



Svithiod

LIFE

HERRING BREAKFAST—SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22nd

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

By Dale Johanson

Our Fall season is now moving ahead rapidly. Please don't forget to check the Club calendar for all our coming events. With all the many activities that are planned, there is always something for everyone. Each month in Svithiod LIFE, you will find a listing of the current events, so pick the ones that you would like to attend and call the Club for reservations.

Many thanks to Don Ahlm for his efforts as Chairman of the Crawfish Party. It always takes a little extra effort to make a party a success and for this Don, we thank you.

On Tuesday, September 12th, the Svithiod Ladies' Golf League had their annual tournament day. This also represents their last day of golf for the season. Chairman Florence Galvin and Co-Chairman Jean Peterson hosted a fun day. Thanks to Harold Nylen and Joe Statz for providing their services and helping make this an enjoyable day for the Ladies.

The Chorus has once again begun their rehearsals for the season after a well deserved Summer break. Once again the Halls of Svithiod will be filled with music. We look forward to the many programs provided by the Chorus in the months to come.

As in all organizations, it certainly takes the efforts of many people working together to be successful. Svithiod is no exception. No one individual or committee could operate without the help and support of the other committees. I feel very confident that all our Committee Chairmen and their respective committees are doing their utmost to perform the functions of their committee. As the new directories will be in the mail soon, I would ask that the entire Membership familiarize themselves with the various committees and their Chairmen. Please feel free to direct any criticism, comments, suggestions, etc., to the proper committee or to the Board of Directors. All comments from the Mem-

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HEAR YE! HEAR YE! ROYAL ORDER OF THE HERRING SUNDAY OCT. 22, 1978

By order of our Supreme Grand Herring, Judge Raymond K. Berg, all members of the Royal Order of the Herring are hereby enjoined to bring with him any and all who would qualify to become a KNIGHT OF THE BENT ELBOW. He who would join this elite fraternity must be able to drink of the elixir of life . . . Must not have eaten for two days so he can do justice to our Smörgåsbord . . . Must enjoy Good Fellowship and thrill to the rousing songs of our own famous Svithiod Chorus. He must be able to laugh with his fellow members and above all pledge his undying devotion to the cause of the ROYAL ORDER (whatever that is) and be able to stand tall and straight for his initiation.

Our Supreme Grand Herring, Judge Ray Berg, holds his high office through birthright, being a direct descendant of Eric the Red. Atmospheric and extrasensory perceptive conditions permitting, Judge Berg will make contact with Eric during the festivities.

WHAT IS A HERRING BREAKFAST?

The breakfast is conducted by the Royal Order of the Herring (What an Organization) and is dedicated to nothing and accomplishes the same. It starts with a gathering of the stalwarts who proceed to fortify (?) themselves for the feast to come. Breakfast is not really breakfast, but a wonderful Svithiod Smörgåsbord supplemented with a delightful variety of specially prepared fish—fried, boiled, steamed—you name it!

If you have never been to a meeting of the ROYAL ORDER, now is the time . . . Sunday, October 22nd . . . at 11 AM . . . Put it on your calendar and make your reservation.

HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT

By Richard Peterson

Now that the fall season is upon us and we all have had a fantastic time at the Fall Opening Party, it's time to start planning your social activities with Svithiod in mind. Check the social calendar that our able-bodied entertainment chairman, along with the help of the Ladies' Auxiliary, has put together. I am sure that there are many times that a group of friends are looking for a place to have a good time . . . Svithiod is that place! Whether you take advantage of the planned schedule of events or consult with our manager, Henri Elmlund, for a private party . . . Svithiod is that place.

The success of any organization is participation. Sending in your monthly dues check does not constitute active participation. Your attendance at club functions and your financial support is greatly needed. With a heritage that we all can be proud of, it should be considered an honor to be a member of Svithiod.

Next month at Svithiod (November 11th, to be exact) is the Monte Carlo Party. A party traditionally hosted by the Ladies' Auxiliary, this year our worthy President has asked me to co-chair. Sooooo people, the gaming tables are all mine! There will be more and better tables than in the past. For those who want to sit down and play cards, space permitting, you'll be able to do just that. So get a group together, partake in a delicious rib dinner to start off the evening, and have a great time at your club. Remember, too, that this will be the first of many RAFFLERAMA drawings. Harold Magnus and Gunnard Hagen, who are co-chairmen of RAFFLERAMA, remind you to get as many tickets sold as possible for this first drawing.

