

# The View from Above

Newsletter for the Sacramento Tall Club  
November-December 2016



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## **From the Editor**

Hello Talls!

Well....I was re-appointed to this position yet again. This will be my third (3<sup>rd</sup>) year as your editor. I am STILL seeking a successor to this office. The editor develops and formats newsletter content; creates the layout; and interacts with members and the board on a monthly basis. Must be able to write clearly and in complete and logical sentences. Must be able to use Word (at a minimum) and have access to a computer and e-mail. Ability to manipulate photos and other images a plus. Send letter / email of interest to Bob H., [president@sacramentotallclub.org](mailto:president@sacramentotallclub.org)

### **And I'm going to repeat my observation about volunteering.**

Non-profit organizations such as STC run on volunteers. Without volunteers, the organization fails. According to the August 2016 rooster there are 71 members in this club. However, the same few people keep having to take on offices because no one else volunteers. I've been through this before with a different not-for-profit. The last time I saw this situation, the group ended up disbanding because those few who had been able and willing to continue holding the offices required for the group to stay official were so burned out that they just were not willing to continue. A call was issued to solicit replacements: no one else offered to step up and take an active role. So the group was disbanded. Their funds were absorbed by the parent group. And any signs, banners, or other items owned by the group were taken into safekeeping by the members of the group.

If you do not want the Sacramento Tall Club to disappear, you, as a member, need to start taking an interest in what goes on behind the scenes and if possible, volunteer to take on an office.

STC Bylaws require that the club have the following officers: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Social Coordinator, Membership Coordinator, Publicity Coordinator, Marketing Coordinator, Editor, and Sergeant-At-Arms.

**If you want to learn more about these offices, please contact the current office holders. Or come to a meeting. Or both!**

Nothing else to report on my part, so here's the standard announcement: I need articles. If you attend an event, are hosting an event, or just heard about something that might be of interest to our club, let me know. You can send me an e-mail via [editor@sacramentotallclub.org](mailto:editor@sacramentotallclub.org), or via US post at Sacramento Tall Club, P.O. Box 515, Rancho Cordova, CA 95741.



Alice Q.

## From the President

*[The following is a re-print of a letter that was sent to the STC membership. It has not been edited in any way, shape, or form. It has only been formatted to fit in this newsletter. – ed.]*

Tall Greetings to all Sacramento Tall Club members,

It is important that I come to the Sacramento Tall Club membership with a report on an issue that many of you may not have been made aware.

It was my decision as President of Sacramento Tall Club not to make any formal public announcements on this issue until now.

In 2014, Tall Clubs International (TCI) accepted our bid to host the 2015 TCI convention. We formed a separate corporation (STC Events) to run the convention.

Due to the hard work of STC Events, costs were kept down. As a result, general refunds were enjoyed by those who paid for the full convention package.

STC Events decided that those who did substantial work for the convention deserved additional reimbursement for their contributions. Thus, a number of individuals received higher refunds than you may have received as a fully paid package participant.

TCI, our parent organization has by-laws and rules that govern TCI conventions. These rules define how the convention is run, who pays for what and how profits, if any, are to be distributed.

The by-laws state that the host club can receive no more than \$5000.00 in profit from running a convention. However, certain areas of the TCI by-law text, are not properly defined in the eyes of STC Events. STC Events made interpretations of the by-laws and made decisions based upon those views.

Per TCI by-laws, the financial records of each convention are audited by the TCI Alternate Treasurer after the convention.

The Alternate Treasurer reviewed the 2015 convention books and reported to the TCI executive board that there were certain concerns about expenses that STC Events claimed.

The TCI executive board interpreted that the additional refunds to the workers of convention were inappropriate expenses. The TCI executive board believes that these refunds to committee workers should have been taken from the profit that went to STC, and not out of the convention operational expenses.

