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My žijeme v lásce a v naději, protože bes víry se člověku ani ty krásné věci nedějí. A byla by to velká smůla, kdyby ta naše loď'ka, tam kam by mohla doplut, nedoplula. Kdyby naše duše v zdravém proudu života utonula.

SOKOL UNIT CORNER

Sokol dues and donation 2011:

We are very thankful for your general contribution and support to American Sokol San Francisco Unit, non-profit Organization. We acknowledged donations from attendees of Czech films sessions of $92 and $257.70 of individual donations as follows: B.Duffey $15, G. Skoda $15, K. Snajberk $65,G. Teyrovsky $31, M&R Prejda $30, P. Burda $31.70, Dr. Slavoj $5, J. Kucera $10, J. Kemr, $10, P.&P Soltys $10, V. Machacek $25, B. Lundeen $10.

Paul A Burda, Sokol Financial Secretary

Brothers and Sisters:

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Our Unit currently stands for 38 women and 30 men. We gained one man, welcoming Ivan P. Sturman. We lost four members for non-payment of dues 2011. Dues were due by February 28th. 2011.

All members paid dues 2011. Thanks to all.

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Payment Dues 2012

SEND WITH YOUR PAYMENT	**KEEP FOR YOUR RECORDS**
2012 Dues are $35, late fee $5 after 2-28-12. **Membership reinstatement fee $5.** **Membership Dues sent $.....** **New members add $5 processing fee to American Sokol Headquarters in Brookfield, Illinois** **Donation/Contribution.....** **Name:.....** **Sent amount.....** **Address.....** **City.....State....Zip.....**	**Sokol San Francisco Dues 2012** **Date** **Check No**

SOKOL SAN FRANCISCO 2011 CALENDAR of EVENTS

DATE	ACTIVITY	EVENT	PLACE
January 26, Thursday	Walk for Health	Monarch butterflies	Ardenwood Park
March 10, Saturday	Walk for Health	Around Mt. Diablo,	Walnut Creek
March 24, Saturday	Dinner, Dance	TGM Birthday	Taragon, Sunnyvale
April 19, Thursday	Sokol Lunch	El Torito Restaurant	San Leandro,
April - will be announced		Havel Tribute	Davis
May - will be announced	Walk	TGM bust with Frat. Life	GG Park, SF
May 29, Tuesday	Tribute Skvorecky	With Consul General in LA	Stanford
June 9, Saturday	Picnic	Lake Chabot Park.	Castro Valley
September 15, Saturday	Picnic	Lake Chabot Park.	Castro Valley
October 20, Saturday	Sokol Lunch	El Torito Restaurant	San Leandro,
November 10, Saturday	Walk for Health	Sunol Regional Wilderness.	Sunol
December 8, Saturday	Annual Meeting.	Christmas Carols singing	Castro Valley.
December 29, Saturday	Dinner, Dance	End of the Year	Taragon, Sunnyvale

Programs of Czech movies 2011-2012 in the Series with the Special Language Program at Stanford are in progress and will be announced later by E-mail.

Annual Sokol Meeting, December 10, 2011

22 members met at Unity Church meeting room in Castro Valley, to elect 2012 board members. Election and fruitful discussion filled 2 hours of the meeting. Lunch was provided by Sokol organization.
President Jara Dusatko welcomed all members and guests and summarized 2011 unit activities.

Hello everyone. Welcome to our annual meeting. I'd like to extend a warm greeting to all San Francisco Sokol members, and our guests. Let us all remember our long time Sokol member Vlasta Kucera, very active, dedicated, enthusiastic and outstanding volleyball player and instructor; George Spanek, always helpful, innovative, devoted and loyal to Sokol organization. Also another long time Sokol SF members Dr. Kamil Skapa , Henry Husak and Sokol Unit Board member Edmund Teyrovsky.
Let us hold a minute of silence in honor of both of these valuable members of our unit.
Recapitulation of our evens this year:
Our unit belongs to ASO-American Sokol. ASO has 10 districts and 34 units. Sokol SF is part of Pacific District, along with Sokol LA.
Plans for our unit for this year were to continue in all our activities as a Dinner-Dances, Picnics, and Walks for Health, screening Czech movies, cooperation with the other Czech organizations or groups in Bay Area as Czech society of America Fraternal Life, Czech-Slovak Club, and BayCzech.
Another goal –gathering all information, articles, pictures,… about the history of Sokol SF for our web-page and for the preparation the 110th Anniversary of the foundation of Sokol SF in 2012.Most of the older Sokol members were willing to cooperate, for example Sisters Dagmar Russ, Jindra Stroleny, Lida Mikes, Brothers Walter Strach, George Spanek., Lada Zrzavy.
Because we couldn't find any picture of the original flag, we decided to create our own, new. Daughter of Secretary Sister Zivny ad Br. Zivny helped us with the design and Br. Burda let it make in Czech Republic.
Only the screening of the Czech movies at Stanford ceased because of the 50% budget cut, hopefully temporarily?
Three members of our board met in April Lea Wilson form the National Czech and Slovak Museum in Cedar Rapids, Iowa and discussed how to help to this institution heavily damaged by the floods in 2008. On the next Sokol meeting the vote for the donation of $500 was unanimous.
Our unit decided to buy 3 volume book called "Male dejiny – Velke myslenky - Little history of a great idea ". Author is Jan Waldauf, dedicated Sokol of Toronto (died this fall). It covers the history of Czechoslovak Sokol in exile, except of American Sokol.
Plans of our unit for next year:
To continue in all activities as this year, for ex. Dinner – dances, picnics, health walks, screening of Czech movies…
to continue in cooperation with other Czech Organizations in Bay Area, to gather all information, articles, pictures,…about history of Sokol SF, to prepare the 110 anniversary of foundation Sokol SF (1904).
Physically active members of our unit plan to participate in Sokol slet in Prague in 2012 and in American slet in Milwaukee in Wisconsin in 2013.

