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NGAA WEST LUNCHEON WEDNESDAY

December 12, 2012

Entertainment

Swing St. Louis

LUNCHEON SCHEDULE

Cocktails 11:30 am Lunch 12:00 pm

Holiday Inn (Viking) Banquet Center, 10709 Watson Road

(314)-821-6600

Price: **$18.00** per person

MENU: your choice of either:

Roast Pork Loin Sliced and topped with a Dijon rosemary sauce served with oven browned potatoes
Baked Butter Crumb Fish Fresh mild Alaskan Pollack filet baked with our herbed breadcrumb topping and served with baby red potatoes.

Dinner selections are served with Viking House Salad, Fresh Seasonal Vegetables, rolls, butter, water, coffee or iced tea, and German chocolate cake for dessert

- - - - - - - Print this page - - - - - - - **December 12, 2012** Luncheon Reservation Form

Entrée Choice (Select one per Attendee)	**Fish**	**Pork**
Member name: _____	____	____
Spouse name: _____	____	____
Guest name: _____	____	____

CHECK Number: _____

Please mail to arrive by December 6, 2012

MAIL TO:
NGAA West
P.O. Box 510091
St. Louis MO 63151-0091

☐ CHECK THIS BOX IF YOU WANT A REMINDER CALL ON TUESDAY Dec 11, 2012

SEPTEMBER 2012 LUNCHEON NEWS

Russ Wall has provided a photo of all the attendees for your information. Kent Kenniston provided this note. "The entertainment from our September NGAA-West Luncheon held at the Viking was the group of Energetic Beautiful Ladies, known as the St. Louis Strutter's (www.StLStrutters.com). They have been strutting their stuff for over twenty years. Their current ages are 54 to 78 and are grandparent of over 65 grandchildren. They have performed across the US and the St. Louis Muny Opera. They added fifteen minutes to their scheduled time since they could see that our retiree's really enjoyed their performance."

Bob Eddy indicated that the 50/50 Winners were: Casey Szpak, Gordon Barnes, Libby Lanning, Gene Sylvester (2), Ken Whitfield (2), Clyde Creel, and Dan Fergus.

DECEMBER 2012 LUNCHEON PLAN

Our entertainment this year for Christmas Luncheon at the Viking is ***"Swing St. Louis".*** *This is a two sister act that has been performing since 1997 when they were 12 year's old under name "Broadway on the Driveway" at that time. These outstanding young ladies have delighted audiences of all ages with tight harmonies, tap dancing, classic retro costuming and timeless hits from Big Band Era and Broadway under the name of "SWING ST. LOUIS"!*

If you like, check out their website ***at***

http://www.swingstlouis.com

NGA PATHFINDER PUBLICATION

NGAA-West members have the opportunity to submit articles for future publication in the NGA Pathfinder magazine. Members will receive an email notification from NGAA-W identifying a subject theme for the submitted article. A date will be stated when the article needs to be received by NGAA-W. The following guidelines apply for all submissions:
"The desired article length is 150 words; a general article can be longer but should not exceed one Pathfinder page (approx. 600 words). If at all possible, all submissions should be accompanied by a photo or artwork and should include quotes -- either from persons or documents. The article should be in Word format, text only. Photographs need captions and credits. Also, each image submitted must be a separate .jpg file with a minimum 300 dpi for a 4x6 inch image."

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' NEWS

NGAA-WEST CHAPTER PRESIDENT'S REPORT

2012 IN REVIEW

The culmination of hard work by our Board members along with our partners in the East came to fruition a year ago with NGA's approval of the new NGA Alumni Association (NGAA) Constitution. The NGAA Board of Directors which includes two members from each Chapter (Jim Boyd and Bob Edwards-West Chapter) has been very busy this past year. A number of cooperative endeavors between NGAA-West and East have resulted. Both Chapters are now participating in the NGA Hall of Fame Awards Nomination process and the annual NGAA Excellence Award presented to a NGA-East and West employee.

Also each Chapter will now give a short brief on NGAA membership at all NGA Pre-Retirement Seminars.

Needless to say it has been a very busy but productive year as we complete our first year as NGAA-West. Stay tuned for more good things to follow!

Once again we thank Larry Knopfel and his golf committee for their dedication and hard work in putting together another fantastic golf schedule.

