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MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

Wednesday December 17 1997

Place: San Diego Natural History Museum
Balboa Park, San Diego
619-232-3821

Time: 6:00 - Social Hour
7:00 - Dinner
8:00 - Program

Dinner: Beverages - Various - Christmas - Flavors, Chips-n-Salsa, and Mexican Buffet.

Cost: \$15.00 per person [please make checks payable to SDAG]. [\$8 for students with id]

Reservation Required by Noon Monday December 15 by phone to Lowell Lindsay [619-258-4911, or 258-4905 x103]. Include Name, Number in party, and Affiliation. Please call to cancel if necessary.

Speaker #1: Dr. Michael Hager, Executive Director, San Diego Natural History Museum.

Topic: San Diego Natural History Museum in the 21st Century.

Speaker #2: Dr. Thomas Demere, Curator, Paleontology, San Diego Natural History Museum.

Topic: Oligocene Rocks and Fossils From Carlsbad.

[Dr. Demere, and Dr. Hager are excellent and dynamic speakers, that would add excitement to this Traditional Christmas Meeting of ours. Do not miss this final event of the year, and one that is filled with Christmas spirit!]



ANNOUNCEMENTS

CORPORATE SPONSORS: Sincere thanks to these 1997 Corporate Sponsors who make educational assistance to new generation of geologists possible.

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1998 SDAG Programs Look forward to these programs for 1998: Downtown Faulting, Underground Storage Tanks, Ground Motion and Liquefaction, Modified Soils Lab, Foundation Reinforcement and Site Stabilization, September Picnic, October Field Trip, November Poster Session, December SDNHM Paleo Update. Monthly meetings and programs are the third Wednesday evenings of the month unless otherwise notified.

ASCE Geotech section welcomes visitors to the 12/10/97 meeting at the Temecula Creek Inn with Roy Hunt presenting "Slope Failures and Treatments." For more information contact Ron Tannenbaum, Dames and Moore 619-541-0833.

The annual SDSU Geology Alum campout will be 2/14-16/98 near Searchlight, Nevada featuring a tour of an active gold mine with heap leaching process. Campsite is in the ghost town of Juan with the opportunity of rockhounding for chalcedony, malachite, and azurite. Motels available in Searchlight. More information forthcoming from Tony Sawyer or Joe Coronas.

Sad News As informed by Tony Sawyer, we sadly report the passing of geophysicist and SDAG member Ed Gustafson, SDSU class of 1981. Services were on 12/8/97 at McCloud Mortuary in Escondido.

Cordilleran Section of GSA meets at CSULB Pyramid 4/7-9/1998. Call Dr. Stan Finney (562) 985-8637 for information.

Employment Opportunity California Council of Geoscience Organizations is accepting applications for the position of Executive Director, volunteer during the CCGO organization period. Call James M. Parsons (916) 421-5276 for more information.

SDAG WEB SITE is www.geology.sdsu.edu/sdag, operated by Caroline Glockhoff.

SDAG meeting and program survey Please fill out the attached form and bring it to the December meeting or mail to Lowell Lindsay, address above. Sincere thanks to Barbara Birnbaum at Bechtel for taking the lead on this evaluation process which will make SDAG a stronger and more responsive organization for its members.

Nominations and elections of 1998 SDAG officers will be held at the December meeting. Use the form below to submit your nominee's name, including yourself.

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San Diego Association of Geologists

Selection of the 1998 Executive Committee

Please Circle the names or Write in your vote, and return to the Ballot Box at the Meeting

Vote

Write-in

President	Werner Landry
Vice President	Lowell Lindsay
Secretary	Greg Cranham
Treasurer	Barbara (Belding) Birnbaum

