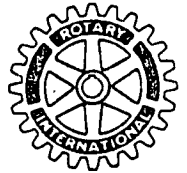




# NEWS BULLETIN FOR THE SPACE CENTER ROTARY CLUB

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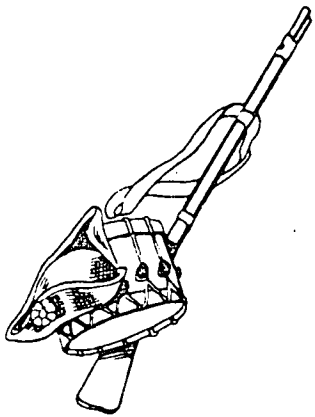
Rotary International President, HIROJI MUKASA (1982-83)  
Rotary Theme.... "MANKIND IS ONE - Build Bridges of Friendship Throughout the World"

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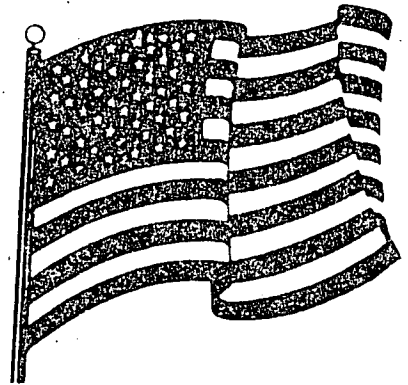


## MEMORIAL DAY

Strew the fair garlands where slumber the dead,  
Ring out the strains like the swell of the sea;  
Heart-felt the tribute we lay on each bed:  
Sound o'er the brave the refrain of the free,

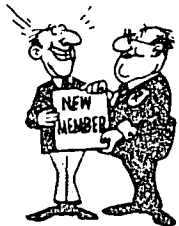
Sound the refrain of the loyal and free,  
Visit each sleeper and hallow each bed:  
Waves the starred banner from seacoast to sea;  
Grateful the living and honored the dead.

Samuel F. Smith



## PROGRAMS:

- MONDAY, MAY 23RD.....DR. PETER BISHOP of the University of Houston-Clear Lake will be our featured speaker. His topic will be the Future. Bring a prospective member to hear this interesting and provocative program.
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- MONDAY, MAY 30TH.....MEMORIAL DAY. Use this week to visit one of our neighboring clubs and share fellowship with other Rotarians.
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- MONDAY, JUNE 6TH.....Program Pending. The Program Committee will present another of its excellent programs.
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- MONDAY, JUNE 13TH....DISTRICT GOVERNOR DAVE HILL will be our honored guest. He will name the recipients of the PAUL HARRIS awards. This will also be Ladies Day so invite your Rotary Ann to attend this important occasion.



MEET OUR NEWEST ROTARIANS.....ALLAN L. DUPONT, sponsored by TERRY HESSON, was born in Wahiawa, Hawaii. He received his education at the University of Cincinnati and the University of Houston-Clear Lake. Today, Allan is President of A. DuPont and Associates, 16508 Space Center, Houston, 77058, Ph. 488-6932. He and his lovely wife ANITA live at 16508 Space Center Blvd., Houston 77508, Ph. 486-1771. His classification is "Management Analysis.".....JACK H. WINTERS, sponsored by RALPH SCHIMMEL, was born in Dallas, Texas. He received his education from North Texas State University and the University of Houston. Today, Jack is General Manager of IBM, 1322 Space Park Drive, Houston, 77058, Ph. 333-7436. Jack and his lovely wife BERNADETTE have three children and live at 15723 Brook Forest Drive, Houston, 77059, Ph. 488-3559. His classification is "Aerospace Industrial Management." Together let us welcome ALLAN and JACK into Rotary and especially the Space Center Rotary Club.

Anyone who doesn't believe the younger generation is creative should watch a teen-ager build a sandwich.  
—THE DANVILLE (VA.) COMMERCIAL APPEAL

The fellow who spends today bragging about what he is going to do tomorrow, probably did the same thing yesterday.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

STEVE STEWART	MAY 25
A. B. OLSEN	" 27
RAY HOOKER	JUNE 1
CHUCK JACOBSEN	" 2
ED HARRIS	" 2



Congratulations gentlemen and we wish you many, many more.....

VISITING ROTARIAN.....On May 16th, RON KELLEY from the Mount Baker Rotary Club, Lynden, Washington.

