Sea Island Golf Club where she has served for the last 13 years. Her role carries multiple responsibilities, including assistance in organizing and preparing golf tournaments, payroll, and training plans as well as managing daily activities at the Golf Club. She considers her most important roles to be mentor, supporter, and advocate for all of her fellow employees.

Working with individuals who share a genuine interest in helping others is one of Mrs. Godley's career highlights. Her acts of service continue in many other community endeavors as well. Locally she volunteers with the Boys and Girls Club, is a member of the United Way committee of Sea Island (participating in United Way Days of Caring), and is also a member of the Sea Island Relay for Life Committee. She can be seen at the McGladrey Classic Golf Tournament volunteering with children from both the Special Olympics and Boys and Girls Club. She also spends time in a soup kitchen in New York City preparing meals for shut-ins.

She is a member of the Altamaha River Partnership, a past PTA President, and a Past President of the Junior League. She considers raising her two daughters, together with her husband Bo, to be their mutual greatest accomplishment.

Mrs. Godley received her education at Glynn Academy and what is now known as College of Coastal Georgia. She also earned Certificates in Hospitality from the American Hotel and Lodging Educational Institute.



Sea Island features two of the world's most exceptional destinations: The Forbes Five-Star Cloister at Sea Island and the Forbes Five-Star, AAA Five-Diamond Lodge at Sea Island Golf Club. Guests of the resort and members of the Sea Island Golf Club may enjoy three championship golf courses, the Golf Learning Center, the Forbes Five-Star Georgian Room restaurant, extensive children's programs, Beach Club, Tennis Club, Yacht Club, Shooting School, and The Forbes Five-Star Spa at Sea Island. Sea Island's famous Seaside Course is the site of the McGladrey Classic, a PGA Tour Fall Series event, hosted by Davis Love, III.

YMCA TRIBUTE HONOREE ALUMNAE HONORS

Susan Goodhue

Susan's life is an embodiment of community service. Momentous would describe her devotion and service to a long list of charitable organizations. Her position as Executive Director of the Terry Thomas Foundation now provides a vehicle for her to improve our community, continue personal community service, and honor the philanthropic endeavors of Terry Thomas.

- Rees M. Sumerford, Director, Terry Thomas Foundation



he thread of philanthropy and an embedded connection to the YMCA are woven intricately in Susan Goodhue's life. Her grandfather, a vice chairman of the YMCA National War Work Council during World War I, built a YMCA facility on his company's Alabama property. Ms. Goodhue's lifetime of work with charitable organizations, including the YMCA, continues this legacy.

Raised in South Hadley, Massachusetts, Ms. Goodhue completed her undergraduate degree at the University of Georgia. She earned her master's degree at Springfield College, known at one time as the YMCA International Training School, in Massachusetts.

Ms. Goodhue's personal introduction to the local YWCA, now known as the YMCA, began in 1979 when she became the Acting Executive Director. Later she worked with the YMCA in Thomasville, Georgia, as a Departmental Director and Public Relations Assistant. She returned to the YWCA of Brunswick in 1989 to direct public relations and financial development. Her work between these two organizations bridged fourteen years; in between her first two positions, she also logged a year of service with the Sea Island Company.

Shifting her focus in 1993, Ms. Goodhue helped establish the Southeast Georgia Health System Foundation, an organization that she then managed for ten years. The Foundation continues to thrive today.

In 2003, Ms. Goodhue began working for Terry Thomas, one of Glynn County's most renowned benefactors. She initially served as a community liaison to multiple charities, including the YWCA. Of equal importance, she breathed life to Miss Thomas' vision of establishing a foundation to continue Miss Thomas' altruistic legacy even after her death, Ms. Goodhue is now Executive Director of the Terry Thomas Foundation.

It is in honoring Miss Thomas' memory that Ms. Goodhue finds the greatest professional fulfillment. When reflecting upon her life, however, she identifies her greatest achievement on a more personal level: raising her son Will.



Terry Thomas Foundation

Established during the lifetime of Miss Julia Terrill "Terry" Thomas (1922-2011), the Terry Thomas Foundation perpetuates the philanthropic legacy of its founder. Miss Thomas was a loyal supporter of numerous local charities, including the YWCA. She became a key contributor to the Terrill Thomas Family Center, now home to the Golden Isles Family YMCA. The Foundation and its Board seek to improve the lives of individuals and the well being of the community in such a way that it reflects the interests and passions initiated by Miss Thomas during her life here in the Golden Isles.





