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Season To Officially Begin On Sunday December 4th

The Meet 'n Greet party is on for this Sunday. Every year this function attracts the most attendance of any event the SocComm sponsors. We expect that this year will be no exception. Let me remind you that this party will be open to everyone. Please use the signup sheet on the bulletin board so we can plan our space.

The time is at 5:00 PM so it will be a cocktail party. Each and everyone is encouraged to bring beer, wine, and other drinks. Cocktail food should be brought to the Social Room for all to enjoy. Come right on time as the "good stuff" usually goes fast.

Due to the nature of this event, I will be printing name tags to save embarrassment. Let me confess that most everyone knows me, but I have great trouble remembering the names of people who I should be able to recall. So everyone will be on equal footing for at least one day.

December is always a busy month. After the Meet 'n Greet there will be two signup sheets for New Year's. One will be to get a handle on the number of people who will use the grills for barbeque. We have not had too much interest in the barbeques, so we need to know ahead of time just how many people are interested.

The Social Room is reserved for an informal party. Anyone can come and use the facilities. This is not a formal event, but can be used by one and all to ring in the New Year.

The next day the New Year's Day brunch is an official SocComm event. Meats will be provided by the Committee. Everyone who is coming, and we do hope it will be a crowd, is asked to provide side dishes, appetizers, desserts, and beverages.

Even before the year ends the SocComm will be posting a signup sheet for the Dinner Dance. Due to the financial arrangements, we have to get our money in well ahead of the February 1, 2012 date.

In about a week we should have our theater tickets in hand. They will be distributed the week beginning December 12th.

On a personal note it is hard for me to believe that this is the 7th Christmas that Pat and I have been in residence. Add to that, I have been coming down to the Patrician for 40 years in total. All I can say is to take each day as it comes and appreciate each one as it passes.

I have been modestly successful in collecting e.mail addresses to publicize our SocComm



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events. We have close to 100 addresses on file. For many of you this copy of *Old Patrician* is arriving in your computer's in-box. If you are reading this on the bulletin board and you have an e.mail address, please send it to me at:

bob@s-i-inc.com

Another way to read this newsletter is to go to our website:

www.s-i-inc.com/Patrician

Note the capital "P" in Patrician is important. From there you can push the navigation "button" marked Newsletter and find all back issues.

Marti Weiss Is Organizing Water Aerobics Again

Once again this year Marti is doing water aerobics on Friday mornings. The group has expanded beyond the picture below that was taken last year. There are now two ways to pay; either \$60.00 for 10 sessions or \$10.00 per session.

This is instructor lead aerobic training. Everything about this activity is professionally organized. Mary Ippolito, who is our instructor, is a personal trainer. She is a group fitness instructor at the Lantana gym, and a life coach. Marti reports that everyone enjoys her very enthusiastic classes.

The current class has 8 attendees who have signed up for the full 10 sessions. In addition, we have had drop-ins such that we make quite a splash in the pool. Marti expects to continue this activity with a second "semester" some time in January. So if you are up for this activity, come on down and give it a try.

Water aerobics is just one activity we could run if there is interest. The reason that this event took off is all Marti Weiss. She made all of the

arrangements, contacted the instructor, and is always after me to give this sport publicity. I am glad to do this and would do it for other activities if there is a "point person" ready to take on the activity.

We will have another open meeting of the SocComm once the holiday "crush" is over. But, if you have an idea, don't wait; let me know by e.mail, under the door mail, phone call, or smoke-signals.



Water Aerobics 2010

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