The issue was ultimately brought before the TCI delegates meeting at the 2016 TCI convention. A motion was presented and passed, that Sacramento Tall Club would need to make further refunds to convention attendees. These refunds will come from the \$5000 STC convention profit.

There was extensive discussion at the September and October business meetings. There were strong opinions for both sides of the issue.

Ultimately, the STC board made the decision to comply with the TCI delegate's resolution to provide further refunds. STC will evenly divide the \$5000 profit that we received from STC Events to provide further refunds to the 2015 full package convention attendees.

I assure you that STC will still in a sound financial condition.

I have edited this narrative down substantially from all the details that were raised and brought to light. All discussions that were held at the business meetings concerning this issue are recorded in the meeting minutes.

The minutes are posted in the Member's Only section of our web site at <http://www.sacramentotallclub.org/> The October minutes will be posted after approval at the November business meeting.

STC will attempt to impress upon TCI that a revision of their by-laws is needed to clarify the text that led to this situation.

If you have any questions concerning this action, please contact me or any other officer and we will be happy answer your questions.



Bob Huggett  
President, Sacramento Tall Club  
[president@sacramentotallclub.org](mailto:president@sacramentotallclub.org)

## Officers' Reports

TREASURER'S REPORT				
	STC	Membership	Scholarship	Marfan
Beginning Balance	\$9,260.00	\$1,624.30	\$ 145.00	- 0 -
Income	\$ 197.00	- 0 -	\$ 165.00	- 0 -
Expenses	\$ - 0 -	- 0 -	\$ 0.00	- 0 -
Ending Balance	\$9,457.00	\$1,624.30	\$ 310.00	- 0 -

**Marketing:** MeetUp, Facebook, and Yahoo are the ways to suggest events and see what is already on the calendar. The MeetUp calendar is also duplicated on our Web Page at

WWW.SacramentoTallClub.org. Check these web locations for activities. Do feel free to suggest to people of height you meet on the street or in the store to visit our sites and see what we are doing.

**Membership:** We currently have 71 members with 15 prospects: keep handing out business cards and encouraging people to join us!

*(Editor's note: feel free also to share this newsletter to promote the club. It's been designed with that use in mind.)*

**Publicity:** We're always looking for ways to get the word out about the club. We tried to accomplish that at the Ice Cream Safari. Remember to keep a couple of business cards with you and handy to hand out at a moment's notice.

Keep in mind that KVIE Channel 6 has membership drives and special programs that will put us on camera for a few moments. They have contacted me again but we had a conflicting event and could not schedule. Please let me know if you would like to volunteer the next time. Email me, Harry, at [Publicity@SacramentoTallClub.org](mailto:Publicity@SacramentoTallClub.org) and I will put you on the list of possible TV stars!

If you have any ideas for any new publicity events or activities, please contact me or "suggest" an event on MeetUp. The web activity is the window for the world to see what we are doing.

### A Plea from Your Social Chair

Patty is always interested in what events the membership would like to see scheduled. We need suggestions for TGIF's, Mid-Month Dine Outs, Dinner & Movie locations, Business Meeting locations, etc. We need hosts for some of our annual events.

Please consider hosting events outside of your home. If there is something you are going to do that you think other people would be interested in, suggest it on MeetUp and we will put it out to the membership to respond. If you have any questions, or need help with MeetUp, please let your social chair know. I can be contacted at home on 916-896-1133, cell 916-753-5424 or e-mail at [social@sacramentotallclub.org](mailto:social@sacramentotallclub.org).

## What's Happening, STC?

### Recent Events – or what we've been up to over the past couple of months.

- 😊 Monday, September 5<sup>th</sup>: End of Summer Celebration and BBQ at the Huggetts'.
- 😊 Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup>: Grand Night for Singing. Fair Oaks Theatre Festival.
- 😊 Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>: Dinner and a Movie
- 😊 Tuesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>: Business Meeting.
- 😊 Friday, September 16<sup>th</sup>: TGIF – Gail's House and The Pub. Come join Gail and tall

😊 friends for drinks at her house in the North Natomas area followed by dinner at The Pub in her community.

