

May 2010

Colton SDA Church NEWSLETTER

Community Services Corner

International Breakfast

Hi, everyone- by now I am hoping that everyone has seen the menu for the "International Breakfast" taking place Sunday, May 16, 2010, from 9:00 AM until 11:00 AM. The cost per ticket is \$5.00.

The menu is:

- ❖ Soyrizo (vegetarian Mexican breakfast sausage) mixed with scrambled eggs and potatoes
- ❖ Rolls
- ❖ Chinese Taro pancakes (pancakes stuffed with a purple Chinese sweet potato)
- ❖ Indian lentil curry with dipping bread
- ❖ Seasonal fruit cup – Thai mangoes and strawberries
- ❖ Scrambled eggs and fried potatoes
- ❖ Orange juice/hot beverage

Buy a ticket for someone else that you want to introduce to our Christian Fellowship.

Please do not forget that the last day for "sign-up" is Sunday, May 9, as we need to get a head count to know for how many we are preparing.

Come, have fun, fellowship! Breakfast will be followed by the "Spring Fling" activities.

If anyone wishes to donate any of the items still needed for the breakfast, we could use:

- ❖ 1 gal. milk
- ❖ 2 gal orange juice
- ❖ 2-3 large cartons of strawberries
- ❖ 3 boxes of ten packages of hot chocolate
- ❖ 1 32 oz or larger containers of vegetable cooking oil
- ❖ 1-2 lbs of butter

Thought for the day - "The Lord is my Shepherd. I shall not be in want." Psalm 23:1
Laura Bauchert



VBS 2010

"High Seas Expedition"

Climb Aboard for the Voyage of a Lifetime.
VBS 2010 sets sail beginning June 27 - July 2.

At *High Seas Expedition*, kids explore the mighty love of God. The High Seas is filled with incredible Bible- learning experiences. Bible crafts, bible songs, and tasty treats are just a few of the *High Seas Expedition* activities that help faith flow into real life. The fun begins June 27 and ends July 2. The hours are 6 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Registration will begin May 22. To register your children for this life-changing adventure, pick up a registration form at the

church entrance or call Mary Lou Domingo at 909 855-4003 or Mary Lemos at 909 887-5849.

Spring Fling Family Fun Day

Please invite friends, family and coworkers to come and enjoy a day of FREE family fun on Sunday, May 16, 2010 beginning at 11:00 AM and ending at around 6:30 PM. This will be a fun and pressure free way to introduce our church and its members to people who may be resistant to more structured events. Flyers are available to post at your work or school in the lobby. Here is the schedule of events:

11:00 AM Opening Ceremonies

11:30 AM Scavenger Hunt

1:00 PM Gunny Sack Races

2:00 PM Water Balloon Toss

3:00 PM Food Competition Judging and Snacking

Snacking

4:00 PM 3-Legged Race

5:00 PM Shark and Minnows

5:30 PM Craft Competition Voting

6:00 PM Closing Ceremonies

ALL DAY Bounce House



Craft Tables

The categories for the food competition will be best salad, best sandwich and best dessert. If you have a homemade dish(es) that fits in a category bring it for judging, you might win a blue ribbon. If crafts are more to your interest come construct and decorate a birdhouse or decorate a wooden car.

For every event participants will earn a ribbon and a sweet treat. It will be a day full of fun and activity so be sure to bring sunscreen, a hat, comfortable shoes and a chair or blanket to rest on between races and activities. Even if you don't want to race you can always lend a helping hand or just sit back and watch the fun. I hope to see you there!

Kristi Cruise

Verse of the Month

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers.

