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February 4, 1998

**THIS WEEK IN ROTARY**

Jocelyne Waddle brings us this week's program from Kentucky State University.

Rosa Icaza from Nicaragua will speak about "Cross Cultural Lifestyles".

Kathy Peale from KSU will give us an update on "African American History Month".

Bill Miller is program chair for February, World Understanding Month.

OPENING EXERCISES . . . Dick Richards  
GREETERS . . . . . Steve Vincent  
. . . . . & Skip Merritt

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**HEALTH PIONEER TO RECEIVE  
ROTARY'S HIGHEST HONOR**

Dr. Catherine Hamlin, recognized as the world leader in the treatment of vaginal fistula, has been chosen to receive the 1998 Rotary Award for World Understanding, the organization's highest honor. Hamlin, 73, co-founder and director of the Addis Ababa Fistula Hospital in Ethiopia, was cited for her skill and tireless humanitarian work. The award will be presented in June at the Rotary International (RI) Convention in Indianapolis.

Hamlin came to Ethiopia from Australia with her late husband, Dr. Reginald Hamlin, in 1959. Since then, she has treated thousands of indigent women who suffer from the devastating condition of vaginal fistula. Because of poor access to obstetrical services, a sizable number of adolescent and young women in Ethiopia and other developing countries often suffer severe trauma during childbirth. As a consequence, these young women become incontinent and are frequently made outcasts by their communities and families.

Hamlin, in addressing Rotary's Presidential Peace Conference, November 14, in Addis Ababa, called the condition a "silent, hidden epidemic, representing a vast reservoir of human misery and suffering."

Initially the success rate of fistula treatment was low, but with continuing research by the Hamlins, it gradually improved and today exceeds 90 percent. Of equal significance has been the assistance given to surgeons and medical students from many countries across the developing world who have visited the hospital for instruction. Upon returning to their home countries, they have been able to raise the success rate in the treatment of this condition.

Every year, the Rotary Award for World Understanding is given to an individual whose life or work exemplifies international understanding, goodwill and peace. The award includes a grant of US\$100,000 for contribution

to a charitable project, chosen by the recipient, that promotes Rotary's mission to advance world understanding.

Following Hamlin's November 14 speech, Rotary Foundation Trustee Chairman Clifford L. Dochterman surprised her with the announcement that she had been chosen to receive the RI award. The Addis Ababa Fistula Hospital will be the beneficiary of the US\$100,000 Rotary Foundation grant that accompanies it.

For more information, please contact Ann Heesacker at (847) 866-3208.

**MAKE-UPS FOR JAN 28**

Bill Aitken	Charlie Hinds
Pat Badgett	Gus Ridgel
James Brockman	Len Shirrell
Ron Christopher	Asa Tipton
Nancy Edwards	Bill Yount

Attendance percentage: 80.00%

**COMBATING HUNGER AND  
POVERTY**

More than 800 million people are chronically malnourished, and approximately a quarter are children under the age of five suffering from acute chronic protein and energy deficiencies.

**A Special Focus for 1997-98**

This year, Rotary International's Board of Directors has given high priority to the worldwide alleviation of hunger with special emphasis on projects assisting the aged and mothers of infants and young children. To assist Rotary clubs in their efforts to address this issue, the president has appointed a Poverty and Hunger Alleviation Task Force

Rotarians have long been involved with efforts to alleviate hunger and malnutrition, undertaking both large- and small-scale projects ranging from volunteering at soup kitchens to promoting self-sufficiency among those in need by providing

vocational training, small business loans and teaching agricultural techniques to indigenous peoples in developing countries. In November 1996, Rotary International participated in the World Food Summit. The organization's commitment to the alleviation of hunger is detailed in the statement it made to that meeting, the text of which can be found online in the Press Center.

Under the auspices of World Community Service, Rotary clubs in different countries can participate jointly in international projects. These projects are described in the WCS Projects Exchange. Similarly, the Rotary Village Corps/Rotary Community Service Corps program helps Rotary clubs establish self-help community service projects which strengthen rural or impoverished communities.

Clubs and districts often receive funding from The Rotary Foundation to help support international humanitarian projects. A number of grants are available for development projects. Successful projects have ranged from the shipment of seeds and clothing to a village in Kenya to the development of fish nurseries in Bangladesh. More sample projects are available in the Projects Database (contact the Community Programs section at RI headquarters) and online at the Press Center.

Resources - Combating Hunger and Poverty Through Rotary (#307) can be ordered from the RI Order Desk in the USA (telephone: 847-866-4600 or fax: 847-866-3276) for US\$2.

