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BOSTON BEANSTALKS TALL CLUB (BBTC) SOCIAL CALENDAR

THE BOSTON BEANSTALKS TALL CLUB is a social organization for adult women 5'10" and above, and men 6'2" and above. Our members live, work and host events in MA, ME, NH, RI & VT. Visit our website at www.hubtall.org or call 617-HUB-TALL for more information.

MARCH 2008

Deadline for the April Newsletter: Friday, March 21st



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Al was always a good sport, and here he is being made up as a clown for the BBTC Clown Weekend, a few years before he was to be King!

We will miss you, Al

Albert V. "Big Al" Wainwright Jr. 73, a longtime resident of Westford died on Friday, February 29, 2008. He was born on October 7, 1934, in Chelmsford, the son of the late Albert V. Sr. and Jean (Bergsten) Wainwright. He was a United States Army Veteran who served in the 23rd Infantry at Fort Benning, Georgia. He graduated from Chelmsford High School, Class of 1952. He then furthered his education at Northeastern University and the Boston Museum of Fine Arts Institute. He was an avid skier, who invented and patented the SKI-RYT ski-sharpening tool. He was also a member and former president of the Lawrencian Ski Club of Bartlett, NH, a member of the Mountain Meisters, and raced NASCAR well into his 60's. He had skied the North Conway area since the 1950's as well as Idaho, Colorado Rockies and Tuckerman's Ravine. He was the past president of the Boston Beanstalks Tall Club and was elected Mr. Tall Boston, 1998. He completed two Boston Marathons, boxed in the Golden Gloves heavyweight division and was a competitive long distance swimmer. During the early 60's he played semi-pro football for the Billerica Knights, Nashua Giants and Quincy Patriots. He also trained with the 1961 Boston Patriots of the American Football League. He enjoyed traveling to Las Vegas and Mohegan Sun as well as playing the lottery. He is survived by a sister; Nancy W. Coleman of Westford, two nephews; Bruce A. Coleman and his wife Carol and David W. Coleman all of Westford. Mr. Wainwright also leaves two great nieces; Kristin J. Coleman and Stacy K. Coleman, both of Westford. Visiting hours will be held on Tuesday from 2 to 4 p.m. and from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Blake Funeral Home, 24 Worthen St., CHELMSFORD. Funeral Services will be held privately. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the National Kidney Foundation, 30 East 33rd St., New York, NY 10016. Arrangements by Blake Funeral Home, CHELMS-FORD.

MARCH 2008

HAPPENINGS

Monday, Mar. 3rd Time: 6:30 PM Cost: Participation

Business Meeting & Dinner

Panera 120 Highland Ave. Needham, MA (781) 453-4005 It's time for the great minds of the BBTC to come together and make it all happen! From finance to publicity, and social to fund raising for Marfan this group gets it done! Come join us and be an essential and active participant in the club. This is a night to express your ideas for and about events and the direction you feel our club should be taking. Or just come by to see how things work with the club officers.

DIRECTIONS:

<u>From Route 95/128</u>: Take Exit 19A (marked Highland Ave.). Go to the first traffic light. Staples is on the left-hand side and Panera is on the right. There is a parking lot behind the restaurant.

<u>MBTA:</u> Take the D train of the Green Line to Newton Highlands. Walk up to Walnut Street and cross to the corner of Walnut and Lincon Streets. There is a bus stop there for the #59 bus to Needham.



Proposed Bylaw Change

To Be Voted on at the March, 2008 Business Meeting

The purpose of these changes is to streamline the annual membership renewal process by renewing all members at the same time each year.

Article 4 Dues and Fees Section 1: Dues

Previous wording:

- A. Single Members shall pay dues annually, payable on the anniversary of their acceptance into membership in the Club.
- B. Married Members shall pay dues annually, payable on the anniversary of their acceptance into membership in the Club.

Proposed wording:

- A. Single Members shall pay dues annually, payable on July 1st of each year. Payment for initial membership will be prorated to the amount due for the number of months between acceptance into membership in the club and the regular July 1st annual renewal for all club members.
- B. Married Members shall pay dues annually, payable on July 1st of each year. Payment for initial membership will be prorated to the amount due for the number of months between acceptance into membership in the club and the regular July 1st annual renewal for all club members.



