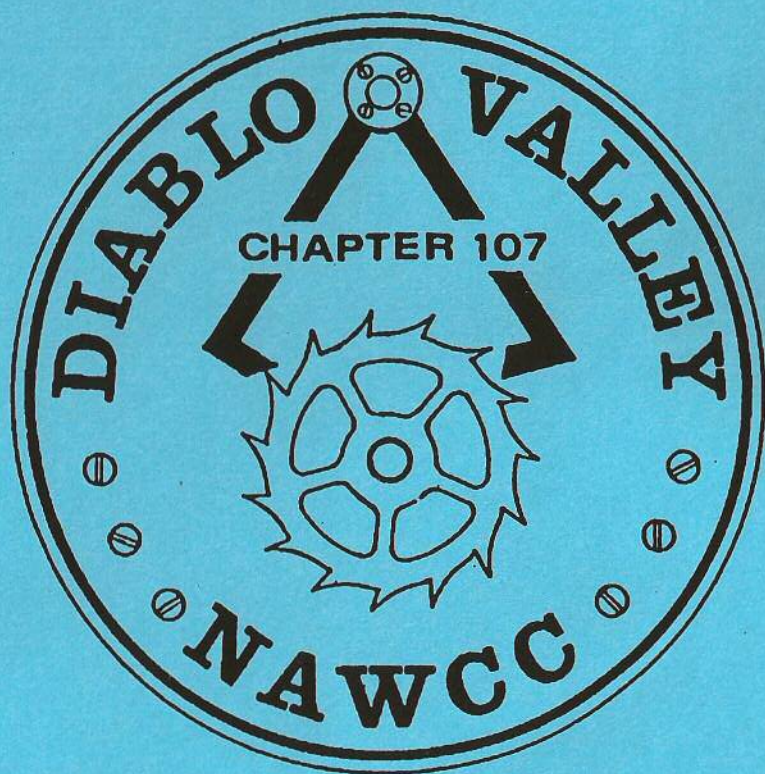


BULLETIN



December 1996
Volume 108

DIABLO VALLEY CHAPTER 107

National Association of Watch and Clock Collectors

Chapter Motto "Accent on Education"

Meetings

Chapter	Second Sunday 11:30AM	- Even numbered months
Evening	First Friday 7:00PM	- Odd numbered months
Board	Second Sunday - following the Chapter Meeting	

1996 OFFICERS

President	Jay Taylor	510-522-2409
Vice President	Rich Simpson	510-672-2051
Vice President	John Stohr	510-376-6476
Secretary	Roy Holman	510-530-5428
Treasurer	Walt Hubrig	510-685-0260
Past President	Roy Clark	510-376-6356

DIRECTORS

1996	Dick Heep	510-939-4924
1996	Russ Price	510-937-9231
1996	Dale Gardner	510-531-7565
1996/7	Lois Naye	510-934-4557
1996/7	Tom Beales	510-376-6212

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Display	****open****	
Raffle Drawing	Jack Coulter	510-284-1031
Library	Sandy Cuthill	510-686-3144
MART	****open****	
Membership	Roy Holman	510-530-5428
Nominating	John Stohr	510-376-6476
Photo	Richard Simpson	510-339-9529
Program	Richard Simpson	510-339-9529
" "	John Stohr	510-376-6476
Refreshments	Lois Naye	510-934-4557
Tool Library	Walt Hubrig	510-685-0260
Bulletin/Editor	Steve Fabes	510-831-8799

December 8th 1996 Meeting

Acalanes Adult Center
(The old Del Valle High School)

MART Set-up 11:30AM
MART Starts Noon - Ends 1.00PM
Program Starts at 1:00PM
Board Meeting follows the Program

***** December 8th Program *****

Pot Luck Holiday Lunch

Election of Officers

White Elephant Clock & Watch Auction

First the food - you should bring the following based on first letter of your surname:-

- A - D ... Chips/Dips/Cut fruit
- E - K ... Salads and Hot Veggies
- L - R ... Hot/cold/warm main dishes
- S - Z Fancy Desserts/Cookies

Election of Officers

Bring in your Ballot or mail to
PO Box 23315, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

The Great Chapter #107 Year-End
White Elephant Sale/Auction

All proceeds to the seller - minimum bids can be set
Bring in the good stuff and make us all happy

President's Message

*Fellow Members,
As yet another year winds down we should reflect on the passing events.*

We lost several dear and close friends and while they cannot be replaced we are fortunate to have known them and to met the new faces of new members that join and sees that the Chapter continues to grow.

We had a special recognition for John Stohr (Fellowship of NAWCC) that recognized this hard work and extra effort in support of the Chapter and the NAWCC.

We worked together to establish several good programs and with a good group of volunteers supported the Golden Gate regional and ensured its success for future regionals.

All in all an eventful year. As the Holidays approach I would like to thank everyone that attends, volunteers and makes this Chapter so successful.

The November Friday evening program was well attended by eighteen folks who viewed excellent videos on the Chelsea Clock Company and another NAWCC video on Cleaning a Pocket Watch.

Remember that the December meeting is our Pot-Luck lunch and the Holiday Auction.

Finally, I would like to extend from the Taylor Family to everyone our best wishes for a Happy Thanksgiving, the upcoming Holiday Season and a Happy New Year 1997!

Sincerely, Jay

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Chapter #107 Board of Directors Meeting was not held in October due to the activities in support of the Golden Gate Regional MART held at the Oakland Convention Center.

