Nearly 60 TLARGI-ans gathered in the warm coastal sun for a great weekend in Solvang. The Royal Copenhagen Inn proved to be the perfect quaint spot for a balance of time together and time on our own.

The official events began with a reception Friday evening. The caterer was overwhelmed with requests for recipes as everything on the table was devoured with glee. Many then headed out for dinner reservations at one of the multitudes of restaurants throughout town. Some, instead, just returned to the room and enjoyed some quiet time in the perfect night air.

Saturday started with a pair of golfers teeing off early while others got an early start on the scavenger hunt (locating pictures of landmarks throughout town). Many were so eager to play they had even started the hunt Friday night! It brought people by many stores, wineries, statues, and historical markers in every corner of Solvang. Most business owners enjoyed it and would even provide hints to TLARGI members as they noticed them enter with game books in hand.

Fun and games began at the peak temperature of the day, but

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Hi Everyone,

Well, it’s hard to believe that we are halfway through the year and summer is in full swing.

The TLARGI Summer Conference kicked off the season with a very well attended and successful outing in Solvang. Although the weather was very toasty and the shade was limited, the hearty group faced harsh conditions such as wine tasting, hearty grub, and more wine tasting. The Fun-n-Games Committee tried several new games and a scavenger hunt. It was amazing to see so many participants cruising the streets with their checklists in hand. Fun was had by all. A special thanks to Alan Gordon and the committee on a job well done.

Oktoberfest and the Technical Conference are quickly approaching October 5. Please contact Eddie Gonzales @ RD Abbott should you have papers you would like to present. Last year’s combined event was very successful. Get your reservations in early. Details to follow soon.

The Christmas Party planning is in full swing. This year’s theme is “TLARGI Presents: Night at the Oscars”. The party will be located at The Disneyland Hotel on December 4, 2010. Please mark your calendars. See inside for preliminary information.

I look forward to seeing everyone at Oktoberfest. Be safe out there!

Respectfully,
Russ Shorter
2010 TLARGI Chairman
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Mark Your Calendars!

“A Night at the Oscars!”

The 2010 TLARGI Christmas Party will be held at the Disneyland Hotel in Anaheim, California on Saturday December 4th. Mark your calendars for this much anticipated event! Stay tuned for details about early bird hotel registration.

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ANNOUNCES...

The 2010 Technical Conference
Tuesday, October 5th at
the Phoenix Club in Anaheim, CA

Only $25! To better serve our members, we are holding
the Technical Conference in conjunction with the popular
Oktoberfest 2010. The cost includes four technical pa-
ers, snacks, and all materials on CD.

Location: The Phoenix Club
1340 S. Sanderson Avenue
Anaheim, CA 92806
(714) 563-4166

Agenda:
1:00pm Registration, Heritage Room, Phoenix Club
1:30pm Paper 1
2:10pm Paper 2
2:50pm Break
3:10pm Paper 3
3:50pm Paper 4
4:30pm Panel Discussion & Wrap-up
5:00pm Oktoberfest Mini-Expo

Ticket Request: Please reserve me _____ tickets @ $25 each (Checks payable to TLARGI Acct #405-10)
I would like copies of the papers presented on CD:
☐ Yes ☐ No

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51st Annual TLARGI
Technical Conference
we still saw 40 members in attendance playing games, inspired by the new TV show, “Minute to Win It.” This included putting Vaseline on our noses, passing grapefruits from neck to neck, and carrying balloons between our knees. Pictures of that event will certainly make the “TLARGI Lite” section of the yearbook. Immediately following the games, many returned to the scavenger hunt while others chose to lounge by the pool.

Dinner was served that evening, followed by a private wine tasting event hosted by the winemaker at Scott Cellars from Los Olivos. His quirky sense of humor played into the hands of our resident hams, and we learned while laughing quite a bit. Many carried on into the night, enjoying another serene evening to walk through the town with much less hustle and bustle.

The Bloody Mary Bash, breakfast and awards were presented the next morning. Since the scavenger hunt had so many good entries, the judges were ultra-picky about the precision of answers. The highest points went to those who identified the most detail about each location, and the positive feedback from the contestants makes it seem as though this may be an idea for future events!

The balance of organized activities versus free-time seemed to please all who attended and the size of the town of Solvang was small enough to walk anywhere at any time. We look forward to seeing even more faces at next year’s Summer Conference, currently being scouted by Mike and Beth Haney.

Submitted By: Alan Gordon, Summer Conf. Chairman, Parasson Corp.
TWENTY FIRST ANNUAL
GLTPC SCHOLARSHIP GOLF TOURNAMENT
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2010
CALIFORNIA COUNTRY CLUB
1509 WORKMAN MILL ROAD
WHITTIER, CA 90601
(562) 692-0421

We invite you to join the Grand Lodge of TLARGI Past Chairmen (GLTPC) in a major fund-raising effort to support TLARGI’s Educational Scholarship Fund. Enjoy yourself while contributing to a great cause.

Directions: From 60 Freeway West, exit at Crossroads Parkway; turn right at 2nd signal, Workman Mill Road; turn left at Coleford Avenue. From 60 East, exit at Crossroads; turn left at signal; proceed over freeway and turn left at signal; turn right at next signal, Workman Mill Road; turn left at Coleford Avenue. From 605 Freeway North or South, exit onto Peck Road and turn left at Pellisier Place, which becomes Workman Mill Road; turn left at Coleford Avenue.

CHECK-IN: Begins at 11:30 A.M.

TEE TIME: 1:00 P.M. – Shotgun

FORMAT: 4-Man Scramble – Calloway (No handicaps will be used)

COST: $125.00 per person (includes golf, cart, dinner and prizes)
$35.00 for dinner only (New York steak and salmon)

SPONSORSHIP: Tee Sign – $50.00 – Email Tom Martin at tmartin@rdabbott.com
Corporate sponsorship is $800 and includes 1 four-some, 1 tee sign, company certificate and recognition in TLARGI yearbook.

DRESS CODE: No jeans, tee-shirts or short shorts. GLTPC members, please wear your hats.

SPECIAL NOTE: In this tournament, a prize of $1000 for a hole-in-one is sponsored by R. D. Abbott Co., Inc. and R & S Processing Co., Inc.

For More Information: Contact Howard Vipperman @ Vip Rubber Company, Inc.
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YES, I WANT TO PLAY! PUT ME ON A TEAM: ___________________________
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Our annual Oktoberfest meeting is fast approaching! Get your table reservations in early!

Please contact Eddie Gonzales at (562) 944-5354 or at egonzales@rdabbott.com with any questions and to make your table reservations.
Jerry McCall is the newest member of R.D. Abbott.
RDA opened a new warehouse in the Chicago area.
Paula Velebil from Harwick retired on June 30th.
Alan Gordon, from Parasson, and his quartet Masterpiece, placed sixth out of 50 competing quartets at the BHS international contest in Philadelphia on July 3rd.
Graham Pence, from Parasson, and his chorus, The Westminster Chorus, won the BHS international chorus contest in Philadelphia on July 2nd.
TLARGI Presents

“Oktoberfest”

Oct. 5, 2010

$25 Members
$35 Non-members

Phoenix Club
1340 S. Sanderson Ave.
Anaheim, CA 92806
(714) 563-4166

Dinner will be a buffet

The TLARGI Dinner Meeting is held at the Phoenix Club. See map below.