In closing, I would like to publicly thank those recent additions of our 'advertisers' page in the LIFE. Your support is greatly appreciated. I understand that we still can make room for a few more on the back

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House Committee

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page. If anyone is interested, please contact our editor, Irv Kimball. Support your advertisers whenever possible, they help make this publication possible.

Thanks, too, for a job well done by House Committee member George Leonard. The protective chair moulding you installed in the hall opposite the Swedish Room was really needed. We truly have a House Committee that really works! See you at the clubhouse!

WEDDING BELLS

Stolpe-Magnus

The bells were ringing on Saturday, August 19th, when Kerstin Stolpe, daughter of Lennart and Christina Stolpe, and Kenneth H. Magnus, son of Past President Harold and Millie Magnus, were wed in the Church of the Holy Spirit, Lincolnshire. Marvin J. Raymond, pastor, officiated.

Birgitta Stolpe, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Keith Magnus, Ken's cousin, was best man.

The reception was held in the Svithiod's ballroom where Keith, son of Past President Bob and Lillian Magnus, served as toastmaster.

Among the 165 guests was a group that journeyed all the way from Sweden for the nuptials. They were Mr. Jan Malmström and Mr. Ingemar Lind of Stockholm, and Mr. and Mrs. Stig Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Karlsson of Östersund.

Sue Columbia was the lucky girl who was in the right place at the right time when Kerstin tossed her wedding bouquet and Father Steve Schmidt, a Catholic priest and friend of the newlyweds, was Johnny-on-the-spot when Ken tossed Kerstin's lacy garter up for grabs. We understand that Father Schmidt's abiding hope and prayer is that the Pope will relax his stand on celibacy in the near future.

The reception lasted until the wee hours with dancing, and impromptu singing (some of which was on key). Overheard on the dance floor was Millie's admonishment to Harold to "Waltz faster, Harold, this is a cha-cha!"

Following their honeymoon, Ken and Kerstin moved into their new home at 387 W. Jefferson St., Vernon Hills, Ill.

Svithiod *LIFE* congratulates the happy couple.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

By Art Strobeck

Going into the month of October, we are now in "full swing" on a great and interesting fall schedule. From our Members' Nite, October 3rd, all the way to our Oktoberfest, October 27th, it's going to be great.

We would like more of our members to turn out for our second Gourmet Nite to be held on October 18th. Bring your friends to a most satisfying and delightful evening of appetizing dishes.

Our Herring Breakfast, October 22nd, is a good way to spend a Sunday. Henri's Smörgåsbord is the best in Chicagoland—please come out.

On Friday, October 27th, Svithiod proudly presents its tribute to all our German members and their friends. Walter Scheel and Otto Waage are Co-Chairmen and it's going to be a good time for all. Walter has invited the great German Chorus RHEINISCHER GESANG VREIN under the able direction of Dr. Alfred Gras. Otto is seeing that we don't mix up the Swedish food with the German . . . You can be sure all the German dishes will be authentic. Dick Theml and his Alpiners will provide the music and will keep your feet tapping. The beer will be flowing freely. This promises to be one of our greatest parties. Don't miss it.

Mark down the date of November 11th, when we will have our MONTE CARLO NITE. This is the kickoff nite for our "Rafflerama". It promises to be an exciting nite. We need members to volunteer to help man the booths. PLEASE KEEP ALL THESE DATES IN MIND AND JOIN IN THE FUN.

THANKS!!!

The 39th Annual Golf Classic will long be remembered as one of the greatest. Everything seemed to be perfect (well, maybe some of your scores would be better forgotten) and a special thanks should go to all the donors of those valuable and beautiful trophies and prizes. Almost everyone who participated in the Classic received a prize which should serve to remind them to make their reservations early for next year's tournament.

The list of prizes and donors is too long to be included here. However, we express the appreciation from all of the golfers to all of the generous donors of prizes and trophies for the part they played in making the 39th Annual Golf Outing so successful.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

By Eric Jacobsen

The responsibility of the Membership Committee is two-fold. The first endeavor must be to stimulate our present membership to make use of the excellent facilities we have for wining and dining guests. If we are to remain one of the outstanding Scandinavian Clubs in America, then we all must make use of the dining area and the many rooms available for private parties. We know it's impossible to attend every function the Club has made available; however, we all know there are times when we should.

