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Greenville Evening Rotary Club Visits Oakmont West Nursing Home

GREENVILLE, SC (December 29, 2009) – Members of the Greenville Evening Rotary Club recently visited Oakmont West Nursing Home. As this was the season of fellowship, giving and celebration, members hoped to offer a little holiday cheer to each of the residents. While the meal was being served, live music was performed and each Rotarian had the opportunity to meet with and learn about the residents. At the conclusion of the meal, club members shared information they had learned and trivia games were played giving residents the chance to win prizes.

One such resident that was met was Hoke Looper who had been a resident since June when he was involved in a fall at his home, and was hoping to return home very soon. He shared war stories and other information tidbits about his life.

The Greenville Evening Rotary Club is a service organization of local business men and women who participate in numerous community service projects. Most recently, these have included sponsoring the annual Reedy River Ken-Ducky Derby fund raiser; house building with Habitat for Humanities; donating dictionaries to Cashion Elementary School; and sponsoring a new youth values program, Early Act/First Knight, at the Powdersville Middle School. Rotarians traditionally develop community service projects to address many of today's most critical issue, such as children at risk, poverty and hunger, the environment, illiteracy and violence. Rotary Club members worldwide work to achieve the key Rotary objective of "Service above Self".

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(Picture enclosed.)



Carol Rinne (far right) of the Greenville Evening Rotary Club, visits with a resident of Oakmont West Nursing Home and her family.