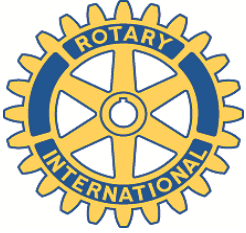


August 25, 2010



# The Rotary Reader

Post Office Box 892

Fort Walton Beach, FL 32549

**District Governor's Gold Medal of Honor Award Winner — 2006-07**

**Presidential Citation Award Winner — 15<sup>th</sup> Consecutive Year**

*The Rotary Club of Fort Walton Beach*

## Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar

### Amanda Stone

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Amanda Stone graduated as Fort Walton Beach High School's 2004 Valedictorian. Through all four years at Florida State University, where she studied History and Political Science, Amanda felt honored to receive a scholarship from FWB Rotary Club. During her university years, she volunteered over 4,500 hours, for which, among other awards, Amanda was recognized as the 2007 FSU Presi-



dent's Humanitarian of the Year. She graduated with a 4.0 GPA in 2008, after completing an Honors in the Major Thesis based upon three months of funded research in rural Uganda on women's right to property control.

After graduation, Amanda headed to England as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar, where she read African Studies at University of Oxford, St Antony's College. In numerous presentations throughout Oxfordshire, Amanda conveyed "Fort Walton Beach Culture" to English Rotary Clubs, developing a particularly close relationship with her host club of Bicester. Also during this year, she spent a month studying HIV/AIDS education

in Kabale, Uganda, along the border with Rwanda.

Upon receiving her Master's of Science, Amanda turned down a post as a graduate assistant in Nairobi in order to teach full time at Cambridge International Center in Shanghai, China. For a school year, Amanda had the pleasure of teaching bright Chinese high schoolers and traveling throughout Asia.

Now, she is planning on teaching for a year in South America, and then returning to United States to continue in the field of education. Amanda is very close to her two younger sisters, mother, and grandparents, and it is her greatest joy to be at home in the panhandle of Florida. For hobbies, she enjoys running, baking (in a rice cooker in China!), and traveling.

More than anything today, Amanda hopes to convey her deep gratitude to Rotary, and especially this district, for their support of and interest in her growth and development.

**AUGUST 25, 2010**  
**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!

**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?

**LAST WEEK'S STATISTICS:**

**VISITING ROTARIANS**

Kyle Marrero, 5 Flags, Pensacola

Brynn Ammon, Seville Quarter, Pensacola

**ROTARIANS WITH GUESTS**

Susan Shaw brought Gretchen Vanvaulkenburg, and hosted Kyle Marrero

Lyndon Poff brought his wife, Diane Poff

Natalie Simpson introduced Kay Stokes Scholarship recipients:

Jacqueline Teal

Jennifer Fuller

Dawn Dziokonski

Sue Cox

Kimberly Scott

**MAKEUPS**

Debra Bodenshtine, Andy Corbin, JT Edwards, Larry Hipsh, Jeff Hooton, Jamey Mattern, Scott Smith, Forrest Townsend, JT Edwards, Larry Hipsh, Kent Tinsley and Natalie Simpson

**ATTENDANCE: 76.3%**

**Things NOT To Say to a Pregnant Wife**

- ~ "I finished the Oreos"
  - ~ "Well, couldn't they induce labor? The 30th is the Super Bowl"
  - ~ "Not to imply anything, but I don't think the kid weighs 45 pounds."
  - ~ "I'm so jealous! Why can't men experience the joy of childbirth?"
  - ~ "Geez, you're awfully puffy looking today!"
  - ~ "'Retaining water?' Yeah, like the Hoover Dam retains water!"
  - ~ "Are your ankles supposed to look like that?"
  - ~ "Get your own ice cream."
- And one thing you should DEFINITELY NOT say to a pregnant wife...**
- ~ "Got milk?"

## FROM THE ROTARY PAPPARAZZI



FWB Rotarian Jim Curry is recognized for becoming a Paul Harris Fellow by District Governor Sylvia White during her visit to the club on August 4th.



President Al presents an honorarium to District Governor Sylvia White during her visit to the club on August 4th.

Next week, complete wrapup of the Rotary BBQ Challenge!!

