

Yale Club of San Diego



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Dear Yale Alumni,

President John F. Kennedy was obviously misinformed when he received an honorary degree from Yale and declared: "It might be said now that I have the best of both worlds – a Harvard education and a Yale degree." Fortunately, we know better.

Our education and experiences at Yale enriched our lives and admitted us to a wonderful community of scholarship and fellowship. Over 1,600 Yale graduates live in the San Diego area, and joining the Yale Club of San Diego is an easy way to maintain that unique sense of community.

Membership has its rewards:

- Regular newsletters informing you of club activities
- Club-organized telecast of the Yale-Harvard game
- An Annual Dinner with engaging speakers from Yale
- A day at the polo matches
- An Annual Mixer at an elegant home in Point Loma
- Informative and entertaining events with accomplished Yale alums
- Invitations to events hosted by other Ivy clubs in San Diego

Other events are being planned to enhance your membership value.

Your club also supports Yale and the community by interviewing over 250 applicants each year through the **Alumni Schools Committee** and recognizes outstanding juniors in over 20 San Diego high schools through the **Yale Book Award** program. You can sponsor a local high school's Yale Book Award for just \$30. The club also maintains ties to the university through its participation in the **Association of Yale Alumni**.

You can be a part of this vibrant community with your annual membership contribution. An individual membership is only \$25 per year – and only \$35 for Yale couples. Discounts are available for younger graduates and parents of current students. Our membership year is January 1 through December 31. Those of you who joined after November 1, 2007 are current for 2008.

The Yale Club of San Diego offers a safe, secure and easy way to join on our website at www.yaleclubofsandiego.org. If you prefer to avoid cyberspace, simply fill out the membership form on the back of this letter and mail it to us with your check. Thank you in advance for your support.

Sincerely,

Dan Seiver, President

Please complete and mail this form to:

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Street Address: _____

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Home Phone: _____ Cell/Work: _____

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Membership Year: January 1 – December 31, 2008

Select Membership Type:

Individual

2003-2007: \$15 _____

2002 & Earlier: \$25 _____

Yale Couple

2003-2007: \$20 _____

2002 & Earlier: \$35 _____

Parent \$15 _____

Current Student: Free _____

True Blue Patron: \$ 50 _____

Presidential Patron: \$100 _____

Elihu Yale Patron: \$250 _____

Book Award: \$30 Per Book _____

Total Contribution: \$ _____

I want to help! Please contact me for: Yale Alumni Schools Committee _____

Yale Book Award Committee _____

Yale Club of San Diego Board _____

ADDITIONAL BENEFITS

Your membership in the Yale Club of San Diego also provides access to many interesting and exciting activities hosted by other alumni clubs in the area.

ALL IVY NIGHT AT “THE NUTCRACKER” – December 15, 2007

Don't miss the All-Ivy holiday event at the California Ballet's opening night performance of “The Nutcracker” with accompaniment by the San Diego Symphony. There will be a private reception at the Civic Center, including drinks and appetizers, with ballet dancers in Nutcracker costumes and symphony musicians to answer questions. After the performance, the California Ballet board members will lead us on a backstage tour with a meet-and-greet with the principal dancers.

NOTEWORTHY EVENTS OF 2007

PRESENTATION: “ART: THE BEAUTIFUL INVESTMENT – May 16, 2007

Collectible art increased 27% in value last year. We learned how to profit from this trend in a discussion with Max Donner, MBA '82. Mr. Donner is a financial columnist and the publisher of Classic Poster Collector Magazine, which is sponsored by Heritage Auction Galleries and Swann Galleries, two of the fastest growing vendors of collectible art.

“AVENUE Q” AT THE OLD GLOBE – June 30, 2007

The West Coast premier of “Avenue Q” offered a hysterical Broadway musical that won the Tony Award and wowed audiences in London and Las Vegas. The Old Globe brought this production to the Spreckels Theater downtown.

PAGEANT OF THE MASTERS & LAGUNA ARTS FESTIVAL – July 21, 2007

This one-day trip commemorated the 75th anniversary of the Festival of Arts. This celebration of “art that lives and breathes” paid tribute to the many ways in which artists in every era and culture have encouraged us to never lose sight of our universal love of creative play. A unique blend of breathtaking theatrical “living pictures” and live symphony orchestra and narration made for a memorable experience.

AN EVENING WITH KEITH FERRAZZI – October 8, 2007

Co-sponsored with the University of San Diego, Yale alums attended a seminar with Keith Ferrazzi, author of *Never Eat Alone and Other Secrets to Success, One Relationship at a Time*. Keith, a Yale grad and fellow of Berkeley College, is one of the leading experts on the art of networking and personal relationship building.

DEAD SEA SCROLLS – October 21, 2007

The MIT Club of San Diego hosted a private VIP package to view the Dead Sea Scrolls. The event included a catered lunch at Waters Cafe at the Museum of Art followed by a timed group entry to see the exhibit at the San Diego Natural History Museum.

IVY LEAGUE BOOK GROUP MEETING – Monthly

Area Ivies read assigned books, then meet in a member's home for discussion and light refreshments. Books this year included Faulkner's *Light in August*, Sterne's *Tristram Shandy*, Updike's *Rabbit Run* and McEwan's *On Chesil Beach*.

UPCOMING YALE CLUB EVENTS

RECEPTION FOR ADMITTED STUDENTS AND FAMILIES – April 2008

Interviewers and Board members may attend a reception for admitted students at the home of one of our members. Celebrate and encourage our admitted students to accept and matriculate.

ANNUAL DINNER – May 19, 2008

“China In The 21st Century”

Join us at the elegant La Jolla Beach & Tennis Club for a fascinating evening with Yale Professor and China expert Minh Luong. Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres overlooking the ocean will be followed by dinner and Professor Minh's presentation. An evening not to be missed.

POLO BRUNCH – August 2008

Ever been to a polo match? Join us at the San Diego Polo Club to watch polo matches with reserved tent seating overlooking the polo field, plus an after-game "7th Chukker Party" with live music.

ANNUAL MIXER – September 2008

All Yale alumni living in or visiting San Diego are invited to our annual mixer, held in the home of one of our members in Point Loma overlooking the bay. This is a great opportunity to meet and chat with other alumni in San Diego. Hors d'oeuvres and beverages included.

THE YALE - HARVARD FOOTBALL GAME – Saturday, November 15, 2008

Join fellow Yale alumni at Yogi's Sports Bar & Restaurant in Cardiff-by-the-Sea to watch “The Game” televised live beginning at 9:00 am. There is no charge and a brunch menu will be available. Be sure to wear blue because we will be joined by the Harvard Club in their crimson. Go Bulldogs!



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