SDAG "Preferences" Survey
Meeting Locations / Speakers / Topics

Date	Place	Speaker	Topic/Subject	No. of Meals
20 Nov 1996	Old Spaghetti Factory (Gaslamp Quarter, SD)	Annual Poster Session	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • posters • raffle/fundraising 	
18 Dec 1996	San Diego Natural History Museum (Balboa Park)	Dr. Thomas Demere	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • paleontology presentation/talk • student scholarship awards • election of Treasurer 	
8 Jan 1997	Qwiggs Bar & Grill (Ocean Beach)	Dr. T Leslie Youd, Dept. of Civil and Environmental Engineering, BYU	Joint meeting with ASCE "Liquefaction and Lateral Spread of Soils"	46
3 Feb 1997	El Adobe Restaurant (San Juan Capistrano)	Dr. Gary Peterson, Professor of Geology, SDSU	Joint meeting with SCGS "A Field Trip Through the Solar System"	
19 March 1997	Karl Strauss Brewery Gardens (Mira Mesa)	Dr. Richard Berry, Dept of Geological Sciences, SDSU	"Tiny Grains and Subduction Detection: Early Tertiary Waxy Bentonites of the San Diego Area and Plate Tectonics"	30
16 April 1997	Holiday Inn (Mission Valley)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Thomas K. Gregory, Dept. of Marine Sciences, USD 2. Christian Walls, Dept. of Geological Sciences, SDSU 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. "Evidence for Local Bottom Water Entrainment in the TAG Active Hydrothermal System, 26 N Mid Atlantic Ridge" 2. "Escape From L.A.: Extrusion Tectonics in Southern California and Implications for Seismic Risk" 	22
21 May 1997	Anderson's Pea Soup (Carlsbad)	Dr. Roy J. Schlemmon	"The Geologist: Discovery of Ancient Civilizations, Colombia, South America"	31
18 June 1997	Acapulco Restaurant (Mira Mesa)	Stephen P. Mulqueen, Dept. Conservation, Division of Oil and Gas & Geothermal Resources	"Petroleum Seeps, A Natural Phenomenon with Historic Significance"	36
15 July 1997	Red Oak Steakhouse	Mike Palmer, Hargis + Assoc.	"Innovative Extraction Well Design for Recovery of DNAPLs"	50
20 Aug 1997	Anderson's Pea Soup (Carlsbad)	Gerlad G. Kuhn, Executive Director of the International Foundation for Applied Research in the Natural Sciences	"Neotectonics in the North Coastal Area, San Diego, California"	54
17 Sept 1997	(no Wed. meeting; week of picnic)			
20 Sept 1997	ANNUAL PICNIC - Mission Bay			
15 Oct 1997	Quiggs Bar & Grill (Ocean Beach)	Sue Tanges, Managing Principal / Engineering Geologist with Southland Geotechnical Consultants	"Grand Canyon Geology: Glimpses from a Raft"	43
17-19 Oct 1997	FIELD TRIP - Santa Cruz Island			
19 Nov 1997	Filippi's Pizza Grotto (Mission Valley)	Poster Session	posters & raffle/fundraising	40
17 Dec 1997	San Diego Natural History Museum (Balboa Park)	Dr. Thomas Demere	paleontology	

POTENTIAL FACTORS:

- meal prices
- geographic location
- restaurant layout / privacy of room
- speaker / topic

Please rate our locations so far:

Overall rank (in order of your preference)	Restaurant	Rating on a Scale of 1-3 (1=top; 2=adequate; 3=pretty bad)			Comments (e.g., price...)
		Quality of Food	Meeting Room layout, ambience, privacy	Geographic Location and/or Convenience	
	Qwiggs Bar & Grill (Ocean Beach)				
	El Adobe Restaurant (San Juan Capistrano)				
	Karl Strauss Brewery Gardens (Mira Mesa)				
	Holiday Inn (Mission Valley)				
	Acapulco Restaurant (Mira Mesa)				
	Anderson's Pea Soup (Carlsbad)				
	Tickled Trout				
	Old Spaghetti Factory (Gaslamp Quarter, SD)				
	Filippi's Pizza Grotto (Mission Valley)				
	San Diego Natural History Museum (catered mexican food)				
	other suggestions...				

Favorite Topic(s):

Favorite Speaker(s):

Fundraising suggestion(s):

Any other comments or suggestions:

If you have e-mail, would you like to receive monthly notices via e-mail? YES / NO

Thank you!



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