😊 Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>: Party and Dancing in Santa Rosa.

😊 Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup>: Pizza and Game Night at Barb K's.



(Report by Barb K.)

Pizza/Game Night was a lot of fun for hungry tall folks on Sept. 24.

We enjoyed various "bake-at-home" pizzas with salad and delicious pumpkin desserts provided by Mary Ann and Barbara J. A previous STC scholarship winner, Kasondra Lyn (2005) attended with a really-fun game, Telestrations. We also video recorded congratulations to STC member Sue K. on her wedding to Jim M. on Sunday, Sept 25.

😊 Friday, September 30<sup>th</sup>: 5<sup>th</sup> Friday TGIF. Smokey Oaks Tavern, 9634 Fair Oaks Blvd, Fair Oaks

😊 Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup>: The Midtown Moxies: After the Apocalypse. Midtown Barfly, Sacramento.

😊 Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>: Elk Grove Pumpkin Festival at Elk Grove Park.

😊 Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup>: 3-Alarm Chili Cookoff and Octoberfest, benefitting the Firefighters Burn Institute.

😊 Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 PM: Arctic Adventures Presentation 2016 by Carol Francis.

😊 Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup>: Business meeting.

😊 Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, 5:30 PM: TGIF Old Town Pizza in Roseville

😊 Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>: Folsom Renaissance Faire & International Jousting Festival

😊 Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 PM: Halloween Day of the Dead Party at Shalimar's home in Santa Rosa.

## Upcoming STC Events

😊 Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 PM: TGIF, Fire Rock Grill, 11275 Folsom Blvd., Rancho Cordova. It's FRIDAY!!! Come out, relax and enjoy the company of your Tall Friends and celebrate the end of the week! Fire Rock Grill has a great appetizer and dinner menu, along with a full bar & terrific Happy Hour Specials. Patty H will be your host.

RSVP to Patty H. or on Meetup.

- 😊 Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 PM: Guy Fawkes Day Dinner. Churchill Pub, 649 East Bidwell Street, Folsom, CA. Come celebrate the thwarted terrorist attack in London.

Guy Fawkes Night, also known as Guy Fawkes Day, Bonfire Night and Firework Night, is an annual commemoration observed on 5 November, primarily in Great Britain. Its history begins with the events of 5 November 1605, when Guy Fawkes, a member of the Gunpowder Plot, was arrested while guarding explosives the plotters had placed beneath the House of Lords. Celebrating the fact that King James I had survived the attempt on his life, people lit bonfires around London, and months later the introduction of the Observance of 5th November Act enforced an annual public day of thanksgiving for the plot's failure.

RSVP to Jennifer G. or on Meetup.

- 😊 Tuesday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 PM: Business Meeting. IHOP, 2216 Sunrise Blvd., Rancho Cordova. Come early to order food before the meeting starts.

- 😊 Friday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 PM: TGIF, El Torito, 1598 Arden Way, Sacramento. Come out and join your tall friends for some Mexican food and Margaritas! If you haven't come out before, this is a good way to get out & meet new friends. We hope to see you there! RSVP to Patty H. or on Meetup.

- 😊 Saturday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, PM: Lady Business and Anti-Cooperation League. Sacramento Comedy Spot, 1050 20th St Ste 130, Sacramento. Hosted by Patty and Bob H, RSVP to them or on Meetup.

Sacramento's only all-female improv troupe uses true stories from the audience and cast members to create a long-form improv show with smart humor, unexpected characters, and guaranteed laughs. After the cast and audience tell stories on a monthly theme, the cast of Lady Business does a series of improvised scenes inspired by the stories.

