

# Point Loma Assembly

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Welcome to the first newsletter of the Point Loma Assembly. Actually, with our over 100 year old history, there is every possibility that there have been prior newsletters but this is surely the first one delivered electronically!

Our Archivist, Klonie Kunzel, is working on plans to celebrate the 100th anniversary of our clubhouse. We believe the first meeting was held in the newly completed building in September of 1914. Watch this space for details as plans are made

Originally functions were more of a civic nature, Sunday School and Church Services, parties, meetings, election polls, dancing classes. Many old time residents recall attending the Cabrillo School across the street and then attending dance classes at the assembly.

This building was pressed into service by the Red Cross during each of the world wars.

Today, Point Loma Assembly promotes literary, social, educational, philanthropic, civic and artistic work and to restore and maintain the building at 3035 Talbot Street.

## ***MAY REGULAR MEETING REMINDER***

On Thursday, May 8, Anne Blankenship will present a program on Hawaiian History, Culture and Hula. Anne is the founding director of Hawaii Dance Seminar, is trained in ancient and modern hula and is a nationally recognized Hula Judge. She is a world expert on the Hawaiian language, history and socio-economic issues.

Join us for a rarely offered and fascinating program that includes wine and hors d'oeuvres. Admission is \$15.00 for non-members.

Our elegant, century-old clubhouse is available for rent; maximum capacity 120 people.



Our facility can be rented for special events like: Corporate Functions, Corporate Meeting Space, Business Luncheons, Seminars, Wedding Receptions, Wedding Ceremonies, Bar and Bat Mitzvahs, Sweet Sixteen Parties, Quinceaneras, Family/Class Reunions, Conferences, Dance Parties, Piano/Dance Recitals, Fashion Shows, Tournaments, Yoga and Pilates Classes, Tai Chi Classes, Banquets, Concerts, Beauty Pageants, Dinners, Arts and Crafts Fairs, Fundraising Events, Seminars, Renewal of Vows,

Celebrations of Life, and other types of receptions and events.

The main facility includes a large meeting room complete with a proscenium stage.

There is also a full-size kitchen with refrigerator and stove and men's and women's bathrooms.

**Due to our location in a residential neighborhood, we unfortunately cannot accommodate groups with loud live or recorded music.**

**Hourly Rates (minimum \$150.00)**

**General Public \$75.00 per hour**

**Member Rate \$37.50**

**Non-Profit \$56.25**

**BOOK NOW AND SAVE! Our rates will be increasing effective July 1.**

**Call Dottie at 619.226.1333 to make your reservations.**

## 2014 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President - Patti Adams

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Hospitality - Myrna Bossler

Restoration - Bruce Cook

Historical - Klonie Kunzel

House - Dorothea Laub

Membership - Ann Walker



## Point Loma Concert Series

On March 22, auditions were held at the Point Loma Assembly for junior emcees, junior bands, and presenters of the opening patriotic song. It was the perfect venue for this fun event which has the Point Loma Summer Concerts board, as well as the general public and lots of proud parents and friends, reviewing local young people performing at their best. The kids selected will be performing this summer along with these bands:

July 11-The Mighty Untouchables

July 18-Liquid Blue

July 25-HELP

August 1-Hot August Night

August 8-Detroit Underground

Sponsorship opportunities are still available. Call Martha Phillips, 523-3787 if interested.

## Upcoming Elections

The nominating committee, headed by Dorothea Laub with Ann Walker and Myrna Bossler, are working to present a slate at our May Meeting. We will elect a new President, Secretary, Membership Chair, Ways and Means Chair, and Hospitality Chair in May. Installation will be at the June Meeting. Any members wishing to contribute their time and skills in any of those capacities should call Dottie at 619-226-1333.

## Update on Dues:

The Board has reviewed the Dues for the upcoming year. As you know, we experimented with a continued \$35.00 dues and \$100.00 program fee this year. That presented difficulties for our great volunteers who check you in at the meetings so we are going back to a single dues payment with no meeting fee for members. Hopefully, you all agree that the value of maintaining our building and sustaining our organization is worth a little more than the the \$35.00 of the last few years. The Board has set the dues for 2014-2015 at \$100.00.

These Lemon Bars were served at one of our meetings and were very popular, with many asking for the recipe. They were made by our amazing Hospitality Chair , Myrna Bossler.

## ZESTY LEMON BREAD

Yield: 2 loaves

2 sticks sweet butter  
1-1/2 cups sugar  
4 eggs, separated  
2/3 cup fresh lemon juice  
2 Tbs. lemon zest  
3 cups cake flour  
4 Tsp. baking powder  
1 cup milk  
1 cup chopped pecans  
1/4 cup water



Preheat oven to 350.

Butter two 9 x 5 loaf pans with 3 Tbsp. butter.

In a mixing bowl cream remaining butter and 1 cup sugar. Beat in egg yolks one at a time, stir in 1/3 cup lemon juice and lemon zest.

Combine cake flour and baking powder. Add 1/3 flour mixture to the butter/sugar mixture. Add half the milk and another 1/3 of the flour, then add remaining milk and flour. Do not over mix.

In a separate bowl combine egg whites and pinch salt and beat until stiff but not dry. Gently fold egg whites and pecans into batter. Pour batter into prepared pans. Bake 45 to 59 minutes.

Have a recipe you would like to share? Please email to:

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