The second responsibility is to secure new members. There is a constant turnover due to death, moving, retirement, etc. If we forget to replace or add to this membership, it places an additional financial burden on all of us. Therefore, your committee will constantly encourage your support and assistance in securing new qualified members. Will you help us? We really would like you to load the committee with work.

The Membership Committee held its regular meeting in September. At the Board of Director's meeting held on September 19th, one application was accepted for membership. We suggest you add his name to your directory. We wish to extend a warm welcome to:

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JA WOHL, IST DAS NICHT EIN SVENSKES OKTOBERFEST?

Burgomeister Otto Waage and Der Fuehrer Walter Scheel have promised us a real fun party. There'll be a special German dinner (Wow! I still remember those ribs, porkhocks, bratwurst, sauerkraut etc., etc., etc. from last year . . . mmmmmgood!), We have engaged Dick Theml and His German band for dancing and Chicago's outstanding German Chorus "Rheinischer Gesang Vrein" directed by Dr. Alfred Gras for the entertainment. Und ach du lieber all the "suds" in big pitchers mit der pretzels. If you have a pair of *liederhosen* wear 'em . . . Hans will be all dressed up in his. Ja der will be mycket gemutlichkeit! So schnell abmachen und maken sie up a party and get your reservations in for Friday, Oktober 27th.



AUGUST 16—Ruth Einar and her guest Gustafson celebrated their birthdays with cheer. "As usual, we enjoyed the service, food and drinks—thanks".

AUGUST 18—Mrs. Walter Ahlm entertained Ellene and Bert Carlson, Everett Charles Stetson and Lois and Olga Lofquist at the First Fall Bar-B-Q. "Having a great time. Ribs were super elegant. Tack to Sylvia for good service. Love from Ellene and Eleanor Alm and seeing so many club members attending".

Mr. and Mrs. **Herbert Engwall** had as their guest, Mrs. Elsie Kaiser. "Visiting friends in Chicago and we could not go back to Hollywood, Florida without visiting the wonderful SVITHIOD SINGING CLUB. I sang with the chorus 47 years ago under Joel Mossberg. We enjoyed the wonderful food at the Club, which is always the best."

Grandpa **Spitery** celebrated his latest birthday with the whole clan plus my partner and his wife, Andrea and her (\$1.00 on the bears) husband, Dorothy and **Bud** (white boots) **Hagen**, Emma and **Arnie Lundquist** (the two Arabs) and the pride of the Spitery's—Adrian-Matthew (G. for Gunnar)—Mark—and John. The three boys are the triplets of the "clan", and this can be the springboard for the "Maltesians" propagation in the U.S.A. Son-in-law Roger Diederbrand had an absolutely super evening helping the kids celebrate their grandfather's birthday.

Mrs. Claude Smith enjoyed the delicious ribs with guests mother, Helen Hill, and son, Claude, Jr.

Hubert and Greta **Ramberg** celebrated Ted Roiners 89th birthday with daughter Karin, sister-in-law Gerda Ramberg with a delicious rib dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. **Waldemar Peterson** from Rotonda, Florida enjoyed a delicious rib dinner with Dot and **Ray Anderson**. Just like old times—seeing old friends and enjoying a wonderful evening.

William Jones had a family get-together with wife Margot, daughter Vivienne and son Julian. The ribs were delicious and the service was excellent, as usual!

AUGUST 23—Mr. and Mrs. Gosta Englund of Sweden were guests of **Hull Henkel** at lunch this day. Hull's guests commented that "this is the finest food

we have had in a Swedish restaurant in America."

Bernhardt L. Mendro celebrated the end of a great summer with Mrs. Mendro, Dr. Robert L. Mendro and **Robert** and Agnes **Allgire**. As usual, Marine Dining Room can't be beat.

Mr. and Mrs. **Kenneth Ruck** were treated by Mr. William Ruck for a special "going back to school" dinner. Compliments to the chef—everything was delicious. Service by Sylvia was above and beyond and the martinis and———by Hans were super. Bill—good luck and best of everything to you at Lane Tech.

