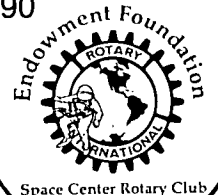


SPACE CENTER ROTARY CLUB BLASTOFF

The Space Center Rotary Club
meets on Mondays, 11:45 a.m.
at the Nassau Bay Hilton
Rotary International District 5890



Rotary International President: Clifford Dochterman
District 5890 Governor: Bob Ellis
Club President: Terry Hesson

"Real Happiness is Helping Others"

November 2, 1992

PROGRAMS

Vann Jones, Chairman

Responsibility for November: Jerry Hammack

- NOV 2 **Roger Akers**, Private Consultant. "Americans with Disabilities Act."
- NOV 9 **Walt Lackey**, Past District Governor. "Rotary Foundation"
- NOV 16 **Ken Wedemeyer**, Macy's. "Dressing for Business: Fashions for Business Wear on a Budget." (men and women)

SPECIAL NOTICE: NOV. 16 WILL BE SPOUSES' DAY ! (RATHER THAN THE 5TH MONDAY !)

NOV 23 Thanksgiving Fellowship

OTHER COMING EVENTS

- NOV 3 THIS IS THE BIG ELECTION DAY !
- NOV 11 PROJECT FREE ENTERPRISE District meeting. 7 PM, Park National Bank, 6750 West Loop South, Suite 800 (Bellaire exit). Dr. David Taylor invites you to join the group for an interesting project to send a team of speakers to Eastern Europe to teach Free Enterprise. A new team is to be formed.
- NOV 15 There will be a massive CPR training (5000) in the Astrodome. For good reasons to learn CPR, recall the talk by Dr. Pepe on 10/5.
- NOV 19 Next Space Center Rotary Golf Outing. South Shore Harbor Country Club (NO OUTING IN DECEMBER)
- NOV 20 Weekend cruise to the Bahamas on the Nordic Empress. Less than 3 weeks away. A bunch of us are going!

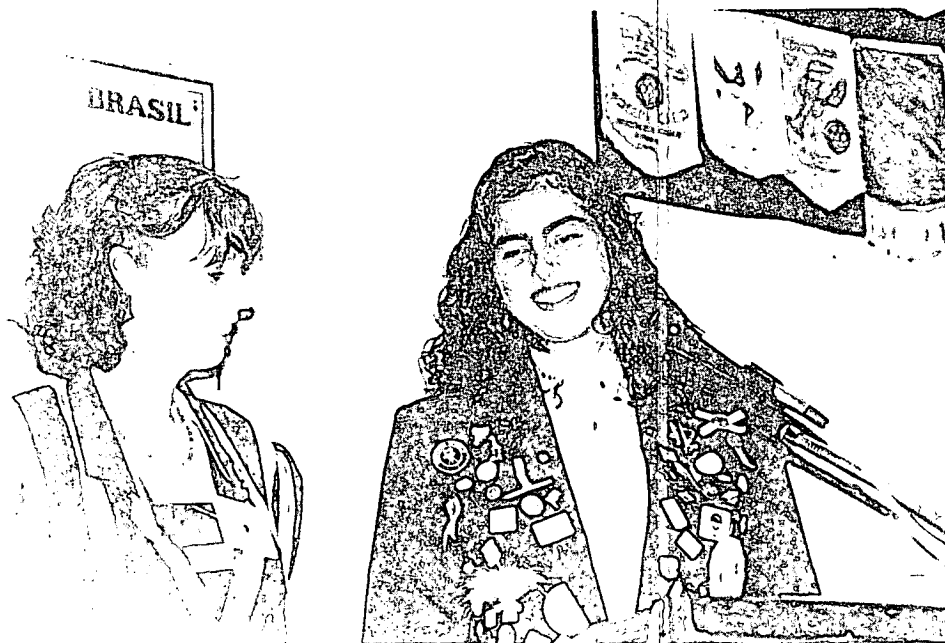
AUCTION Jerry Smith said: I've got \$50, who'll give \$55? Too bad, Floyd. You raised your hand!