Nature Walk, April The famed "A Day in May" Party Bicycling on Block Island Tall June Picnic, Goddard Park, Warwick, RI Kayaking to Narragansett Beach, RI

Then lots of summer fun! Think warm thoughts. :)

THE BEAN POD

MARCH 2008

Friday, Mar. 7th Time: 6:00 -8:00PM Cost: Optional Drinks

MEET & GREET RIVERBEND BAR & GRILL

Newton Marriott 2345 Comm. Ave. Route 30, Newton 617-HUB-TALL

This month we honor Richard Halperin of Copies Inc.

who was always there for us over the years printing our Bean Pods and Pageant programs. We will present him with a special plaque and thank him for all his help.

So please join your Beanstalk friends for an evening of celebration, libations, conversations, great food and a relaxed mood. And for all of you new and prospective Beans: DON'T BE SHY!

Come right on in! You can't miss us! Just look for the group that stands above the rest. Our wonderful members will be sure to make you feel welcome!

DIRECTIONS:

Take 128 to exit 24 (Rt. 30). At the end of the ramp, go right. The Marriott is just ahead on the left. The Riverbend Bar and Grill is to the right when you go in the main hotel entrance.



REMEMBER, THE DEADLINE FOR THE APRIL BEANPOD IS MARCH 21st!

To schedule your event, contact our Social Director Jane Zanichkowsky at 617-244-6079 or social@hubtall.org

Sunday, Mar. 9th Time: 11 AM Cost: Walk is free, & brunch money **SINGLES** WALK AND BRUNCH Jamaica Pond

Jamaica Polid Jamaica Plain, MA Host: Robyn Laing, 617-524-4474 We are joining up with another singles organization for a nice relaxing Sunday morning walk (assuming it isn't snowing or raining!).... For those that would like to stretch their legs in the fresh air, we will be walking from Jamaica Pond (meet at the boat house) down to & around Olmsted Park from 11am thru 12 noon or so, after which we will stroll back up to The Alchemist Lounge for Brunch @ 12.30pm.

If you over-sleep and / or don't feel like walking around the Pond, you can head directly to the restaurant anytime from 12.30pm.

NOTE: **** RSVP is ESSENTIAL for this event ****

Our fellow singles organization (The Post Club) requires preregistration / RSVP for this event, so you need to RSVP a Yes or Maybe if you will / might attend this event. We also need an accurate attendee list so that we can contact everyone should the weather on the day be not conducive to walking (in which case we may just go directly to brunch @ 11am). In your RSVP, please indicate whether you will attend the Brunch or not, so that we can have an accurate headcount for our reservation at the restaurant.

Please RSVP online to this event at Meetup: http://tall.meetup.com/15/calendar/7381364/

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: The boat house on the pond is close by the corner of S. Huntington and Perkins St.

From Route 128 North: Take exit 20A to Route 9 East. Follow to Brookline Village. Turn right onto Pond St., following the sign for the Jamaicaway (turn right onto the J-way at end of Pond St.). Continue until you reach the traffic light at Perkins St. Turn left onto Perkins.

Public Transportation: Take the Green Line E Branch to the end (Heath Street). Transfer to a #39 bus which, will take you south on S. Huntington Ave., right past Perkins Street. Route #39 originates in Copley Square.

For the Alchemist Lounge: (see next page...)

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Go to http://www.alchemistlounge.com/

Click on "Hours & Directions" to get map & directions from CitySearch. There is limited parking on the street; public parking lots available nearby on Center Street (Spring Park Ave) and by the Hi-Lo Foods Minimarket on Hyde Square.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT: Take the Green Line E Branch to the end (Heath Street). Transfer to a #39 bus which, will take you south on S. Huntington Ave, right by the Lounge. Route #39 originates in Copley Square.

Sunday, Mar. 16th Time: 8:30 Cost: \$ for food

Pre-Parade Breakfast

Host: Wini Peterson Newcomb Farms 31 Beale St. Quincy, MA (617) 834-6292(Wini's cell phone number)

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Before we join the St. Paddy's parade in Southie, we have decided it might be easier for some to meet beforehand and park, then go together by T. So we will meet at **Newcomb Farms** and have a little breakfast at 8:30 AM. Newcomb Farms is at 31 Beale St., Quincy one block from the Wollaston "T" Station. You can park at the Wollaston "T" station for \$3.00, unless you can find on-street parking (no tickets on Sunday). We will then head out and take the "T" to **Broadway Station** so we are there by 11:00 AM to get in line at the Parade.

If you would rather join us at the parade

grounds, keep my cell phone number handy, 617-834-6292, and we will make sure you find us.

