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XVIII American Sokol Slet
June 23-27, 1993

Naperville/Berwyn/Oak Brook, Illinois

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APRIL

- 16 Sokol South Omaha Polka Dance (Every 3rd Friday)
- 17 Sokol Minnesota Spring Fling
- 17 Sokol Brookfield Exhibition
- 24 Northeastern District Competitions
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MAY

- 16 Sokol Minnesota Pancake Breakfast
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- 23 Sokol St. Louis Exhibition

JUNE

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A.S.O. XVIII SLET

June 23-27, 1993

A.S.O. INSTRUCTORS' COURSE

June 28-July 7, 1993

SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY DATES

- | | |
|----------------|--|
| July 24 | Sokol Milwaukee 125th Anniversary |
| April 19, 1994 | Sokol Women of Little Ferry 85th Anniversary |

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Our Sokol Credo

*To build a healthy and beautiful human body,
To cultivate a harmonious and total person,
To develop firm character, a well-rounded disposition and
A love of truth and justice;
To produce strong, lovely and honorable people,
That is the goal of a Sokol education.*



*"Zdravé a krásné lidské tělo — souladné vypěstění celého člověka,
povahy ucelené, neblomné, pravdymilovné a spravedlivé —
lidé silní, krásní a dobří — to je cíl sokolské výchovy."*

From Your Editor...

We're loaded down with important Slet information this month. Hopefully you'll find everything you need to make your Slet plans. As always, any questions you may still have can be directed to our helpful staff in the A.S.O. Office, 708-795-6671. Watch next month for an

interesting article about the 100th Anniversary of the first Slet in America!

NA ZDARI!
Sis. Patricia Satek
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*Do not anticipate
trouble or worry
about what may never
happen. Keep in the
sunlight.*

❖ Benjamin Franklin

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(These are additional units received after last month's deadline.)

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 The newest unit in the American Sokol - 2/23/93! NA ZDAR!

XVIII American Sokol Slet Competition Site Information

Less than two months remain to wrap up your plans for this national gathering of Sokols. Below is some information about the Lisle/Naperville area that may be helpful in planning your week.

Naperville Central High School will be the site of the Thursday through Saturday competitions of Gymnastics, Rhythmic Gymnastics and Volleyball. The school is located at the intersection of Aurora Way and West Streets, two blocks south of the DuPage River and two blocks west of Washington Blvd. All hotels/motels are about two miles north of the school.

The school has two large gyms and a fieldhouse. On Thursday, the Boys'/Men's Gymnastic Competitions will be held in the Auxiliary Gym. Sokol Naperville holds all their classes and exhibitions in this gym. Below this gym is the Dance Room, where the Marching Competition will be held on Saturday.

Also on Thursday, the Girls'/Women's Artistic Gymnastic Competitions will be held in the Main Gym, just down the hall, south of the boys' location. In between the two gyms is an area called "The Commons," where refreshments will be sold by our American Sokol members from the area.

Rhythmic Gymnastic Competitions will be held on Friday in the Main Gym and Volleyball will be played in the Fieldhouse next to the Main Gym.

The Children's Competitions will be held on Saturday morning; boys in the Auxiliary Gym and girls in the Main Gym. Volleyball Championships will be played in the Fieldhouse. Championship Gymnastics will be competed in the afternoon in the Main Gym.

While this appears to be a full schedule, we have considered those families and

competitors who have free time between meets and at the end of each day. Several options are available within walking distance of the school:

The Naper Settlement and Fort - Very well-preserved buildings and an authentic tour located next to the school stadium and ball field. This 2½-hour tour includes demonstrations of everyday skills that our forefathers and mothers used during the old days. Bring your camera and enjoy! Special group presentations, if requested.

Centennial Park & Beach - Located along the DuPage River, this area represents the best of Naperville's residents who labored long and hard to provide its residents a truly wonderful outdoor experience within the heart of this quaint, but highly technical community. In 1931, a group of citizens purchased the old quarry and donated it to the city. Now, this 2-acre pool ranks as the world's third largest chlorinated body of water and can accommodate 4,000 people at any one time. Other perks include a two-story diving board for those daring to plunge into the 15' depth below, lap lanes, floating rafts, giant slides and lots of sand! Through special arrangements with the Park District and permission of the American Sokol Executive Board, competitors and their families can enjoy up to four hours of swimming and beach fun for \$1.00 per person. Total group participation at any one time will be 200, so we have to limit beach time to two 2-hour sessions, 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Thursday only. Reservations to be made on Thursday at the school.