AUGUST 31—**Fred A. Neumann** had as his guest Hunter Gilbertson of Gilco Scaffolding Company. First time I have met him in person. He thinks the food is out of this world.

Dan Maloney had a reunion with Martha Dunlap Moore and Marie Clark. Ms. Moore is retired executive director of National Truck Leasing Association. (Your editor remembers Martha from Private Truck Council of America of which he is a past president.) Ms. Clark (Mr. **Maloney's** daughter) is a New York real estate broker.

Mrs. Kenneth Ruck, Mrs. John Brenner and Mrs. Jay Goll had a delicious luncheon to celebrate going back to school. Laurie, Gwen and Donna, all Chicago high school teachers, were getting all set for the first day of school.

SEPTEMBER 1—Mrs. David Pareira entertained Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gustavson, Carol and Roleed Gustavson and Carolyn and David Pareira for David's 13th birthday. The service and food were perfect and we are always grateful to have such a lovely club to bring special friends to.

SEPTEMBER 6—Jane Johnsen had as her guests Margaret Werner, Mina "Cookie" Cook and Lydia Pederson. The occasion was Margaret Werner's annual visit from Honolulu, Hawaii. Margaret is Jane's sister. "Cookie" is a telephone pioneer who volunteers at the Salvation Army and Lydia works with Jane at the Salvation Army. Food and service wonderful.

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President's Report

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bership are always appreciated.

In closing this report to our Members, I would want to remind each and every one of you of the importance of increased patronage from our Membership. We can only function with the support of the entire Membership. Let's all look forward to a beautiful Fall season at Svithiod.

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Dining Room Chatter

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SEPTEMBER 8—**Harold** and Mildred **Magnus** entertained Ruth Magnus, George and Ruth Lindsey and Pam and Mark Pusieko. Ruth is returning to her second year at Monmouth College and Mormor and George are returning to Florida.

SEPTEMBER 10—Agnes Dahlberg had as her guest niece, Sonia Wheeler. No special occasion—just wanted to enjoy the Club and their usual excellent dinner after summer vacation.

SEPTEMBER 13—**Bob Johnson** held a sales meeting with Al Battergier, Randy Booth, Tom Reed, Tom Sharritt, Gary Gardner, Jerry Walsh, Jim Warren, Dick Gall and Paul Lubline. Very good food.

Einar Gustafson entertained Ab Eldon, Berndt Jansson, Charles Bertilson and Erik Josefsson. **Einar** has been in America 50 years today. He is an old good friend to our Eldon Company in Smoland, Sweden and we congratulated him to a good time here in U.S. and to a good friendship.

SEPTEMBER 15—**Ray** and Elsie **Karsted** celebrated their daughter Linda Newton's birthday in the finest of Svithiod tradition. We all love it. Our tribute to our chef and the great Svithiod waitresses. Our guests included, Linda and Mike Newton, Karen Karsted and Terry Murphy.

Jane Johnsen entertained Margaret Werner of Honolulu, June and Bill Johnsen and Florence Ockerlund. This was Margaret's farewell dinner before leaving for Honolulu September 17—Aloha!

Ralph and Letha **Ostrom** entertained Mr. and Mrs. Blasco, Dr. and Mrs. G. Ostrom and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Burgin. Enjoyed a most delicious rib dinner, celebrating Greg's birthday with out of town guests from North Carolina.

Harold and Helen **Ericsson** are in from Rancho Bernardo, California and enjoyed dinner with Joan and Edward Richardson and **Dick** and **Marvel Hathaway**. Food was super and great to see many friends. Marvel commented "We all love the Ericssons and wish them the best ever".

Norm and Hedy **Corban** had as their guests Astrid Winter, **Andy** and **Adele Raderman** and Gus and Elaine Siebert. Down from Minnesota to enjoy dinner before Hedy's surgery the 19th. A wonderful time had by all plus the good ribs

and Svithiod hospitality. Hope to do it again after the hospital stay before we return to Minnesota.

SEPTEMBER 17—Mr. and Mrs. **Arthur O. Nickelson** celebrated **Arthur's** 76th birthday with guests, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Pollack, Sr., Kimberly and Peter, Jr. A delicious dinner was enjoyed by all.

Julius L. Scheffler, Jr. enjoyed a family reunion. A gathering of Sheila's cousins enjoying the visit of Aine Vee from Florida. Everyone enjoyed both getting together after several years and a wonderful dinner.