RESIGNATIONS.....At its regular scheduled meeting on May 17th, the Board accepted with regrets the resignation of CECIL PALMER. Cecil retired from the National Weather Bureau and moved to Franklin, Tennessee where he will continue his good work in Rotary.

DIRECTORY CHANGE.....JOE SKELLY'S business location is now, Bay Area Office Supply and Printing, 1010 Hercules, Houston, 77058. Ph. 488-7421. Please correct your directory.

A TIP FROM YOUR VOCATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE  
.....On Paperwork.

A messy desk hinders efficiency when:

It takes more than 10 minutes to find what you are looking for.

You miss an appointment because you lost the reminder.

You fail to do an important task because the note is buried on your desk.

The quick solution: Handle paper only once. Write brief replies on the bottom of an incoming letter, for example.

Other tips:

Don't overuse the memo. It must be composed, typed, transmitted, read, and disposed of. Why not a quick call?

Arrange mail in priority order. Put what can be deferred into a folder-in that way you won't be distracted by seemingly endless piles of work, and can concentrate on the essentials.

QUIPS.....Some folks are so crabby they complain about the noise when opportunity knocks... Should some judge rule that Truth in Packaging applies to women's clothes, it will cause a riot.....Who can understand how folks who eat Limburger cheese can tell when it's spoiled..... Patriotism is the willingness to make any sacrifice, so long as it won't hurt business..... People like boats, toot the loudest when they are in a fog.

ROTARY IS LIKE THAT.....David Grayson philosopher and journalist tells of an old man building a wall out of rough stones. He carefully used many small stones to hold the large stones in place. "Why are you using so many small stones, old man?" "I was thinking," said the old man, "of the need of small men to keep the large ones in place. They can't leave us small men out. Sometimes they forget, but not for long. Their wall falls down." Rotary is like that. Rotary must have big men to lead, to do the big important jobs. But it must have small men to support them. Each is a part and each part is important. Leave one out, or let some neglect their jobs, and the wall falls down. (Scandal Sheet)

ROTATE, PLEASE? I notice that a number of Rotarians, week after week, always sit at the same table with the same people. I am quite happy that they are present and are having fellowship with one another but is there not the chance that one third of our club is virtually unknown to the other two thirds?

As a Rotary Club we are supposed to rotate. We don't want our club to be like the old tale which most of us have heard. It concerns a fellow who had been absent from his club for three or four weeks and when he returned he noticed that his neighbor had a Rotary button on. Politely he asked what club he was from. "This is my club" was the answer.

Don't be like that.

A poor farmer struck oil one day in his potato patch, and with his new wealth he built three swimming pools. He filled one with warm water, one with cool water, and one he left empty.

"Why isn't there any water in the last pool?" asked a friend.

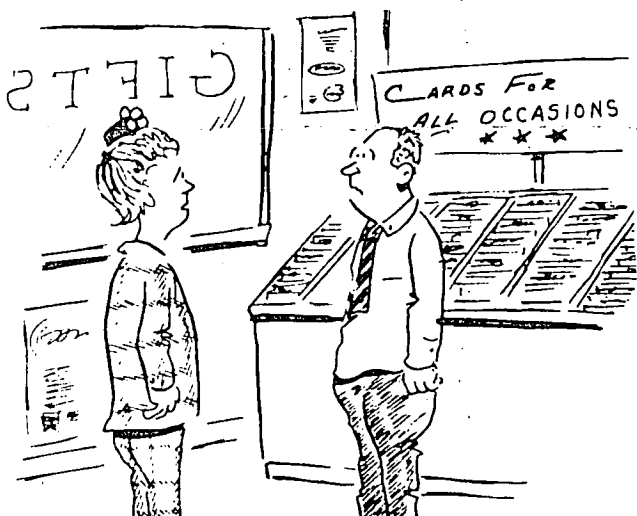
"Well," replied the new millionaire, "a lot of my friends can't swim!"

After knocking on the door and waiting for some time for a response, the salesman turned to the little kid playing in the yard and said, "I thought you told me your mother was home." The kid replied, "She is, but I don't live here!"

Watching a lady parking her car illegally, the good citizen said to her, "Lady, can't you read the sign?" "Sure," she said. "The sign says FINE FOR PARKING."

(Overheard conversation on a bus) - "I'm skeptical about the technique of acupuncture because my wife has been needling me now for over 40 years and I can't see that it has done me any good yet!"

A lot of folks are no longer content with "grasping for straws"; they want the whole bale of hay.



"Do you have something for a proud man who finished second in the company golf tournament ... for the fifth year in a row?"