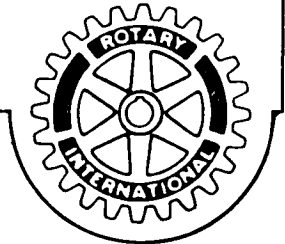


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COMING EVENTS

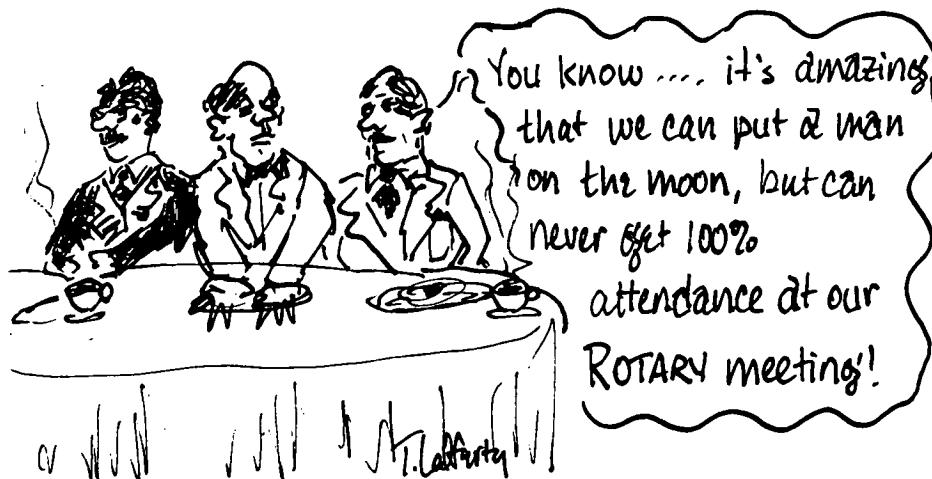
Jack Catron, Program Chairman
George Fleming, February

- FEB 22 Mon Noon **Charles Balch, MD**, Scientist and Chief Surgeon, UT Cancer Center. "Research/Living/Smoking".
- FEB 25 Thu Eve. **Rotary Night at the Rodeo**. Sign up with Jim McDonald, \$16. Meet at 6:00 PM at Rice University parking lot.
- FEB 29 Mon Noon **Larry L. Mathis**, President and CEO, The Methodist Hospital System. "Issues Affecting Your Care".
LADIES DAY. Bring your sweetie.

February 22, 1988 PAUL HARRIS FELLOW AWARDS

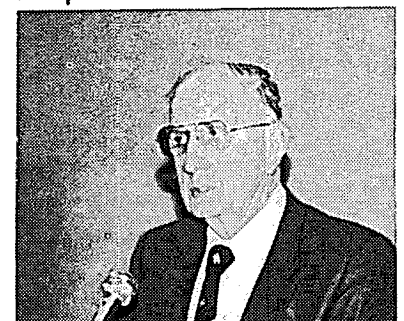
Space Center Rotarians know a good cause when they see it. And the Polio Plus cause is certainly the most ambitious humanitarian program that Rotary International has ever undertaken. Space Center Rotarians have reached into their pockets and found their hearts, pledging over \$32,000 to Polio Plus so far, including matching funds. Each \$1000 adds another Paul Harris nominee in recognition of participation in this worthy cause.

Many of those named were honored at a very fine evening of fellowship Friday night Feb 12 at the Hilton. Pictures of the recipients in this group are featured in this issue. Additional award ceremonies are scheduled for those who could not make that particular event.



Those who keep up their attendance, through being here or making up, have the most fun, get the most satisfaction out of Rotary, and contribute to the rest of the organization more service above self. YOU OWE IT TO YOURSELF! --DON'T YOU?

In the next issue, we hope to publish the list of 100% club members that Vince Lipovsky and Al Brady have been compiling.



PAUL HARRIS AWARDS

Those individuals honored at the Feb 22 dinner were:

Myra Gochnour-Hooker
Margery Wier
Lucy A. Harris
Victor Maria
Maggie Plumb Denike
Adele K. Jowid
Sandy Lamont Shirley
Raymond Khoury
Martha F. Owen
David King

Gerald Allen
Lamar Bowles
Mrs. Weida Rideout
Jack Larry Rowe
Roy Iles
Ronald L. Hopping
Norma J. Maria
Jean R. Morgan
Carolyn Watson
Marilee McNatt

There are still 16 more to be honored for their sponsor's participation. Since some of those are supposed to be surprises, we won't list them until they are announced. +++ And if you missed the announcement, an anonymous donor made a contribution in the name of every member of the club (as of Jan 1 when the donation was made) that was not previously a Paul Harris Fellow or Sustaining Member. Thereby our club became a 100% club. If you weren't a Fellow or Sustaining Member before you are now! You now have \$ 100 credit in your account as a Sustaining Member.



