



Beach Areas Men

Enjoying Naturism

of Southern California



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Fireside Chat

BA-MEN is beginning our 15th year! Our 15th anniversary for the club being 12/21/17! (That date in 2002 was our very first event.)



This newsletter is out a bit later than usual, as I have been dealing with a bout of apparent food poisoning from what I think was a badly prepared dish at a local warehouse store... Sigh.

That aside, this past month we had a somewhat short(er) notice event or two, including a new one on foreskin restoration, and while I'm not trying to N.O.R.M. SoCal in Culver City any sort of rival, we're trying to do it for guys in our area who perhaps might like to deal with a closer, smaller group of guys who aren't afraid to show their progress and methods with in-person demonstrations.

For those of you interested in restoration or are curious about it, please join us on Yahoo Groups:
<https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/OC-LB-FS-Restoration/info>

And PLEASE also join us in person at the events for such on May 13th & 28th.



And our off-shoot group, O.C./Long Beach Naked Men has it's more-or-less first event this month, CJ Monday, on 5/8.

You can find the Yahoo Group for them at:
<https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/OCLB-NakedMen/info>

We still need is someone with floor space to host an event with TV & DVD player acting as the instructor for a nude yoga class.

You yourself need know nothing about yoga, though we'd love it if someone with some experience might also join us as a sort of co-instructor to accompany the video.

If you can help check out the hosting info at the end of this section... Or just use our email address:
BAMENClub@GMail.com

Namaste!



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We'd like to have the assistance of 1 or more "secretaries" to help with email and/or voice mail to return phone calls.

I'd also love it if we can find someone who can help plan events and/or contribute in some other way towards our newsletter and/or web site!

In return you'll get free membership and other perks that I will not disclose in advance, as I'm not looking to appeal to those wanting a sort of hand-out. (I've talked to too many of those.)

Honestly, I can't see this taking more than 1-2 hours a month at present, unless it's hard to reach someone or they ask a lot of questions in email.

If you're interested, please email the club at: BAMENClub@GMail.com

(Note that if you take a week to get back to my reply, I will not consider you as a serious candidate unless you tell me you'll be on a trip or something.)

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I've created a new Yahoo Group forum/ mailing list to solicit some feedback & suggestions from our members and guests about our web site & other things about the club.

If you'd like to offer your feedback & suggestions in an interactive forum about our web site and other club business, please write us directly at our main email address and request to be admitted to the new group & let us know if you want web or email-only access, as this will help get you access if you've restricted invites to Yahoo Groups on your account.

Our usual, preferred address is: BAMENClub@GMail.com

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As you know, we're trying to get new guys in our group, and I am hoping we will have the funds so we can get some ads running in various local gay publications, like the one that SHOULD appear in the May issue of *Adalante*.

If you can help us out to this goal, we're accepting "donations" in any amount, and while you can mail a few bucks in the US Mail, it would be safer and simpler (at least to me) to pay online (see the "Payment Policy" section on page 3 to see which we accept & other payment info... Feel free to email and suggest another if we don't have one you like!), and you can send checks & money orders, too.

Feel free to let us know if you'd like to be listed as a contributor or not in a future issue.

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For those that are interested in a more intimate event than we usually offer (at least during the official event), check out this new group: <https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/OCCLBNakedMen/info>

[Orange County/Long Beach Naked Men will allow for a more intimate event than we normally do, and as such if anyone wants to host an event that's of that nature, it will be hosted under the guise of OC/LB Naked Men, rather than BA-MEN.](#)

Check it out and see if some of the events planned there are of interest.

The Meetup sites for it and us are at this point temporary, unless someone wants to make donations to cover keeping Meetup.com sites going, as it costs \$20/month or \$15/month for 6 months paid in advance.

So, if you care to check them out, you may, but PLEASE do join the Yahoo Groups as a permanent site at the address to the left for

OC/LB Naked Men and the address for us on the last page of this newsletter.