Jerry Smith in action.

BALBOA APARTMENTS FIRE

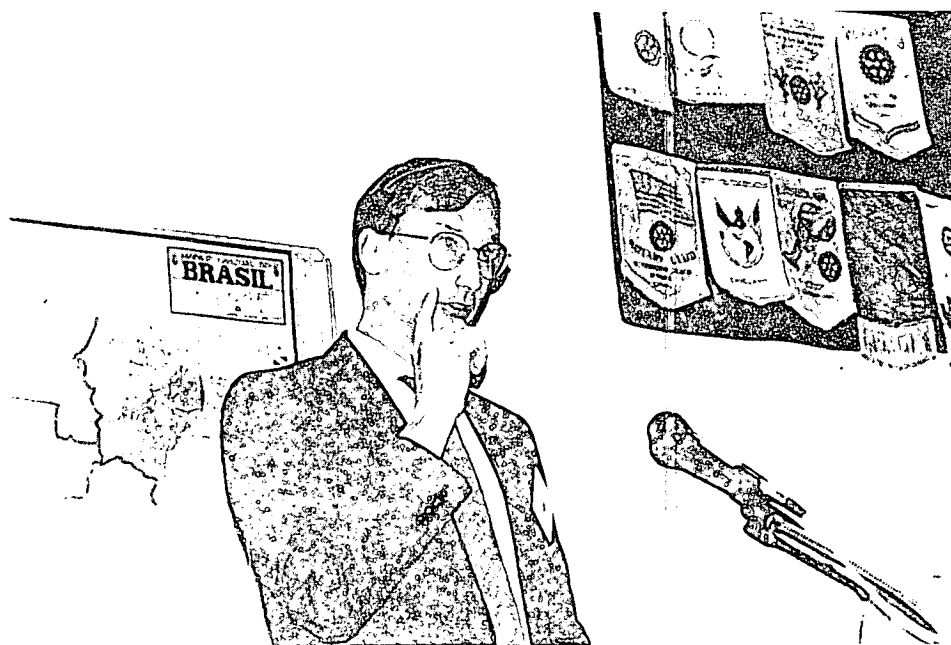
Helping our Neighbors--
Space Center Rotarians responded to the sudden nighttime fire that displaced a large group of residents of the Balboa Apartments. We mobilized efforts to provide immediate shelter, clothing, food and some cash. Jack Lister reported that \$689 was made available through donations. Food donated by local restaurants was delivered by club members to the complex. Donations of hotel rooms for the first two nights were secured from local hotels, particularly Holiday Inn, Days Inn and South Shore Harbor. This gave time for the displaced to make arrangements to stay with friends.
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PROGRAM NOTES

Karen Birchenough, International Youth Chair, led off the Oct. 19 program with the introduction of Priscila (nickname "Pree") Leopoldo e Silva from Sao Paulo, Brazil, one of 8 Rotary Exchange Students now in our district. Pree entertained us with facts about her homeland (which is 12 times the size of Texas---Wait a minute !).

Tim Kropp reported that our club is very active at the district level with 6 students overseas in Brazil, Sweden, Hungary, Denmark and South Africa. (Karen's son, Robbye Birchenough, is in Sweden -- north of the Arctic Circle, yet!-- and she had some entertaining excerpts from his letters home.) Surprisingly 80% of host families come from outside of Rotary. The Interact Clubs help provide many host families.



RED BADGERS GET THEIR BLUE BADGES!

Thanks to special effort by Jay Welch the following Red Badge Members accomplished all the requirements for their Blue Badges and were awarded them on October 26. Bert Kraft did the honors.

