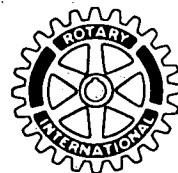




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DISTRICT 589

BLASTOFF!

Rotary International President, CARLOS CANSECO (1984-1985)
Rotary Theme...."Discover A New World Of Service"

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DATE 25 FEBRUARY 19 85

PROGRAMS:

- MARCH 4TH....PAUL FLEISCHER OF SYNANON WILL BE OUR GUEST SPEAKER. HE WILL BE DISCUSSING THE PROBLEMS OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE.
- MARCH 11TH....PENDING.
- MARCH 18TH....ANGIE CHIVERS, COACH OF THE CLEAR LAKE HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL TEAM, WILL BE OUR GUEST SPEAKER.

FROM CARLOS CANSECO, PRESIDENT OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL: "TARGET ONE MILLION"

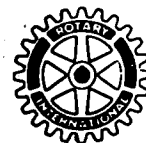
Early in my year as president of R.I., I set a goal of reaching one million members by 31 December 1984. If we are to achieve this milestone, either by then or, at the latest, by the end of the 1984-85 Rotary year, we need to build on the momentum of last year's gains. Therefore, I have challenged Rotarians to help Rotary grow by participating in the Presidential Citation Program. Rotary offers men young and old the opportunity to serve their communities in return for the benefits their communities have given them. None of us lives in isolation--we owe our communities a great deal. I am a doctor and depend on others in my community. If I didn't have a clientele, how could I otherwise make a living from my medical degree? The same holds true for lawyers, accountants, engineers, architects, manufacturers, retailers, whatever the business or profession. It is these people who make something of themselves in life, men of goodwill--a 'breed apart'--as I like to call them, who, desiring to give something back to their communities, should be a part of Rotary. Rotarians have much to give not only their communities, but the world. I see little hope for peace unless people are brought closer together. We need more Rotarians ready to cross borders to establish contact with people on the other side--not officially, not as a government delegation, just as people. For in the end, it is not governments that bring people together. It is only through people-to-people contacts that perceptions of the world are changed.

RESIGNATIONS: The board regretfully accepted letters of resignation from the following members: CHARLES PERRY, because of his having moved to Fairfax, VA...NORMAN COOPER, because of his being unable to attend Monday meetings (business)... DICK GASS, because of business reasons and inability to attend regular meetings. We do hope these gentlemen will pay frequent visits to the club and even consider reinstatement. NORMAN will continue to cooperate with the club during the annual Shrim-poree events. We're glad he will be on hand to RUN the SHOW for us.

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Congratulations to our good friend WALT LACKEY, a member of the Pearland Rotary Club, who has been selected by the District Nominating Committee to serve as District Governor in the year 1986-87.

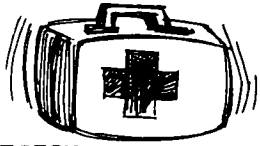
THE FOUR WAY TEST AND THE EARLY LEAVER



- IS IT THE TRUTH — that I have to leave the meeting before the program?
- IS IT FAIR — to the speaker who has taken time to prepare his talk?
- WILL IT BUILD GOODWILL — if I am a visitor and make it evident I came just for the makeup?
- WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL — to anyone, including myself, and how better could I really use this thirty minutes? After all, fellowship, goodwill and courtesy are the foundation of Rotary.

LET'S WISH the following Rotarians
a very HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

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| LLOYD GARLAND | March | 2 |
| WAYNE YOUNG | | 5 |
| JOHN GERMAIN | | 8 |
| BILL WEAVER | | 8 |
| TOM CUMMINGS | | 8 |
| JOHN FRANCIS | | 12 |
| BILL TUIITE | | 13 |
| OTTO WIGHTMAN | | 15 |
| GERRY ALLEN | | 15 |
| JERRY SMITH | | 18 |



REGISTER IN ADVANCE
Ph: 333-5503 Ext 2504

Youth First Aid

This basic course has been designed for youths eight years and older. Participants will learn basic emergency first aid skills for home, school and play while earning St. John Hospital certification. March 21.

Please register
in advance - \$5.00



COUNT 'EM!
How might a sentence use the word "and" five times in a row, yet make perfectly good sense?

The story goes that the operator of a tavern in England—a place known as the Pig and Whistle Tavern—had a new sign made to hang beside the highway. Once it was installed, he walked out to take a look at it, and was disappointed by the spacing used between the words. The word "Pig" was squeezed up close to the word "and," but there was a large space before the word "Whistle" began.