The Riverwalk - Located adjacent to the Beach, enjoy a scenic walk along both sides of the DuPage River. Well-lighted at night, the walk will bring you past the beach, the two sand volleyball areas and children's play area.

Restaurants - At least ten, which serve a variety like saucy Mexican, rich Italian, strictly American, fast food and an old-time homemade Ice Cream Parlor. In addition, we have sport bars, arts and craft shops, book stores, etc. We will provide you with detailed maps at the school and the hotel at our hospitality table.

Churches - In the heart of mid-western family life, the church plays an important role in Naperville. Many historic buildings, including the church in the Naper Settlement.

Lisle, IL - Home of Illinois Benedictine College, formerly St. Procopius College, their Czechoslovak heritage is still obvious in this setting at Yackley/College Road and Maple Street in Lisle. This intersection features The Sacred Heart Monastery, St. Procopius Abbey, Benet Academy and IBC.

Other Points of Interest in the near and far western suburbs - Fermi Labs, Argonne National Laboratories, many Forest Preserves, Brookfield Zoo, Oak Brook Shopping Center, Fox Valley Shopping Center. Information will be available.

Transportation from the Near West - The Metra offers train service hourly from Chicago and the western suburbs right to the Naperville station. Walk to Washington Street, just 1/2 block west of the station and go south about one mile to the school. If you prefer driving, take I-88 Tollway west to Naperville Road, south to Ogden Avenue, west to Washington, south to Hillside, west on Hillside to school and park in the school lot. Enter school at #19.

Whether you are staying at a local hotel or commuting from Chicago or the suburban areas, we extend to you a **Welcome** to the Lisle/Naperville area.

Na Zdar! ~Sokol Naperville

THE AMERICAN SOKOL XVIII SLET "A GATHERING OF FALCONS"

What is a Slet? This question will arise over and over again in the Sokol classes, usually asked by the newer members and parents. How do we answer this? Some call it a gymnastic festival, but we include two days of volleyball. In the past, gymnastics meant physical activities that could include many sports, but today gymnastics means Olympics to many sports fans.

Sokol gymnastics may not be on the skill level of the Olympics, but it is the only national and international gymnastic event that the vast majority of gymnasts can participate in, and that is the number one appealing factor of the Slet! Any junior or senior, male or female, can participate in the competitions of artistic gymnastics, rhythmic gymnastics and volleyball without any pre-qualifying meets. We have now included a children's competition for the adolescent to experience Sokol on a national level, which should now include more families attending the events. Sokol is Family.

A SOKOL SLET is an outstanding opportunity for many young and older gymnasts and their families. The thrill of winning and the agony of defeat often depicted in television sports will not be the case here. Everyone cheers for everyone, regardless of their status; although some receive more awards than others through personal achievement, we are all in it together.

The after-competition celebrations, the competitors' and the older folks' dances are interchangeable. We travel from one party to another, savoring the joy and the music of both groups. This is all part of the Slet - a gathering of all Sokols, young, mid-life, older; participants and spectators. You and your family can be a part of all this and more.

The pre-planning of a Slet is an enormous, but very rewarding endeavor that will raise your level of awareness higher than you can imagine.. If you are a parent that has a full-time job, you need to volunteer your services to relieve your job stress. If you are a person with a lot of energy and ideas, you need Sokol as an outlet for these gifts. Join with us for a celebration of friendly competition.

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XVIII AMERICAN SOKOL SLET JUNE 23-JUNE 27, 1993

*SLET HEADQUARTERS ~ OAK BROOK MARRIOTT HOTEL
COMPETITIONS AT NAPERVILLE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
OPENING CEREMONIES AND SLET AT MORTON WEST HIGH SCHOOL STADIUM*

On the back of this page is a poster for use as a flyer to advertise the Slet.

