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**“TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE DUTY THAT ACCOMPANIES EVERY RIGHT”**

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January Emphasis: Brotherhood Fund

International President Kevin Cummings  
Theme: “The Power of One”  
Slogan: “Ordinary People Doing Extra Ordinary Things”

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**JANUARY MEETING**

Our January meeting has been changed due to conflicts, so will be on Sunday, January 10, at 4:00 P.M at the home of **HARVEY** and **ILA STEEN**. We will have our Time of Fast (TOF) light meal at that time instead of in February due to the change in the International fiscal year. Bring your TOF donations to the meeting.

**INTERNATIONAL CHANGE**

Y's Men International has changed its fiscal year, so they can have all of the money in and an annual audit done by the International Council Meeting in late July/August. Dues need to be paid to International in February instead of April as in the past. Therefore, dues need to reach Regional Treasurer **HARVEY STEEN** by February 1. All moneys for the various projects, Time of Fast, Brotherhood Fund, Alexander Scholarship Fund, and Endowment Fund, need to reach the Regional Service Directors (RSDs) by the same date. The payment periods will be

February 1<sup>st</sup> and August 1<sup>st</sup> instead of April and October.

**BROTHERHOOD FUND**

The Brotherhood Fund is the emphasis for January. This is the program of Y'sdom that provides funds for member travels to visit clubs in other parts of the world.

Any Y's Man/Woman in good standing whose Club is fully up to date with its dues to Y's Men International for the preceding semester and whose home Club has contributed at least \$5(US) per member (minimum \$75 total for Club) to the Brotherhood Fund the preceding year is eligible for a Brotherhood Fund Grant.

**TRIVIA QUESTION OF THE MONTH**

The answer for last month's question is:

A. The first Y's Men's Christmas Tree sales lot opened in the Minneapolis-Downtown Club in 1938.

Q. When was the Bishop's Fund (now Brotherhood Fund) established?

## YMCA NEWS

All of the winter programs at the YMCA will be in full swing in January.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

April 2010 - PNWR Board Meeting  
Seattle, WA  
June 11-13, 2010 – PNWR Convention  
Hosted by Seattle Downtown Club  
August 5-8, 2010 – International Convention  
Yokohama, Japan  
2012 – International Convention  
Stavanger, Norway

### NEWS FROM NEAR AND FAR

Christmas greetings have been received from many of our friends around the world and they will be available at the meeting. Our Brother Clubs and BF Delegates that visited our club have all sent their greetings to our club members.

Bob Baum from the Salem Club has been in the hospital with pneumonia. We pray for his good health in the New Year.

### MEMBER HAPPENINGS

**HARVEY** and **ILA STEEN** flew to Sacramento, CA, to spend Christmas with their son, Kurt, and his family. Weather conditions in Salt Lake City caused them an overnight stay in that city on their way home, so they did not get home in time to get this bulletin out as soon as usual. Sincere apologies for the delay.

**MAE WING, BILLYE, VIC,** and **TIM** and **RAYE VINCENT** all spent Christmas Day with **BILLYE** and **VIC**'s daughter-in-law, Sherry, and their grandchildren.

### HAPPY JANUARY BIRTHDAYS!



22 NATHAN GEORGE  
25 BUCK COX



### CHRISTIAN EMPHASIS

#### NEW YEAR

*Into the pocket of time  
The old year goes tonight,  
Carrying pain and sorrow  
Great joy and delight.  
Cradled within his arms  
I see mistakes and fear,  
Burdens that were so heavy...  
Throughout the past year.  
Now out of silent places  
He is coming into sight,  
Bringing pain and sadness  
New joy and delight.  
I go to meet the New Year  
With no indwelling fear,  
I find Faith, Hope and Love...  
Left over from last year.*

*-Delphia F. Smith*

*“For we through the Spirit wait for the hope of righteousness by faith. For in Jesus Christ neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is of any avail, but faith which worketh by love.”*

*- Galatians 5:5-6*



A HAPPY  
NEW YEAR