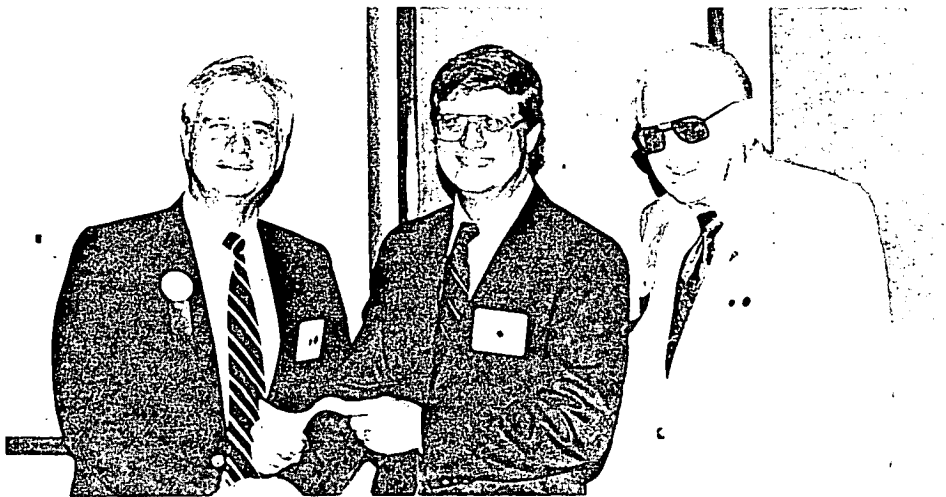
<u>Member</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Bob Blanchard	Bob Mitchell
Beth Stus	Ron Billie
Carver Shivers	David Baldwin
Mike Waters	Don Kyle
Dick Kidder	John Watson
Cecil Ferguson	Wayne Young
Keith Cook	Frank Morgan
Ed Janek, Jr.	Lonnie Clement
Jerry Wilson	Billy Weseman
Keith Huff	Bob Richmond
David Murphy	Jim Wyatt

(All were not present at the meeting for photo at left).



WE HAVE A WINNER !

General Hal Neely and his allies passed among us starting on October 19 with the board for \$10 chances to win a \$1000 Paul Harris Fellowship and \$100 cash to go with it. Response was so good that by the next meeting, the board had been sold out and a winner chosen! And the winner was none other than Randy Roof, pictured-- all smiles-- below with Terry Hesson and General Hal. (Save your Confederate money, folks, for the General will be back again one day.)



What Can \$1000 Do-- when put to work by Rotary-- and you?

Paul Harris Fellows make a difference. A gift of \$1000 will fund projects and programs to improve and invigorate the lives of people around the world and enhance international friendship and understanding. Here are examples of what The Rotary Foundation can do with \$1000:

1. Provide transportation for a member of a Group Study Exchange.
2. Provide 10 shallow tube wells in Bangladesh that will double the rice production and triple the vegetable production of small farms.
3. Buy polio vaccine to protect 5,000 infants against polio for life or provide orthopedic surgery, crutches, braces or wheelchairs and rehabilitative training for seven polio victims in Malawi.
4. Provide a broader spectrum of medical services for 830 people in Mali where hospital and medical services are inadequate for the population.
5. Provide pacemakers for two indigent individuals in the Caribbean.
6. Contribute school supplies for more than 1,200 needy children in Guatemala.
7. Give nutritional training to 127 women in Thailand's poorest region, introducing them to nutritional foods and following up on nutritional development of their children.

Reservations Recommended

THE CLEAR CREEK EDUCATION FOUNDATION

invites you to the inaugural event benefiting this new not-for-profit organization dedicated to the support of educators in achieving increased academic excellence within the Clear Creek Independent School District. The reception features award-winning journalist and famed war correspondent Joseph L. Galloway, who with Lt. Gen. Harold G. Moore (Ret.) has authored the new book "We Were Soldiers Once--And Young", about the most important battle of the Vietnam war by people who were there.

