



South Bay Fun Club

February 2009

Beach Volleyball @ The Beach

Every Sunday at 9:30 AM

This is always lots of fun and exercise. The action takes place on the beach between Avenue G & H in Redondo Beach. Call Glenn at (310) 339-3221 for more information.

Sunday Lunch after Volleyball

Every Sunday at 12:30 PM

Come join the volleyball players for lunch at the Redondo Beach Brewing Company located at 1814 S. Catalina, Redondo Beach. (310) 316-8477. **Remember the 20% gratuity rule.**

Beach Walk + Happy Hour @ El Torito

Every Monday 6 - 8 PM

Walking is the perfect exercise. We meet at the Elks Lodge south parking lot which is at the intersection of Catalina and Esplanade at 6 PM. Walking is followed by Happy Hour at El Torito - 100 'G' Fisherman's Wharf, Redondo Beach. Margaritas are \$3.75 and appetizers are half-off. People who don't walk can go to El Torito around 7 PM and the walkers will join you there. Call Maureen (310) 318-5922 for more information. **Remember the 20% gratuity rule.**

Dance Lessons @ Elks

Every Monday at 6:30 PM

Join the South Bay Fun Club for dance lessons at Redondo Beach Elks located at 315 Esplanade, Redondo Beach. The cost is \$7 per lesson. Call Gigi for info at (310) 318-7945. The instructor is Jon Gatyas and the lesson lasts for 1 ½ hours.

Beginning Dance Lessons @ Elks

Every Thursday at 7 PM

Join the South Bay Fun Club for beginning dance lessons at Redondo Beach Elks located at 315 Esplanade, Redondo Beach. The cost is \$6 per lesson. Call Gigi for info at (310) 318-7945. Stay after the lesson to dance with the Band at Redondo Beach Elks.

Happy Hour @ Lazy Dog Cafe

Friday, February 6th 5 - 7 PM

Come and enjoy a relaxing break after the work week at the Lazy Dog Café for Happy Hour. They might do separate checks or at least by table. Location: On the West side of the Del Amo Mall in Torrance. Please call Paula Bernstein at (310) 541-2622 for info. No RSVP necessary. **Remember the 20% gratuity rule**

Dinner @ The Big Wok

Saturday, February, February 7th at 5 PM

The Fun Club is dining again at the Big Wok in Manhattan Beach. It is a delicious Mongolian Barbecue buffet with lots of food choices and they serve beer and wine. The restaurant is located at 250 N. Sepulveda and their number is (310) 798-1155. Please RSVP by Friday, February 6th to Peter or Nina Dabbieri at (310) 375-0903. Reservations are needed to help the restaurant arrange tables; it is a busy dining spot and they were very helpful and pleasant on our last visit there. **They will be giving one check to every two people and remember the 20% gratuity rule.**



Happy Hour @ The Daily Grill
Friday, February 13th at 5 PM

The Fun Club will be meeting for Happy Hour and socializing at the Daily Grill located at 2121 Rosecrans Ave., El Segundo. There is parking in back and they will validate parking for up to 3 hours after 5 PM – be sure to ask. Happy Hour drink prices are \$3.50 for beer and \$2 off any wine and appetizers are \$2.95. They do not take reservations but we will be there early to get tables. They will try to separate checks. Please call your host Paul Taggart at (310) 644-7379 if you have any questions. No RSVP necessary. **Remember the 20% gratuity rule**

Game Night with a Valentine Flair
Saturday, February 14th at 6:30 PM

Celebrate Valentine's Day with old and new friends. The evening is hosted by new member Beverly Clower in the Community Room at her condo. Bring your favorite board game or cards (some will be available). There's also a pool table for your enjoyment. Food will be catered by Paradise Cafe. Cost is \$15 per member and \$20 for non-member. **Space is limited, so please RSVP by February 12th to Beverly at (310) 320-3836 or Bevclower@sbcglobal.net.**

GAME NIGHT DIRECTIONS: Trade Winds condominiums, 2605 Sepulveda Blvd., Torrance. Turn at Park Del Amo (private driveway) at the Courtyard Marriott, just West of Crenshaw Blvd. After the turn, the Trade Winds building will be on your right. (3-story building, the number on Sepulveda is hard to spot!) Limited parking under the building for carpools only. Also can park at the Courtyard Marriott, toward the rear of that property. A member will greet you at the building entrance and guide you to the Community Room.