The Regional was a SUCCESS!!!!

read the following. It is taken - almost verbatim from the Chapter #5 Bulletin forwarded to me by Sarah Russell because it says nice things about Jerry Kroeger, John Stohr and Jay Taylor.

Approximately 1076 members attended, from around the Bay Area, Los Angeles of course, Oregon, Arizona, Texas, New York and even France and Germany.

329 tables were sold and filled with plenty

John Stohr did an excellent job keeping the lectures on time.

Jay Taylor was the best of all - he did an excellent job coordinating the loading/unloading at the ramp. He and his crew were "peerless" and "are to be congratulated"

Jerry Kroeger - the General Regional Chairman did a wonderful and thorough job in making this regional a SUCCESS.

Joe Ford October 2nd 1923 - October 11th 1996
NAWCC # 34153

Joe Ford passed away and we are saddened by his death. Joe will be remembered for his warm and welcome sharing of his knowledge of clocks and for the interesting examples he brought to the Chapter meetings - many of us have fine examples of his collection adorning the walls and shelves of our homes. Joe will be missed and the Chapter sends a sincere note of sympathy to his loving wife Virginia.

A Gentle Reminder

Your \$15 Dues for 1997 are Due!

Yes, its that time of the year to pay the membership fee that will put you in good stead with your friends, peers and colleagues who make up the glorious membership of Diablo Valley Chapter #107.

This year is the same as last - just a mere \$15 that provides you (and as many of your immediate family as you can muster to attend any one or all of our meetings) with another year of participation in one of NAWCC best Chapters.

Please bring to the December meeting cash, checks, made payable to NAWCC Chapter #107 or mail to....
PO Box 23315, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

NAWCC Diablo Valley Chapter #107

Election of Officers - December 1996

President

Jay Taylor

Vice President (vote for two)

Dale Gardner

John Stohr

Vice President

Roy Holman

Note: Before entering a write-in, please make sure that the person will serve if elected

Bring Ballot to the December 8th Meeting
or mail to the Chapter at
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Treasurer

Walt Hubrig

Directors 1997/1998

Joe Kanter

Volney Cameron

Jack Coulter

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TOOL Library

The following tools are available for two week periods...
.....at NO COST! call Walt Hubrig @ 510-685-0260

- **** TIMETRAX #160AC Timing m/c with beat amplifier
- **** Webster Depthing Tool
- **** Webster Escape Wheel Tooth Straightener
- **** Power Punch (for end holes in mainsprings etc.)

1997 Western States Regionals

February 6-8 Greater LA - Pasadena

May 8-10 Pacific Northwest - Tacoma

August 7-9 Golden Gate - Oakland

November 6-8 Silver Dollar - Reno

Wanted

Bill Koppel has asked for any leads on a Timex Brand
1950's watch that has Ben Hogan written in script on
the face - please call if you can help - 510-934-9391

Editor's Note

by Steve Fabes

NO articles this time - just the ballot. I trust that I can get back to getting
informational material included in the next few bulletins as the new year starts.
Again, if any one believes that that have the time to take over this bulletin,
please give me a call - I do enjoy the work but my job requires that I travel a lot
to the East Coast and time is a scarce commodity around my house.



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*** Chapter #107 1996/1997 MEETING DATES ***

SUNDAY & Board

Dec 8th Pot Luck/Auction

1997

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February 9th

April 13th

June 8th

August 10th

October 12th

FRIDAY EVE

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1997

***January 10th**

March 7th

May 2nd

***July 11th**

***September 12th**

November 7th

December 14th

**where the first Friday
conflicted with a Holiday we
scheduled the second Friday*

We continue to stay at the same locations for all of our 1996 meetings. The even numbered month second Sunday meetings at Acalanes Adult Center and the odd numbered month first Friday evening meetings at the Civic Bank of Commerce just across the street next to the Safeways supermarket - so come along and join us!

**** Dr. Stephens and De Anza Chapter Meetings ****

Chapter #5 meets at the San Leandro Boys Club, San Leandro Blvd. at Marina Way on the second Sunday of the ODD months with the exception of May when it is the first Sunday. The MART opens at 11am.

Chapter #94 meets the first Sunday of the EVEN months, (a week before our #107 meeting) at the Cupertino Odd Fellows Hall at 20598 Homestead Road, Cupertino. Take Highway 85 exit off Highway 280, DeAnza Blvd. - Old Sunnyvale - Saratoga Road towards Sunnyvale to Homestead. MART opens at 12.30pm.

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From Oakland - Highway 24 going East

Take Pleasant Hill Road South exit
At light, turn right onto Pleasant Hill Rd
At end, turn left on Olympic
At light, turn right onto Tice Valley
Go up until first light
Go another 150 yards and just before Pedestrian X-ing - turn right into
Acalanes Adult Center, Del Valle Theater - room D-1
(address 1963 Tice Valley Boulevard)

From San Ramon - Highway 680 going North

Take South Main exit
Left on Newell
Left on Olympic
Left on Tice Valley
Go up until first light
Go another 150 yards and just before Pedestrian X-ing - turn right into
Acalanes Adult Center, Del Valle Theater - room D-1
(address 1963 Tice Valley Boulevard)

From Benicia - Highway 680 going South

At 680/24 take Highway 24 to Oakland/Lafayette
Take first exit - Pleasant Hill Road South
Go under freeway onto Pleasant Hill Rd
At end, turn left on Olympic
At light, turn right onto Tice Valley
Go up until first light
Go another 150 yards and just before Pedestrian X-ing - turn right into
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Note: *Due to our tax exempt status only NAWCC members can participate (buy or sell) in our MART - be prepared to show your current NAWCC membership card*