✂ CLIP OUT THIS PAGE AND MAKE COPIES!

Pass it out in your gym classes and at meetings, post in your gym/meeting areas, give copies to friends/family, etc. Fill in the blank oval with the name and phone number of an appropriate contact person. **HELP MAKE THE SLET A SUCCESS!!!**

Bring your family and friends to enjoy the pageantry and excitement of the
XVIII AMERICAN SOKOL SLET
JUNE 23-JUNE 27, 1993

NAPERVILLE/BERWYN/OAK BROOK, ILLINOIS

WE'VE GOT SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!!!
Every coin toss comes up a winner!

GYMNASTIC & RHYTHMIC COMPETITIONS
Thursday/Friday, June 24-25, Naperville Central H.S.
Championship Gymnastics, Saturday, June 26

**DON'T MISS A
SINGLE EVENT!**

VOLLEYBALL
Friday, June 25, Naperville Central H.S.
Championship, Saturday, June 26

**OPENING CEREMONIES/
SPECIAL NUMBER EXHIBITION**
Wednesday, June 23, Morton West H.S.

CZECH MUSIC CONCERT
FEATURING FRANTISEK KMOCH KOLIN BRASS BAND
Thursday, June 24, Morton East H.S. Auditorium

BANQUET
Friday, June 25, Marriott Oak Brook Hotel
By Reservaton Only

MARCHING COMPETITION
Saturday, June 26, Naperville Central H.S.

SLET SOCIAL
Friday, June 25, Sokol Tabor

SLET OUTDOOR PROGRAM
W/CALISTHENICS, SPECIAL NUMBERS, RELAY RACE and
FOLK DANCE PERFORMANCE
Sunday, June 27, 2:00 p.m., Morton West H.S. Stadium

GOLF & BOWLING
Thursday/Friday, June 24-25

AWARDS CEREMONY
Saturday, June 26, Marriott Oak Brook Hotel

TICKETS AVAILABLE NOW!
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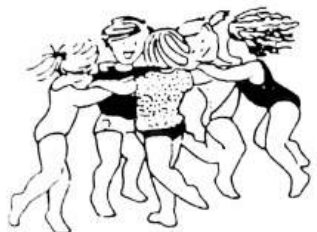


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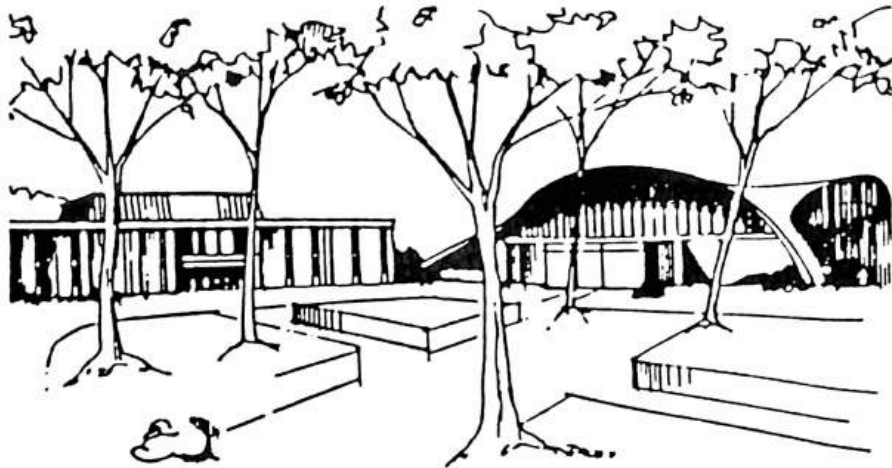
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being taken for the
limited edition XVIII American
Sokol Slet Year Book "Památník".

This is the first time in 46 years that we
will offer a post Slet memory book. Only 250
copies will be sold. This book will be a treasured
Sokol collectors item. A once in a lifetime offer,
which may not be repeated ever again. Orders will be
taken on a first come, first serve basis. Don't miss out
on your personalized copy.

Applications on the back page
of the gymnast section.



