FUND RAISERS FOR POLIO PLUS: Ponderosa will donate 20% of proceeds to our cause on February 23rd from 5-8 p.m. No need to mention Rotary when you order. Also, on evening of February 26th just say "Rotary" at Dukum Inn and Craig Shorten will donate 50% of proceeds to Polio Plus!

CELL PHONE FUND RAISER: James Harmon said the World Community Service committee and TSU Rotaract are partnering on this project to collect used cell phones. Funds raised will initially be used for Rotaract's Life Straw project, then later for World Community Service. James asked us to identify the best places to put collection boxes. More information will follow.

INVITATIONS: See cover email for information on GlobeMed Haiti Benefit Concert, February 19, 8 p.m., Journal Building, and TSU Board of Governors Community Celebration for President-Elect Troy D. Paino and Mrs. Kelly Paino, February 26, 5-7 p.m., Ruth W. Towne Museum.

SCOTT TEMPLETON NOW A PAUL HARRIS FELLOW!

Matt Eichor (left) presented Scott a Paul Harris Fellowship Award today for his significant financial contribution to the International Rotary Foundation. The Foundation uses the money to improve living conditions and health around the world and for various grants, exchanges and scholarships designed to promote peace and better world understanding between cultures.

TSU SCHOLAR QUANG NGUYEN FROM VIETNAM

Quang Nguyen, a native of Hanoi, Vietnam, spoke about his family and home and also about his experiences last year as a high school exchange student in Durango, Colorado. This year Quang, a freshman accounting student, is attending Truman State University assisted by scholarships (including one from the Rotary Club of Kirksville). He is pictured in left photo with Sandra Fleak who introduced him and, in right photo, presenting a gift for our club to President Tim Tucker.

Guests: Matt Page (guest of Craig Shorten) Dondi Bates (guest of club) Jim Wagner (Thousand Hills club) Lynn Wagner (guest of Jim Wagner)

Announcement: Dondi Bates is proposed member (2nd announcement).

Upcoming Programs:

Feb. 24: Jeff Romine/Assembly & Rotary Anniversary
March 3: Thomas Adams/Missouri Foundation for Health
March 10: Evelyn Jorgenson/MACC