



## Fort Walton Beach Rotary Club

# ROTARY READER

*The Rotary Club of Fort Walton Beach is celebrating 100 years of Rotary through service at home and abroad. From our Centennial Park Project to our trip to Peru, Fort Walton Beach Rotarians are making a difference by applying the Four Way Test to the Things We Think, Do and Say.*

### Rotary Officers

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Kathleen Pritchard

**International Service:**

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**Vocational Service:**

Timothy McDonald

**Sergeant at Arms:**

Patricia Hollarn and

Emil Pagliari

**Club Bulletin:**

Joyce Shanahan

## VOCATIONAL AWARENESS MONTH

As part three of Vocational Awareness month we have two speakers providing informative talks on their vocations.

### Today's Guest Speakers

**HAYDON Y. GRUBBS, JR.,  
FELLOW ROTARIAN**

Haydon is a graduate of West Point. He, also, has a Masters in Aeronautical Engineering from Oklahoma State Univ. He was a B-29 bomber pilot during the Korean Conflict.

After the war, he flew many research missions which included a record coast-to-coast flight in a B-47 jet from L.A. to Boston in 3hrs 47min. At NASA he helped engineer the Apollo launch vehicle, Space Lab, Shuttle and Lunar Roving Vehicle. Later at Bendix Aerospace he helped build the lunar experiments. At Eglin, he managed munitions programs including the first guided cluster air-to-ground weapon (GBU-1 Guided Rockeye) later used in Desert Storm. Haydon was technical director for the foreign weapons program. As Chairman of the Joint Services Technical Coordination Group for guns he selected the 9mm to replace the 38 pistol. He taught physical science for OWC for 10 yrs. Helped Ken Williamson sell radars at Vitro. Haydon is the past president of the West Point Society of Northwest Florida with over 100 members in the local area.

**MAJOR (RET) CHARLES E  
MERKEL, JR., PH.D**

Dr. Merkel is the Congressional District Coordinator and Admissions Representative for the United States Military Academy at West

Point, N.Y. He has a Ph.D. from Florida State Univ. and Masters from Troy State and Temple Universities. While on active duty, he had many assignments including a UH-1H helicopter pilot in Vietnam for the 173d Airborne Brigade, a test pilot and engineer, a company commander, an intelligence officer, a civil affairs officer and Professor of Military Science at Valley Forge Military Academy, Pa. He received many decorations including the Purple Heart. He is currently Manager of Missile Test Vehicles for the AMRAAM program at Eglin and teaches history at Troy State Univ. and OWC. Dr. Merkel is a member of the West Point Society of Northwest Florida and has been dynamically instrumental in having the Society designated as a Distinguished Society by West Point.



NOVEMBER 16, 2005

Welcome Rotarians and Guests!  
We're glad to have you join us.

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

*Here's what you missed if you weren't at our last meeting ...*

ATTENDANCE : 60.00%

Visiting Rotarians

None

Guests of ... Rotarians

<u>Rotarian</u>	<u>Guest</u>
Sallie Hardy	Whitney Hipsh
Gerry Chalker	Jeff Bradley
Bob Fowner	Edward Candelosi

Makeups ...

Jean Woo                      eClub



NEIGHBORING CLUBS

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

**Crestview:** Wednesday noon, Holiday Inn

**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, OWCC Bld. K

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

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

**\*Note - this is a new location!**

For more locations, visit our district Web site at: [www.rotary6940.org](http://www.rotary6940.org). You can also do an online makeup at the Website <http://www.rotaryclubone.org>

**WHAT PAUL HARRIS SAID...**

*"Rotary is an integrating force in a world where disintegrating forces are far more numerous."*

*Paul P. Harris  
THE ROTARIAN  
1944*

**Quote of the Day**

**Think not of yourself as the architect of your career but as the sculptor. Expect to have to do a lot of hard hammering and chiseling and scraping and polishing.**

*~ B.C. Forbes .*

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?



