THE HOLLAND CLUB, INC. Houston - Texas

Mailing Address: 3318 Norfolk

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Dear Friends:

It's time again to communicate! We'll try to keep this one short, and come right to the point.

Plans for our next activity have been finalized, and we hope they will meet with everone's approval. We mentioned in a previous announcement that this activity has to do with food, and indeed it has. We are going to have an "INDIAN CHICKEN CURRY PARTY". We had toyed with the idea of having a real RIJSTTAFEL, but as all of you certainly will understand, there is just too too much work involved in that. So we compromised and the chicken curry is the result. There is still enough work involved, so the best compliment all of you can pay those who are going to do all the work, is to turn out in force and "dig in".

In order to keep the costs of this party to a minimum, our treasurer and his charming wife, Hank and Roxie Ann Dykstra, have graciously offered us the use of their garden and patio.

The date for this extraordinary party is Saturday, July 11.

Time, 7:30 p.m. Address: 8534 Ruthby Street. Since I'm a very bad "map-drawer", here follow some directions of how to get to Ruthby. Go south on Gulf Freeway towards Galveston. Turn off the Freeway on the Park Place Boulevard/International Airport Exit and turn right onto Broadway, which leads to the Airport. Pass the first traffic light (Belfort intersection); Turn left at the second traffic light onto Rockhill and go down Rockhill for about four blocks. Ruthby Street is on your left hand; turn into Ruthby and you will find the Dykstra residence not far from the corner. (left side of the street)

PLEASE USE SIDE ENTRANCE INTO BACKYARD AND DO NOT ENTER THROUGH THE FRONT DOOR.

There will be plenty of food and beer. Price for our members is \$ 1.00 per person. Since school has been out now a month, we feel all mothers need an evening out, so please leave all children at home! However, you are welcome to bring guests, at the price of \$ 1.50 each - except, of course, guests of our bachelor members, who are welcome at the member price.

Naturally, we'll send out a special memo to our favorite weatherman, Chris Chandler, in the hope that he will use his special talents and provide us with a perfect evening, But just in case his powers of persuasion don't do the trick, alternate arrangements have been made. In order not to confuse anybody, we won't mention the alternate address here. Should it rain in any part of town, please call the Dykstra's, MI 9-5616, and they'll tell you where to go.

Now, we realize that there may be some of our members who either do not like curry, or cannot eat it because of health reasons. For those, the "work crew" has graciously offered to make a separate dish of chicken without the curry. But we need to know in plenty of time to make all arrangements. And friends, since this party is being given in the home of one of our members, we really need to know exactly on how many people we can count. So please fill out the slip at the bottom of this page and send it, WITH YOUR MONEY, to me at 3318 Norfolk, Apt. C. Please, please, mail this to reach me NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, JULY 7.

Remember, all of us are busy people, so please do observe this deadline. THERE WILL BE NO TELEPHONE REMINDER THIS TIME.

Last, but not at all least, we are happy to welcome the following new members since our last party:

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Criezis
Miss Hetty De Bruijn
(She is the new Chancelor at our Consulate)
Mr. and Mrs. Kees Lagendyk

We hope they will come to the party, so all of you can meet them.

I have prepared a new membership list. Any one who would like to have a copy, please call me, after 6 p.m. at JA 2-3633.

We hope our members who went to Holland on the charter will be back in time to come to the party, and we look forward to hear all the stories they have to tell.

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We plan to attend the chicken curry party. There will be members and . . . guests in our group. Check in the amount of \$. . . is enclosed.

. . . . persons of our group CANNOT eat curry.

Please print name