

Land of Mickey
EAR-lectronic News
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Hi All-

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It was announced that the dates

for the 2011 - D23 Expo are:

August 19-21.

Your Land of Mickey Meeting Dates:

Following are our future meeting dates through January, 2011.

Please see event for start time and location.

March – *NO meeting*

NEXT UP:

Your Land of Mickey Club

Annual Meeting!

Friday, April 16, 2010

Schaumburg Community Recreation Center,

505 N. Springinsguth Road

Schaumburg, IL.

Time: 7:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Voting for Club Member of the Year.

Also, please don't forget your dues!

The annual meeting is a 'members only' meeting from

7:30 PM to 8:00 PM. Guests are welcome starting at 8:00 PM

!!!! IMPORTANT NOTICE !!!!

**After a great deal of deliberation, it was determined that
it will be necessary to raise the Club's annual dues. Please
be aware that the Board does this reluctantly, and only
after a great deal of debate. It was noted that it has been**

several year since we had our last increase, and we will
be in parity with other chapters. So, effective this year,
the annual dues will be as follows:

Family membership: \$30.00 (from \$25.00)

Single membership: \$15.00 (from \$12.50)

And it's Game Night!

Let's Play!!

Bring your favorite Disney game - old or new!

Card Games, Board Games, Dice Games, Dominos,

Quiz Games, Learning Games.

***I will bring a game from my personal collection that they
don't even have in the archives! (Sorry, this one is for
display only!)***

Get ready to yell BINGO!!

**We'll have several fast paced bingo games. You'll be playing
for some great prizes! Cards will be just \$5.00 per person.**

Saturday, June 19, 2010

Toy Story III

As in years past, we'll meet for an afternoon show and dinner after.

Location: Lowes Theatre at the Streets of Woodfield

Other details TBA

July / August ??, 2010

Club Picnic

Details TBD

September 24, 2010 <i>Paint your own cell</i> <i>Silent Auction!</i> Detail TBA	November 19, 2010 <i>Make your own ornament</i> Details TBA
January, 2011 <i>Club Holiday Party</i> Details TBA	

In effort to enhance the relevancy of the club newsletter, we are asking the members to submit any special date or event they want to share with the rest of the club. Some examples are birthdays, anniversary's and special events.

starters, I would like to remind everyone that Hildyfest, 2010, officially begins on the Feast of St. Mark, April 25th.

Please send your notices at least TWO (2) weeks in advance to:

mark@landofmickey.com

Your Disney News:

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Walt Disney World has broken ground ----

---- for the Magic Kingdom's much-anticipated **Fantasyland expansion**. The expansion will be in two phases, the first of which, Fantasyland Forest, is slated to open October 2012, with the Pixie Hollow to open about a year later. A Toontown closing date has not been determined, but Disney is planning to give guests advance warning. As part of the expansion, the Toontown train station will either be refreshed or replaced. A new overlay for Goofy's Barnstormer is being discussed, but has not yet been decided upon. Mickey's and Minnie's houses will not be eliminated. Once the new Dumbo comes online, the current classic Dumbo will be moved into its new location, right above where the teacups are located today. The expansion project is scheduled to be completed in 2013."

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Don't despair ----

---- if you **accidentally delete all the photos off your memory card**. There are programs to retrieve the deleted photos, BUT you must NOT take any more photos on that memory card! Take it out (purchase a new memory card if you can't wait) and took the old memory card to a camera store. They can usually retrieve the lost photos and put them on a disk. Something around 10 cents a photo with a \$10.00 minimum.

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FINALLY!! An all-in-one pass to Disney attractions ---

---- in California and Florida is a reality! Called the Disney Premier Passport, the \$700 pass includes unlimited access to Walt Disney World Resort and Disneyland Resort in California, said a report on the Disney Parks Blog. The pass also includes entrance to Typhoon Lagoon and Blizzard Beach water parks, DisneyQuest Indoor Interactive Theme Park, ESPN Wide World of Sports, Disney's Oak Trail Golf Course and parking. [MORE....](#)

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Your Land of Mickey Recipe:

Mustard-Glazed Ribs

From WDW's Fort Wilderness

ts:

2 tablespoons cooking oil

1/3 cup chopped sweet onion

1 cup whole grain, spicy brown, or other mustard

2 tablespoons sorghum or honey

2 tablespoons cider vinegar

1 teaspoon snipped fresh summer savory or 1/8 teaspoon dried summer savory, crushed

- 3 pounds pork country-style ribs
- Quartered oranges (optional)
- Fresh lemon verbena leaves (optional)

Directions:

1. For glaze, heat oil in a medium saucepan over medium-high heat; cook onion in hot oil until golden brown. Reduce heat to low; stir in mustard, sorghum or honey, and vinegar. Simmer for 3 minutes. Stir in savory; cook and stir for 1 minute more. Set aside, reserving about one third of glaze to serve with ribs.