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

Pat Hollarn	Nov 7	Chris Johnson	Nov 8
John Morgan	Nov 16	Jean Woo	Nov 18
Skip Royster	Nov 20	Charlie Potts	Nov 23
Skip Rainer	Nov 23	Dick Marks	Nov 24
Jack Yeiser	Nov25		

## Do You Know....*that this is vocational awareness month?*



Vocational Awareness focuses on adherence to, and promotion of, the highest ethical standards in all occupations, including fair treatment of employers, employees, associates, competitors, and the public.

It also recognizes the worthiness of all useful occupations, not just your own or those that are pursued by your fellow Rotarians.

It is a way we as Rotarians, can contribute our vocational talents to solving the problems of society and meeting the needs of our community.

Last week Shelly Arneson provided an informative talk on her career development as a principal for Edge Elementary School in Niceville. Shelly even blessed

us with a song about what her profession means to her.

A special **thank you to Tim McDonald** and his Committee (Nitsi Bennett, David Miller, Eddie Phillips, Tony Gilligan and Roger Peadro), for developing such an informative program for vocational awareness month.

The final program in this series will be on November 30<sup>th</sup> in which awards will be presented to those members of the public which the Committee feels have demonstrated vocational excellence in our community while practicing high ethical standards at all times.

## THIS DAY IN HISTORY.....

1987 – Paul McCartney releases "Once Upon a Long Ago"

1982 – Space Shuttle Columbia completes its 1st operational flight

1965 – Walt Disney launches Epcot Center: Prototype Community of Tomorrow

1933 – Roosevelt establishes diplomatic relations with U.S.S.R.

## Rotarian SOS: *Emil Pagliari, embodies Service Above Self*



Emil is a dedicated Rotarian and Co-Sgt. of Arms with Pat Hollarn; and he is also very active in our community. Two groups that are the beneficiary of Emil's good deeds are Brighter Horizons and Hurlburt Pharmacy.

### Tale of Good Deeds:

**Brighter Horizons:** He monitors bingo games at the Bingo Parlor on Racetrack Rd as directed by Horizons personnel. He does so as needed but at least once a month.

**Hurlburt Pharmacy:** Assists pharmacy personnel by handing out prescriptions to awaiting patients. Normally on Friday mornings unless the workload at the restaurant needs attention.



If you know a fellow Rotarian actively involved in community service, please email Community Service Chair Kathy Pritchard, at outstanding service to our community.

[kathy@beachcommunitybank.com](mailto:kathy@beachcommunitybank.com); or complete the SOS form and return to Kathy Pritchard or Rhonda

## Fund Raising Events Benefit Horizons of Okaloosa County, Inc.

### Brighter Horizons Hen and Rooster Roast

Honoring Wayne Campbell and Judy Byrne Riley.  
Thursday Dec 1 – 6pm  
Emerald Coast Conference Center – Tickets \$50pp

### Brighter Horizons Golf Tournament

Friday Dec 2 – 11:30am  
Shotgun Start – Shalimar Point Golf Club – Four person team scramble \$88 pp// \$300 per team.

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## ROTARY ROSTER — NOVEMBER 2005