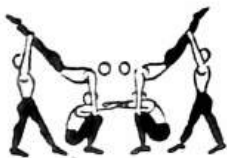
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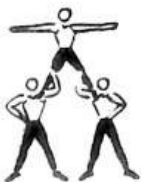


American Sokol Instructor School



HOSTED BY THE CENTRAL DISTRICT
JUNE 27, to JULY 7, 1993

For further information see your Unit or District Director
or call 402-731-2665, School Secretary, Sandra Benak.



CHICAGO COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE
555 31st Street
Downers Grove, Illinois 60515

AMERICAN SOKOL ORGANIZATION NATIONAL INSTRUCTORS SCHOOL

WHERE: Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine
555 31st Street
Downers Grove, Illinois 60515

WHEN: Monday, June 7, 1993 to Wednesday, July 7, 1993

TUITION: \$400.00 per student

Includes — Daily meals, housing, any transportation needed during the course, one 8"x10" group photographs, and Instructors School T-Shirt, Sokol Manual materials.

ELIGIBILITY: *BEGINNERS SCHOOL STUDENT: Enthusiastic and responsible students and preferably **no one** under the age of 13 years, who have **not** attended a Sokol school.

*INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL STUDENTS: Students who have already attended a beginners school so they can continue their Sokol education on a more advanced level.

*ADVANCED SCHOOL STUDENTS: Students who have attended a beginners school and **have been** teaching in their Sokol units, and preferable over the age of **16** years.

GRADUATION: July 7, 1993 (Wednesday) 11:00 AM

A graduation breakfast is planned for instructors, students, parents, and friends and guests.

Students who apply for the school will be sent a school instruction sheet upon acceptance to the school, containing a list of items they will need to bring with them and general school rules.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MAY 22, 1993

MAIL REGISTRATION TO: Sandra Benak
5919 So. 15th Street
Omaha, NE 68107-3547
(402) 731-2665

For any further school information please contact:

Brother Bud Benak
or
Sister Sandra Benak
402-731-2665

Application form for A.S.O. National Instructors School

NAME _____ SEX _____ AGE _____

ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

TELEPHONE (Area Code _____) _____

SOKOL UNIT (LODGE) _____ DISTRICT _____

Please enroll me in the Beginner School. _____

Please enroll me in the Intermediate School. _____

Please enroll me in the Advanced School. _____

Previous School attended: _____
(Location) _____ (Year)

(Location) _____ (Year)

Classes I have taught or assisted at my Sokol Unit (Lodge) _____

I am USGF Safety Certified Yes _____ No _____

PDP Level I Yes _____ No _____ (PDP) Professional Development Program

PDP Level II Yes _____ No _____ USGF Coaching Accreditation

In case of accident which needs immediate medical or surgical attention may we take the student either to the hospital or to a doctor. _____ YES NO _____

FAMILY INSURANCE COVERAGE: _____ YES NO _____ OTHER _____

POLICY NAME AND NUMBER _____

FAMILY PHYSICIAN'S NAME, ADDRESS & PHONE _____

PLEASE INDICATE ANY ALLERGIES (TO ANTIBIOTICS, ASPIRIN, ETC.), EAR PROBLEM, PHYSICAL DISABILITIES OR ANY ACTIVITIES IN WHICH STUDENTS SHOULD NOT ENGAGE.

SIGNATURES: _____
(STUDENT)

(PARENT OF GUARDIAN)

(UNIT WOMEN'S DIRECTOR FOR FEMALES)
(UNIT MEN'S DIRECTOR FOR MALES)

School Fee: (\$400.00) _____

Please enroll me for
Safety Certification (\$80.00) _____
(must be 16 yrs. or over)

Please enroll me in
PDP LEVEL I (\$31.95) _____
(must be 18 yrs. or over)

TOTAL SCHOOL FEE: _____

1993 Slet Competition -- Calisthenics Event Exercises

Girls (10-12):

The following prescribed 'Calisthenics for 10-11 Year Old Girls' section will be judged during the competition:

- ◆ **Second Exercise; Measures I through IX.**

Boys (10-12):

The following prescribed 'Calisthenics for 6-11 Year Old Boys' section will be judged during the competition:

- ◆ **Second Exercise; Measures I through IX.**

Jr. Girls:

One of the following 3 prescribed 'Calisthenics for Juniors' sections will be selected at random for each competitive division to be judged during the competition (musical accompaniment will include approximately 2 measures of introduction):

- ◆ **Part 1 – Measures III through X.**
- ◆ **Part 2 – Measures XXI through XXVIII.**
- ◆ **Part 3 – Measures XVIII through XXV.**

Jr. Boys:

One of the following 3 prescribed 'Calisthenics for Juniors' sections will be selected at random for each competitive division to be judged during the competition (musical accompaniment will include approximately 2 measures of introduction):

- ◆ **Part 1 – Measures III through X.**
- ◆ **Part 2 – Measures XXI through XXVIII.**
- ◆ **Part 3 – Measures XVIII through XXV.**

Women and Masters Women:

One of the following 3 prescribed 'Calisthenics for Senior Women' sections will be selected at random for each competitive division to be judged during the competition (musical accompaniment will include approximately 2 measures of introduction):

- ◆ **First Exercise – Measures III through X.**
- ◆ **Third Exercise – Measures I through VIII.**
- ◆ **Fourth Exercise – Measures I through VIII.**

Men and Masters Men:

One of the following 3 prescribed 'Calisthenics for Senior Men' sections will be selected at random for each competitive division to be judged during the competition (musical accompaniment will include approximately 2 measures of introduction):

- ◆ **First Exercise – Measures III through X.**
- ◆ **Third Exercise – Measures I through VIII.**
- ◆ **Fourth Exercise – Measures I through VIII.**

SLET RELAY RACE

Once again as per tradition, a 4 X 100 relay race will be held during the Sunday afternoon Slet Program. Each American Sokol Organization district and each participating guest national organization (Sokol USA, D.A.Sokol, Sokol Canada, COS, etc.) may have one team. Each team will be composed of 2 males and 2 females running in any order. Each team is requested to wear distinctive shirts during the race for easy identification by the audience. Because of the number of teams, there will more than likely be 2 preliminary heats and a finals spread out through the program. All designated runners are requested to be in place and ready when their race comes up on the program to minimize delays

FOLK DANCE COSTUME

It is important that the Slet Folk Dance Number be very colorful, with all participants properly costumed. Those participating in the number who have authentic Czech costumes are certainly encouraged to wear them. Women who do not have authentic costumes are requested to wear a white, decorated peasant blouse with a colorful, full skirt, an apron is optional. Patterns are available from the national office -- call or write. Men who do not have authentic costumes are requested to wear a long, wide sleeve, white shirt and Sokol uniform pants or other dark pants.

REMINDER

When ordering event tickets, you should remember that the individual entry fee (\$32) includes:

- 1 Ticket to Slet Social - Friday evening - June 25th
- 1 Ticket to the Awards Dance - Saturday evening - June 26th
- 1 Copy of the souvenir program book

an \$18 value.

The Girls 10-12 and Boys 10-12 entry fee (\$10) also includes 1 copy of the souvenir program book.

MORE CALISTHENICS CORRECTIONS

A few more needed calisthenics corrections have been brought to our attention:

WOMENS CAL - Page 3 - Measure XVII - Count 4

Change #2 to read:

#2 - Right rearstep - sidearm, palms down

MENS CAL - Page 9 - Measure VIII - Count 3

Add "closearm"

MENS CAL - Page 10 - Measure XVI - Count 3

Add "closearm"

MENS CAL - Page 13 - Measure XIII - Counts 1-4

Change "wheel right" to "wheel left"

SOKOL BALTIMORE
 hosted the 1993 Eastern District Competition
 held February 6th and 7th.
 The Units from new York (NY), Little Ferry (LF), and
 Baltimore (B) participated, sending 69 competitors.