Thank you everyone for coming, it is a pleasure for me to work with such cooperative board and to see our unit stay active. Enjoy your lunch and I wish you Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year 2012.

Jara Dusatko, Sokol Unit President

Saint Nicholas Party

Saint Nicholas was accompanied by an Angel and an Imp. There were a small stocking for every child. Parents and grandparents brought your personal gift,

Children showed their talents, sang, recite poems, play their favorite musical instrument. We sang Czech and English Christmas carols. Sokol provided hot chocolate, coffee, tea, Czech vanocky and Christmas cookies.

We all had a very good time, thanks to our volunteers: Jara Dusatko and Zelmira Zivny.





Baby Year 2012 is entering our lives.

Freshly recovered from the hectic holiday scramble, on Friday, December 30th, with just a sliver of the old year 2011 left over lively group of dance and company loving Sokols & their friends gathered at Tarragon restaurant, our old and familiar haunt. A good riddance for some, a year to remember for others, a mix of both for most of us. Let's repeat the good times, improve on the lows, in the coming (and awfully fast, we must say) New Year 2012!





We wish and pray and cross our fingers so all that desired and heartily wished good comes true for every one of you. A swell crowd of sixty-seven, with an unbelievable age span of almost a century, filled the large, yet cozy, room with friendly chatter. Where else do you get a chance to shake hands with long-time friend, some living hours away from you? Maybe at a once-a-month Czech mass in San Francisco and a few other organization's events. The time is not always our friend and every year we have to say Good-Bye to someone from our midst. It's not easy to fill chairs left empty by our good friends who are no longer with us. They are gone but not forgotten. We still miss Mirka Miksa, always a lady, our long time member, George Spanek, Jr., and there is no one to match Ed Teyrovsky 's ability to entertain us with a jolly joke, a funny story from life, excellent negotiator. We lost him two years ago, on Second of January. They would certainly enjoy sharing our fun time while we are waving Good Bye to this year with dance, good food and drink. How well it felt to see all thirteen members of Teyrovsky family keeping the dance floor busy. We hope that they, and Sister Shirley Gangelhoff's grandson, got infected by the Sokol, "bug" and eventually will keep our organization alive & well in the future.

The program for tonight was rich: we were busy taking advantage of the hosted bar, a full course dinner, then Ms. Liana B. Dernel returned to treat us to some pop songs that everyone knew and a medley of Czech Christmas song, both old and new as: Nesem vám noviny (known even here), Michna's Chtíc, aby spal and one of our dearest, Tichá noc -Silent night. Sister Dusatko, our president, and Brother Burda rewarded former Sokol member, Frank Cuda for his many years of service to the Sokol Organization during sixties and seventies.

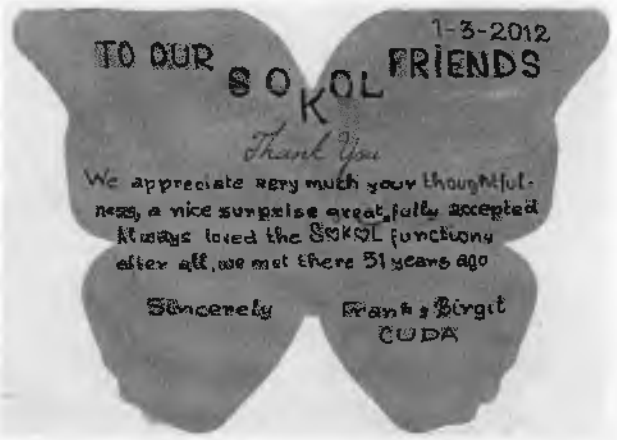
Happy New Year 2012 to all!

There was a display of old pictures from Sokol's history, when we were young and full of energy. Frank is on four of them, a testimony to his frequent participation in Sokol activities.

Our president, Sister Dusatko, in her concise speech that was well received, recounted our activities during this year and outlined Sokol's plans for the future,

In closing I would like to acknowledge the many hours our Board of Directors spend on organizing the events and we owe special thanks to Brother Burda for managing the many tasks necessary to make our meetings a success.

Zdenek Vernak.



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Obituary



Life of Blanche Duffey

Blanche Dibelka Duffey, 90, passed away on January 10, 2012. She is preceded in death by her loving husband, James Duffey and her daughter, Kathleen Hansen. She is survived by her two sons, Mike Duffey, and Jim Duffey, 7 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren, her niece, Lillian and many cousins.

