

# Men's Social Group

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We met at the RCC for our usual 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday planning meeting. During the past month, our group has had 2 senior luncheons at the RCC, a movie night at John's house, went to Benicia for lunch and a visit to the glass factories, and spent an afternoon viewing Ron's iris garden in full bloom. Following the planning meeting, we had a great dinner at the Claim Jumper.

## Planned Upcoming Activities

**Sunday, May 23 at 2 PM** *Boys Will Be Boys* at the New Conservatory Theater in San Francisco. Those riding BART usually meet in the 3rd car from the front. If the train is a short one, we meet in the 2nd car. The schedule is as follows: BayPt 12:02, N Con 12:08, Concd 12:12, PHill 12:17, W Crk 12:20, Lafay 12:24. We arrive at Civic Center Station about 12:59. That gives us time to have a cup of coffee and a donut before the play begins.

The new season for the NCT is out. If you didn't receive a renewal form or would like information, call the NCT for information at 415-861-8972 or [www.nctcsf.org](http://www.nctcsf.org). We attend the Sunday Preview Matinee series. There are 10 events in the new series and the Preview series costs \$150 for all 10.

*Southpatherctic*  
*Good Boys & True*  
*The Little Dog Laughed*  
*Beautiful Thing*  
*Dames at Sea*  
*Doubt: A Parable*  
*The Sugar Witch*  
*Master Class*  
*Boys Will Be Boys*  
*The New Century*

*Aug 9*  
*Aug 16*  
*Sept 20*  
*Nov 8*  
*Dec 6*  
*Jan 24*  
*Feb 28*  
*March 28*  
*May 23*  
*May 30*

*a good one man show*  
*a well done dramatic play*  
*Wonderful!*  
*Wonderful!*  
*Fun filled*  
*good acting, powerful*  
*great set, interesting*  
*superb acting*



**Friday, May 7 at 1 PM** First of the two monthly senior luncheon held at the RCC. All seniors are invited to attend. Join everyone for a very social afternoon.

**Saturday, May 8 the Annual train trip to Sacramento** Catch the 9:44 train at the Martinez train station for the 1 hour trip to Sacramento. Plan to walk around Old Town and perhaps travel on the Sacramento River. We always have lunch in a nice place. The train ride is \$16 each way. Seniors should ask for a discount.

**Tuesday, May 18 at 1 PM** join the Senior RCC group for the 2<sup>nd</sup> free monthly luncheon. Call the RCC for more info 925-692-0090.

**Tuesday, May 25 at 5:30** Movie Night at John's house. As usual, bring a pot luck item to share. Movies begin at 6:00 PM. The two movies will be: *The Closet & Newcastle*.

**Saturday, May 29 a trip to the Coast** Plan to car pool to the Peninsula area Princeton & Half Moon Bay. We'll dine in Princeton and then go on to the Half Moon Bay Nursery for some shopping (begonias, fuschias, etc.). The coast is beautiful and we'll travel over the Devil's Slide (soon to be replaced by a tunnel). I already have a full car, so check around to car pool with others. Plan to leave as a group from the Concord Parking Garage at 10 AM.

**Sunday, June 6 at 11:15** A Day at the Races! Scott has again taken responsibility for arranging our outing to Golden Gate Fields in Albany. The cost is \$35, payable to: Scott Todd, 1421 Via Loma, Walnut Creek, CA 94598. (925-938-3615) Please pay before May 4. The price includes: Valet Parking, admission to the Turf Club, a racing program, the Prime Rib buffet & closed circuit TV.

**Sunday, June 13** the 3<sup>rd</sup> RCC Annual Pride Celebration. Save the date.

**Saturday, June 19** from 10:30 AM to 2 PM SUMMER DELTA LUNCH CRUISE We have done these before and enjoy them. The last one went West and wasn't too interesting. This one goes East into the Lower Sacramento & San Joaquin rivers. The same naturalist will be on board (Mike Moran). The cost is \$44. We'll leave from Pittsburg Marina aboard the double-decked *Island Serenade* to explore the nature and lore of the Delta. A hearty lunch is included. Registration is required. This is course #24468. You can register at [www.ebparksonline.org](http://www.ebparksonline.org) or by phone 1-888-327-2757, option 2, then 3.

## Other Events in the Planning:

- a day trip to the Russian River

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- the Lawrence Hall of Science (Berkeley)
- Asian Art Museum (May/June)
- Yosemite train trip (May/early June)

Our next meeting at the RCC will be at 4 PM on April 24. Following the meeting, we plan to dine at the Hof Brau in Orinda. In the coming months, we have decided to dine at the following restaurants: DJ's Bistro, Hometown Buffet, La Tapitia, the Red Caboose, Korean BBQ, Old South BBQ, Sizzler, Cocina Medina, New Mecca, Molto Bene, Taschi, China Wall & perhaps your favorite as well.

John Duley

