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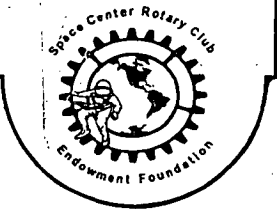
# SPACE CENTER ROTARY CLUB

# BLASTOFF

The Space Center Rotary Club  
meets on Mondays, 11:45 a.m.  
at the Nassau Bay Hilton

Rotary International District 5890

"Real Happiness is Helping Others"



Rotary International President: Clifford Dochterman  
District 5890 Governor: Billy Weseman  
Club President: Vic Maria

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## WHAT'S NEWS

*Aug 16  
Red badge*

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### PROGRAMS

AUG 2 PLEASE,  
AUG 7 COME  
AUG 16 AND  
AUG 23 SEE  
AUG 30 !

### EVENTS

AUG 30 GOLF FUND-  
RAISER FOR  
SHRIMPOREE  
SEP 12 VIP SNEAK  
PREVIEW  
SEP 18 SHRIMPOREE  
DEC 10 CHRISTMAS  
PARTY

### BIRTHDAYS

Delia Stephens	8/2
Myra Gochnour-Hooker	8/3
Keith Cook	8/5
Gonzalo Montoya	8/5
Dixie Robison	8/7
Jonny White	8/8
Sam Marullo	8/12
Joseph Marcinkowske	8/13
Jerry Clark	8/15
Dick Veth	8/17
Roseann Zarcaro	8/20
Al Ligrani	8/21
John Rizzo	8/23
Gene Oley	8/24
Allan Lundeen	8/24
Steve Waldner	8/26
Jay Welch	8/28
Don Kyle	8/29
Clark Wright	8/30

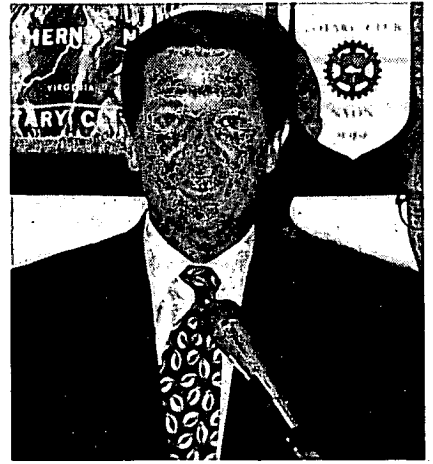
### SHRIMPOREE

This years shrimporee will be held on Saturday, September 18 at the usual place (Cap Landolt Pavilion in Clear Lake Park. Tickets are \$10 at the door or at the meeting. Our president expects each of us to buy or sell 20 tickets. If you would like, you may donate any or all of your tickets to charity.

### VIP SNEAK PREVIEW

This years VIP sneak preview will be held on Sunday September 12th from 7 to 10 PM in our regular meeting room in the Hilton. Tickets are \$100. Fabulous items are to be auctioned. (minimum bid \$1000). Entertainment includes: singers, magicians, a choir, a karate demonstration, etc.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



### HALLELUJAH, CHANGE IS COMING

By Gene Oley

7-27-93. Congressman Tom Delay lit a fire under Space Center Rotarians with his informative insights to the Washington scene.

He told us about a memo the Democrats circulated entitled "Hallelujah, Change is Coming". Then he told us the bad news regarding what changes the Democrats were talking about.

Congressman Delay explained that our liberal President cannot move to center because he is putting leftist in every position possible.

Without listing names! One proposed person has a record of being a gay activist and was responsible for the Boy Scout problems in San Francisco, she

wanted to take the word "God" out of their vocabulary; another proposed person has a record of leaking military information and was involved in releasing a list of CIA agents to the Russians; still another proposee passed out defective condoms to schools, she knew it and did it anyway, she figured enough of them were good and they were already paid for! The list goes on and on.

Tom's southern most boundary is NASA Rd. 1. That is without the Johnson Space Center. His political boundary, in places, looks like bumps on a log.

Congressman Delay tells us his side is fighting back. The Republicans have an alternate plan for everything: For the

recent flooding disaster they found \$3 billion in cuts to help victims; their welfare reform plan is budget neutral; on December 6th a 24 hour conservative TV network goes on the air; a new coalition of Republicans and conservative Democrats is forming; and the list goes on.

Tom say's we can't give the politicians in Washington more money, because if they have it, they will spend it.

We gave Congressman Tom Delay a standing ovation when he began his talk and another standing ovation when he finished his talk. So (as a newcomer to Rotary myself) I'm going to guess most of you agree with him.

### THANK YOU

Dear Rotary Club Members,

Thank you so very much for the generous donation toward our rebuilding effort. The money will help us attain our goal of a quality shelter with quality care. Your organization does such wonderful things. We are glad to be among the lucky recipients of your generosity.

Sincerely,  
Mary Shosly  
Bay Area SPCA

Dear Rotary,

I'm having a *wonderful* time at Space Camp. Thanks again for sending me.

Sincerely yours,  
Mickey Hanna

Hello!

It's hot here! (Sort of like a Houston summer without a/c and all-year round.) I've just met with Mr. Stuart Pack, former President of the Rotary Club of Singapore-West. He'll be my counselor for the next year abroad. Hope all is well and I'll be writing again soon!

