

Santa Cruz Longboard Union



INDICATOR

March 2009



March Madness!

~~~~~ **President's Message** ~~~~~

**Fellow Members:** Happy March and Happy St Paddy's day early. Your dues are due. It is important that you know where your dues goes. Well first, it goes to the newsletter. The strength of any organization is its treasury. The second place it goes it to early fees by the City of Santa Cruz for event fees. For various reasons people have randomly paid their dues over the years. We have a large membership but only collect a small portion of our members' dues. If you love this club, make it strong, pay your dues and participate! It is a labor of love! So please give Waylon a check for your dues, it is important!



We will meet at the Surfrider Cafe in downtown Santa Cruz. The new owner is pretty stoked to have us. This will be a trial. I want all of your input on where to meet! There will be a contest meeting at 5:00 pm at the Surfrider! All people who are interested in helping, be there please. It is our Silver Anniversary!

The Log Jam is approaching quickly. See **Carl** so we can put a strong team in the water. The Big Bad and Ugly is this weekend. Cindy and myself are judging. So there is no excuse about that issue. Hope you attended.

We will have a raffle this month. Dave will bring some club garments. Say, how about a t-shirt sale! Short sleeve t-shirts \$5 and long sleeves \$8 only at the March meeting. So get down to The Surfrider and get some club stuff.

Keep Surfing, **Pete Noble**

~~~~~ **CLUB NEWS** ~~~~~

Your 2009 dues are DUE! Please pay **Laura Roth** ASAP—\$50 for individuals, \$75 for families!

The next Wednesday meeting is at **Surfrider Café** (the old Pontiac Grill @ 429 Front Street). There will be a **CONTEST MEETING** at 5pm prior to the club meeting. The normal social will start at 6pm and the club meeting at 7pm. Don't miss it! At the upcoming meeting there will be a board for us to sign to send down to Baja!

Results of the club elections: VP—**Matt Micuda**, Member at Large—**Don Craddock**, Treasurer—**Waylon Olsen, Jr.** Members at Large—**Jacob and Micah Gray**

March 28 at the Rio Theater, **Pat Farley's** movie "Between the Lines" will be showing, and it serves as a Save the Surf Museum Benefit! Please come and show your support! Tickets sold at Zen Trading Co. on 41st Ave.

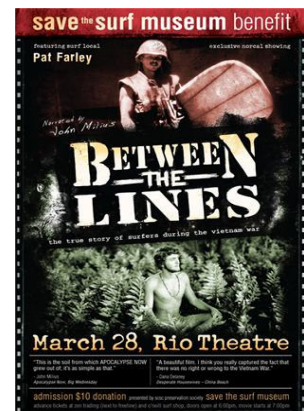
Introductions from last meeting: **Allyn Johnson** introduced by **Scotty Orahood**, and **Liz Patron** introduced by **Mallory Gray**. Welcome!!!

The Big, Bad, and Ugly is in Morro Bay this weekend, February 21-22. Surf Saturday, golf Sunday. Also, the Log Jam is just around the corner in April. Contact Carl Olsen if you want to surf for our team!

If you are interested in a clinic on perfecting your noseriding technique, email **Dave Skomsvold** at david.skomsvold@sbcglobal.net. He will be organizing a time and place for the clinic soon!

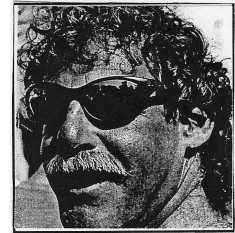
Ward Smith's wife **Paula** is ill...please keep her in your thoughts and prayers!

Check out our SCLU Facebook page—post photos and comments, keep up to date on club news!



~~~~~ THE DINOSAUR DEN ~~~~~

Question of the month by Kim Stoner



March Dino's Den:

- What current club member is in this photo?
- What year was it taken?
- What type of surfboard is it and what is the length?
- Where is the photo taken?



February Dino's Den:

Where is this photo taken? **The Rivermouth**

What year is it? **1964**

Who is the surfer with no wetsuit going right? **Dave "Sharky" Devine**

~~~~~ More Club News ~~~~~

Good News!! Thanks to the hard work and generosity of the Santa Cruz Surfing Club Preservation Society, the city has been paid \$10,000 to keep the Surf Museum open through June 30, 2009.

With continued support and donations, we can keep the museum open for the rest of the year as well. The total cost for the year is \$20,000. Send all checks to:

"SCSC Preservation Society"

Memo: "Save Surfing Museum"

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For more info call (831) 662-3368, and to read an article about it visit

<http://surferspath.com/news/surfing-museum-saved-from-wipe-out>





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~~~~~ Next Meeting ~~~~~

**DATE:** Wednesday March 4, 2009

**TIME:** Social 6pm, Meeting 7pm

**LOCATION:** Surfrider Café

(the old Pontiac Grill @ 429 Front Street, Santa Cruz)

questions, comments, suggestions, submissions?

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