

A NEWS BULLETIN FOR THE
 SPACE CENTER ROTARY CLUB
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DISTRICT 589

BLASTOFF

ROTARY THEME OF 1972-73: "LET'S TAKE A NEW LOOK" by ROY HICKMAN, R.I. PRESIDENT

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CIRCULATION - Here 'n there

NOV. 7, 1972

PRICE - Stinking dime?

THINGS TO COME

... MONDAY, NOV. 13TH... HARRY HUTCHINS, Vice President of Brown & Root will speak about the great "HOUSTON CENTER" now under construction as a project of Texas Eastern Gas & Transmission Co. Hear about the future 'downtown' Houston!

MONDAY, NOV. 20TH... GEORGE O. JACKSON, Public Relations Manager for Tenneco, will discuss the joint venture his firm has with Westinghouse in the building of one or more nuclear plants. Should be most interesting. Bring a guest!

MONDAY, NOV. 27TH... ROTARY FOUNDATION PROGRAM... Dean Woodruff, Ch. of the Foundation Committee, heads up this program and will present a speaker from South Africa who is in our country studying vocational rehabilitation techniques. Also several Rotary Exchange Students will be on hand. Should be most interesting!

MONDAY, DEC. 4TH... ROBERT K. GABRYSCH, Act. Chf. Houston District, Water Resources Division of the U.S. Geological Survey, speaks on "Subsidence in our Clear Lake Area". Another fine program, so bring a guest!

MONDAY, DEC. 11TH... KATHY JOHNSON, student of Clear Creek High School and Vice President Texas Region Distributive Education Clubs of America, will speak to us. We are proud of KATHY for the great part she is playing in Educational programs, so let's turn out 100% to hear her... and again bring a guest!

MONDAY, DEC. 18TH... CLEAR LAKE HIGH SCHOOL CHOR under the direction of Mr. Pullen, will be with us. This will be the first occasion for our club to have a program presented from the student body of our new Clear Lake High School. Let's have a 100% turnout to honor this occasion... and maybe they will let us sing-along!!!!

MONDAY, DEC. 20TH... ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY AT KING'S INN. PLAN NOW!!!

MONDAY, DECEMBER 25TH... NO MEETING... CHRISTMAS DAY!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR AHEAD FOR ALL ABOVE DATES!

SPECIAL NOTE! LAST CALL! Dave Rose, Chairman of the Directory-Roster Comm., lists the following individuals who HAVE NOT as yet sent him up-date information as regards correct phone numbers, addresses etc. Another list of those who have not as yet had their pictures taken by our official photographer, Fred Waddell. Either send in the corrected form to Dave immediately or else call him at the Clear Lake Hospital and give him proper information - - - else you will be left out of the new directory. LAST CALL!

INFO NEEDED ON:

Arbuckle, H. M.	Iles
Arbuckle, Phil	Jennings
Barth	Knudsen
Britton	Owen
Cranshaw	Redman
Garrison	Sincox
Goodloe	Strader
Gregg	Weseman
Hatch	Weston
Hoffman	Woodruff
Horton	

PICTURES NEEDED FOR:

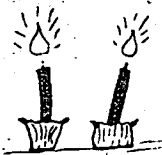
Britton
Dunn
Hoffman
Holt, F.
Jacobson
Knudsen
Landoldt
McSheehy
Neuschaefer
Robertson

Waddell will take pictures following our meeting on **MONDAY NOV. 13TH**. Y'all come and bring your best SMILE!

OVER 500

Happy Birthday!

CHARLIE PENCE NOV. 11
MIKE ARBUCKLE NOV. 12



It is useless to try to hold a person to anything he says while he's madly in love, drunk or running for office!

Cook absent. How about a cup-cake?

Perhaps the underworld is now about on top? . . . Turn it back, baby!!!!!!!