# Rotary Club of Fort Walton Beach Rotary Roster

<b>Amos, Pam SM</b> Funeral Services	<b>Fallin, Ralph PHF SM *X</b> Dairy Products	<b>Lerner, Charles SM</b> Medical Doctor	<b>Pooley, Jan PHF SM X</b> Department Store	<b>Vaughan, John PHF SM</b> Past Service
<b>Anderson, Robert SM</b> CPA	<b>Felts, Gary SM</b> Retail Services	<b>Lewis, Preston SM</b> Minister	<b>Potts, Charlie PHF SM *</b> Jeweler	<b>Walker, Frank SM</b> Insurance Services
<b>Arias, Don SM</b> Public Affairs	<b>Foster, William PHF SM * X</b> Attorney	<b>Linn, John PHF SM</b> Kitchens-retail	<b>Pritchard, Kathy PHF SM</b> Commercial Banking	<b>Watson, Yonge PHF * SM</b> Real Estate
<b>Arthur, Jack PHF SM</b> Insurance	<b>Fowner, Bob PHF SM</b> Assoc. Manager	<b>Litschauer, Ted SM</b> Public Safety	<b>Pryor, Fred PHF SM *</b> Utility Service – Gas	<b>Webber, Aaron SM</b> Condo Management
<b>Bennett, Nitsi PHF X *</b> Non-profit Administration	<b>Gavin, Clifton SM</b> Attorney	<b>Lowrey, Thomas PHF*</b> Stockbroker	<b>Rahe, Theodore PHF SM *</b> Property Management	<b>West, Charles PHF</b> Investment Broker
<b>Bodenstine, Debbie SM</b> Economic Development	<b>Gilligan, Tony PHF SM</b> Government Contractor	<b>Martin, Ralph PHF</b> Aircraft Equip. Mfg.	<b>Richburg, Bob PHF SM X</b> College Administration	<b>Williamson, Kenneth PHF SM *</b> Retired
<b>Bohnsack, Rob SM</b> Reverend	<b>Grubbs, Haydon PHF SM</b> Education	<b>Mattern, Jamey PHF</b> Architect	<b>Rollins, Joe SM</b> Compliance Services	<b>Woo, Jean PHF SM</b> Dentist
<b>Brewster, Joseph PHF</b> Cable Television	<b>Hamilton, Chad PHF</b> CPA	<b>McDonald, J.R. SM</b> Aerospace Marketing	<b>Shaw, Susan SM</b> Fund Raising	<b>Yeiser, Jack PHF</b> Mortgage Broker
<b>Brutt, Frank PHF SM</b> County Planning	<b>Hardy, Sallie PHF SM</b> Commercial Properties	<b>McNabb, Julie SM</b> Developmental Disabilities	<b>Shelley, Eulice PHF *</b> Moving & Storage	<b>Youngblood, Russ PHF ** SM</b> Psychologist
<b>Butcher, Tom</b> Honorary Member	<b>Hayes, Tom PHF, SM</b> Financial Services	<b>Meyer, Joseph</b> Computers-retail	<b>Simpson, Natalie SM</b> Legislative	<b>PHF:</b> Paul Harris Fellows <b>SM:</b> PH Sustaining Members
<b>Cagle, Kevin SM</b> Office Machines	<b>Henderson, Joseph PHF*SM</b> Accounting/Auditing	<b>Miceli, Gail SM</b> Banking	<b>Smith, Pete PHF *</b> Appraiser	* FWB Club Past Presidents ** Past President Other Clubs
<b>Campbell, Wayne PHF</b> Hospital Administration	<b>Henley, Mitzi SM</b> Retail Shopping	<b>Miceli, Philippe PHF *SM</b> Private Banking Exec	<b>Smith, Scott SM</b> Chiropractor	X FWB Rotarian of the Year
<b>Chalker, Gerry PHF SM *</b> Pension Administration	<b>Hipsh, Larry SM</b> Attorney	<b>Miller, David O. PHF</b> Developmental Disabilities	<b>Spurling, Dyan SM</b> Banking Services	<b>Members in green font have missed three or more meetings. Please give them a call and encourage them to attend a meeting.</b>
<b>Clark, Jason SM</b> Insurance	<b>Hipsh, Whitney SM</b> Real Estate Attorney	<b>Morgan, John PHF * SM</b> Computer Engineer	<b>Stearns, Allan PHF SM</b> Travel Agent	<b>Members in purple font have perfect attendance.</b>
<b>Conner, Tom PHF SM</b> News Media	<b>Hooton, Jeff SM</b> Commercial Lending	<b>Morgan, Matthew SM</b> Electrical Engineer	<b>Stevens, Rick PHF * X SM</b> Surge Suppression Systems	<b>Members in blue font are on a leave of absence.</b>
<b>Corbin, Andy PHF SM X *</b> Electronics Mfg	<b>Howard, William PHF</b> Real Estate - General	<b>Nelson, Dan PHF SM</b> Restaurant - Fast Food	<b>Stokes, Randy PHF SM *</b> Architecture	
<b>Curry, Jim PHF SM **</b> Government Management	<b>Hutson, Karen T. PHF SM</b> Retail Cars	<b>Newman, Brody SM</b> Alternative Energy	<b>Tibbetts, Alexis SM</b> Schools	
<b>Davis, James PHF SM *</b> Public Utilities	<b>Johnson, Chris PHF *</b> CPA Retired	<b>Nicholson, Michele SM</b> Communications	<b>Tinsley, Kent SM</b> Commercial Banking	<b>Crestview:</b> Wednesday noon, Sonny's BBQ
<b>Dorris, George PHF SM</b> Dentistry	<b>Johnson, Johnny PHF X** SM</b> Banking	<b>Peadro, Roger PHF SM</b> Pastor	<b>Tinsley, Herb PHF *X SM</b> Savings & Loan Mgt.	<b>DeFuniak Springs:</b> Wednesday 7:30 a.m., McLain's Family Steak House
<b>Duncan, Buddy SM</b> Chaplain	<b>Kleist, Carl SM</b> Communications	<b>Perkins, Bryant SM</b> Youth Org. Mgmt.	<b>Townsend, Forrest PHF*X SM</b> Veterinarian	<b>Mid-Bay:</b> Wednesday 7 a.m., Bluewater Bay Golf Club
<b>Edwards, JT SM</b> Landscape Mgmt.	<b>Landers, Chuck PHF</b> CPA	<b>Plummer, Mary PHF SM</b> Real Estate Sales	<b>Trigg, Brian SM</b> Program Analyst	<b>Navarre:</b> Thursday noon, Cocodries
<b>Ekedahl, Brian SM</b> Social Services	<b>Leonard, Tony PHF **</b> Retail/Musical Instruments	<b>Poff, Lyndon SM X</b> Paint & Body Shop	<b>Trum, Alex PHF SM</b> Orthodontist <i>Retired</i>	<b>Niceville:</b> Thursday noon, OWC Bld. K
				<b>South Walton:</b> Thursday 7:30 a.m., Embassy Suites
				<b>Destin:</b> Tuesday 7:15 a.m. Rutherford's at Regatta Bay

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

**Crestview:** Wednesday noon, Sonny's BBQ

**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

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