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January 11 Speaker—Frank D. Pinckney
President and CEO—Greenville Hospital System



Frank D. Pinckney has served as President and CEO of the Greenville Hospital System since 1991. Prior to that he held a number of management and senior management positions within the system. He began his health care career with GHS in 1963 when he was appointed Assistant Manager of the Charity Care Program.

He received his Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from The Citadel and has completed educational programs in health services administration at the University of Alabama and Duke University. Frank received his Master of Science degree in Business Administration and Health Care Finance from the University of South Carolina. He is a Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives. Currently, Frank serves on the University Center of Greenville Board of Visitors and the Metropolitan Arts Council.

Frank is past chairman of the Board of Trustees of the South Carolina Hospital Association. In 1998, he was awarded the Order of the Palmetto by the Governor of South Carolina for his networking and partnership efforts to improve the health of state residents. In 2002, he was presented the Distinguished Citizen Award by the Blue Ridge Council of the Boy Scouts of America for his exemplary leadership and his commitment to the community.

**CONTRIBUTE THROUGH THE ROTARY FOUNDATION
TO SUPPORT RECOVERY EFFORTS IN SOUTH ASIA**

From Rotary International website

To assist Rotarians in supporting longer-term recovery efforts in communities in South Asia that have been hit by the deadly tsunami, The Rotary Foundation will accept contributions earmarked for Solidarity in South Asia. This decision was made on December 29, 2004 in consultation with RI President Glenn Estess, Sr., Rotary Foundation Trustee Chair Carlo Ravizza, and RI General Secretary Ed Futa.

Contributions should have "The Rotary Foundation/Solidarity in South Asia" on the payee line and should be mailed to the international office at:

The Rotary Foundation
P. O. Box 75133
Chicago, IL 60675-5133

Receipts will be issued where applicable for tax purposes. However, these contributions will not receive Rotary Foundation recognition credit.

Did you know? You can make up meetings by e-mail. Go to our club website at www.greenvillerotary.org for instructions.

The Missing Persons Report that has appeared in past bulletins can be found on the Greenville rotary website.

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FROM THE PRESIDENT — Frank Kolb



I hope all of you had a great holiday season and are ready to start the new year running. I enjoyed seeing so many family members and young children at our last meeting. The marionette show was very good and it appeared the children had a great time. I want to express my thanks to Kelle Corvin and her helpers for all of the good work in setting up and carrying out this special project.

In the next few weeks, you should be receiving a survey from our President-elect Randy Bell soliciting your input on what committees you would like to serve on or chair this coming year. Please be sure to return this as soon as possible. You will never really get involved in Rotary until you have been active in its operation. I know that most of my appointments this year came straight from the surveys you completed for me last year. By filling out the survey, you will be helping Randy and yourself.

We are now in the last half of the year. Is there anyone you have thought of as a potential Rotary member? If so, this is the time to recommend them. Membership forms are available on the website and can be filled out and forwarded to the Rotary office.

I look forward to working with each of you for the remainder of the Rotary year.

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS

Our first **Health and Happiness Hour Reception** for the New Year for the Rotary Club of Greenville will be held **Monday January 17** from 5:30p to 7:00p at the Embassy Suites Golf Resort and Conference Center, located at 670 Verdae Blvd. The area reserved will be at the 19th Green Lounge inside the Embassy Suites. All club members in the District are welcome to visit and this event will be considered a make-up meeting.

Bring a spouse/friend/prospective member for fun and networking. There will be a cash bar and complimentary appetizers provided by the Embassy Suites. Be sure to bring your business cards.



☆ *New Greenville Rotary Website* — ☆

☆ The Technology Committee announces the roll-out of the ☆
☆ club's new website. A more contemporary look, in addition ☆
☆ to a lot of new navigation options, should help members get ☆
☆ around the site more easily and positions us for many new ☆
☆ uses of the site. Note particularly the club calendar, the en- ☆
☆ hanced member directory and the expansion of the ☆
☆ "Projects/Events" page to allow a full page for each project ☆
☆ (see Holiday Lights). The "Committees" page has been up- ☆
☆ graded to include a description of each committee , and ☆
☆ a "Search" feature allows you to find any topic anywhere on ☆
☆ the site, including Bulletins. We will use this new website as ☆
☆ a base for more upgrades in the future. ☆

☆ The website development project was done by ShowCase ☆
☆ Marketing (Geoff Wasserman), assisted by Terry Weaver, ☆
☆ Chris Rogers and Ravi Sastry. Do have a look at the ☆
☆ new www.greenvillerotary.org Remember, all member in- ☆
☆ formation requires: ☆
☆ user name: greenville ☆
☆ password: rotary ☆