AN ANONYMOUS SPONSOR HONORS

Leslie Hartman

Leslie Hartman is a leader in this community, dedicated to making a difference in the lives of children and families, with a heart for Safe Harbor and its mission.

– Jeannie Roberts, Assistant Director

Or onoree Leslie Hartman has built a rewarding career based on the tenets of protecting and providing service to the most vulnerable among us. Her compassion for children in need and her skill in connecting children and their families with essential resources make her a valuable asset to our community. Mrs. Hartman joined the team at Safe Harbor Children's Shelter as a therapist in 2009. She was promoted to Executive Director in 2010, assuming the helm of an organization threatened with closure. Her leadership effectively and quickly restored the shelter's viability. Today, the shelter thrives in its mission of providing emergency shelter and support services for children in crisis, primarily because of abuse or neglect.

Mrs. Hartman graduated from the University of Georgia with a bachelor of arts degree in Psychology and continued her education with a master of education degree, specializing in Community Counseling, from the University of West Georgia. She completed her clinical internship at Kennesaw College Counseling Center where she performed career, personal, and academic counseling. A licensed professional counselor in the State of Georgia, Mrs. Hartman previously held positions as a residential treatment counselor, social worker, and private practice counselor.

She is an active volunteer in her adopted home community, volunteering for and supporting the St. Simons Cotillion and the Cherokee Garden Club. She also serves as a member of the local governance board of the Family Connection Glynn County, a part of the Georgia statewide initiative of 159 community collaborative partnerships committed to making measurable improvements for children and families in Georgia.

Mrs. Hartman and husband, Ben, have been married for 17 years and are the proud parents of Hill, Curry, and Spence, ages 13, 12 and 9. Leslie states that her greatest joy and achievement is watching her three beautiful children learn and grow everyday.



Safe Harbor is a private, nonprofit, 501(c)3 organization governed by a volunteer board of directors and serves as a haven for threatened children and youth. Safe Harbor is licensed by the State of Georgia to operate a long-term child caring institution with eighteen beds. The agency opened in 1991 after shelter founder Susan Hamer discovered that such youth in coastal Georgia had no place to go when needing help. More than 4000 youth have stayed at Safe Harbor since its opening. The mission is to provide therapeutic services and a Safe Haven for abused, neglected, abandoned, at risk, runaway and homeless children.

TRIBUTE PATRONS HONOR

Polly Ellen Howell

Hardworking, responsible, and mature is how many describe Polly Howell. In a class of 29 seniors, Polly stands out. She is an accomplished young woman who possesses tremendous leadership skills and has a heart made for helping others.

- Laura Nevins, Upper School Counselor/Director of College Placement, Frederica Academy



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Active within the community, Polly is a community volunteer for Southeast Georgia Health System, Manna House, Habitat for Humanity, Emory University, Frederica Academy First Grade, Angel Food Christmas Project, and the McIntosh County Department of Leisure Services Day Care. Her community involvement does not end there: she is also leader and president of Girl Talk, president of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and an advisory board member of the Elizabeth Correll Teen Center.

At Frederica Academy, Miss Howell has been Junior Class President, National Honor Society President, and a seven-year Honor Council representative. She has received the Presidential Service Award three years in a row, the Wellesley College Book Award, and the Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Award.

This fall Miss Howell plans to attend either the University of Georgia or Auburn University. Her career goals include the education of special needs students or occupational therapy for neonatal intensive care unit babies.

The achievement of which Miss Howell is most proud is being known as an honorable Christian leader in her high school and community.

With a tremendous commitment to volunteerism in her community, honoree Polly Ellen Howell is already making a difference; and her efforts are helping to make our community and the world a better place.



Founded in 1969, Frederica Academy is a coeducational, nondenominational, independent, college preparatory day school offering the highest quality education for students of all races, creeds, and nationalities. The mission of Frederica Academy is to maximize the potential of each student and to prepare him or her for college and adult life through the development of mind, body, and spirit. Frederica Academy prepares its students to be self-reliant, active learners and responsible citizens who pursue excellence in all endeavors. It is a place where individuals grow beyond the classroom, develop strengths, discover passions, and create their own success story.



