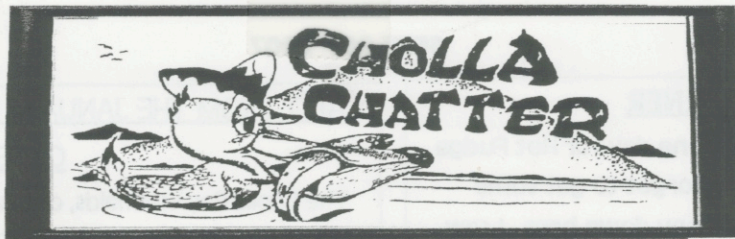


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WELCOME BACK TO ROCKY POINT & CHOLLA BAY

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 13 - OBSC Oktoberfest. CBSC will meet with OBSC for this.

Nov. 10 - OBSC Veteran's Day Party

November 22 - Thanksgiving dinner. We will be asking for tentative reservations for this so we know how many turkeys we will need.

December 8th - Cholla Bay Mexican families' Christmas party. Pot luck in the evening for all OBSC and CBSC members

Dec. 31 - New Year's Eve Party

HMMM

DALLAS ATC: "Tower to Saudi Air 911 - You are cleared to land eastbound on runway 9R"

SAUDI AIR: "Thank you Dallas ATC. Acknowledge cleared to land on infidel's runway 9R - Allah be praised!"

DALLAS ATC: "Tower to Iran Air 711 - You are cleared to land westbound on runway 9R"

IRAN AIR: " Thank you Dallas ATC. We are cleared to land on infidel's runway 9R. Allah is great!

Pause: Static'...

SAUDI AIR: "Dallas ATC - Dallas ATC"

Dallas ATC: "Go ahead Saudi Air 911?"

SAUDI AIR: "You have cleared both our aircraft for the same runway going in opposite directions!!! WE ARE ON A COLLISION COURSE??? INSTRUCTIONS PLEASE!!!

DALLAS ATC: "Well bless your hearts. Y'all be careful now and tell Allah "Hey" for us - ya hear?"

COOK'S CORNER

I was looking on the internet one day for Hot Fudge Sauce to put on ice cream, as I forgot to get some while in the U.S. I haven't seen any down here. I saw this one, and it looks like one that we could use with the ingredients we might have on hand or could buy in Rocky Point. I haven't tried it yet, but plan to. Pat G.

HOT FUDGE SAUCE

2 cups semisweet chocolate chips

1 cup butter

4 cups confectioner's sugar

2 2/3 cups evaporated milk

1 tsp. vanilla extract

1/8 tsp salt

In a large saucepan, combine the chocolate chips and butter. Cook and stir over low heat until melted.

Gradually mix in the sugar and milk. Increase heat to a boil. Cook, stirring constantly for 8 minutes. Remove from heat, and then stir in vanilla and salt. Serve warm. Store in refrigerator.

A BIT OF HISTORY

This is interesting! It is from an August 1983 Cholla Chatter, and written by Ed Perlmutter. He and his wife Marty are still CBSC members, but I don't know if they have been to Cholla Bay since all of the situations he mentioned have changed immensely..

"We finally arrived back in Cholla Bay and Marty swears she'll never leave again. No smog, traffic, sirens, airplanes, telephones, etc. Just clean air and easy living"

He also reported this"

"Talk about ingenuity, the other day Alan Peterson and one of his Mexican friends were installing a radio in his amigo's car. They needed a hole to run the cable through the rear end. With no drill on hand, Alan's friend drew his pistol and "Bang" - instant hole! What more can I say?"

I don't know, but - Agustin?????

AND, FROM THE JANUARY 1986 CHOLLA CHATTER

CHEERS

The Cholla Bay Mermaids, or beached whales as we have also been called, met again November 26th at Costa Brava Restaurant.

Our fearless Mermaid leader, Lynn Skwiat, started the meeting off by reading the By-Laws which are:

1. You must be able to drink with your left hand.
2. You must be able to drink with your right hand.

All the mermaids cheered the By-Laws and began drinking lots of margaritas - thirteen pitchers to be exact.

