

TARGUM WEST

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Fall 1998

Spring Ahead, Fall Back (on 25 OCT 98)

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Club held its officer elections at our annual brunch on May 31st. The RCSC officers are as follows: President, myself, **David Hughes** (Cook '85); Vice President, **Lana Sternberg** (NCAS '67); Treasurer, **Carol Nace** (NCAS '81); and Secretary, **Ken McDaniel** (UCN '72). I look forward to working with my fellow officers and Board Members to keep the Rutgers spirit alive here in Southern California.

Our guest speaker at the annual brunch was **Mr. Sheldon Baker**. Sheldon is a Southern California native (RC '54) and was a scholarship recipient from the RCSC. Sheldon gave us some RCSC history, along with some of his memories of his days on the Banks.

The RCSC annual scholarship was awarded at the brunch and thanks for a matching gift from the University towards the RCSC scholarship fund, we were able to award two \$625 scholarships. The two deserving recipients are **Miss Jennifer Brooks** and **Miss Sara Orellana**. Good luck freshmen, hopefully you will come back to the Club and share with us your fond Rutgers memories. A special thanks to **Sydnee Hond Breuer** (RC '89) for her work on college fairs and RCSC scholarship.

At our last Club meeting held July 18th, graciously hosted by **Cynde** and **Steve Magidson** (DC '72/RC '70) at their Camarillo compound, the Board decided to move up our annual brunch to early March to coincide with University President, **Dr. Lawrence's** next visit to Southern California. (Look for more brunch information in the future.)

We also decided to get Dodger tickets for Saturday, September 26th. (Look in this newsletter for more details.) Be sure to get there early for batting practice, bring your Rutgers garb, and let's give fellow RU alum, **Eric Young** (RU '85), our support.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE (CONTINUED)

RU alum, **Eric Young** (RU '85), our support. **GO RU!!**

We closed the meeting with a poolside barbecue. We had a great time, thanks to Cynde and Steve.

Please mark your calendars for our next meeting, Saturday, October 17th, 10:00 a.m. at **Julia Bogdan's** (DC '89). For directions contact her at 310/260-3953 (H).

Many have been asking about our new RCSC directories. Thanks to the hard work of Cynde and Steve Magidson and Ken McDaniel, we are very close to completing and sending them out to current members. If you are not a current member and are interested in receiving a new directory, contact Cynde at 805/445-9853 (H).

As the Rutgers football season approaches, we are working on a meeting place to watch some regionally televised games together. If you are interested contact me at 818/713-4775 (W).

Last, but not least, thanks to Lana Sternberg, and Carol and Bob Nace for another enjoyable evening at the Hollywood Bowl: "Tango Magic" with fireworks. What a Show! I can't wait until next year.

I look forward to seeing you all at the next RCSC event.

GO RU!! UPSTREAM RED TEAM!!

David J. Hughes
RCSC President

UPCOMING EVENTS

1998/1999

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>TIME</u>
<i>Sep 26</i>	Pre-Game Picnic at Elysian Park	TBA
	Dodgers Day Dodger Stadium Los Angeles, CA	TBA
<i>Dec12</i>	Christmas Party w/Young Alumni Venice or Santa Monica, CA	TBA
<i>Feb/ Mar 99</i>	Annual Brunch w/ Dr. Lawrence Location	TBA

* See enclosed flyers for additional information.

SUNSHINE COMMIT-

TEE OF RUTGERS CLUB OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Members!! Whenever you hear of some great news impacting another member(s) (e.g. weddings, births, awards, etc.) or, hopefully very seldom, any sad news, please notify Carol or Bob Nace at 626/793-3261 (H) or by e-mail at RCNace@aol.com and we'll

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e-mail at RCNace@aol.com and we'll send a card on behalf of our Club. We appreciate your help.

Carol Nace

**TOM O'CONNOR
UPDATE**

There was a recent **Tom O'Connor** (NCAS '69) sighting by Carol and Bob Nace on the banks of the old Raritan this past June. Carol and Bob met up with Tom, our Club's President for the past ten years, prior to his relocation to New Jersey, on the New Brunswick Campus. We first went to Scarlet Fever and acquired a varied supply of T-shirts, caps, cups, license plate frames, and even Christmas ornaments to bring back to California. (These items are available for purchase at most events from the back of Bob's trunk.) Tom was able to facilitate a great discount on behalf of the Club. Following this, we retired to Stuff Yer Face and lifted a few beers and some great stromboli's, topped off with Thomas Sweets ice cream. A great time was had by all.

DODGERS GAME

Well it's time to **Root, Root, Root for the Home Team** as the Rutgers Club goes to see the Dodgers take on the Milwaukee Brewers on Saturday, September 26th (time to be determined). (See enclosed flyer.) We are planning on gathering for a picnic lunch prior to the game in the adjacent park. Tickets are \$16.00 for field box seats and may be ordered from Carol and Bob Nace by mailing your check payable to the Rutgers Club of Southern California to them at 400 East California Blvd., #1, Pasadena, CA 91106. If you have any questions, please call them at 626/793-3261 (H) or e-mail at RCNace@aol.com.