The (expected) temporary sites on Meetup are:

OC/LB Naked Men:

<http://www.meetup.com/OCCLBNakedMen/>

BA-MEN:

<http://www.meetup.com/BA-MEN/>

Another new thing to help promote BA-MEN is we've got a group on Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/bamen.oclb/>

Please "like" or "share" the above group on your "Timeline" if you have a Facebook account so we can get a little more exposure, even if you don't decide to join and/or follow it.

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If you have a pool and/or spa, or know of someone who does and might host for us, even if they're not really in our "home area", we'd love to talk! Just use the feedback form in the prior column or any of our contact methods on the last page of this newsletter.

One thing we'd really like to find is someone willing to host in another area, like Palm Springs, with hopefully a pool and maybe a BBQ and ideally some place several of us can spend the night, instead of resorting to a hotel (with an added cost for many), but we can discuss options if you're willing – Just contact us and we'll talk about it!

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Want to meet 1-on-1 or in a small group to chat & socialize sometime, on your schedule?

Right now I've got 2 new possibilities to meet... Best is where I am currently staying in Garden Grove near the Santa Ana border off Westminster/17th, between Harbor & Fairview. We can even hang nude for a while, if you like.

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The second option is to meet at a nearby public place, like McDonald's on Harbor & Westminster.

If you're interested, please use any contact method on the final page here, though keep in mind email is usually responded to fastest.



Do you know anything of the "Hilltop Hot Spring" towards Mammoth in the Owens Valley off Hwy. 395 or the "Hot Spring Canyons" in the Santa Ana Mountains?

Contact us at any method on the last page if you do, as we'd love some info on the places.



Can you **help us** have fewer hotel events by **hosting an event at your home sometime?**

Keep in mind the following perks if you do help us out...

We have a **new offer for event hosts!**

We're now offering the following, per event:

* **A guaranteed minimum of \$10 for indoor events, \$15 for spa/hot tub parties, and \$25 for pool parties.**

* A virtual certificate for free admission at 2 other home-based events. (Or \$5 off the door fee of a hotel-based event when pre-paid only.)

* **Updated:** You get \$3 per paid attendee and you pay no fee.

* Free membership for up to an additional year beyond your current membership OR a second free admission cert. (as above).

* Ask and you'll receive any help you need with house cleaning before the event. (Though I'm sure anyone doing much would appreciate a shower afterward, before the

event starts. He also will receive the same admission & membership perks noted for the co-host below.)

* At the event, we'll try our best to have someone deal with cleaning things up and trash, as needed. (They will receive free admission to your event, plus free membership, as above OR free admission to a future event, as above.) -Events with over 12 guys or those when a co-host cannot stay the full time, we'll have a 2nd guy co-host. (And if we ever have a large pool party, we'll try to have a 3rd or more!) -You will not need to request such assistance - only if you need help with vacuuming, dusting, mopping, or whatever before the event.

Alternatively to all the above, you're welcome to request a specific fee for the use of your place, but you'll need to be a current member or the current basic membership fee will be deducted from said fee.

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns on this new policy, PLEASE ASK!

You're also welcome to offer any suggestions on this, if you think we can do better and/or are not offering at least the same as another SoCal brother club.

If you can host, please email us at BAMENClub@GMail.com or complete our new hosting form: <http://BA-MEN.Org/hosting/>



We're still very much looking for other opportunities for nude hiking, camping, and other hot spring trips!

If you know of a good place to hike, camp, or of a hot spring that is **preferably** less than 200 miles away, please let us know! (Longer distances can work, but it needs to be worthwhile, like the trip to Tecopa Hot Springs.)

We're not only looking for places to do such, but for guys who can lead the way -

and for such, esp. if you can also drive a carpool and give guys without the means to get there, we'll give you our host's current offer - free membership for up to a year! - Drop us a line (see last page for contact info) if you can help us out like this.

Keep in mind that most of the events currently scheduled are un-hosted, so if you would like to host an event on that date or near it, just let us know and we'll make any necessary changes! ▼

Classified Ads:

Need a Personal Assistant or Valet? House or Pet Sitter? Computer Work? House-Cleaning? Handyman? Or ???