Abel, Gregg SM Telephone Answering Svc.	Conner, Tom SM News Media	Hightower, M.. Cullen PHF *X Furniture - Retail	Marshall, John SM Aerospace Management	Plummer, Mary SM Real Estate Sales	Smith, Pete PHF * Appraiser
Abernethy, James PHF Banking - Loans	Corbin, Andy PHF Electronics Mfg	Higley, Phil PHF X Honorary	Martin, Ralph PHF Aircraft Equip. Mfg.	Poe, Ken SM Tires, Retail	Smith, Scott SM Chiropractor
Arthur, Jack PHF Insurance	Curry, Jim SM Government Management	Hill, Rudy SM Office Equipment	Mattern, Jamey SM Architect	Pooley, Jan PHF Department Store	Stearns, Allan PHF Travel Agent
Atchison, Glenn SM Condominium Manage- ment	Davis, Charles SM Restaurant Owner	Hollarn, Pat SM Music Instructor	McDonald, Tim PHF Manufacturing	Potts, Charlie, PHF* Jeweler	Stevens, Rick PHF X Surge Suppression Sys- tems
Baker, Karen PHF * Real Estate	Davis, James PHF * Public Utilities	Holley, Chris PHF Government Management	McGilvray, Stacey SM Commercial Banking	Pritchard, Kathy PHF Commercial Banking	Stokes, Randy PHF * Architecture
Bartruff, Brent SM Periodontist	Dorris, George PHF Dentistry	Howard, William PHF Real Estate - General	McLane, Gill SM Image Printing	Pryor, Fred PHF * Utility Service - Gas	Tidmore, Max PHF * Office Machines
Beasley, Hollis SM Funeral Home	Dowd, John SM Attorney	Hughes, Chris SM Building Industry	Meyer, Joseph SM Computers-retail	Rahe, Theodore PHF* Property Management	Tinsley, William PHF * X Savings & Loan Manage- ment
Bennett, Nitsi PHF X * Non-profit Administration	Empson, Dan SM Restaurant Owner	Hutson, Karen T. PHF Retail Cars	Miceli, Gail SM Banking	Rainer, Skip PHF Banking	Townsend, Forrest PHF* X Veterinarian
Bodenstine, Debbie SM Economic Development	Englett, Michael SM College Athletics	Johnson, Chris PHF* Public Accounting	Miceli, Philippe PHF Private Banking Exec	Raines, Joe PHF Outdoor Advertising	Trum, Alex PHF Orthodontist
Booras, Theodore SM Honorary	Fallin, Ralph PHF *X Dairy Products	Johnson, James M. PHF X Banking	Mickle, Donna SM Business Consultant	Raynsford, Vance * SM Honorary	Vaughan, John PHF Past Service
Braithwaite, David SM Banking - Commercial	Favre, Ford SM Banking	Keith, John PHF X* Chamber of Commerce	Miller, David O. PHF Developmental Disabili- ties	Reed, Doug SM Jeweler	Vaughan, King PHF Grocery Stores
Brewster, Joseph PHF Cable Television	Foster, William PHF X Attorney	Kernen, Deborah PHF Communications	Morgan, John PHF * Computer Engineer	Richburg, James R. PHF College Administration	Ward, Jim SM Attorney
Brutt, Frank PHF County Planning	Fowner, Bob PHF Assoc. Manager	Kieszek, Paul SM Building Contractor	Negron, Jason SM Attorney	Roake, Peter PHF * Insurance - Auto	Watson, Yonge PHF * Real Estate
Burkett, Jackie SM Engineers-Mgmt./ Consulting	Francisco, Mike SM Aerospace Consulting	Kilpatrick, Glenn PHF* Real Estate	Nelson, Dan PHF Restaurant - Fast Food	Robbins, Dave SM A/C Heating & Refrigeration	West, Charles SM Investment Broker
Bussey, Bill SM Financial Advisor	Gibson, Aggie SM Banking	Kleinhalter, Bill PHF Electronic Equipment	Nelson, Will SM Attorney	Robinson, William PHF Fund Raising	White, Darryl SM
Campbell, Wayne PHF Hospital Administration	Gilligan, Tony PHF Government Contractor	Leonard, Tony Retail Musical Instru- ments	Newton, Mitch PHF Video Rental	Royster, Skip PHF * Commercial Contractor	
Chalker, Gerry PHF Trust Banking	Grubbs, Haydon PHF Education	Linn, John SM Kitchens-retail	Pagliari, Emil PHF Restaurants - Seafood	Shanahan, Joyce SM City Government	PHF: Paul Harris Fellows SM: Paul Harris Sustaining Members
Clark, Jason SM Insurance	Hamilton, Chad SM CPA	Little, Wes SM Education	Parker, Desley SM Success Coach	Shaw, Timothy PHF* Attorney	* FWB Club Past Presi- dents X Past FWB Rotarian of the Year
Cochran, Fred PHF * Furniture Retail	Hardy, Sallie PHF Commercial Properties	Lowrey, Thomas PHF* Stockbroker	Peadro, Roger SM Pastor	Shelley, Eulice PHF * Moving & Storage	120 members as of 11/16/05 3 Honorary members
Cockerill, Robert PHF * Chiropractic	Hayes, Tom SM Financial Services	Marks, Dick SM Retail Signs	Phillips, Eddie PHF X Aerospace Management	Sims, Sandy SM Utilities Management	
	Henderson, Joseph PHF * Accounting/Auditing				