I would like to give a heartfelt thanks to all contributors to our quarterly Newsletter and to Bob Eddy for his steadfast handling of our luncheons to ensure we always have food and meeting space available!

On behalf of the entire NGAA-West Board -- Have a Wonderful Christmas and New Year!

BOB MEINHARDT

NGAA EXCELLENCE AWARD WEST

Diane L. Berg Receives NGAA Excellence Award

Diane L. Berg has been selected to receive the first NGAA Excellence Award given by the NGAA-West Board. The award is presented to an individual nominated by NGA who has been judged as having accomplished the most within the individual's sphere of influence to achieve the objectives of the NGA mission as well as community involvement outside of the individual's professional activities. Diane receives the award in recognition of her exemplary management and oversight of the Purchase Card Program throughout NGA and her Commendable Community Service.

The members of the Board would like to congratulate Diane on her accomplishments and high esteem regarded by NGA.

NGAA West Membership Directory

The current Directory of members is available at http://www.ngaawest.org/webform/list_members_pw.php4. The Directory is **for members only**. Contact Jim Hilterbrand at jim.hilterbrand@gmail.com for the password.

2012 Board Members

Bob Edwards	Board Chairperson	314-293-0481
Jim Boyd	Senior Advisor	314-846-1066
Bob Meinhardt	President	314-638-4555
Kent Kenniston	Exec Vice-President	314-894-2430
Bob Eddy	Treasurer	636-296-8831
Pat Wiese	Secretary	
Jimmie Hilterbrand	Vice-President Membership	
Pat Wiese	Hospitality Chairperson	
Larry Knopfel	Golf Committee Chairperson	
Marilyn Chryst	Member-at-Large	
Bob Bentrup	Mailing Committee Chair	
Jerry Lenczowski	VP Communications	
NGAA Newsletter Email	aerochart@sbcglobal.net	
Robert Pankey	NGAA-West (ACS) webmaster	

NGAA Treasurer's Report

REPORT DATE: 10/31/2012

REPORT PERIOD: 01/01/2012 to 10/31//2012

TOTAL RECEIPTS:	$ 5,775.87
ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES	840.00
LIFE MEMBERSHIP DUES	700.00
LUNCHEON TICKETS	2,718.50
50/50 TICKETS	150.00
INTEREST RECEIVED AND ACCRUED	37.37
ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP (GOLF) DUES	1,000.00
NGAA RECEIPTS	200.00
MISC. INCOME	100.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS:	$4,929.65
LUNCHEON SITE – MEALS	3,444.78
DIRECT PAY OPERATING EXPENSE	333.59
POST OFFICE	2.76
TABLE PRIZES	164.79
PROGRAM – ENTERTAINMENT	450.00
GOLF LEAGUE EXPENSES	333.73
FUNDS TO NGAA	100.00
MISC. EXPENSES	100.00
TOTAL MONIES AVAILABLE	$ 13,844.42
NON-ALLOCATED MONIES AVAILABLE	$ 8,877.10
MONIES IN ALLOCATED FUNDS	$ 4,967.32

Please refer any questions to Mr. Bob Eddy at roblucedd@sbcglobal.net or (636) 296-8831

NGAA-West Board Policy

Refund of Reservation Payment

The NGAA-West continues the former ACS policy:

"All luncheon reservation requests are recorded as they are received. On the Thursday prior to a luncheon the number of meals by type is provided to the Holiday Inn. On the Monday prior to the luncheon the Holiday Inn is again called with the final number of each selection and with the total number of attendees. NGAA-West is then committed to these numbers and must pay for the number of meals reserved. Refunds or luncheon vouchers are ONLY issued to those individuals who call in a cancellation at (636) 296-8831 prior to the Monday preceding the luncheon. Therefore, there will be no refund or luncheon voucher issued for an individual who does not attend the luncheon without that prior notification."

As an example, **for the December 12, 2012 luncheon call (636) 296-8831** before December 10, 2012, if you must cancel.

Request for Health Status Information

If you are aware of any former co-worker or his/her family member that is ill, in the hospital, or has passed away, please call or email the ACS Board so that we can inform your fellow members.

Welcome to New Members

Our Membership Chair introduces one new member. We encourage his attendance at the September luncheon.

Donald Bratcher

Updated Member Information

Marilyn K. Chryst

Louis B. Decker

Jean W. Myers, Jr.

