

FALLBROOK, CALIFORNIA

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Leave it to our group to schedule our reunion during a huge uncontrolled wildfire. The Wednesday before our official meeting was truly an Ash Wednesday. Smoke and ashes blanketed the entire area, sending the temperature well above 100°! At times, visibility was down to zero. It did not take a town meeting or extended discussion to decide to cancel the Fourth of July parade and fireworks. The street had to be kept open for fire and emergency vehicles, and there was no need for more fireworks.

Surprisingly, all this did not put a damper on our reunion attendance. They all came. On Thursday, July 4th, conditions had improved in the vicinity of the Ojai Valley Inn. We could move outdoors again, without a continual shower of ashes, and there was a pleasant temperature drop.

By the time our hayride departed for Tiger Glen, it was very comfortable outside. At the Glen we enjoyed the Boeing Cocktail party, Square dancing and our steak-fry.

Besides the usual activities of golf, swimming, tennis, etc., we had various video casettes running on the lobby TV on Friday and Saturday. Friday afternoon we had the CNAC business meeting, and Association Officer elections. Bob Pottschmidt was elected as permanent chairman, and the incumbent officers were reelected for another term. The CNAC secretary, Art Kininmonth will have a report of the meeting sent out to the members.

Friday night we had a sumptuous hors d'oeuvre and cocktail party, courtesy of Johnson and Higgins, followed by the CNAC banquet. The speaker was AVGer Gerhard Neumann (Herman the German). It was truly an entertaining and interesting talk.

Although the fire was still burning in the adjacent area, it had cooled off comfortably to a very pleasant temperature. The favorable weather condition held through Saturday.

Saturday afternoon the AVG business meeting was held. The incumbent officers were reelected, to everyone's surprise. The AVG



Marian and Bob Layher and Dolly Luce



Gerhard Newmann, Bill Maher and Gen. Szeto



Bob Rengo, "Ma" Davidson and Rodewald