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Ruth Marie Milliman

Award-winning sportswoman to speak

Ruth Marie Milliman, the 2001 winner of the YWCA Women in Sports Award, will speak at the April 27 meeting of the Rotary Club of Greenville. She was originally scheduled to speak at the January 27 meeting, which was cancelled due to snow.

Milliman, director of retail leasing at Centennial American Properties, was the second American finisher overall in the Marathon Des Sables, called the "toughest footrace on the planet." It is a seven-day, 152-mile stage race. Among the 59 women in the race, she finished second. She also holds the Female 50K State Road Race record — 4 hours, 7 minutes.

Milliman, who earned a degree in criminal justice from the University of South Carolina, became, at the age of 25, the first female narcotics agent appointed by SLED. She was a page in the South Carolina House of Representatives for four years and also won titles of Miss Teenage Greenville and Miss Cayce-West Columbia.

She grew up in Anderson and graduated from T.L. Hanna High School, the school made famous in the movie, "Radio," which stars Cuba Gooding Jr. Milliman was an "extra" in the movie.

She is the mother of two teenagers and is coach of the Greenville Track Junior Olympian Youth Program.



Milliman

New members proposed

Ann M. Clark (member of Greenville Rotary 12/01-2/03), Corporate Sales Mgr., Embassy Suites Hotel, classification: Hotel-Sales, sponsors: Elizabeth Lyons, Frank Kolb.

Stacy Coulter, Owner, The Spa at West End, classification: Spa Owner, sponsors: Gary Caldwell, Myles Golden.

Isaac "Ike" Johnson Jr., Assistant U.S. Attorney, U.S. Dept. of Justice, classification: U.S. Government, sponsors: Rush Wilson III, Randy Bell.

Shawn K. Turnbow, Information Technology Mgr., Netifice Communications, classification: Communications, sponsors: Randy Bell, Rush Wilson III.

Camp R. Wynn, Vice President, Colonial Trust Co., classification: Investment Banking/Financial Advisory Services, sponsors: Baxter Wynn, Mac Walters.

Family of Rotary —

Jeanet Dreskin was honored May 6 as the recipient of the 2004 Elizabeth O'Neill Verner Award, the highest arts award given by the state. She received the award in the Lifetime Achievement Category, which recognizes outstanding achievement and

contributions to the arts in South Carolina. Jeanet was one of the first women inducted into Downtown Rotary in 1988.

Elliott Goldsmith, son of **Andy Goldsmith**, was married on April 3. He and his wife Emily live in Greenville.

Henry Parr has been appointed by Gov. Mark Sanford to the South Carolina First Steps to School Readiness board of trustees.

The **Palmetto International Preparatory School**, co-founded by Richard Estrin, has opened with 85 students. The school serves pre-schoolers and has an after-school service for elementary school students.

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GSE Team is on its way

By Terry Weaver, President

A primary objective of Rotary is building good will and peace in the world. This is an important mission, especially for Americans in 2004. If you've traveled outside the U.S. lately, you've come face-to-face with the anti-American sentiment that's

prevalent worldwide, even among our allies.

That's why things like Rotary Group Study Exchange (GSE) are so important. We're sending a team of U.S. business people to Brazil to represent us as PEOPLE, not as a government or as U.S. foreign policy. In the course of their trip, they will interact with hundreds of Brazilian PEOPLE, and they will represent us well. Relationships will be established and friendships will be made that transcend the differences our governments, or even our elected leaders, may have with each other.

As Rotarians, we're all part of supporting GSE and dozens of other programs that Rotary International organizes and carries out on our behalf to build good will and peace in the world. We are part of the solution.

Kilgores soar as 'Eagles'

Geoffrey Kilgore recently received the Eagle Scout award from the Boy Scouts of America. Geoffrey is the son of Scott Kilgore, who is an Eagle Scout; the nephew of Phillip Kilgore, who is also an Eagle Scout; and the grandson of Don Kilgore, who said he was "only a modest star scout."

