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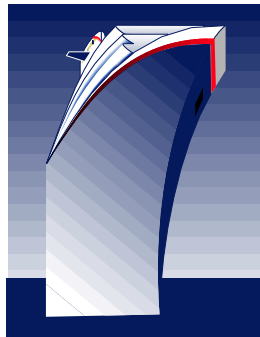
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The April Brunch was held at Lori's Diner, Cupertino, Calif., on April 30th, 2006, and we had a great turnout. Approximately twenty-seven members and friends attended the Brunch and had a great time. It seemed like a thousand conversations were going on at the same time and the noise level was terrific. A lot of old friends attended and we all played catch up with what had been going on in each other's life. The food was excellent and we had a choice of four different breakfast combinations. Lori's décor is from the fifty and sixty era and it was very enjoyable.

It should be noted that our reservation line was malfunctioning and Eric Goodrich and Ann Moore had to gang up on the telephone company to straighten things out. The line is back up running again and we hope any problems have been solved. Remember, if the reservation line is malfunctioning, call a Board member and advise them of your plans to attend any of our functions.

During the month of April 2006, we received news that two of our beloved Region #37 members had passed away. Fred "Moon" Mullins, SJPD-retired, and Thomas Wilson, Santa Clara Co. S/O-retired. These two men were big supporters of the IPA and will dearly be missed by their fellow members, friends and love ones.

IPA news and request have been a little slow lately, so I offer you a little entertainment from other sources:

Come back line

Radio interview by a liberal woman reporter and General Reinwald who was about to sponsor a Boy Scout Troop visiting his military installation.

Interviewer: So, General Reinwald, what things are you going to teach young boys when they visit your base?

General: We're going to teach them climbing, canoeing, archery and shooting.

Interviewer: Shooting! That's a bit irresponsible, isn't it?

General: I don't see why, they'll be properly supervised on the rifle range.

Interviewer: Don't you admit that this is a terribly dangerous activity to be teaching children.

General: I don't see how. We will be teaching them proper rifle discipline before they even touch a firearm.

Interviewer: But you're equipping them to become violent killers.

General: Well, Ma'am, you're equipped to be a prostitute, but you're not one, are you?

The radio went silent, and the interview ended. You have to love our military leaders.

See you at our next Brunch.

Servo Per Amikeco

Donald J. Zies - President

Something you don't see in the newspapers.



The Region is trying to compile a list of everyone's e-mail addresses.

Please send

Ann Moore your e-mail address.

Her e-mail address is:

natvdtr@comcast.net



If you are going to be traveling, please send your editor a story.

VISITORS/HOSTING OPPORTUNITIES



Currently there are no travelers coming to our area.



If you know of anyone planning to visit our region, please let your editor/hosting incoming know at dityler2@netzero.com or 408-267-3336.

ORDER YOUR IPA BADGES

Did you know that if you wear your IPA pin to the brunch you will double your entry raffle ticket? And your spouse is wearing theirs, theirs will also double? So, order your badge now! Call Ann Moore at 408-227-9590.

The official fold over Member Pocket Badge (\$33.00) or the Spouse Badge (\$7.00) may be ordered by contacting Ann Moore, Region 37 Treasurer, at 408-227-9590. All badges must now be prepaid.

YOUR CHECK IS TO BE MADE PAYABLE TO **I.P.A. REGION 37.**

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EVENTS

Brunches:

May 28th—Alter Ego, Gilroy

June 25th—Joan & Peter's, San Juan Bautista

July 22th—Annual BBQ—*this year at the Allen residence in Morgan Hill*

August 27th—Lori's Diner, Cupertino

September 24th—Dunnville Corners, Hollister

October 29th—Bold Knight, San Jose (Tentative)

November—No meeting (Happy Holidays)

December 10th— TBA

**For Reservations: REGION 37 —
HOTLINE 408/997-1960**

BOARD MEETINGS Erik's Deli - Cottle Rd & Rochester, San Jose. Tuesdays at 6:30 PM. Members are encouraged to attend. Please, come and join us.

The Region #37 Board Meetings schedule is:

Region #37 Board Meeting will be held on the following dates in 2006: Jun 6, Aug 1, Oct 3, and Dec 5, 2006.

Dr. Gordon (Mike) G. Misner formerly of Mill Valley, California passed away on March 11th, 2006 while vacationing with his family in the Bay Area. He was a professor of criminology and criminal justice sciences at UC Berkeley and for many years at the University of Illinois in Chicago. He made his home in Oak Park, Illinois. He served on the President's Crime Commission and was elected twice as president of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences. He served as a consultant to several local and federal agencies during a period of domestic turmoil involving demonstrations against the Vietnam War and the emerging civil rights movement. He was one of a handful of academics in criminal justice willing to be critical of law enforcement abuses, while, at the same time, recognizing that real change must come from within and that most police officers would embrace a reform movement if given the opportunity. He also ran for Sheriff in 1962.

Good and Welfare

Fred "Moon" Mullins passed away at the age of 73 on March 14th at his home in Sonoma. Services were held in Fallon, NV. If you wish to send cards to Moon's wife Donna, her address is: 111 Temelec Circle, Sonoma, CA 95476.



