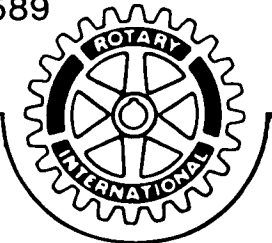


# SPACE CENTER ROTARY CLUB BLASTOFF

The Space Center Rotary Club  
meets on Mondays, 11:45 a.m.  
at the Nassau Bay Hilton

Rotary International District 589



**"Put life into Rotary - your life"**

**OCTOBER 17, 1988**

## SPACE CENTER ROTARY EVENTS

### **Mon., Oct. 17**

\* Noon at the Hilton. **Bob Gillette** will speak on the Port of Houston.

### **Tue., Oct. 18**

\* 7:00 a.m. at the Hilton. Board of Directors meeting.  
\* 8:00 a.m. at the Hilton. Red Badge meeting.  
\* 9:00 a.m. BLASTOFF covering October 24 and October 31 goes to press.

### **Thur., Oct. 20**

\* Space Center Club Golf Championship.  
\* Noon at the Hilton. Space Center Women of Rotary luncheon. A docent of the Museum of Fine Arts Houston will give a slide presentation on the Remington Collection.

### **Mon., Oct. 24**

\* Noon at the Hilton. Houston **Mayor Kathy Whitmire** will speak.

### **Thur., Oct. 27 to Tues. Nov. 1**

The Space Center Club will host the GSE team from England.

### **Mon., Oct. 31**

\* Noon at the Hilton. **Dr. Platt** will speak on "Your Heart and Your Health."

### **Tue., Nov. 1**

\* 7:00 a.m. at the Hilton. Board of Directors meeting.

\* 8:00 a.m. at the Hilton. Red Badge meeting.

\* 9:00 a.m. BLASTOFF covering November 7 and 14 goes to press.

### **Mon., Nov. 7**

\* Noon at the Hilton. Harris County Clerk **Anita Rodeheaver** will speak.  
\* **FEED THE HUNGRY PROGRAM.** Please bring staple foods or give cash to help restock local food pantries.

### **Mon., Nov. 14**

\* Noon at the Hilton. **Nat Eisenberg**, the Main Street Economist, will express his opinions on money, politics and the markets.

### **Sun., Nov. 20**

\* 8:30 a.m. at the Hilton. Meet with **Ray Hooker** for the day trip to Delta Downs Race Track.



### **THIS YEAR'S SHRIMPOREE WAS A GREAT SUCCESS!**

President Billy Weseman receives a \$5,471.94 check from Eddie Harris, representing the proceeds from the Shrimpoeree Fun Run.

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## NEW ROTARY MEMBERS

The new Rotary members inducted into our club on September 26 were:

\* Selma Newman, sponsored by our president, Billie Weseman. Selma is a Paul Harris Fellow and the widow of Dr. Alfred Newman, the founding Chancellor of University of Houston-Clear Lake. She is well known for her leadership in our community and is her initiation enhances our club's stature.

\* Anne Weseman, sponsored by Dave Owen. Anne is the great woman behind a great man.

\* David Thompson Ditto sponsored by Eddie Harris. Dave is the manager of the Nassau Bay Hilton Hotel.

On October 3 our club inducted:

\* John Lem, Jr., sponsored by Woody Williams.



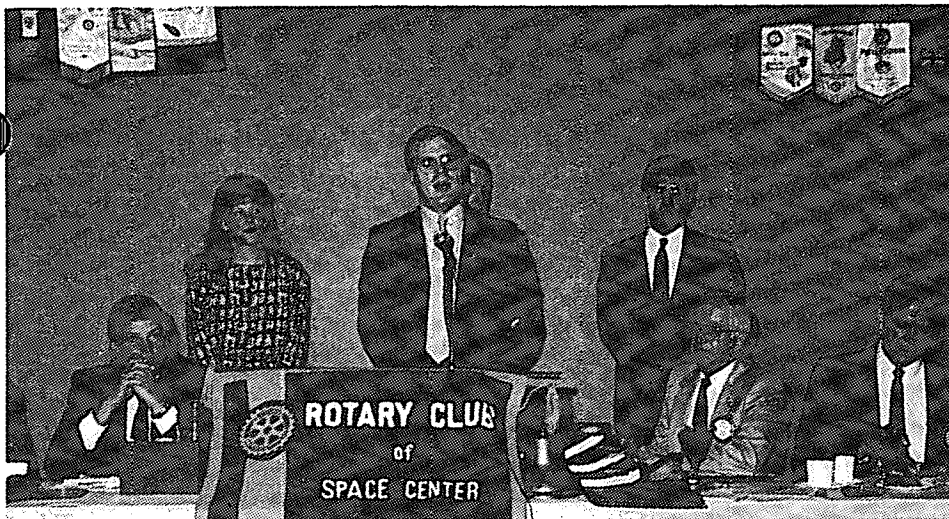
Shrimporee Auction Chairman Jim Hargrove congratulates Roterian Jean McKethan of American Host Hotel who performed the task of booking all the auction items -- most of which came in at the last minute and beyond. **THANK YOU JIM AND JEAN.**



Dave Cantu steps forward to purchase a strategic item from auctioneer Jim Hargrove at our in-house auction of leftover Shrimporee goodies.



