The Holland Club, Inc.

HOUSTON, TEXAS January - February 1, 1970

. Dear Holland Club Members:

Since your secretary is ill this week, your President will have to write this bulletin. We wish Mary Kay a very speedy recovery from the flu and thank her once ' more for the hard work she has done for the Holland Club this year. Mary Kay has mentioned to us again the continuous help a member of the club has given to her this year ... and we too wish to thank this person for her unending help ... hats off to Caty Flowers.

ANNUAL MEETING/BONCO PARTY/ERWTENSCEP AND WASSAIL

Our last party this year will be the Erwtensoep and Games Party along with the Election of new officers for 1970. This will be SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1970 at 7 o'clock. The place will be 8102 Rockhill (see map). We will have election of officers, the financial report from the treasurer, George Flinkerbush, and after that we will have beer, wassail, and a dish of erwtensoep. After this, we will play bonco and a couple of other games. We urge you all to come since this is YOUR club and your continued interest can keep it a great organization. The entrance fee will be \$2.00 per person...soup, beer, and wassail included.

The following people were nominated for the officers and board members:

President Ron Warp Chris Kulu Chris Herben Jeografe Rubuch Vice Pres.

Treasurer Art Janzsen

Board: Cory Hoogendam, Caty Flowers, Gerry Chartrou, John Valcik, George Flinkerbush. We will need one more board member and a secretary.

As usual, nominations can be made from the floor. And if you have any other suggestinns or ideas bring them up at this General Meeting.

NEW MEMBERS

We welcome the following new members to our club, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Vanderzijl, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vanderziyl, and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Warp. We are happy to welcome you.

GROUP FLIGHT and Club will not sponsor a group flight this year due to a lack of interest All the people who have contacted us will be referred to Van Ness Travel Agency. We hope you will call Mr. Nick Ernstein at 227-3171 who will be happy to assist you with your travel needs. We want to thank Mr. Ernstein and all the girls at the Van Ness Travel Agency who have helped the secretary with their donation of time, mimeograph machine, paper, etc. to put out the bulletins in 1969. Don't forget! Call Van Ness Travel Agency for all your travel needs. GENERAL NEWS

Approximately 37 children and 35 adults attended the very successful Sinterklaas party. All the children (and adults too!) enjoyed the live puppet show and

St. Nicholas and especially another fine performance by Zwarte Piet.

The Christmas party was a real success. We had a full crowd until Hal Kidder's Orchestra sounded the last note.

Mrs. Margaret Moyle, 6610 Texarkana, Houston 77020 has been in and out of the hospital. At the moment she is back home again. We hope that Mrs. Moyle will be well soon so she and Mr. Moyle will come to our parties once more. In the mean time, those feeling like it could give the Moyles a call...their number is 673-4575. They surely will appreciate your thoughtfulness.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We received the following announcement from the Netherlands Consulate-General

"Nederlanders met belangen in Roemenië, aangetast door Roemeense nationalisatie-maatregelen, kunnen voor 1 mei 1970 hun uit deze nationalisatie voortvloeiende aanspraken indienen bij de:

Commissie Verdeling Schadeloosstelling Roemenië Ministerie van Justitie, Plein 2B, 's-GRAVENHAGE

Nadere bijzonderheden zijn te bekomen bij het Consulaat Generaal der Nederlanden, 315 World Trade Building, Houston, Texas 77002; telefoon 224-9656."

We wish to thank Mr. F. A. Hoefer, Consul General, for the New Year's reception at the World Trade Building and for his interest shown in the Holland Club.

Change of address: Mr. and Mrs. John H. Valcik, 2828 Bammel Lane, Houston, Texas 77006, Phone: 523-1193

Mr. and Mrs. A. Van de Voorde moved to 11107 Sagevalley, Houston, Texas 77034 Phone: 487-3970

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Peter Feteris and family back to Houston. Their address is 2642 Campbell Road, Houston 77055. Phone: 465-6130

KOFFIE UURTJE

Last January 7, several lady members gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Velzeboer at Mrs. Velzeboer's gracious invitation to have the first get-together of the "Koffie Uurtje" at her home. The ladies had a very good time. Mrs. Velzeboer has offered her home for the future "Koffie Uurtjes" and so it was decided that these will be held the first Wednesday of the month from 10 a.m. to 12 a.m. The ladies will take turns in baking cookies and 10¢ per person is for the kitty. So, ladies, mark your calendars because the next koffie uurtje will be Wednesday, February 4, at 10 a.m. Children welcome. For directions, call Mrs. Marijke Velzeboer at 665-3018.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

"It was fun being your president this year and I appreciate all the members' help - especially the help and cooperation of a very fine board. As a parting note, please mention this club to your friends so we can have more participating members. Let us try to make our 10th year the biggest year in our history."