The reception and book signing is slated for Nov. 19 at First City, Texas--Clear Lake (1055 Bay Area Boulevard) and will run from 4:30-7 PM with remarks scheduled for 6 PM.

Joe Henkle believes that both the book, which General Norman Schwarzkopf has highly praised, and the beneficiary of the event, The Clear Creek Education Foundation, make the event significant and of interest to Space Center Rotarians.

Books will be available for autographing and there will be refreshments and hors d'oeuvres, but reservations are recommended. Net proceeds of book sales go to benefit the Clear Creek Education Foundation.

+++++ MORE 100 % ATTENDANCE

Maggie Adams, Roger Lyons, Al Ligrani, Jerry Hammack, Dave Baldwin, Vic Maria, Bert Kraft recently completed or added to their 100% attendance record.

GOLF

WHAT DO YOU DO when you receive a letter signed "Marshall Dillon"? I know what I do, I print what he said -- like a good boy should. After all, the man carries a club in his hand much of the time ! --- And here is what he said about the October 22 Golf Outing:

"We played at the great private country club course called "Golfcrest" in Pearland. This is one of the best kept courses in the area. Lamar Bowles, a member at Golfcrest, was in charge of the tournament. We had 12 golfers, of which 9 were Rotarians. Handicaps were determined by a blind draw after we played.

"Results were as follows:

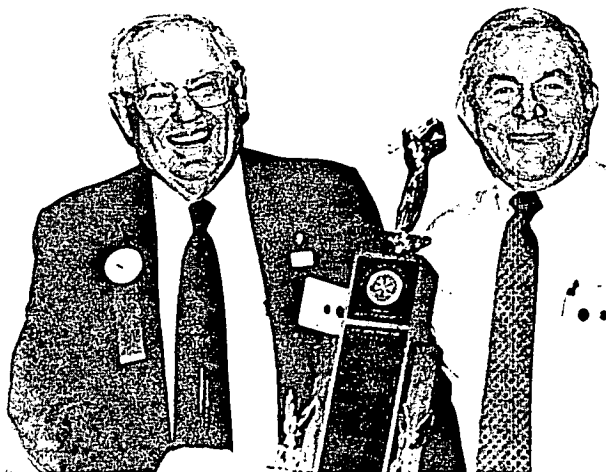
- "Team of B. Frost, D. Knapp, R. Dittman, and T. Turner-
Gross- 74, Net 68-- Won 1st Prize money.
- "Team of T. Olkowski, R. Dupuis, B. Weseman, and J. Smith-
Gross- 77, Net 71-- Won 2nd Place money.
- "Team of L. Bowles, F. Boze, B. Dusenbury, and D. Dillon--
Gross 70, Net 73-- Won no money and no cigar.

Longest Drive-- Tedd Olkowski
Closest to the hole-- Bill Dusenbury

"We want to thank Lamar for a great time at a great course."

(Ed. Note: Not only is he the "Marshall", he is absolutely first-rate-faithful about providing information about what his committee is doing! SOooo--- who's next?)

BELOW: Floyd Boze accepts on behalf of our team the Pearland club tournament trophy from Lamar Bowles.



BALBOA APT. FIRE

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Our Shirley Lindquist was in charge of the Red Cross work. Our Steve Waldner committed the United Way help and stored the donated clothing. Nassau Bay Baptist Church set up a shelter. Jack Lister tipped his hat to, among others, Rev. Bill Rittenhouse, Gary Stremel, Rev. Carson Stephens, Mike Cornett, Austin Frame (former member) and, of course, Shirley Lindquist and Steve Waldner.

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS

Lisa Ehrler	11/4
Danielle Dupuis	11/8
Carver Shivers	11/9
Eddie Tarin	11/11
Sandra Sausley	11/22
Al Jowid	11/23
Larry Burrow	11/25
David King	11/28
Vince Lipovsky	11/28
David Sincox	11/29

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Bill Lowes is seeking volunteers to lead singing or to give invocations. Call him at 486-4550 if you would like to do this as part of your service.