MUSIC COMMITTEE

By Wally Magnuson

Well it's that time of the year again; cool weather, end of fishing, back to school and college for some, and best of all singing at Svithiod and joining in the festivities of the great parties and doings in our beautiful club. It seems summer was starting just a few weeks ago but now it's all over. Oh well, it's fun to start back rehearsing and renewing old as well as new friendships at Svithiod. The first rehearsal held on September 8th; was a nice and enjoyable evening with the singers loosening up their vocal strings with songs to be sung at our upcoming "Formal Opening" September 30th. After a warm but enjoyable two hours of singing the hardy chorus members returned to "Valhalla" (bar) and had a few "Skols" to say to "Odin and Thor" for their joyous return to the "Halls of Svithiod."

Our second rehearsal night held on September 15th, brought out a few more singers but we're still not up to our full strength. President Dale Johanson came up to talk to us about the coming season and expounded on the fact of how well the chorus sounded and after a lengthy and invigorating discussion of club thoughts, invited everyone once again to return to "Valhalla" and toast our great gods "Thor and Odin and a new fellow named Aquavit." Skol to Dale!

Brother singers I ask you all to support our President Dale Johanson, the club activities that are so much a part of Svithiod Singing Club, and the true love of singing and friendship that we all have enjoyed at Svithiod these many past years. We have a second commitment to uphold on October 3rd, which is the first members' night and at which the chorus has been asked to sing.

If you truly love your club as I do, and if you really want to see our 100th anniversary become a reality attend rehearsals, club functions, or just come down on your own and have a great time with your fellow

members. Remember it's your club and what you do with it can only prove how much you respect yourself and others of Svithiod. Better yet bring in a new member; in fact why not try for a singer. LA-LA-LA! See you at rehearsal.

REPORT ON THE CRAWFISH PARTY

By Donald Ahlm

Tradition is one of the reasons Svithiod Singing Club is an important part of the Chicago scene. It is one of the Scandinavian backbones of this great city and a place where members and guests can come to taste and enjoy some of the unusual customs and foods of Sweden and Scandinavia. This makes Svithiod unique and on Friday, August 25th, the traditional Crawfish Party again proved to be one of the ethnic highlights of the season. Practically everyone in the room participated in eating the perfectly prepared crawfish, and the usual high quality smörgåsbord complemented a perfect evening.

Some years ago my wife and I had the opportunity of attending a Crawfish Party in Stockholm, and for those of you that are not sure about the authenticity of this party you can be sure that it is truly authentic, even to and including Swedish dancing by Herman Dahl and his group.

I'm sure that tradition is an important reason for many of us maintaining our membership in Svithiod, and it is parties like the Crawfish Party, Julmiddag, and The Herring Breakfasts, that best give an opportunity of not only enjoying, but keeping alive the traditions so important to our forefathers.

To those who attended the Party, thank you; to those who didn't, we missed you!

GOURMET DINNER WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18

Svithiod's second Gourmet Dinner of the season on Wednesday, October 18th in our Marine Dining Room will once again afford a limited number of diners a delightful experience in Gourmet dining. Reservations are limited since the dinners are especially prepared and each course is a culinary masterpiece.

Here is the chance to entertain that special person in your life in a setting of candlelight and silver and gleaming crystal and delightful music, enjoying fine food and drink in the continental manner.

But remember, reservations are limited so call the office now.

OCTOBER AT SVITHIOD

MEMBERS' NITE—TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1978

This is the First Members' Nite of the Fall Season. Make your plans now to join your fellow members in a rousing send-off to the New Season.

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6:30 to 9:30 P.M.

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OKTOBERFEST—FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1978

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A German Party at Svithiod? Why not? It's a Great Excuse for a Real Fun Party We'll have Beer & Pretzels and all that goes with a real Oktoberfest

Dick Theml's great German Band plus Chicago's Outstanding German Chorus "Rheinischer Gesang Vrein" directed by Dr. Alfred Gras

LOTS OF GEMUTLICHKEIT!!!

RESERVE EARLY

SEE NEXT PAGE FOR NOVEMBER COMING EVENTS

WHAT KIND OF PERSON ARE YOU?

"Know thyself," said Socrates, and all other knowledge will follow in due course.

