



# The Rotary Reader

Post Office Box 892

Fort Walton Beach, FL 32549

**Presidential Citation Award Winner – 18<sup>th</sup> Consecutive Year**

## The Rotary Club of Fort Walton Beach

### Board of Directors

President:

Jan Pooley

Vice-President:

Roger Peadro

Secretary:

Kathy Pritchard

Treasurer:

Debbie Bodensine

Past President:

Scott Smith

Committee Chair

Membership:

Julie Orr

Services Projects:

Aaron Webber

Rotary Foundation:

Jody Henderson

Public Relations:

Michele Nicholson

Club Administration:

Chuck Landers

New Generations:

Debbie Bodensine

Sergeant at Arms:

Ted Litschauer/Jack Yeiser

Bulletin

Aaron Webber

Scholarship, Inc.:

Natalie Simpson

Executive Secretary

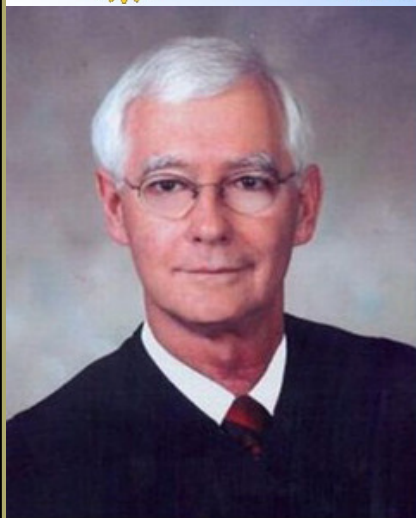
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## Rotary District 6940

Edward Philman, Governor 2012-2013



Ed was born and raised on a farm near Bell, FL., 5th in a family of 12 children. He and Jeanne married in 1970 and have three daughters and three granddaughters, are former foster parents, children church leaders, and attend Bell Baptist Church. Their daughter, Kendra was a RYE student to Australia and a charter member of the Williston Rotary Club. Ed is a member of several organizations, served as District Vice-President of the Conference of County Court Judges of Florida, Director of Hospice of North Central Florida n/k/a Haven Hospice and was named Gilchrist County's Citizen of the Year. He was presented the Distinguished Service Award by the Florida Council on Crime and Delinquency, Chapter XV.

Ed graduated from Mercer University's Law School with Honors, University of Florida, Lake City Community College, Lake City Forest Ranger School and Bell High School. Since taking office in 1989 he has served as Gilchrist County Court Judge. Previously he was in private law practice and served as an Assistant State Attorney. Ed served in the U.S. Army as an infantryman in Vietnam and holds the Combat Infantryman Badge.

A Rotarian since 1981, he has served as president of the Trenton Rotary Club, has been active in youth and international programs for many years and served as an Assistant Governor. He led his club's RYLA program for three years, was its International Director, Youth Exchange Committee chair and coordinated GSE participation for many years. Ed is a member of the District Youth Exchange Committee, Finance Committee and Foundation Committee and was instrumental in forming the Williston Rotary Club. He and Jeanne have enjoyed hosting a Youth Exchange student, a member of Australia's and India's GSE teams and Kendra's Australian host family. Trenton Rotary presented him with its International Service Award in 2000. Ed is a Multiple Paul Harris Fellow, Paul Harris Society Member and a Benefactor. His hobbies are family and boating.



**District 6940 announces:  
Rotary Leadership Training**

Parts 1, 2, and 3\*

Discussion Leader Training (Invitation Only)

September 29, 2012



## **Fundraising Cyclists Have Rotary's Back**

Rotary News -- 24 September 2012

On 17 November, Rotarian cyclists and Rotary International General Secretary John Hewko will hit the pavement along with 9,000 riders from around the world in El Tour de Tucson, a charity bike ride sponsored by University Medical Center in Tucson, Arizona, USA.