Make it a night of comedy! See both Lady Business AND Anti-Cooperation League at 9PM and save \$5! Get two shows for just \$15! Select the COMBO ticket option for your preferred date to take advantage of this offer. Bringing a group of 8 or more to the show? Use code LADYBIZGROUP at checkout to get \$2 off each ticket!

To purchase tickets, and for more information, Visit the website:

[http://www.saccomedyspot.com/lady-business/?event\\_rdate=20151121200000%2C20151121205000](http://www.saccomedyspot.com/lady-business/?event_rdate=20151121200000%2C20151121205000)

- 😊 Thursday, November 24<sup>th</sup>: Orphans' Thanksgiving at the Huggetts'. Orphan Thanksgiving celebration at Bob and Patty's.

Or even if you are not an orphan, but simply like to avoid the family, or they are a little far away, come join Bob and Patty again this year.

Patty and Bob will provide the Turkey, stuffing and gravy. We rely on our guests to provide the rest. However, when you RSVP, you will be given the opportunity to choose one of several different traditional dishes or to suggest your own.



An RSVP for this is a must. Please RSVP by Tuesday, November 26.

Come as early as 5:00 and dinner is planned for 6:00.

Gobble-gobble.

Non-alcoholic beverages will be provided.

😊 Friday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 5:30 PM: TGIF at Cattlemen's, 12409 Folsom Blvd, Rancho Cordova. Hosted by Patty H. RSVP to Patty or on Meetup.

😊 Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 PM: Business Meeting / Brunch + Ugly Christmas Sweater + Cookie Exchange.

Barb K. once again hosts this low key gathering. Come wearing your ugliest, most colorful or humorous holiday sweater. Or not, if you are not so inclined. Cookie exchange is optional as well.

RSVP to Barb K., or on Meetup.

😊 Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 PM: TGIF. Location and host TBA.

😊 Saturday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 PM: STC Holiday Party at Ginny M's home in Lincoln, CA.

Come & celebrate the Holiday Season in style. Ginny M is opening her home this year by hosting STC's Annual Holiday gathering. Come blow your diet one more time this year. Bring a wrapped gift (suggested \$10.00 value) for a gift exchange game, and a dessert or munchies to share.

\$5.00 for members with food / \$10.00 for members without food.

Non-Members \$7.00 w/food / \$12.00 without food.

**First time Prospects are free.** Come & check us out.

RSVP via Meetup and/or call Ginny for directions.

😊 Friday, December 30<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 PM: End-of-2016 TGIF. Location and host TBD.

😊 Saturday, December 31<sup>st</sup>: New Year's Eve with STC. Host and location still TBD.

😊 Tuesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 PM: Business Meeting. Location TBA.

😊 Saturday, January 21<sup>st</sup>: Chili Cookoff or Soup Party at Craig and Mary C's in Rancho Murieta. Details TBA.

These items and more are posted at <http://sacramentotallclub.org/> and <https://www.meetup.com/sacramento-tall-club/>

## Upcoming TCI Events

- ☺ **Boston Beanstalks Wild Turkey “Thanksgiving” Weekend.** November 11-13, 2016, Westport, MA. The flyer is attached.
- ☺ **Paramount Tall Club of Chicago Weekend 2017.** *Save the date: January 26-29, 2017.* The flyer is attached.
- ☺ **Tip Toppers of Detroit: Through the Decades.** *Save the date: April 21-23, 2017.* The flyer is attached.
- ☺ **Convention 2017, Portland Oregon.** *Save the date: July 3-9, 2017.* Flyer attached: additional details will be provided as they become available.

## Your STC Officers:

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STC Meetup Group: <http://www.meetup.com/sacramento-tall-club/>

STC Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/sactallclub/>

STC Yahoo Group: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/SacTallClub>



STC Web Page: <http://sacramentotallclub.org/>

Tall Clubs International Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/8267051046/>

Tall Clubs International webpage: <http://www.tall.org>



# Sacramento Tall Club

A social club for Tall people in the Sacramento area.