Some mermaids present or semi-present were: Shirley and Pam Reid, Sammy Rothrock, Joannie Dernberger, Stevie Rohr, Jill Davis, Shirley and Lori Peterson, Joanne Otanez, Alice Christian, Peggy Drake, Hilda Tozzi, Sandy and Tina Mazur, Sue Watson, Ethel Heldt. All of you mermaids I forgot to name, please, there is no need to thank me.

Late in the afternoon, a mermaid was seen feeding an innocent customer margaritas on her lap. Later, his wife, good sport that she was, joined the group. If you can't beat em - join em. In other words - anyone can join in the fun.

After leaving Costa Brava, the mermaids descended upon Dave and Laurel Walkers unsuspecting home and turned it topsy-turvy.

We all had a great time so be listening on your C.B's for the next meeting future mermaids and join the good time gals in their fun. by Shelly Bock

EQUIPMENT LIST TO HAVE ON YOUR BOAT

(Taken from Aug '83 Chatter - by Lou Bock)

1. Life jackets (one per person on board)
2. Fire extinguisher (approved type & required number, in accessible spot)
3. Flare gun (for use only in emergency)
4. Smoke flares
5. Dye marker
6. 300 ft. anchor line and anchor (sized to fit boat, extra line and anchor if possible)
7. Towing line (3/8" or larger and 50 ft. or longer)
8. Signal glass (metal mirror or other reflective device)
9. Flashlights (two heavy duty waterproof type)
10. Signal cloth (international orange, water repellent)
11. Marine radio
12. Heaving line
13. First aid kit
14. Tool kit (with spare parts, plugs & belts)
15. a blanket
16. Drinking water
17. Sea anchor. Another thing we could add now is a GPS and possibly a cell phone. AND - DONT FORGET - TRY TO BUDDY BOAT

KEN'S TRIVIA: Who is or was Glen Bell?

ANSWER

He was founder of the Taco Bell fast food chain. The first Taco Bell was opened in 1962 in Downey, California.

CHOLLA CHATTER

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OKTOBERFEST

Just a bit of trivia regarding Oktoberfest in Munich – Munich's first ever Oktoberfest was held in 1810 to celebrate a royal wedding with horse races and various culinary delights. The culinary delights, primarily the beer, were much more popular than the wedding ceremony and horse races. Since then, the Munich beer festival has been repeated on an almost annual basis. Only major catastrophes like war or the outbreak of epidemics can stop Munich's inhabitants from gathering at the green expanse called 'Wies'n', the festival's location. Even though it's called the 'Oktoberfest', the festival actually takes place in September, as the Bavarian autumn can be tricky and throw a surprise with early cold and snow.

THANKSGIVING

Like last year, the CBSC will sponsor a Thanksgiving dinner on Thanksgiving day at the club house. We will plan to get together around 4:30 for chatter and drinks, then will eat maybe around 5:30 - 6:00-ish. Jim and Nancy Huff plan to bring some turkeys (home grown), and the club will buy the additional turkeys which we will need. We will have to know approximately how many we'll need to buy, so please let me know if you think you will be attending. You can email me at nolehacepat@yahoo.com or call me in Cholla at 382-5056.

This will also be a pot-luck for the side dishes, desserts, etc. and BYOB. We had lots of people there last year, and hope to have even more this year.

Pat Goodin

AROUND TOWN

Since I haven't been 'around town' since early June, I don't have a lot of news. I have heard rumors that there have been some thefts, but don't know that for a fact. I also hear that it is very hot and humid, and I'm pretty sure that is a fact. I haven't heard of any rain however.

I hear from Susan Flinn that a hospital is in the designing and planning stage, to be located on the new Cholla Road between the railroad track and the Circle K. In the end, it will be a 5-story medical complex and will be completed in 5 phases. The first phase will include an operating room, laboratory, radiology, and pharmacy services. It'll include emergency services. I'm sure more information will become available as time goes by.