Blanche was very active in San Francisco Sokol most of her life. In her younger years she was a gymnast and later served as president in the 1980s. Her father was a Czech butcher and from him she learned to make Jitrnice, a Czech sausage. The homemade Jitrnice became very popular and at one time she and her late husband, James (Duff) Duffey stayed up all night and hand made 1,000 for sale at a Sokol social function.

I met Blanche about fifteen years ago when I first attended a meeting of Lodge Golden Gate, a social group for members of CSA Fraternal Life Insurance brotherhood. Blanche was the matriarch of the lodge having been active in it since 1943. She was the lodge secretary and hosted the monthly meetings in her San Mateo home. She always welcomed us with a warm smile and a big hug. We held our meetings in her dining room. Each month the room was colorfully decorated in a theme for that month such as red hearts for Valentine's Day, green leprechauns for St Patrick's Day, or orange and black spiders and goblins for Halloween.

Blanche was very active in her community. She grew up in Burlingame and helped in creating the Burlingame High School Alumni Association. Recently she was named Alumni of The Century, an honor of which she was most proud. She is a former president of the Catholic Social Society and of several PTAs.

Cards of sympathy should be sent to the Duffey family, 249 W Poplar Ave, San Mateo, CA 94402

Note: Attached picture is of Blanche Duffey, taken on her 90th birthday.

Walt Strach



AMERICAN SOKOL CORNER

Pacific District Annual Meeting, November 19, 2011

The meeting was called to order by Pacific District President, Lillian Roter at *2:05* PM. Members in attendance were: Lillian Roter, Tim Kis, Jara Dusatko (Sokol SF), Cheri Riddle, Janelle Palas, Jiri and Jarmilla Jancarik (Sokol SF), Otto Notzl, Bill and Natalie Zelinka and Don Hauser. Because this meeting followed Sokol LA's annual meeting, the flag salute and the many duplicate reports were bypassed. The minutes of the previous meeting, held in Fresno of January 2010 were read by secretary Cheri Riddle. There were no additions, corrections or deletions. The minutes were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report:
Jiri Jancirik, noted that, upon taking over the District books, they were incomplete. It was a very difficult process for him to resolve the many blanks and missing checks left by the former treasurer. He believes the beginning balance of the books upon arrival to him is correct, however, there isn't proof of receipts, however, he believes the starting balance as of 1/1/10 was $10,679.41. The end balance as of 11/19/2011 is $12,873.02. There are still camp fees and quarterly dues owed from the two remaining units, but those can be resolved. Bro. Jancarik noted the calendar year runs from January 1 to December 31. After a discussion of why units were not making their dues payments, it was suggested that units make their dues payment in the form of an annual payment. Since membership is limited and in some cases stagnant, they felt this would be easier for the treasurer.

INFORMATION CORNER

Vaclav Havel, former Czech president, dies aged 75



Václav Havel, the dissident playwright who led the Czechoslovakian "velvet revolution" and was one of the fathers of the east European pro-democracy movement that led to the fall of the Berlin wall, has died aged 75.

Reports quoted his assistant, Sabina Tančevová, as saying Havel died at his weekend house on Sunday morning, and the news was announced on Czech television during an interview with the current prime minister, Petr Nečas

Nečas called Havel "the symbol of 1989" and said he did "a tremendous job for this country".

Havel's state funeral draw a crowd of leaders, artists and intellectuals from around the world. Cameron, Clinton and Sarkozy were among those at the funeral of the Czech Republic's first democratically elected president.

Havel was a renowned playwright and essayist who, after the crushing of the Prague spring in 1968, was drawn increasingly into the political struggle against the Czechoslovakian communist dictatorship, which he called Absurdistan. His involvement in the Charter 77 movement for freedom of speech won him admiration around the world. His commitment to non-violent resistance helped ensure the velvet revolution was bloodless. It also help ensured that the "velvet divorce" three years later, when the country split into the Czech Republic and Slovakia, was equally peaceful.

Havel opposed the split and stepped down from his position as president in 1992, rather than oversee the process. However, he stood for the presidency of the Czech Republic early the following year and won. It was a non-executive position but Havel brought to it both moral authority and prestige on the world stage. He stayed in the position, despite bouts of ill health including lung cancer, until 2003.

His role in the east European revolutions of 1989 was second only to Lech Walesa's in Poland. As the twin inspirations of the pro-democracy movement, they were strikingly contrasting figures: Walesa a flamboyant, brash, working-class union agitator; Havel a soft-spoken intellectual from a well-to-do family, who was a reluctant politician.

He was one of a generation who came to political consciousness in the 1960s. Rock stars such as Frank Zappa were among his heroes and late in life he continued to sign his name with a small heart-shaped flourish.

His motto was: "Truth and love must prevail over lies and hate."

World leaders have paid tribute to Havel. British Prime Minister David Cameron said: "Havel devoted his life to the cause of human freedom. For years, communism tried to crush him, and to extinguish his voice. But Havel, the playwright and the dissident, could not be silenced.

"No one of my generation will ever forget those powerful scenes from Wenceslas Square two decades ago. Havel led the Czech people out of tyranny. And he helped bring freedom and democracy to our entire continent.

"Europe owes Vaclav Havel a profound debt. Today his voice has fallen silent. But his example and the cause to which he devoted his life will live on."