Penny Chesnut

REST IN PEACE

The NGAA-West members extend our sincerest condolences to their loved ones and friends. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers.

Finney, Earl G., Jr.	15 Aug 2012
Evelyn Spaulding,	28 Aug 2012
Donald E. Wagoner	2 Sep 2012
Tom Christoffel	30 Sep 2012
Antonio Valenti	3 Oct 2012

SICK MEMBERS / FORMER CO-WORKERS

Tony Caiazzo	Jim Stayton
Carol Stamer	Felix Martin
Darryl Crumpton	Hank Bauer
Charles Doolin	Norma Doolin
Claudio Salinas	Addie Riordan
Thomas Seppelin	Paul Gegg
Richard Dierkes	Beverly
Schmidt George Cline	Bill Volk
Ron Foster	Bill Reeb
Viola (Vi) Niederschmidt	Dick Dierkes
Herman Westrich	

Stay in touch with these individuals. They appreciate your thoughtfulness.

NGAA WEST SPORTS

BOWLING NEWS

ARSENAL MIXED LEAGUE

SUNSET LANES

By Pat Wiese

The Arsenal Mixed-League returned on September 5, 2012 to its second season of bowling on Wednesday's at 4:00 p.m. at Sunset Lanes. The Arsenal Mixed League lost one of its longtime members on Sep 30, 2012. Tom Christoffel bowled in the league for many years and after he could not bowl anymore, he was always there (except when a fishing trip took priority) rooting on his team - Rollercoasters. Tom suffered a stroke in August and passed away in September. The league extends its condolences to his family. At the first position round, the Purple Turkeys composed of Sharon Hefner, Marianne Norrenberns, Diana Harwell, George Manders, and Larry Henning are in the lead with a 66% winning record. They are closely followed by the Rollercoasters composed of Ruth Walters, Janis Schneider, Ernie South, and Denny Dummeyer. If you are still working at NGA, or of NGA legacy, and are interested in joining the league or know of someone that would like to bowl at that time, please contact Pat Wiese, 314-385-7845.

THURSDAY INVITATIONAL LEAGUE

SUNSET LANES

By Doug Nolte

The men's Thursday Invitational Bowling league, comprised of present and former ACIC/DMAAC/NIMA/NGA personnel, along with a smattering of friends, began another season on 6 September at Sunset Lanes on Watson Road. The 4:00PM start time gives most current employees plenty of time to make it to the lanes in time to roll their first ball. This year we have 11 teams, but in order to accommodate a reasonable schedule of an even number of teams we create a "blind" team that each team will bowl during the course of the season. This means we have to bowl against our averages instead of an actual adversary. Ironically and frustratingly, sometimes this no name adversary actually wins.

Sadly this season we have lost one of our mainstay teams and unfortunately one of the pioneers of the league; the Pacesetters have dropped from our ranks and among the members of that team was one Don Granberry. This octogenarian would consistently average in the 190-200 range and always give fits to the rest of the league. For some reason he could not muster a team for this season, but rest assured he and his crew will be missed. Whatever you are doing now Don, give it your all, as you always did on the lanes.

Thus far two highlights for the season have already manifested themselves. Right out of the box one of our bowlers, Wayne Ludwig, distinguished himself by rolling an astounding 835 series, which included a 300 game. During the process it is believed he had only 3 spares to convert out of 36 frames of bowling – unbelievable. Congratulations to Mr. Ludwig. The second highlight is the hard to fathom fact that the team in the lead as we go to press is none other than the "Old Style" team of keglers led by the venerable Harry Lemakis. He's aided by another veteran, Jack Harmon, and the relative youngster Tom Berra. In addition to them Harry always manages to bring in a ringer of some sort, so this year, along with some trickery managed by mirrors no doubt, Harry and his crew are lavishing in first place. Geriatric power, right Harry!!

If you feel a desire to reacquaint yourself with some names you might recognize please feel free to stop by Sunset Lanes on any Thursday between now and April at 4 in the afternoon. We encourage anyone still working at NGA, or of NGA legacy to find out more about joining in the fun.