If you're looking for someone to help a disabled/semi-disabled person, house-sit, and maybe tend to your plants or animals (for example, he loves dogs & knows how to deal with aquariums), or if you're looking for some sort of help or work on your computer or other electronics, or perhaps need a new light switch installed, please contact John before you spend 2-100 times the amount on someone who might cramp your lifestyle.

Since I'm "one of you", I don't care if you have gay porn laying around, live with your boyfriend, or like to walk around the house nude! -In fact, if you do like to be nude at home, I will likely join you in doing so while there.

You don't have to worry about your liquor or food if you're looking for a house-sitter, as I don't drink, and will obtain my own food. -And you don't have to worry about someone maybe hosting wild parties or whatever... I'll respect your wishes, whatever they might be.

If you are interested, please call John anytime at 714-248-6833 & leave a message or e-mail him at doctor34@gmail.com.



Your Ad Could Be Here !!!



Want to Submit a Classified Ad?

We feature *free* ads from members (or those paid for by others for a small fee that we accept for print).

If you wish to feature an item for sale, have a room for rent, your services to offer, etc, please get in touch with us via any method listed on the last page of this newsletter. ▼

Who is this Celebrity Guy?

In the last issue the celebrity was boxer Ashley Sexton.

The answer to who the guy shown here is will be in the next issue.



A hint: This is an oldie of unknown origin, but if it helps you figure out who he is, he recently passed away. ▼

Happy Birthday Wishes To:

No April member birthdays, JD G. on 5/22, Kevin P. on 6/10, Lee M. on 6/12, & John P. on 6/18.

Become a member and get your birthday listed here too! ▼

Calendar of Events

(All Events Are *Tentative* - ***An RSVP for all is required!***)

To RSVP for any event, please click the following link or send email to that address, or call us via any hotline on the last page if you have no email. You may also contact us at this address if you have questions about the event that are not answered here.

BAMENRSVP@GMail.com

You can best RSVP for an event via our new RSVP forms:

For all events, you may click:
<http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/>

Or for the direct link to each form:

For hotel-based parties, click:
<http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/hotel/>

For trip events, click:
<http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/trip/>

And for everything else, click:
<http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/main/>

Also, please take a moment to view our current polls online and help us shape the future of your club and our events:

<http://BA-MEN.Org/polls/>

Our deposit/advance payment policy for any hotel or trip event is if you cancel by the event's RSVP deadline or if we should have to cancel the event, you will get your money back in full via the same online payment service, or via a bank issued check by mail after your payment has fully cleared. Late cancellations may still receive a refund if others pay to attend in your stead.

At this time, for all events that request a deposit or advance payment, you may pay via check or money order (by mail), Square Cash (Cash.Me or their app), Chime, Circle Pay, PayPal, Venmo, & PopMoney online, or you can pay in person in cash. Also we can accept credit & signature debit cards again in person and online. (Email or call to get our payment address or a location to meet us if paying cash or by card in person before the event, or to pay via one of the other methods.)

All deposits/pre-payments are due no later than Noon on the Friday the week before the event for online payments & U.S. Postal Money Orders, and all other checks & money orders are due by noon the Friday 2 weeks prior to the event.

BA-MEN provides a **drug-free environment**, and even things like "poppers" & "420" are not permitted at any time.

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Also, unless otherwise noted, smoking (even cloves & e-cigs) is not permitted. ★



Need a Haircut?

If you're interested, we'd like to offer you a free crew cut.

If you're interested, bring a large towel or sheet to capture the hair (and dump it in the trash carefully when you're done), and we'll be glad to give you a good buzz-cut.

The gent offering the haircuts (yours truly, the group President) is not professionally trained and is not asking for a cent (a tip would not be refused), but I can do a nice, even crew.

I can *try* to do other lengths, but I have never done so before, so there's no guarantee at all on how it might turn out. If you want to be a guinea pig and try something other than a crew, please bring a personal comb as well.

You will need to make your cut request (especially if not a crew!) known fully when you RSVP, as I will not be sure to bring the clippers if no one asks for one.