## Membership or Renewal Application 2016

Note: Preferred method of renewal or application is to visit [www.SacramentoTallClub.org](http://www.SacramentoTallClub.org) and complete an application/renewal form, and then send payment to the P.O. box listed below.

If you do not have internet access, please send this completed renewal form with payment made out to STC, to: Sacramento Tall Club, P.O. Box 515, Rancho Cordova, CA, 95741.

Renewal for 2016 is \$25.00 per person.

I wish to (check one): ☐ Apply for ☐ Renew membership in the Sacramento Tall Club

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Ft. \_\_\_\_\_ In. Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Interests: \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

What club activities would you like to participate in?

Social ☐ Administrative ☐ Newsletter ☐

Periodically, the club publishes a roster of all members, including their addresses and phone numbers. That information, as it pertains to you, will be automatically included in the next edition unless you specifically request that all or some be excluded.

Please don't publish my: Home Address ☐ Home Phone Number ☐ E-mail Address ☐

By signing the area below, you certify that all statements made in this application are true and agree and understand that any misstatements of material facts herein will cause forfeiture on your part of the right to remain a member of the Sacramento Tall Club. (Membership information will NOT be sold.)

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### FOR STC USE ONLY

Date received: \_\_\_\_\_ Membership fee collected: \_\_\_\_\_ Name badge: \$8.00 ☐

For New Memberships:

Measured Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Ft. \_\_\_\_\_ In. Officer 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Officer 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Functions Attended: S1 \_\_\_\_\_ S2 \_\_\_\_\_ Business \_\_\_\_\_





# Boston Beanstalks Wild Turkey "Friendsgiving" Weekend

**November 11-13, 2016**

**Hampton Inn, 53 Old Bedford Road, Westport, MA 02790**

Yes, you can still find wild turkeys in New England. Some roam nearby fields and woods, and some are Boston Beanstalks, and we're no caged, top-heavy domesticated fowl. We're wild, & we FLY!  
Come join us to party like wild turkeys!

Please make your minimum deposit\* of \$50 by October 1, 2016, to lock in the early-turkey price of \$150. All others pay \$160.

(For partial package prices, please see [www.hubtall.org/special\\_news.html](http://www.hubtall.org/special_news.html).)

\* Please note that deposits are non-refundable.

Your weekend package includes:

- Friday evening dance & appetizers
- Friday night after-hours
- Saturday breakfast
- Saturday dinner & dance
- Saturday night after-hours
- Sunday breakfast.

Please make your own reservations at the Hampton Inn, Westport, by calling 508-675-8500. Mention the Boston Beanstalks to get the rate of \$99+tax/night for a King-sized hotel room.

For hotel details, see <http://hamptoninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/massachusetts/hampton-inn-fall-river-westport-ELRWPHX/index.html>.

Potential Wild Turkey jaunts are: Plimoth Plantation, Twin Rivers Casino, tours of Providence, Newport mansions, and historic sites in New Bedford & Fall River. For questions & latest information on the weekend, see [www.hubtall.org/special\\_news.html](http://www.hubtall.org/special_news.html).

To register, e-mail [registrar@hubtall.org](mailto:registrar@hubtall.org). To pay by check, mail check to: BBTC P.O. Box 610185 Newton, MA 02461. To pay via PayPal, go to [hubtall.org](http://hubtall.org), click the Join tab, then click on the Payment button to pay with your credit card.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ TCI Club \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Officer/Royalty \_\_\_\_\_

City, ST, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Travel Info: Air \_\_\_\_\_ Auto \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**PREFERRED AIRPORT:** Providence/TF Green. Please arrange your own transportation to & from other airports. Transportation by Beanstalks will be provided from Providence's TF Green Airport on Friday afternoon, November 11, until 5 p.m., and to T.F. Green after 1 p.m., Sunday afternoon, November 13.





