

T H E H O L L A N D C L U B , I N C .

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Dear Friends:

It's been a long, hot summer and the end is not quite in sight, but - it's time for us to communicate again. We have quite some news - social and otherwise - so here we go.

Activities First.

September.

By popular demand, we're going to have a repeat of last year's very successful party at Atascocita.

Date: Saturday, September 12, 1964

Location: Atascocita Country Club, on the shores of Lake Houston. This can be reached by taking the Eastex Freeway (Hyway 59) north to Humble. At Humble, turn right onto Farmroad 1960 to Lake Houston. The entrance to the Country Club is on your left, just before you reach the lake.

Time: You may arrive any time after 2:00 p.m. for swimming and other outdoor activities. FOOD WILL BE SERVED AT 5:00 P.M. and will consist of bar-b-q beef, links, and ham, with all the trimmings, coffee, tea, and plenty of beer.

Please, on arrival, identify yourselves as members of The Holland Club, showing your membership cards if asked. Guests are welcome, BUT MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY MEMBERS.

Admission: \$ 1.50 per person for adults (\$ 2.00 for guests)
\$ 0.75 for children under 12 who will eat (\$1.25 guests).

We have to make definite reservations in connection with the food to be served; therefore we ask that you fill out the slip below and send this WITH YOUR PAYMENT to Hank Dykstra, 8534 Ruthby, Houston, 77017. The slips must be received by Hank NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 8.

Should anyone have any questions in connection with this party, please contact either Hank Dykstra (MI 9-5616, after 6 p.m.) or Vincent Doodeheever (MO 7-7939, after 6 p.m.)

Mrs. Beekman has asked us to announce that she will start again with the monthly coffee for the ladies. Mrs. Beekman has found a new meeting place for this get-together: The Copenhagen Restaurant, at 3804 Farnham, corner (almost) of South Shepherd, almost where Shepherd runs into the Southwest Freeway.

The rule will be that this coffee will be held on the first Tuesday of each month at 10:30 a.m. However, since school will start right around that time this year, the first get-together will start as an EXCEPTION, on Tuesday, September 8.

Price for coffee and rolls, etc.: \$ 1.00 per person.

Mrs. Beekman has asked that those who plan to attend, give her a call at least a day in advance, at MO 7-2268.

October, naturally, will bring again our traditional "LEIDEN'S ONTZET" party. The date and place are not quite certain yet, but we will tell you already here that it will be either October 1 (Thursday) or October 3 (Saturday). Admission will be \$ 1.25 per person, \$1.75 for guests.

We need volunteers for the "hutspot detail". Mr. Hans Flik will be in charge of that chore and will contact those ladies who at the time responded favorably to our questionnaire. We sincerely hope, however, that by now we can count on help from other members and ask that all who can donate time and effort to help make this traditional party an even greater success than it was in previous years, to phone Hans in the evening at JA 3-9295.

Final details about this party at a later date.

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Latest news from the social calender.

1. The Elze Hemmens have a new baby girl. Mother and daughter are doing fine and we send the whole family our warmest congratulations.
2. Carl van Nes has done it: He has taken himself out of circulation and got married! We know that the face of the new Mrs. van Nes is familiar to most of you, and we look forward to having the newly-weds with us in September to congratulate them.
3. Han Visser, one of the secretaries at the Consulate-General, has left Houston. Our best wishes accompany her.
4. Baudien Wentholt, a former board member, is back in Houston and we trust we'll see her in our midst in September.
5. Last - but not at all least - we welcome back in our midst members of long standing, who both also served on the board: Nettie and Wim Willemsteyn, who have been transferred back to Houston from New Orleans. Nettie, how about an assist with the hutspot detail???

(What a welcome!)
So much for the social news.

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Official Announcement from our Consulate-General.

" In de afgelopen jaren zijn door de Regering van de Verenigde Arabische Republiek een aantal maatregelen getroffen waardoor ook buitenlandse belangen in dit land werden getroffen. Teneinde een zo volledig mogelijk overzicht te verkrijgen van alle Nederlandse belangen die hierbij betrokken zijn . . . is het noodzakelijk dat alle Nederlandse personen die belangen bij de VAR hebben, daarvan opgave doen bij het Ministerie van Buitenlandse Zaken. . . ."

Als er Nederlanders in Houston zijn die vermoeden hiervoor in aanmerking te komen, worden zij verzocht zich in verbinding te stellen met het Consulaat-Generaal, CA 4-9556.

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Reminder of upcoming events:

October 1 or 3: Leiden's Ontzet Party
November 6 : Film evening
December 5 : Sinterklaas party for the children
December 19 : Christmas party

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Before ending this already lengthy bulletin, we would like to restate here a decision made by your board quite a few years ago.

The board meets once a month and those meetings are NOT held behind closed doors, but can be attended by any member in good standing who wishes to do so. If anyone feels he or she has something of importance to bring to the attention of the board and would like to do so during one of our official meetings, please feel free to contact any board member to obtain address and time for the next meeting.

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We plan to attend the Atascocita party.

In our group will be:

. . . grown-up members, with . . . children

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Please print name