DIRECTIONS: Newcomb Farms is at 31 Beale St., Quincy one block from the Wollaston "T" Station. You can park at the Wollaston "T" station for \$3.00, unless you can find on-street parking (no tickets on Sunday). Otherwise please use mapquest to map the route to: Newcomb Farms Restaurant 31 Beale St. Quincy, MA or call them at (617) 472-9641.



Sunday, Mar. 16th Time: Breakfast 8:30 Parade 11:00 Cost: Free **SOUTH BOSTON'S ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE** Host: Wini Peterson South Boston, MA

(617) 834-6292 (Wini's

cell phone number)

It's parade time! Join Joan, Wini O'Peterson, past royalty, and parade watchers' favorites—our tallest guys! on a day filled with fun. Come on out, and wear green (and comfortable shoes) for the Irish and the Beanstalks! We have a spot in the South Boston St. Patrick's Day Parade, the secondlargest parade in the country. Help show the city what a fun, vibrant club we are! Pass out BBTC business cards--it brought us a number of prospects last year. Past royalty are invited to attend, wearing their sashes and crown pins. Meet at the parade grounds at 11 AM.

Wini would like to know how many will be joining us,

so please email me at **annewini@msn.com** or call me 617-834-6292. I have promised to bring jello shots to keep us warm. It worked last year, especially with the Dublin Police Department!

DIRECTIONS:

Take the MBTA Red Line to the Broadway stop. From there, any parade official (look for the people with clipboards) can direct you to our starting point. Do not drive--you will not find parking!



Sunday, March 16th Time: About 4 PM, after parade Cost: Meal and drinks **DINNER AT THE FOWLER HOUSE** 1049 Hancock St. Quincy, MA Host: Wini Peterson (617) 834-6292 After working up a good appetite being in the parade, or even if you didn't make the parade and just wanna catch up with your tall friends, come on over for some good pub food. After the Parade, which ends at the Andrew "T" Station, parade-goers can take the "T" back to Wollaston, and from there we head over to the Fowler House Café for much need food and drink. Parade goers will arrive around 4:00, depending on when we finish the parade route and get to the restaurant. You can call Wini on her cell for an estimated time of arrival!

DIRECTIONS:

Fom the north:

Southeast Expressway (Route 93) South to Furnace Brook Parkway - Quincy. Follow Furnace Brook Parkway to Hancock Street. Turn Right. Fowler House Cafe is located approx. 1/4 mile on right.

From the south:

Take Route 3 North take exit 19 to Quincy Center on to Burgin Parkway. See below for directions from Burgin Parkway.

From Burgin Parkway:

At the 7th set of lights take a right onto Dimmock Street. Turn left at lights onto Hancock Street. Fowler House House Cafe is located approx. 1/4 mile down Hancock Street on the left. Friday, Mar. 21st Time: 6:00 PM Cost: Drinks/Food

WATCH CITY BREWING COMPANY

256 Moody St. Waltham, MA 02154 (781) 647-4000 Come on over to Waltham and rub elbows with Boston Beanstalks for a relaxing TGIF at a favorite local watering hole. Watch City is renowned for its variety of craft-brewed beers, and their food is rather tasty as well! Or if you have never been to Watch City, why not come on out and do something different with your tall friends? Beats the predictable staying home watching TV, hey? There were be reruns of "Law and Order" all summer long, so save some for the summer!

DIRECTIONS

Take your favorite route to I95/128. From 128 North/South, take Exit 26 (Rte. 20 East).

Follow Rte. 20 East for approximately 1 1/2 miles (7 lights) through downtown Waltham until you see Sovereign Bank on your right. Take that right onto Moody Street. Follow Moody Street until the second set of lights.

Watch City is directly on the left at the intersection of Moody and Pine. There is parking (free after 6 PM) behind the restaurant. Just take the left at Pine Street and the second left after the building. To view a map, visit **www.watchcitybrew.com**.

OUR SOCIAL DIRECTOR NEEDS YOU!

Hosts are needed to fill our calendar with events and get us all together to do what we do best ... have fun, socialize and meet old friends and make new friends! There are plenty of great ideas for fun events: sporting events - either going to a game or hosting a party to watch a game; winery or brewery tours, host a themed party at your house (New Member, Mad Hatter, Hillbilly Xmas, Holiday Themes, etc.), karaoke night; meet & greet at your favorite watering hole, dancing, bowling, miniature golf, Tall golf, billiards ... the list is endless! We just need you to step up to the plate and host an event! Plan something today and let's fill next month's calendar with fun events!