"Six million -- going once -- going twice -- sold! What do you mean six dollars?" Lamar and Bowles conducted the auction of unsold Shrimporee merchandise.



Don Kyle introduces the officers of the Rotaract Club of University of Houston-Clear Lake. From left to right, they are Joanne Conecheny, Tom Andrews (speaking), and B.T. Lawrence. Etta Chan, the president of the club, is not pictured. Rotaract is a world-wide Rotary-sponsored organization of young adults (18-28) for the purpose of developing leaders and responsible citizens.

## WHAT IS ROTARY?

A Rotary club is an organization of business and professional men and women within a defined company (city, borough, or municipal area). Its purpose is fellowship and service. It is administered by a president and a board of directors.

A club member is an adult of good character and good reputation who is proprietor, partner, corporate officer, or manager of a business or profession, or who holds an important position with an executive capacity therein. He must belong to a club in the community where his place of business is or where he resides.

A Rotary district is a geographical territory in which Rotary clubs are associated for Rotary International administrative purposes. Each district is headed by a district governor, an officer of R.I. whose job is to assist clubs in his district. He is nominated by his district and elected for one year at the International Convention of R.I.

Rotary International is an association of Rotary clubs throughout the world. It is administered by a Board of Directors consisting of the President and President-elect of Rotary Inter-

national and 15 other Directors from around the world. The Central Office of the Secretariat of Rotary International is located in Evanston, Illinois, U.S.A. It has an international staff, headed by the General Secretary. Branch offices are located in Sydney Australia; São Paulo, Brazil; Delhi, India; Tokyo, Japan; Stockholm, Sweden; Zurich, Switzerland; and Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Your privileges as a Rotarian:

1. Fellowship with men and women of like ideals;
2. Unique opportunities to serve your community, improve your vocation, and promote international friendship;
3. Broad acquaintance of men and women of other businesses and professions;
4. Participation in stimulating programs at weekly meetings;
5. To meet other Rotarians when attending other Rotary clubs.

Your duties as a Rotarian.

Attendance: A Rotarian should attend weekly meetings of his club. If he is absent four consecutive times without making up attendance, or if he attends less than 60 percent of the

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Don Carico needs your picture. Space Center Rotary Club is preparing a supplement to the Blue Book. If your picture is not in the Blue Book or if the picture in the Blue Book is outdated, see Don after today's meeting.

Carl Dyes will take your money or unsold Shrimporee tickets if you haven't already turned them in.

After you finish reading your Rotary magazine, bring it to Bill Webb. He will distribute the magazine to local reading rooms.

Space Center Rotary Club is now a member of the Chamber of Commerce and will sponsor a booth at the exposition to be held in mid-November. The theme will be "Ethics in Business."

Our club will host the GSE team from England from October 27 through November 1. They will attend and participate in our club meeting on October 31. Jim Hargrove is the chairman and will host one member. Also hosting are Richard Ainslie, Larry Rowe, Joe Skelly, Jack Catron, and Joe Shirley.

Dr. Michael McKinney resigned from our club effective August 30 and Susan Edmonson resigned effective September 9. The board of directors accepted both resignations with regrets.

## WHAT IS ROTARY? *(continued from page 3)*

meetings during either six-month period of the club's fiscal year (and if such absence has not been excused by the board) his membership is automatically terminated.

**Proposing new members:** It is a privilege and obligation of every Rotarian to propose new members.

**Service on committees:** To promote the ideal of service, every Rotarian should be active on the committee of his Rotary club to which he has been appointed by the president.

**District conference:** The district conference is an annual meeting of Rotarians of the district which provides fellowship and discussion of the affairs of clubs and R.I. generally.

It elects a delegate to the R.I. Council on Legislation in appropriate years. It usually nominates the district governor. Every Rotarian and his spouse is encouraged to attend his district conference.

**International Convention:** The international Convention is held annually in May or June in a major city such as Tokyo, Rome, Chicago, Toronto, and Mexico City. Rotarians from all over the world meet to deal with the association's business and, through international fellowship, gain knowledge of service in Rotary. Every Rotarian should consider attending an International Convention.

— From Getting started in Rotary



State Representative Lloyd Criss, co-sponsor in the Texas House of the horse and dog racing bill, estimates that a dog racing track in Galveston County will add \$200,000,000.00 to the local economy. Representative Criss was our guest speaker on October 3.



### SPACE CENTER ROTARY

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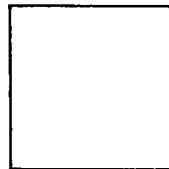
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