You're welcome to look at my own cut for an example of my work (and hopefully I've done it recently and it's not gotten shaggy).

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Sunday, May 7, 2pm-8pm

New Guys Ritual + Star Wars/ Cinco de Mayo/NMM Party

in Garden Grove/Santa Ana

When/Cost/Where: 2pm-8pm 5/7, \$5 requested at door, location near 17th/Westminster & Fairview or Harbor in Garden Grove on Santa Ana border. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds.)

This event is initially clothing optional.

Attendance will be limited, so please only RSVP if you're VERY sure you'll be here.

Google Map to complex street address:
<https://goo.gl/maps/KBhYJFVciNs>

To attend, RSVP no later than 9pm 5/6.

We're asking just \$5 at the door to keep the group going. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds if stated when you RSVP.)

If you're new to group nudity, and are nervous/anxious about it, we'd like to invite you to arrive between 2pm & 2:20 so at 2:30 we can begin a short ritual to relax you by having someone else take control and have you blindfolded, paired with someone who will remove your clothing in stages, following group directions. Once 1 person in each group is nude, we'll reverse roles and repeat until all are nude, and have everyone in the group trade nude hugs.

Then by 3pm, since May the 4th (be with you!) is Star Wars Day, we'll have at least 1 offering of a Star Wars movie (you MUST vote on which when you RSVP to be

counted!... Pick 3 favorites other you wish to see).

When the movie is over, you're invited to our build-your-own taco bar. (Everyone is encouraged to bring SPECIFIC items to contribute for tacos, since Cinco de Mayo is May 5th.) PLEASE bring the specific item you've offered when RSVP'ing or the assigned item... Let us know ASAP if you can't attend so we can have someone else bring it instead.

We'll resume Star Wars or other voted on movies after our meal. (PLEASE mention a few movies or genres you like when you RSVP.)

At 8pm or whenever the last movie ends near that time, we'll have a special "after-hours party" to commemorate "National Masturbation Month". (Yeah, that's a real thing.)

RSVP at: <http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/main/>

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Monday, May 8, 8pm-10pm

OC/LB Naked Men Event: CJ Monday

If you'd like to attend an event that's not too social but allows for some fun, join the OC/LB Naked Men for MUTUAL Circle Jerk Monday in Garden Grove on the Santa Ana border.

Those attending are required to get naked (shoes/socks not counted), and expect to start off the event jerking someone else while someone else jerks you.

Touch/H.J./frot only, no kissing, oral, or anal. Jacking lube provided. \$2 donation requested.

Please don't plan to leave until everyone's orgasmed... You need to help others achieve

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orgasm, not just dash off when you achieve yours.

No guarantees on age of other participants, and you may be initially handling (or them you) someone older... We don't ask stats, and no telling if someone will really be there.

If you plan to attend, plan to arrive 7:30-8 only and not leave until everyone is satisfied or has given-up, or around 10pm.

A shower to clean-up is avail. if you're headed to work or something, just keep it short. :)

RSVP at: <http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/main/> or OCNakedMen@gmail.com

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Friday, May 12, 6pm-11pm **Freedom Friday!**

in Garden Grove/Santa Ana

When/Cost/Where: 6pm-11pm 5/12, \$5 requested at door, location near 17th/Westminster & Fairview or Harbor in Garden Grove on Santa Ana border. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds.)

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Attendance will be limited, so please only RSVP if you're very sure you'll be here.

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To attend, RSVP no later than 9pm 5/11.

We're asking \$5 at the door to keep the group going. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds if stated when you RSVP.)

We'd like to try to offer a bit of a free-form event, and see if anyone's interested in any of the following on 5/12:

If there's any new & nervous guys, we'll offer a short ritual to ease you into group nudity first.

After, the following are options - Please list which you'd like at RSVP or when asked:

- * Games (bring board & card games preferred)
- * Movies (give 3 titles and/or genres at RSVP)
- * Massage Exchange w/ or w/o how-to video first
- * Body Scrub/Shower Exchange
- * Tantric Massage Exchange w/how-to video at 10:30
- * Touch Session

At some point, we can order pizza (likely \$7-8 chip-in).