Champagne Brunch @ The Sizzler
Sunday, February 15th at 9:30 AM

Join your host, Susan Shaver, and your South Bay Fun Club Friends for a relaxing and appetizing Sunday Champagne Brunch at the Sizzler Restaurant located at 2880 Sepulveda Blvd., Torrance. Their phone number is (310) 539-1617. The cost is \$10.99 per adult plus tax, coffee and champagne are included and since you line up to order and pay, separate checks are a sure thing! **Please RSVP to your host Susan Shaver at H (310) 540-4687 or C (310) 892-1021** so she can give them a group count for a table big enough for all of us. Hope to see many of you there. **Remember the 20% gratuity rule**

Happy Hour @ Claim Jumper
Friday, February 20th 5 – 7 PM

Come and enjoy a relaxing break after the work week at the Claim Jumper for Happy Hour. The drinks are a \$1 off and appetizers range from \$3.75 to \$7.25. They will do separate checks or at least by table. Location: 24301 Crenshaw Blvd. at Lomita Blvd. in the Crossroads Shopping Center, Torrance. The phone number there is (310) 517-1874. Please call Paula Bernstein at (310) 541-2622 for info. No RSVP necessary. **Remember the 20% gratuity rule**

Ride the Rails to Pasadena for Lunch
at the World Famous "Hat" Restaurant
Saturday, February 21st at 9 AM

Ride the Rails to Pasadena (this is always lots of fun and you see sights of Southern California that you don't normally see) and then eat lunch at the Famous "Hat" Restaurant. The Hat are famous for their Pastrami Sandwiches and one order of onion rings is enough for 3-4 people so don't order too many. They also serve a variety of other sandwiches, burgers, hot dogs, chili, etc. Call Lou Cosley at (562) 708-4626 for additional info.

Ride the Rails - Directions: We'll meet at the Green Line Station at Marine Avenue at 10 AM. **RAIN WILL CANCEL!** You will need to buy an all day ticket (seniors get to ride for less, so check this out). We will take the Green Line train and change trains at Imperial/Wilmington station (aka Rosa Parks Station) to the Blue Line. Take that train North to metro Center Downtown and change trains again to the Red Line East riding 3 stops and then change trains again at Union Station to the Gold Line North (Pasadena). We will exit the Gold Line at Lake Street and walk two blocks North to Villa where the "Hat" Restaurant is located. On the return trip we can exit the Gold Line at Mission Station where a museum and shops are located for browsing.

Oscar Party
Sunday, February 22nd 3 – 10 PM

Join your host, Sharon, Cavin, for a fun evening guessing who will win the Oscars at her annual Oscar Party. There will be ballots for you to guess the winners and a prize for the most guessed correctly. This will be Potluck so bring a dish to share with 10 persons (chips/dip do not count). Cost is \$8 with a dish and \$15 without. Wine, sodas and coffee will be furnished. RSVP to Sharon Cavin at (310) 322-7769 before February 22nd and she will give you directions to her El Segundo home.

Planning Meeting
Thursday, February 26th 6 PM Dinner
6:30 PM Meeting

ALL MEMBERS WELCOME – The Planning Meeting for this month's meeting will be held at the Torrance Marie Calendar's Restaurant, located at the corner of Hawthorne Blvd. and Torrance in restaurant row. They have good food and drinks. **Remember the 20% gratuity rule.** Eat early so we can be ready to start the meeting at 6:30 PM. All SBFC members are welcome to attend whether you have an event to sponsor or not.

Dinner @ Silvio's Brazilian BBQ
Saturday, February February 28th at 5 PM

The beach and Pier Avenue should be less crowded in the winter, so let's enjoy a really nice dinner at Silvio's Brazilian BBQ Restaurant located at 20 Pier Ave., Hermosa Beach, Phone (310) 376-6855. Monique has assured us she will personally take care of us, and be sure we each receive separate checks. Dinner prices are from @\$15 and they have a meal for two for \$30. Wine starts at \$5, beer \$3. The restaurant is located on the same side of the street and just past The Lighthouse Café. **Please RSVP to your host,** Susan Shaver H (310) 540-4687 or C (310) 892-1021, since this is a smaller venue, they really need a head count. Silvio's is the same food that Susan served at her house party 2 years ago. See you there! **Remember the 20% gratuity rule.**

Future Events

St. Patrick's Day Parade
Saturday, March 14th

Jeanmarie has been hosting this event for several years and is looking for someone else to host it this year. We are too late to have a float but someone could still come forward and lead a group to watch the parade. The parade is always followed by lunch. Call Jeanmarie at (310) 293-1391 for info on what it takes to lead this event. We need the info for the March Newsletter by Feb. 15th. **2008 event below.**



Membership Update

New Members

Dan Hutchinson

Members who have renewed recently

Adrienne Ang, Al Halleen, Ann Vanness, Billy Hendrix, Jo Ann Truxton, Nancy Hendrix, Sam Stevens & Wes Abel.

Memberships Expiring This Month

Al Leal, Bertha Miyatovich, David Starr, Frank Paquette, Gail Boulanger, Gigi Winkler, Jeannie Berro, Judith Hirsch, Judy Wallack, Lawrence Isham, Lee Angel, Mary McIntyre, Nancy Sayer, Nora Holm, Robert Rombeau, Sandra Smith, Silvia Martinez-Campos & Valentina Robinson.



February Birthdays

Bette Ireson	3 rd	Michael Peters	7 th
Aurora Hanlon	11 th	Maryanne Ruffer	14 th
Adrienne Ang	15 th	Violet Bijelic	15 th
Nola Snider	22 nd	Eugene Edwards	24 th
Nancy Sayer	25 th	Sharon Taylor	25 th

Fun Club Members at Recent Events

Various Happy Hours



Hiking @ Trump Golf Course



Comments made in the year 1955! That's only 53 years ago!

