

# **The Alano Club Chronicle**

February 1994  
Happy Valentine Day  
1122 Fair Avenue

San Jose, Ca. 95122  
297-1878

**As John Kenneth Galbraith pointed out, "When faced with the choice between changing and proving there's no need to do so, most people get busy on the proof." The Alano Club has complied with the law and we no longer smoke in our restaurant! For those of you that have kept your membership in our Club inspite of that I would like to thank you!**

## **Milestones For The Month Of February:**

<b>Dorothy F. 2/1/79</b>	<b>Ben G. 2/1/90</b>	<b>Vince A. 2/3/92</b>	
<b>Barbara G 2/8/82</b>			
<b>Luther B. 2/9/90</b>	<b>Glenn G . 2/10/89</b>	<b>Tina A. 2/11/92</b>	<b>Frank B 2/11/75</b>
<b>Rita H. 2/14/85</b>	<b>Randy N. 2/14/93</b>	<b>Danny G. 2/15/90</b>	<b>Jerry V. 2/15/90</b>
<b>Terry C. 2/16/88</b>	<b>George P. 2/18/90</b>	<b>Ted G. 2/22/82</b>	<b>Phil M. 2/22/84</b>
<b>Dennis R. 2/22/91</b>	<b>Michael L. 2/22/91</b>	<b>Carl L. 2/23/91</b>	<b>Lisa W. 2/23/93</b>
<b>Cora S. 2/24/87</b>	<b>Kristine H. 2/25/93</b>	<b>Rodney R. 2/26/88</b>	<b>A-Stace R. 2/26/81</b>
<b>Joe O. 2/27/87</b>	<b>Mike A. 2/28/92</b>	<b>Peggy K. 2/28/60</b>	

## **Did You Know?**

**Starting January 1, 1994 we are offering a Bakers Dozen on a year's dues. That's right 13 months' dues for \$100. So for those of you that don't already know. One month dues =\$10, six months=\$50, a year=\$100(13months), and a Lifetime \$1,000. You can check where you stand in the dues situation by looking at the address label on your newsletter.**

**Senior Citizens (62 and older) Dues are \$5 per month, \$25 for six month, \$50 for a year and \$1,000 for a lifetime.**

**With all of your help we were able to show a profit for the month of December. Our membership climbed to 410 members and of that only 126 are delinquent. 275 are current and that is a big switch from our last report. So thanks, Thanks from all of us that need this place to continue.**

**"Life moves on, whether we act as cowards or heroes. Life has no other discipline to impose, if we would realize it, than to accept life unquestioningly. Everything we shut our eyes to, everything we run away from, everything we deny, denigrate or despise, serves to defeat us in the end. What seems nasty, painful, evil, can become a source of beauty, joy and strength, if faced with an open mind. Every moment is a golden one for him who has the vision to recognize it as such." Henry Miller**

**Many Thanks to all of those people who contributed to a Celebration of Culture and Achievement. I believe that we are all just a little bit better as a result of the event. Many thanks to the committee for a donation of \$285 to the Club for the event.**

**Opportunity is missed by most people because it is dressed in overalls and looks like work. Thomas Edison**

### **What Is It About This Guy?**

**Chris G. has been elected Member of The Month again by the Board of Directors. Its either this Chris or Chris L. It seems like your first name needs to be Chris to get any recognition around here. So if your name isn't Chris why don't you do something for the Club. Lets prove to these Chris's that we can do a little extra too! Just a suggestion.**

**At our Board Meeting the elections were held and this is the way it went. Cha-Cha W. President, Cora S. Vice President, Kathy O. Secretary Treasurer. How About That!**

**This above all: to thine own self be true, And it must follow, as the night the day, Thou canst not then be false to any man. Shakespeare**

### **Many Thanks To The Mid-Peninsula Alano Club**

**After Closing their former location because they just couldn't make the expenses ,they are once again starting the Club up again. As a result of their downsizing they gave us many chairs, tables, and some other equipment that they were not able to take to the new location. They should be opening the new Club about mid February. They could use a little support, they mentioned that some people kind of hang around the Club and Don't pay dues. The New Location is 107 Saratoga Sunnyvale Road. In Sunnyvale between Evelyn and Washington. Dues are \$15.00 per month and they can sure use some help to get started and pay the rent. Drop in and see Joe O. or Ellen E. or just about anybody that is working there at the time, and say Thank You for me please.**

**"Don't go around saying the world owes you a living; the world owes you nothing; it was here first." Mark Twain**

**Every human being on this earth is born with a tragedy, and it isn't original sin. He's born with the tragedy that he has to grow up. A lot of people don't have the courage to do it. Helen Hayes**

**Free At Last**

**East Palo Alto's Neighborhood Recovery Center:**

**Drop-In Center, Twelve Step Fellowship, Counseling Services, Group**

**Counseling, Life Skills Classes, Referral Program. Telephone (415) 462-6999**

**1946 University Ave. East Palo Alto**

**Aloha**