To schedule your social event contact our social director: *Jane Zanichkowsky* Phone: 617-244-6079 Email: social@hubtall.org

Social Policies

Although it is suggested that a friendly disposition be shown at the various functions, persistent display of unwanted attention is inappropriate. If you should find yourself the recipient of unwanted, inappropriate attention or in any position that causes you unease, it is imperative that you notify any or all members of the board so that immediate and appropriate action may be taken. The Boston Beanstalks believes in a zero tolerence policy toward sexual harassment and will investigate said action and take appropriate action when deemed nescessary.

When attending a BBTC house party, members and guests agree to cooperate with the host or hostess to ensure their safe return home in case the host or hostess believes that it is unsafe for them to drive. The other members of the club in attendance will make every effort to be supportive of the whatever stand the host or hostess may wish to take. The Boston Beanstalks Tall Club encourages the use of car pools and "designated drivers." Hosts and hostesses may specify that a party will be alcohol free. *The Bean Pod* will identify "dry" parties in the events listings section.

BBTC Secretary's Report



By Kay Helberg 2/4/08

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM

Present: Marie Austin, Elaine Senay, Kay Helberg, Jan Huffman, Susan Huffman. John Bewick, Kathy Lewis, Craig Scherman, Stephan Shcherby, Jeff Stevens

OFFICERS' REPORTS:

PRESIDENT: Joan out of the country.

VICE PRESIDENT: Marie discussed in detail the results of the "Tall Ball" Anniversary Dance. A very enjoyable time for those who attended (54 attendees). The band was excellent and very well received. We were very pleased with the hotel in regards to location, service and venue. They didn't lock us into the 50 minimum for dinner, but took the count of 34 a few days before the event and we still got the room for free (instead of \$500 if we had not had dinner). The food was very good but we will need to decide next year if it is fiscally worth it to have dinner since there were limited club members in attendance and the (generous) price breaks did not seem to attract more folks for dinner. It was noted that dinner was helpful in attracting the out of town tall club members who attended. The hot appetizers were appreciated by attendees (they were complimentary as a result of last year's fire alarm issue). There was a lot of marketing that was done for the event, it was agreed that we need to market the event throughout the year. We got a couple of attendees from the Boston. com website and only got 2 people from the listing in the Boston Event Guide (which didn't seem worth the expense).

Brunch the next day had a good turnout but was not an appropriate venue. Next year we will either have it at a member's home or at the hotel (to accommodate out-of-towners).

Marie will be exploring venues for a dance in April.

SECRETARY: The January Secretary's report, published in the Bean Pod, was accepted as written.

TREASURER: Robyn not present submitted report. Treasurer's report accepted with one modification: \$105 of raffle proceeds to be moved from the dance account to the scholarship account thereby increasing the amount of subsidy from the General Fund.

MEMBERSHIP: Due to increased work demands, Kristen Gallagher has tendered her resignation Membership Director (after having just taken over the role). We discussed options - one member has expressed an interest. Will need to clarify with Kristen how we will transfer the duties.

We reviewed the schedule developed to implement annual renewal for membership dues. This change will require a bylaw change. Marie wrote up the proposed bylaw change to be published in the March Bean Pod in order to be implemented in the new fiscal year (effective July 1st). Craig will continue to send out renewal notices by mail for now.

We also discussed criteria for membership and our role as a Board in the process.

SOCIAL DIRECTOR: Jane not present.

PUBLICITY: Wini not present sent a report. We continue to have the 1st & 3rd Fridays listed on Craig's List.

We are set for the St. Patrick's Day Parade in South Boston. We have a list of members who have committed to riding or walking in the parade and encourage others to participate in this fun event! To assist with parking and to add to the event we will be meeting in Quincy for breakfast and taking the T into town together, followed by dinner at our usual stop, Fowlers.

EDITOR: Linda not present sent report.

February was our first electronic Bean Pod. Members excited about the color photos, although there was a question about how large they are when inserted (as they took a good amount of time for some folks to download). There was some confusion re: the best way to print/staple.

Linda requested clarification of the King & Queen listings in the Bean Pod we will readdress at our next meeting.

HISTORIAN: Craig is in possession of Oliver Gruter's book on the history of TCI. If anyone wants to borrow it they can sign it out from Craig. Still awaiting the missing archives from Paul Morgan. Craig will contact Paul to see if we need to develop a plan to gain access and collect all of the information again.