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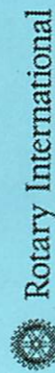
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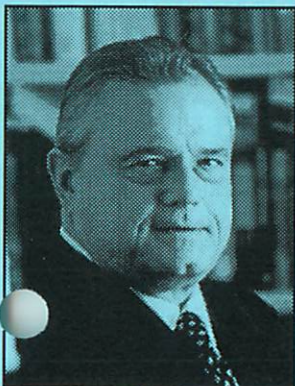
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THIS WEEK IN ROTARY



Vincent Davis will be with us on February 18th to share with us his view of "The World in 1998".

Davis is a native of Tennessee born in Chattanooga May 3, 1930. Vince spent his formulative years growing up in Nashville Tennessee. He graduated from Vanderbilt University in 1952 and married a 1957 graduate, the former Anne DiPierri of Rio de Janeiro.

Davis came to the University of Kentucky in 1971 as Director of the Patterson School of Diplomacy and International Commerce and Patterson Chair Professor of International Studies. He remained as Director for 22 years helping develop the school into one of the most respected of the 16 graduate

schools of foreign affairs in the US. Previously, David held faculty positions at Princeton, Dartmouth, the Graduate School of International Studies at the University of Denver and the US Naval War College as the Nimitz Chair Professor prior to 1971. He is the author or co-author of numerous books including The Admirals Lobby and Reorganizing America's Defense.

Davis is an Honorary member of the Lexington Rotary Club and recipient of the President's cup award at their 75th Anniversary Banquet.

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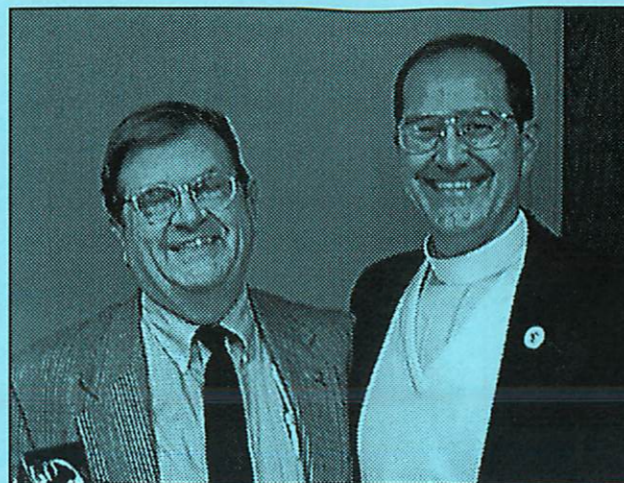
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February 11th Speakers Rosa Icaza and Kathy Oldham Peale, 7:00 p.m. Monday on Cable 10.

TAYLOR WINS POETRY PRIZE

Congratulations to Richard Taylor who has won the 1997 Jim Wayne Miller prize in poetry given by the Kentucky Writer's coalition. Richard's poem "Upward Mobility" will be published in the spring 1998 issue of The Licking River Review at Northern Kentucky University.



President Don Armstrong welcomes Chuck Ellestad as Director of Community Service. Chuck completes the term of Jim Brockman who resigned.

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| Timothy Fyffe     | Gary White        |
| Alan Hamilton     | Bill Wingfield    |
| Charlie Hinds     | Ann Wingrove      |
| Barry Holder, Jr. | Bill Yount        |
| David Hughes      |                   |



Please remember Elliott Jones who is recovering from Surgery at St. Joseph's Hospital.

African American History  
Month Events

2nd annual African American History Month Extravaganza. Wednesday February 18th, 8-10 p.m. Bradford Hall, KSU.

Hank Marr Jazz Concert. Thursday February 19th, 11 a.m. Bradford Hall, KSU.

Darrin Smith, President & CEO Int'l association of Black Millionaires. Tuesday February 24th, Bradford Hall, KSU.

African-American Heritage Festival. Saturday February 28th, 1-4 p.m., Bell Gym, KSU.



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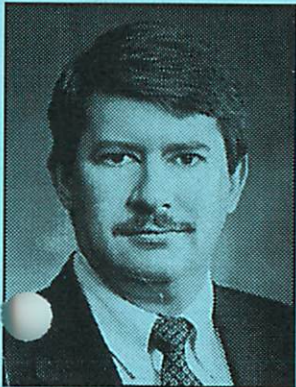
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Our speaker February 25th will be Art Williams. Art attended the Kyoto Global Warming Conference and will talk about the conference and its implications for our environment.

Williams is currently Director of the Air Pollution Control

District of Jefferson County, Kentucky. Previously he had served as Commissioner Department for Environmental Protection, Kentucky Natural Resources & Environmental Protection Cabinet. Art had also served as the Mayor of Louisville's Energy and Environmental Advisor. His interest in Environmental protection dates back to his days at the University of Tennessee as a Research Assistant at UT's Environment Institute.

