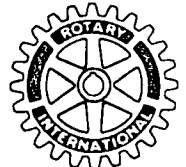




# NEWS BULLETIN FOR THE SPACE CENTER ROTARY CLUB

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DISTRICT 589

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Rotary Theme... "Share Rotary - Serve People"

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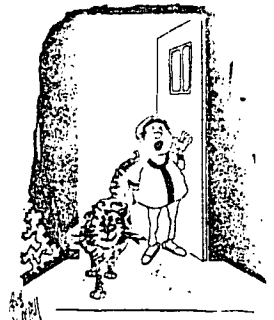
### PROGRAMS:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH...COACHES FROM BOTH CLEAR LAKE AND CLEAR CREEK HIGH SCHOOLS. WE HAD A GREAT SHOW THE LAST TIME TWO RIVAL HOUSTON COACHES WERE HERE, SO THIS OUGHT TO BE GOOD!!

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH...ANNUAL SHRIMPOREE AND AUCTION! SAME PLACE - GALVESTON COUNTY PARK IN LEAGUE CITY ON HIGHWAY 3. SAME GREAT FOOD - SHRIMP AND FISH. SAME FANTASTIC AUCTION. NEW DATE - CHANGED FROM THE 10TH. BE THERE!!!

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19TH...STEVE LEDBETTER, VICE PRESIDENT FOR FINANCE, HOUSTON LIGHTING AND POWER.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH...PRESIDENT BILL WEBB REPORTING ON HIS TRIP TO THE ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION.



"He's coming out for the night!  
Protect your dogs!"  
THE AMERICAN LEGION MAGAZINE

MEET OUR NEWEST ROTARIAN... GEORGE G. WELLER, sponsored by AL JOWID, was born in Wilhelms-haven, Germany. He attended the University of Houston at Clear Lake City and holds an A.A. Degree in Business Management. Today he is Sato Manager at American Airways, 340 North Belt East, Houston 77060, Ph: 483-3305. George and his lovely wife, CHARLOTTE, live at 1908 A-cacia, League City 77573, Ph: 332-1607. They have three adult children, HEIDI, MICHELLE and GEORGE, II. His Club Classification is "Government - Travel Services"....Together let us welcome this fine new addition to our Rotary Club. GL

NOTES OF ACCOMPLISHMENT...Our member, AARON SCHEIN was recently elected CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD for the CLEAR LAKE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE YEAR, 1983-84. We Congratulate AARON on his recent election and wish him Best of Luck in his new responsibilities! Also, DAVE KING was elected the new VICE PRESIDENT FOR FINANCE - CONGRATS TO YOU BOTH!!

VISITING ROTARIAN FROM FAR AWAY - On Aug. 8th, DICK LINVILLE, JR. from the Rotary Club of Sterling, Illinois. Wonder if he took some of our rain back home with him. Maybe he did/ If not, hurry back, Dick. GL

DO YOU REMEMBER...When a farmer could plant whatever he pleased?...When the aged were cared for by their children?...When we entered a war to win it?...When a life sentence didn't mean paroled in 10 years?...When our flag was respected at home and abroad?...When the Supreme Court protected Society instead of criminals?...When children were taught manners and they respected people and property?...When you were not afraid on the streets or in your own home...George Roberts, in the Boston HUB - from the SCANDLE SHEET.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE?! Our man, BOB DRIVER, has apparently been transferred to Washington, D.C., for a year, so he will be unable to participate with our club on the Shrimporee this year. We sure will miss you, BOB!

SPEAKING OF THE SHRIMPOREE - Note the change of date for this years SHRIMPOREE. We will now have our annual fundraiser on the 17th of September - not the 10th! Everything else remains the same, so don't forget to be there and bring lots of friends. Oh, yes, don't forget to remind people that tickets are still available!

LET'S SETTLE THIS QUESTION ONCE AND FOR ALL!! IF GOD ISN'T A TEXAN, THEN WHY DID HE HAVE THE THREE WISE MEN FOLLOW THE LONE STAR???



