The Alano Club News September 1993

Let's Start With The Good News!~

Our Jazz Festival was a great and wonderful thing. The revenues from this event were \$1,021.50 We want to thank all of the people that contributed and to remind you how really important you are to our Clubs' future. Special thanks to the bands that gave their time to this event "Dream Fire" and "The Back To Back Blues Band". Many, Many thanks to Cora S., Kathy O., Cathy N., Nita W., Morris T., Milton B., Juan A., Barry P., Chuck H., Robert V., Carmine M., and Mike T. And of course those we forgot to mention......

These Fine Members Will Be Celebrating A Milestone:

Nick B.	9-1-90	David B.	9-22-85	Gil B.	9-24-78
Tamuye B.	9-1-87	Dante C.	9-15-89	Barbara C.	9-17-90
Maggie C.	9-7-90	Steve D.	9-6-89	Ellen E.	9-12-91
Carolann E.	9-28-91	Randy G.	9-21-87	Kathy G.	9-1-80
Thomas G.	9-7-82	Tony H.	9-2-91	Steve H.	9-30-84
Jill L.	9-2-87	Mac Mc.	9-25-73	Dolores O.	9-17-89
Yolanda P.	9-9-88	Joe P.	9-26-86 Mic	hael R.	9-22-90
Willie R.	9-26-83	Mike T.	9-25-92	Danny T.	9-15-92
Jim V.	9-18-91	Congratula	tions!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!	!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!	!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
Thomas G. Jill L. Yolanda P. Willie R.	9-7-82 9-2-87 9-9-88 9-26-83	Tony H. Mac Mc. Joe P. Mike T.	9-2-91 9-25-73 9-26-86 Mic 9-25-92	Steve H. Dolores O. hael R. Danny T.	9-30-8 9-17-8 9-22-90 9-15-9

In Memory Of Gail Vick

Gail was born in San Mateo in October of 1951. She joined our self help programs in June of 1987 and she served on our Board of Directors . Gail was a very good friend of the Club and the Program. Gail died at the age of 41 of AIDS related complications. We miss you.

A Membership Appreciation B.B.Q.

To be held Saturday, September 25th in our own back yard. It will be on us and it is just a way of saying thanks for your support, thanks for making it work. (Current Paid Members Only Please).

<u>Rye Humor</u>

One morning my friend met Robert Herrigan, an engaging inebriate. "Robert, why don't you cut out the booze?" he asked. "Well, Lou," Robert answered, "sometimes I do get to feelin' mighty mean, and my stomach goes back on me, and I decide to swear off. I go for two or three days without touchin' a drop, and then one morning I wake up, and the sky is blue and the birds are singin' and the sun is all bright and warm- and then, by God, Lou, I rally!

Some Things You May Not Know!

The Alano Club rents rooms to any 12 Step program. Downstairs and in the Back Room are \$10.00 per meeting. The main hall is \$15.00 per hour. On Friday nights, 12 Step Programs may rent the hall \$50., for a fundraising dance.

Lifetime Membership	\$1,000.
Yearly Membership	\$100.
Six Month Membership	\$50.
Monthly Membership	<i>\$10</i> .

Senior Membership, 62 years young, Half Price

You can find out when your dues are paid to by looking at the lists at the Club or on the address label on your Newsletter. Your dues make it all happen, so please understand how very important that is to our survival as a Club.

Good Grief The Grill

That's right...You heard it here. Our Grill is now staying open from 2 pm until we shut it down. So if your passion is for a British Burger and the time is 3:30, come on down.

Press Releases

A fair young graduate of the School of Journalism got a job as cub reporter on a Long Island daily. Her first story won the editor's approval, but he pointed our a few minor inaccuracies.

"Remember," he concluded, "it was Joseph Pulitizer, founder of the School of Journalism, who declared that accuracy is to a newspaper what virtue is to a woman."

"That in itself is not entirely accurate," said the girl triumphantly. "A newspaper can always print a retraction!"

Thanks For Making It Work!

By the time we went to press last month the Alano Club was in the red by \$11,599.47 for the year. As we go to press this month the Club is still in the Red. But, we have reduced the amount by about \$1,000. Much more important is the fact that we didn't lose any money for the month of August. We actually made some. Don't lose heart! Think of the situation of an Ocean Liner turning around in the ocean. It can't be done on a dime and it takes time and distance to turn things around. So please keep trying and tell a friend how important it is to have members to make this work.

Wife at breakfast table to grumpy husband: "Look on the bright side. In sixteen hours you'll be back in bed."