Los Amigos Del Sol Newsletter
June 2017

Upcoming Events
The Month of June
$1 Jell-o shot at Oz Bar (fundraiser)
June 3
LADS General Meeting
LADS Pride Day
June 23
Oz Poker Tournament Fundraiser
July 1
LADS General Meeting
LADS Camp Out Raffle Starts
Red, White & Blue Potluck
July 8
Oz Turnabout Show Fundraiser
August 5
LADS General Meeting
August 26
LADS Camp Out Raffle/Rally
Cookout Fundraiser
Drag Show Fundraiser
September 2
LADS General Meeting
September 15-17
LADS Camp Out
October 1
Camp Out Survivor Party
October 7
LADS General Meeting
October 21
LADS Yard Sale
November 4
LADS General Meeting
November 18
LADS Thanksgiving Dinner

Welcome to our new members...
Brenda Allen  Davesh Agnihotri  Fabio Bruzzese
John N Kelly III  Karen Moore  Quenton Chivers

New Members

May Birthdays

Pictured above: Angel Estrada, Jerry Blankenship, Brian Alexander & Myron Begay.
June Birthdays

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Art Trivia

1. Frederick Loewe is best known for what famous musical?
2. The *Mona Lisa* is on display in what museum?
3. Where is the largest art museum in the world located?
4. Tor F: Johann Sebastian Bach was a composer during the Classical period?
5. T or F: *Kiss me Kate* is a musical based upon the Shakespeare play *Romeo & Juliet*?
6. Claude Monet was a painter of what style?
7. What two cities does Guggenheim currently have museums?
8. The Ballet Russe was based in what city a) Paris b) St. Petersburg c) Moscow?
9. *You're the Top* is a song by Cole Porter from what musical?
10. What is the lonest running show on Broadway?

Phantom of the Opera


Taming of the Shrew 6. Romanticism
2017/2018 LADS Charities

On Saturday, May 6th, the LADS membership met & voted on the charities that it will be supporting for the 2017/2018 fiscal year. Mulligan’s Manor was selected to be kept on and Stealing Hearts Rescue was selected as a new charity. Please join the Executive Committee as we welcome these two organizations and help us support them in their endeavors to make our community a better place. How can you help? Join us for Bingo every Sunday at 1pm, funds raised (except for specific pre-arranged dates) are in support of our charities. We also have various fundraisers throughout the year and personal donations are always welcome.

For more information about these charities, visit their websites at: mulligansmanor.com and stealingheartsrescue.com

Volunteers Needed!

Poker Tournament: June 23rd @ 7pm.
This is a fundraiser for LADS and volunteers will be needed to assist. See Brian Alexander for more details or to sign up.

Red, White & Blue Potluck: July 1st @ 2pm
This is part of our after meeting event. We will also be playing Pictionary & handing out Camp out raffle tickets. A sign up sheet is available at Oz Bar (see bartender).

Oz Turnabout Show: July 8th @ 3pm
This is also a fundraiser for LADS and volunteers are needed to help support the event & (for those with a desire to be in the spotlight) to be performers in the event.
Save the dates for these upcoming events...

**LADS Pride Day**
Saturday, June 3rd, 2pm

Wear Your Pride!
Come dressed in your best pride outfit/colors. $20 cash prize!

What’s in Your Pocket?

We will be taking a group photo for our brochure

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**Friday, June 23rd, 7pm**

**Oz Poker Tournament Fundraiser**
More Details to Come

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**Saturday, July 1st, 2pm**

**Red, White & Blue Potluck**

Back by popular demand...
LADS supplies the Sloppy Joes & hot dogs, volunteers for the rest.
Camp out raffle tickets available!
**Kakuro**

How to solve Kakuro

Kakuro puzzles are like a combination of a crossword & a Sudoku puzzle. (They are also known as “Cross Sums”) The goal is to fill all empty squares using numbers 1-9 so the sum of each horizontal block equals the clue on it’s left, and the sum of each vertical block equals it’s sum on it’s top. In addition, no number can be used in the same block more than once.

Now….let’s get started!

**Cryptogram**

A cryptogram is a cipher: In this case each letter has a numerical substitute. Two letters have been exposed to get you started.

Hint: This puzzle is a Mark Twain quote.

Answers in next month’s newsletter
# May 2017 Financial Report

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| Total            | $654.59 | $1,400.79 | $2,036.22 | $250.00  | $154.15  | $4,495.75 |

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LADS Awards

Each year LADS is the sponsor of three awards. All nominees come from our membership & focus on service. We all know that time is limited & precious, so any time given freely is something to be recognized. LADS, as an organization, made the decision many years ago to make that recognition public. Here are the three awards that we present annually.

Harry Hester Member of the Year: Awarded to a LADS member who has given their time and energy throughout the last year and supported our organization. (Nominations in Jan., awarded in Feb.)

Jack Leffel Friend of LADS: Awarded to a non-member of LADS who has also given their time, energy & support to our organization. (Nominations in Jan., awarded in Feb.)

Humanitarian Char Award: This award is presented to any individual who has given their time, energy & support throughout the community. This award is not LADS focused, but is recognition for helping other individuals and/or organizations via volunteerism, sponsorship, etc. (Nominations in Sept., awarded in Nov.)

