

MEMBERSHIP MILESTONES

Give a ROARRRR to the following Tigers when you see them:

New Members:

Pat Hoelker – 2008 – 2010 US JCI Senate President

Claudia Sheridan – Santa Clarita Valley

Upgraded to Life Membership:

Marty Lowe - Hayward

Renewed:

Monique Wind - Vallejo

WHO'S NEXT? to renew your Annual Membership for \$25, or to upgrade to Life Membership for \$100, please contact Tigh Tiger Kevin Alson at either kjalson@yahoo.com or 714-791-1735.

Letter from our Terrible Tiger - Brian Omatsu

Greetings Fellow Tigers!!!

It is an Honor and Privilege to serve this year as your 34th Terrible Tiger. I have had a long history with the Jaycees starting in April 1982 and continuing to this day. I have held the local chapter positions of CDVP, IDVP, Chapter President (Ventura Jaycees) and on the State level as District Governor 6, State Program Manager and State-Wide Individual Development Vice President. I have served as your Tiger Tamer, Tiger-At-Arms and most recently, Nasty Tiger.

This year we will be looking to move forward in a new direction. In recent years past we have become recognized

not for our social programs but our training programs for the California Jaycees. We will continue with this in our coming year and look to streamline the process to meet these tough economic times. We are combining our Future Officers Training Program into one program for the North and the South to be held in a Central location in California in the month of



November. Last year we ran

into a conflict with the US Jaycees and the holiday season so this should alleviate that situation. We are also going to be forming a new Training Task Force within the Corps to be made available to any and all who is looking for help in their chapters. We have a lot of talent at our fingertips and we will be utilizing all of you in our goal to reach as many chapters as possible. Our emphasis this year will not just be on training but on recruitment as well.



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Note from your Tired Tiger - Clarence L. Jorif

Thank you all for a fabulous year as Terrible Tiger #33. Your dedication and commitment to me and our Tiger organization was greatly appreciated.

On June 14, 2009, I had the opportunity as your Tired Tiger to attend the "Corps of the Corps" meeting which was held in Atlanta, GA. I had a great time and was able to induct fourteen honorary Tigers, including one who became an annual member. It

was an awesome experience seeing and interacting with friends and corps members from throughout the United States.

It always takes a team effort and I had the best team assembled to help me at the "Corps of the Corps" meeting. My heartfelt thanks goes out to Sandy McManus, Katina Repp, Jeanne Vanderhyde, Karen Talamantes, and Sonia Rodriguez. I was a "thorn

amongst roses" and they sure made me look good. Our own Doug Meyers was also in attendance, but he had his hands full running for US JCI Senate President.

Now it's time for me to take my rightful place in the back of the room with the Past Terrible Tigers and watch 2009 – 2010 unfold. Terrible Tiger Brian -- good luck & many successes in your year. TT33@californiatigers.org

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Be looking for communication from your new Nasty Tiger, Debbie Proceso, as we go forward in this endeavor.

At this time, I would like to welcome to the Tiger Board your new officers. Your Nasty Tiger this year is Debbie Proceso (San Jose Jaycees) and she brings with her a wealth of knowledge and a host of contacts within this great state of ours. Your new Tiger Paw is Lynne Hansen (San Jose

Jaycees), another great addition and leader who is working hand in hand with Debbie and me to bring training home to the California Jaycees. Cindy Barrett (Cupertino Jaycees) is your new Tiger Tamer and we are looking forward to her innovative and fun inductions. Your Tiger-At-Arms is Judy Keating (Hayward Jaycees) and I am looking to her to help keep order in our, at times, out of control but extremely

entertaining General Membership Meetings. Your Tight Tiger this year is Kevin Alson (Long Beach Jaycees) and he is already keeping us on the straight and narrow when it comes to our finances. Your Divine Tiger or Chaplain is Jeanne Vanderhyde (San Jose Jaycees) and even though she currently lives out of state, she will be in touch with all of you.

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**Our newest Tiger:
Claudia Sheridan
Santa Clarita Valley**



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Nasty Tiger Letter - Debbie Proceso

My name is Debbie Proceso, and this year I will be serving as your Nasty Tiger. I have been a Tiger since 2000 and I have served on the Board as Secretary, Sergeant at Arms and a Pride Director.

Jaycees is in our family's blood. My sister, Jeanne Vanderhyde, has been a member of the San Jose Jaycees since the 80's and is still active as a Senator. I am a Senator from the San Jose Jaycees and I had the

privilege to serve as the Chapter President for 18 months (during that year change thing). I am still involved with the San Jose Jaycees (my niece, Christina, is currently the President), and my daughter, Kristin is a past president, so I kind of have to be involved.

We are currently putting together a Tiger Training Task Force of Tigers that are willing to go to local chapters and provide train-

ing for their Board and General Members on a variety of topics.

Please email me at nasty-tiger@californiatigers.org and let me know if you would like to become a member of our Task Force or if you know of a Chapter that would like us to come and do some training. I look forward to serving you this year.

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If you should hear of anything happening in another Tiger's life, please contact her so she may send something out to them. Last but not least, your new Tired Tiger, CJ Jorif #33 (Pomona Jaycees) will be on hand to help any and all who are looking for that extra step in getting their chapters some assistance.

We are currently looking for Tiger Pride Directors in the South. We are always looking to induct new Tigers so if you know of anyone you feel is deserving of being the best of the

best, please contact me or any of the aforementioned officers and we will look into it. Congratulations to Claudia Sheridan who became a Tiger at the Auxiliary Meeting in Visalia in May. You did well, Claudia!!

We are moving in a new direction, California, and we need your help to make an impact this year. Please help us by signing up to be on the Tiger Training Task Force. We need your expertise and training experience to make a difference!