German Chancellor Angela Merkel, who grew up in East Germany and went into politics as communism crumbled, said she learned "with great dismay" of Havel's death.

"His dedication to freedom and democracy is as unforgotten as his great humanity," Merkel wrote in a message to Klaus. "We Germans also have much to thank him for. Together with you, we mourn the loss of a great European."

The president of the European parliament Jerzy Buzek, a former Polish prime minister and activist in Solidarity, wrote on Twitter: "Vaclav Havel is the figure that represents the Velvet Revolution and the reunification of Europe. He will be sorely missed."

Ed Miliband, leader of the Labour party in Britain, said: "Vaclav Havel was an inspirational figure across generations, both in his native Czech Republic and internationally.

"He fought courageously for freedom from fear and showed the power of people and politics to change the world."

Vaclav Klaus, Havel's political arch-rival who replaced him as president in 2003, called Havel "the symbol of the new era of the Czech state".
Foreign minister Karel Schwarzenberg added that Havel "returned dignity to the Czech nation."
In neighbouring Poland, the founder of the anti-communist Solidarity movement and former president Lech Walesa called Havel "a great fighter for the freedom of nations and for democracy".
"It is a great pity and a great loss. His outstanding voice of wisdom will be missed in Europe," said Walesa, the 1983 Nobel Peace Prize laureate.

Josef Skvorecky, Czech writer and publisher of dissident works, dies at 87
By Matt Schudel,
Published: January 7



Josef Skvorecky, a Czech writer whose novel "The Engineer of Human Souls" is considered a classic account of the absurdity of life in a totalitarian state, died Jan. 3 at a hospital in Toronto, where he had lived for more than 40 years. He was 87.
His Canadian publisher and longtime friend, Louise Dennys, said he had cancer.
In addition to writing many books, Mr. Skvorecky (pronounced shook-vor-ETZ-kee) played a significant part in publishing the works of other Czech dissident writers.

He and his wife, Zdena Salivarova, were the first publishers of Milan Kundera's "The Unbearable Lightness of Being" as well as works by Bohumil Hrabal, Ivan Klima, Ludvik Vaculik and Vaclav Havel. (Havel, who later became the Czech president, died Dec. 18.)
Mr. Skvorecky arranged for the books to be smuggled into Communist-controlled Czechoslovakia, where they were widely copied and passed from hand to hand as "samizdat," or clandestine literature. (The country split into the Czech Republic and Slovakia in 1993.)
Mr. Skvorecky's own books were circulated in the same manner. He often ran afoul of the country's Communist authorities, and before leaving Czechoslovakia in 1969 he had lost jobs and had many of his works banned. But the sanctioned disapproval only made him more esteemed in the eyes of the Czech public.
"If you live in a country where politics are oppressive and you write," Mr. Skvorecky said in a 1985 interview with the Paris Review, "you can't avoid being a political writer."
The first of his novels to gain recognition, "The Cowards," came out in 1958, 10 years after it was written. The book's satiric depiction of the Communist takeover of Czechoslovakia in the late 1940s prompted an instant backlash from the authorities, who sought to remove it from bookstore shelves.
It was also considered a literary breakthrough for its casual style, complete with street slang inspired by Mr. Skvorecky's study of Ernest Hemingway and American detective fiction. The novel's protagonist, Danny Smiricky, became a much-loved character who reappeared in many of Mr. Skvorecky's later books.
The jazz-loving Danny, hapless but ever hopeful in love, was clearly Mr. Skvorecky's alter ego. Both were would-be saxophonists who nurtured a lifelong fascination with American writers and culture.
Danny was the central character of "The Engineer of Human Souls," which Mr. Skvorecky published in Czech in 1977 and in English in 1984. (The book's title came from a term used by Soviet dictator Josef Stalin to describe novelists.)
The novel, whose seven chapters are named after English-language writers, follows Danny's picaresque adventures through the decades, jumping from his youth in Czechoslovakia to his later life in Canada. Amid the threats and deprivations of life in the Soviet bloc, Danny never loses his cheerful good will as he stumbles from one calamity to another.
Mr. Skvorecky wrote many other well-regarded novels, including "Dvorak in Love," "The Republic of Whores," "The Bride of Texas," and a series of detective novels, but "The Engineer of Human Souls" was recognized as his masterpiece.

Zdenek Miler, Creator of Krtek the Mole, Dies at 90

By DENNIS HEVESI., Published: December 2, 2011

Krtek, a snub-nosed, wide-eyed mole, has delighted cartoon lovers around the world for more than 50 years. Gently, cheerfully and almost always wordlessly, he has prodded bureaucrats, come to the aid of those in need and lamented the destruction of the environment.



Pic: Zdenek Miler in July 2011, with a stuffed toy of Krtek, the mole character he created in 1954. photo by Michal Kamaryt

In one adventure, he finds his forest invaded by voracious builders but manages to secure a new home in a nearby forest (with the help of a slip of paper from a high-ranking official). In another, he roams the world and is stunned by an American mole's superior burrowing technology.

"When I draw Krtek I am drawing myself," his creator, the Czech animator Zdenek Miler, once said. "What I mean is that Krtek is the ideal that should be me. But I can't meet that ideal."

