



Rotary Club of Fort Walton Beach

THE ROTARY READER

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District Governor's Gold Medal of Honor Award Winner — 2006-07
Presidential Citation Award Winner — 13th Consecutive Year

2007-08

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Today's Speaker: Dr. John Vaughan

Vignettes of an Auslander



Our very own Dr. John Vaughan is speaking to us today. John is a native of Okaloosa

County and a

graduate of Crestview High School. He received his BS in Chemical Engineering from Tulane University and his Masters and PhD from Lawrence University in Appleton, Wisconsin (The Institute of Paper and Science Technology).

After military service as a Naval Aviator, John joined Inland Container Corporation, Indianapolis, IN, a major manufacturer of pulp, paper and corrugated packaging. In 1995, he retired as Senior Vice President. At Inland Container Corporation, his responsibilities included engineering, construction, research and development, environmental management and strategic planning. He also served as President and Chairman of Inland Foreign Sales Inc., St. Thomas, V.I., Vice President and Director of Harima MID Osaka, Japan, and Direc-

tor of Georgia Kraft Co., Rome, GA.

John's professional activities included: Tau Beta Pi honorary engineering fraternity, TAPPI Fellow and director, the National Council of Air and Stream Improvement, and Chairman of the Research Advisory Committee, and Alumni Association of the Institute of Paper Science and Technology.

John has been active in government and community affairs. Government service included Chairman of the Indianapolis Airport Authority, Indiana State Science Advisory Committee, and the Industrial Advisory Committee of the Purdue University schools of science and engineering at Indianapolis. His community service included directorships of the Indianapolis Symphony, the Festival Music Society of Indianapolis, and the New Hope for the severely handicapped. John is an Elder of the First Presbyterian Church and a member of the Rotary Club of Fort Walton Beach.

He and his wife Sara are the parents of one son and two daughters and the proud grandparents of ten adorable grandchildren





FEBRUARY 13, 2008
Welcome Rotarians and Guests!

We're glad to have you join us.

Scooter Policy: Members, If you leave prior to the completion of the program, you will be fined \$5.00 under the scooter policy. Please leave your badge on Carole's table if you leave early!



Upcoming Programs

Feb 20 Pat Rice—Editor NWF Daily News

Feb 27 Brian Lambert (Randy Stokes)—Architecture

MEETING STATS – 2/6/08

ATTENDANCE: 73.20%

Visiting Rotarians:

Larry Leese, Oakwood, OH	Bob Ryken, Bettendorf, IO
Bob Vance, East Jordan, MI	Dick Gillman, Rittman, OH
Doug Hale, South Walton	Elton Smith, Rochester, NT

Guests of Members

None

CHS Interact/Wheelettes

None

Makeups

Stacey McGilvray x 2	Jason Negrón
Roger Peadro	Ted Rahe x 2
Bob Richburg	Joyce Shanahan
Yonge Watson x 3	



Rotary Make-Ups On-Line Make-ups

We are having difficulty receiving your on-line make-ups via email. Therefore, if you make up on-line, be sure to provide a hard copy (printout) of your make-up to Carole Jones.

Remember, you have **two weeks before** or **two weeks after** a missed meeting to submit a makeup.

Email: carolejones56@aol.com



Happy February Birthday!

Al Stearns	1
Tim Walker	9
Joyce Shanahan	17
Tony Leonard	22
Joe Brewster	21

ROTARY FOUR WAY TEST

- 1) Is it the truth?
- 2) Is it fair to all concerned?
- 3) Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
- 4) Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

ABC's of Rotary

Types of Rotary Club Memberships *by Cliff Dochterman, Past RI President*

There are two types of Rotary club membership — active and honorary. An active member is one who has been elected to membership in the club under a classification of business or profession and enjoys all the obligations, responsibilities, and privileges of membership as provided in the RI constitution and bylaws. Active members may hold office in their clubs and serve RI at the district and international levels. They are expected to meet attendance requirements, pay dues, and bring new members into Rotary.