Art has been a member of the Louisville (Downtown) Rotary Club since 1993. He serves

as Chairperson of the Louisville Center for Environmental Education Advisory Committee. He is has been President of Scenic Kentucky since 1993. He is on the Board of Trustees for the Nature Conservancy, Kentucky Nature Conservancy and has served on the Louisville Committee on Foreign Relations since 1992.

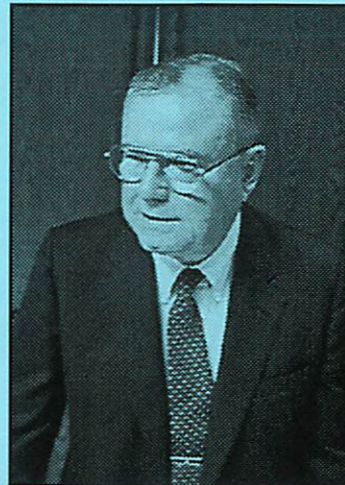
Art Williams is a native of Bowling Green, Kentucky born November 18th, 1952. Williams received his BA in 1974 and Doctor of Jurisprudence in 1977 from the University of Tennessee. Art is married with two children, Benjamin and Emily (Ages 15 and 11 respectively).

February has been World Understanding Month and the programs have been brought to us by Bill Miller, Chair of the World Community Service Committee. Bill has been involved in International Affairs for a number of years and was instrumental in the beginnings of the Rotary Day at the UN.

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David Herbert	James Wallace
Barry Holder ✓	David Weller ✓
Barry Holder, Jr. ✓	<del>Gary White</del>
David Hughes	Bill Wingfield
James Kemper, Jr.	Bill Yount ✓

ROTARY'S WHEEL EMBLEM

A wheel has been the symbol of Rotary since our earliest days. The first design was made by Chicago Rotarian Montague Bear, an engraver who drew a simple wagon wheel, with a few lines to show dust and motion. The wheel was said to illustrate "Civilization and Movement." Most of the early clubs had some form of wagon wheel on their publications and letterheads. Finally, in 1922, it was decided that all Rotary clubs should adopt a single design as the exclusive emblem of Rotarians. Thus, in 1923, the present gear wheel, with 24 cogs and six spokes was adopted by the "Rotary International Association." A group of engineers advised that the geared wheel was mechanically unsound and would not work without a "keyway" in the center of the gear to attach it to a power shaft. So, in 1923 the keyway was added and the design which we now know was formally adopted as the official Rotary International emblem.

EDITORS NOTE The newsletter is compiled each Wednesday evening. Therefore, news of note must be in my hands no later than lunchtime Wednesday. Monthly Program chairs must supply speaker Bios and pictures of next weeks speaker before that time. It would be helpful to receive the entire months Bios and Pictures before the last Wednesday of the preceding month. With your help we can continue to improve the Frankfortarian. Thanks,

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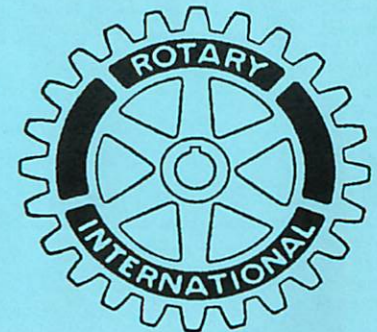
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THIS WEEK IN ROTARY...



Our speaker on March 4th will be Virginia Fox. Virginia, better known as Ginni, is the Executive Director and CEO of Kentucky Educational Television (KET). The title for her talk will be "KET in the

Digital Age."

Mrs. Fox originally joined KET in 1968 and became deputy director in 1975. In 1980 Ginni left KET to become President of the Southern Educational Communications Association. She returned to KET as CEO and Executive Director in 1991.

Mrs. Fox serves as a board member of Leadership Kentucky, the Public Broadcasting Service, the University of Kentucky Board of Visitors, the National Science Foundation, the

Professional Women's Forum, the Kentucky Center for Public Issues and the Lexington Junior League, just to name a few.

Ginni was named the Woman of the Year in progressive education by the Lexington Business and Professional Women's Club, and the 1995 Appalachian Woman of the Year by Morehead State University.

Ginni has a Bachelors degree in Elementary Education from Morehead State University in 1961 and a Masters in Library Science from the University of Kentucky in 1969.