Mr. Miler (pronounced miller) died on Nov. 30 at a nursing home outside Prague, his granddaughter, Karolina Milerova, said. He was 90.

With a mix of humor, thoughtfulness and a lyrical, almost hypnotic presentation, Mr. Miler's films drew audiences in more than 80 countries, including China, India and Japan. (It certainly helped that Krtek, though a Czech native, expressed himself nonverbally.)

More than five million copies of Krtek books, translated into 20 languages, have been sold, as well toys, book bags, puzzles and pillowcases.

But Krtek never caught on in the United States, which troubled the film critic Michael Medved, who tried for years to stoke a following for the cartoon in this country. "I have always considered Mr. Miler to be perhaps the greatest living animator," Mr. Medved told The New York Times in 2004.

Mr. Miler literally stumbled on his central character. In 1954, when what was then Czechoslovakia was under Communist control, he was working in a movie studio when party bosses commissioned a cartoon to teach children about how trousers are made. The concept was boring, and Mr. Miler did not want to mimic Disney images. Walking in the woods one night, he tripped over a mole's burrow. "I said, 'Here's a good idea,' " he recalled.

In the 13-minute film, Krtek makes a pair of linen overalls, with help from a frog who soaks the flax, spiders who spin the yarn, ants who weave the cloth and a crawfish who cuts the fabric.

As The Prague Post wrote in 1995, "The idea became Miler's paradigm of how an artist could cope with the singularly unimaginative Party bureaucrat."

Born on Feb. 21, 1921, in the town of Kladno, Mr. Miler graduated from the Academy of Arts, Architecture and Design in Prague. After the war he worked on the first films of Jiri Trnka, the guru of Czech animators. It was while working at the Barrandov Studios in 1954 that he was assigned to make what became "How the Mole Got His Trousers."

Besides his granddaughter, Mr. Miler is survived by his wife, Emilie; and two daughters, Katerina and Barbora.

This past July, the mole literally went out of this world when an American astronaut, Andrew J. Feustel, took him (well, a stuffed toy version) on NASA's last space shuttle mission. But while Krtek returned to Earth, Mr. Miler's namesake continues to soar.

In 1998, an asteroid orbiting the Sun in the belt between Jupiter and Mars was named after him.

A version of this article appeared in print on December 13, 2011, on page B17 of the New York edition with the headline: Zdenek Miler, 90, Animator Who Created Krtek the Mole.

Da Vinci self-portrait brought to Zbiroh Chateau in Czech Republic

The work believed to have been created between 1505 and 1510, will be the centre piece of an exhibition on the Knights Templar that will run at Zbiroh until March 18. The owner of the chateau said negotiating the loan took a year and a half and 15 trips to Italy. The 60x40 cm painting was discovered in 2008, when a historian discovered it in a family collection in southern Italy.

Huge Traffic Tickets Effective January 6, 2012 in California

BE VERY CAREFUL OUT THERE!
THE LOS ANGELES TIMES HAS AN ARTICLE ON THE SUBJECT: "FLOORING IT ON CAR FINES".
PASS IT ON TO YOUR FRIENDS AND ACQUAINTANCES!

Please be extremely careful in your driving and car registration & insurance matters. State of California is broke and they are trying hard to squeeze all of us hard to collect money. Effective immediately, if you do not stop at the red light, be ready to pay $436 in fines or if you pass a school bus with flashing red signals, you will be charged $616. The state of California is going for blood, so be extra careful in driving, You cannot afford messing with them. I have been hearing that Highway Patrols are under pressure to issue a lot more tickets than last year with at least 30% increase in fines over 2009, so beware of radar guns, highway and traffic cameras installed everywhere and the tougher enforcement of parking rules.
Just for your info, the next time you park in the handicapped zone, even for a minute, you will be looking at almost $ 1000 in parking tickets, so it'd better be worth it.
California needs money, so pay close attention to the rules of the road!

Traffic Ticket Fines (Effective 01/06/2012)

VC 12814.6 $214 Failure to obey license provisions.
VC 14600(A) $214 Failure to notify DMV of address change within 10 days
Note: The fine may be reduced with valid proof of correction.
VC 16028(A) $796 Failure to provide evidence of financial responsibility (insurance)
Note: This fine may be reduced with proof of insurance on or after the violation date.
VC 21453(A) $436 Failure to stop at a red signal.
VC 22349 $214 Unsafe speed, 1 to 15 miles over the limit.
VC 22350 $328 Unsafe speed, 16 to 25 miles over the limit.
VC 22450 $214 Failure to stop at a stop sign.
VC 22454(A) $616 Passing a school bus with flashing red signals.
VC 23123(A) $148 Driving while using a wireless phone not hands free, first offense.
VC 23123(B) $256 Driving while using a wireless phone not hands not free, each subsequent offense.
VC 23123.5 $148 Driving while using a wireless device to send, read or write text.
VC 23124 $148 Minor driving while using a wireless phone.
VC 22500 $976 Parking in a bus loading area.
VC 22507(A) $976 Violation of disabled parking provisions, first offense.
VC 22507(B) $1876 Violation of disabled parking provisions, second offense.
VC 26708 $178 Unlawful material on v vehicle windows.
VC 27150 $178 Adequate muffler required.
VC 27315 $148 Mandatory use of seat belts.
VC 27360 $436 Mandatory use of passenger child restraints.
Note: This fine may be reduced by completing a court authorized child seat diversion program.
VC 27400 $178 Headsets or Earplugs covering both ears.
VC 27803 $178 Violation of motorcycle safety helmet requirements.
VC 34506 $616 Commercial Driver - Log book violation.
VC 4000 $256 No evidence of current registration.
Note: The fine may be reduced with valid proof of correction.
VC 4159 $178 Notify DMV of change of address within 10 days.
Note: The fine may be reduced with valid proof of correction.
VC 5200 $178 Proper display of license plates.
Note: The fine may be r educed with valid proof of correction.
VC 9400 $178 Commercial weight fees due.
Note: The fine may be reduced with valid proof of correction

