



Rotary Club of Fort Walton Beach

THE ROTARY READER

District Governor's Gold Medal of Honor Award Winner — 2005-06

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Speakers:

James R. (Bob) Richburg

Today's Guests: Bob and Nancy Van Slyke

Board Members, Love For Peru Foundation



Left: Bob Van Slyke

Today's guest speakers are Bob and Nancy Van Slyke board members of the Love for Peru Foundation.

The Van Slykes are both retired healthcare professionals. Bob was a senior executive with Baptist Healthcare in Pensacola. Nancy is recently retired from the University of South Alabama where she was a professor in the Occupational Therapy Department. Four years ago they participated in their first mission trip. The purpose of that particular trip was to begin construction of a rehabilitation center in Huaycan, Peru.

While Bob worked with rebar and dug trenches, Nancy evaluated approximately 90 individuals for wheelchairs that would be constructed and distributed by a mission team arriving later. Since that initial trip the Van Slykes have made two more trips to Peru to work on the completion and dedication of the rehabilitation center, and as members of a wheelchair team

In September of 1999, members of the Gulf Breeze United Methodist Church and the Rotary Club began a relationship with the people of Peru. A small team traveled to Lima and witnessed areas with extreme need, where hundreds of families live in cardboard dwellings, with no running water nor sewage. That touching experience gave birth to the Peru Mission, now formally established under the Love for Peru Foundation.

To date, over 20 volunteer teams, comprised of several other churches and or-

ganizations, have traveled to Lima and our mission has built 300 latrines, two pre-schools, two libraries, a community kitchen, and over 50 houses, and has also brought water, sewage, a bathroom facility, and a rehabilitation center for the physically disabled. The Love for Peru Foundation has sent three containers with equipment for hospitals and the disabled, and has provided clothing and medical care to hundreds of needy people.

Today, the Love for Peru Foundation has two large ongoing projects in Peru:

Project Hope

Project Hope is an all-in-one project aimed at promoting health, education, social interaction, economic development, and the environment in Peru and calls for the transformation of an entire area comprised of 7 communities and close to 10,000 inhabitants.

Complex for the Disabled

The Love For Peru Foundation is helping build a complex for the disabled which will provide rehabilitation services, job training and income generation for the local disabled community. Plans call for the complex to have a rehab center, bakery, carpentry shop, shoe repair, virtual library, community kitchen and a bio-mechanical shop for them to be able to fabricate and repair their own prosthetics, crutches and wheelchairs. ■



Nancy Van Slyke

NEIGHBORING CLUBS

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

Crestview: Wednesday noon, Regency 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, 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



MAY 31, 2006

**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: 53.70%

Visiting Rotarians

None

Guests of Rotarians

Rotarian

Jason Clark
 Pat Hollarn
 Bob Richburg

Guests

Richard Schlink
 Paul Lux
 Jeff Schembara
 Gary Yancey

Make-ups

Tony Gilligan	eClub
Debbie Bodenstine	Destin

Help our Club improve our attendance rating by making up a missed meeting on-line at www.rotaryclubone.org.

WHAT PAUL HARRIS SAID...

"The thoughts of others are as necessary to one's mental well-being as food is necessary to one's physical well-being."

***Paul Harris,
 "The Founder of Rotary"
 1928***

Quote of the Day

Well done is better than well said.

Benjamin Franklin



Happy JUNE Birthday!

Alex Trum	1	Charlie Davis	3
Kathy Pritchard	5	Doug Reed	8
John Vaughan	12	Bob Fowner	16
Fred Pryor	17	Phil Higley	18
Bud Raynsford	22	Yonge Watson	26
George Dorris	28	Joe Meyer	29
Ken Poe	30	Scott Smith	30

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?

Do You Know... *about Rotary Matching Grants?*

Among the programs of The Rotary Foundation are the Matching Grants that assist Rotary clubs and districts in conducting international service projects. Since 1965, more than 16,000 grants have been awarded for projects in about 191 countries, totaling more than US\$165 million.

