



Beach Cities Men

Enjoying Naturism



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Fireside Chat

Did you spot a change in our newsletter that you maybe didn't know about before?

In February we announced online that B-MEN is now officially BC-MEN.

This change was made after a vote by members, as well as a few others interested in the group, and as previously explained, the new name is designed to show guys that see our name out there that we're not just interested in going to the beach! (Several have seemingly stopped reading after our name, and thought that was all we did.)

Now for those of you that missed our newsletter for a while, my apologies!

This last year I went thru a cycle of excruciatingly painful cluster migraine headaches on a daily basis – which lasted for about six months before letting go while I had a lousy flu that ended in bronchitis that would not let go for over 2 months.

(Oh, if you wonder, I cannot take Imitrex or Treximet [same thing, really], as I am among the few that have a bad risk for stroke or heart attack when taking it.)

Anyway, between the way I've felt and the lack of guys offering to host mostly, I kept putting off doing a newsletter – **Which also means that members get their membership extended by the number of months we didn't have a newsletter.** (We actually go by the newsletter issue number anymore, not the actual date from when your membership was activated.)



By the way, we do have a new guy in the group who's hosting our first event in June who lives in Long Beach, and I hope everyone that attends enjoys the Jacuzzi & massage table! (Or, more correctly, the use of the table while exchanging massage!)



Keep our current offer for event hosts in mind!

Event hosts get free membership & more – ask us for details about this great offer!

If this sounds good to you, please either contact us at one of the email addresses or phone numbers on the last page, or click the following link to take advantage of the new hosting offer:

<http://BCMEN.org/hosting-offer/>



Classified Ads

Need a Massage?

John is trying to get back into the "swing of it", and while he's feeling a little rusty, he's offering you a good discount.

1 hour of massage at your place, using your bed, with Swedish & Tantric techniques for only \$20.

A body scrub is also available with a massage for only \$5 more! (Or, free if I can use your shower myself and not have to bother bringing towels.)

Sorry, but in-calls are not available at this time.

If you'd like a different amount of time or have a partner or roommate who wants to relax as well, please ask about other rates.

Service is offered in most of Orange County & the greater Long Beach area (\$5 more in L.A. County other than some select areas of Long Beach), but will consider other areas depending on the amount offered if payment is made in advance via PayPal.

(Note this is not an offer for sex of any kind, so please don't ask. Also if it matters what your massage artist looks like, please don't contact him either.)

Please contact him at (714) 682-0104 or doctor34@gmail.com. –And *please* speak-up if you leave a voice message, as several guys have called for one reason or another, but I could not understand the message or number to call you back at.



Your Ad Could Be Here!!!



Want to Submit a Classified Ad?

We feature *free* ads from members (or those paid for by others for a small fee that we accept for print).

If you wish like to feature an item for sale, a room for rent, your services to offer, etc, please get in touch with us via: e-mail at BCMEN@BCMEN.Org; by phone or FAX to either (310) 884-1019 or (714) 682-0149; or by mail to the address on the last page. ▼

Miscellaneous Notes

Recognize that guy below? ☺

BTW, if you've forgotten, our map links are on Google now, so even bus riders can get info! ▼



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Who is this Celebrity Guy?

In the last issue, the celebrity was French Rugby Player Lionel Gautherie.

The answer to who is shown here will be in the next issue.



A hint: His last name sounds like a euphemism for fellatio and his works span unrelated charts. ▼

Recent & Upcoming Happy Birthday Wishes To:

Bill F. on 02/22, Gyorgy M. on 02/24, James B. on 03/04, Steve Q. on 03/06, Rich T. on 03/10, Sam L. on 03/27, Jim C. on 04/01, Brett I. on 04/07, Michael J. on 04/07, Fred V. on 04/07, Bill B. on 04/24, David K. on 05/10, Bruce P. on 06/11, John P. on 06/18.

Become a member and get your birthday listed here too! ▼

Calendar of Events

(All Events Are *Tentative* -
An RSVP to all is required!)

To RSVP for any event, please click or go to online to the following link, or call us via any hotline on the last page if you have no email.

<http://BCMEN.Org/rsvp/>

Saturday, June 5, 2pm-7pm? **Massage Exchange & Jacuzzi** **Soak with Potluck Dinner**

(New location near Broadway & Temple in Long Beach.)

Map/directions to approx. location:

<http://s.bcmcn.org/lb-brd-temp/>

(Exact location will be given to RSVP'ers only.)

Cost: \$0 to \$6, depending on your membership status (see RSVP form) - Most are \$3.

Join us for an afternoon & evening of massage trade, soaking in the Jacuzzi, and enjoy a potluck dinner among friends old & new!

If you're trading massage, be sure to bring massage lotion, gel, or oil & a large towel (or 2). (One towel is to put on the massage table, so we keep the host's table clean and everyone's not laying where someone else was.)

We intend to have instructional video on massage available, if you'd like to pick-up or brush-up on techniques.

We have room for 1 more massage table, and if you can bring yours, we'll give you a discount on the door fee (please ask before bringing one so we don't get too many).