Since it takes a lifetime to grow well acquainted with oneself, it may be presumptuous to reduce the quest for self-knowledge to the dimensions of a quiz. But, like the struggling artist who could only afford ugly models, we "must work with what we have."

How you answer the following questions will give you some useful insights into your real personality. Do not be hasty with your responses. Think them through and be as honest with yourself as you can be.

- How would you like others to think of you? That is, what "image" would you prefer they had of you?
- Do you think this image is supported by your achievements?
- Is your self-image inflated beyond attainability?
- Are you a snob?
- Do you allow little things and minor setbacks to "throw you" out of all proportion to their real importance?
- Can you take constructive criticism?
- How often do you lose control of yourself?
- Do you ever use humor effectively in your personal relations?
- Can you wait for the things you do not need, but want badly?
- Do you "wear your heart on your sleeve," or do you usually keep emotions under control?
- In your own judgment, what does your immediate superior think of you?
- How do you think your subordinates view you (e.g., tough but fair, an "easy mark," too demanding etc.)?
- Do you think you are indispensable to your organization?

• Are you approachable? Or, do others tend to stay away from you if they possibly can?

• If you were somebody else, would you want yourself for a friend?

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 1—Theodore Argiris
Henry Hogstrom
Dr. W. B. Stromberg
- 2—Max Rudolph
- 3—Otto Marschutz
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- 11—Charles T. Goodrich
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- 12—Allen G. Lundsberg
- 13—Richard F. Beattie
Harry G. Ostlund
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- 14—Robert C. Swanson
- 15—Hilding A. Johnson
- 17—Carl H. Anderson
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Gustaf Soderblom
- 18—Robert J. Morse
- 19—Walter F. Brietzke
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- 21—Iver R. Johnson
- 22—Roger G. Berglund
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- 23—Herbert E. Bromstad
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- 25—Philip J. Boyle
Warren DeMeyer
Arno A. Wehr, Jr.
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- 27—John F. Boyle
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- 28—Harry W. Sulken
- 29—Norman H. Andreasen
- 30—Frank Bedo
Harry A. Kaiser
Palle Juul-Larsen

LADIES' GOLF LEAGUE

By Jeanne Peterson

Spring has sprung, summer has went and Tournament Day on Tuesday, September 12th was very, very wet. When we started to play at 8:15 it was just overcast but during mid-play the rains came. Although the twenty eight enthusiastic ladies who came out for competitive golf were a little damp, their spirits were not and they finished playing the tournament in spite of the weather.

Our President **Dale Johanson** was very kind to provide the Ladies with liquid refreshments. Although **Dale** could not be with us because of a previous commitment, **Harold Nylen** and **Joe Statz** graciously volunteered to serve the Ladies on the No. 5 tee. We wish to thank **Dale, Harold** and **Joe** for taking the time to make the rest of our game more fun and tolerable against the weather.

The Ladies were divided into A, B and C class according to their handicap which was established from the six best games they played during the season. The Ladies competed for low gross and low net in each class and for the Traveling Trophy which will be awarded to the Ladies' Auxiliary member with low gross. Additional trophies the Ladies were playing for were: Closest to the pin on No. 2, Longest drive on No. 4, Least amount of putts for all nine holes.

The winners will be announced and trophies awarded at our tournament luncheon to be held on Tuesday, September 26th, at the Svithiod Singing Club.

We thank our golf Chairman **Florence Galvin** (it was a pleasure for me to work with you, Flo) and to all our golfers for making the season happy and successful.

LADIES' AUXILIARY NEWS

By Florence Galvin

WHEW! Sure was a hot one, summer that is. Now we can relax in the nice October weather and plan our Fall fun with Svithiod. Hope everyone had a great summer.

The first thing on the fall agenda is a Ladies' Auxiliary meeting October 10th. Hope to see every member out.

The second and a very important date to remember is the First Lady's Luncheon on October 24th. "Sandy" promises us a super luncheon and a delightful program, which will be a dramatic skit and something very different. Come see for yourself. Reserve early and bring a guest.

Thanks to **Jeanne Peterson**, Co-Chairman on the golf league this year, for all the help she gave in making it a successful season. Also to **Lillian Magnus** and **Helen Gamari** for the fun day they held in July. Our first fun day planned for June was rained out but we made up for it in July. Thanks gals.