The Rotarians are raising money for PolioPlus. In 2010, cyclists from 16 clubs in Arizona, Mexico, and California brought in \$35,000.

Rotary Club of Tucson member Matt Blair designed jerseys and riding shorts emblazoned with the Rotary emblem and End Polio Now; the Rotary Club of Marana set up an aid station to provide water, snacks, and portable toilets for all riders; and photographer Gary Rumack, of the Rotary Club of Rincon (Tucson), documented the event. District 5500, which organized the Rotarians' participation, is inviting riders to join the 2012 tour.

### UPCOMING SPEAKERS AND EVENTS

September 29	RLI Training
September 29	Gulf Coast Corporate Dodge Ball Tournament
October 3	Ted Kirchkarr - Landrum
October 10	William Kline - Morgan Stanley
October 17	Carita Smith - Guardian ad litem

### Service Opportunities

- ◆ Can Tabs - Don't forget to bring in your can tabs and give them to Rick Stevens. The tabs are given to Ronald McDonald House to help support their great cause.
- ◆ Back Packs - We'll be stuffing back packs soon at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church. Dates to be announced.
- ◆ Please consider becoming a mentor to a young person at one of our local schools. Thirty minutes a week can make a tremendous difference in their lives. Call 833-7614 for details.

### Rotarian with Birthday this Week

**Charles West**

### This Day in History

**On this day** in 1960, For the first time in U.S. history, a debate between major party presidential candidates is shown on television. The presidential hopefuls, John F. Kennedy, a Democratic senator of Massachusetts, and Richard M. Nixon, the vice president of the United States, met in a Chicago studio to discuss U.S. domestic matters.

**On this day** in 1969, American television audiences hear the soon-to-be-famous opening lyrics "Here's the story of a lovely lady who was living with three very lovely girls..." as *The Brady Bunch*, a sitcom that will become an icon of American pop culture, airs for the first time.

**On this day** in 1820, the great pioneering frontiersman Daniel Boone dies quietly in his sleep at his son's home near present-day Defiance, Missouri. The indefatigable voyager was 86.

### THE 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?



Reach Within to Embrace Humanity



# Rotary Roster

**Anderson, Robert SM**

CPA

**Arthur, Jack PHF SM**

Insurance

**Bass, James SM**

Funeral Director

**Bennett, Nitsi (19) PHF X \***

Non-Profit Administration

**Bodenstine, Debbie PHF SM X**

Economic Development

**Brewster, Joseph PHF SM**

Cable Television

**Brutt, Frank PHF SM**

County Planning

**Butcher, Tom**

Honorary Member

**Cagle, Kevin SM**

Office Machines

**Chalker, Gerry (5) PHF SM \***

Pension Administration

**Clark, Jason (2) SM**

Insurance

**Corbin, Andy PHF SM X \***

Electronics Mfg.