HAPPY BIRTHDAY to all those Rotarians who's birthdays fall between August 22nd and September 25th! CONGRATULATIONS!!

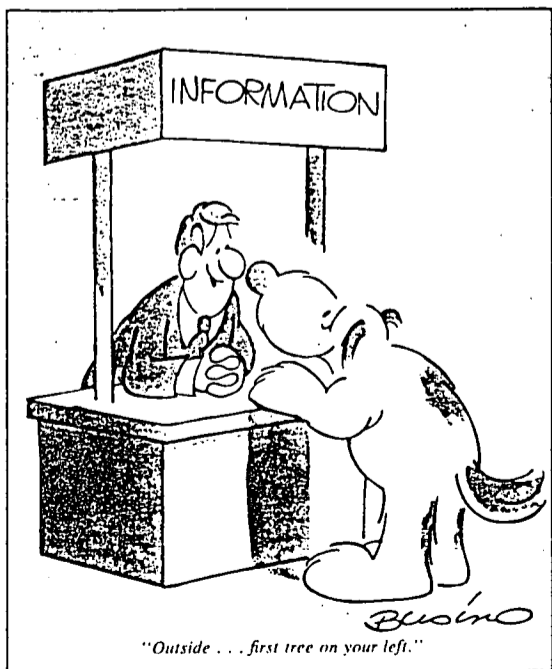
TOM THOMPSON	August	25th
LEON MEURER	"	26th
RONALD NIKSICH	"	26th
JAY WELCH	"	28th
LOU FRENZEL	"	29th
SAM CALANNI	"	31st
JERRY PENNINGTON	September	10th
WALT WICKER	"	11th
RON CALLAGHAN	"	11th
FRED JOY	"	12th
ALLAN DUPONT	"	13th
REX STRADER	"	15th
JACK WINTERS	"	15th
GRAYDON STRICKLAND	"	17th
BOB CHUOKE	"	20th
JOE SHIRLEY	"	20th
BERT KRAFT	"	22nd
JIM MCNATT	"	24th



OH, WELL!...No matter how short the session of Congress may be, it seems it has the necessary time to pass unnecessary legislation...Things must really be getting bad. It seems that Muggers are now using secondhand blackjacks to cut down on overhead!...Did you know that out in Deep West Texas, in the old pioneer days, they had to shoot a tourist so they could start a cemetery...Did you know that down in South Africa, Ostriches were slaughtered in the hope of finding Diamonds in their gizzards? Since they have no teeth, they must swallow gravel and pebbles with which to grind their food with. Often times these pebbles turned out to be - you guessed it - Diamonds...

From the Rotary Club of POIPU BEACH, KAUAI, HAWAII, "SUNLIGHT," - "A group becomes a team when each member is sure enough of himself and his contribution to praise the skills of others." - Norman G. Shidle

QUOTES...Every time I sit down and try to figure out how I'm going to make it on my retirement income, I get a pension headache. - Frank Walsh...Bath Mat: Small rug children always seem to miss when stepping out of the bathtub to dry themselves. - George E. Bergman...



**THINK**

Rotary is the assembled power of many men, their energy harnessed for service with the Golden Rule as their guide. Time was when food, shelter and clothing were of paramount interest to men. They are still essentials, but linked with them now, we have friendship, confidence, understanding, hope and faith. These are the essentials of present day life.

"Think" is the most important word today. Rotary is helping to make men think. The world needs the man who thinks, the worker who thinks, and the thinker who works.

-R-

Be a Rotarian, not an eatarian.



**YOUR ROTARY VISIT**

Why do you attend? Because there will be at least one man at your table whose company is worth traveling a long way to enjoy. Because two or more will act as though they enjoyed the meeting more because you were there. Because someone will add to our knowledge by talking about his business or some recent experience he has had. Because Rotary is a continuing education.

-via Tarpon Springs SPOKE 'N COG

An Ex-AGGIE had a sprinkler system installed. His yard is covered with conglomerate rock that needs no watering!

FROM "THE SCANDAL SHEET"