Shower open anytime for clean-up as needed, but washing/scrubbing with someone is more fun!

"After-hours party" offered for 1 hour at 11pm.

Sound like fun?

RSVP at: <http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/main/>

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Saturday, May 13, 2pm-8pm **Foreskin Restoration Show & Tell w/Strip Games & Pizza** **Chip-In**

in Garden Grove/Santa Ana

When/Cost/Where: 2pm-8pm 5/13, \$5 requested at door, location near

17th/Westminster & Fairview or Harbor in Garden Grove on Santa Ana border. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds.)

This event is initially clothing optional.

Attendance will be limited, so please only RSVP if you're very sure you'll be here.

Google Map to complex street address:
<https://goo.gl/maps/KBhYJFVciNs>

To attend, RSVP no later than 9pm 5/13.

We're asking \$5 at the door to cover refreshments (chips & soft drinks) & help keep the group going, plus a chip-in for pizza will be available.

Please feel free to bring your foreskin restoration device and/or any you've tried in the past and demonstrate it's use for us if you're comfortable doing so. (You do not have to demonstrate.)

Those who are curious on restoration are also welcome to attend.

I will demonstrate my no tools or tape method that only takes a few minutes a week.

Besides talking about our methods and demonstrating their use, I'd like you to feel free to show your progress as well, whether or not you demonstrate your method.

On that note, feel free to be free, and expose as little or as much as you wish from the start or whenever you demonstrate or show-off.

Anyone attending should be OK with your or others' partial to full nudity among your fellow men, and in the case of my method, should also not be afraid of an erection, either, as it's needed to offer resistance with my tool- & tape-less method. (It doesn't work otherwise.)

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If anyone is intrigued by group nudity, but doesn't quite has the courage to get naked, there's a short ritual we can do.

If you want to hang past 5pm or pizza break, bring a game and we'll play it like "strip poker" - if you lose a short game or some other negative point in the game, you loose some clothing... But in this version you only have 2 steps to nudity... All shirts/tops & all bottoms/pants/shorts. :)

After which massage trade and/or body scrubs may take place until 8pm.

(Last month we tried this as a short-notice event, not on the newsletter, but posted online otherwise, and I'll have a little more already lined-up, in case no one else has any devices or demos besides myself... And I'll be a tad less nervous myself!)

RSVP at: <http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/main/>
or OCLBFSRestoration@gmail.com

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Wednesday, May 17, **6:30-10:30pm** **Dinner & a Movie**

in Garden Grove/Santa Ana

When/Cost/Where: 6:30pm-10:30pm 5/17, \$5 requested at door, location near 17th/Westminster & Fairview or Harbor in Garden Grove on Santa Ana border. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds.)

Attendance will be limited, so please only RSVP if you're very sure you'll be here.

Google Map to complex street address:
<https://goo.gl/maps/KBhYJFVciNs>

To attend, RSVP no later than 9pm 5/16.

We'll have various movies (by popular vote) available via online on-demand, and we'll do

a pizza chip-in for whoever's interested (est. \$7-\$8), and will pause the movie when it arrives to let guys get a slice or two before resuming the show.

As time permits, we'll watch additional movies during available time.

No AHP is planned.

When RSVP'ing, PLEASE incl. 3-5 movies or genres you'd most like to see in the comments box so we can have a quick vote on what to watch.

RSVP at: <http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/main/>

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Sunday, May 21, 2:00-8:00pm **Show-It-Off Sunday! (Plus** **Movies, Touch Session &** **Potluck)**

in Garden Grove/Santa Ana

When/Cost/Where: 2pm-8pm 5/21, \$5 requested at door, location near 17th/Westminster & Fairview or Harbor in Garden Grove on Santa Ana border. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds.)

Attendance will be limited, so please only RSVP if you're very sure you'll be here.

Google Map to complex street address:
<https://goo.gl/maps/KBhYJFVciNs>

To attend, RSVP no later than 9pm 5/20.

