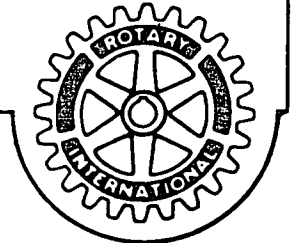


# BLASTOFF

News Bulletin for the  
Space Center Rotary Club

Meets every Monday at noon  
Holiday Inn, Nassau Bay

DISTRICT 589



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Editor, Tom Wier

"You are the key"

OCTOBER 21, 1985

## PROGRAMS

Don Kirk, Chairman

- OCT. 21 **Steve Lufburrow**, Goodwill Industries.  
"What is the Real World and Where Do We Fit In?" Introduction by Gene Lindquist.
- OCT. 28 **Col. Lawrence Tracy**, U. S. Army, assigned to  
Dept. of State, Washington, DC. "Current  
Military and Political Situation in Central  
America" Introduction by Clay Fulcher ("GOOD")
- NOV. 4 **Ray Potter**, Governor, District 589.  
Club Assembly day. BE THERE!
- NOV. 11 **NO MEETING.** Federal Holiday (again!)

## Bulletins

## TINNSBROOK

## TRIP

Club VP **Jim Hargrove** has this report on this exciting event:

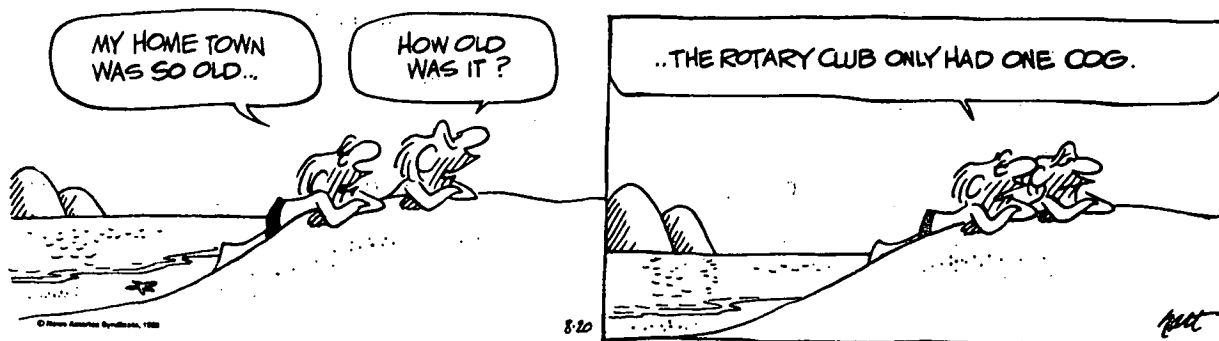
"Out of the 52 spaces we have reserved for us, we have candidates for 35 now, with expressions of interest for 60 places." --(Editor's note: These are not all Rotarians, but they might beat you out of a place if you don't take advantage of the priority being given to our club.)-- **Jim** points out "This is a unique event among Rotary clubs and ~~we are~~ **we are going to have a great time.** You may not be aware (Please continue on page 4)---

## PROGRAM NOTES

by John Francis

MEETING OF OCTOBER 7: The program was introduced by Rotarian **Jack Lister**. His guest speaker that day was the Deputy Director of Johnson Space Center, Robert Getz. Mr. Getz provided a management overview of the upcoming year at the Center, including the outlook for the budget, personnel and construction. According to Mr. Getz, the JSC programs remain strong and well funded, even though NASA is being asked to share in the effort to control the national deficit. There will be a slight reduction of Space Station funds, and Center personnel will (Story and Photo continued on page 4.)

B.C./by Johnny Hart



**CLUB MEMBERS:** Please take the Blastoff home with you!

*To all Rotary Wives*

*Please come join with other Rotary wives at our wives luncheons the second Tuesday of each month. Enjoy the chit-chat, make friends, help us decide what interesting programs we can secure. On November 12 we will lunch at*

*The Pizz House*

*3329 NASA Rd. 1, Seabrook*

*Reservations are necessary as we must contract for a certain number.*

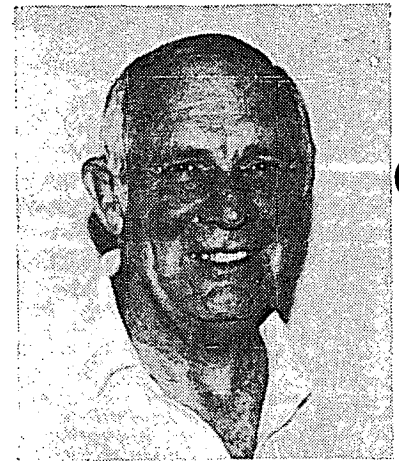
*Anne Weseman*

**Please call Anne's office 488-2244 before Friday November 8**

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## **new Member**

**John W. Tenini**, sponsored by **Carlos Villagomez**, was inducted into club membership on October 7. His classification is Consultant-Chemical Processes". John is a native of Chester PA, who earned a BS in Chemical Engineering from Illinois Institute of Technology. He worked on environmental problems while with Arco and is now vice-president of Resochem Corp., P. O. Box 669, Houston TX 77001, phone 332-5548. John and his wife Holly live a 1406 Lost Ridge Circle in Seabrook, 77586, phone 474-7239. They have three children, Tricia, Ashly, and Heather. ----- **Carlos and John** are pictured below after the induction ceremony.