Marvel Hathaway never lets us down either when it comes to asking a favor. **Marvel** made up and had the golf league booklets printed. Thanks to you too, **Marvel**.

I'm sure everyone is wondering about "Monte Carlo Night"—we're having one on November 11th. This year the Chairman is **Dick Peterson** who is working with **Sheila Scheffler** and **Marge Sells** to plan this gala affair. Circle your calendars. We'll need your help and above all your patronage.

Evelyn Richie and her husband, **Dr. Len Richie** are at present on a trip to **Nova Scotia** from Sept. 5th until the 19th. We'll get the details of their trip when they re-

turn. Hope they have had nice weather and a great time.

Solveig Peterson and her husband, **Al**, were supposed to have been on vacation long ago for about a month but due to a serious accident to their granddaughter, "Missy", they had to postpone their vacation. "Missy" had a serious bicycling accident and spent a week or more in the intensive care unit of the hospital. I understand she is now home and doing fine. We're so glad to learn of this, **Solveig**. Hope things go well for everyone now.

The Ladies' Auxiliary expresses their sincere sympathy to the **Bloom** family on the recent death of their dear wife and mother, **Carolyn**, who died suddenly in August.

The **Petersons**, **Wally** and **Lorraine** have been up from Florida to renew old acquaintances at the Club. While here they spent many nights at Svithiod.

Ellinor and **Norm Erickson** had two beautiful dolls from Sweden down at Svithiod for dinner. **Arnie Lundquist** asks, "How come this guy gets all these breaks?"

Opal and **Tom Weise** had a great time while visiting here for two weeks. **Tom** turned everything upside down and threw a great party for **Henri**. A good time was had by all.

Eleanor Alm had the largest table of guests at the crawfish party. Thanks for your support **Eleanor**. We hope all your guests enjoyed the party.

The **Spitterys** will be in Malta when this is printed. **Frank** is the only Maltese in the confines of our club.

Adele and **Andy Raderman** can always be found at the club for dinner. **Adele** grows the best back yard tomatoes in **Lincolnwood!**

Florence and **Walter Scheel** are members we see often at Svithiod entertaining etc. **Walter** has many meetings at the club for which we also thank him. This is an excellent way to entertain business friends as well as social.

Let's help **Dale Johanson** have a good year. His problems are ours. **Dale** comes from a long line of Svithiod members and this is the year we can go to bat for some of the people that have kept Svithiod going in all departments.

Emma and **Arnie Lundquist** did Europe once more, this time with their many **Medinah** friends.

As far as I know everyone who had been reported ill in past months is doing well and we hope to see them soon.

Lee Kinnan celebrated her 20th year with **WGN**. Congratulations, **Lee**, and best wishes.

Lorraine and **Bernie Mendro** have been in Hawaii this summer visiting **Lorraine's** sister. I'm sure they had a nice time. Who wouldn't, in Hawaii?

Thanks again for all the news you send and hope you will continue to keep it coming.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 2—Jean Van Wheelden
- 13—Dorothy Mattson
- 20—Helen Franden
- 25—Alma Koepke
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- 26—Gertrude Carlson
Clara Gwynn
- 29—Irene Anderson
- 30—Thelma Meyer
Constance Nicklaus

COMING EVENTS

- MEMBERS' NIGHT —TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1978**
- MONTE CARLO NITE —SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1978**
- THEATRE PARTY —WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1978**
(Lana Turner in "Divorce Me Darling")
- THANKSGIVING —THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1978**
THREE SERVINGS—12:30 PM, 3:00 PM and 5:00 PM

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| OCTOBER 24 | —First Ladies' Luncheon | FEBRUARY 24 | —Hawaiian Party |
| NOVEMBER 11 | —Monte Carlo Party | MARCH 13 | —Meeting |
| NOVEMBER 14 | —Meeting | APRIL 10 | —Meeting |
| DECEMBER 2 | —Lucia Program at the Swedish Retirement Home in Evanston | APRIL 24 | —Ladies' Luncheon and Spring Fashion Show |
| DECEMBER 3 | —Children's Christmas Party | MAY 8 | —Meeting |
| DECEMBER 12 | —Meeting and Christmas Party | MAY 22 | —Ladies' Golf League Starts |
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