

WHITE RIVER CHAPTER OF THE JAPANESE AMERICAN CITIZENS LEAGUE

VALLEY CIVIC LEAGUE

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NEWSLETTER

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MEMBERSHIP:

OUR MEMBERSHIP CONTINUES TO GROW IN NUMBERS. TO DATE, WE HAVE SEVENTY-SEVEN (77) MEMBERS. CHIEFLY THROUGH THE EFFORTS OF OUR TWO VICE PRESIDENTS, JOHN HAMAKAMI AND FRANK OKIMOTO, CHAIRMEN FOR THE MEMBERSHIP DRIVE, WE WERE ABLE TO ACHIEVE THIS FINE FIGURE. THERE IS DEFINITELY A BIG POTENTIAL IN THIS AREA, SO LET'S KEEP STRIVING FOR THAT 100% GOAL! THANKS TO ALL OF THE MEMBERS WHO SUBSCRIBED TO THE AIMS OF THE J.A.C.L., AND RENEWED THEIR MEMBERSHIP. (WE WELCOME ALL YOU NEW MEMBERS).

GRADUATION BANQUET:

THE 1963 GRADUATES WERE HONORED AT A VERY WELL PLANNED BANQUET THAT WAS HELD AT THE REEF RESTAURANT IN KENT ON MAY 29, 1963. MR. JOE NISHIMOTO AND HIS COMMITTEE, NAMELY, MRS. GEO. KAWASAKI, MRS. KART FUNAI, MRS. WILLIAM MAEBORI, AND MRS. HIROSHI NAKAYAMA, SHOULD ALL BE CONGRATULATED ON THEIR SPLENDID JOB OF PUTTING THIS AFFAIR TOGETHER. MR. TOM SAKAHARA, A WELL KNOWN ISSEI FROM THE FIVE AREA GAVE A VERY INSPIRING TALK TO THE GRADUATES. HE SPOKE ON THE HARDSHIP THE ISSEI WENT THROUGH WHEN THEY CAME TO THIS COUNTRY, AND THE GIANT STRIDE IN ACHIEVEMENTS THAT THE JAPANESE PEOPLE HAVE MADE SINCE THAT TIME. THE GRADUATES WHO WERE HONORED WERE FROM AUBURN: JULIE MURAKAMI, DENNIS KIYOHARA, TERESA MAEBORI, LORA OKURA, SHIRLEE FUNAI, IRENE DODOBARA - - - KENT: JANIS KAWASAKI, LILLIAN NAKASO, ALLEN YAMADA, BRYAN YAMAMOTO - - AND MR. FRANK NISHIMOTO FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON. THE \$100.00 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD OF THE CHAPTER WAS GIVEN TO MISS TERESA MAEBORI. THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE WAS CHAIRMANED BY MR. GEORGE ARIMA, AND INCLUDED MRS. MARY NORIKANE, MR. HIDEO SATO, MRS. MOSI MIYOSHI, MRS. HATSUYE OKIMOTO, MR. ISH SUYEMATSU, AND MR. DON HAHN. THE INVOCATION AND BENEDICTION WAS GIVEN BY THE REV. PAUL E. HAMLIN OF THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH OF KENT. THE PROGRAM CONSISTED OF MUSICAL NUMBERS BY THE VERY TALENTED MISS CHIHARA ON THE ACCORDIAN, AND ORGAN AND SOLO NUMBERS BY MR. AND MRS. CARL JANGORD. JOE NISHIMOTO HANDLED THE M.C. JOB IN THE ABSENCE OF THE SCHEDULED M.C. GEORGE YAMADA.

NEXT ON THE CALENDAR - - THE JOINT PICNIC

MARK YOUR CALENDAR, SUNDAY, JULY 28, FOR A JOINT PICNIC THAT WILL BE HELD AT FIVE MILE LAKE, AREA 3 WITH THE PUYALLUP VALLEY CHAPTER. ALL YOUR FAMILIES AND ESPECIALLY YOUR FRIENDS ARE WELCOME TO COME TO THIS BIG AFFAIR ON THE LAKE. RACES, PRIZES, FREE ICE CREAM AND POP ARE PLANNED FOR YOUR ENTERTAINMENT. BRING YOUR LUNCH AND PLAN TO STAY ALL DAY. A RAFFLE DRAWING WILL BE ON THE PROGRAM. YOU CAN BUY YOUR TICKETS AT THE GROUNDS. BE SEEING YOU ALL ? ? ?

