



**SOUTHWEST COSTUMERS' GUILD**

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**SouthWest Costumers Guild**

meets generally on the last Sunday of the month, 1:00PM at members homes or someplace fun. The Guild dues for our chapter are \$10 per year, an optional additional \$1 for membership in the International Costumer's Guild, and \$8 to receive the International Costumer's Quarterly. \$8 to receive only our chapter newsletter. Send money to Frances Burns, she will notify the Editor. SWCG Webpage:

<http://members.aol.com/souwesgld/guild.html>  
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**(Deadline for submissions is the 5th of each month)**

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**July 30, 2000 1PM** - TLC for the P&D Guild Meeting/Workshop at Randall's place. We have some new curtains for the portable "Pipe and Drape" stage curtain unit used at masquerades. We'll make the necessary alterations and install the new parts.

**INTERNATIONAL COSTUMERS' GUILD**  
**Report of the president for 1999-2000**  
**June 30, 2000**

Hello everybody —

This month, I just have a couple of reminders before the beginning of July.

**Quarterly Chapter Updates**

Please remember that the Standing Rules provide that each chapter must annually send the Corporation Treasurer its list of officers' names, addresses and, where available, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses, together with the complete list of its members in good standing (including name, address, telephone number where available, and whether or not the member subscribes to the Quarterly). EACH QUARTER, each chapter must send the names, etc., of new members and any updates to the list of officers or to members' addresses and phone numbers.

The due dates for these reports each year are: January 7, April 6, July 6, and October 6. Please be sure to send this quarter's update by July 6 to:

Sharon Trembley, Treasurer  
 International Costumers' Guild, Inc.  
 398 Prospect Street  
 South Amboy, NJ 08879-1942 USA

The format that we need chapters to use in sending Sharon the information is posted on the ICG web site: [www.costume.org](http://www.costume.org)

**ICG Annual**

The first edition of the new ICG Annual went on sale recently. Copies were available at CC 18. The Annual's success depends on YOUR cooperation. Like any yearbook, the Annual publishes photos and information about the organization - in this case, our chapters. We can't publish it if the chapters don't cooperate by sending the editors photos (with releases) and info about their activities over the year.

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# CALENDAR

**NOTE:** Information in this calendar is provided as a service to our guild please contact the individual organizations for verification of information.

**August 27, 2000** - CopperCon Preparation\* (tentative topic) Finish and test your costume for the CopperCon 20 Masquerade.

**September 8-10, 2000** - CopperCon 20, a Y2Decade-ready fan-run Science Fiction convention, will be held at the Holiday Inn Sunspree Resort in Scottsdale, Arizona. This year's con features Authors Poul Anderson, Jennifer Roberson and Adam Niswander; Artist Vincent de Fate, and Musical Guest Cecelia Eng. Check out [www.casfs.org/cucon](http://www.casfs.org/cucon) for details. The con features a masquerade directed by SWCG VP Jean Palmer

**September 24, 2000** - The Cloaking\* Guild Workshop at Jean's place. We will build some velvet capes as our semi-annual fundraiser.

**October 22, 2000** - Pre-Halloween Halloween Party\* Guild Social, location to be announced. Everyone else will be doing their Halloween parties next weekend. Play-Test your costume with us!

**November 10-12, 2000** - TusCon 27, the third of Arizona's triangle of annual fan-run SF conventions, will be held at the Executive Inn in Tucson, Arizona. This year's con features Artist Guest of Liz Danforth and Toastmaster Ed Bryant. Check out [www.azstarnet.com/~basfa/](http://www.azstarnet.com/~basfa/) for details.

**November 24, 2000** - Photo Shoot\* Guild Workshop/Picnic, location to be announced. We will gather at a local park with interesting backgrounds and shoot some portraits in our favorite costumes. Bring some munchies to share, a costume or two, and maybe your camera.

**December 17, 2000** - Glendale Glitters\* Guild Walking Tour. We will see the sights of downtown Glendale, Arizona during their annual "Glendale Glitters" holiday event. Features include a chocolate factory, a doll museum, and antique shops. Should we do this in Victorian attire?

\* Indicates a SWCG-sponsored event.



ICG President

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The deadline for the next issue of the Annual was today. However, it's time to begin to plan for photos and information to be published in next year's annual. They're due to the editors no later than next spring. Please send material to:

Bruce and Nora Mai, Editors

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That may sound like a long time away, but the time to plan is NOW!

If you have questions about the ICG Annual, please get them to Bruce or Nora at [casamai@primary.net](mailto:casamai@primary.net)

## The Costumer's Quarterly

Subscribers received the latest issue of The Costumer's Quarterly a few weeks ago. Publication of future issues no longer depends on your contributions. If you don't send him stuff to publish, Carl will regale us with information and pictures about his granddaughter and make up [lies] information about the chapters. If that's OK with you, fine. Otherwise, the alternative to printing either 32 blank pages or stuff about the grandkid each quarter depends on YOUR sending contributions. Please send them to:

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Don't hesitate to contact Carl at his e-mail address about the Quarterly's needs.

I hope all of our U.S. members enjoy a safe and sane Independence Day and that the rest of you have a good summer (or winter, as the case may be). Members may reach me by e-mail at either [bconnell@mail.nysed.gov](mailto:bconnell@mail.nysed.gov) (work) or [BP.Connell@worldnet.att.net](mailto:BP.Connell@worldnet.att.net) (home), or by regular post at 50 Dove Street, Albany, NY 12210-1811 USA.

Sincerely,  
Byron P. Connell, President  
International Costumers' Guild



## Bits & Pieces

### Websites of Interest

Tom Vincent sends us this web address that may be of interest to our members:

<http://www.weavershand.com/ArelateStudio.html>

John Autore brings us the address of a web site [patternstudio.com](http://patternstudio.com) that has some glove and hat patterns to order.