



NEWS BULLETIN

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NATION ACTIVE AND RETIRED FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

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**OUR AUGUST 18, 2006 MEETING WILL BE HELD AT JACKSON PARK
{ 11:30 AM until ??? }**

July 21, 2006 Program

Our guest speaker will be Mr. Joe Smolski of the Hendersonville Coin Club.

August 18, 2006 ~ Jackson Park for Area I Picnic

[Frank Coperich confirms that Thomas (Tom) N. Hobgood, NC Federation President will be attending the August 2006 picnic.]

Don't forget to bring your items and your money for the Alzheimer's Auction

September 15, 2006 Program

Spokesperson from The Camera Club of Hendersonville (Tian Tian Hao Restaurant ~ formerly "Ryan's")

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

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Dear NARFE members, it is not right that we should “remain silent” about the benefits of our organization. Anything you say “will not be held against you” but will be for the betterment of our organization. Please remember to promote NARFE to the active and retired Federal employees among your friends, neighbors and social groups. Thank you.

AREA I 2006 NARFE PICNIC ~ JACKSON PARK, HENDERSONVILLE, NC ~ FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

Plans todate include **RESERVATIONS** at Jackson Park for the 3rd Friday in August (August 18, 2006 at 11:30 AM). Letters & e-mails have been sent to all Chapters within Area I. Letters also to Area I VP, Frieda N. Terrel and Inez R. Angus inezanez@aol.com .

ENTERTAINMENT: SCAT (Senior Citizens Actors Troupe) of Sammy Williams Senior Center. Jim Gilleran, Director of SCAT will provide us with 30-45 minutes of variety to include: Pantomime “Sounds & Silence,” tap dance, physical comedy ~ “guides his movements with a physical eloquence that makes you laugh

and learn.” **CATERING:** Tom Shipman Catering ~ Meat Lasagna, Succotash (limas/corn), Tossed Salad with Italian & Ranch Dressings, Cheese Bread Sticks, Cheese Cake with Strawberry Topping, Tea, Lemonade and Water. **ALZHEIMERS AUCTION:** led by our own Earl Smith ~ please bring auction items and money.

{Reservations need to be made by August 8, 2006. Checks to be made out to NARFE Chapter 214 in the amount of \$10.70 and mailed to our Treasurer: Joyce Armstrong, 162 Schoolhouse Road, Horse Shoe, NC 28742-9742.} Thanks – let’s have a good time and a good get-together. Looking forward to the picnic!

In Memoriam
Yvette M. Bushnell ~ Tuesday, June 13, 2006
James W. Shank ~ Saturday, July 15, 2006
We mourn their passing.

QWJ: Anyone with change of address/telephone, please call 1-800-456-8410 and let NARFE/Hqs Membership know. Just let them know your ID number (find it on your **NARE Retirement Life** magazine) and also let your Hendersonville Chapter #214 know. Much appreciated.

Just for Fun: “Hymns” with which you might be acquainted.

Dentist’s Hymn ~ Crown Him with Many Crowns

Optometrist’s Hymn ~ Open My Eyes That I Might See

The IRS Agent’s Hymn ~ I Surrender All

AND for those who speed on the highway:

45mph ~ ~ ~ God Will Take Care of You

65mph ~ ~ ~ Nearer My God To Thee

85mph ~ ~ ~ This World Is Not My Home

95mph ~ ~ ~ Lord, I’m Coming Home

100mph ~ ~ ~ Precious Memories

Give me a sense of humor, Lord. Give me the grace to see a joke.

To get some humor out of life. And pass it on to other folk.

Aug 15 – Panama Canal Opened, 1914

Aug 18 - NARFE Area I Picnic – Hendersonville Jackson Park

Aug 26 – Woman Suffrage, 1920

NOTE: If the News Bulletin gets “misplaced” ~ you can always check Chapter 214 meeting place in the “Where & When” column of the Hendersonville Times-News on the first Wednesday of each month.

WANT TO SEE Y’ALL AT JACKSON PARK NARFE AREA I PICNIC AUGUST 18, 2006

WANT TO SEE Y’ALL AT TIAN TIAN HAO (formerly RYAN’S) SEPTEMBER 15, 2006.

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