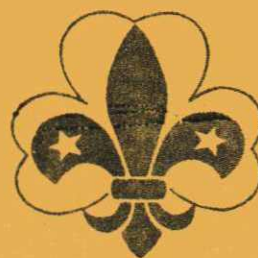


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We had a nice writeup in the June/July issue of the Fellowship Bulletin. Alfred Partsch, President of IFOFSAG reminds of Fellowship Day, October 15. What has your Guild planned to celebrate the 31st birthday of IFOFSAG? I would ask each of you to re-read Alfred's anniversary message quoted in Vol.#7-4 of MAMOOK PAPAH. What have you and your Guild done to achieve the "active movement" to which he refers? His message for 1984 will come too late for Fellowship Day this year but we look forward to it.

Nearly one million Belgium Francs were donated by Fellowship members to the 30th Anniversary Good Turn in favour of the Federal School in Penang.

The June/July issue of the Fellowship Bulletin features countries of the Asia-Pacific Region. If you do not have it, borrow it from your secretary.

Steps are being taken to ensure a meaningful IFOFSAG participation in the World Scout Jamboree in Australia.

IFOFSAG was represented by its Secretary-General, Suzanne Pritt at the 25th World Conference of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts in New York in July. 108 countries were represented. Many questions were asked about IFOFSAG, not only from non-member countries but from member countries of IFOFSAG. This means we have a great deal to do to broaden our image in our own countries.

We await with interest the new information leaflet on the Stamp Bank. We hope you all contribute stamps.

1985 has been designated as the "Year of the Youth" with the theme: "PARTICIPATION-DEVELOPMENT-PEACE". Now is the time to plan how you will place extra effort in assisting Scouting and other youth organizations make this an "extra" year for them.

Do you have your copy of "The History of IFOFSAG: the first thirty years, 1953-1983"? Your secretary can get a copy for you through the International Secretary.

The following quote is from a Fellowship Bulletin News Release and comes from Pyha Yrjana - St. Goran, Finland.

PR FOR THE GUILD

We like belonging to the guild, you can see that in our meetings. But what sort of a picture do we give of our Movement to others? If one of your friends, or perhaps your guest from the USA, asks you "but what do you do in your guild? What do you answer?"

P.R. FOR THE GUILD (cont'd)

Think about it, because the answer isn't so clear. We do so many things, that to tell about them asks for some thinking about what are the different parts that our guild work consists of. Perhaps we should everyone use some time for this thinking, so that we can give a good and comprehensive report on our work. Perhaps someone is really going to ask you about it one of these days.

It is, of course, silly first to say, that it is nice to belong to the guild and then start wondering what to tell about the work. Surely no guild is so unenterprising that nothing happens in its meetings. So what does happen in yours? - On the other hand, it is good to tell an outsider not only what you do in your guild, but also about things one knows are done in other guilds. Such reports you can find in every issue of our magazine.

The new address of the Headquarters of the Secretariat of IFOFSAG is: RUE DU CHAMP DE MARS, 9, B-150 BRUSSELS, BELGIUM.

For radio amateurs, there are plans for an IFOFSAG ON THE AIR. If you are interested send your name to Tom Collins our International Secretary so he can send it to Brussels before the end of the year. If enough members are interested, arrangements will be made for an IFOFSAG meeting on the air sometime in a not too distant future.

GUILD PAPA: Most Guilds hold summer picnics or barbecues and are still full of the summer spirit and have not reported. I know none of us were as busy as last year with all of the jamborees.

1st Guild, Vancouver:

Took part in the annual Greater Vancouver Guild Bowling this year sponsored by the 9th Guild. Assisted with the National Boy Scout Staff Conference held at UBC. Attended Scout booths at the PNE and Lansdowne Park. Counted calendars at Scout House.

4th Guild, Vancouver:

Took part in the annual Greater Vancouver Guild Bowling this year sponsored by the 9th Guild. Assisted with the National Boy Scout Staff Conference held at UBC. Sorted 25,000 sheets of paper for Scout House and placed stickers on 1500 file folders. Made more signs for Camp Byng and delivered them. Presented their founder Rudy Dangelmaier with several International badges.

9th Guild, Burnaby:

Hosted the Annual Greater Vancouver Guild Bowling. Assisted with the National Boy Scout Staff Conference held at UBC. Doug Hargrove is now President of Burnaby Region Council. Lu Railton gave the Guild a B.-P. Flag in memory of his wife. Barney Cavanagh and two of his sons saved a man from drowning in Como Lake. Congratulations Barney.

11th Guild, Winnipeg:

Visited Camp Alloway requiring a boat trip. Doing a great deal on Winnipeg Scout archives. Have members on the Provincial Board and the Membership and Expansion Committee of the Provincial Council. Assisted with tickets for the Scout Show. Addressed envelopes at Scout House.

12th Guild, Halifax:

Have started a Memorabilia project and are asking for assistance in identification of many photographs. (I know this is a problem in many Scout archives - can you help in yours.) Two bulletin boards were made for Armview District Council to present to St. James Anglican Church.

14th Guild, Sunshine Coast:

Members continue to work hard on the District Council.

15th Guild, Parksville:

Attended annual church parade for Founder's Day. Judged for Kub Kar Rally and donated a perpetual trophy plus small trophies for individual winners to keep a successful "stampede" collected over 35,000 stamps. Guild member Florence Scowen was in Sussex, England for St. George's Day church parade and received a warm welcome from the Guild members there.

New members: Most Welcome -

8th Guild:	Early & Dorys Browne
11th Guild:	Carol Collins
	Dick Smith
	Robert Lowe
	Ruth Beaman

Honours and Awards: Our Congratulations -

4th Guild: Service Pins:

Margaret Dangelmaier	- 15 years
Bruce Ledingham	- 20 years
Rhoda Ledingham	- 20 years
John Alexander	- 25 years
Sybil Alexander	- 25 years
Bob Summers	- 25 years
Joyce Wolfe	- 30 years
Joyce Hunter	- 35 years
Margaret Driver	- 50 years

13th Guild: Hal Upham - Silver Acorn

Gone Home: Our sympathy to families and Guilds.

11th Guild:	James A. Waddell
	Chris Pello
	Arthur C. Scott

Plans are progressing for the 16th General Assembly at Christchurch, New Zealand. We would like a few more to join our group. If you are thinking of going, the applications have to be there by the end of September. Not much time left.

I receive the Australian Fellowship News and the New Zealand TE PUKAPUKA. If any of you would like to see them, just let me know and I'll pass them along.

By the time you receive this issue of MAMOOK PAPA, the Canadian Council of B.-P. Guilds will have had its third Biennial Conference (telephone). In the next issue, we will report to you on the discussions.

Deadline for reporting to me for the next issue is November 1. I go to press a couple of days later.

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