Pacific Northwest CORNISH COMMUNIQUE

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Jean Timmermeister, president

Greetings to my fellow members of Pacific Northwest Cornish Society. This comes at a time when we have reached our first anniversary of PNCS and we are about to have our second *annual meeting* and picnic this month. As a long-time dream, I am please we have reached this point with a thriving membership in the Northwest and elsewhere.

Annual meeting means we need to elect officers (we are presently on one-year terms) and with four meetings per year, much of what PNCS is about will be in the form of our newsletter, but we need a couple of people who plan to attend the meetings who are willing to serve PNCS. We have Joan Huston and myself willing to serve another year (as treasurer and president, respectively) but we need candidates for a vice-president and a secretary. The vice-president is responsible for arranging for meeting programs. Anyone out there willing to plan for four meetings and anyone willing to record our PNCS minutes? Please let me know before the picnic. Nominations will also be accepted from the 'floor' (from the picnic shelter??). Likewise, the treasurer has been handling the membership records. Do we have a member, preferably a computer-owner, who can maintain membership records?

It's also time for renewal of dues and a dues notice is enclosed. Please return the notice with your check of \$10 for individual membership or \$15 for family membership, to Treasurer Joan Huston.(10116 Stoli Lane NW, Silverdale WA 68383-8826).

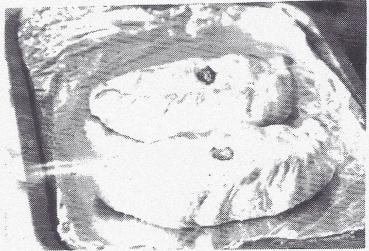
So, congratulations to Pacific Northwest Cornish Society on our first anniversary in May and let's have a fabulous time with our fellow Cornishmen at the picnic, July 19th!

VISIT OUR WEBSITE

The PNCS Webmaster Marcia Rothman has done a terrific job making our presence known to other Cornish organizations and if you haven't checked us out, here's the address:

www2.whidbey.net/kernow/pncs/pncs.html

Special thanks to Marcie!



MMMmmmmmm: pasties!

It's Picnic Time!

Once again, PNCS will meet at Fort Borst Park for our annual meeting and picnic. Save Saturday, July 24th and bring the family and share Cornishness with others.

Fort Borst Park is a city park, visible from Interstate 5. Take Exit 82 off I-5, go West and then South (left). **Pacific Northwest Cornish Society will again hold forth at Shelter #1 with our banner on the Shelter** to let members know where we are and to let others know who we are! We've reserved the Shelter from 10 am to 3 pm.

Our South bunch is taking responsibility for the event. They'd like you to bring a 'dish to pass' (especially nice if it is a Cornish recipe), your own table service, a table cloth perhaps, and a big smile!

We'll deal with our 'annual meeting' and an election of officers and then just enjoy each other and the planned events of the day. **See you there!!**

> Marriages, 1701 Breage parish church, Cornwall

Travelers

PNCS travelers include **Betty & 'Scotty**' **Scott** who went to Cornwall again. Betty shared some of her travel experiences at the May meeting.

Jim & Bonnie Faull are snowbirds and kept us posted on their winter travels and return to the Pacific Northwest.

We've all been reading about the 10th Gathering of Cornish Cousins in Pen Argyl PA this month and **Joan Tregarthen Huston** will be there meeting folks, learning about Cornwall and the Cornish, representing PNCS.... and then being a tourist in the NE area of the US.

Joan: we're envious!

THANKS!

Time to say thanks to those who have taken time to serve PNCS in this past year. An organization such as ours requires the work and dedication of many. Ideas and experiences are different because of our varied backgrounds and all of us were strangers to one another just a little over a year ago.

Special thanks to all who helped PNCS make it to a first anniversary!

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It's great to read the *original* parchment record of one's ancestors, especially when it's great, great, great, great, great grandparents' marriage. (Third entry: Charles Allen and Mary Jegdna, AKA Richards)