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE REPORT

HAPPY TO REPORT THAT MRS. TEDI KANDA AND MRS. MASAMI IIDA HAVE RECOVERED FROM THEIR RECENT OPERATIONS.

THANKS:

OUR THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING DONORS: MR. AND MRS. TOM SAKAHARA, MR. AND MRS. RAY KIYOHARA, MR. FRANK NISHIMOTO, MRS. TEDI KANDA, MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM MAEBORI.

BOWLING REPORT ON THE BOWLING TOURNAMENT

THE WHITE RIVER Y. A. B. A. AND J. A. C. L. HELD A BOWLING TOURNEY TOGETHER ON APRIL 20, 1963. RESULTS ARE AS FOLLOWS: SUBMITTED BY MRS. TOSHI TERAYAMA, CHAIRMAN, COMMITTEE MRS. FUNAI, MARY TSUJIKAWA: (continued on other side)

" WHILE MANY LABOR SAVING DEVICES HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED IN RECENT YEARS, NONE IS AN IMPROVEMENT OVER TAKING IT EASY. "

" NEVER UNDERESTIMATE THE POWER OF A WOMAN. SHE CAN PUT THE COVER ON A PICKLE JAR SO TIGHT IT TAKES A MAN TO GET IT OFF. "

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Women's 5 games sweeps

1st place	Chris Onichi	1016	Trophy and \$5.00
2nd place	Its Funai	1003	Trophy and \$4.00
3rd place	Miye Toyoshima	930	Trophy and \$3.00
4th place	Katie Komoto	891	\$3.00
5th place	Mas Shimomura	883	\$2.50
6th place	Toshi Terayama	868	\$2.00

Men's 6 games sweeps

1st place	Tie Kay Yanagawa	1302	Trophy and \$4.50
1st place	Kaz Tsujikawa	1302	Trophy and \$4.50
2nd place	John Hamakami	1292	Trophy and \$3.00
3rd place	Shig Toyoshima	1245	\$3.00
4th place	Ish Suyematsu	1244	\$2.50
5th place	Jim Komoto	1216	\$2.50
6th place	Bob Hironaka	1199	\$2.50

Mixed Trio

1st place	Sut Kato		
	Mary Tsujikawa		
	Hiro Nakai	1847	Trophy and \$15.00
2nd place	George Komoto		
	Mas Shimomura		
	Ish Suyematsu	1782	Trophy and \$9.00
3rd place	Porky Nishimoto		
	Its Funai		
	Kart Funai	1744	\$6.00

Sportsmanship Trophy

Rits Hamamura
George Arima

Cash Prize: scratch

Women's sweeps

Hi-10	Niye Toyoshima	\$5.00
Hi-50	Its Funai	\$5.00

Men's sweeps

Hi-10	Toki Toyoshima	\$5.00
Hi-60	Ish Suyematsu	\$5.00

Mixed Trio

Hi-10	Mary Tsujikawa	\$5.00
Hi-30	Mary Tsujikawa	\$5.00

Hi-10	Hiro Nakai	\$5.00
Hi-30	Ish Suyematsu	\$5.00

THE 1000 CLUB "WING-DING" WAS HELD, SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 22nd AT THE EDGEWATER 1 ON PIER 67, SEATTLE. THIS SEMI-FORMAL AFFAIR INCLUDED DINNER AND DANCING. A SIMILAR 1 IS PLANNED FOR SEPTEMBER WHEN IT IS HOPED THAT MORE OF OUR VALLEY CHAPTER WILL BE ABLE ATTEND.

Auburn, Washington

Mr. and Mrs. George Kanda

