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HOUSTON - Texas

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March 30, 1964

Dear Friends:

We would like to start our new fiscal year by introducing to you your new Board of Directors, which was elected at our Annual Membership meeting on February 28, 1964:

President:	Herman van Voorthuysen
Vice-President:	Vincent Doodeheefver
Treasurer:	Hank Dykstra
Secretary:	Ruth Kupperschlag

Members of the Board:

Ben Cornelisse  
Joan DeBruyn  
J. A. Flick  
Elze Hemmen  
Wim van Lohuizen

It should not be necessary to mention here, but we'll do it anyway: Any time anyone would like some information regarding our Club, please feel free to contact anyone of the above mentioned board members.

We are going to start our new year full of steam: Two parties in one month, the first for the children, the second for the adults. Here are the details:

CHILDREN'S PARTY:

Date: Saturday, April 18, 1964  
Place: The Alley Theater  
Time: 1:30 p.m.  
Program: Cinderella  
Admission: 70 cents per child (up to 14 years)  
1.25 for children over 14 and for each adult who would like to accompany the children.

There is no reserved seating; therefore we ask that everyone be at the Alley by 1:30 p.m. and look for Mr. and Mrs. van Voorthuysen. Curtain time is 2:00 p.m.

We have reserved 25 seats for this party. We ASSUME we can increase this, but if we want to do so, we have to act quickly. The Alley Theater not only wants a firm guarantee of how many will attend, but also MONEY IN ADVANCE. Therefore, we ask that those of you who plan to participate, clip the slip below and send it, WITH YOUR MONEY, to Mr. Herman van Voorthuysen, 4726 Waycross Drive, Houston, Texas, 77035, NO LATER THAN APRIL 9, 1964. Guests are welcome, provided they also pay in advance.

"GROTE MENSEN" PARTY: O R A N J E B A L

Date: Saturday, April 25, 1964  
Place: The Houston Airport Inn, East Corsican Room  
Time: 8:30 p.m. - 1:00 a. m.

The Airport Inn is located directly across from the Houston International Airport. You can reach the East Corsican Room either through the front entrance, or from the back. Just find a parking place and come in!

We thought we'd try something different this time, so we will NOT have dinner together. However, there will be dance music with excellent records all evening. And, since dancing will help you work off all those calories that you bring with THAT BOTTLE, we have arranged for a complete "breakfast" at 11:00 p.m. All you have to do is to bring yourself, your bottle, and set the mood. Set-ups will be available until 1:00 a.m.



Price, covering set-ups for the entire evening, dance music, and breakfast, is \$ 3.00 per person. Guests are welcome, but will have to pay \$ 3.75 per person.

We have to guarantee a certain amount of people to the Airport Inn, so we ask that you please clip the slip below and send it WITH YOUR CHECK, to Miss Ruth Kupperschlag, 3318 Norfolk, Apt. C, Houston, Texas, 77006, NO LATER THAN APRIL 19.

Since we can choose from a vast collection of records, and want to TRY to please everyone, please note on the slip you return what kind of music you prefer; we will then try to fill all requests.

We are saddened to have to report that Mr. Bezems, our acting Consul, has been transferred to Canada. He and his family will leave Houston on April 14, 1964. We certainly will miss Mr. Bezems and his charming wife at our meetings and parties, but our best wishes accompany them to their new post. We hope to hear from them once in a while.

From the Consulate-General we received an official announcement, which we publish in part, per attached. Anyone who wishes further information, is requested to contact the Consulate at CA 4-9656.

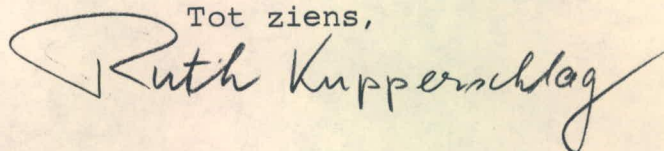
At the first meeting of our new board, some tentative plans were made for events during our fiscal year 1964/65. However, since there is so much news in this first bulletin, an announcement of those plans will follow next month.

There remains one news item: ON A TRIAL BASIS we will start next month to announce in our bulletins "Items for Sale". We do this only to help our members, but will not go into any details; we will only mention the item which is offered for sale, and a telephone number. However, please remember that our bulletins are not sent out on any specific date, so if anyone is in a rush to sell something, they better try to place an ad in a newspaper. Anyone who wishes to experiment with our new service, please contact Miss Kupperschlag at JA 2-3633, after 6:00 p.m.

A final reminder that membership dues for 1964/65 are due N O W. Please send your check to Mr. H. Dykstra, 8534 Ruthby, Houston, Texas, Zip code 77017.

We look forward to seeing all of you at the Oranjebal, where we also hope to be able to introduce our new Consul.

Tot ziens,



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#### CHILDREN'S PARTY

We plan to attend the Children's party on April 18. Our group will consist of . . . . . children and . . . . . adults.

Check for \$ . . . . . is enclosed.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

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Announcement received from the Consulate General of The Netherlands

The Netherlands Nationality Act has been amended with effect from March 1, 1964. Up to that date the Act provided that during marriage the wife shall follow the status of her husband. Under the new provisions, the married woman will be able to decide herself on retention, acquisition, or loss of the Netherlands' nationality.

A woman who has lost her Netherlands nationality by acquiring as a matter of right the nationality of her husband, may re-acquire the Netherlands nationality by giving notice to the competent authority that she wishes to re-acquire it. Women residing abroad, can only do so NOT LATER THAN FEBRUARY 28, 1965. A woman who lost the Netherlands nationality by acquiring the nationality of her husband through her own will, cannot re-acquire the Netherlands nationality in this way.

Under the new provisions a married woman may now lose the Netherlands nationality irrespective of her husband's national status, e. g. by entering into foreign military or state service without Royal consent, or as a result of birth and residence of long duration outside the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

Further information on the Act as amended may be obtained from the Consulate General of the Netherlands, 2100 South Coast Bldg., Houston, Texas, 77002, Telephone CA 4-9656.