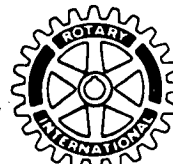




**NEWS BULLETIN FOR THE  
SPACE CENTER ROTARY CLUB**  
(Near the Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center)  
P.O. Box 58862 (Nassau Bay) Houston, Texas 77258



DISTRICT 589

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Rotary International President, WILLIAM E. SKELTON (1983-1984)  
Rotary Theme... "Share Rotary - Serve People"

DISTRICT 589 GOVERNOR..... DAN WILLIS  
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**PROGRAMS:**

- MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th...PRES. BILL WEBB WILL REPORT ON HIS TRIP TO THE 1983 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION.
- MONDAY, OCTOBER 3rd...DR. ROSEMARY PLEDGER from the SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS, UH/GLC. She will be introduced by our own WALT WICKER.
- MONDAY, OCTOBER 10th...HOLIDAY. COLUMBUS DAY (for all of you from Columbus, Ohio). Visit another Rotary Club this week. Spread your Face around.
- MONDAY, OCTOBER 17th...MR. PAUL N. McCLOUSKEY, JR., FORMER U. S. REPRESENTATIVE FROM CALIFORNIA.
- MONDAY, OCTOBER 24th...CLUB ASSEMBLY WITH DISTRICT 589 GOVERNOR, DAN WILLIS.
- MONDAY, october 31st...MR. DON GROSE, SBA. WOODY WILLIAMS will host Mr. Grose.

SHRIMPOREE...Our 10th ANNUAL SHRIMPOREE AND AUCTION is now history - and from all appearances was a HUGE SUCCESS - even with all the problems unique to this year: Two different published locations, one on the tickets and another on the posters; a political donnybrook; two different dates - the second one announced two days before the first; some small conflicts on the day actually used - like the Boat Show, for one. But our Shrimporee Committee, Chaired by JIM HARGROVE, came through like champs and pulled off what may be a RECORD YEAR! The final reports aren't in yet, but our Pres., BILL WEBB, reported that we covered our expenses, grossed around \$40,000 and netted somewhere around \$20 to \$23 thousand. Our Committee deserves a great big ROUND OF APPLAUSE! One final note: The sooner the Membership gets all the money turned in, the sooner we can publish a final report. MAURY FITCH, TICKET CHAIRMAN, reports that, as of this writing, 80 members have still not turned in their ticket money. Lets GET THAT MONEY TURNED IN, GUYS!

MEET OUR NEWEST ROTARIAN...JAMES T. THOMASON, JR., sponsored by BOB STEPHENS, was born in San Antonio. He attended Stephen F. Austin and San Jacinto Colleges and holds a B.B.A. Degree in accounting and management. Today he is Vice President of Thomason Keepsake Diamond Center, 1204 Baybrook Mall, Friendswood 77546, Ph: 488-0495. JIM and his lovely wife, LINDA, live at 4219 Freeton in Houston 77034, Ph: 944-4068. They have three children, Michelle, Micah and Monica. Together let us welcome this new "Gem" man into Space Center Rotary. GL

DISTRICT CONFERENCE...The Rotary District 589 Conference will be held in San Antonio, April 26-28 at the Hyatt Regency Hotel. Dan Willis, District Governor, promises that the conference will combine both Rotary business and fun. See You There.

SAY WHAT?!...On a recent hot Sunday, a sign out in front of a church in Pecos, Texas, read, "And you think it's hot here?"..."What's for dinner?" Asked the Cannibal. Answered his wife: "Baked Beings."...Sign in front of a Beauty Salon: "Don't Whistle at our Patrons as they leave our premises. One of 'em might be your Grandmother."...Young Boy: "Dad, what are ancestors?" Dad: "Well, I'm one of your ancestors. Your grandfather is another." Boy: "Then why do people brag about them?"...



NEWS BULLETIN FOR THE BAY AREA ROTARY CLUB

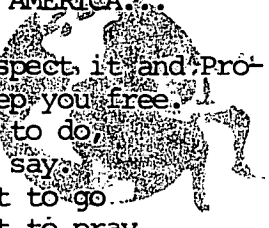
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Let's all wish these our Fellow Rotarians, a Happy Birthday during these next two weeks:

- DAVE OWEN
- WOODY WILLIAMS
- CHARLES PERRY
- BEV STEADMAN
- AL JOWID
- JIM TWINING
- BOB GRAHAM
- RON ROSENHAGEN

- SEPTEMBER 29th
- SEPTEMBER 29th
- OCTOBER 1st
- OCTOBER 2nd
- OCTOBER 3rd
- OCTOBER 5th
- OCTOBER 6th
- OCTOBER 9th

Wherever you may be. Respect it and Protect it, for it shall keep you free. Free to do what you want to do, And say what you want to say. Free to go where you want to go. And pray the way you want to pray. Stand up for the Flag of America For all the world to see. Stand up for the Flag, that Star-Spangled Flag, That stands for you and me.

