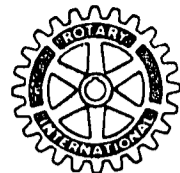




NEWS BULLETIN FOR THE SPACE CENTER ROTARY CLUB

(Near the Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center)
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DISTRICT 589

BLASTOFF!

Rotary International President, HIROJI MUKASA (1982-83)
Rotary Theme.... "MANKIND IS ONE - Build Bridges of Friendship Throughout the World"

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PROGRAMS:

MONDAY, JANUARY 10TH....MR. LEON FULLER will present a program on "Project Business." Bring a prospective Rotarian to hear this interesting and informative talk.

MONDAY, JANUARY 17TH....PROGRAM PENDING. The Program Committee is working hard to continue their record of outstanding programs for the Space Center Rotary Club.



MEET OUR NEWEST ROTARIAN....JAMES HOLLIS FITCH, sponsored by his father, MAURY FITCH, was born in Akron, Ohio. He received his higher education at THE CITADEL in Charleston, S.C. and the UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON AT CLEAR LAKE CITY. He holds the M.A. degree in Humanities, Theater and Communications. Jim is Vice President and General Manager of Webster's Kwik-Kopy, 17070 State Highway 3, Webster 77598, Ph: 332-6516. Jim and his lovely wife, MARY ANN, and their two children, AMIE and HOLLY, live at 17110 Bougainvillea in Friendswood, 77546, Ph: 482-3768. Jim moved his Rotary membership from the Friendswood Club to our Space Center Club for convenience reasons only. He was bulletin editor for the Friendswood Club and very active in all of its programs. Let us join in welcoming JIM into Space Center Rotary.

IN SYMPATHY....Though not a member of this club we feel it appropriate to express our sympathy to the family of PHIL HAMBURGER who passed away on December 27th at the young age of 71. Phil was a long time member of the Downtown Houston Rotary Club, serving Rotary in many outstanding ways. He visited our Space Center Club most frequently and we all knew him as a friend and a fellow Rotary member. Before his retirement five years ago, Phil was the Assistant for Congressional Relations at the local Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center. We will miss his presence. He lived the ROTARY FOUR-WAY TEST.

THIS IS YOUR DUES STATEMENT



ALL DUES are to be paid during the month of January, 1983, so use this statement, attaching your check in the amount of \$48.00 and mail it to our Treasurer, BOB WREN, Box 58862, Houston, 77258 or by handing it to BOB or CHARLES HARTMAN at the next Rotary meeting. REMEMBER, failure to pay dues during January is automatic loss of club membership and a \$25.00 reinstatement fee is the penalty after January 31, 1983. Anyone needing an invoice should contact BOB WREN.

The test of the individual and his greatness is not the magnitude of the problems he faces, but how well he adjusts himself to the conditions in which he finds himself, and solves his problems. This matter of adjustment is a complex one, and you will never find any simple answer that will cover all the decisions you must make. Each day brings with it new challenges of your ability, and your desire to live in harmony with those about you.

-J.C. PENNEY

Everything requires time. It is the one truly universal condition. All work takes place in time and uses up time. Yet most people take for granted this unique, irreplaceable, and necessary resource. Nothing else, perhaps, distinguishes effective executives as much as their tender loving care of time.

PETER DRUCKER

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

LONNIE CLEMENT	JAN. 10TH
JOE HANG	" 12TH
DAVID ROSS	" 16TH
JOHN NESHEIM	" 18TH
BILLY RAY SMITH	" 18TH
CAP LANDOLT	" 19TH
WARREN SMITH	" 21ST
BOB MITCHELL	" 24TH



CONGRATULATIONS GENTLEMEN, AND WE WISH YOU MANY, MANY MORE.....