CALLING ALL SUPERHEROES  
YOU ARE NEEDED TO SAVE THE CITY OF CHICAGO  
PARAMOUNT TALL CLUB OF CHICAGO

# SUPERHERO WEEKEND

## AND VILLAINS



### Weekend package price:

\$105 postmarked by 12/12/16  
\$115 postmarked by 1/9/17  
\$125 postmarked after 1/9/17

## JANUARY 26 - 29, 2017

Non-refundable deposit of \$65  
(US Currency) will hold your  
package price.  
Pay on or before 12/12/16 to be  
eligible to win a **FREE** weekend  
package !!

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### HOTEL INFORMATION

Hilton Garden Inn - Chicago O'Hare Airport  
2930 South River Road  
Des Plaines IL 847-296-8900

[www.chicagoohareairport.stayhgi.com](http://www.chicagoohareairport.stayhgi.com)

Group Code: Tall17

Rate: 1-4 persons \$90 per night

Includes Full Breakfast

Price and room block held until 1/14/17

FREE Parking

Free 24 hour O'Hare airport transportation provided

### Full package includes:

Friday Costume Party  
Live Band  
Afterhours Open Bar and Food  
Saturday Night Semi-Formal  
Dinner and Dance DJ  
Afterhours Open Bar and Food  
Pool and Hot Tub

**THURSDAY EARLY  
ARRIVALS WELCOME:**  
The Park at Rosemont  
With Valerie

**FRIDAY CITY TOUR**  
With Jean

**SATURDAY ACTIVITIES**  
❖ Chinatown  
❖ Rosemont Outlet  
Mall  
❖ Rivers Casino  
❖ More to come!!!

MORE INFORMATION LATER ON ACTIVITIES AND PARTIAL COSTS

[www.tallclubchicago.org](http://www.tallclubchicago.org)  
or Facebook

### REGISTRATION INFO

Mail Form with a \$65 non-refundable deposit (US funds) Payable to "Paramount Tall Club of Chicago"

Jim Nelson 6959 W. Hobart, Chicago, IL 60631 773-775-2049

[jnelson1225@cs.com](mailto:jnelson1225@cs.com)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Club \_\_\_\_\_ Drink Preference \_\_\_\_\_

Dinner Choice: Pork \_\_\_\_\_ Chicken \_\_\_\_\_ Fish \_\_\_\_\_ Vegetarian \_\_\_\_\_

Arrival Info: Airport \_\_\_\_\_ Airline \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Flt# \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

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Saturday Interest: We are still coming up with ideas... we will reach out by email soon!





**TIP TOPPERS OF DETROIT**



# THROUGH THE DECADES



## Tip Toppers of Detroit 76<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Weekend Dearborn, Michigan April 21—23, 2017 (The Weekend After Easter)

The Tip Toppers of Detroit are excited to see you at the TTD/TTD Weekend, for which we can reflect on The Tip Toppers of Detroit Thru the Decades. After all, it is the 76<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Club! What is your favorite memory of TCI, The Tip Toppers or anytime during the Detroit Club's history, from 1941—Present? Bring photo albums and memorabilia you might want to share and of course, wear your favorite outfit from that period at the Friday Night Party.

The Weekend Package price includes:

- Friday Night: Costume Party—  
Wear anything that represents great Club memories from 1941—Present
- Friday After Hours
- Saturday Breakfast
- Saturday: Tours to Greenfield Village,  
Shopping, Casinos and more  
(not included in package price)
- Saturday Night: Cocktails and  
Formal Dinner Dance
- Saturday After Hours
- Sunday Breakfast and Kill the bottle

*\*You must be a hotel guest to attend afterhours*

**Package Price only \$100  
Before Mar 1, 2017**



### DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Detroit - Dearborn



5801 Southfield Expressway  
Detroit, Michigan 48220  
USA  
Tel: +1-313-336-8340  
Fax: +1-313-336-7037

#### Amenities



### Reservations Online:



Rooms at \$129 per night until Apr. 1,  
or until group block is sold out.  
Parking is an additional \$4 per day