NGAA-WEST GOLF NEWS 2012

Submitted by Larry Knopfel

The golf group finished the 2012 season on October 4, 2012 at the beautiful Missouri Bluffs Golf Club. The day was picture perfect as 123 players tried their best to finish the season on top. After the group finished with golf all were treated to a great lunch in the clubs second floor banquet room. The grand prize of the day, a Walters Golf Management Extravaganza Outing Package (rounds of golf for four at several area courses), was won by Earl Phillips. Cash prizes to several of the group closed out the outing for the day. Results from all of the outings this year are posted on the NGAA-West Web Site, www.ngaawest.org , by clicking on the golf link. The golf committee thanks Bob Pankey for managing that effort. We averaged over 100 golfers per outing this year and did not experience a single rainout however, we had several "warm" outing's. The golf committee has already met to discuss our plans for the 2013 season and will announce next year's schedule in a future newsletter. All NGAA-West members are encouraged to join the group and experience the Thursday golf outing events, contact any golf committee member for more information.

Ed de la Pena (314) 846-6925	Jack Eckhard (636) 394-4315
Bob Eddy (636) 296-8831	Larry Knopfel (636) 561-2280
Ron Muse (314) 306-6930	Doug Nolte (636) 391-7266
Randy Pratt (314) 607-9151	Dennis Terhaar (314) 487-5209

NGAA-WEST MEMBER GROUP NEWS

REQUEST FOR NEW GROUP REPORTS

The NGAA-West Board extends a welcome to all the NGA and its predecessor organization employee and retiree groups. We are aware of and have identified some additional groups on the NGAA West web site (www.ngaawest.org) such as Topo, Computers, and Old Techies. We solicit and welcome identification and input from these and other, unknown to us, groups to communicate event dates and latest information to the broad NGAA-West community. Thank you in advance.

NEGATIVE ENGRAVERS LUNCHEON

Submitted by Rich Egan

This group currently meets the 2nd Thursday of each month at 12:30 PM at El Maguey restaurant in Concord Plaza, St. Louis County MO. Any retired employee of NGA or NGA legacy is invited to join this small group over tamales, burritos, enchiladas, beans and rice. Dos Equis and Margaritas are also available. Regular

NEGATIVE ENGRAVERS LUNCHEON

attendees include John Carty, Don Lippold, Harry Raymond, Rich Egan, Harry Lemakis, and Kent Kenniston with others appearing periodically.
Come join them when they meet on December 13, 2012, January 10, February 14, and March 14, 2013.

DUFFY'S INFORMAL LUNCHEONS (DILS)

Open Invitation

By Pat Wiese

Former NGA and NGA legacy employees meet for an informal luncheon at Duffy's 124 W Jefferson Ave. #104, Kirkwood, MO on the first Wednesday of every month at 11AM. The official treasurer of the group has been Tony Valenti. Ironically, Tony passed away on Oct 3, 2012 (the first Wed. of the month) in Texas where he went to live with his sister.
Come join them when they meet on December 5, 2012, January 2, February 6, and March 6, 2013.

POINTS REPORT

By Bob Eddy

The Points Group meets the 1st Wednesday of each month at the Hometown Buffet, located on South Lindbergh at 11 AM.

Fourteen individuals attended the September luncheon. They were, Dave Alspaugh, Sam Brewer, Charlie Castro, Bob Eddy, Jim Hilterbrand, Jim Huettenmeyer, Jim Johnson, Don Neubacher, Jim Raby, Larry Rambo, Ed Schaaf, Gene Sylvester, Danny Wells, and Jim Wynn.

Thirteen individuals attended the October luncheon. The attendees were, Charlie Bird, Sam Brewer, Bob Eddy, Jim Hilterbrand, Don Neubacher, Kevin Perry, Larry Rambo, Pat Reed, Ed Schaaf, Gene Sylvester, Danny Wells, Dale Winters and Jim Wynn .

There were thirteen attendees at the November luncheon. They were, Charlie Bird, Sam Brewer, Bob Eddy, Vern Edelmann, Jim Johnson, Don Neubacher, John Novak, Kevin Perry, Gene Sylvester, Dennis Terhaar, Danny Wells, Dale Winters and Jim Wynn.