FYI: 90% of men get an erection while receiving a massage that's done correctly – it only shows you're enjoying it. So you need not be ashamed if it happens - it's only normal and somewhat beyond your control anyway. 😊 (On the other hand, please don't expect a "happy ending" either.)

PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN: BEVERAGES, TOWELS (2 requested, plus lg. beach towel or sheet as mentioned above), and a dish of some kind to share (state what you intend to bring when you RSVP), plus a non-staining massage lotion, oil, or gel. (1 towel is to sit on at all times, another to dry off with after the Jacuzzi, and the lg. towel or sheet is for massage.)

When you RSVP, please indicate what item or from what group (below, but be as specific as you can, since we'd prefer not all entrees be chicken, for example) that you're bringing for the potluck, or if you're abstaining:

Main entree (to serve 4-6+ guys)

Side dish (not a salad, to serve 6+ guys)

Salad (IE: veggie or pasta, to serve 6+ guys)

Chips (2 lg. or 3, 5+ oz. bags of different kinds)

Desert (suggestions: chocolate or lemon cake, soft choc. chip cookies, brownies)

We don't need many of the last 3 categories, so you're encouraged to pick from the first 2, and plan to spend around \$5-\$10 for such, but you

can cut the cost if picking something fresh in these categories from a \$1 store. -If you're coming with a partner or friend, please bring an item for him (or them) as well or double the quantity.

The massage exchange, scrubs, Jacuzzi, & potluck dinner are all optional if you don't want to participate/enjoy with which ever you are not contributing for.

Saturday, June 26, 5pm-11pm?

"A Return to Innocence": **An "Initialization into Communal Nudity" with Jacuzzi Soak & Massage Exchange** (in Westminster)

(If you're not interested in the "Initialization" ritual, you may come at 8pm or later for the massage exchange & Jacuzzi soaking, but state this in your RSVP comments if so.)

Map & directions to the approximate location:

<http://s.bcmcn.org/wm-b-23/>

(For extra privacy, the exact address will be given to RSVP'ers only.)

Approx. location is Beach Bl. & 23rd St. in Westminster, which is North of Westminster Bl. and South of the 22 Fwy.

For a full description of this event and to help us with your input on a few points, please see our poll at:

<http://bcmcn.org/poll2/public/survey.php?name=Initiation>

(Though the prior title was "Initiation", there is no humiliation or hazing involved. We want you to feel comfortable being nude in a group setting, and for those without experience with such, this is a great way to get acclimated.)

The basic idea is to have everyone gather by a set time and two groups are formed...

One will be blindfolded and slowly undressed in a caring, trusting way.

The other group will be the ones doing the undressing.

Roles will be reversed at the completion of the first group's experience and all repeated.

Intimate touching may be involved, but this is not a sexual experience. (If you object to touching any parts of your body, please say where in comments when you RSVP.)

You may develop an erection at some point during the "initialization", but that's completely normal - we all understand the way a penis works and sometimes just wants to say it's

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enjoying things too. (Again, this is NOT a sexual event!)

The point of the exercise is to foster mutual trust & caring among men while being introduced to the concept of communal, casual nudity.

When the "initialization" is essentially over (est. 8pm), pizza or Chinese food will be ordered (which do you prefer? enter in RSVP comments, please), for around a \$7 chip-in.

An in-suite Jacuzzi will also be available for your soaking pleasure, and you're welcome to use the shower there whenever wanted (please bring your own soap/bodywash).

Also, as space is available, massage exchange time is available after the "initialization" as well. You may use the bed, floor space, or we'd love it if you can bring a massage table! (Let us know in RSVP comments, and if you do, we'll give you a discount on the event.)

Bring your own: beverages, towels (1 to sit on at ALL times, plus 1 to dry off with after shower or Jacuzzi & a large/beach towel or sheet if receiving massage), as well as a non-staining massage lotion, gel, or oil.

Also please bring snacks (chips, dip, cookies, deserts, or appetizers) to share. (Enter type you'll bring in comments or potluck field, please.)

PLEASE let us know when you might arrive, if not by 6pm!

Cost: If pre-paid by Tue. 6/22, a MAXIMUM of \$20 for paid members, \$25 for non-members; and a student or limited income discount is avail. with membership, or free membership for non-members. At the door, the rate will be a fixed at \$30 for members, \$35 for all others with no discounts, assuming the event is a go and space is available. (You must pre-pay to guarantee your admission and the lowest door fee.) If pre-paid, you may get in for as little as \$10, depending on attendance & your membership status.

You can pre-pay at:

<http://s.bcmen.org/ini-pp/>

Online payments (via credit/debit card & bank accounts) are accepted at no charge to you via PayPal, Google Checkout, & Revolution Money Exchange.

When you RSVP, you'll get our address & info to send payment via check or Money Order.

An "after hours party" will be available from 11pm-1am.



Upcoming Events:

Currently in the planning stages are:

- ☞ Another Massage Trade
- ☞ Beginning Massage Workshop
- ☞ More "Return to Innocence" events



Your event could be right here!