Yours truly, Irene Yao

# WHO'S NEWS

## ROTARY INFORMATION

### QUIZ

By Al Ligrani

1. Who are the two ladies who represented our club on a Group Study Exchange team to India and Australia prior to becoming members of our club:

- a. Lisa Ehrler,
- b. Sandra Sausley,
- c. Myra Gouchnour Hooker,
- d. Anne Weseman.

1A. Which one was the first female member of our club.

2. True or False. The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International is a profit corporation supported by voluntary contributions of Rotarians and friends of Rotary.

3. Contributors to the Rotary foundation are recognized in the following categories:

- a. Paul Harris Fellow, sustaining member, or multiple fellow,
- b. Memorial contributor,
- c. Benefactor,
- d. all of the above.

4. True or False. A Paul Harris sustaining member is recognized as an individual contributing a minimum of \$1000.

5. True or False. Through its Polio Plus Program, Rotary is committed to eliminate poliomyelitis as a threat to the lives and health of the world's children.

6. The categories for Rotary Foundation scholarships are:

- a. Graduate and undergraduate,
- b. Vocational / journalism,
- c. Teachers of the handicapped,
- d. All of the above.

7. True or False. Health, hunger, and humanity (3H) grants fund large scale, one - to - five - year international humanitarian projects.

8. True or False. The Group Study Exchange (GSE) program enables teams of business and professional Rotarians in different countries to exchange visits of several weeks to develop international friendships and to study the business, culture, and political systems of the host country.

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## SPACE CENTER ROTARY ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION

By Billy Ray Smith

At its annual meeting, the Board of Trustees of the Space Center Rotary Club Endowment Foundation elected the following officers for the 1993-1994 fiscal year:

Billy R. Smith, President & Chairman of the Board.

Robert J. Wren, Vice President & Vice Chairman

Alfred J. Ligrani, Secretary

John T. Watson, Treasurer

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## CHANGE OF PHONE #'s

The following people have changed their business address & phone numbers:

Editor of the Blastoff, Head of the Shrimporee Auction Committee, Member of the Ticket Committee.  
My new # is 280-0444 (Gene Oley)

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## RNASAF

By Billy Ray Smith

At it's annual meeting July 15, 1993, the Rotary National Award For Space Achievement Foundation (RNASAF) elected the officers and directors. They are:

Pres. & COB, Charles Hartman  
V.P. - Finance David Hamblin  
V.P. - Legal Billy Smith  
Secretary Charles Hardwick  
Treasurer Bob Mitchell

Directors:

Vic Maria (93-94)  
Hal Neely (93-94)  
Mike Dennard (92-95)  
Bob Wren (93-96)  
Clay Fulcher (91-94)  
Jack Lister (92-95)  
Ron Blilie (93-96)  
John Watson (91-94)  
Owen Morris (92-95)  
Chuck Jacobson (93-96)

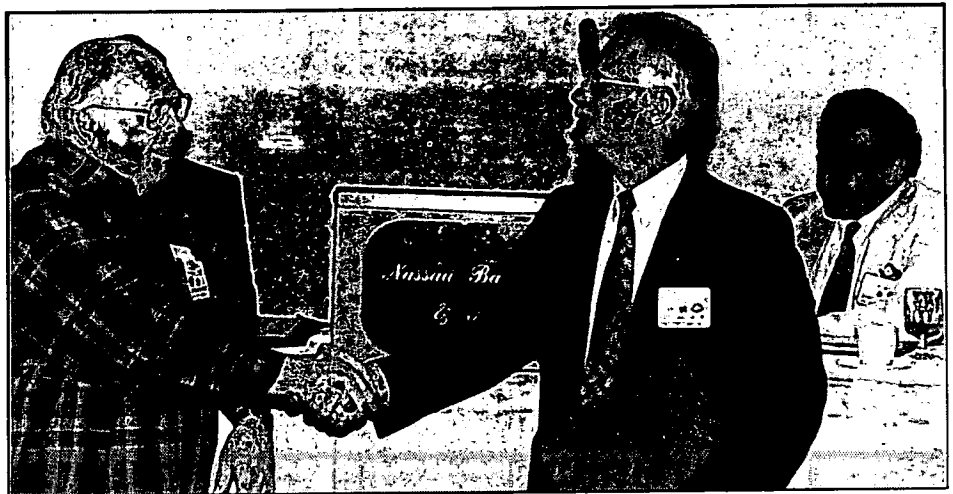
Advisory Director: Floyd Boze

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## ANSWERS TO ROTARY INTERNATIONAL QUIZ

- 1. a. and c.
- 1A. c.
- 2. False
- 3. d.
- 4. False
- 5. True
- 6. d.
- 7. True
- 8. False

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Papa Tom presents last years memories to Past Prez Terry

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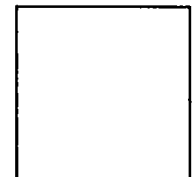
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- David Taylor, President-Elect
- Lamar Bowles, Secretary
- Bill Lowes, Treasurer
- Donnie Johnson, Sergeant-At-Arms
- Terry W. Hesson, Past President
- Billy Ray Smith, Parliamentarian
- Floyd Boze, Past District Governor
- Billy Weseman, District Governor

**Directors**

- Huey Barnett
- Ron Billie
- Mike Dennard
- Clay Fulcher
- Bill Geissler
- Dick Gregg
- Mike Porterfield
- Bill Taylor
- Johnny White



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