



Beach Cities Men



Enjoying Naturism



of Southern California



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Fireside Chat

I hope everyone had a merry Christmas and has a happy new year!

Or should I say "Happy NUDE Year"? ☺

I do hope we can get together more often than we have in 2012... We're always looking for more guys to host more events at their homes, rather than have to plan hotel events that usually end-up not happening lately, do to the fact we've gotten far too few RSVP's and/or pre-pays to be able to cover the cost of the room.

If you can at all possibly possible host an event sometime, even if it has to be fairly short notice or need to leave it as tentative until short notice, that's fine... We may not get as many guys as for events with a 2-3+ week lead, but we'll make a go of it. ☺

If you yourself cannot host, perhaps you know of someone who might be able to host... If you do but are not sure how to approach them on the idea or would prefer we do such, please let us know and we'll work things out.

—And speaking of referring guys, we're still willing to give you some free membership (or an extension of same) for referring the guy to us, assuming he does host an event.

Of course, he will get free membership in BC-MEN as well!

Contact us (see last page for contact info) if you have any Q's or need our help on this.



Spring Trip Being Planned!

We're planning a Spring-time trip to most likely Tecopa Hot Springs (in Tecopa, CA, in S.E. Death Valley) for late April or close.

We have a poll online in our Yahoo Groups about such, but the best destination for that is Tecopa, as the water's always hot, and if we stay at Delight's, we have 24-hour access and total privacy at their hot spring pools and in our cabin... Not to mention it's the best time to look for wild flowers along the way! Also the weather's usually nice & not too hot during the day that time of year, but can be a bit cool at night.

If guys would rather go for some place like Starland (not a lot of privacy in rooms) or DeAnza Springs resorts, we'll plan for May instead.



Membership Sale!

Held over! —We've decided to continue our 10th Anniversary (12/21/12) membership sale, we're continuing to offer up to 50% off all electronic newsletter memberships through Groundhog Day!

Single person membership is now \$12 for 1 year (20% off), or pay the regular 1 year rate of \$15 for 2 years (that's 50% off).

If you're a college student or on a fixed/limited income, show us proof (we won't keep it or a copy), and you can become a member for \$5/year — or 38% off.

If you want to become a member for the rest of your lifetime, its only \$50, half off the regular rate. (That's like paying for 3½ years

at the regular rate and getting the rest of your life for free!)

Membership for couples or you and a roommate are discounted the same... \$16/1 year, \$20/2 years, lifetime (couples/partners only) is \$75.

Sorry, but the print membership options are not included in this sale due to the cost of postage, paper, ink, envelopes, etc.



We're still very much looking for other opportunities for nude hiking, camping, and other hot spring trips!

If you know of a good place to hike, camp, or of a hot spring that is preferably less than 200 miles away, please let us know!

We're not only looking for places to do such, but for guys who can lead the way — and for such, esp. if you can also drive a carpool and give guys without the means to get there, we'll give you our host's current offer — free membership for up to a year! —Drop us a line (see last page for contact info) if you can help us out like this.



Keep in mind that the events currently scheduled are un-hosted, so if you would like to host an event on that date or near it, just let us know and we'll make any necessary changes!



Classified Ads:

Need a House or Pet Sitter? Computer Work? House- Cleaning? Need a Handyman? Or ???

If you're looking for someone to house-sit, and maybe tend to your plants or animals (for example, I love dogs & know how to deal with aquariums), or if you're looking for some sort of help or work on your computer or other electronics, or perhaps need a new light switch installed, please contact John before you spend 2-100 times the amount on someone who might cramp your lifestyle.

Since I'm "one of you", I don't care if you have gay porn laying around, live with your boyfriend, or like to walk around the house nude! -In fact, if you do like to be nude at home, I will likely join you in doing so while there.

You don't have to worry about your liquor or food if you're looking for a house-sitter, as I don't drink, and will obtain my own food. -And you don't have to worry about someone maybe hosting wild parties or whatever... I'll respect your wishes, whatever they might be.