Tom Wilson, 68, passed away on April 9th of a massive brain hemorrhage. It was painless and Tom just went to sleep with his wife Martha by his side. Tom had been extremely ill for a couple of months. Our hearts go out to Martha and his family. Tom joined The Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office at age 21 and was a founding member of the DSA, on the board Of PORAC and the Legal Defense Fund.



Bill Kroeger's wife, **Lilly** is at home recovering from rotator cuff implant surgery that was performed in April. Best wishes Lilly.

New Members

Gurpreet Gill, Santa Clara SO—Correctional Dept.

Chris Hsiung, Mountain View PD

John Hughmanick, Los Altos PD

Art Munoz, San Jose PD

J. Andrew Shlosser, Santa Clara SO

Michael Smart, Sunnyvale Dept. of Safety

When was the last time you brought in a new member?

You can find applications on our website:
ipa-usa-reg37.org

Newest Carjacking Scheme

Information has been checked out by Don Hale

Here's the scenario:

You walk across the parking lot, unlock your car and get inside. You lock your doors, start the engine and shift into reverse. You look into the rearview mirror to back out of your parking space and notice a piece of paper stuck to the middle of the rear window.

You shift into PARK, unlock your doors, get out of the car and walk to the rear to remove the paper (or whatever it is) that is obstructing your view. When you reach the back of your car, carjackers appear out of nowhere, jump into your car and take off! Your engine was running and they practically mow you down as they speed off.

Guess what ladies and gents? I'll bet your purse and/or other valuables were still in the car!

THIS IS A NEW CAR-JACK SCHEME THAT IS NOW BEING USED...VERY SUCCESSFULLY.

What to do: Just drive away and remove the object that's stuck to your window - later.

Be thankful that you read this email. It would be a good idea to forward this warning to friends and family; especially to women! Their purses contain all of their identification, and you certainly do NOT want someone getting your home address, because - guess what - they already HAVE your keys! Take care everyone.

Lieutenant Tony Bartolome,
Bureau of Investigations - California Highway Patrol

Editors Note: I have received this article several times, so you may want to pass this on to your friends.



POSITION OPEN

As most of you know, Ann Moore has had problems with congestive heart failure and needs to step down from her job as Treasurer/Member Secretary. Therefore, beginning 1 July 2006, the position of **Treasurer/Member Secretary** will be open. Ann Moore, who has held this position for the past 10 plus years, finds that it is necessary for her to step down and turn things over to someone else.

Ann wants everyone to know that she has thoroughly enjoyed serving in this capacity. It is a job that requires some attention but, if kept up, doesn't require excessive amounts of time. There are two separate parts to the job but the parts mesh together and is easier for one person to handle than by separation of duties.

Who will be the next person to give of their time and effort? Please contact President Don Zies and let him know that it will be you.

This is also the single most important job in the Region.

Ann has also been in charge of booking our brunches this year and we will need someone to take over that job. Currently we have the entire year taken care of except for December. Please let Don know if you are interested in either one of these jobs.

Pins

Ladies and Gentlemen, My son and I are passionate collectors of pins, but have unfortunately still none of you. Therefore we would like to inquire hereby whether it is possible that you can send us one or, if available, different. For your efforts I thank you in advance.

Bernhard Grundsfield
Reichsweg 68
52068 Aachen, Germany

March Brunch



Dispatcher: 9-1-1

Caller: Yeah, I'm having trouble breathing. I'm all out of breath. Darn..I think I'm going to pass out.

Dispatcher: Sir, where are you calling from?

Caller: I'm at a pay phone. North and Foster. D---!

Dispatcher: Sir, an ambulance is on the way. Are you an asthmatic?

Caller: No.

Dispatcher: What were you doing before you started having trouble breathing?

Caller: Running from the Police.

Vacation Ideas

DISNEYWORLD, FLORIDA. 3 bedroom house only 20 minutes from Disney World. Pool, Hot tub, Tennis and play area. Contact wdivn@aol.com

LAS VEGAS, New 2 bedroom home near Las Vegas if you are 55+. E-mail ahipychipy@home.sbcxmail.com

VISITING LONDON? Check out www.welcomhomes.co.uk for a list of B&Bs. These are not IPA B&Bs but the site may make finding accommodation in London a little less painful.

AMSTERDAM B&B

If you need a place to stay and worry free transportation in Amsterdam, contact their national secretary Theo Vrosch at secretary@ipa-nederland.nl His prices are reasonable. This is where the president of IPA Canada stays while in Amsterdam.

NEW IPA ACCOMMODATION ITALY

Rome-Via Albano

The consists of 2 double bedrooms, dining room w/2 single beds (sleeps 6), kitchen and bathroom.

The area is well served by shops and public transport, within easy reach of the city, the central railway station, Vatican City as well as other tourist attractions. Close to flat there is free parking and there also is a private garage for which there is a daily fee.

House Mgr: Mrs. Paola Marconcini, Via Taranto, 21, 00182 Rome.

Phone 39-6-704-52953 or mobile: 39-338-67-15197.