**PETE GIST**

Pete, Shrimporee Entertainment Chairman, expresses his appreciation to the following individuals who donated adult Shrimporee meal tickets for his group of clogging entertainers and members of the band:

- AL BRADY**
- BAILEY CHANEY**
- BOB DRIVER**
- BILL GRESKO**
- JIM KENNEDY**
- GENE LINDQUIST**
- BOB MITCHELL**
- BOB MONTGOMERY**
- RAY PAWLIKOWSKI**
- CHARLES POST**
- BEV STEADMAN**
- TOM WIER**

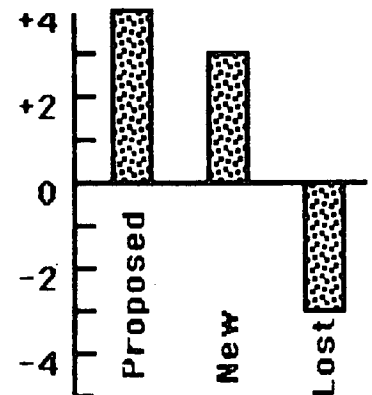
PLUS Non-members:

Dick Brown

Alan Getz, Enterprises

And we hope no one who contributed was missed.

### **Dr. Ron Hopping's 20/20 Hindsight Chart for September**



**MEMBERSHIP ACTION**  
Attendance-----82%

# Attendance-----

Dave King, Committee Chairman

Let's make 100% attendance a habit! You know, it is your personal responsibility to keep up your attendance. No one is going to personally nursemaid you. But we do want you here.

**IF YOU CANT MAKEUP  
DONT MISS**

If you miss a meeting because of work overload or social commitments, you can makeup your absence easily by attending one of the nearby clubs or one listed in the district or international directory---either in advance (after the Monday preceding your expected absence) or after your absence (but before the next Monday). --- Just ask other members how they have enjoyed the experience of visiting other clubs to makeup!  
A pocket guide to nearby meeting dates and places is in the works, but meanwhile, ask a fellow member or call my office at 488-7273.

At our present attendance of 82%, nearly one in five of our entire membership are not making up when they miss. WHY??? Don't be part of the problem!--(Editor's note: "Gig 'em, Davel")

## COMMITTEE MEETING:

Ron Rosenhagen's World Understanding Committee has been meeting weekly on Mondays before club meetings. He wasn't at the meeting on October 7, which was chaired by vice-chairman **Jack Lister**. Snapped at the meeting, the photo below shows committee members present (clockwise, starting at left) **Dr. Ron Nicksich, Dr. Robert Ling (caught reaching for an iced tea replenishment), Ray Pawlikowski, Jack Lister, Jerry Clause, and Steve Bolton.**



## GENE LINDQUIST

Gene, Vice Chairman of the Shrimporee Ticket Committee, expresses his thanks to the many members who donated Shrimporee meal tickets to the children and scout troop of the Harris County Youth Village. Also his thanks go for the required number of adult tickets for the supervisors and teachers at the Village, who assisted in this year's event. The donors were:

**BILL BENNETT  
JACK DENIKE  
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BOB STEPHENS  
CHARLES WHYNOT  
TOM WIER  
WOODY WILLIAMS**

Forgive us, please, if any donating member was left off of this list.

**MEETING OF OCTOBER 7 (Continued from page 1)**

drop from 3375 to 3340. A major effort to upgrade the facilities will begin in 1986 with restoration, maintenance and modification funds receiving a 25% funding increase. In 1987, the Center will undertake construction of two entirely new facilities.

Mr. Getz noted that NASA and JSC are in a transitional period in which the agency is receiving many new management challenges. They are being asked to manage two major programs at one time, Shuttle and Space Station, without a comparable increase in budget. They also have the additional efforts to consolidate their operations into fewer contracts, transfer some functions to Kennedy Space Center and reorganize internally to effectively manage the Space Station. Mr. Getz concluded by highlighting the Space Shuttle missions that will be upcoming in 1986. In the photo below Robert Getz is shown at left with club member Jack Lister, and club president Bob Wren.



**INNSBRUK (Cont'd from p. 1)**

that you are free to take side trips of your choosing. This trip is not structured rigidly. You can even stay over in Europe for extra time (that part, of course, at your own expense). Your return flight ticket will be honored for when you make return reservations."

To get any info you need for making the decision to go, call:

Pat Hargrove 280-0600  
Jim Hargrove 474-2501  
or at home 474-3800

**HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY**

JOE HENKEL 10/23  
CHARLES HARDWICK 10/27  
VEIT HANSEN 10/31

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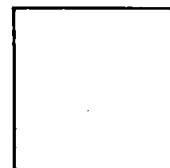
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