Several of the attendees never worked in Points, so the group is not restricted to Points people but for retired DMAAC/NIMA/NGA employees who want to enjoy the camaraderie of the group.
The future meetings are scheduled for 5 December, January 2, February 6 and March 6 at the Hometown Buffet on South Lindbergh at 11 AM.
Bob Eddy

PHOTO BREAKFAST CLUB

By Gene Niederschmidt

All attending our September 24, 2012 Breakfast Club meeting appeared to be happy and in a jovial mood. Just after our Breakfast, Frank Aufmuth called and said Jim Staton wanted to talk to me about Federal Employees Group Life Insurance (FEGLI). I called Jim and passed on the phone number he asked for. For your information, Jim's wife is in St. Alexius Hospital. I called Dick Dirkes today. As you know Dick was been fighting his cancer problem for quite some time. I told Dick all of his DMA friends wish him well and pray for his recovery. Good luck Dick and the best to you and your family.
Area telephone codes sill give me problems. I added a 636 to Bill Reeb's phone number and I finally got through to Mary Reeb. Bill will take his third chemo hit on Friday October 19th. He said things are going as well as can be expected. Bill said he will come to a Breakfast as soon things turn for the better. Bill, please take care and good luck to you and your family. See you soon. I plan to make a new photo retiree data base. If and when you make a change please let me know. About five months ago I moved into a retirement community. I thought I had sent my new address to everyone but some say "not so". So once again the Niederschmidt's are at:
12501 Village Circle Drive
Apt. 516
Sunset Hills, MO 63127
Email gene1927@sbcglobal.net
Phone 314-270-7516

I have reserved Gingham's meeting room for our last 2012 meeting on November 26 since we will skip December. Our tentative 2013 meeting schedule is January 28, February25 and March 25. Mark your calendars.
Gene N

CHART RESEARCHERS ST. RAYMOND'S LUNCHEON

Harold Howard

Some of you old-timers from the Chart Research Division may remember that a group has been meeting for lunch at 1100 at St. Raymond's on the first Wednesday of even numbered months. The Lebanese food is still the same as it was 30 years ago so come on down and surprise us with your presence. The next meetings will be at 1100 on December 5, 2012, February 6, and April 3, 2013.

COMPUTER REUNION

Pat Reed via Jimmy Boyd

Pat Reed provided the wide screen photo of the attendees to the 2012 Computer Reunion that is on page 11. Pat indicated that those coming the farthest to attend were the Wallaces from the Washington D.C. metro area and Daryl Berg from Baton Rouge, LA. Don Edgar also attended but arrived too late for the group picture. Others attending from closer to Saint Louis were Dave Alspaugh, Roy Barnette, Frank Benedix, Rose Bird, Holmes Boroughf, Jim Boyd, Grace Boyd, Jack Brueggeman, Bob Coambes, Paul Estes, Dave Fahy, Janet Godwin, Steve Godwin, Larry Henning, Terri Higgins, Bob Jager, John Lefman, George Manders, Connie Meyer, Tom Mullins, Bob Pankey, Joe Pfeifer, Carol Reed, Pat Reed, Lew Rosenbaum, Eileen Sinnwell, Ron Stacy, Ken Swehla, and Phil Von Feldt,.

SAINT LOUIS REGION ASPRS NEWS

THE IMAGERY & GEOSPATIAL INFORMATION SOCIETY

The current slate of officers is:

President	Bradley Rundquist, U of North Dakota
Vice President	Gregory Brunner, Esri
Past President	Steve Wallach, GeoEye
National Director	David Kreighbaum, NGA
Secretary/Treasurer	Kathleen Strebeck, NGA
Director	Thomas Haake, NGA
Director	Tim Donze, Surdex
Director	Casey Burkemper, NGA
Director	Melissa Glauber, Boeing
Director	Jerome Lenczowski
Director	Joshua McNary, Aerial Services, Inc.
Membership Chair	Ming-Chih Hung, NWMSU
President, Upper Midwest Chapter	Paul Harwig
VP, Upper Midwest Chapter	Ramanathan Sugumaran, U of Iowa

COLLABORATION WITH MISSOURI-GIS GROUP

The Saint Louis Region is collaborating in the planning for the MO-GIS's Conference scheduled for February 19 – 21, 2013 at the Doubletree Hotel, Chesterfield, MO. Current information can be found at http://www.mogis2013.org.