Here are the results of the competition:

BOYS NOVICE, 6-9

David Ehrenberger (B)	39.25
Marc Parks (B)	24.75

BOYS HIGH, 10-12

Steven Reenok (NY)	51.15
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JUNIOR BOYS NOVICE, 12-14

Nicholas Coumbouris (NY)	51.75
Jerome Spinnato (B)	51.30
Aditya Divigi (NY)	51.05

JUNIOR BOYS LEVEL VII, 12-14

Lucas Nivon (NY)	50.50
Chris Reenok (NY)	50.30

JUNIOR BOYS LEVEL VII, 15-17

Tony DeAngelis (B)	52.80
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GIRLS NOVICE 6-9

Jessica Cioffi (LF)	31.00
Jennifer Kero (Lf)	27.75
Jillian Tattoli	27.45

GIRLS NOVICE, 10-12

Heather Wende (Lf)	33.65
Dyana DeSantis (B)	33.50
Danielle Cioffi (Lf)	32.45

GIRLS LEVEL II, 6-9

Alexis Petropolis (B)	34.50
Kiki Damales (B)	33.45
Joey Sleeman (B)	30.90

GIRLS LEVEL II, 10-12

Kristen Ehrenberger (B)	34.25
Sara Jones (B)	32.80
Aya Vines (B)	32.30

GIRLS LEVEL IV, 6-9

Kelly Ryan (B)	33.35
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GIRLS LEVEL IV, 10-12

Nicole Smith (B)	34.55
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JUNIOR GIRLS NOVICE, 12-14

Julie LaFerrera (LF)	35.45
Julie Kearney (B)	33.55
Holly Machulez (B)	32.70

JUNIOR GIRLS LEVEL II, 12-14

Nicole Loazya (NY)	35.60
Joan O'Dea (NY)	32.40
Megan Dietz (B)	32.35
Gabrielle Cione (NY)	32.30

JUNIOR GIRLS LEVEL II, 15-17

Tracy Sayre (NY)	33.10
Danielle Cione (NY)	31.95

JUNIOR GIRLS LEVEL IV, 12-14

Senead O'Mara (NY)	32.75
Rachel Burchette (B)	29.45

JUNIOR GIRLS LEVEL V, 12-14

Lisa Czawlytko (B)	32.48
Stacie Smith (B)	30.20

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Name _____

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Organization _____

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Questions regarding the banquet can be directed to XVIII A.S.O. Slet Banquet Chairperson, Bro. John Satek, 708-852-6674.

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Make all reservations directly with the hotel. Remember, the only **BLOCKED SPACE** is at the Slet Headquarters, Marriott Oak Brook. Reserve as **AMERICAN SOKOL GROUP**. When making reservations at any of the other hotels, make sure you ask for Group Rates. These rates are good only when booking at least five rooms. Some hotels have a weekday and weekend rate. If you need any help, contact June Pros at the Sokol Office, 708-795-6671, FAX: 708-795-0539.

These hotels are approximately 2 miles from Naperville Central High School.

CHECKLIST FOR XVIII AMERICAN SOKOL SLET

- ✓ In September, all units received **RAFFLE BOOKS** and a picture of the **KING-SIZED QUILT** donated to help raise funds for extra expenses of our Slet. Are you working toward making this project a success?
- ✓ In November, **SOKOL SEALS** were mailed out. Donations can still be made. Don't forget to use them on your letters to advertise our Slet!
- ✓ **HOUSING INFORMATION** has been out for several months. Are your **RESERVATIONS** made? Travel arrangements should be made. Avoid the last-minute rush!
- ✓ A mailing went out to all Sokol families the end of January asking for **WELL-WISHERS \$5, PATRONS \$10, SPONSORS \$15 and BENEFACTORS \$25** for our Souvenir Program Book. All business and organizations have been contacted about buying ad space. One of our members is doing personal contact with Cermak Road business people to help further our cause.
- ✓ Information on **TICKETS** is available (see order form elsewhere in this month's magazine). Reservations are being taken. Have you made your decisions? Then, make your reservations!
- ✓ Contact has been made with Units and former donors at to donations for our **TROPHY FUND**. We are already receiving responses, even though this mailing just went out.
- ✓ Very shortly, our Banquet Committee will be mailing out invitation to our very special **SLET BANQUET**.
- ✓ April 1, the reservation forms for the **BOWLING and GOLF** tournaments will be mailed out to the Units.
- ✓ Don't forget to order and buy your **SOUVENIRS** ! The Slet Plate is here to complete your set, \$25 plus shipping. T-Shirts, sweatshirts, pins and patches are experiencing brisk sales. Duffel bags and carrying bags have just arrived - they're **NEW!** Even more souvenirs are on the drawing board and will be for sale very soon.
- ✓ Our **COURTESY COMMITTEE** is preparing numerous flyers and information about sights and places to visit while in the Chicago area, all the way out west to Naperville.
- ✓ Gymnasts, make sure to keep up with all the requirements for the BOI to insure your place in competitions and calisthenics. Avoid disappointment!
- ✓ Further information can always be obtained from the A.S.O. Office, 6424 W. Cermak Road, Berwyn, IL 60402, 708-795-6671.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