We'll begin with an open potluck, so arrive early for best offerings! :)

I'm not sure how many guys in the group have "bod mods" - tattoos, piercings, etc - but the first part of this event's focus is to come over, get naked, show-off what you've

got, and discuss your mods or intended mods with all present.

After that (if any), we'll run a movie (by popular vote) or 2 until about 6pm, then allow a "touch session", which allows for non-sexual touch among the willing. (We don't consider it taboo to touch another's penis/testicles, just please refrain from masturbation or other sex acts.)

When RSVP'ing, PLEASE incl. 3-5 movies or genres you'd most like to see in the comments box so we can have a quick vote on what to watch.

An "after-hours party" will be held for 1 hour after for safe-sex play.

RSVP at: <http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/main/>

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Friday, May 26, 6pm-11pm **Freedom Friday, Too!**

in Garden Grove/Santa Ana

When/Cost/Where: 6pm-11pm 5/12, \$5 requested at door, location near 17th/Westminster & Fairview or Harbor in Garden Grove on Santa Ana border. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds.)

This event is initially clothing optional if requested at RSVP.

Attendance will be limited, so please only RSVP if you're very sure you'll be here.

Google Map to complex street address:
<https://goo.gl/maps/KBhYJFVciNs>

To attend, RSVP no later than 9pm 5/25.

We're asking \$5 at the door to keep the group going. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds if stated when you RSVP.)

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At some point, we can order pizza (likely \$7-8 chip-in).

Shower open anytime for clean-up as needed, but washing/scrubbing with someone is more fun!

"After-hours party" offered for 1 hour at 11pm.

Sound like fun?

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Saturday, May 27, 2pm-8pm **Satisfied Saturday!**

in Garden Grove/Santa Ana

When/Cost/Where: 2pm-8pm 5/12, \$5 requested at door, location near 17th/Westminster & Fairview or Harbor in Garden Grove on Santa Ana border. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds.)

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Foreskin Restoration Show & Tell w/Strip Games & Potluck

in Garden Grove/Santa Ana

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If you want to hang past 5pm or when our discussion & demo is through, bring a game and we'll play it like "strip poker" - if you lose a short game or some other negative point in the game, you loose some clothing... But in this version you only have 2 steps to nudity... All shirts/tops & all bottoms/pants/shorts. :)

After which massage trade and/or body scrubs and/or a touch session may take place until 8pm.

(Last month we tried this as a short-notice event, not on the newsletter, but posted online otherwise, and I'll have a little more already lined-up, in case no one else has any devices or demos besides myself... And I'll be a tad less nervous myself!)

RSVP at: <http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/main/>
or OCLBFSRestoration@gmail.com

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Tuesday, May 30, 7:00-10:00pm

Ticklish? Want a Test Tickle? (w/Potluck in Garden Grove)

When/Cost/Where: 7pm-10pm 5/30, \$5 requested at door, location near 17th/Westminster & Fairview or Harbor in Garden Grove on Santa Ana border. (No one will be turned away for lack of funds.)

Attendance will be limited, so please only RSVP if you're very sure you'll be here.

Google Map to complex street address:
<https://goo.gl/maps/KBhYJFVciNs>

To attend, RSVP no later than 9pm 5/29.

We'll begin with an open potluck, so arrive early for best offerings! :)

This night will allow a "touch session", which allows for non-sexual touch among the willing. (We don't consider it taboo to touch another's penis/testicles, just please refrain from masturbation or other sex acts.)

We'd like to suggest, if you're willing, that you let someone find your ticklish spot(s), but let's not get too loud that it disturbs the neighbors, at least after 9pm.

An "after-hours party" will be held for 30 mins. after for safe-sex play.

RSVP at: <http://BA-MEN.Org/rsvp/main/>

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Upcoming Events:

June?: Starland Retreat in Yucca Valley towards Joshua Tree.

June or July?: San Onofre Nude Beach (but not the State land due to their current rules,

so we'll go past the fence piece to the Marine base land, like everyone else that goes there still and gets naked.)

Sat. 8/12/2017: Annual President's Birthday trip to Catalina Island (Maybe rent a room on the island for a party and get naked?!?) We'll have more info on this in the next issue!