Last Year’s Winners

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Humanitarian Char Award

No Nominee

Answers to last week’s puzzles

Sudoku

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Tri-bonds

All Types of Tables
All Types of Worms
All have Trunks
All are Cracked
There are Seven of each
All Shades of Yellow
Smallest of their Kind
All have Lincoln’s
All make Deliveries

Word Search

A T P M Y L O S S E R V Y H B G W Y
N M S K U R A P N E T Z H Q
H E S G G W U R N A Y H E P A Q
O T I L I F U L S I N D G R O S
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A S T U T A L A H A S S E L
L R W S E M T R O F K N A R E S T
Los Amigo Del Sol General Meeting
May 6, 2017
The meeting was called to order at 1:05 PM.

From the President

Recognition of lifetime members present, Dan Bartle, Phyllis Ross, and Dan Brown

Recognition of guests present: Jason from Stealing Hearts Rescue, Chuck from Mulligans Manor and Aaron From OZ Bar.

Birthday Celebrations: Brian, Jerry, Angel & Myron

Charities for 2017/2018: There were 3 charities up for vote. Halo, Mulligans Manor and Stealing Hearts Rescue. Chuck from Mulligans Manor spoke about their organization and what they do. Jason from Stealing Hearts Rescue spoke about their organization and what they do. Halo was unable to send a representative due to conflicting schedule and several people out ill. Voting slips were passed out to eligible members of LADS to vote on 2 charities for 2017/2018. Votes were tallied and Mulligans Manor was one winner and there was a tie with Halo and Stealing Hearts Rescue. Because of the tie, the President was asked to vote on the tie breaker. Jeff voted for Stealing Hearts Rescue as the other winner.

Aaron from OZ Bar: spoke about his participation in the ‘Sexiest Bartender’ event held in the community. He also spoke about his involvement in the group ‘American Veterans for Equal Rights’. This group supports a charity every year and he is going to propose to them LADS. Jeff mentioned that last year LADS donated Bingo charity funds for the month of May to the ‘Sexiest Bartender’ event. There was a motion on the floor for May Bingo charity funds go to Aaron and it was seconded. A vote was taken and LADS approved for May Bingo charity funds to Aaron for the ‘Sexiest Bartender’ event.

Campout Games: Jeff mentioned that a suggestion was made that LADS officially name the campout games, AKA ‘Sissy Olympics’ after Willie G. For many years, Willie was the chair person who hosted the campout games. There was a suggestion that the games be named ‘Willie Games’. A motion was made to name the campout games ‘Willie Games’ and the motion was seconded. The club voted and approved that the campout games will now be named ‘Willie Games’.

Partnership with OZ: Jeff asked the club if they would like to have a display board up on the wall at OZ. Jeff spoke to Mike (OZ Bar manager) who said was very receptive to the idea of LADS having a display board up on the wall at OZ. The board would display information about LADS, posters of future events, pictures, etc. A motion was made and seconded, and the club approved the display board. A search will be made for the display board.

Jello Shots for June 2017: OZ bartenders will sell jello shots for the month of June. All proceeds will be donated to LADS. OZ is providing everything at no cost to LADS.

San Diego Obligation to Dan Bartle: $283.00 is still owed to Dan Bartle. With the various fundraisers coming up in the near future, this will be paid back.

Calendar: Jeff mentioned that a suggestion was made that LADS make a calendar for 2018. The calendar could include recipes, photos, LADS events, etc. Jeff opened it up for discussion. Mike (OZ Bar manager mentioned that he has printer connections and could check on costs. Dan Brown and Dan Bartel have connections to binding. Quinten mentioned that maybe we could sell ads for each month. Also, include some old pictures of LADS. Jeff asked if anyone would like to chair this effort and did not get any volunteers. Jeff said that he would talk to Doug who suggested the idea.

From the Vice President:

Past Events: Poker run total was $142.00. Volunteers were thanked and Jim mentioned that Thank You cards were mailed to all participating bars.

Chili Cook-off/Salsa Tasting: Will be held after the meeting today at 2pm. A donation of $5.00 will get you an entry into the event.

Kentucky Derby: $5.00 entry and all money goes back to winners of Win, Place & Show. Last year there were 3 pools. Post time is 3:34pm.

June 3rd meeting and ‘Pride Day’: there will be decorations, contest for ‘best dressed’, after meeting game of ‘What’s In Your Pocket’. Brian asked for other game ideas. There will be a group photo.

June 23rd OZ Poker Tournament: OZ is hosting this event as a fund raiser for LADS. The winner will receive $100.00. OZ will provide the poster. LADS will need to provide 3 volunteers to sell jello shots and 50/50 tickets.

July 1st meeting – Red/White/Blue – Potluck: LADS will provide the hotdogs and sloppy joes. Members and OZ patrons will bring a side dish. There will be a sign-up sheet at the next meeting.

July 8th – OZ Turn=About Show: this is a fund raiser for LADS. Aaron from OZ will be the host. Anyone wanting to participate in the show will need to see Aaron.

Bingo: Brian asked for volunteer for bingo callers.
From the Treasurer:

The LADS account is going to be transferred from Wells Fargo to a credit union where we can have better customer service and more control over our account. Carl has made 3 attempts to accomplish this and is awaiting a return call from Desert Schools.

Current Balances:

- General Fund: $1,461.07
- Charity Fund: $1,144.79
- SOS Fund: $654.59
- Halo Fund: $250.00
- Campout Fund: $154.15

From Public Relations:

Website: Jim shared that LADS should upgrade the website at a cost of ?. There was a motion and seconded, and the club approved the upgrade.

50/50: Mike (OZ Manager) won the 50/50 for $80.00.

  The next meeting will be held June 3rd at 1:00 pm @ OZ.

  The meeting was adjourned at 2:15 pm