DATABASE: Need to insure that we have updated email addresses of our members as we switch to the electronic newsletter. Other than missing the January renewals, we have not received any word of missed members. John Bewick asked Craig for a list of members without email addresses and offered to follow-up with those few members to strategize delivery. Craig received clarification on database reports.

WEBMASTER: Jan reports the site has been updated. Stefan Shcherby volunteered to head the Web Sub Committee and has been working on a new look for the website and presented the Board with various designs he has created. We were excited and impressed with the options - still need to work on what it will take to implement.

THE BEAN POD

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SCHOLARSHIP: The link is up on the website and Kathy is directing any applicants to apply via hubtall.org. The deadline for applications is March 1st. \$105 proceeds from the 50/50 raffle at the Anniversary dance will be added to the scholarship fund.

NEATO DELEGATE: Kay reported that there were no changes this month in the upcoming NEATO events.

MARFAN LIAISON: Paul not present

TCI DELEGATE: Arthur not present.

NEW BUSINESS:

WEEKEND:

We need to have a location for our fall weekend in order to make a decision by March. John reported that he has been looking at options at ski resorts in New Hampshire where we could use condos and there would be a good spot for afterhours. Also discussed the need to be open minded about other afterhours options. Acknowledged the need to keep changing up the weekend location to make it enticing to BBTC members in addition to other Tall Clubs.

We discussed possible dates and will wait to confirm a date when the site is identified. Kay will answer the inquiry of the Tall Club of Milwaukee to let them know that we do not have a set date for our weekend and they are free to choose a September/October date.

There will be a weekend planning meeting on Monday, Feb. 11th at 6PM at the Outback Steakhouse in Medford to discuss options.

It was noted that Newport, RI was also suggested as a potential weekend site – Joan had volunteered to explore potential locations.

TCI AWARD NOMINATIONS:

Nominated Jim Nelson for Man of the Year, Marie Austin for Woman of the Year. Nominated Joan Jacobs and John Bewick for Merit Awards.

March 7th 1st Friday Happy Hour: A plaque will be presented to our printer who provided the Beanstalks with over 15 years of exceptional service. He and his wife will be invited to join us for dinner afterwards

Beanstalk Election Committee: Susan volunteered to head the election committee and will have job descriptions printed in the March Bean Pod. Kathy Lewis agreed to serve on the committee.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00PM

DATABASE OVERVIEW

By Craig Scherman

Birthdays

Lou Jacobson	Mar 11
Patrice Toole	Mar 20
Glenn Knickrehm	Mar 27

Renewals

Karl & Kay Helberg Judy Kelliher Renee Leib Meira Smith

Dues Due, Needing to Renew

Joe Burke Sheryl Ann Nowak Jane Zanichkowsky

Last Chance Carolyn Hagendorf

Boston Beanstalks Membership Statistics

Members In Good Standing 73

Males: Females:	30 43	
Individual Mem Couples Memb Couples Memb	perships:	49 12 24

BOARD ELECTIONS ARE HERE!

Please submit letters of intent to ??

Here are the official job descriptions for elected positions:

President

Duties include:

1. Calling and presiding over Executive Board (hereafter referred to as "Board") Meetings.

2. Calling and presiding over Membership Meetings.

3. Appointing all committees, subject to Board approval.

4. Serving as ex-officio member on all committees.

5. Having one year's experience as a Board member before assuming the position of President.

6. Making sure that duties of other offices are fulfilled.

Vice-President

Duties include:

1. Being responsible for making all arrangements pertaining to the dances, including payment of all expenses.

2. Temporary or permanent take-over of presidential duties when the president is not able to fulfill those responsibilities.

3. Responsibility for fund-raising activities.

Secretary

Duties include:

1. Taking minutes at each Board and Membership Meeting.

2. Typing up minutes in detailed format and sending a copy to each Board member.

3. Typing up a summary of Board minutes to submit to the Newsletter Editor for inclusion in the monthly newsletter.

4. Providing copies of minutes to interested members at the next Board and/or Membership Meeting.

5. Maintaining copies of minutes in an appropriate file that will be made available at each Board Meeting.

6. Maintaining a current resolutions list to be updated on a monthly basis.

7. Maintaining an updated BBTC Bylaws document.

8. The Policies and Resolutions document shall be maintained by the Secretary as a handbook reference, reflecting only current policy (as determined by acts of the Board and/or Membership). Policies which have been repealed or superseded should be deleted. Similar or overlapping policies should be combined to minimize verbosity and confusion.

