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JULY 12, 1999 (12:00 NOON)**

**TRAVEL DIRECTIONS: SEE  
NEWSLETTER PULLOUT  
SECTION NUMBER 1**



**INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES YEAR 2000**

**INBOUND: TALLINN, ESTONIA (APRIL 15, 2000)  
RIO de JANEIRO, BRAZIL (SEPTEMBER 1, 2000)  
OUTBOUND: PAU, FRANCE (OCTOBER 1, 2000)**

**INTERCLUB VISITS YEAR 2000 (TENTATIVE)**

**OUBOUND: SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS (FEBUARY, 2000)  
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH (TO BE SCHEDULED)  
INBOUND: TO BE SCHEDULED**

**EXCHANGE DIRECTOR'S TRAINING (July 21, 1999- 3:00-5:00 PM)**

A training session for club members interested in becoming a future Exchange Director will be held on July 21, 1999 in the Parlor Room of the Second Presbyterian Church from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Please call Gordon Ford (579-9738) if you plan to attend.

It is very important that we have a cadre of Exchange Directors for our present and future exchanges. Please support your Club by attending this training session. If you are not sure you want to become an Exchange Director but just want to listen and learn you are very welcome to attend this session.

**1999 MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY ADDENDUM/ADDRESS CHANGE**

Montgomery, Carl and Barbara 11600 Fan Martin Way, Knoxville, TN 37922  
Telephone 966-1198

Shoemaker, Lucy 1017 Hardwick Dr., Maryville, TN 37803 Tel. 977-1714

This Slide Show project is one of our most important projects. Please help us out! Any member of the Speaker's Bureau will be happy to receive pictures. Members are listed below.

Claude Haws	675-7610	Lizz Cook	966-9430
Byrl Logan	970-3771	Gordon Ford	579-9738
Bob McDonald	687-1954	Roger Frey	588-1204

### **A SALUTE TO ROY AND BARBARA NIX**

We dedicate this month's Newsletter to our friends, Roy and Barbara Nix, who are not only faithful Club members but are largely responsible for our Club being able to continue to meet in the excellent facilities of the Second Presbyterian Church. Thank you, Roy and Barbara, from all of your fellow members.

### **CLUB ACTIVITIES (UPDATE)**

1. Club Ambassadors will be traveling to Dayton, Ohio on July 23 for an interclub visit.
2. The trip to Barter Theatre to see Guys and Dolls will be on August 18, 1999. Those persons signed up for the trip should send \$40 (per person) to Betty Rose, 209 Essex Drive, Knoxville, TN 37922. Deadline for payment is July 14, 1999. Details concerning the trip itinerary will be sent to participants after July 19.
3. The Southeast Regional Friendship Force Conference meets at Big Canoe Resort on September 10-12, 1999. (Big Canoe, Georgia)
4. The Mid-Atlantic Regional Friendship Force Conference will be held January 28-30, 2000 in Ashboro, NC. Details to follow at a later date.

### **WELLNESS TIP BY LIZZ COOK**

True or false? Avoid insect stings by wearing light-colored, well-fitting clothing outdoors!!! True! Bright-colored clothes attract insects and loose-fitting clothes allow access to your skin. (From the Mayo Clinic Health Letter)

### **REMINDER**

**WE NEED EXCHANGE DIRECTORS FOR EXCHANGES IN THE YEAR 2000. CALL JIM DENNIS AT 675-0362 FOR APPLICATIONS OR PICK THEM UP AT JULY PICNIC. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WILL APPOINT EXCHANGE DIRECTORS IN AUGUST 1999.**

### **THE LAST REMARK**

Some people, no matter how old they get, never lose their beauty – they merely move it from their faces into their hearts. Martin Buxbaum



7-12-99 ( July picnic starts at 11:30 a.m.)

DIRECTIONS TO MAXINE'S CABIN  
PITTMAN CENTER

**(PULLOUT NUMBER 1)**

Interstate 40 east to Exit 407. Right onto Hwy. #66. Go to intersection of Chapman Hwy. and Hwy. #66 in Sevierville. Turn left at traffic light onto Hwy. #411 North. Continue straight ahead - will become Dolly Parton Parkway - pass Sevierville High School, you will see a sign "Pittman Center" on your right. Turn right onto Hwy. #416. Go 5 1/2 miles, turn left at next "Pittman Center" sign. Continue on #416. you will pass over a new double lane concrete bridge. Continue approximately 1 mile to "Webb Creek Road." Turn left. You will pass by city hall and school. You will come to a fork in the road, continue straight ahead onto Tunis Branch Road. You will pass a White Church on the right. Maxine's cabin is the next cabin past the church. It is a log cabin on the right side of the road. If you pass the barn on the right you have gone too far. Friendship Force signs will direct you along the way.

If you miss Webb Creek Road - you will connect with Highway #321. Turn left. First, you will come to Copeland Road - the next road is Tunis Branch Road. Turn left onto Tunis Branch Road. Maxine's cabin is on your left just past the barn. Her telephone is **579-9738** in case you can not find the cabin.

**DRIVING TIME TO THE CABIN IS APPROXIMATELY  
ONE HOUR AND FIFTEEN MINUTES FROM THE CHURCH  
If you need a ride please come to the Second Presbyterian Church.  
We will be leaving the Church lot at 10:00 A.M.**

**ALTERNATE ROUTE IF WINDING ROADS ARE NOT YOUR CUP OF TEA**

Travel to Gatlinburg – turn left on to Highway 321 ( traffic light no. 3 ) Continue on #321 until you come to Tunis Branch Road- turn left and look for the barn as mentioned in above paragraph. Summer traffic could be heavy this way, so allow extra time.

**Reservations must be made and paid for by JUNE 30. Sorry no refunds after 6/30/99. COST IS \$8.50 PER PERSON. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO GORDON FORD AND MAIL TO 6010 CENTERWOOD DRIVE KNOXVILLE, TN 37920 – TELEPHONE ( 579-9738)**