

D K C NEWSLETTER

Next meeting - CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 15, 1980

6:30 - Bar will be open - BYOL

7:00 - Dinner

MENU:

Baked Cornish hen and stuffing  
Williamsburg sweet potato bake  
Broccoli with Hollandaise sauce  
Congealed cranberry salad  
Roll - butter  
Pumpkin ice cream dessert  
Coffee

Cost: \$3.00 per person. Wine will be available at 50¢ per serving for those who wish it.

NOTE: If you cannot eat an entire Cornish hen, please bring your own doggie (people!) bag.

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED. Reservations must be made no later than December 10. You may call Carolyn Bowers (732-8008 - Hillsborough) any time between 9:00 a.m. and midnight, any day of the week. Jane Anderson will also take reservations: 471-3522 - Durham.

Gift exchange: Please bring a doggie gift for a gift exchange - \$3.00 limit. Jeanne Simmons has suggested a fun way of deciding who gets what!

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LAST YEAR'S TROPHIES ARE NEEDED. Jeanne Smith, our Awards Chairman, has asked that all those who won rotating trophies last year bring them to the Christmas Party. If that is not possible, please get them to her as soon as you can, since she needs to prepare them for this year's Awards Night.

YARD SALE AND AUCTION BRING IN CASH: Two fund-raising events recently brought in over \$100 each. The DKC yard sale was held on November 1 in Carrboro, netting \$118.69. Mike and Cindy Luster are to be thanked for their leadership in this, and several other members also helped. And the program for the November meeting was an auction of doggie items, under the able leadership of John Anderson as auctioneer. \$101.15 was collected.

1981 DUES: In the November Newsletter we reminded you that 1981 dues should be paid by the first of the year. If you haven't already sent your money to Faith Gehweiler, please do so now in order to save the time and expense of a separate billing.

MEMBERSHIP:

Announced for Associate Membership, to be voted on at the next meeting:

Barbara Boyd  
2612 Joyner Road  
Durham, NC 27704

Maria & Lewis Walker  
Rt. 1, 130 Wilkins Dr.  
Lot 16C  
Durham, NC 27705

Keith Price  
Rt. 2, Box 511  
Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Approved as an Associate Member: Mike Clayton.

Approved as full members: Carolyn Bowers; George & Laverne Clayton;  
Homai McDowell; John Anderson; and Drexel & Roberta Matthews.

Also, please add the following member to your mailing list:

Helen D. Wagner

Rt. 2, Box 152

Rougemont, NC 27572 (Tel: 732-2989 - Hillsborough)

ACTIONS OF THE BOARD: The Board met on Monday evening, December 1. The following actions were taken:

It was decided that \$10,000 should be reinvested in a Money Market Certificate at the current high rate of interest, and that \$5,000 be applied toward the balance of the mortgage. In addition, it was agreed that double payments should be made on the mortgage for the months of January through March, with further discussion at the April Board meeting regarding the continuation of such payments.

A Nominating Committee of three members was appointed. Two members are B.J. Thompson and Bill Tolbert. The third member has not been contacted at the time this newsletter is being prepared, so announcement of that name will be made at a future date.

Mary Holland was given the authority to contact several exterminators for bids, and to hire the one with the lowest over-all bid to provide ongoing extermination at the club building. It was hoped that this would control the flea problem during classes.

It was announced that Carolyn Bowers has donated an artificial Christmas tree to the club, and has decorated it in preparation for the Christmas party. Thanks, Carolyn.

OFA INCREASES FEE: The club has received notification from OFA that, effective January 1, 1981, the fee for OFA radiographic evaluation of hips will be \$12.50. The organization regrets having to take this action, but reminds us that this is the first fee change since OFA's inception in 1967, and that it can no longer absorb the inflationary costs.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!