



*St. Simons*

# Rotary Spray

**Chris Locke, Tuesday, January 14**

**Guest: Michael Chriszt, Vice President Federal Reserve Bank**



**Michael Chriszt** is vice president and regional engagement officer in the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta's Corporate Engagement Division. In this role, he serves as the Atlanta Fed's lead public engagement officer focusing on smaller cities and towns, as well as rural areas, in the Sixth District, connecting directly with citizens to explain the Federal Reserve and its policy decisions, and he in turn learns how the economy is affecting their lives. He shares this information with the Bank's senior leaders and other policy experts throughout the Atlanta Fed to deepen understanding of the District economy.

Prior to assuming his current responsibilities, Chriszt was a vice president and public affairs officer, where he led the Bank's outreach and communications efforts. Before joining Public Affairs, he worked in the Atlanta Fed's Research Department, where he held numerous positions, including leadership positions in the Bank's Regional Economic Information Network.

While at Miami University in Ohio, Chriszt earned two bachelor's degrees, one in history and one in diplomacy and foreign affairs. He also earned a master's degree there in political science with emphasis on international economics and comparative politics.

Chriszt is a member of the National Association of Business Economists and the Atlanta Economics Club, where he served as president from 2015 to 2017. He also serves on the advisory board of the Michael J. Coles College of Business at Kennesaw State University and the board of the Georgia Council on Economic Education. A native of Cleveland, Ohio, Chriszt is married to Maxine, and they have five children and three grandchildren.



**Potato white cheddar soup. Chicken wraps with corn and black beans, white cheddar, lettuce and tomato. Side house salad. Chef's choice dessert.**

## **Rotabucks January 7**

**\$ 30**

And the winner was...

**Stan Kyker**

He got the joker!

***Congratulations!***



## January 7th Meeting

Chris Locke, Southeast Georgia Health System Chief Growth and Strategic Officer, joined us to discuss how SE plans to reduce costs and keep our hospital visits shorter.

During Happy Dollars, Debbie Britt shared that she was named small business of the month. And, Jim Henderson hit a home run with his weekly joke.





**January Birthdays**  
 Rees Sumerford January 1  
 Mike Murphy January 6  
 Stanley Kyker January 10  
 Sandy (Paul) Sanders January 16  
 Gary Schwartz January 22  
 Kern (Paul) Baker January 23  
 Jim (James) Kielt January 31

**Rotary January Membership Anniversaries**  
 Eric Andreae 23  
 Russell (Rusty) Bradford 31  
 Jason Elliott 3  
 Pamela Hamilton 7  
 Joe (Joseph) Leek 38  
 Nancy Muldowney 5  
 Buck Swindle 1



**Area Rotary Club Meetings**

<b>Brunswick</b>	<b>Embassy Suites</b>	<b>Thurs, 12:00 pm</b>
<b>Golden Isles</b>	<b>Kemble Center, SGHS</b>	<b>Wed., 7:30 am</b>
<b>Jekyll Island</b>	<b>Jekyll Island Golf Club</b>	<b>Wed., 7:30 am</b>
<b>St. Simons</b>	<b>Best Western</b>	<b>Tues., 1:00 pm</b>

**ROTARY WEBSITES**

[www.ssirotary.org](http://www.ssirotary.org) - St. Simon Rotary Website  
[www.rotarydistrict6920.org](http://www.rotarydistrict6920.org) - District 6920 Website  
[www.facebook.com/rotaryssi](https://www.facebook.com/rotaryssi) -St. Simons Rotary Facebook  
[www.facebook.com/Rotary6920](https://www.facebook.com/Rotary6920) - District Facebook Page

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Is it the TRUTH?  
 Is it FAIR to all concerned?  
 Will it build GOODWILL & better FRIENDSHIP?  
 Is it BENEFICIAL to all concerned?