If you are interested, please call John anytime at 714-248-6833 & leave a message or e-mail him at doctor34@gmail.com. ★

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 (out-call), using your bed, with Swedish & Tantric techniques for only \$25.

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

Sorry, but in-calls are not available at this time - it must be at your place.

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

(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) 248-NUDE [(714) 248-6833] 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 he could not understand the message or number to call you back at. ★

A Sign of Success

Need a vinyl sign for your store, your car, your house number, your mailbox, your computer laptop, your rear car window, your special project, a banner or anything else? Please take a look at his shop and talk to Wade about any custom jobs you have. Please use coupon code "nudedude" for 20% off your order! And be sure to know that Wade will be making your sign at home while nude. ☺

Email: assignofsuccess@gmail.com
Web site: <http://www.assignofsuccess.biz> ★



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 any method listed on the last page of this newsletter. ▼

Who is this Celebrity Guy?

In the last issue, the celebrity was Richard Fairbrass.

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



A hint: This is an old shot of a famous Russian. ▼

Happy Birthday Wishes To:

Rick G. on 01/05, David R. on 01/06, Sergio Q. on 01/09, Hector C. on 01/10, David M. on 01/24.

Become a member and get your birthday



listed here too!

Calendar of Events

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

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

BCMEN1+RSVP@GMail.com





**Sunday, January 6, 3pm-7pm
Garden Grove Imperial
Health Spa**

***** Your RSVP is REQUIRED if you are attending with the group! *****

(You won't know where to find us or hear about any changes/cancellation in plans if you don't RSVP.)

Please **DO NOT FORGET TO RSVP** if you intend to attend! –Our last few Imperial Spa events have had ZERO RSVP's, so naturally I (your President) have not been there either!

If you plan to attend, please RSVP no later than Noon 1/2.

The Imperial Spa is located at:
8251 Garden Grove Bl.
Garden Grove, CA 92844
Phone: 714-530-0055

(Please call only for location or services info, and do not mention BC-MEN when calling.)

Map/directions by car or bus:
<http://goo.gl/maps/hk2gw>

Cost: \$15 entry due to the spa at arrival, plus any optional services. (Not a penny goes to BC-MEN, but please remember we are requesting donations [look for your President to donate!] to help get our less fortunate guys into events like this one.) –If you have trouble affording this event, let us know, as we are offering spa passes for a donation.

Come and enjoy the many amenities of this Korean-style day spa, where virtually everyone goes nude. (Keep in mind this is an all ages spa, not a gay bath house, so it's not a place for sexual activity.)

The men's wet area features a dry sauna (on the hot side, but move away from the IR lamp to be a little cooler), steam room (fairly hot w/Eucalyptus), "Live Mineral" steam room (warm to mildly hot), a cold plunge, & fairly hot Jacuzzi.

Body scrubs (\$25 extra) are given in an alcove off the wet area by a male attendant wearing shorts only - you are nude.

Relaxation area has warm to rather warmly heated Jade & Salt Rooms, and cold, filtered water is on tap.

Spa provides all soap, shampoo, conditioner, & even shaving cream & disp. razors if wanted, as well as small towels (sized to cover the sauna & steam room benches), and robes, t-shirts, & shorts for the common/co-ed areas.

Note that massages or acupressure treatments are given by women in the common area.

They do have a juice & snack bar w/sodas, juices, & Asian soups & goodies for an extra fee, and a robe is needed here.

Please RSVP so we know you plan to attend, but feel free to go anytime they are open, 8am-10pm.

Be sure to RSVP so we can tell you who to look for in the men's area, otherwise we'll never know you were there if you don't come over and say "Hi!" ★



**Saturday, January 12,
5pm-10pm**

**"A Return to Innocence":
An "initialization into
communal nudity" with
Massage Exchange & Jacuzzi
Soak**

In Westminster (between Garden Grove & Huntington Beach), on Beach near Trask off

the 22 Fwy. or between Garden Grove Bl. & Westminster Bl.

(If you're not interested in the "Initialization" ritual, you may come at 7pm or later for the massage exchange & socializing, but state this in your RSVP comments if so.)