Honorary Rotary membership may be offered to people who have distinguished themselves by meritorious service in the furtherance of Rotary ideals. An honorary member is elected for one year only, and continuing membership

must be renewed annually. Honorary members cannot propose new members to the club or hold office and are exempt from attendance requirements and club dues.

Many distinguished heads of state, explorers, authors, musicians, astronauts, and other public personalities have been honorary members of Rotary clubs, including King Gustaf of Sweden, King George VI of England, King Baudouin of Belgium, King Hassan III of Morocco, Sir Winston Churchill, humanitarian Albert Schweitzer, Charles Lindbergh, composer Jean Sibelius, explorer Sir Edmund Hillary, Thor Heyerdahl, Thomas Edison, Walt Disney, Bob Hope, Dr. Albert Sabin, British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, and many of the presidents of the United States.

Happy 103rd Birthday Rotary



Caption: The first four Rotarians: (left to right) Gustavus Loehr, Silvester Schiele, Hiram Shorey, and Paul Harris. *Rotary Images*

During the first Rotary club meeting Paul Harris, Gustavus Loehr, Hiram Shorey, and Silvester Schiele met to talk about their personal experiences. Harris then unfolded his general plan for their club meetings.

This was the simple beginning of the world's first service club, the Rotary Club of Chicago. It was created because of Harris' wish to capture in a professional club the same friendly spirit he had felt in the small towns of his youth. The Rotary name derived from the early practice of rotating meetings among members' offices.

Rotarians continue to take pride in their history. In honor of that first club, Rotarians have preserved its original meeting place, Room 711 in Chicago's Unity Building, by re-creating the office as it existed in 1905. For several years, the Paul Harris 711 Club maintained the room as a shrine for visiting Rotarians. In 1989, when the building was scheduled to be demolished, the club carefully dismantled the office and salvaged the interior, including doors and radiators. In 1993, the RI Board of Directors set aside a permanent home for the restored Room 711 at RI World Headquarters in the Chicago suburb of Evanston.