A club or district must contribute an amount at least as large as that requested from The Rotary Foundation with at least half the funds that the Foundation will match coming from a country outside of the country where the project will take place. Grants have been made to improve hospitals, develop school programs, drill water wells, assist the disabled or persons requiring special medical attention, provide resources for orphanages, create sanitation facilities, distribute food and medical supplies, and carry out many other forms of international community service in needy areas of the world. Some grants are for projects in the magnitude of US\$15,000 to

US\$50,000, but most are in the range of US\$5,000 to US\$10,000.

Matching Grants are not approved to purchase land or construct buildings, except for low-cost shelters for underprivileged families, and they may not be used for programs already underway or completed. Personal participation by Rotarians is required and the benefits should extend beyond the recipients.

The Matching Grants program is a very significant part of The Rotary Foundation and provides an important incentive for clubs to undertake worthwhile international service projects in another part of the world. They certainly foster goodwill and understanding, which is in keeping with the objectives of The Rotary Foundation. ■

*Source: ABCs of Rotary from former RI President
Cliff Dochterman*

THIS DAY IN HISTORY...

1991 - Oldest bride - Minnie Munro, 102, weds Dudley Reid, 83, in Australia

1989 - Speaker of House Jim Wright resigns

1979 - Zimbabwe proclaims independence

1977 - "Beatlemania" opens at Winter Garden Theater New York City for 920 performances

1958 - Dick Dale invents "surf music" with "Let's Go Trip-pin"

Representative Sansom's 2006 Legislative Update



At last week's meeting, the Honorable Ray Sansom, Representative, Florida House of Representatives District 4, provided an update of the just completed 2006 Legislative Session.

Representative Sansom spoke about the Class Size Amendment Bill that failed the Florida Senate; the need for public and private partnerships in affordable housing; and limiting government bureaucracy by requiring all state agencies to justify their existence every eight years or be abolished.

We thank Rep. Sansom for his timely update!

