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NO DINNER MEETING THIS MONTH

By the time you get this notice the 130 members who signed up for our annual field trip will be discussing what they saw and thinking about future field events such as this one:

The
DIBBLEE GEOLOGICAL FOUNDATION,
Coast Geological Society
and others
PRESENT:

A DAY IN THE FIELD WITH TOM DIBBLEE
ON THE SAN JULIAN RANCH
near Lompoc, California
Where it all began

Saturday, October 1, 1988
9 AM to 5 PM

EVENTS WILL INCLUDE:

Guided tours through the historic Rancho San Julian Ranch House
Guided tours of geologic features near Rancho San Julian
Guided tours of nearby Greco Diatomite quarry
A look at where it all began for Tom Dibblee
Exhibits of Tom Dibblee's original geologic maps

SANTA MARIA STYLE BBQ
Volleyball/ Horseshoes/ Guided geologic hikes

This will be a fundraising event for the Dibblee Geological Foundation; proceeds will be used for publication of additional geologic quadrangles of the Southern California region.

Donations for the entire day of events will be \$25.00 per person. The organizers are seeking sponsors for the onsite field trip transportation (vans, etc.) food, beverages and refreshments, and BBQ labor.

for more information please contact:

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FROM YOUR ALMOST-LAME-DUCK CHAIRMAN

Don Lamar:

Two of my objectives as chairman were to always finish the formal portion of the meetings by 9:00 pm and to get out a Southern California Section membership directory with photographs.

The purpose of the first objective was to generate more attendance at the meetings. Many members, including myself, have a long way to drive, so being held until until 10:00 pm or so, and then facing an hour drive home, made attendance too much of a burden. The outstanding attendance for the past year and a half with this policy under the iron rule of John Byer, Jeff Holt and myself suggests that many members also prefer to be out by 9:00 pm.

The purpose of the second objective was to make it easier to remember names by having photographs and names available for review. Progress on the directory has been disappointing. So far we've had the following response from the membership: completed questionnaire with photograph- 44, completed questionnaire without photograph- 15, Photograph taken at meeting, but no completed questionnaire- 5 (Dave Grover, Robert Zweigler, Randy Weidner, Gail Hunt, Russel Bingley). The current intergalactic AEG directory lists 359 members, associate members, etc., thus the response to date, including those who have not submitted photos, is 17 percent. A local directory, which duplicates much of the material in the intergalactic directory, but only has photographs of a small percentage of the members is not worth the effort. We will not proceed with the local directory until at least 50% of the membership responds with a completed questionnaire AND photograph.

INCREASE IN LOCAL SECTION DUES:

With considerable regret your officers had to recommend an increase in annual local dues from \$15 to \$20; this action

FROM THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The nominating committee proposes the following slate of officers for 1988-89.

Chairman---	Jeff Holt
Vice Chairman---	Bob Hollingsworth
Secretary---	Eldon Gath
Treasurer---	Jerry Treiman

Please refer additional nominations to the nominating committee, Alice Campbell chairbeing.

In addition several committees also need chairpersons, these include

Publications committee
Nominating committee
Building Codes committee
Membership committee

Please contact Alice Campbell if you can lead one of these important groups.

THE CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, Santa Ana Region, will be presenting the "Landfill closure covers workshop" on Wednesday, June 22, 1988 at the University of California, Riverside. This one-day workshop will address issues such as: Subchapter 15 and alternative closure cover designs, computer modeling of infiltration and influence of post-closure land use on cover design. Presentations will be made by representatives of the State Water Resources Control Board, California Waste Management Board, Los Angeles County Sanitation District and other informed professionals. All interested parties are encouraged to attend; admission is free. More detailed information will be available soon. To place your name on the mailing list, contact Tom Peltier at (714) 782-4130.



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Your hard working officers plan to prepare a directory of members with photographs. Please complete the following questionnaire and mail with current photo (no baby pictures please!!) to:

D.L. Lamar, AEG Directory
1044 12th Street, #10
Santa Monica, CA 90403

Name _____ Nickname _____ Spouse Name _____
Title _____ Company/Institution _____
Work Address _____

Work Phone Number _____
Home Address _____

Home Phone Number _____
Preferred Mailing Address: Work ___ Home ___
Degrees/Institutions/Dates _____
Other Society Memberships: GSA ___ AAPG ___ NAGT ___ Branner Club ___ South Coast ___
Others _____
Awards, Honors and whatever _____

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