Sokol Members and Committee Meeting is every second Tuesday each month at 1:30 PM (except July and August) in Baywood Court, 21966 Dolores St. # 243, Castro Valley, CA 94546.

CZECH CORNER

Slet 2012

Do Sokola vstoupila za Masaryka, teď se chystá na svůj poslední slet
Jan Jiřička ,4. prosince 2011.
Tlesknout, podřepnout, rychle ukročit doprava a zpět. Devětaosmdesátiletá Blažena Kocmichová se navzdory věku pohybuje po parketách vinohradské tělocvičny s jistotou. S kolegy z tradiční sokolské jednoty pilují skladbu na slet v příštím roce. Podobně to nyní vypadá ve stovkách sokoloven po celém Česku.



"Raději mě foťte jen od pasu dolů," žertuje paní Blažena Kocmichová v šatně vinohradského Sokola. | foto: Petr Topič,
Kocmichová s dalšími seniory zkouší osmiminutovou skladbu "Jen pro ten dnešní den". Stále dokola se z kazety ozývá coververze hitu Oldřicha Nového a přes třicet cvičících víří po tělocvičně. Spokojeně při tom štěbetají a až dojemně se snaží. Na některých se postupně projevuje únava. Nohy se občas zapletou, místo doprava si to namíří doleva a srazí se se sousedem. Chvílemi tápe například trojice postarších dam ve žlutých tričkách." Holky, vy jste katastrofa na železnici!" komentuje jejich snažení dcera nejstarší aktivní sokolky z Vinohrad, cvičitelka a náčelnice celého Sokola Lenka Kocmichová.

Její matka za posledních více než 80 let odcvičila všechny slety. A jak dodává s hořkostí v hlase, bohužel i spartakiády. "Strašně ráda bych cvičila i příští rok, bude to můj poslední slet v životě," říká seniorka.
Do Sokolu vstoupila jako čtyřletá v roce 1926. Ve vlasteneckém spolku tak prožila jeho zlatou prvorepublikovou éru, chmurné roky za druhé světové války a komunistické totality i radost z obnovení činnosti po listopadu 1989. "Jako žačka i žena jsem se do Sokola vždycky těšila. Teď ale mají lidé hodně jiných zájmů a moc se jim nechce," míní Blažena Kocmichová.

Příprava na slet potrvá do jara, zúčastní se až 15 tisíc lidí.
Sokolové připravují v různých věkových kategorií celkem dvanáct skladeb. Zatímco například starší žáci a žákyně předvedou gymnastiku a hru s létajícím talířem při písních Dávej ber, Básníci a Znala pana pána, dorostence a muže čeká v rámci skladby Chlapáci III. "gymnastika s prvky netradičního posilování".

K nácviku skladeb se budou sokolové scházet až do března, kdy už by je měli obstojně umět. Pak se cvičení doladí a bude se připravovat rozmístění na ploše. Poslední generálkou budou v dubnu a květnu slety zhruba čtyř desítek sokolských žup.

Patnáctý všesokolský slet se uskuteční v Praze na začátku července. "Hromadných cvičení se zúčastní 13 až 15 tisíc lidí," odhadl účast náčelník Sokola Miroslav Vrána. Akce bude podle něj mnohem levnější než poslední slet v roce 2006, který vyšel zhruba na 50 milionů korun.
Poprvé sokolové hromadně cvičili v roce 1882. Tradici pořádání sletů museli přerušit za protektorátu a komunismu. **Nejstarší česká sportovní a tělovýchovná organizace příští rok oslaví 150. výročí založení, sdružuje zhruba 1 100 spolků a 180 tisíc členů.**
Kam dál?
Sokol se za rok slétne na Strahov, cvičení doprovodí klasika i Tofi
Zdroj: Zprávy iDnes.cz

Členové Sokola San Francisko, Jara Dusatko, Zelmira a Miloš Zivny, Lida O'Donell, Pavel Burda se aktivně podílí na nácviku skladby "Jen pro ten dnešní den".

Co je Česká škola bez hranic?

ČESKÉ ŠKOLY BEZ HRANIC nabízejí výuku češtiny a českých reálií pro děti ve věku od 18 měsíců do 15 let za hranicemi ČR jako doplnění každodenního vzdělání, které děti českého původu získávají v zahraničních školách.
Činnost Českých škol bez hranic je koordinována občanským sdružením ČŠBH, o.s.
Bilingvní děti, které Česká škola bez hranic vzdělává a vychovává, představují pro svou rodnou zemi a zároveň i pro zemi, ve které žijí, bohatý intelektuální, ekonomický a sociální potenciál. Tyto děti budou schopny, díky svým jazykovým a kulturním znalostem, uchovat českou identitu v zahraničí a přispět ke vzájemnému porozumění mezi národy.