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Abel, Gregg SM Telephone Answ. Svc.	Dorris, George PHF Dentistry	Howard, William PHF Real Estate - General	Miceli, Philippe PHF Private Banking Exec	Raines, Joe PHF Outdoor Advertising	Walker, Timothy SM ER Physician
Abernethy, James PHF Banking - Loans	Dowd, John SM Attorney	Hughes, Chris SM Building Industry	Mickle, Donna PHF SM Business Consultant	Raynsford, Vance * SM Honorary	Ward, Jim SM Attorney
Arthur, Jack PHF Insurance	Empson, Dan SM Restaurant Owner	Hutson, Karen T. PHF Retail Cars	Miller, David O. PHF Developmental Disabilities	Reed, Doug SM Jeweler	Watson, Yonge PHF * Real Estate
Atchison, Glenn SM Condominium Mgt.	Englett, Michael PHF SM College Athletics	Johnson, Chris PHF* CPA <i>Retired</i>	Morgan, John PHF * Computer Engineer	Richburg, James R. PHF College Administration	West, Charles PHF SM Investment Broker
Baker, Karen PHF * Real Estate	Fallin, Ralph PHF *X Dairy Products	Johnson, James M. PHFX Banking	Negron, Jason SM Attorney	Roake, Peter PHF * Insurance - Auto	White, Darryl SM Pilot
Bartruff, Brent SM Periodontist	Favre, Ford SM Banking	Keith, John PHF X* Chamber of Commerce	Nelson, Dan PHF Restaurant - Fast Food	Robbins, Dave SM A/C Heating & Refrig.	Williamson, Kenneth PHF * Electronic Devices
Bennett, Nitsi PHF X * Non-profit Administration	Foster, William PHF SM X Attorney	Kernen, Deborah PHF Communications	Nelson, Will SM Attorney	Robinson, William PHF Fund Raising	Williford, Tim SM Non-profit
Bodenstine, Debbie SM Economic Development	Fowner, Bob PHF Assoc. Manager	Kieszek, Paul SM Building Contractor	Newton, Mitch PHF Video Rental	Royster, Skip PHF * Commercial Contractor	Woo, Jean PHF Dentist
Booras, Theodore SM Honorary	Francisco, Mike PHF SM Aerospace Consulting	Kilpatrick, Glenn PHF* Real Estate	Nicholson, Michele SM Communications	Shanahan, Joyce SM City Government	WrightReynolds, Mike PHF Photographer
Braithwaite, David SM Banking - Commercial	Gilligan, Tony PHF Government Contractor	Kleinhelter, Bill PHF Electronic Equipment	Owens, Sid SM Temporary Labor	Shaw, Timothy PHF* Attorney	Yeiser, Jack PHF Mortgage Broker
Brewster, Joseph PHF Cable Television	Gill, Tommy SM CPA	Leonard, Tony PHF** Retail Musical Instruments	Page, Shannon SM Marketing Asst. Living	Shelley, Eulice PHF * Moving & Storage	Youngblood, Russell PHF Psychology
Brutt, Frank PHF County Planning	Grubbs, Haydon PHF Education	Linn, John PHF SM Kitchens-retail	Pagliari, Emil PHF Restaurants - Seafood	Sims, Sandy SM Utilities Management	
Bussey, Bill SM Financial Advisor	Hamilton, Chad SM CPA	Little, Wes SM Education	Parker, Desley SM Success Coach	Smith, Pete PHF * Appraiser	
Campbell, Wayne PHF Hospital Administration	Hardy, Sallie PHF Commercial Properties	Lowrey, Thomas PHF* Stockbroker	Peadro, Roger SM Pastor	Smith, Scott SM Chiropractor	
Cangelosi, Edward SM Attorney	Hayes, Tom SM Financial Services	Marks, Dick SM Retail Signs	Phillips, Eddie PHF X Aerospace Management	Stearns, Allan PHF Travel Agent	
Chalker, Gerry PHF Trust Banking	Henderson, Joseph PHF * Accounting/Auditing	Marshall, John PHF SM Aerospace Management	Plummer, Mary SM Real Estate Sales	Stevens, Rick PHF X Surge Suppression System	
Clark, Jason SM Insurance	Hightower, M. Cullen PHF *X Furniture - Retail	Martin, Ralph PHF Aircraft Equip. Mfg.	Poe, Ken PHF SM Tires, Retail	Stokes, Randy PHF * Architecture	PHF: Paul Harris Fellows SM: Paul Harris Sustaining Members
Cochran, Fred PHF * SM Furniture Retail	Higley, Phil PHF X Honorary	Mattern, Jamey SM Architect	Pooley, Jan PHF Department Store	Tidmore, Max PHF * Office Machines	* FWB Club Past Presidents ** ME Club Past President X Past FWB Rotarian of the Year
Conner, Tom SM News Media	Hill, Rudy SM Office Equipment	McDonald, Tim PHF Manufacturing	Potts, Charlie, PHF* Jeweler	Tinsley, William PHF * X Savings & Loan Mgt.	
Corbin, Andy PHF Electronics Mfg	Hipsh, Whitney SM Real Estate Attorney	McGilvray, Stacey SM Commercial Banking	Pritchard, Kathy PHF Commercial Banking	Townsend, Forrest PHF* X Veterinarian	123 Members as of 5/31/06 <u>3 Honorary members</u> 126 Total Members
Curry, Jim SM Government Management	Hollarn, Pat SM Music Instructor	McLane, Gill SM Image Printing	Pryor, Fred PHF * Utility Service - Gas	Trum, Alex PHF Orthodontist <i>Retired</i>	
Davis, Charles PHF SM Restaurant Owner	Holley, Chris PHF Government Mgmt.	Meyer, Joseph SM Computers-retail	Rahe, Theodore PHF* Property Management	Vaughan, John PHF Past Service	
Davis, James PHF * Public Utilities	Hooten, Jeff SM Commercial Lending	Miceli, Gail SM Banking	Rainer, Skip PHF Banking	Vaughan, King PHF Grocery Stores	