If you plan to attend, please RSVP no later than Noon 1/8.

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

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 is 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 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. 7pm), pizza or Chinese food will be ordered (which do you prefer? – enter in RSVP comments, please), for around a \$7 chip-in.

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 massage & a large/beach towel or sheet if receiving massage), as well as a non-staining massage lotion, gel, or oil and bodywash or soap.

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!

If you take the bus or think you might need to crash there, limited space is available to those who may QUIETLY spend the night on a first come, first serve basis. (Mention this when you RSVP if so.)

Cost: If pre-paid by Noon 1/8, 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, or \$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. And if pre-paid, you may get in for as little as \$10, depending on attendance & your membership status.

Online payments (via credit/debit card & bank accounts) are accepted at no charge to you via PayPal, Google Checkout/Wallet, Serve, & PopMoney. You can also directly get your credit/debit card charged directly, if you like.

When you RSVP, you'll get our address & info to send payment via check or Money Order. Or, you can arrange to meet and pay cash in person ahead of time.

Cash, USPS Money Orders, & online pre-payments need to be received by 1/4, checks & other MO's by 12/28, all by Noon on these dates.

Those that RSVP will be given the basic address, but we'll need to call you (or you can call us) with the room # we're renting, so BE SURE to GIVE YOUR PHONE number when RSVP'ing for this event.

An "after-hours party" will be available for 2 hours following the event. ★



**Sunday, January 27,
5pm-10pm**

Touch Session with Massage Exchange & Jacuzzi Soak

In Westminster (between Garden Grove & Huntington Beach), on Beach near Trask off the 22 Fwy. or between Garden Grove Bl. & Westminster Bl.

(Note that this event allows intimate contact, however it is NOT A SEXUAL ACTIVITY event.)

If you plan to attend, please RSVP no later than Noon 1/22.

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

FYI: You may develop an erection at some point during the event, but that's completely normal - we all understand the way a penis works and sometimes just wants to say it's enjoying things too. (Again, this is NOT a sexual event!)

The point of the event is to make friends with a deeper mutual trust & caring, and it's OK if you want to look for a boyfriend, too. ;)

This event is essentially the same as what another group refers to as a "puppy pile", where guys can "connect" more closely, allowing some basic contact while (in their group) remaining clothed and not progressing to sexual activity while at the event. (In other words, cuddling, spooning, & basic touch/contact.)

Our "touch session" will allow for a more direct contact, doing the same with your clothing off!

You are free to "connect" with anyone there that you wish, but you must respect their boundaries. If someone is letting their hands or other body parts wander to somewhere you're uncomfortable with, please either ask them to stop or just take a gentle but firm grip on their hand (or other body part) and move it elsewhere... This extends to those with

physical injuries & weaknesses, not just because of the way it makes you feel.

While during the scheduled event, no actual sexual activity is permitted, so we ask you to refrain from lip-to-lip kissing, all forms of penetration, and any actual masturbation or other sexual activity. (If you cannot abide by these limits, you may be asked to leave the event & not return.) We also ask that you help from spreading anything communicable by not touching anyone below their ankles (this can easily create jock itch or athlete's ft.), or their buttocks, and if you've not showered recently before arriving, please take a few minutes to do so on arrival.

You're also not permitted to do anything anyone may find painful, including any pinching or more than light squeezing. (Unless we're talking about massage techniques.)

Keeping the above in mind, it's OK to touch any external body part that your connection is OK with, including his penis & testicles. -But remember, please keep it friendly & not with a sexual intent during the event.

If you want to do more with your connection, you're welcome to exchange info and/or go home with one another at any time. (Or wait for the "after-hours party" following the event.)

Pizza or Chinese food will be ordered for delivery around 8pm (which do you prefer? - enter in RSVP comments, please), for around a \$7 chip-in.

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 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.)

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

If you take the bus or think you might need to crash there, limited space is available to those who may QUIETLY spend the night on a first come, first serve basis with a *requested*

additional donation. (Mention this when you RSVP if so.)