FLETC RECREATION ASSOCIATION HONORS Elizabeth D. Lane

Elizabeth Lane has contributed to the FLETC's success by applying her diverse experience in all aspects – from curriculum development to presentation and program coordination. Her skills range from the artistic to the analytical. Her kind spirit is apparent whether she is working on a project or playing piano for a local church.

- Connie Patrick, Director, FLETC

lizabeth Lane's kindness and generosity of time and spirit shines through in all she does, whether playing the piano for her church, mentoring younger colleagues, or sharing her love for animals through volunteer and rescue work.

A native of Brunswick, Ms. Lane began her extensive federal career at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center in May of 1983. Since that time, she has dedicated herself to the training of federal, state, local, tribal, territorial, and international law enforcement officers. Her experience includes all aspects of law enforcement training, from curriculum development to presentation and program coordination. She is also proficient in personnel issues, risk management, budget and procurement, marketing and graphic design, information technology, project planning, interagency agreements, policy, and administrative guidance. Serving in a variety of positions at FLETC, she rose through the ranks from a training technician, to program specialist and acting division chief, and most recently, a Senior Policy and Project Analyst for the Director's Office. She is known for her creative problem solving, her intuitive grasp of complex issues, and her analytical ability to quickly comprehend new ideas, methods, and concepts.

Ms. Lane's love of music is her passion. She is an accomplished pianist and graduated from the American College of Musician's National Guild of Piano Teachers. She started playing piano at the age of six and began playing piano and organ for area churches at age 14. Along with touring extensively in the southeastern United States with a Christian singing group, she provided piano accompaniment for a world-renown classical guitarist from Spain, as well as for a nationally recognized singer. She selflessly shares the talents God gave her through her service as marketing manager for several mission coordination teams and leadership of musical programs for children.



The FLETC serves as an interagency law enforcement training organization for more than 90 federal agencies. The Center provides basic and advanced law enforcement training to approximately 70,000 students annually and also provides services to state, local and international law enforcement agencies. Consolidation of law enforcement training permits the federal government to emphasize training excellence and cost effectiveness. The FLETC is headquartered at Glynco in Brunswick, GA., and is Glynn County's largest employer. The FLETC Recreation Association is a non-profit organization which exists to serve the morale, welfare, and recreation needs of FLETC students and staff.

THE PHYSICIANS OF SUMMIT SPORTS MEDICINE & ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY HONOR

Donna Lewis

Donna is proud of her job. It shows in her ability to motivate others, find solutions to problems and manage an array of vast personalities. – Dr. Beau Sasser, Orthopedic Surgeon



strong love for helping others has led honoree Donna Lewis down a career path in the medical profession. With that help extending to patients, staff and physicians, Mrs. Lewis spends each and every day making a difference in the very field she is so passionate about.

A hard worker, she began her associate's degree at Coastal Georgia Community College while employed with the Camden County Board of Education. While still in school, she joined Summit Sports Medicine & Orthopaedic Surgery as a student Radiologic Technologist. She soon completed her degree and began working there full time. Over the years, both her skill set and responsibilities within the practice grew, resulting in a promotion to office manager. During her tenure with Summit, Mrs. Lewis has seen many changes in healthcare and within the practice. She assisted the physicians as they transitioned Summit to join Cooperative Healthcare Services as a strategic affiliate of Southeast Georgia Health System in 2007. She has since been promoted to Manager, Physician Practices with Cooperative Healthcare Services and is responsible for Southeast Georgia Physicians Associates Neurosciences practice and

each of the three Summit Sports Medicine & Orthopaedic Surgery locations. She spends every day assisting patients, physicians and staff to ensure that the practices run smoothly.

Eager to stay current in her professional medical endeavors, Mrs. Lewis is a member of the Georgia Society of Radiologic Technologists, American Society of Radiologic Technologists, Medical Group Management Association and Georgia Association of Orthopaedic Executives.

Mrs. Lewis and husband Roger are proud parents of three daughters and two grandsons. Active within the community, she is a member of the Woodbine United Methodist Church and volunteers with the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life and the United Way. In her leisure time Mrs. Lewis enjoys spending time with family and sewing.