VISITING ROTARIANS FROM FAR-AWAY....On December 20th, ENRIQUE BAHRE from the Rotary Club of Iztapalapa, Mexico. On December 27th, GARRIE HAULENBECK from the Oriental Rotary Club of Oriental, N.C.....HOLLIS McCOY of Radio Station KLEY-KZED of Wellington and the Rotary Club of Wellington, Kansas.... BILLY DAVIS of the South Park Rotary Club, Beaumont, Texas. Billy is the son-in-law of our own Bill Webb....It is indeed a pleasure meeting Rotary brothers anytime of the year when they visit our area, but during the Christmas season it has a very special meaning. We hope these fine Rotarians will return again for visits with the Space Center Rotary Club.

RESIGNATIONS....The Board at its January 4th meeting accepted with regrets the resignation of Judge V. L. "Bud" West for business reasons. Judge, come back and visit with us when the docket will allow.

REINSTATEMENTS....The Board approved the reinstatements of former members CARLOS VILLAGOMEZ, DENNY EARLES, and AL BRADY. Welcome these fine Rotarians back into the club.

GIVE THIS SOME THOUGHT.....Should we all stand and sing "ERICKSONIA (America) the BEAUTIFUL." Strangely enough Lief Erickson had his family name imbedded into America. Leif was the son of Eric, and to this day we say Erick's name every time we pronounce the name of our beloved AMERICA. So, when all considered, the Ericksons have recognition in the word AMERICA.

BLASTOFF AD.....PRESENCE WANTED. We can't fellowship with an absentee....

Beware of killer phrases

Next time you go to a meeting or a "let's-kick-around-some-ideas" session, notice whether some members tend to use "killer phrases" that put down their own ideas before they can fly. Here are some examples General Foods recently brought to the attention of supervisors:

"Now here's a sketchy idea of what I have in mind... for you to kick holes in..."

"Here's an idea... for what it's worth... I'm not sure I like it myself..."

"This may sound screwy to you, but maybe there's some way we can use it..."

"This isn't too practical, but..."

"This may not work here, but let me tell you about it anyway..."

"I'd like to go over this for a minute or two, even at the risk of boring you..."

Any wonder some ideas meet untimely deaths?

Be on the Lookout for...



QUIPS.....Parents today should teach their kids to mind the manners, because they may come back in style some day....The nice thing about rock and roll records is that if you break one side you break the other side also... Eve was the first person to eat herself out of house and home....Seems foolish for a fellow to go back for a lost opportunity because most likely somebody else has already found it.... A man is never so weak as when some woman is telling him how strong he is....The fellow who stands on his dignity has poor footing.... When your children get old enough so that you can stand them, they can't stand you....

ROTARY IS LIKE THAT....Springs are little things, but they grow into large streams. Nails and bolts are little things, but they hold the parts of a large building together. A word, a smile, a frown are little things, but powerful for good or evil.

So it is in Rotary. We can't all be President of Rotary International, a Director or a District Governor, but we can all be good Rotarians doing our part. Attendance, fellowship, activity on a committee, participation, may seem like little things to some, but they, like the little spring, can grow into larger things, building a better Rotary and a better enjoyment for those who are participating.

The Scandal Sheet

What Rotarians Are Saying

"We must extend the hand of friendship to everyone the world over. And the world starts the moment we open our front door."

--Rotarian R. Milton (England)

"In Rotary, the most important word is 'Service.' But it is equally important to 'serve with a smile.'"

--Rotarian K. K. Bhatia (India)

"Happiness is not pleasure but victory. It is the possession of those who do their best today. It is the possession of those who do their utmost and give time to serve."

--PDG Chae Kyung Oh (Korea)

"In visiting Rotary clubs on all the continents, I have found the ties of understanding and mutual trust that are fundamental to international peace. It is a unity without uniformity."

-- Rabbi Herman Eliot Snyder (U.S.A.)

Worth repeating

"What do we live for if it is not to make life less difficult for each other?"—George Eliot (author)

"Intelligent discontent is the main-spring of civilization."—Eugene V. Debs (labor leader)

"Ours is the age which is proud of machines that think, and suspicious of men who try to."—Howard Mumford Jones (author)