ALSO...  
**OPENING EXERCISES** .....Barry Holder  
**GREETERS** .....Tom Colton & Steve Dungan

*(Greeters should arrive by 11:30 a.m. and greet all attendees until noon)*



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MAKE-UPS FOR FEBRUARY 18

Bill Aitken	Barry Holder
James Brockman	Barry Holder, Jr.
Don Dykman	Terry Shockley
Laura Graham	David Weller
Jim Graves	Bill Yount

ATTENDANCE PERCENTAGE: 83.16%

THOSE WHO NEED MAKE-UPS FOR FEBRUARY 25

Bill Aitken ✓	David Herbert
James Brockman ✓	Bob Johnston
Russell Cave ✓	Bill Leroy ✓
Ron Christopher ✓	Ann Maenza
Roger Crittenden	Gus Ridgel ✓
Frank Dailey ✓	Frank Sower ✓
Ed Dance ✓	John Sower ✓
Steve Dungan	Ed Speer ✓
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Gregory Fuchs ✓	Richard Taylor ✓
Lisa Fugitt	Asa Tipton ✓
Timothy Fyffe	Ron Tyrer
Laura Graham ✓	Jocelyn Waddle
Polly Green ✓	Bill Yount ✓

EDITORS NOTE The newsletter is compiled each Wednesday evening. Therefore, news of note must be in my hands no later than lunchtime Wednesday. Monthly Program chairs must supply speaker bios and pictures of next weeks speaker before that time. It would be helpful to receive the entire months bios and pictures before the last Wednesday of the preceding month. With your help we can continue to improve the *Frankfortarian*. Thanks,

Dave Weller

THE FOLLOWING ROTARIANS RECEIVED THEIR PERFECT ATTENDANCE PINS FOR FEBRUARY 1998:

Bill Yount.....52 years  
 Hub Perdue .....38 years  
 Leroy Smith .....22 years  
 Sherill Smith .....16 years  
 Clay Hulette.....6 years  
 Chuck Ellestad.....3 years

DATES TO REMEMBER

Rotary District 6710 Annual Conference, April 24-26, 1998 University Plaza Hotel, Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Rotary International 89th Annual Convention, June 14-17 Indiana Convention Center and RCA Dome, Indianapolis, Indiana.





**YEARS OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE**

Bill Yount .....	51 Years
Frank Sower .....	51 Years
Asa Tipton .....	45 Years
Len Shirrell .....	44 Years
Ed Davis .....	44 Years
Hub Perdew .....	37 Years
Charlie Hinds .....	36 Years
Barry K. Holder .....	24 Years
Jim Smith .....	24 Years
Duane Ellis .....	23 Years
Leroy Smith .....	21 Years
Terry Shockley .....	17 Years
Bill Miller .....	17 Years
Dean Sorg .....	15 Years
Sherrill Smith .....	15 Years
Ed Dance .....	15 Years
Barry K. Holder, Jr. ....	14 Years
John Chenault .....	13 Years
Jim Graves .....	13 Years
John Loyd .....	13 Years
Ted Collins .....	12 Years
Joe Russell Johnson .....	12 Years
Gus Ridgel .....	12 Years
Jim Richardson .....	12 Years
Ed Speer .....	12 Years
Lee Troutwine .....	12 Years
Bob Bullock .....	11 Years
Roger Coomes .....	11 Years
Wallace Kent .....	11 Years
Jim Brockman .....	11 Years
RB Brown .....	10 Years
Ethel McCray .....	10 Years
Kurt Vezner .....	9 Years
John Palmore .....	9 Years
Laura Graham .....	8 Years
Ron Tyrer .....	8 Years
Bill Aitken .....	7 Years
Denis King .....	7 Years
John Gillig .....	7 Years
Steve Dooley .....	7 Years
Gregory Fuchs .....	6 Years
Bob Johnston .....	6 Years
Rene Siria .....	6 Years
John Sower .....	5 Years
Granville Coblin .....	5 Years
Clay Hulette .....	5 Years
David Weller .....	5 Years
Bill Leroy .....	4 Years
Polly Green .....	4 Years
Richard Taylor .....	4 Years
Don Armstrong .....	4 Years
Tom Cockley .....	4 Years
Nancy Edwards .....	4 Years
Ron Durham, Jr. ....	3 Years
Dick Richards .....	2 Years
Bill Wingfield .....	2 Years
Gary Scott .....	2 Years
Frank Diale .....	2 Years
Ann Wingrove .....	2 Years
Chuck Ellestad .....	2 Years
Pat Badgett .....	2 Years
Ed Hatchett, Jr. ....	2 Years
Hal Leatherby .....	2 Years
Don Dykman .....	2 Years
Perry Ryan .....	1 Year
Tom Colten .....	1 Year
Sarah Gowins .....	1 Year
David Hughes .....	1 Year
Ruth Leathers .....	1 Year

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