Myšlenka vznikla v Paříži na podzim roku 2003, kdy zde byla pořádána první jazyková setkání v češtině pro děti. Z této iniciativy postupně vznikla současná mezinárodní síť škol s vlastním návazným vzdělávacím systémem.

"Všem z vás, kteří jste se k vícejazyčné výchově rozhodli, a všem těm, kteří se k tomu chystáte, přeji upřímně pevné nervy, výdrž a hlavně úspěch. Je to proces dlouhodobý, ale jak sami uvidíte, smysluplný a obohacující pro všechny zúčastněné".

Lucie Slavíková-Boucher, iniciátorka myšlenky a zakladatelka České školy bez hranic Paříž, předsedkyně ČŠBH, o.s.

Zemřel slavný český kreslíř Jiří Winter Neprakta

Český kreslíř, karikaturista, ilustrátor a humorista Jiří Winter, známý také jako Neprakta, zemřel. Bylo mu 87 let. Právu informaci potvrdil ředitel nakladatelství Epocha Zdeněk Pobuda.



„Zemřel 30. října 2011, kolem 15. hodiny ve vojenské nemocnici ve Střešovicích, kde byl dlouhodobě hospitalizován,"
Winter se narodil 12. července 1924 a za celý svůj život nakreslil více než **35 000 vtipů** – dokonce je uveden v **Guinnessově knize rekordů**. Rovněž ilustroval stovky humoristických knih.
Po studiích na Reálném gymnáziu pokračoval na státní grafické škole. Během druhé světové války byl více než rok vězněn za přechovávání zbraní. Po válce studoval několik semestrů na Přírodovědecké fakultě Univerzity Karlovy.
Informace : Právo

Jiří Winter Neprakta

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Halas František,
3.10.1901-27.10.1949

Podzim (Dokořán)

Jak peníz tiše položený slepci
jsi tu můj podzime
jak peníz tiše položený slepci
jste tady vy dny mé

Ty krásná větrnosti čistá
mi v dýmu natí dětství vracíš zpět
a zase žádostiv se vracím v stará místa
svou lásku povědět

Chudobě tvé a lidské bídě
že navždy jsem jen s ní
podzime ve své tesklivině
jen na mne dolehni

a vyplať kovy listí svého
mě ze dnů odraných
a zbav mě všeho bázlivého
bych jiné v sebe vdých

Jak peníz tiše položený slepci
jsi tu můj podzime
jak peníz tiše položený slepci
jste tady vy dny mé

Před 119 lety zemřel "otec" mobilů s barevným displejem Werner von Siemens

U jména Siemens lze jen těžko nalézt jeden výrobek či vynález, který tento německý koncern proslavil nejvíce. Společným jmenovatelem většiny z nich ale bylo slůvko "první". Pro mladší generaci to může být první mobilní telefon s barevným displejem, pro milovníky starších časů telegraf, první tramvaj nebo elektrická lokomotiva či elektrické dynamo. Zakladatelem této slavné firmy byl německý elektrotechnik a vynálezce Werner von Siemens, který zemřel 6. prosince 1892.



Ernst Werner von Siemens se narodil 13. prosince 1816 ve vesničce Leuthe nedaleko německého Hannoveru. Na svůj první vynález - galvanické zlacení a stříbření - přišel jako pětadvacetiletý ve vězení, kde pobýval za účast na tehdy už zakázaných soubojích.V jedenatřiceti letech založil společnost Siemens & Halske Telegrafní výstavby, která se později rozrostla v jeden z největších koncernů na světě. Již rok po svém založení firma vybudovala první dálkovou elektrickou telegrafní linku v Evropě - mezi Berlínem a Frankfurtem.
V roce 1866 vynalezl Werner von Siemens princip elektrického dynama a na berlínské průmyslové výstavě v roce 1879 představil první elektrickou lokomotivu

. Za své průkopnické činy na poli elektrotechniky byl Siemens v roce 1888 povýšen německým císařem Fridrichem III. do šlechtického stavu a jeho úloha v dějinách světové techniky byla mimo jiné oceněna i tím, že jeho jméno nese jednotka vodivosti.

Pomník JanuAntonínu Baťovi.

V maďarském městečku Martfu bude stát socha českého podnikatele a vlastníka obuvnického koncernu Jana Antonína Bati. Místní si tak chtějí připomenout jako zakladatele tamní továrny na výrobu obuvi, která vznikla v roce 1940 . Píše o tom agentura MTI. Obec Martfu si podnikatel Baťa (1898-1965) vybral jako místo pro svou expansi do Maďarska už v 30letech minulého století. Továrna v údolí řeky Tisy vyráběla boty pod značkou Cikta od roku 1942, o rok později dokončil Baťa domky pro dělníky. Plány na výstavbu přístavu a letišťní dráhy se už v průběhu 2. světové války neztrealizovali. Původní Baťova továrna fungovala i po válce, kdy se firma přejmenovala a vyráběla pod značkou Tisza Cipe, která vydržela natrhu dodnes.