K-12 INITIATIVE

The Saint Louis Region, ASPRS has historically supported K-12 projects in ASPRS related sciences through its participation in judging K-12 science fair projects in St. Louis, Kansas City, and North Dakota. The Region recently became aware of an Esri K-12 program that provides statewide free GIS software. Related Esri links are http://www.esri.com/news/releases/12-1qtr/esri-announces-major-upgrade-to-educational-site-license-program.html and

K-12 Initiative

http://www.arcgis.com/home/item.html?id=3fd50b2faaa9461699c405490dd1c7a4

The software is available to the home schooled, individual teachers, and schools through applications made to the states' GIS coordinator. Missouri, Iowa, South Dakota, and North Dakota have this enterprise license in place while Illinois and Nebraska are in process. The St. Louis Academy of Science was provided the information to pass to all schools that participate in the St. Louis Science Fair. The Region's objective is to be a proactive supporter of this offer to introduce geography and social science students to the ASPRS technical underpinnings. As with any program, there is a need for a reach out cadre to inform, instruct, and mentor. If you are interested in more information or participating in this effort, please contact Jerry Lenczowski.

Geodetic Survey Squadron/Geodetic Survey Group Veteran Fourth Triennial Reunion Report

Excerpts from the report:

Reunion Summary

The turnout for this reunion was just slightly lighter than previous reunions, but it was, nonetheless, a highly enthusiastic group. We ended up with 101 attendees, including six additional folks who arrived without prior reservations and paid at the door. Not everyone attended all three events.

Here's the final tally on attendance:

Total attending: 101
Friday social: 82
Saturday lunch: 89
Sunday brunch: 84

The real hit of the reunion was a new event--- **Anita Rakestraw's** Wine and Cheese Social in the Rawhide Hospitality Suite on Saturday evening. Anita, with the able assistance of her husband Mike, went over the top providing several cases of wine and a splendid variety of cheeses. Others also pitched in with additional snacks and alternative drinks. As the glasses filled and refilled, the voluble din of jovial merry-making grew increasingly louder. All attendees had a great time.

Displays

Several veterans brought in displays to share with the group.

Hank Miller, (Logistics Chief, 1981-89), brought in a display board mounted with orders, organization charts and photos providing a snapshot in time of GSS people and missions during the 1980s.

Obie Chambers, (Field Survey, 1961-64), brought in a photo and inspiring article written by the first 1381st commander, **Lt Col Harry Peterson**, in which he charged his troops with the importance of the missions that they and the new Squadron were about to carry out.

Brenda Schilinski, (Survey, 1975-80), added to the display with a fragile plaster plaque depicting the emblem of the original DMA Topographic Center *before* it became the Hydrographic/Topographic Center. That means the seal is 38-40 years old and miraculously survived its several journeys cross country, even though made of plaster! (She must have stuffed it in husband Paul's carry-on baggage!) The Squadron later became part of DMAHTC.

Theme for 2015 Reunion

By pure happenstance, the 2015 reunion coincides with the 50th anniversary of the 1965 move of the GSS Headquarters from Orlando AFB, FL, to F.E. Warren AFB, Wyoming. That suggests an organizing theme for the next reunion and a special occasion to honor all the surviving early members of the 1381st. We now have three co-chairs for the 2015 reunion: **Anita Rakestraw, Merilou Miller** and **Liz Starr**, each a civilian veteran of the GSS/GSG.

Photomapper Coins

GSS veterans who served in the Squadron between July 1959 and July 1972, while it was still an all-Air Force unit under the 1370th Photomapping Group (later, Wing), may want to order one or more Photomapper coins or increase the number you already ordered. If so, please let Gordon know at **glbjlb@charter.net** as soon as possible. Check out **www.1370th.org/coin.html** to see color images of the Photomapper coin and Gordon's story about its history and design.

Check out the website http://www.1381st-gss.freeservers.com/.

***If you don't see your name in The List, it's because* you haven't sent us your contact information yet!**

Looking forward to seeing you all in 2015!

Garrett

This is Your Newsletter

Send your write-up on personal, family, friends, vacation, or employment remembrances to:

Jerry Lenczowski
9083 Whitehaven Dr.
St. Louis, MO 63123
or e-mail it to aerochart@sbcglobal.net

Your write-up(s) are due by February 1, 2013 for the next issue. Thanks for your support of NGAA-West.