- ✓ **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, OPENING CEREMONIES/SPECIAL NUMBER EXHIBITION!**
- ✓ **THURSDAY, JUNE 24, ARTISTIC GYMNASTIC COMPETITIONS** in Naperville. In the early morning, the **GOLF TOURNAMENT** will be held and the evening brings us a beautiful **CONCERT** presented by the **FRANTISEK KMOCH KOLIN BRASS BAND** at Morton East H.S. Final plans are being completed now. Tickets will be advertised shortly.
- ✓ **FRIDAY, JUNE 25, ARTISTIC & RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS, VOLLEYBALL** at Naperville, **BOWLING** in the afternoon, **BANQUET** at the Marriott and a **SOKOL SOCIAL** evening at Sokol Tabor.
- ✓ **SATURDAY, JUNE 26, CHAMPIONSHIP GYMNASTICS AND VOLLEYBALL** in Naperville and the evening brings us the **AWARDS NIGHT**.
- ✓ **SUNDAY, JUNE 27, the big day - the SLET!** Practice in the morning and the performance at 2:00 p.m. sharp at Morton West High School Stadium. The **AFTER-SLET GOOD-BYE SUPPER** will be held at Sokol Tabor. Menu and reservations will be out the end of April.

XVIII A.S.O. SLET TICKETS!

Wednesday, June 23	Morton West H.S. Gym, 7:00 p.m. Opening Ceremonies/Special Number Youth up to 12 Years of Age	Adult \$6.00 Youth \$3.00
Friday, June 25	Senior/Junior Social, 8:00 p.m. Slet Banquet - Marriott Oak Brook, 6:30 p.m. <i>By Reservation Only</i>	\$8.00
Saturday, June 26	Naperville Central H.S. Volleyball Championship, 9:00 a.m. Gymnastic Championship, 1:00 p.m. Youth up to 12 Years of Age Awards Night - Marriott Oak Brook, 7:00 p.m. Youth up to 12 Years of Age	Adult \$5.00 Adult \$6.00 Youth \$4.00 Adult \$8.00 Youth \$4.00
Sunday, June 27	XVIII Slet, Morton West H.S. Stadium, 2:00 p.m. Box Seats <i>LIMITED QUANTITY</i> General Admission Youth up to 12 Years of Age	\$12.00 Adult \$8.00 Youth \$4.00

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Contest is open to American Sokol Organization members, juniors and children, and members of guest Sokol organizations participating in the Slet.

- Category 1 - 1st Class Ages 6-9
- Category 2 - 2nd Class Ages 10-2
- Category 3 - Juniors Ages 12-16
- Category 4 - Seniors Ages 17 & Up

Any original drawing with the above mentioned Sokol theme may be entered. Size of finished artwork is to be no smaller than 8"x11" and no larger than 18"x24".

The following materials may be used: colored pencils, crayons, water colors, poster paints, ink, oil, acrylics, collage or sculpture.

**Entries are due no later than:
June 1, 1993**

Include your name, address, phone number, age and Sokol Unit name.

Send entries to this address:
American Sokol Organization
6424 Cermak Road
Berwyn, Illinois 60402
ATTN: Educational Committee

No more than one entry per contestant will be accepted. Judges reserve the right to accept or reject any entry. Winners will be announced during the Slet. Awards will be Slet medals. Works will be returned, if requested. The American Sokol Organization reserves the rights to photograph or reproduce the entries for whatever use they wish.

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