Abernethy, James PHF Banking - Loans	Gilligan, Tony PHF Government Contractor	Martin, Ralph PHF Aircraft Equip. Mfg.	Pooley, Jan PHF Department Store	Tibbetts, Alexis SM Schools
Arrowsmith, Steve SM Commercial Banking	Goodman, Jackie SM Hotel Marketing	Mattern, Jamey SM Architect	Potts, Charlie, PHF* Jeweler	Tidmore, Max PHF* Office Machines
Arthur, Jack PHF Insurance	Grubbs, Haydon PHF Education	McDonald, Tim PHF Manufacturing	Pritchard, Kathy PHF Commercial Banking	Tinsley, William PHF * X Savings & Loan Mgt.
Bennett, Nitsi PHF X* Non-profit Administration	Hamilton, Chad SM CPA	McGilvray, Stacey SM Commercial Banking	Pryor, Fred PHF* Utility Service - Gas	Townsend, Forrest PHF* X Veterinarian
Bodenstine, Debbie SM Economic Development	Hardy, Sallie PHF Commercial Properties	McCombs, David SM Aerospace Prg. Mgmt.	Rahe, Theodore PHF* Property Management	Trum, Alex PHF Orthodontist <i>Retired</i>
Bohnsack, Rob, SM Reverend	Hayes, Tom SM Financial Services	Mead, John SM Attorney	Raines, Joe PHF Outdoor Advertising	Vaughan, John PHF Past Service
Brewster, Joseph PHF Cable Television	Henderson, Joseph PHF* Accounting/Auditing	Meyer, Joseph SM Computers-retail	Raynsford, Vance * SM <i>Honorary</i>	Walker, Timothy SM ER Physician
Brutt, Frank PHF County Planning	Henley, Mitzi SM Retail Shopping	Miceli, Gail SM Banking	Richburg, James R. PHF X <i>College Administration</i>	Watson, Yonge PHF* Real Estate
Campbell, Wayne PHF Hospital Administration	Hightower, M. Cullen PHF *X Furniture - Retail	Miceli, Philippe PHF* Private Banking Exec	Riggs, Stephen SM CPA	West, Charles PHF SM Investment Broker
Chalker, Gerry PHF SM Trust Banking	Hipsh, Larry SM Attorney	Mickle, Donna PHF SM Business Consultant	Robbins, Dave SM A/C Heating & Refrig.	Williamson, Kenneth PHF* <i>Honorary</i>
Clark, Jason SM Insurance	Hipsh, Whitney SM Real Estate Attorney	Miller, David O. PHF Developmental Dsablty.	Robinson, William PHF Fund Raising	Woo, Jean PHF Dentist
Conner, Tom SM News Media	Hooton, Jeff SM Commercial Lending	Montanez, Aminta SM Employee Leasing	Royster, Skip PHF* Commercial Contractor	Yeiser, Jack PHF Mortgage Broker
Corbin, Andy PHF** Electronics Mfg	Howard, William PHF Real Estate - General	Morgan, John PHF* Computer Engineer	Shanahan, Joyce PHF SM X City Government	York, Jack SM Auto Sales
Curry, Jim SM** Government Management	Hughes, Chris SM Building Industry	Neal, Melissa SM Education	Shaw, Susan SM Fund Raising	Youngblood, Russ PHF** Psychology
Davis, Charles PHF SM Restaurant Owner	Hutson, Karen T. PHF Retail Cars	Negron, Jason SM Attorney	Shaw, Timothy PHF* <i>Attorney</i>	<p>Recent Resignations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pat Hollam • Skip Rainer • Joel Unger <p>Members in green font have missed three or more meetings. Please give them a call and encourage them to attend a meeting.</p>
Davis, James PHF *SM Public Utilities	Johnson, Chris PHF* <i>Honorary</i>	Nelson, Dan PHF Restaurant - Fast Food	Shelley, Eulice PHF* Moving & Storage	
Davis, Jessica SM Non-Profit Fundraising	Johnson, Johnny PHF X** Banking	Nicholson, Michele SM Communications	Simpson, Natalie SM Legislative	
Dorris, George PHF Dentistry	Kernen, Deborah PHF Communications	Ochs, Jonathan SM <i>Banking</i>	Sims, Sandy SM Utilities Management	
Duncan, Buddy Chaplin	Landers, Chuck, PHF CPA	ODell, Shane Financial Services	Smith, Pete PHF* Appraiser	
Englett, Michael PHF SM College Athletics	Leonard, Tony PHF** Retail/Musical Instrmnt.	Pagliari, Emil PHF Restaurants - Seafood	Smith, Scott SM Chiropractor	
Fallin, Ralph PHF *X Dairy Products	Linn, John PHF SM Kitchens-retail	Parker, Desley SM Success Coach	Stearns, Allan PHF Travel Agent	
Foster, William PHF SM X Attorney	Litschauer, Ted, SM Public Safety	Peadro, Roger SM Pastor	Stevens, Rick PHF X Surge Suppression System	
Fowner, Bob PHF Assoc. Manager	Lowrey, Thomas PHF* Stockbroker	Plummer, Mary SM Real Estate Sales	Stokes, Randy PHF* Architecture	

Don't forget that you can makeup a missed meeting at a neighboring club. They include:

Crestview: Wednesday noon, Sonny's B-B-Q

DeFuniak Springs: Wednesday 7:30 a.m., McLain's Family Steak House

Mid-Bay: Wednesday 7 a.m., Bluewater Bay Golf Club

Navarre: Thursday noon, Cocodries

Niceville: Thursday noon, OWC Bld. K

South Walton: Thursday 7:30 a.m., Embassy Suites

Destin: Tuesday 7:15 a.m. Rutherford's at Regatta Bay

For more locations, visit our district Web site at: www.rotary6940.org or **makeup on line at** www.rotaryclubone.org

PHF: Paul Harris Fellows
SM: PH Sustaining Members
* FWB Club Past Presidents
** Past President Other Clubs
X FWB Rotarian of the Year

As of 2/13/08

103 Members
3 Honorary Members
106 Total Members