The owner said the sign wouldn't do. The sign painter said he did the best work in the village, and it was all right as it stood.

"Hold to your opinion as long as you like," said the publican, "but your bill will not be paid until I see the exact same amount of space between 'Pig' and 'and' and 'and' and 'Whistle'!"

—Trained Men

SMALL TALK

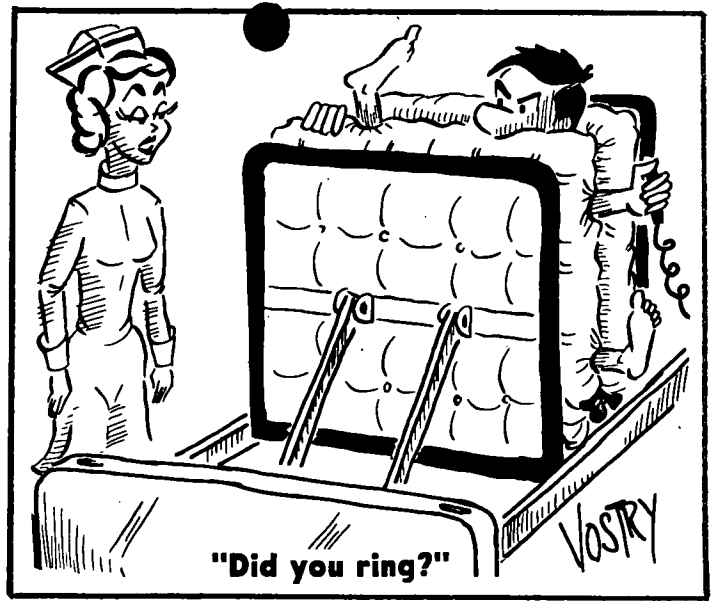
A little girl who was rebuked for incessant chatter explained, "I don't know any big words so I use lots and lots of little one to make up."

FLIGHTY

In the *New Mexico Lobo*, a student newspaper of the Univ. of New Mexico, there appeared a classified advertisement. It read as follows: "A Univ. of New Mexico student has decided skiing too dangerous; selling entire outfit: Boots, skis, bindings, poles. Best offer accepted. Money needed for sky-diving kit."

WHEN YOU KNOW A FELLOW

When you get to know a fellow,
Know his joys and know his cares;
When you come to understand him
And the burden that he bears;
When you've learned the fight he's making,
And the troubles in his way.
Then you find that he is different
Than you thought him yesterday.
You find his thoughts are sensible,
And there's not so much to blame
In the man you lightly jeered at
When you only knew his name.



There is nothing either good or bad, but thinking makes it so.
SHAKESPEARE — *Hamlet*.
Act II. Sc. 2

Who ran to help me when I fell,
And would some pretty story tell,
Or kiss the place to make it well?
My Mother.
ANNE TAYLOR — *My Mother*

When I play with my cat,
who knows whether I do not
make her more sport, than
she makes me?
MONTAIGNE

Among the attributes of
God, although they are all
equal, mercy shines with even
more brilliancy than justice.
CERVANTES

We are growing serious,
and, let me tell you, that's a
very next step to being dull.
ADDISON — *The Drummer*

If all the year were playing
holidays,
To sport would be as tedious
as to work.
SHAKESPEARE — *Henry IV*.
Pt. I. Act I. Sc. 2

Keep thy eyes wide open be-
fore marriage; and half shut
afterward.
THOMAS FULLER — *Intro-
ductio ad Prudentiam*

The strongest man is the
one who stands most alone.
IBSEN — *An Enemy of the
People*

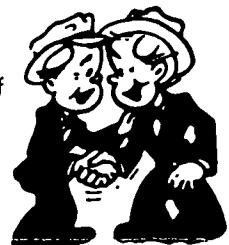
I praise the Frenchman; his
remark was shrewd,—
"How sweet, how passing
sweet is solitude."
But grant me still a friend in
my retreat,
Whom I may whisper—Sol-
itude is sweet.
COWPER — *Retirement*

Riches either serve or gov-
ern the possessor.
HORACE

Success is counted sweetest
By those who ne'er succeed.
EMILY DICKINSON — *Suc-
cess*

Quotes

Be sure to
introduce yourself
to our new
members and
welcome them
into our Club.



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