Galatians 6:9-10

Mark Your Calendars

- May 1 (Today) 12:45 PM – Men's Ministry Meeting (all men, all ages)
- May 1 (Today) 12:45 PM – Progressive Dinner meeting
- May 5 (Wed) 7:00 PM – Prayer Meeting: Pastor Mataafa
- May 8 (Sat) 12:45 PM – Mother's Day Potluck
- May 12 (Wed) 8:00 PM – Board of Elder's meeting
- May 15 (Sat) 12:45 PM – Phone & Prayer Committee meeting
- May 15 (Sat) – Fallbrook Youth Group Concert CANCELLED
- May 16 (Sun) 9:00 AM – International Breakfast Fundraiser
- May 16 (Sun) 11:00 AM – "Spring Fling"
- May 22 (Sat) Afternoon – Progressive Dinner
- May 22 (Sat) 6:00 PM – Health Fair Committee meeting
- Jun 27 – Jul 2 (Sun-Fri) – Vacation Bible School
- Jul 23–25 (Fri-Sun) – Annual Campout: Lobo Group Camp/Barton Flats

Editor's Note

The mission of this newsletter is to provide communication and inspiration for our church. If you would like to contribute, please contact Kristi Cruise at jrkljccruise@sbcglobal.net or phone (909) 872-0394.

Responsibilities of Leadership

Church Treasurer

Like all church officers, the local church, through the nominating committee, determines the treasurer.

The treasurer is the custodian of all church funds. All church funds are deposited by the treasurer in a bank account in the name of the church and cannot be combined with any personal account. It is the treasurer's responsibility, along with the church board, to ensure offerings given for a specific purpose are used for the purpose the giver intended.

The treasurer is responsible for forwarding the conference portion of the tithes and offerings to the conference. And the treasurer gives a report of all funds received and disbursed at the regular business meetings. When reporting the number of individuals returning tithe in the church, all members of a family

are included if they are members of the church, even if they are not wage earners.

Once a year the financial records kept by the treasurer are audited by a conference auditor. The same records can be inspected at any time by the conference auditor, the pastor, a district leader, a leading elder and/or by any others authorized by the church board. Under no circumstances are these records to be read or reviewed by unauthorized persons. The treasurer is primarily responsible for the confidential handling of all information regarding member giving.

In instances where an Adventist Book Center does not exist it is within the role of treasurer to manage personal orders of the church members for personal literature.

Members of the church have a role to play in the management of their tithes and offerings. When giving funds, members need to list the various items and amounts on the tithe and offering envelopes and include their name and address. By properly filling out our tithe and offering envelopes, we help the treasurer fulfill their role in a very demanding position of the church.

The role of treasurer is a very demanding position, which requires careful record keeping and attendance to multiple meetings in order to make our church run smoothly.

Kristi Cruise

For Fun



**THE GREAT COMMANDMENT
MARK 12:28-34**

- 6 DOWN "Then one of the ____ came, and having heard them reasoning together, perceiving that He had answered them well, asked Him, 'Which is the first commandment of all?' " **MARK 12:28**
- 4 ACROSS "____ answered him, 'The first of all the commandments is: Hear, O Israel, the LORD our God, the LORD is one.' " **MARK 12:29**
- 1 DOWN "'And you shall ____ the LORD your God..." **MARK 12:30**
- 2 DOWN "...with all your _____..." **MARK 12:30**
- 12 DOWN "...and with all your _____..." **MARK 12:30**
- 8 DOWN "...with all your _____..." **MARK 12:30**
- 5 DOWN "...and with all your _____..." **MARK 12:30**
- 7 ACROSS "...This is the first _____."
- 11 ACROSS "And the second, like it, is this: 'You shall love your ____ as yourself.'..." **MARK 12:31**
- 10 ACROSS "There is no other commandment ____ than these." **MARK 12:31**
- 9 DOWN "So the scribe said to Him, 'Well said, Teacher. You have spoken the _____...' " **MARK 12:32**
- 3 ACROSS "...And to love one's neighbor as oneself, is ____ than all the whole burnt offerings and sacrifices." **MARK 12:33**
- 14 ACROSS "So when Jesus saw that he answered _____, He said to him, 'You are not far from the kingdom of God.' " **MARK 12:34**
- 13 ACROSS "And after that no one dared ____ Him." **MARK 12:34**

THE BEATITUDES

MATTHEW 5:1-12

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BLESSED
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