See you all in August at the JCI

California Election Meeting!!!

Yours in Tiger Pride,

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Brian Omatsu
Terrible Tiger #34
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Note from Our Tiger Paw - Lynne Hansen

Welcome to another year of the Tigers. I am excited to be your Tiger Paw for 2009/2010. I have been in the Jaycees on and off since 1993 in a variety of chapters—LA Junior Chamber, San Diego Jaycees where I was chapter president in 2004 and San Jose Jaycees (twice). I recently was honored with a

Senatorship and I am truly excited to be moving forward as an alumni of this great organization — Tigers and Senators — Woo hoo!!!

I would like to make these newsletters as interesting as possible for you so I ask you to help me with that task. Send me your photos of Tigers at work or

at play. If you like send me an article — note—articles must not exceed 200 words. The deadlines for submitting photos or articles for the newsletters are: Friday, September 18, 2009, Friday, December 18, 2009 and Thursday, March 18, 2010. Send to tiger-paw@californiatigers.org

Tiger at Arms Report - Judy Keating

There has been a little conversation on how the Tigers meetings have been held in the past. I just want to inform the new Tigers when current members disrupt the meetings they are doing it to get fined. It is one of the methods that we use to raise money to send Jaycees Individual Development competitors to National meetings for ID com-

petitions. We use the fines to help pay part of the cost of registration and travel. In no way are the antics of the Tigers meant to undermined the Terrible Tiger it's just all in fun and camaraderie as new members of the tigers I hop this gives you some insight on how and why we do the things we do at the meetings, it's just all in fun and

to raise money for the Jaycees competitors.
tiger-at-arms@californiatigers.org

Tight Tiger Letter - Kevin Alson

In an effort to meet with today's challenging economy, the 2009 – 2010 Tiger Board has reduced the prices for membership to the following:

The **New Member Kit** is \$150 and consists of the following:

New members pay \$75 for the application, annual pin, and inductee designated shirt, and \$75 for the pins and drawing tickets to sell for the CA Tigers. Sell them to recoup the \$75.

The **Life Membership** is available for new as well as current Annual Members:

New members pay the above listed \$150 for the New Member Kit, plus \$75 *on the night of their induction* as a new member, in order to receive their Life Member pin. Current Annual Members pay \$100 at

any time to upgrade to a Life Membership.

So, New Annual Members have a one-time opportunity to save \$25 on their Life Membership by taking this step on their induction night. After that, they must pay the full upgrade cost of \$100.

Remember, Annual Members pay \$25 every May as Annual Dues, regardless of when they joined. Whether they joined in August, November, or in February, they still pay their Annual Dues in May. The alternative is to become a Life Member.

These new prices benefit new members, as well as

existing members. So, take advantage of these savings by renewing, upgrading, or nominating a new Tiger, today. Lastly, check out the products form in this issue, and on the web-site, for our pins, drawing tickets, and shirts. Stay tuned for upcoming information on our new shirts, new baby tiger pins, and a complete products catalog with hundreds of new items available.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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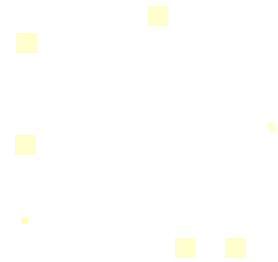
Our Divine Tiger - Jeanne Vanderhyde

Terrible Tiger Brian asked us to write a little about our Jaycee career for this edition of the ROAR. I would do that but I can't remember most of it and it would be over the 200 word limit provided us by Tiger Paw Lynne. So instead I thought I would tell you all some things you may not know about me. First yes I live in Maryland and commute for Tiger meetings. It is insane but that is an accurate description for me. Second, I have been spending a lot of time learning about horse racing and

my current favorite horse is Rachel Alexandra - the 3 year old filly that won the Preakness. (Her daddy's picture is hanging on my wall at home.) Lastly, I believe that the Tigers is a place for the best of the best to have fun, let go and do all of the politically incorrect things that they cannot do at other times when they are being the leaders of the Jaycee organization. If we do some good at the same time that is a bonus.

I have only 18 words left to tell

you my goals for this year.....so I will have to tell you later.
divine-tiger@californiatigers.org



A word from Pride Director 1 - Sonya Stauffer

Hello My Fellow Tigers,

My name is Sonya Stauffer and I will be proudly serving as your 2009-2010 District 1 Pride Director. I'm looking forward to a fun filled year. We have a couple of huge events going on up here in the north. Come out and join the fun.

07/17/2009 - 07/19/2009
 Salmon Feed (Famous District 17 DGM) Klamath Salmon

Feed and J.C.I. Social Campout. Come join your fellow Jaycees and relax among the redwoods Registration is available at:
<http://crescentcityjaycees.org/annual/dgm.php>

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<http://cajaycees.org/index.php/calendar/details/159-state->

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A word from Pride Director 17 - Adam Anderson

The District 17 Pride is roaring in to our 2009/2010 year. Join me in roaming up to Klamath CA, where the Crescent City Jaycees are hosting the Salmon Feed on July 17 - 19. This is also the District 17 Meeting for the second quarter. This is the event of the year so don't miss it!

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If you are an Annual Member, your membership dues must be current. Annual Dues of \$25 are due and payable every May. The other option is to become a Life Member at the recently reduced price of \$100.

If you are unsure of your membership status, want to pay, or have any questions re dues, please e-mail the Tight Tiger (Treasurer): kjalson@yahoo.com and Kevin will be glad to assist you.

Please note: any expired Annual Members, at the time of the next CA Tigers Roar publication in 3 months, will be dropped from the distribution list. We need to make sure that time and money is spent on current members. If you need assistance or have questions with dues, please e-mail Kevin as stated above. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter!



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