The 26 members who were absent on OCT. 30TH missed out on a tremendously fine program. They missed hearing our GOV. GEORGE DEMONTROND speak, and speak he did! We've never had a better speaker! He covered everything about Rotary's purpose, what it has done and what it should and will be doing in the future. He gave a most inspiring talk . . . most of it in English which we all understood and part of it in 'CAJUN' which seemed to come naturally for GOV. GEORGE! 11 or 10 times he rolled us in the aisles! If you can find the opportunity, try to hear him when he addresses one of the other clubs in our district 589 - you won't regret such a make-up! We urge you to do this!

IN MEMORIAM

The members of our Club bowed their heads in reverent memory of LARRY CROW who passed away on October 21st of an apparent heart attack while visiting friends in Big Springs, Texas. Larry joined our Club on January 13, 1971 and had perfect attendance since his induction into the Club. He was one of our most active new members during the past year and his passing leaves a void in our midst. Larry was born on October 6, 1916 in Waco and received his bachelor of arts degree in economics and accounting at Texas A&M University in 1938. He was a veteran of World War II retiring from the cavalry with the rank of Major. At the time of his death he was director of solid waste planning and programs for the Gulf Coast Waste Disposal Authority. Previously he had been City Manager at Big Springs for eleven years and in 1968 was president of the Texas City Managers' Association in Texas. Our deepest sympathies are extended to his beloved wife, Theda, his two daughters, his mother and other members of his family. Memorials may be in the form of contributions to the Texas A&M University Scholarship Fund.

VISITING ROTARIAN FROM FAR-A-WAY: . . . WESLEY G. JONES on October 30th, from the Verde District, Clarkdale, Arizona Rotary Club of which he is Secretary. . . WES got to hear our GOV. GEORGE and by admission left for Clarkdale with a renewed spirit of Rotary enthusiasm. Was good having you, WES. Hurry back to Texas!

KEEPING UP WITH THE AGGIES!

. . . about the AGGIE who thought BAYLOR was a hay-baling machine?

. . . and the AGGIE who thought YALE was a swedish prison?

. . . or the AGGIE who thinks the English Channel is a TV station that shows British movies?

. . . and the AGGIE who insists that "Vice-versa" is a book of dirty poems?

. . . the AGGIE who went to the butcher shop and asked for five karate chops?

Know why A&M has trouble keeping football players? Every time they send an end out for a pass he can't find his way back to the next huddle.

"How come the church is so crowded today?" asked a bystander on the curb.

"There's an AGGIE in there confessing his sins!" came a nearby reply.

. . . an AGGIE proudly carrying his two A&P shopping bags and proclaiming them as his matched luggage!

Ohhhh Say Can You Seeeee. . . . A man who has lost his head? The lady who is all ears? A girl who had cried her eyes out? A man with one foot in the grave? A lady stewing in her own juice? A man who keeps his nose to the grindstone? Or the individual who doesn't have a leg to stand on? (Scandal Sheet). . . . One of our members reports that somebody broke into his car last week and stole \$50 worth of groceries out of the glove compartment! . . . There are some who think that Thanksgiving should be observed right after the November elections. . . . that does have merit, doesn't it? . . . In Washington there are two kinds of people - those trying to get an investigation started, and those trying to get one stopped!

LATE BULLETIN: An overflow crowd attended last Monday's regular meeting to hear our U. S. Congressman, Bob Casey, speak on how appropriations are handled in congress and again assured us of his continuing fight to keep the Space Programs moving forward and onward. At the head table with the Congressman was his lovely wife, Hazel, the Director of the Manned Spacecraft Center, Chris Kraft and our Texas State Senator, A. R. Babe Schwartz of Galveston. There was still room in the dining room for more Rotary-Anns. . . . Did you bring yours? It was also her day, you know! Since Lee Holley attended this meeting, watch for her column for further details as to what our Congressman had to tell us. YOU should have been there. It was a great program!

The membership is happy to learn that Dr. John "Randy" Hall is back on the job again following the 'stripping' of his vocal cord. The operation was most successful.