2. Trim excess fat from ribs. Prepare grill for indirect grilling. Test for medium heat above the pan. Place ribs, bone side down, on the grill rack over the drip pan.

3. Cover and grill for 1-1/2 to 2 hours or until tender, brushing occasionally with glaze during the last 10 minutes of grilling. Heat and pass reserved glaze with ribs. Garnish with quartered oranges and fresh lemon verbena leaves, if desired.

Makes 4 servings.



Disney Dates:

(Updated March 10, 2010)

<u>2010:</u>	<i>Disneyland, Walt Disney World, Disney Movie Premiere & Other</i>
<i>Jan 3 – Jul 31</i>	<u><i>WDW's Armed Forces Salute 2010</i></u>
<i>Mar 3 – May 16</i>	<u><i>EPCOT International Flower & Garden Festival</i></u>
<i>April 10</i>	<u><i>D23 Day at The Walt Disney Archives</i></u>

Apr 16 – May 30	<u>Disney's California Food & Wine Festival</u>
April 22	<u>Oceans</u>---opens nationally
April 23 – 24	<u>WDW Grad Nites at the Magic Kingdom</u>
April 30 – May 1	
May 28	<u>"Prince of Persia"</u> – opens nationally
May 29 - 30	"Flowers and Fireworks" event at WDW
Various from	<u>Disneyland Grad Nites</u>
May 20 – Jun 24	
May 21-23 & 28-30	<u>Star Wars Weekends Disney's Hollywood Studio</u>
June 4-6 & 11-13	
June 18	<u>"Toy Story 3"</u> – opens nationally
July 13 - 18	<i>NFFC–Disneyana Fan Club Convention and All Disneyana Show and Sale</i>
July 16	<u>"The Sorcerer's Apprentice"</u> opens nationally
July 17	Disneyland's 55th Birthday
Aug14	<u>D23 Day at The Walt Disney Archives</u>
Aug 27 - 29	Disney Pin Celebration - World Showplace in Epcot.
Sep 3 - 5	<u>Disneyland Half Marathon</u>
Sep 23 - 25	D23 Celebrates Disneyland's 55th
Dates TBA	<u>Disneyland Halloween Celebration</u>
Various from	<u>Mickey's Not So Scary Halloween Party</u>
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Sep Dates TBA	<u>International Food and Wine Festival</u> – EPCOT.
Sep Dates TBA	Disneyland Halloween Celebration
Sep Dates TBA	Mickey's Not So Scary Halloween Party
(T) Sep Dates TBA	(T) Disney's D23 Expo
Sep Dates TBA	<i>Night of Joy</i>
Sep Dates TBA	Disney Vacation Club's Member Cruise 2010.
Nov 13	D23 Day at The Walt Disney Archives
Dec Dates TBA	NFFC & Disneyana Fan Club - Florida
Dates TBA	<u>Mickey's Very Merry Christmas Party</u>
	Call (407) W-DISNEY (934-7639) to order tickets
Dates TBA	<u>Candlelight Processional</u> - America Gardens Theatre in Epcot - WDW

2011:

**Disneyland, Walt Disney World,
Disney Movie Premiere & Other**

Jan - TBA	Walt Disney World Marathon Weekend
Feb TBA	<u>The Art of Disney in Downtown Disney</u>
Feb TBA	<u>ESPN Weekend – Disney’s Hollywood Studio</u>
Aug 19 - 21	D23 Expo

2010:

Paris, Hong Kong & Tokyo

Apr 22 – Jun 30	Spring Carnival at DisneySea
July 8 – Aug 31	Summer Program at Disneyland & DisneySea
July 14	Bastille Day
Sep 10 – Nov 3	Disney’s Halloween at Disneyland & DisneySea
Sep 15 – Oct 31	Haunted Halloween
Oct 3 – Nov 1	<u>Halloween at Disneyland Paris!</u>
Nov 8 – Jan 6	<u>Christmas at Disneyland Paris!</u>
Nov 10 – Dec 25	Christmas Fantasy – Tokyo Disneyland
Nov 10 – Dec 25	Harborside Christmas – Tokyo DisneySea
Nov 15 – Dec31	Sparkling Christmas

2011:

Paris, Hong Kong & Tokyo

Feb.	Chinese New Year Celebration
	<i>St. David Welsh Festival</i>
	<i>St. Patrick's Day Celebration</i>

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Weekly Trivia: will return soon



-- PLEASE CLIP AND BRING TO THE ANNUAL MEETING ---

(Or email to: mark@landofmickey.com)

To protect your privacy, we have taken great efforts to ensure that your information was never shared. For example, all OFFICIAL correspondence of Mickey club is sent BCC.

We requested that we ask the members if they would like to have their information shared with the rest of the membership. If you would like, we will make the information you designate available to the other members.



(Please reply YES or NO)

Please DO NOT share my private information

Therefore, please make the following information available :

(Put an 'X' in each area you WANT to have shared)

____ Address: _____

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____ Phone: _____

____ Email: _____