HOLLAND CLUB, INC.

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Dear Friends:

Well, the Holiday Season is over and we hope that all of you had a good start for 1962. The Dinner-Dance held on December 22 was a big success, the turn-out was real good and those of you who could not attend really missed a good party.

The reception given by our Consul-General and Mrs. Engels on January 1, 1962 was well attended and we would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. and Mrs. Engels for giving us the chance to get together and wish each other a "Happy New Year". We feel sure we speak for all who accepted this gracious invitation.

Our next event is scheduled for Friday, January 26, in the Auditorium of the Bank of the Southwest. We will show a full length movie, entitled "FANFARE", produced and directed in Holland. FANFARE was filmed in the picturesque village of Giethoorn and tells the story of two rival brass bands in a small Dutch community. The plots and counter-plots of the rival factions provide a series of humorous episodes which lead to a happy ending.

FANFARE was produced by Bert Haanstra and has been very well received. Cast in leading roles are a number of popular Dutch film stars, including Hans Kaart Albert Moll, Ineke Brinkman, and Ton Lutz. It received a plant in the 1959 Edinburgh Film Festival and has met with equal such in other European countries. The movie is spoken in Duy but has English sub-titles.

Curtain time is 8:00 p.m., and admission is 75 cents per person.

The last event during our fiscal year is the Annual Membership Meeting, at which time a new board of directors will be elected. This meeting will also take place in the Auditorium of The B of the Southwest, on Friday, February 9, 1962, at 8: 00 p.m. Our nominating committee is very busy getting up a slate of nominations for new board members. This will be typed and distributed on the evening of the Annual Meeting. Naturally, nominations from the floor will also be welcome.

We would like to point out here that this will be a very good time for all our members to attend a meeting, not only to vote, but by doing so also to take an active part in our Club. Also, if you have any suggestions or criticisms, this will be a good time to "speak up". Naturally, we welcome these at any other time, but on this particular evening we expect a big turn-out and ideas can be exchanged and decisions taken on the spot. So, make a big red mark on your calendar and plan to attend this IMPORTANT METTING ON FEBRUARY 9!

Last, but not least, we are happy to announce that Mr. and Mrs. Glen R. Schuebach have had a baby girl on December 22, 1961. Congratulations to the proud and happy parents! Mrs. Schuepbach is temporarily in Holland, and her address there is: c/o Familie L. Cleybool, Rozenburglaan 90, Rotterdam.

Remember, two meetings coming up: The movie on January 26 and the Annual Meeting on February 9. We are expecting YOU.

Ruth Kupperschlag

Secretary