Treasurer

Duties include:

1. Maintaining all Club bank accounts in a Board-approved bank.

2. Writing checks for all routine operating expenses without prior Board approval.

- 3. Writing checks for non-routine expenses with Board approval.
- 4. Planning a yearly budget based on past spending documentation.

5. Receiving and distributing all moneys pertaining to club business.

6. Maintaining a regular and accurate account of all Club receipts and disbursements (not just the checkbook) and submitting a monthly report to the Board.

7. Submitting periodic summary reports for various club events (e.g. dances, weekends, etc.) to the Board.

8. On request from the Board, presenting books and accounts for audit at the end of the fiscal year by a qualified individual or firm that will be appointed by the Board.

9. Providing the incoming Treasurer with appropriate documents and signature cards for a smooth turnover of checking account privileges.

10. Submitting proper documentation to the IRS to maintain a tax-free status.

11. Filing the annual corporate report with the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts by the due date.

12. Submitting periodic treasurer's reports for publication in The Bean Pod.

TCI Delegate

1. The delegate should be a Member of BBTC for one year, be a Member in good standing, someone who knows the changes that will be presented, be able to attend the annual TCI Delegates Meeting, and be able attend the June BBTC Members' meeting. Responsibilities of the delegate include a written report for presentation to the Board, and subsequent publication in the newsletter upon return in a timely fashion.

2. The delegate will provide the editor with the minutes of the TCI Executive Board.

All Board Members

Duties include:

- 1. Attendance at all Board Meetings.
- 2. Attendance at all Members Meetings.

3. Familiarity with and adherence to all of the BBTC Bylaws and the Policies & Resolutions.

- 4. Submission of monthly reports on activities to the Board.
- 5. Promotion of the Club to members and non-members alike.
- 6. Maintenance of current membership status while on the board.

7. Itemization of reimbursable bills to be given to the Treasurer in a timely fashion.

8. Preparation of a proposed annual budget for their particular job.

9. Turning over all permanent records to the Club Historian and all supplies and samples to the incoming Board member at the end of the term of office.

Paramount Tall Club of Chicago Live from Chicago ... it's Saturday night!"

May 30, 31 & June 1, 2008

<u>Full Package Includes:</u>

We're on a mission from God to make this one of the Best Weekends ever Friday - Costume Party & Dance Come as your favorite SNL Character Saturday Semi-Formal Dinner w/ Cash Bar & Dance Pool & Hot Tub till 2AM Friday & Saturday After-hours in Hospitality Suite

Hotel Reservations

DoubleTree Guest Suites & Conference Center 2111 Butterfield Rd. Downers Grove 800-222-8733 or 630-971-2000

Mention: Paramount Tall Club of Chicago Rates: \$102 per night plus tax for King or Double Suite 1-4 people (Breakfast included)

Price and room block held until 5/7/08

Hotel Pick-up

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Check <u>WWW.Tciweekends.com</u>

For transportation options *Please provide your flight information if you need help with transportation.*

Weekend Package Price:

\$ 115 postmarked before 2/11/08 \$ 125 postmarked <u>before</u> 4/30/08 \$ 135 postmarked <u>after</u> 5/1/08 Non-refundable deposit of \$60, U.S. currency will hold your package price. Pay on or before 2/11/08 to be eligible to win a Free Weekend Package!!!

<u>Activities:</u> (at an additional cost) We're going to pump you up!

Thursday: Pre-Weekend Dinner and Dancing

Saturday:

Walking tours, shopping, volleyball, Millennium Park, Buckingham Fountain, walking and biking on the beach, and more. Check the website as the date gets closer. Interested in 18 Holes of GOLF on Saturday?

Please send \$60 to guarantee a tee time.

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Yes, I will attend full time	Name Phone:		
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Yes, I will attend Thursday	City State Zip		
night pre-weekend at an additional cost.	Email Address		
Yes, I am interested in a Saturday tours.	Royalty-Yes No Club		
	Dinner Choice: Beef 🗌 Chicken 🗌 Fish 🗌 Vegetarian 🗌		
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Name:	Date:
Address:	
City:	State:Zip:
Height:	Sex: Birthday:
Occupation:	Where:
Home Phone: ()	Work Phone: ()
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