**\*\*Contact Weekend Chair if you have any trouble booking rooms:**  
[bev.tyskind@yahoo.com](mailto:bev.tyskind@yahoo.com)

## REGISTRATION

Complete this form and mail it with the  
\$100 package fee (or \$45 deposit) to:

TTD Weekend Registration  
Maria Nichols  
19 Olde Orchard Dr.  
Perrysburg, OH 43551  
Email: [meshasmith@aol.com](mailto:meshasmith@aol.com)

Make the check out to Tip Toppers of  
Detroit.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Club: \_\_\_\_\_  
Alumni (Active Yrs): \_\_\_\_\_  
Sat Dinner Choice (Chicken, Fish, Veggie, beef) \_\_\_\_\_





The Portland Skyliners Tall Club presents

## TCI Convention 2017

...in beautiful Portland, Oregon—the City of Roses!



The week in Portland will feature all the usual TCI Convention business and events—from the Annual Delegates' Meeting to Miss Tall International® Pageant, Sports Day, and the TCI Workshop—plus, of course—themed After-Hours Parties every night! On Independence Day, attendees will be treated to heaping doses of Lewis and Clark's Oregon experience with a day trip up the Columbia River Gorge, followed by an evening of pure Americana music with *Larry Wilder and the Stumptown Band*. Later, we'll view 4th of July fireworks from the deck of the hotel. On Thursday we'll head west to the Pacific Ocean and take our time visiting a few of the northern beaches on the Oregon Coast. (Pre-Con-vention will be farther south, so those attending both events will get to see different parts of our scenic coastline.) After a day of riding in motor coaches, it will be especially nice to have *Tony Starlight* bring his fabulous nightclub show to us at the Red Lion. Those who want a more "Portlandia" experience will appreciate a local night-on-the-town on Friday.



Our Convention Hotel

### Red Lion Hotel—Jantzen Beach

909 N Hayden Island Dr, Portland, OR 97217

Phone: (503) 283-4466

**Direct online reservation link for \$129 TCI room rate:**

<https://aws.passkey.com/event/15977681/owner/4387/home>

King or two-queens **\$129** per night, plus tax (up to 4 people)

Price applies to three shoulder nights each way. 6/30–7/11.

Book by 6/13/2017 for TCI rate (until 50 room block is filled)

With the TCI members' password, you can register online at tall.org: <http://www.tall.org/tci-convention-2017-inc-registration.html>

Or complete this form and mail it along with your minimum \$100 deposit check written to TCI Convention 2017, inc. to:

**M. Wolf—Registrar, TCI Convention 2017, 4206 NE 27th Ave., Portland, OR 97211-6518**

### **Please register me for TCI Convention 2017—Full-Package!**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's date: \_\_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_' \_\_\_\_\_"

Membership status (check all that apply):

- ☐ Member of: \_\_\_\_\_ Tall Club
- ☐ TCI Member-at-Large
- ☐ European Tall Club \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Prospective Member Height: \_\_\_\_\_' \_\_\_\_\_"
- ☐ Non-member
- ☐ Miss TI Queen Candidate

Telephone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list your beverage preferences, and any special dietary or physical accommodation needs on the back of this form.

**Emergency Contact Info:** Name/relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**TCI Members'**  
**EARLYBIRD**  
**Full-package Price!**

**\$625**

with \$100 deposit postmarked  
by December 1, 2016

### **Members' Full Package Pricing Schedule**

**\$655** postmarked by 2/1/2017

**\$685** postmarked by 4/1/2017

**\$725** postmarked by 6/10/2017

**\$799** after 6/10/2017  
(subject to availability)

Non-members add 5% surcharge  
to each price tier. (Prospective  
members exempt from surcharge.)

**\$100 deposit holds package  
price at each level.**



