

MINUTES OF REUNION PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING Saturday, January 12, 2019

“ ... I've been thinking 'bout all the faces we've missed so let's get back together and do it again ...”

The meeting was held at noon at Mama's Cafe and was attended by classmates Mike Byrne, Loyd Gibbs, Gary Caswell, Jeanette Evans Wyland, Bob McWhorter, Whitey Lasswell, and Ken Pearce. Joan Caswell, Mac Class of '64 was a guest attendee.

FORMAT/TIMING/VENUES

REUNION WEEKEND: October 18-19, 2019.

SATURDAY NIGHT VENUE: The Old San Francisco Steakhouse. Cost per person for Saturday night event TBD.

FRIDAY NIGHT VENUE: After hearing a report from Mike Byrne concerning two other venues (The Barn Door and The Alamo Café), the La Hacienda de los Barrios was tentatively approved for the Friday night venue. The Mexican Food buffet is reasonably priced and should make a good contrast to the Saturday menu. Cash bar will be available. We are considering paying for the Friday night food out of class funds and requesting donations at the door to help defray the cost. We estimate the cost at about \$800.

SATURDAY EVENTS: We will be polling the class to see how many are interested in playing golf on Saturday. If interested, contact [Bob Records](#). Another suggested activity was a party boat barge ride on the San Antonio River, including the Museum Reach, which is accessible only via locks.

BUDGET

Current class bank account balance is the same--\$3,568.59.

SUBCOMMITTEES

The usual subcommittees will be staffed in the near future:

FACULTY OUTREACH/CLASSMATE OUTREACH: not discussed.

IN MEMORY: not discussed.

MEMORABILIA: not discussed.

MUSIC: No change to Minutes from 07/28/19: "In keeping with our purpose of conversation and reconnecting, most did not want a band or DJ. However, we discussed the option of bringing our own speakers and Bluetooth in. Our contact person at the Old San Francisco Steakhouse said this would be no problem."

SLIDESHOW: not discussed

HOTEL ROOM SURVEY: About a dozen classmates have indicated a desire for hotel rooms during the Reunion, with the responses just about evenly split between downtown and old neighborhood. It may not be possible to satisfy both groups.

NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING

The next meeting will be held at [the La Hacienda de los Barrios](#), our proposed venue for Friday night, 18747 Redland Rd., San Antonio, Texas 78259, on Saturday, March 23, 2019 at noon.

P.S. After the meeting, a group of us visited Mr. George H. Vahey at [Franklin Park Assisted Living Alamo Heights](#). We stayed for about an hour and a half and could have stayed much longer listening to his stories. If you'd like to call him, his tel. no. (210) 930-7523.