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PROGRAM FOR SEPTEMBER -- BERRIEN C. KETCHUM, CHAIRMAN

Friday, September 7

Speaker: Edward M. Lange, Jr.
Topic: "Birmingham's Good Neighbor - The Leader Dog"

Tuesday, September 11

Speaker: William J. Kalmar, Asst. Vice President
Detroit Bank and Trust
Topic: "Personal and Home Security Techniques"

Friday, September 21

Speaker: Jean Ketchum
Topic: "Bells through History"

Friday, September 28

Topic: "The 1978 World Series Tigers" (Motion Picture)
Special Guest: Charles Gehringer, former Tiger great. He'll
answer questions after the movie.

PROGRAM FOR OCTOBER -- CHARLES W. RENFREW, CHAIRMAN

Friday, October 5 Speaker and subject to be announced.

DISCUSSION GROUP SUBJECTS -- BILL WILSON, CHAIRMAN

Friday, Sept. 7 "Copenhagen and Norway"
Murray Stewart, Leader

Tuesday, Sept. 11 "Change in Life Styles"
Clem Ludden, Leader

Friday, Sept. 21 "India"
Hol Mabley, Leader

Friday, Sept. 28 "Odyssey in Wyoming - Mountain Den, Fur Trappers,
and Traders of the Old West"
John Moseley and Joe Bachman, Leaders

Friday, Oct. 5 "Escorted or Unescorted Travel -- Which is Best?"
Bill Stockwell, Leader

DATES TO REMEMBER:

No meeting Friday, September 14. We meet Tuesday, September 11, instead.
Bowling starts: Monday, September 10. Golf Banquet: Tuesday, October 2.
Camera Group meets Tuesday, September 11.
Executive Board meets Tuesday, September 18.

THE REMINDER

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BOWLING SEASON OPENS SEPTEMBER 10 AT NEW LOCATION

Bowling this season will be at Birmingham Bowl, 1000 Webster -- between Adams and Hunter, about a block north of Lincoln. Play begins at 9:30 a.m. Monday, September 10, using alleys 19 through 28. Look for schedule on their bulletin board opening day. 42 regulars are already signed up, with nine signed as subs. It's not too late to sign up as a sub.

Bowling Committee: Joe Sackerson, Chairman, Phone 646-1630
Marcel DeSmet, Vice Chairman, 644-3458

DREYER APPOINTED TO COORDINATING COUNCIL BY EXECUTIVE BOARD

Walt Dreyer has been appointed to represent your club on the Birmingham Area Seniors Coordinating Council. The Council has an information office at room 101, Derby School --- open Monday - Friday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Phone - 642-5832.

GOLF LEAGUE NEWS -- CHICK HOLMES, CHAIRMAN

As in past years, September will be tournament month and all golfers who have turned in 5 scores or more will be eligible for prizes. Handicaps will be posted with the starter on the first Thursday, September 6, and tournament play will continue through September 20. 80% of the difference between each golfer's average for the season and par will determine handicap.

Save the evening of Tuesday, October 2, for our Annual Golf Banquet. The Social Hour will begin at 5:45 p.m. and dinner will be served at 6:15 p.m. Price per ticket: \$8.00.

As of this date (August 25) we have played three times in August, and the outstanding round was 34 by "Hockey" Melikian. Closest-to-the-Pin results were: August 2 - W. Dreyer, 17'1". August 16 - L. Lytle, 8'3". August 23 - Bud Angevine, 4'3". August 23 was the day for birdies. Birdies were made on No. 6 by Angevine, Turner, and Brown -- and on No. 7 by F. Hanson and Fisher. High score on one hole was a 12 at No. 5!

Door prizes donated for the Golf Banquet will be welcomed by the Golf Committee.

ANOTHER GOLF HAZARD

"Golf is a lot like life; each challenge is hard won. As soon as you're out of one hole; you head for another one."

REMEMBER -- MEETING TUESDAY, SEPT. 11

There's no meeting Friday, September 14. WE MEET ON TUESDAY, THE 11TH.

ATTENDANCE POLICY CLARIFIED BY EXECUTIVE BOARD

While all members know that they are required to attend at least ten meetings a year, some of our friskier members are ducking out of the meetings almost immediately after checking in. This won't do, says the Executive Board (with a frown).