**Davis, James (33) PHF SM \***

Public Utilities

**Dorris, George PHF SM**

Dentistry

**Edwards, JT SM**

Retail Owner

**Ekedahl, Brian SM**

Social Services

**Empson, Dan**

Honorary

**Fallin, Ralph (31) PHF SM X \***

Dairy Products

**Foster, William PHF SM X \***

Attorney

**Fowler, Bob (2) PHF SM**

Association Manager

**Gilligan, Tony (17) PHF SM**

Government Contractor

**Grissom, Ron SM**

Utilities

**Grubbs, Haydon PHF SM**

Education

**Hamilton, Chad PHF SM**

CPA

**Hardy, Sallie PHF SM**

Commercial Properties

**Hayes, Tom PHF SM**

Financial Services

**Henderson, Jody PHF SM \***

Accounting/Auditing

**Henley, Mitzi (4) SM**

Retail Shopping Center

**Hooton, Jeff (5) SM**

Commercial Lending

**Howard, William PHF**

Real Estate-General

**Johnson, Chris PHF \***

CPA Retired

**Johnson, Johnny (40) PHF SM X \***

Banking

**Kedroski, Cristie SM**

Foundation Development

**Kunkel, Richard SM**

Education

**LaBlanc, Ross SM**

CPA

**Landers, Chuck PHF SM**

CPA

**Leonard, Tony PHF SM \*\***

Retail/Musical Instruments

**Linn, John PHF SM**

Kitchens-Retail

**Litschauer, Ted SM**

Public Safety

**Lowrey, Tom PHF \***

Stockbroker

**Mattern, Jamey PHF SM**

Architect

**Macdonald, David SM PHF \*\***

Shopping Center Mgr

**McDonald, J.R. SM**

Aerospace Marketing

**McNabb, Julie (1) SM**

Developmental Disabilities

**Meyer, Joe SM**

Retail/Computers

**Miller, David O. (10) PHF SM**

Developmental Disabilities

**Morgan, John PHF SM \***

Computer Engineer

**Morgan, Matthew SM**

Electrical Engineer

**Nelson, Dan PHF SM**

Restaurant/Fast Food

**Nicholson, Michele SM**

Communications

**Orr, Julie (1) SM**

Personnel Staffing

**Page, Brian SM**

Tax Attorney

**Page, Susan SM**

Professional Counseling

**Palmer, Charlie SM**

Real Estate Development

**Peadro, Roger PHF SM**

Pastor

**Plummer, Mary PHF SM**

Real Estate Sales

**Poff, Lyndon (3) PHF X SM**

Paint & Body Shop

**Pooley, Jan (6) PHF SM X**

Department Store

**Potts, Charlie PHF SM \***

Jeweler

**Pritchard, Kathy PHF SM**

Commercial Banking

**Pryor, Fred PHF SM \***

Utility Service-Gas

**Rahe, Ted (36) PHF SM \***

Property Management

**Ricketts, Dusty SM**

News Media

**Rollins, Joe SM**

Compliance Services

**Sharon, Katie SM**

Commercial Banking

**Shaw, Susan SM**

Fund Raising

**Shelley, Eulice PHF SM \***

Moving & Storage

**Simpson, Natalie SM**

Legislative

**Smith, Pete PHF SM \***

Appraiser

**Smith, Scott PHF SM \***

Chiropractor

**Smith, Whitney SM**

Attorney

**Stearns, Allan (21) PHF SM \***

Travel Agent

**Stevens, Rick (4) PHF SM X \***

Surge Suppression Systems

**Stokes, Randy PHF SM \***

Architecture

**Tibbetts, Alexis SM**

Schools

**Tinsley, Kent SM**

Commercial Banking

**Tinsley, Herb PHF SM X \***

Savings & Loan Mgmt.

**Townsend, Forrest PHF SM X \***

Veterinarian

**Trigg, Brian SM**

Program Analyst

**Trum, Alex PHF SM**

Orthodontist Retired

**Turpin, Matt SM**

CPA

**Vaughan, John PHF SM**

Past Service

**Watson, Yonge (1) PHF SM \***

Real Estate

**Webber, Aaron (2) SM**

Condo Management

**West, Charles PHF SM**

Investment Broker

**Williamson, Ken PHF SM \***

Retired

**Woo, Jean PHF SM**

Dentist

**WrightReynolds, Mike (1) PHF SM**

Photography

**Yeiser, Jack PHF SM**

Mortgage Broker

**Youngblood, Russ PHF SM \*\***

Psychologist

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

Members in purple are recognized as achieving perfect attendance as of the end of the previous year (June 30th)

Members in blue font are on a leave of absence.

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

**Crestview:** Wednesday noon, Ryan's

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

**DeFuniak Springs:** Wednesday 12:00 p.m., McLain's Family Steakhouse

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

**Navarre:** Thursday noon, Tuscan Grill at Hidden Creek

**Niceville:** Thursday noon, OWC Bld. K

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