Fall 2017: Tecopa Hot Springs long weekend trip.

Plus more to be announced!

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Can *YOU* Host an Event???

We're always looking for guys to host events at their home or other suitable venue that they have access to, and right now we're mostly looking for guys who can host ANY kind of indoor event!

We seriously need some new guys to host, and would love to see some of our past hosts help out as well.

(Speaking of which, if you hosted in the past and had some sort of issue with the event, can we *please* talk about it and see if we can't overcome whatever the problem was?)

I know some guys have commented at times about what I've said, but **PLEASE keep in mind I'm just making suggestions! I'm not trying to say you HAVE to do this or that, just making suggestions based on various experiences and requests our members & non-member attendees have made.**

No matter your limitations on hosting, we can work with you, including no alcohol, no smoking (most of our guys prefer this), limited or no immediate area parking, you need a lot of help before you can host, or whatever!

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Seriously, we can help vacuum and/or other cleaning ahead of time... Just ask!

If you have female roommates/relatives (etc), then perhaps you can plan for something when they are out of town.

If you've got male roommates you're not sure if they will feel OK with such, try asking them sometime if they've ever been to a nude beach and see what they say... Or if you think that even that might mess up your relationship, then invite myself or even a handful of guys over sometime when he/they are there and let us bring up the subject. Should it go well, we can even bring up the idea of hanging nude and see what they think... And even offer to be first to get naked then and there and give it a try, should they wish.

BTW, even guys in a studio apartment can & have hosted events for us – we just set a limit on attendance.

We can do potlucks, snacks-only events, order pizza or Chinese food, or no food at all – whatever you wish!

In the past we've held all sorts of events, including movies, games, massage trades, Jacuzzi soaks, nude workouts, touch sessions, and even various workshops, including art drawing/painting, learn basic massage, and more! And even a plain social with no specifically planned activity works, too.

If you can only do it at noon for an hour on Tuesdays, we can work with that as well!

Granted, Saturday afternoons or evenings are always the most requested by our attendees, but it's not what we're limited to.

If you host, you get to pick what we do when, any limits, etc.

You also get \$3 per paid attendee, don't pay yourself (or any male roommates), plus you get free membership for a year and 2 free (for home) or discounted (when possible)

event admissions for future events you'd like to attend.

If you'd like to talk about it, I'm open to any method! -Start by emailing (or calling if you need to) one of our addresses on the last page of this newsletter, letting us know you're interested in hosting, and if you phone, be sure to leave your number(s) and time to call or not call if we can't call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. :)

I'm open to emailing, calling, meeting in person, or perhaps even an online chat and working things out.

So what do you think???

If you want to discuss it, email us:
BAMENClub@GMail.com

Or complete our new form at:
<http://BA-MEN.Org/hosting/>



Want to do Yoga?

We need a few donations to start/expand a collection of yoga DVD's if we are to start doing yoga via DVD as many of you voted for in our online polls.

If you can offer something to help cover the cost of such videos (typically \$50-\$60 each, give or take), one of the options we have is to use PayPal, and you may do so at:
<https://www.paypal.me/bamensocal>

All gifts to the club for this purpose are appreciated, but non-refundable, so be sure you're OK with it before donating.

We will keep your donation anonymous unless you state otherwise.



Got a Pool, Spa, Hose OK, or Just a Private Yard?

We're always looking for indoor hosts, but the time is rapidly approaching where we can be comfortable nude outdoors, and we'd like to find someone, hopefully near Orange County, or the greater Long Beach & South Bay areas, but we'll take a pool offer just about anywhere!

Besides \$3 per fully paid guy attending, we offer free membership, help with the event, paper/plastic goods, and more!

And if you need help house-cleaning or something, just ask! Ditto if you don't normally heat the pool.

For most events, we guarantee \$10, but for spa soaks we up that to \$15 and \$25 for pool parties, though usually they are far beyond that. :)

Let us know and we'll work with you!