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INT'L YOUTH EXCHANGE

Committee Report by Alan Wylie: The committee decided to split the \$1000 scholarship money between CLHS and CCHS for the summer exchange. Applications have been distributed to both schools, along with the attachment which provides necessary details. Scholarship applications must be in by Feb. 26.--Clay Fulcher is compiling a committee to perform the reviews and select the winners--but the applications should be mailed or handed to Alan. The date received will determine who is first. He will keep David Taylor informed on status.

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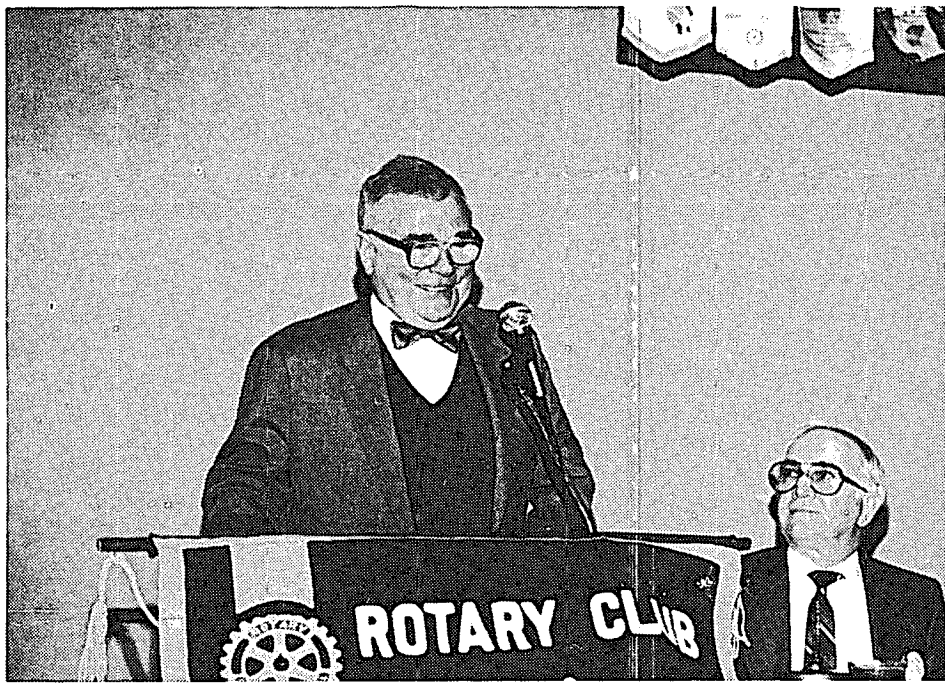
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MEETING NOTES

by Steve Bolton

MEETING OF FEB 8: George Fleming introduced our speaker: Dr. Joseph Jachimczyk, Harris County's Chief Forensic Pathologist, who explained the efforts of his office to assure that crime does not pay. Dr. Joe explained how he solved 2 murders with one tooth, how the "Auto Autopsy" facility will be able to determine the cause of accidents, and he told how one criminal tried to get away with "inducing a heart attack" with an ice pick without leaving a trace.

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GREETERS

Jim McDonald, Chairman

Fellowship Committee

Officer, Director

- 2/22 Bill Geissler/Jerry Jones
- 2/29 Ralph Karraker/Jim Shows
- 3/7 Bill Weaver/Carl Bechtel
- 3/14 Bill Bennett/Jean Pierre Bieger

- Lamar Bowles
- John Francis
- Billy Smith
- Jim Hargrove

Plus all Red Badge new members++++++Make new friends

BIRTHDAYS

- AL HOLQUIN 2/22
- JOHNATHAN HALL 2/22
- WAYNE YOUNG 3/5

SEE THE BULLETIN BOARD FOR RED BADGE ACTION

The pipeline is a-bulging with newly proposed members! Thank Eddie Tarin and his committee for that. What's more, thanks to Eddie Harris' Red Badge program, our new members are coming into Rotary better informed than ever!



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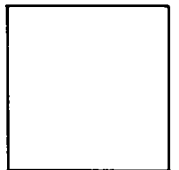
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