

USS GEORGIA Return to Service

The Navy League was very instrumental in obtaining the USS GEORGIA in the Return to Service Program of the US Navy. Members of our Navy League Council worked long and arduously to not only obtain the USS GEORGIA to now reside in Georgia at Kings Bay Sub Base but also attended various activities held at Kings Bay to make this important occasion a momentous memory, including an escorted tour of the submarine and a progressive dinner on board. Navy League Past President Bob Morrison served on the Return to Service Committee. Several members of the Ivy League Club of the Golden Isles visited Kings Bay for the Return to Service.



From left, Ivy League Club members: Betsy & Mark Friedman, Donnell Camp and Madelin Canady and Kathleen & Lee Haller



From left, Bob Morrison, Commanding Officer of the USS GEORGIA, Captain Brian McIlvaine, and Velma & Bob Carlies, President of the Navy League



From left, Navy League members Joanna Gentile, JoAnn Elrod, Joe Iannacelli, and Leslie & Bob Morrison. (2nd row) Lt. Eric Nilsen, USS GEORGIA Officer & guide, Britt Elrod, and Nick Hart.

"Power of the Purse" Luncheon Scheduled



The United Way of Coastal Georgia's Women's Giving Alliance is planning its first annual "Power of the Purse" luncheon, scheduled for May 22, 2008 at the Jekyll Island Convention Center.

Author and humorist, Rhonda Rich will be the keynote speaker for the Luncheon event. Rhonda Rich is the best-selling author of What Southern Women Know (That Every Woman Should). A storyteller of bodacious southern proportions, she weaves stories that range from hilarious to heart-warming of Southern life. Rhonda says, "Southern women and kudzu have a lot in common. Both are indestructible, thrive in southern soil and refused to be controlled by men".

The Power of the Purse focuses on the increasing role of women in philanthropy. For years, women's roles in social causes have been as the organizer, the phone answerer, the stamp lickler. Now, more and more women are starting to add another line to that resume: check writer.

"Women's philanthropy is a rising trend. We are seeing women not only giving of their time and talent to social causes but their treasure as well", says Trisha Simms, WGA Chair for the 2008 event.

The WGA raised over \$17,000 last year for the development of a Community Volunteer Center - Hands on Coastal Georgia. This year, fund raising efforts will go to support programs within our community that focus on creating lasting sustainable change in the lives of women and children in Glynn and McIntosh counties. Elected members of the Alliance are the decision makers of how the donated dollars are allocated and solicit community agencies to submit requests for funding to support programs that meet the goals of the WGA. Membership in the Women's Giving Alliance is \$500.00.

Along with lunch, guests will have the opportunity to bid on "themed" designer purses filled with valuable gift certificates and other donated items.

Tickets are available through the United of Coastal Georgia for \$50.00 or a table of 8 for \$ 400.00. For more information call Kay Oplinger, Director of Marketing and Fund Development at 265-1850, ext. 301.

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FINE FOOD & DRINK SERVED UP BY LOCAL CHEFS

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