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PAPA TOM'S ADVICE

To those who marry too young:

Mark it as better
Not to be bitter
If there's peanut butter
In the pancake batter.

(PS: I never should have thought that up!- So

A curse
On verse
Too taut and terse.

(PPS: I never should have thought that up, either)

Shirley Lindquist joined our club in 1988, is now Chairman of the Safety Committee and is a member of the Directory Committee. She is a graduate of Michigan State University with a BA in Social Work and graduate work in Education from the University of California, Irvine.

Shirley has lived in Michigan, Virginia, Pennsylvania, California, and Germany and moved to this area in 1984. She lives in Brook forest, is single and has two adult daughters.

She has been a social worker, teacher, placement director, and is currently Director of the American Red Cross/Clear Lake Service Center since 1984. She enjoys Red Cross disaster relief work, traveling to hurricanes, tornadoes, floods, explosions, etc. She recently returned from a three week assignment in Hawaii for Hurricane Iniki.

Shirley is an active member of the Clear Lake Presbyterian Church and loves country and western dancing.

Jack Lister is a "yankee" (born in northern Alabama), who joined Space Center Rotary in 1984 under the sponsorship of Bob Driver. Jack attended the University of Alabama at Tuscaloosa and received a commission as 2nd Lt. in the US Army Field Artillery. Despite selecting Hawaii as a preferable army assignment, he was sent to Korea and served two years with the 24th Infantry Division near the DMZ. After military service he returned to the U. of Alabama to complete graduate work. After a year of teaching at the high school level, Jack joined NASA at Huntsville, Ala. and after assignments in Washington and Langley, VA came to Clear Lake with the first group to form the Johnson Space Center. He became Director of Human Resources at JSC and, after 22 years in that position, retired in November 1990.

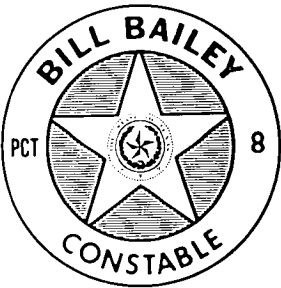




Jack has three children: Claire, Steve and Susan, as well as two grandchildren. His wife, Pat, died in 1976 of lymphoma cancer.

In Rotary Jack has filled the positions of treasurer, secretary, president-elect and is our immediate past-president. He has served on the Board of Directors for 6 years and is currently the District Governor's representative for four clubs in District 5890. He heads our club's District /RI Relations committee. Jack has been active on the Board of the Space Center Rotary Foundation, has been chairman of selection activities for the Rotary National Award for Space Achievement and has served on its board from the program's inception. Jack is a Deacon at Nassau Bay Baptist Church. Jack is "proud to be associated with our club and the wonderful friendships and opportunities for service that it offers."

Dave King, a Texan by choice, has been here since 1972. He has an MBA degree and CPA and CPF (Certified Financial Planner) licenses. Dave has his own CPA and Financial Services business. Dave has served the community in many capacities: Past Board of Directors member of both Space Center Rotary and CL CofC, and on present boards of local YMCA, Bay Area Arts, and East-West Cultural Institute. Dave is chairman of our club's "Seminar" committee. --Better half Linda is a senior technical writer with a NASA contractor, where she is chairman of its Public Relations Committee and in charge of its monthly newsletter. Dave says they were married "back when the earth was cooling" and have two children: Doug, 29, and Rose, 28. Dave and Linda celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary in Germany, their 30th in Hawaii, and "no telling what they will do for their 35th " in 1995.

A song goes:
"Somebody stole my gal --"
-- well at least a picture.
Shirley, we had your photo in
our file up until the
Shrimporee. We chased it
until press time. No luck. So
I guess we will have to have
you stand up in person.



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