

GRIZZLIES'58

Saturday, February 5th, 2011

Anthony's Shilshole Bay in Ballard

Yes folks, we did it again. Another captivating evening of fun and catching-up, since most of us had not been together since the December Forgotten Children's Events, the November dinner, or Orcas Island last August; which leads me to express my regrets. I've been delinquent with reviews on this last bunch of events. You can now find the Orcas 2010 review, and other activities attached to an earlier email [recently sent] or on our class page at the Alumni website:

<http://www.qagrizzlies.org/ClassPages/Class58/Class58.htm> .

Now that's off my conscience, we can move on to the February 5th Dinner review. This one was billed as our 2011 planning session and lots of ideas flew about. But we still want you to send in your ideas. Do you have a "Bucket List"? - Those places you would like to go, things you would like to do, where it would be fun to do it with a few of your classmates!

We had a rousing discussion and lots of suggestions. Now we need to put them into action. See the summary of events now under consideration also attached with this review.

For starters, we considered holding our May quarterly dinner at Anthony's new restaurant in Anacortes, coupled with a package of day or weekend events. Unfortunately, that facility won't be ready for a large group event by May. So that plan is on hold for a future date, but we are considering a day or two of fun in the Anacortes area sometime this summer.

So here is the plan for our May quarterly function.

QAHSAA 2011 Spring Luncheon Saturday May 14th – Seattle Yacht Club

We are going to overwhelm our dear old Alumni Association, crash the party if you will, and show them what a great class can achieve. We have been averaging 25+ at our quarterly dinners and we could easily double that number if just the regular dinner attendees all showed up.

So mark your calendar. Go to the Alumni Association web site for information and sign-up.

http://www.qagrizzlies.org/News_Events/Events/Spring/index.htm

Let's shoot for five tables of 8 (forty or more) and command center stage. Email me when you sign-up so as I can keep a roster and encourage others as the date nears.

Well back to the Dinner review as it were:

Attendance at the February 2010 dinner included: Allen Lester, Bob & Karen Morris, Don Giles, Ed & Joan Schnebele, Gary Anderson & Patty Bickley, **Gordy Fouts**, Jan Kirtley/Hannaford & Bob, Jan Sumbardo/Rothwell, Jim & Peggy Padden, Linda Sue Vieth/Storbakken, Marilyn Weber/Blue & Keith, Meri Gundram/England & Don Hanson, Nancy Trout/Hilliard & Bob, Penny Walter/Barker, Robin Espeth/Asprea, Sally Marshall/Jacobsen & Red, and Vicky Weiss/Forman.

More event news will follow as soon as we have more definite information, so stay tuned; there is a GRIZ'58 event opportunity in your future.