Those receiving care at Summit Sports Medicine & Orthopaedic Surgery may never meet honoree Donna Lewis, but she is there, behind the scenes putting her love of helping others through medicine to work by ensuring they receive the best care possible.

The Physicians of Summit Sports Medicine & Orthopaedic Surgery Dr. Beau Sasser, Dr. Denny Carter, Dr. Melvin Deese, Dr. Michael Sullivan, Dr. Buck Cavalier and Dr. Kate Maurath are physicians at Summit Sports Medicine and Orthopedics – a strategic affiliate of Southeast Georgia Health System.



PINOVA, INC. HONORS Tina M. Ralston

Tina's excellent accounting and business knowledge has made her a key member of our Finance Team. She has a very professional and dynamic personality, making it a pleasure to work with her. Her Southern charm and love of both her family and Georgia Southern Eagles can be found in her wonderful stories and anecdotes, which are full of wit and wisdom, especially the ones about her grandfather. This is why we are proud of Tina, and we are pleased to have her as the Pinova honoree for Tribute to Women Leaders.

- Rhonda Pickren, Pinova, Director of Finance and Control

Accounting and Finance. In high school she began working at a local CPA firm and continued working in public accounting throughout college and after graduation. In her current role as Senior Financial Analyst for Pinova, Inc., Mrs. Ralston helps to manage the financial future and assure the accuracy of the financial reporting of both Pinova, Inc. and its sister company Renessenz.

While completing her Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting at Georgia Southern University, Mrs. Ralston served as the Philanthropy Chair for Sigma Delta Gamma. Her enthusiasm for her alma mater has earned a permanent place in her heart. She is an Eagle Fund donor and serves on numerous committees to help support the University. She has raised in excess of \$25,000 over the past three years as a donor delegate for the GSU Athletic Foundation and serves as a board member for the University Alumni Association. In addition to her volunteer work, she is a season ticket holder to Eagles football games where she enjoys tailgating with family and friends.

A native of Savannah, she and husband Stephen are the proud parents of two children, Christopher age 17 and Katelyn age 11. One of Mrs. Ralston's greatest accomplishments has been embracing the love, support and character teachings of her extended family and instilling those characteristics in her children. She is also proud to say that son Christopher will be following in her footsteps and plans to attend Georgia Southern University to pursue a degree in engineering in the fall of 2014.

Mrs. Ralston credits her grandparents John and Mary Thompson for instilling in her a strong work ethic, compassion and love of family. These characteristics are evident in each of her roles as mother, wife, friend, co-worker and volunteer.



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AN ANONYMOUS SPONSOR HONORS

Lee J. Scheinman

Philanthropy is evident in all that Lee does in the St. Simons Rotary Club and our larger community. Whether it is for a family in need, children participating in Baby Steps, an early learning initiative, or while standing with her walker, ringing the bell at Christmas-time for the Salvation Army, you can count on her enthusiastic support.

- Marie W. Dodd, Past President, St. Simons Rotary Club

eeting the needs of people, right where they are, is more than a simple phrase for Lee Scheinman; it is a way of life.

After attending Oglethorpe University in Atlanta, Ms. Scheinman launched a career as an independent promoter in the recording industry. Her promotional efforts landed two songs at the top of the music charts. That success led to invitations from various publishing and recording companies to promote their clients, work that generated her role in handling advance publicity for the popular Tommy Dorsey and Ray Anthony Orchestras.

Ms. Scheinman then traveled with the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra for two years. Settling back into a more stationary pursuit, she eventually garnered a position as the Media Director of an Atlanta advertising agency, where she handled radio and television negotiations and contracts for various companies, including the young Home Depot Corporation. She gained respect as a jingle author and was recognized often by her peers within the broadcast industry.



Although an enduring career in a field known for its fickle character is impressive, philanthropic efforts bring her the greatest satisfaction. Friends know Ms. Scheinman for her generous spirit, recounting many occasions when she has personally provided for the needs of those less fortunate. She also volunteered as a math tutor for both the Adult Education Center and St. Simons Elementary School for several years and taught English classes at the Latin American Resource Center during its operation in Brunswick. She currently remains active in and supportive of the St. Simons Island Rotary Club.

