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Newsletter of the Mad Town Talls November & December 2008

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Special Thanks to Tom G for his articles every newsletter!!

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Above - 9/7 at La Mestiza – Donna, Pat, Joe

Below – 9/14 enjoying Glendale Oktoberfest



Mad Town Talls Attend Oktoberfest in Milwaukee – Tom G
11/14 was a very rainy day in Milwaukee, but it did not stop me & fellow Mad Town Talls members from attending the annual Oktoberfest at Heidelberg Park in the Milwaukee suburb of Glendale. Members in attendance who enjoyed the great German food, beer & watched our Packers beat the Lions on a projection TV, were Pat D, Donna O, Deb T, & Dave J. If we do this again next year, I hope we get better weather so more of you will come!!!

A day at the Bristol Renaissance Fair – Tom

On Saturday, Aug 2nd, me, along with Amy B, and Nancy from Paramount Tall Club of Chicago spent the day at he Bristol Renaissance Fair near Kenosha. For those of you who have never been there, it's a tourist attraction that simulates how life was in colonial England three centuries ago. We browsed in shops and saw great stage acts like jugglers, acrobats, persons playing in mud, sword fighting, and jousting. We also enjoyed the great food and drink that was served. LETS DO IT AGAIN NEXT YEAR!!

Mad Town Talls Members Wanda & Tim Host Party – Tom G

On Saturday, August 23rd, Mad Town Talls members Tim F & Wanda W, hosted a party at their home in Monticello. It was well attended by their family, friends, & members of our two Wisconsin tall clubs. Club members in attendance besides me, were John S & Joyce H, Kevin & Carol M, Doug Z & Dave R. THANK YOU TIM & WANDA FOR HOSTING THIS!!!

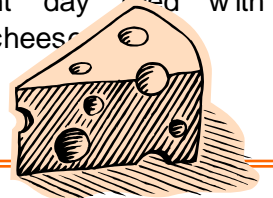
Mad Town Talls Do A Taste of Madison – Tom G

On Saturday, 8/30, myself, along with fellow Madtown members Tim F, Wanda W, Pat D, and her daughter Julie, attended "A Taste of Madison" which was held in the State Capital area. We sampled fine cuisine from some of Madison's best eating and drinking establishments. We also listened to some of the great local Madison bands like The American Colonial Band and Dan Merten Band. If Pat scheduled this event next year, I hope



Berghoff & Blues at Monroe Cheese Days, September 20th

Lynn & Dave, Pat, Tim & Wanda enjoyed the music at the brewery and even some yodeling on the Monroe Square. We ate fried cheese curds and other Swiss goodies, watched cheese made by hand, Pat saw a milking contest (by hand), and in general, we enjoyed a pleasant day filled with things cheese.



UPCOMING TCI TALL WEEKENDS AROUND THE COUNTRY

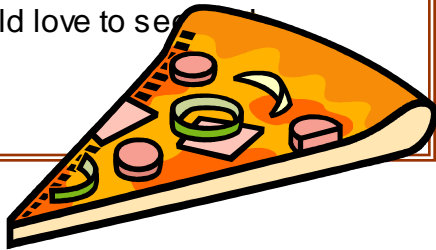
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| November 7-9, 2008 | Central Jersey Tall Friends Club | 3 rd Annual Harvest Moon weekend |
| June 15-18, 2009 | Tall Club of Silicon Valley | 15 th Annual Yosemite Weekend |
| June 9-14, 2009 | Tall Club of Los Vegas - 2009 TCI CONVENTION – Las Vegas Then & Now | |

Flyers/Information available at <http://www.tciweekends.com/> or please contact Wanda



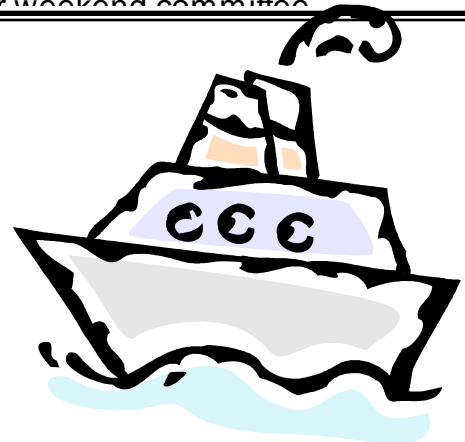
**Quivey's Grove Beer Fest 2008
– Sept 27th**

Above: Dave J, Pat, and Lynn & Dave were joined by friends Rich & Nellie and Vic & Kathy. Vic and Kathy are hosting a pizza party in November and would love to see you!



TCM's Taste of Wisconsin's Weekend 2008 – Tom Grupp During the weekend of October 11 and 12th, the Tall Club of Milwaukee had its weekend. I only attended the dinner dance portion, which was held at the Milwaukee Public Market located in downtown Milwaukee. The dinner, which consisted of a delicious buffet, filled our tummies. Afterwards the DJ, who was Robert D from the Paramount Tall Club of Chicago, did his usual splendid job of playing the tunes we enjoy dancing to. Members in attendance from our two Wisconsin clubs besides me were, Barry U, Dave R, Deb T, Jennifer B, Steve R, Jane G, Bob S, Julie, L, Sand G, Dave K and lastly Clara and Larry, who were members of the Milwaukee Toppers years back. A JOB WELL DONE to Deb T, Jennifer B, and the rest of their weekend committee.

Tall Club Folks Do Cruise on Lake Mendota – Tom Sunday, October 19th, was a beautiful day so me, Kris B, and Deb T, took advantage of it by doing a cruise on Madison's Lake Mendota aboard the boat, The Betty Lou. The \$40 cost includes a scenic two-hour cruise along with a delicious buffet. Hope more of you will come next time!





Halloween 2008



Kevin & Carol, Libby & Grant, Lynn & Dave, Pat, Judi & Marty, Dave J, Wanda & Tim, Douq, and Deb T took the above picture.

Marty & Judi surprised us with a drop in visit! Judi has opened a Central Bark Doggy Day Care in Oswego, Illinois and the puppy below is the "mascot". See

<http://www.centralbarkusa.com/html/locations/oswego/details.php>



*Packers & Cheese –
What more
can we say...*