NGAA-WEST EVENTS CALENDAR

2012 LUNCHEON MEETINGS
Holiday Inn (Viking) Restaurant
Watson Road and Lindbergh Blvd
Wednesday at 11:30 A.M.
12 December 2012
2013 dates are TBR

MIXED BOWLING LEAGUE
4 PM Wednesday at Sunset Lanes
Sep 5 2012to Apr 2013

MEN'S INVITATIONAL BOWLING LEAGUE
4 PM Thursdays at Sunset Lanes
Sep 6, 2012 to Apr, 2013

PHOTO BREAKFAST CLUB
at Ginghams
Meet at 9:30 AM
November 26 and skip December, 2012
January 28, February25 and March 25, 2013

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DUFFY'S INFORMAL LUNCHEONS (DILS)
at Duffy's in Kirkwood
and
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Both meet at 11AM
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CHART RESEARCHERS
at St. Raymond's Luncheon
Meet at 11 AM
December 5, 2012
February 6, and April 3, 2013

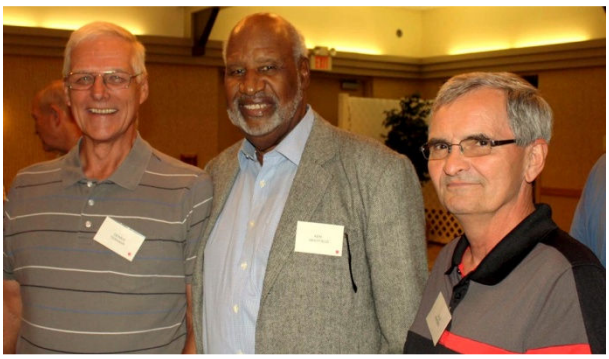
NEGATIVE ENGRAVERS LUNCHEON
El Maguey restaurant in Concord Plaza
Meet at 12:30 PM
December 13, 2012
January 10, February 14, and March 14, 2013

SEPTEMBER 2012 LUNCHEON PHOTOGRAPHS

Rod Stecher Bill Riordan Larry Knopfel

Bob Eddy Kent Kenniston

Nick Decker Mary Decker B. Louis Decker



Dennis Terhaar Ken Whitfield Dale Winters

SEPTEMBER 2012 LUNCHEON PHOTOGRAPHS

Gene Sylvester Russ Wall

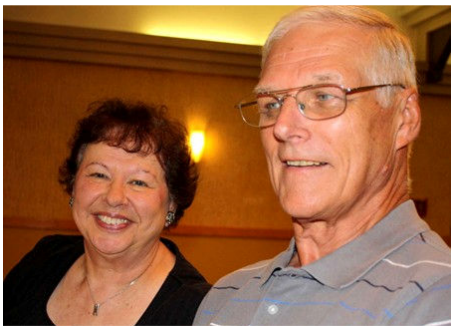
Libby and Marilyn Lanning

Clyde and Verna Creel

Marilyn and John Chelonis

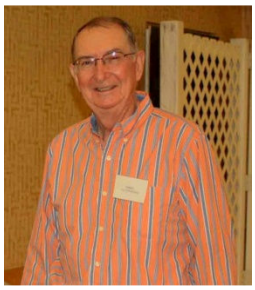
Judy and Gordon Barnes

Ken and Jean Whitfield

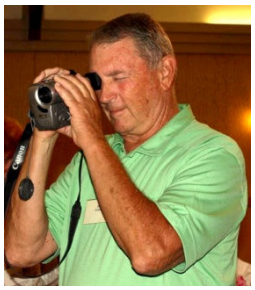


Marjorie and Dennis Terhaar

Harold and Eileen Howard



Jim Hilterbrand



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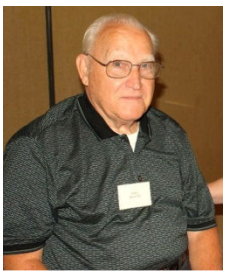

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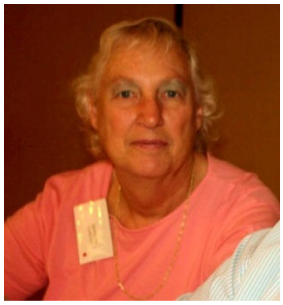

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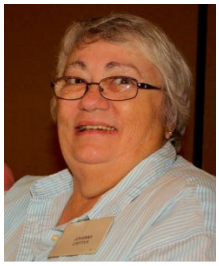

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