

L to R: President Tim Goodman, Luci McNeeley, Kiwanian Sheila Metz.

"McNeeley Speaks to Kiwanis"

"The Kiwanis Club of Swainsboro held its weekly meeting, Tuesday night January 27, 2015 at Catered Creations at 7:00. With President Tim Goodman presiding, we had 21 members in attendance and 4 guests, an interclub from the Statesboro Kiwanis Club, Danny Foglio, Carl Sellers, John Karrh, and Keith Hickman. The program for the evening was hosted by Sheila Metz. Sheila introduced Swainsboro High School Art teacher Luci McNeeley, who also happens to be her daughter. Luci gave us insight into how she keeps up student interest in the high school block scheduling. Her students are 9th - 12th graders and they are all in the same classroom, all working on different projects. Some projects are assigned by the teacher and use standard grading rubrics, while other students are working on self-developed projects using self-developed grading rubrics. She talked about a trip to the Louvre at age 12 as an inspiration to be an art teacher. She talked about the pride she has in her students. They all satisfied their student learning outcomes and two have been accepted to SCAD in graphic design. Luci also is a Cheerleading Coach and works on the Prom and Prom Fest. Chair Chip Durden shook the "Bucket" 4 the Eliminate. Jane gave us a 100 projects update. We have taken the hats to the Pre-K/Elementary School. Our February project is 100 pairs of children's socks. President Tim reminded the Club about the February 3rd regular meeting, starting at 6:00 pm, at the Fulford Center on the campus of East Georgia State College, with the program for the evening being the Glenn Miller Orchestra. Our annual Valentines Spouse's Night will be February 10th at 7:00 p.m. Mid-Winter Training is February 7 at 8:30 am in Macon. We have a number of Club members under the weather including Ginny Smith, Linda Lamb, Larry Kea and L.H. Weise. Keep them in our prayers." If you would like to join the Swainsboro Kiwanis Club, please contact our membership chair Linda Lamb at 478-237-5188 or e-mail her at goodman@edu.edu. If you would like to find out more information about our Club, organized on May 31, 1922, and the many community service projects that we do each year, go to our Club website, www.swainsborokiwanis.org or go to our Swainsboro Kiwanis Facebook page.