Perfect Attendance July 1, 2003 - March 31, 2004

Kitty Allen ³	Myles Golden ⁴	Elizabeth Lyons ⁴	Nell Stewart ⁶
Bob Atkinson ⁵	Carol Hallman ³	John Mauldin	Bert Strange
Dreugh Batson ⁷	Judy Hardison	Bruce McPherson ⁸	Hewlett Sullivan ⁸
Randy Bell ²	Jim Heinz ⁶	Beth Padgett ⁷	Edith Taylor
Kristie Bohm	James Howard ⁷	Jim Parham ²	Charles Warne ⁷
Jim Bourey	Bill Jacobson	Tom Patrick ⁷	Ron Washington
Bill Bradshaw	Manoj Jain	Walt Phillips ⁶	Phil Watson ²
Peggy Ann Brock	Andre Jamar ⁶	Carter Poe ⁵	Terry Weaver ³
John Bruner ⁵	Beverly James ²	Wheeler Powell ⁷	Andy Westbrook
David Burdette	Kinard Johnson ³	Bill Raines ⁷	Sam White ⁶
Jim Childress	Don Kilgore ⁶	John Redmond ⁷	Paul Wickensimer ³
Philip Cook	Phillip Kilgore ⁸	Buddy Reynolds ⁵	Jim Williams ³
Charles Dalton	Don Kirkland ²	Larry Rinne	Rush Wilson ⁷
Brian Di Marco	Frank Kolb ⁸	John Roberts ⁶	Gayland Witherspoon ²
Mark Dullea ³	Randy Kowalski ⁵	Carolyn Schoepf	Baxter Wynn
Jeremy Elliott	Frank Landgraff ⁶	Jim Sheets ²	Bob Yax ²
Rich Estrin ²	Rhemar Lane ⁸	Milton Shockley ²	Thomas Young
George Fletcher ⁶	Rusty Lee	Matt Shouse	
Clark Gillespy ²	Bryan Little ⁵	Jimmy Solesbee ⁸	

Missing Persons Report

The following members missed the meeting of **April 13 without a makeup reported by press time**: Don Beckie, Brian Bergmann, Andrew Bolen, Scott Boswell, Doug Bowling, Gordon Bray, Jimmy Brehm, Randy Britton, Johnny Mack Brown, Bland Burkhardt, Diane Cagle, Subodh Choudhary, Heyward Clarkson, Mark Clary, John Cooter, Mark Cooter, Kelle Corvin, Lee Cox, Pat Currie, Gary Daniels, Bob Dannals, Brian Di Marco, Ben Dillard, Judy Dudley, Kara Dullea, Cynthia Eason, Calder Ehrmann, Mark Eley, Bob Ellis, Chip Felkel, David Fortson, Allen L. Freeman, Gally Gallivan, Nelson Garrison, Bill Genovese, Jerry Gibbins, Gene Gibbs, Roger Gower, Vaughn Graham, David Guthrie, John Hardaway, Alan Harkey, Randy Harrison, Greg Hart, Matt Hawley, Ted Hendry, Jay Hewitt, Gene Hindman, Al Hotz, John Huebner, Bob Hughes, Stan Ingram, Bill Jacobson, Mike Jaskwich, John Johns, Willie Johnson, Bill Kutz, Ed Lathan, Woody Long, Elizabeth Lyons, Sara Mansbach, Colin Martin, Mark Martin, Bill Masters, Ron McKinney, Bobby McLain, David Merline, Charlie Mickel, Mel Miles, Bob Morris, Lee Palms, Tom Piper, Vic Pyle, Richard Rabb, Ray Ramage, Louis Redmond, John Reynolds, Chris Rogers, Jeffrey Rogers, Richard Rowell, Lisa Sabin, Ravi Sastry, Carolyn Schoepf, Hal Shaw, Milton Shockley, Phillip Shoopman, Kevin Short, Hank Sitton, Joyce Smart, Eric Steele, Jim Stewart, Kirk Stone, Roger Stone, Richard Sturm, Kelly Sullivan, David Taylor, Suzanne Thaler, John Uprichard, Brad Van Meter, Don Vaughan, Ruud Veltman, Gill Walker, Geoff Wasserman, Dave Waters, Bubba Watts, Carla Whitlock, Bill Whitney, Paul Wickensimer, Charles Williams, John Wofford, Ann Wright, Bob Yax, Richard Young.

1st female voting delegate dies

Esther Johnson, of the Rotary Club of Santa Monica, Calif., made Rotary history when she became the first female voting delegate to a Rotary International convention at the 1987 Munich, Germany, event. Johnson died in Santa Monica on March 21 at the age of 89.