Ms. Scheinman overcame cancer not once, but three times in the last 42 years. It was during her first fight against the disease that she began "Parties with a Purpose," a fundraising initiative for the American Cancer Society in Atlanta and later on St. Simons Island. Spanning more than four decades, these events raised over \$400,000. This is the accomplishment of which she is most proud.



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AN ANONYMOUS SPONSOR HONORS

Kathleen Kalin Turner

We are so fortunate to have a musician of Kathleen's caliber here in our community. What she is doing with the Vi Fluentis Children's Choir is truly amazing! She is patient and kind while using her immense talent and experience to make music FUN for the kids. She contributes so much, leads by example and I am proud to call her a dear friend.

- Sheila Violett Glaeser, President, Vi Fluentis Board of Directors

The folklore suggests that once you feel the sand of the Golden Isles on your toes, you will always return. Such is the case for honoree Kathleen Kalin Turner. This is Mrs. Turner's second time as a member of the Golden Isles community. She first called the area home from 1998 to 2000 and returned in 2010 to her role as Director of Music at Christ Church, Frederica on St Simons Island.

A native of upstate New York, Mrs. Turner attended the internationally known Eastman School of Music in Rochester and is one of only a few graduates of Eastman to be awarded the prestigious Performer's Certificate in both organ and oboe. In addition, she holds a master's degree in Sacred Music from Westminster Choir College in Princeton, New Jersey.

Mrs. Turner has held sacred music positions in the Episcopal denomination since 1988 and has received many accolades during her career. In 2008 she received the Distinguished Service Award from the City of Austin and the State of Texas for her work with the award winning Austin Children's Choir. Her love of nurturing children was the driving force behind founding the Vi Fluentis Children's Choir here in the Golden Isles. Through Vi Fluentis, Mrs. Turner introduces children of diverse backgrounds to the joy of high quality choral singing and performing.

Mrs. Turner continues to enjoy an active performing and teaching career. Since 2001 she has taught the Orff Schulwerk Teacher Training Courses and several workshops in various facets of music education at multiple universities throughout the country.

She resides on St Simons Island with her husband and soul mate Roy. They are the proud parents of one son, Chris, currently a student at Darton State College in Albany, Georgia.



Vi Fluentis Children's Choir is a musical ensemble serving the children of the Golden Isles. Our mission is to provide our community music scene with the unique sound of a well trained children's choir. Vi Fluentis Children's Choir is open to all children who love to sing and who share a passion for music. It is their passion for singing and the children's courage to think outside of the box that makes Vi Fluentis an experience of a lifetime.

SOUTHEAST GEORGIA HEALTH SYSTEM HONORS

Shannon Janine Webb

Shannon sets an amazing example; she is dedicated to excellence in both her professional life with the Health System and her personal life as a mother and daughter. She is kind and empathetic to all she meets. We are fortunate to have her as a member of our team.

– Michael D. Scherneck, Executive VP and Chief Financial Officer, Southeast Georgia Health System



Cole model is a phrase often used to describe honoree Shannon J. Webb. She is well known for her professionalism and the generosity she extends to family, friends, colleagues, and her community. In her role as Director of Medical Records at Southeast Georgia Health System, she and her team are responsible for the clinical health records of patients who receive care at the Health System. This position encompasses clinical, quality, regulatory, and financial components. She often states that her current position is the most rewarding of her 20 year professional career.

Her belief that education serves as the key to career advancement and economic stability was the impetus for becoming a mentor/tutor for adult learners. This role allows her to make a positive and long lasting impact on the lives of others. A proponent of life long learning, she is currently pursuing a doctorate in Business Administration, having previously completed a bachelor of science degree in Health Information Management and a master's degree in Business Administration. Her dedication to education was the focus of her 2009 acceptance to the Golden Isles Top 20 under 40 community leaders.

Although a native of Wilson, North Carolina, Ms. Webb has been an active member of her adopted community for the past 13 years. She is a member of the fundraising committee at Greater Bethel AME Church, and as a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc., she has participated in its local "Adult Literacy" and "Book Bags for School" initiatives. Recently, Ms. Webb assisted the Golden Isles Chapter of Military Officers establish scholarship guidelines for the Southeast Georgia Health System MOAA Scholarship for Clinical Education.

Ms. Webb serves many roles, but none more important than that of mother to her third grade daughter, Montana. Her greatest joy is seeing her daughter grow into an intelligent and thoughtful young lady.



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