



Region 7 Review

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Director's Notes Region 7 Quarterly Report

B.O.R.D.

First, a report from the August 7 B.O.R.D. meeting, which was held in Oakland, CA.

1. This will not affect every chapter in Region 7, but all chapters should be aware that is impermissible to pay chapter officer's IPSSA dues. If a chapter wishes to assist a chapter officer with his/her expenses, it can be done by paying a stipend of any amount the chapter desires. As a member's dues are a personal expense, they cannot be reimbursable as an IPSSA expense. READ IRS problems. If a stipend is paid, the chapter will have to give the officer an IRS Form 1099 at year's end, as this is considered personal income.

2. There was a discussion of the problem of disruptive members at chapter meetings. IPSSA will develop a template with sugges-

tions as how to handle. In the meantime, one chapter has handled as follows: The member is warned; upon a 2nd occurrence he is asked to leave the meeting and is given no credit for attending that meeting.

3. THE IPSSAN is going to start to publish a section of *Regional Highlights* to include chapter activities. If you would like your special events published, send the info to the Executive Office.

4. All regions will be permitted to request bulk orders of THE IPSSAN for distribution to vendors willing to place a number of copies on their counters for anyone to pick up. It is hoped this will help membership recruitment. I will be glad to order for the North County distributors. I would appreciate it if someone will step up to cover the Interstate 8 corridor distributors.

5. The Franchise Tax Board is getting very aggressive about truck advertising without a license. There are cases of jail time/fines.

6. It is suggested that a neutral site be chosen for chapter meetings. There have been cases of chapters using a distributor's facility and inviting another distributor to speak. This has caused some hard feelings on the part of the hosting distributor.

Region Stuff

1. Remember: Applications for your chapter's nominee for the **B. K. Taylor** award are due. The latest acceptance is at the September 22 Region Meeting. It would help if you got them to me sooner so I can copy and distribute

them to you for your review prior to the meeting.

2. Reminders:

Carlsbad – You owe the Executive Office a copy of your chapter's sick route plan.

North County Coastal & Rancho Del Mar – You owe the Executive Office a copy of your Standing Rules.

3. Many of you know **Joe Lukacik**, San Diego East County's president and a former Region 7 B.O.R.D. representative. Joe is recovering from a recent stroke, and I am sure he would like to hear from you.

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Region 7 Director

Calendar of Events

- **B.O.R.D. Meeting**, Sat., Aug. 7, Region 1, Oakland, CA.
- **CPO Class**, Thurs. – Fri., Sept 9 - 10, SCP (858-467-9495, www.anotherperfectpool.com/cpo) 5648 Copley Dr., SD.
- **R7 Board Meeting**, Wed., Sept. 22, 7:00 p.m., SCP Conf. Rm. (858-467-9495), 5648 Copley Dr., SD.
- **R7 Board Meeting**, Wed., **Dec. 15** (one week earlier due to Christmas), 7:00 p.m., SCP Conf. Rm. (858-467-9495), 5648 Copley Dr., SD.

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