New IPA House in Spain

Address: calle Doctor Mallafre, numero 3, 43007 – Tarragona

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Phone: +34 639935540 **Fax:** +34 933021700

e-mail: ipahouse@ipatarragona.org

website: www.ipacatalunya.org

Internet House Code: ESTA

Accommodation: The apartment has 2 bedrooms (1 double, 1 twin) and a double sofa bed – sleeps up to 6. There is a bathroom with shower, fully equipped kitchen, lounge with TV, air conditioning and central heating.

Centrally located in the town of Tarragona, declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site, 90 km from Barcelona. Within easy reach of beaches and mountains, as well as historic buildings and Roman ruins.

Your Editor's Annual Plea for Supplies

As usual, I am getting ready for my annual trip to Kenya. And as usual, I'm holding out my hand for help for supplies to take with me.



I have started filling my medicine duffle and if you can help, I can use the following supplies: all sizes of bandages (rolls and squares) (my most needed items), with tape to hold them on, large bottles of aspirin, acetaminophen and ibuprofen (both adults and children's), Neosporin, hydrocortisone cream, children's Vapor-rub, ace bandages, burn gel and any other First Aid supplies that you can think of that aren't liquid. I buy all of the antibiotics, re-hydration medicine and things we need prescriptions for in Kenya.

If you are in special favor with any doctors, I can sure use sutures. Children get a lot of nasty cuts and dog bites over there. And cuts in general are bad and sutures just aren't available.

Any help is most appreciated. And yes, I used the photo of the little boy to tug at your heart strings. He lives at the orphanage in Nanyuki. I leave August 4th.

Hong Kong/Macau Friendship Week

IPA Hong Kong in conjunction with IPA Macau has announced the details of their Friendship Week scheduled for Nov.12-20, 2006. This information can be viewed at <http://www.ipa-hksar.com/hk-macau.htm>. There is a registration deadline of April 30. Cost of the event is \$1595 U.S. per person.

Trip to England

Richard Nevarez, Region 29, is once again, by popular request, planning a trip to England. Probably the Sussex, Kent and southeast section of the country. The dates are September 12, 2006 thru September 19, 2006. The group will be limited to 40 people. They will meet in London and end in London. Please contact Richard via e-mail at rgnevarez@aol.com for further information. In the past, these trips have filled very quickly so you will need to respond quickly.

IPA ALBERTA TOUR 2007

Looking for something special for a vacation in June of 2007? We are invited to join our friends in Canada for a wonderful tour.

The three IPA regions of Alberta Canada are very pleased to announce our plans for another Rocky Mountain Tour in 2007. The past three IPA Rocky Mountain tours sold out well in advance and we are sure our 2007 bus tour will be just as popular.

The tour starts and ends in Calgary, Alberta. The official arrival date is June 8th 2007 and the final banquet will be held June 17th 2007. Special hotel tour rates can be offered for those arriving early or staying after the tour. You should note that the Calgary Stampede starts 3 weeks after the end of the tour. We would also be pleased to assist you with your plans of extending your Canadian vacation to other parts of Canada.

IPA Alberta Tour 2007 includes: 10 nights hotel accommodation, 9 days transportation by luxury coach, at least 2 meals every day, all organized activities and attractions and a volunteer IPA guide who knows the area. The whole tour is casual and no suits or uniforms are required.

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Contact: Diana Tyler at: dityler2@netzero.com if you would like a copy of the registration form.

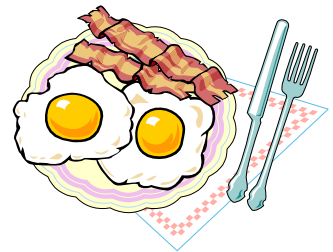
MAY BRUNCH

May 28th—10 AM

ALTER EGO BANQUET
707 1st St., Gilroy 408-848-3455
\$15.00

Menu: Scrambled eggs, fruit, potatoes, bacon, ham, sausage, biscuits, juices and coffee.

Directions: Hwy. 101 to the Gilroy area. Exit—Leavesley Ave, West. Cross the railroad tracks, turn left on Monterey Road, go to First Street (1 3/4 miles) turn right, continue thru three stoplights to small shopping area on the right. Restaurant is on the right, behind the Wienerschnitzel. (Between Wren & Miller)



JUNE BRUNCH

Sunday, June 25th at 10 AM

\$15

JOAN & PETER'S GERMAN RESTAURANT
322 Third Street @ Polk, San Juan Bautista
1-831-623-4521



Menu: Eggs Benedict, filled crepes, French Toast, Peter's Special Pancakes, assorted sausages, potatoes, home baked rolls and pastry, orange juice, coffee or tea.

DIRECTIONS: From Hwy 101—Turn onto Hwy 156. Go North on Third St. to Polk St. and the restaurant is on the corner. We've been there many times and everyone seems to love the food.

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED: CALL R-37 HOTLINE AT 408.997.1960.

Leave your name and the number of people in your party.

REMEMBER TO BRING SOMETHING FOR OUR RAFFLE !

Remember to bring exact amount or checks for the brunches. Ann doesn't always have change.