

# INVERNESS SERTOMA

## May 2010 Newsletter



### President George Bendtsen Message

Get SERTOMA ENERGIZED... Plan on attending the International Convention in San Antonio and the Regional Cruise >>

I was pleasantly surprised when a couple of Past Presidents and very active Sertomans..... Buddy Fowler and Bill Cato attended our Meeting.



George presents New Member Kit to:



**Raymond Fischer**

See you at the next Meeting.....

*In Service to Mankind ... George*

## ALL ABOARD



### REGIONAL CONV. CRUISE LEAVING FROM TAMPA MONDAY

FEB 7TH - 11TH 2011

GRAND CAYMAN ISLAND AND THEN TO COZUMEL MEXICO.

ROOMS : INSIDE 4B \$391.84

OCEAN 6B \$431.84

OCEAN 6C \$441.84

REGISTRATION FEE \$15.00

ALL INCLUSIVE EATS

SEVERAL COCKTAIL PARTIES

\$65.00 P/P DUE BY 7/27/10

INCLUDES REG. FEE

\$150.00 P/P DUE BY 10/11/10

BALANCE DUE BY 12/01/10

(CAN ALSO CANCEL BY THIS DATE)

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### A May is Better Speech and Hearing Funny

An Irishman who had a little too much to drink is driving home from the city one night and, of course, his car is weaving violently all over the road. A cop pulls him over. 'So,' says the cop to the driver, 'where have ya been?' 'Why, I've been to the pub of course,' slurs the drunk. Well,' says the cop, 'it looks like you've had quite a few to drink this evening.' 'I did all right,' the drunk says with a smile. 'Did you know,' says the cop, standing straight, and folding his arms across his chest, that a few intersections back, your wife fell out of your car?'

'Oh, thank heavens,' sighs the drunk. 'for a minute there, I thought I'd gone deaf.'

## Secretary Report



Rainer presented suggestions for our involvement in speech and hearing month. They included safe ears/donation to Fla Foundation Villages /Speech and hearing baseball camp/ Camp Endeavor. Club moved and approved to purchase a media kit plus the extra in addition we'll be giving the speech and hearing center 10 more gas cards.

**Bud gave a report on the road signs. Rainer got permission from Golden X Plumbing ... US Hwy 41 North**  
Approved a Check to BSA 302 for services rendered at the Strawberry Festival. Rainer to make presentation **Looking for Delegates to Conventions = Delegates to receive monies for convention-cost of registration plus \$250.00. Sofar George is going**

**Wayne reported on convention** - The new president has done research and the new logo will go back to the original form – International as been dropped, but is now back. She also reviewed the procedure for handling resolutions. Other ideas brought up were: Alumni dinner, George and Wayne attended both single and combined seminars.

George encouraged attendance at the National Convention (July 29<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup>) in San Antonio.

There was open discussion on the importance of setting up and operating a web site of our own.

George reported that the Rotary Club asked us to handle the food concession at their boat show. They want us to sell hot dogs, hamburgers and drinks .

Bud reported that we have product in stock. Moved and second that we do it.

Rainer reported on speech and hearing month. Kit has been ordered and 10 more gas cards to be purchased.

Bud brought up what he felt we need in equipment for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July event. He expressed the need for an additional funnel cake cooker. Rainer said he'd contact Gulf Shores Sertoma to see if we could borrow theirs.

George to make presentation to Heritage Week Essay winner at Citrus Springs Middle School 4-22-2010 at 8 a.m.

Rainer gave an update on Camp Endeavor clean-up. He said a lot of painting and landscape work was done. He also gave a brief history of the Tom Kane plaque and it's whys and wherefores.

George ask Bud if he would chair the 4<sup>th</sup> of July function. He agreed.

George asks Jason if he would chair this year's Golf Tournament. Jason advised that he would gladly assist someone.

*Bud Osborn*

## Inter-Club Activities



International Director of La Sertoma chats with Past I D Rainer Jakob at Camp Endeavor Workday

## Information from ..... Sertoma Headquarters

To continue on a path of a strong financial position while investing in our future, it is time to consider a dues increase. This increase would begin in July 2011, and we project it would also last us five-years. The cost – about \$0.05 a day. For full details, see the [Dues Review and Recommendation](#) posted on the [website](#).

## ENERGIZE Sertoma!

There is still time to achieve the  
**Presidential Growth Award!**

Each club with positive growth by June 30 will receive an "Energize Sertoma" banner medallion and will be recognized in San Antonio on the "I Energized Sertoma" Presidential Energy Team board. The top two clubs with highest percentage of growth will receive an LCD projector.

The District and Region with the highest net gain by June 30 will receive the "I Energized Sertoma" crystal trophy.

## BIG THANKS

To the Scouts and Leaders of Troop 302  
For the many hours of service at our  
Strawberry Festival Fund Raiser



## Inverness Sertoma's May is Better Speech and Hearing Month Project

The Club prepared a Proclamation which was approved by the Board of County Commissioners . The Club also approved Gas Cards for financially strapped parents to get their child to the SERTOMA CENTER . The Club also purchased a Media Kit and 200 Ear Plugs available for 4<sup>th</sup> of the July Event.

Also in the Sp & Hrg News ...



Our Friend ... **Dr. Barry Pendry** (with the hat )was recently appointed by Governor Crist to serve on the State Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology. The Board is organized under the State Department of Health's Division of Medical Quality Assurance (MQA). The mission of the MQA is to promote, protect and improve the health of all people in Florida. The June 30, 2009 Annual Re-port reflects MQA as regulating 905,262 health care practitioners and 26,174 facilities in Florida. Of these, 1,034 are licensed audiologists and 7,160 are licensed speech-language pathologists. The Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology is responsible for evaluating the credentials of all applicants for licensure, issuing licenses, analyzing and investigating complaints, and providing disciplinary actions to protect the public.

**Sertoma Camp Endeavor Workday**



Rainer delivered the "Tom Kane Dormitory" Plaque to be mounted on the Northwest District Cabin



Art and Rainer ..part of the Painting Crew



The Lawn Crew removed weeds from our Clubs " Sidewalk Marker "

**Mark Your Calendar**

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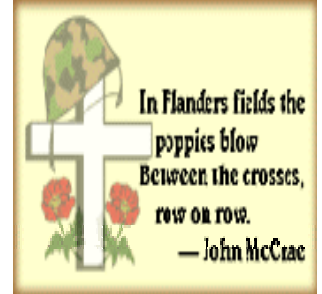
**May**

**1 == Application Deadline for Sertoma Heritage Scholarships**

**9 == Mothers Day**



**31 == Memorial Day**



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**Club Election Results to International**

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**Select Delegates to Intl. Convention**

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**Check Progress of Election Committee**

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**Promote attendance and select delegates to International Convention at St Antonio, Texas**

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