Attendance at a meeting means remaining at least through the business portion, leaving (if you must) just before the main program is introduced; about 11:30.

Because we still have a long waiting list of men who really want to join, it's only fair that our present members abide by our rules of attendance. A closer scrutiny is being instituted.

JULY BRIDGE REPORT -- JOSEPH R. HENNINGER - CHAIRMAN

There were 336 bridge players for the 4 weeks in July for an average of 84 players per week.

10 HIGHEST SCORES DURING JULY WERE: 10 HIGHEST AVERAGES FOR JULY WERE:

1. Mel Colville	4890	1. Russ Davies	3135
2. Claude Morrow	4720	2. Bill Renton	3120
3. LeRoy Snell	4670	3. Claude Morrow	3015
4. Chris Hilliker	4580	4. Bill Hanlon	3000
5. Les Wilder	4460	5. Les Wilder	2910
6. Dan Watts	4290	6. Chris Hilliker	2890
7. Bill Hanlon	4120	7. Ben Winters	2780
8. Nelson Jones	4080	8. Al Voss	2750
9. Bill Renton	4060	9. LeRoy Snell	2740
10. Henry Wholihan	3990	10. Charlie Kass	2730

Low Score during this period was 390 by Clarence Johnson

There were 1 Grand Slam and 12 Small Slams bid and made during this period.

CAMERA GROUP -- BOB BROWN - CHAIRMAN

The Camera Group will meet on Tuesday, September 11, at 2:00 p.m. in the Girl Scouts' Room of the Community House.

Muir Frey will present his findings on the subject: "What's Available in 110 Size Cameras." Whether you are interested in 110 cameras or are simply curious about camera developments, Muir will have something to tell you.

BEFORE GOING SOUTH -- REMEMBER YOUR "REMINDER"

Members retreating to the warm climes for the winter months are invited to leave stamped addressed envelopes with our Corresponding Secretary (the jovial but efficient Arthur Newman, who can be found at the speakers' table every Friday). He will personally send the regular issues of this publication for as many months as you supply him with stamped envelopes, addressed to your winter residence.

MEMBERSHIP VITAL STATISTICS

NEW MEMBERS

RUMSEY, John D. 4405 Oak Grove	7/79 BH	626-6064 48013
JAGNOW, George T. 4480 Torry Ln.	7/79 BH	647-1646 48013
SEIBOLD, Paul F. 1760 N. Woodward #41	7/79 BH	647-5806 48013

IN MEMORY OF

William S. Smith, who joined our club in July, 1976, and died July 15, 1979. He was a retired accountant with Fisher Body Division of GM. He was an Elder and Deacon of Westminster Presbyterian Church for 34 years.

Hans F. Deckert, who joined our club in October, 1965, and died August 8, 1979. Hans was one of the pioneers of the Sanders confectionery and bakery organization, retiring as superintendent after 50 years of service.

Bertram H. Brandt, who joined our club in January, 1972, and died August 24, 1979. Among his accomplishments, while with Michigan Bell Telephone Company, were a number of high posts in marketing, including "Independent Company Relations Manager" which involved relations with 150 independent phone companies. He also served as General Sales Manager.

ADDRESS CHANGES

Ken Eyestone has moved to the Franklin Club Apartments, Apt. C-117, 28309 Franklin Road, Southfield, 48034. New phone number, 353-8396.

Leland N. Worthley's new address is 240 W. Lincoln, Birmingham, 48009.

Gene Hubbard sends his regards to our members from California. His new address is 2211 Massachusetts Avenue, Lemon Grove, California, 92045.

ANNIVERSARIES

Mabel and Reinie Zeidler celebrated their Golden Anniversary, August 1, while vacationing at the Homestead, near Traverse City.

ASSOCIATE MEMBER NEWS

Birthdays were celebrated by:

J. Nelson Brown	- July 22	Kenneth Forston	- July 18
William A. Hyland	- Aug. 31	R. F. Marson	- Aug. 6

John Slater, now of Chapel Hill, North Carolina, visited us July 27 and reports that all is well in the Piedmont.