Bob Nace

**1998 RUTGERS
FOOTBALL SCHEDULE**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>	<u>TIME</u>
9/5	RICHMOND (H) Kid's day, High School Football Day	6pm
9/12	@ Boston College*	12pm
9/19	@ Syracuse*	12pm
9/26	ARMY (H) Homecoming, Rutgers Faculty and Staff Day, Scout Day, Pop Warner Day	6pm
10/3	MIAMI (H) Football Hall of Fame, Parent's Day	12pm
10/17	@ Pittsburgh*	12pm
10/24	TULANE (H) Olympic Hall of Fame Day, Family Day	12pm
10/31	TEMPLE	12pm
11/7	@ Navy*	TBA
11/14	WEST VIRGINIA Touchdown Club Day	12pm
11/21	@ Virginia Tech*	TBA

NOTES: (H) = Home Games.
* = Big East Conference Games.
Schedule/Time are subject to change.
Rutgers Athletics Website:
athletics.rutgers.edu.

SPORTS WEST

If you get "Rutgers Magazine," read the article on **Robert Mulcahy**, Rutgers' new Director of Intercollegiate Athletics in the Summer 1998 issue. It's quite informative. If you don't get it, contact them at lchambe@ur.rutgers.edu to find out how to get a copy. Kudos to **Coach Hill's** Scarlet Knights baseball team for finishing 32-14 overall and winning its 1st Big East Conference, qualifying them for 1st round of the NCAA tournament. Last season, Hill had his 600th win of college coaching, and was named Big East Coach of the Year. 2nd baseman **David Marciniak** was named MVP of the Big East tournament and batted .339 for the season, an all-time Rutgers record.

Did you know U. of Mich. men's basketball **Coach Brian Ellerbe** began as a player on the Banks? Brian is a '85 Livingston College grad.

Don't forget, Homecoming Day is Saturday, Sep 26th, when the Scarlet Knights of Rutgers take on the Black Knights of Army.

Rutgers Football '98 Season Get-togethers will be at:

The Breakshot Bar & Rest., Mar Vista, 11970 Venice Blvd., 310/391-3435. Call Julia @ 310/260-3953 (H) for TV schedule. Look for flyer in mail. Check RU Athletics website at: <http://athletics.rutgers.edu/football/schedule/scchedule.htm>.

Julia Bogdan

RCSC ENQUIRER

Previously, this column was entitled: "**In the News.**" The current title is temporary. We are requesting a catchy name for this column and request any suggestions. Please be creative ... Our newsletter is expanding the scope of this column, to include a theme of members life events that alumni would like to share with other alumni. As in: "This is Your Life RCSC!" Share a personal event with others so we may keep in touch. Send us info on such events as: awards, births, college bound children, degrees, gold medals, mountains climbed, promotions, etc. We want to hear about it. E-mail Lana Sternberg at: lanadeut@aol.com.

According to "Rona" Sternberg (of Hollywood), here's the latest gossip:

Alumna **Laurie Crain Rigg** (DC '85) is pleased to announce the opening of her new law offices at 523 Main Street, El Segundo, CA 310/640-8953 (W). (See business card flyer.) Her practice includes: business, real estate, and consumer law/personal injury. Laurie is a member of the Commercial Law League of America, South Bay Bar Association, and a provisional member of the Sandpipers, a local philanthropic organization. Congratulations, Laurie!

Don Cox's (ENG '85) father is doing well since triple bypass surgery in March. (See Sara's business card.) We wish him well!

Charlie Ecker's (RC '74) wife, **Linda**, recently started working for Disney setting up their nationwide kids club play zones. (See business card flyer.)

Julia Bogdan (DC '89) was elected Treasurer of Southern California Translators and Interpreters Association. (See business card flyer.) Congratulations, Julia!

Annette and David **Hughes** (Cook '85), (RCSC President), announced they're going to be parents. Congratulations to the future mom and dad!

Cynde and Steve Magidson (DC '72/RC '70) don't sit still for a minute. They are on their way to the Greek islands and Turkey for a well-deserved R&R. Enjoy!

Lana Sternberg (NCAS '67) just returned from 3 weeks traveling in Spain. (See business card flyer.) One week was at the newly built Marriot timeshare in Marbella, on the southern coast.

Linda Tiexiera (RC '88/GSM '95) spent her vacation traveling through Portugal and France. (See business card flyer.) What a life!

Lana Sternberg
Special Events

HOLLYWOOD BOWL

TANGO-TANGO-TANGO-FIRE- WORKS-MORE FIREWORKS!!!

What fun 35 alumni and their friends had on Saturday, August 15th at the Hollywood Bowl. It was an evening under the stars being mesmerized by talented dancers who surely have the tango beat, dancing their hearts out as Conductor John Mauceri and the LA Philharmonic played tango after tango after tango.

But that wasn't all! The finale ended with a new rendition of fireworks, new to the bowl this year, and masterfully coordinated to the tango music.

Join us next year at the bowl. It's only getting better.

Lana Sternberg
Vice President

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YOUNG ALUMNI NEWS

Keep your calendars open for Saturday, December 12. We're having a Holiday Party at one of the popular local night spots on the Westside and we'd love to see you there.

Look for more information in September or October.

(If anyone would like to get involved in the planning of this and other future Young Alumni events, please call me at 310/260-3953. [H])

Julia Bogdan
Young Alumni Coordinator