Pat

CBSC MEETING

Pat Goodin

There will be a meeting at the club house at 9:30 AM on Saturday, October 13th. Anyone who wishes to try to continue the CBSC events are asked to attend. We will need people who are interested in becoming officers or board members if the activities of the CBSC are going to continue. We would also like to have the CBSC Council members attend the meeting, as some decisions need to be made regarding next year's derby. I have heard from Mike O'Callaghan and he plans to be at the meeting. Mike is co-chairman of next year's derby. You can email me if you want more information.

nolehacepat@yahoo.com or call in Cholla 382-5056

IMPORTANT

PLEASE READ ABOVE ARTICLE

SALE ???

I don't think there will be a craft sale this year but we may decide to have a white elephant sale. If so, you will set up your own table, take it down after the sale, and pay a fee of some sort for the table. The fee would go to the Cholla Charity Fund most likely. Check in Cholla Bay if you'd be interested in this project.

Cholla Bay Christmas Party

I can't believe the summer is over and it is time to think about the holidays!

Wow, where does the time go???

The Cholla Bay Christmas party for our Mexican neighbors who live in Cholla and their grandchildren will be held on Saturday, December 8th, at 11:00 a.m. at the clubhouse. Santa (Sal Otanez) will be there for pictures with the children. They will choose a gift to give to their mother, break piñatas, have a group singing for all, and have hot dogs and chips. After the party, Santa will deliver gifts for the children and food boxes for the family.

This party is a Christmas community "good will" occasion to wish our neighbors a Happy Holidays, as many of us do with our friends in the States. It is also a long time tradition and the Mexican people really look forward to it. This year we will not be giving roasts. Instead we will be giving the families tamale meat purchased in Rocky Point. I have learned they prefer this and it will be much simpler. So I am asking that you send money to buy this meat instead of bring down roasts. This will be easier for me and they will get what they want. Please make checks out to Cholla Bay Christmas Fund and mail them to Nancy Schmidli, 10645 W. Connecticut Ave., Sun City, Az. 85351. I am hoping to make the boxes more like food baskets. I will let you know at a later time what type of foods you can help with if that is what you prefer to do, but money is always welcome.

Of course some of you give special things every year, and I always appreciate this "special help".

I hope you all have had a great summer and I hope to see you all in "The Bay"
Nancy Schmidli

Cholla Charity Fund

Over the summer the Cholla Charity fund gave \$920 to help with medical expenses. We gave \$420 to Gringa, an employee of Cholla Café whose son had an accident and was in the hospital in Hemosilla for an extended time. He is home now but in need of much therapy. We also gave \$500 for Roberto Guitierrez who had to have a cancerous kidney removed. It's just so great that we could do this and give a little help to our neighbors in need. Now, of course, we need more money in the fund! If you would like to donate to this fund, please make checks payable to Cholla Charity fund and mail to Kathy Barnard, 1547 E. Royal Palm Rd., Phoenix, Az. 85020

We will be having a raffle over the Thanksgiving weekend. We have 2 prizes at this time. One is two nights free with the purchase of one night at Casa Monica B & B. The other, one night free with the purchase of one night at LaVoies' condo on Pelican Point. **We need more prizes.** If you would like to donate an item to be raffled, please do! You can contact me, Nancy Schmidli, at stuffienan@yahoo.net or call me at 623 444 7759 in Sun City or 382 5036 in Cholla. Remember, it's for a great cause!

Membership News

For 2007, we have 198 members. You may notice there is not a membership form in this chatter. Do not send in your membership for 2008. If no one wants to take over the offices of the club, then we may become an inactive club for 2008 and will have to determine later if we will collect dues



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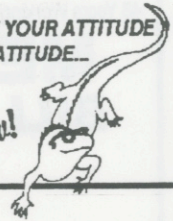
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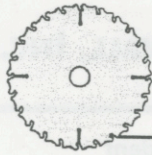


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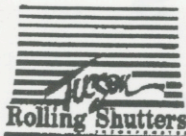
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