'I'll tell you one thing, if things keep going the way they are, it's going to be impossible to buy a week's groceries for \$20.00.

'Have you seen the prices of the new cars coming out next year? It won't be long before \$2,000.00 will only buy a used one.

'If cigarettes keep going up in price, I'm going to quit. 25 cents a pack is ridiculous.

'Did you hear the post office is thinking about charging 10 cents just to mail a letter'?

'If they raise the minimum wage to \$1.00, nobody will be able to hire outside help at the store.'

'When I first started driving, who would have thought gas would someday cost 29 cents a gallon. Guess we'd be better off leaving the car in the garage.

'I'm afraid to send my kids to the movies any more. Ever since they let Clark Gable get by with saying DAMN in GONE WITH THE WIND, it seems every new movie has either HELL or DAMN in it.

'I read the other day where some scientist thinks it's possible to put a man on the moon by the end of the century. They even have some fellows they call astronauts preparing for it down in Texas ..

'Did you see where some baseball player just signed a contract for \$75,000 a year just to play ball? It wouldn't surprise me if someday they'll be making more than the President.

'I never thought I'd see the day all our kitchen appliances would be electric. They are even making electric typewriters now.

'It's too bad things are so tough nowadays. I see where a few married women are having to work to make ends meet.

'It won't be long before young couples are going to have to hire someone to watch their kids so they can both work.

'I'm afraid the Volkswagen car is going to open the door to a whole lot of foreign business.

'Thank goodness I won't live to see the day when the Government takes half our income in taxes. I sometimes wonder if we are electing the best people to government.

'The drive-in restaurant is convenient in nice weather, but I seriously doubt they will ever catch on.

'There is no sense going on short trips anymore for a weekend, it costs nearly \$15.00 a night to stay in a hotel.

'No one can afford to be sick anymore, at \$35.00 a day in the hospital, it's too rich for my blood.'

'If they think I'll pay 50 cents for a hair cut, forget it.'

Financial Doom & Gloom is not new!

SBFC CLASSIFIED ADS/NETWORKING

Service	Phone	Member
Basket Case of South Bay Specialty Baskets for all occasions	310-538-0675	Sue Myers
European Estheticlas for Men & Women Facials, Acne Treatments, Body Waxing, Eyebrow Arching, Lash & Brow Tinting Discount for SBFC Members	310-318-7945	Gigi Winkler
Home Improvements & Services	310-891-1849	Chuck Gant
Mobile Notary Public	310-643-9664	Ann Jones
Notary Public – Will Travel	310-892-1021	Susan Shaver
RE/MAX Execs Redondo Beach Competent, Conscientious and Caring Real Estate Services – Virginia@virginawest.com	310-686-4903	Virginia West
State Farm Insurance 4010 Palos Verdes Dr. North, Suite 103, Rolling Hills Estates	310-377-9531	Susan Shaver
Tennis Adult & Youth Tennis Private Lessons And 8 Week Clinics - USPTA Developmental Tennis Coach Love10s4life@aol.com	310-792-1913	Susa7n Renick
Time Share in Cancun Mexico for Rent 1 week at the Mayan Palace Resort, Playa Del Carmen Master Room sleeps 2 adults, floating week available & many dates during the year \$700, 20% off golf.	310-540-4687	Susan Shaver
Wienerschnitzel Restaurant 230 North Gaffey, San Pedro	310-831-4486	Esther Beard

Volunteers:

Position	Volunteer	Email Address	Phone Number
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SBFC Membership Application

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South Bay Fun Club for Singles SouthBayFunClub.com email: southbayfunclub@roadrunner.com. Please send this form with your check for \$35 payable to **SBFC** to: 217 PALOS VERDES BLVD #250 REDONDO BEACH, CA 90277

Name _____ Nickname _____ Email _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone (H) (_____) _____ (W) (_____) _____ (Cell) (_____) _____

Occupation _____ Birthday – Month & Day Only _____

Please indicate: New Member _____ Renewing Member _____ Rejoining Member _____ (membership had lapsed)

The Club publishes a roster for use by Planning Committee Members/Officers. All names, addresses/phones are included for functional purposes. If a roster is published for use by all members, please check your preference for release of your information:

No Phone _____ **No Address** _____ **No Email** _____

South Bay Fun Club activities are planned, coordinated and run entirely by volunteers. In order to continue to provide exciting and enjoyable events for everyone, we need your help. Please check below the ways in which you prefer to help.

Coordinating: <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Activities <input type="checkbox"/> Parties <input type="checkbox"/> Trips/Camping <input type="checkbox"/> Dinner/Happy Hours <input type="checkbox"/> Special Events <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	Hospitality: <input type="checkbox"/> Greeter/Door Duty <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone Committee <input type="checkbox"/> Food Prep/Cooking <input type="checkbox"/> Cleanup <input type="checkbox"/> Use of your home <input type="checkbox"/> Party/dances decorating	General Club Business: <input type="checkbox"/> Treasurer / Membership Database <input type="checkbox"/> PR/Newspaper articles <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter typing <input type="checkbox"/> Secretary <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter Assembly/Mailing <input type="checkbox"/> Web Site maintenance
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