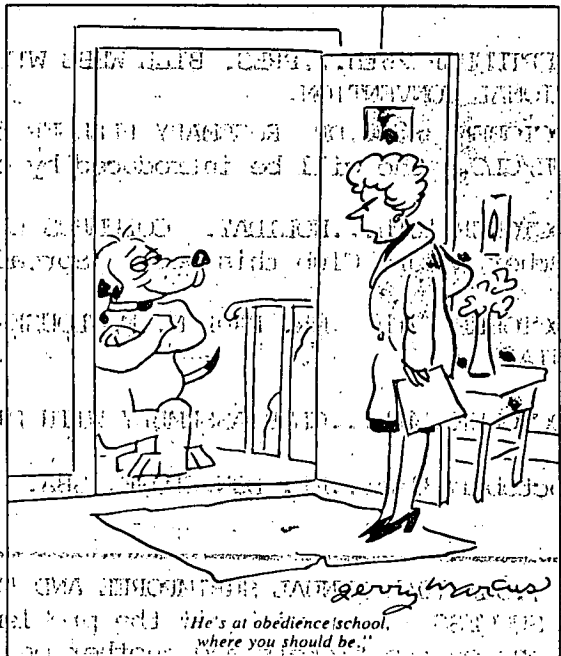


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BAY AREA CRIME STOPPERS



"I'll divert their attention and you make a break for it." THE AMERICAN LEGION MAGAZINE

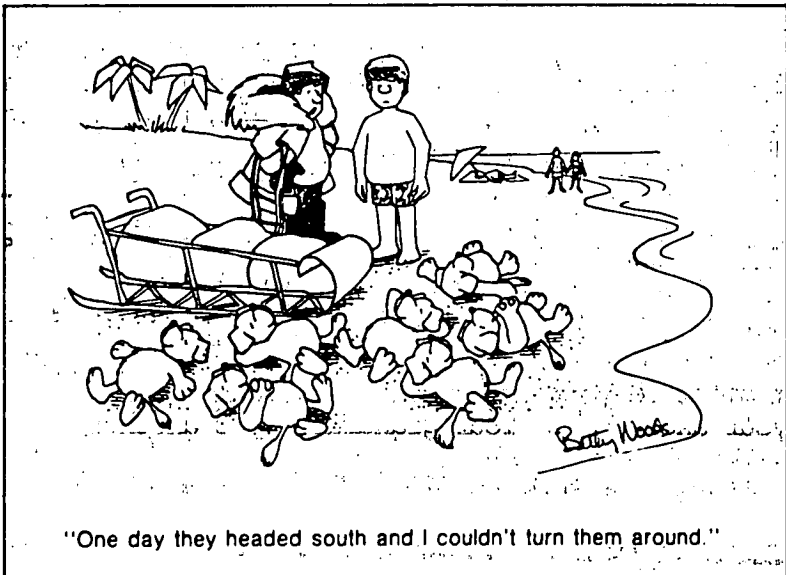


"He's at obedience school, where you should be."

OFFICIAL CALL TO THE 1984 CONVENTION OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL, BIRMINGHAM. Our ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT, WILLIAM E. SKELTON, has put out his official request that all members consider attending the Convention in Birmingham, England, next year, as it will be the first time it has been held in England and only the second time in the British Isles - the other being in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1921. "I urge all Rotarians to attend the 1984 Rotary International Convention in Birmingham, West Midlands, England."

VISITING ROTARIAN FROM AFAR... On August 29th, BILL LLOYD from the Rotary Club of Port Clinton, Ohio. He and We had a good day!!... GL

DIRECTORY CHANGE... ROBBYE R. WALDRON is now an official of the J. B. TODD, INC., officing at 17000 El Camino Real, Houston 77058, Ph: 488-4438.. Please make this change in your Club Directory.



"One day they headed south and I couldn't turn them around."