Contact us by any method on the last page, or complete the new hosting form:
<http://BA-MEN.Org/hosting/>



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To become a member and receive our monthly newsletter, see our web site, or please send the amount below, preferably via Money Order or cashier's check, to the address in contact methods, and make it **payable to John E.**

Membership Form

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Phone (____) _____

E-Mail _____

Birthday Month & Day _____

Please check as appropriate:

Is this a: New Membership Renewal

Membership Options:

1 Year - Electronic Newsletter (e-mail/download): \$10/year

Partners or Roommates add \$5 for each to the above.

Lifetime - Electronic Newsletter \$50 sgl./\$75 cpl.

College Student or Limited/Fixed Income - Electronic Newsletter \$5/year (Contact us first!).

Would you like your:

Name & last initial on our members' contact list?

Yes No

Phone # listed also? Yes No

E-Mail Address also? Yes No

Would you permit your photo to be used in:

Our newsletter & online members only areas?

Yes No

Our public web site? Yes No

Other clubs newsletters? Yes No

Can you offer or do you need a ride or wish to carpool to events?

I can offer a ride. I need a ride.

I wish to carpool.

For ride-sharing purposes, what area do you live in?

Nearest **Major** Intersection - N/S Street first, please:

City _____

Zip _____

How did you first learn about our group? (Be specific!)

If you are interested in joining via **credit/debit card or electronic check**, please check our website, e-mail us, or call us at one of the numbers below for more information. You can join our club online at:

<http://BA-MEN.Org/signup/>

Our Group's Purpose

(Southern California) Beach Areas Men Enjoying Naturism (AKA **BA-MEN**) is a men's naturist/nudist social group. **Our focus is as a loosely organized social club, not a sex/adult activity club.** (Any sexual activities are at the discretion of the event's host, and we support only safe sex activities.)

Fees: In addition to our membership fees (see left column), we may collect a donation of anywhere from \$0 to \$10 per member, first time guest, or brother club member (with proof, please) per event, and \$7-\$15 per other non-member per event. -This does not take into consideration any additional amount for the host's or venue expenses. If you cannot afford the posted door fee, please let us know when you RSVP and we'll see if we can't help you out!

People: We are not a clothing-optional club, instead we **require nudity.**

We are a **private, not-for-profit** club that accepts males of all ages (as long as you are at least age 18), nationalities/race, sexual orientations, and religions.

It does not matter your body type: Fat, skinny, tall, short, or whatever your penis size, you're always welcome at **BA-MEN!**

Guests, visitors from other clubs, and new members are **always** welcome!

Contact Methods:

• **E-Mail:** BAMENclub@GMail.com

Please also be sure to have the above addresses added to your "White" or "Approved" lists and check your spam or bulk mail folders to make sure it did not get caught there. (We've been having problems with Yahoo & AOL either trashing or deleting mail to or from us, so you might try another free service like GMail.com, a great free service from Google.

Feel free to also contact us at our secondary address:

BA-MEN@BA-MEN.Org

• **24 Hour VoiceMail Phone Numbers:**

Long Beach area: (562) 507-1-BA-MEN [(562) 507-1226]

Compton area: (424) 785-4-BA-MEN [(424) 785-4226]

Garden Grove area: (714) 643-BA-MEN [(714) 643-2263]

Laguna Beach area: (949) 436-9-BA-MEN [(949) 436-9226]

All of our hotline numbers support incoming text (SMS) messages from cell phones, as well as voice messages.

• **US Mail:**

If you need to send us U.S. Mail, please e-mail or call us for a temporary mailing address.

For the **fastest** response, please contact us via e-mail.

• **Web Site:**

<http://BA-MEN.Org>

• **Yahoo Group Forums & Mailing Lists:**

<http://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/BA-MEN/info>

And for members only:

<http://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/BAMEN-Members/info>

Announcements only:

<http://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/BAMEN-Announcements/info>

Event Details only:

<http://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/BAMEN-Calendar/info>

Newsletters only:

<http://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/BAMEN-Newsletters/info>

• **We are on Tumblr at:**

<http://BA-MEN.Tumblr.com>

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