This location has ample parking.

Cost: If pre-paid by Noon 1/22, 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, or \$35 for all others with no discounts, assuming the event is a go and space is available.

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When you RSVP, you'll get our address & info to send payment via check or Money Order. Or, you can arrange to meet and pay cash in person ahead of time.

Cash, USPS Money Orders, & online pre-payments need to be received by 1/18, checks & other MO's by 1/11, all by Noon on these dates.

Those that RSVP will be given the basic address, but we'll need to call you (or you can call us) with the room # we're renting, so BE SURE to GIVE YOUR PHONE number when RSVP'ing for this event.

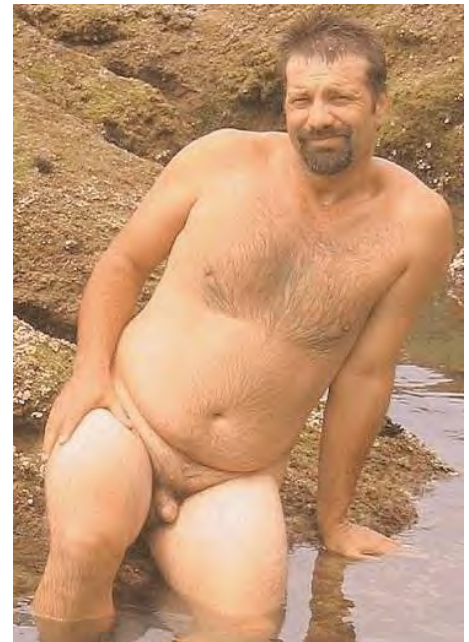
An "after-hours party" will be available for 2 hours following the event. (IE: You may engage in safe sex play then only. However, other than oral, no other penetration is allowed with any body part.)

No matter what time it is, keep in mind that BC-MEN provides a drug-free environment, and even things like "poppers" are not permitted at any time. ★



Your event could be right here!

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



Upcoming Events:

Friday, February 8, 5pm-10pm: Massage Trade & Jacuzzi Soak

Sunday, February 17, 5pm-10pm: "A Return to Innocence"

Saturday, March 2, 5pm-10pm: Touch Session with Massage Exchange & Jacuzzi Soak

Saturday, March 16, 5pm-10pm: "A Return to Innocence"

Sunday, March 24, 5pm-10pm: Massage Trade & Jacuzzi Soak

Friday, April 5, 5pm-10pm: Touch Session with Massage Exchange & Jacuzzi Soak ▼

New Mailing Lists

In case you've missed the announcements in our Yahoo Groups online, with the loss of use of our prior paid web server, we've set-up some replacement mailing lists for Announcements & Newsletters via Yahoo Groups.

These lists, like the prior ones, will feature only announcements on our club or newsletters, respectively.

Join them, respectively, at:

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

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



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 bank check, to the address in contact methods, 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: \$32.50/year

1 Year - Electronic Newsletter (e-mail/download): \$15.00/year

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

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

College Student or Limited/Fixed Income - Electronic Newsletter \$8.00/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. You can join our club online at:

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

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. If you cannot afford the posted door fee, please let us know when you RSVP and we'll see if we can't help you out!

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:** 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:**

Long Beach area: (562) 507-1-BC-MEN [(562) 507-1226]

Compton area: (424) 785-4-BC-MEN [(424) 785-4226]

Garden Grove area: (714) 643-BC-MEN [(714) 643-2263]

Laguna Beach area:

(949) 436-9-BC-MEN [(949) 436-9226]

Upcoming Event Info (Huntington Beach #): (657) 464-4-NUDE [(657) 464-4683]

All of our hotline numbers support incoming text (SMS) messages from cell phones, as well as voice messages.

• **US Mail:**

If you need to send us U.S. Mail, please e-mail or call us for a temporary mailing address.

For the **fastest** response, please contact us via e-mail.

• **Web Site:**

<http://BCMEN.Org> (Temporarily limited backup site.)

• **Yahoo Group Forums:**

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

And for members only:

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

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