Contact us **TODAY** to get **your** event scheduled!



Please also see our **polling page** online (or call us at any number on the last page to take part in the polls) for our event planning polls! –These help us decide what to do based on **what YOU want to do!**

<http://BCMEN.Org/polls/>



Link of the Month

Have you heard of Groupon?

<http://www.groupon.com/orange-county/>

The above will take you to their O.C. page, but they do have several L.A. area pages as well, incl. ones for Santa Monica & Pasadena areas – the L.A. (incl. L.B.) one is at:

<http://www.groupon.com/los-angeles/>

It's sort of like a coupon (hence the cute name & pronunciation), but when you buy their certificate, you're taking advantage of a group offer, and their deals are commonly half-price or close.

Just the other day, they had an offer for a professional massage place in O.C. that was something like a 60% savings (\$30 I remember) for an hour deep-tissue massage. (Sorry, I cannot review the place, as I didn't have \$30 extra at the time.)

Seriously, they do look like great offers, though, and there's something new each week day!



Short Notice Events!

Just an FYI to some of you that are not online with us in the Yahoo Group forums or at least the announcements list...

Occasionally we've set-up some rather short notice events (less than 2 weeks, sometimes only a few days notice), and I've been thinking about a separate mailing list just for such events, but in the mean time, you might want to check out our Yahoo Group forums (links on last page) and see what we're up to so you can join us!

If you don't have a PC, try a local library, or even that iPhone (and other cells, too) of yours.



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To become a member and receive our monthly newsletter, see our web site, or please send the amount below, preferably via Money Order or guaranteed check*, to the address in the next column, and make it payable to **John E.**

Membership Form

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Phone (____) _____

E-Mail _____

Birthday Month & Day _____

Please check as appropriate:

Is this a: New Membership Renewal

Membership Options:

1 Year - Printed Newsletter: \$30.00/year

1 Year - Electronic Newsletter (e-mail/download): \$12.50/year

Partners or Roommates add \$5.00 for each to the above 2 options.

Lifetime - Electronic Newsletter \$100 sgl./\$150 spl.

College Student or Limited/Fixed Income - Electronic Newsletter \$7.00/year (Contact us first!).

Would you like your:

Name & last initial on our members' contact list?

Yes No

Phone # listed also? Yes No

E-Mail Address also? Yes No

Would you permit your photo to be used in:

Our newsletter & online members only areas?

Yes No

Our public web site? Yes No

Other club's newsletters? Yes No

Can you offer or do you need a ride or wish to car-pool to events?

I can offer a ride. I need a ride.

I wish to car-pool.

For ride-sharing purposes, what area do you live in?

Nearest **Major** Intersection - N/S Street first, please:

City _____

Zip _____

How did you first learn about our group? (Be specific!)

* If you are interested in joining via **credit/debit card** or **electronic check**, please check our website, e-mail us, or call us at one of the numbers below for more information.

Our Group's Purpose

(Southern California) Beach Cities Men Enjoying Naturism (AKA **BC-MEN**) is a men's naturist/nudist social group. **Our focus is as a loosely organized social club, not a sex/adult activity club.** (Any sexual activities are at the discretion of the event's host, and we support only safe sex activities.)

Fees: In addition to our membership fees (see left column), we may collect a donation of anywhere from \$0 to \$5 per member, first time guest, or brother club member (with proof, please) per event, and \$5-\$10 per non-member per event. -This does not take into consideration any additional donation for the host's or venue expenses.

People: We are not a clothing-optional club, instead we **require nudity.**

We are a **private, not-for-profit** club that accepts males of all ages (as long as you are at least age 18), nationalities/race, sexual orientations, and religions.

It does not matter your body-type: Fat, skinny, tall, short, or whatever your penis size, you're always welcome at **BC-MEN!**

Guests, visitors from other clubs, and new members are **always** welcome!

Contact Methods:

• **E-Mail:** BCMEN@BCMEN.Org

If you don't get a response within a few days, please re-send your message and also CC our backup address of: BCMEN1@GMail.com Please also be sure to have the above addresses added to your "White" or "Approved" lists and check your spam or bulk mail folders to make sure it did not get caught there. (We've been having problems with Yahoo & AOL either trashing or deleting mail to or from us, so you might try another free service like GMail.com, a great free service from Google.

• **24 Hour VoiceMail Phone Numbers:**

Compton area: (310) 884-1019

Santa Ana area: (714) 682-0149

• **US Mail:**

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P.O. Box 395

Westminster, CA 92684-0395

(If using the P.O. Box, please phone to let us know to expect something there.)

For the **fastest** response, please contact us via e-mail at the address above, or via our web site.

• **Web Site:**

<http://BCMEN.Org>

• **Yahoo Group Forums:**

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/BC-MEN/>

And for members only:

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/BCMEN-Members/>

Newsletter: The deadline for submission of items is the 15th of the month prior to publication, or the 20th of the prior month if submitting online.

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