LAUGHLING CORNER

Garage Door
The boss walked into the office one morning not knowing his zipper was down and his fly area wide open. His assistant walked up to him and said, 'This morning when you left your house, did you close your garage door?' The boss told her he knew he'd closed the garage door, and walked into his office puzzled by the question.
As he finished his paperwork, he suddenly noticed his fly was open, and zipped it up. He then understood his assistant's question about his 'garage door.'
He headed out for a cup of coffee and paused by her desk to ask, 'When my garage door was open, did you see my Hummer parked in there?'
She smiled and said, 'No, I didn't. All I saw was an old minivan with two flat tires..

An elderly gentleman....
Had serious hearing problems for a number of years. He went to the doctor and the doctor was able to have him fitted for a set of hearing aids that allowed the gentleman to hear 100%.
The elderly gentleman went back in a month to the doctor and the doctor said, 'Your hearing is perfect.. Your family must be really pleased that you can hear again.'
The gentleman replied, 'Oh, I haven't told my family yet.
I just sit around and listen to the conversations.. I've changed my will three times!'

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Even with a new passport it was not easy to find work in Paris. I needed a work permit, which the French were not awarding easily. I went to the employment office where I was greeted with kindness by a clerk who was Czechoslovak. His name was Karel Hanuš and he found me a job in Orleans, a hundred kilometers south of Paris. Over there I was to obtain a work permit.

I started on my journey with a heavy heart, but I became very fond of the French town on the river Loire. I was finally working as an electrician and after work I was going around the town with my Sokol pin, until I "snagged" a compatriot, who explained how the system worked, and shared a lot of useful advice and information to help me in the future.

Within a month I obtained a work permit and shortly after that I traveled back to Paris. I found a very pleasant boarding house in the student district and the next day, with my workout outfit under my arm, I went to the Paris Sokol gym hall. It was a school gym in the suburbs of Paris that was made available to the Sokol. I found there a brotherly spirit. I jumped on the parallel bars and did a few masterful gymnastic moves and immediately several brothers started to inquire about where I worked, and whether I would stay in Paris. They said they could use me for their exercises when they go for meets with the French gymnasts. I responded with disappointment that I had not yet found work, when brother František Bydžovský said "Come over tomorrow, I will talk to my employer to hire you".

The next day I was working as a mechanic with instruments for dental technology. The Sokol slogan (věčný ruch a věčná nespokojenost) "Never a dull moment't started to give me courage to look for work in my area of interest—radio. I found a good job in a small factory that manufactured radio receivers and my work permit was approved by the ministry. I became a Parisian and for a good time, twice a week I went to Sokol Hall and on Sundays to Sokol outings, hikes, or to see art shows in museums, or to the theater.

It did not take long before I was helping brothers in Paris Sokol with leadership of their unit. I became associate leader, educator, a liaison for the Paris Sokol, and an editor of the "Věstník" newsletter which accomplished significant historical work in the second international resistance abroad. We organized Sokol gymnastics and we attended public events of French gymnasts, who in turn were happy to invite us to add more interest to their programs by showcasing our Sokol exercises.

We polished to perfection our gymnastic floor exercises and workouts on apparatus, and along with our Sokol sisters we performed in our folk costumes the Czech square dances. This became a source of great attraction for the French. In competitions we frequently won first places.

Sometimes the head of the French gymnasts was not happy and asked us to take our prizes outside and not compete with their members. We did not travel only to the suburbs of Paris, but also to distant cities, to Bordeaux, Le Havre, Dijon, Lille and many other cities.

What a celebration that was when we arrived at the train stations! We were welcomed by local bands and paraded in front of the city hall. There, we were met by businessmen to spend a night and share a festive meal in their homes. For them, we were quite a sensation.

It was in the town of Boneval, during one of our trips, that I met my future wife.

Anča Nidermertlová, on the way home from the stadium, was jumping with me from the bridge to the river Loire. So started first our Sokol friendship, and later our married relationship.

While in the midst of this romance, Marie, my love from Prague, to whom I had given my word, came to Paris. When I suggested that we live together, she did not want to hear about it. She kept insisting: After the wedding.

After two years in France, I had started to acquire a different, more modem outlook on life. We broke up and I returned to my Anča. The next year we traveled together to Czechoslovakia, to Mladá Boleslav, where in 1929 we were married in an Evangelical chapel. Anča's father was a train dispatcher. He was a passionate Evangelic and he and his wife Anna, maiden name Prášková, were both hard working people.

We returned back to Paris where I worked in a radio factory and in a broadcast station. Anča was working as a cook for a wealthy English family, the Berkleys. We were bringing into our love nest everything we could, and in 1931 our first son Jiří was born.

We were forced to move into our own apartment, and decided for Charmande, where our Sokol gym was located. I had good employment in the radio factory; I traveled around the city and even out into the country to repair radios. Because my boss knew many famous artists, I fixed radios for Josephine Baker and

other famous artists. At work I became a repair service supervisor, and from time to time I worked as well in a broadcast station.

At that time I became quite fluent in French and could read French literature, and go to theaters and to art shows. At the Comedic Française I found my old love "Cyrano de Bergerac," this time in its original language.

The famous American writer Hemingway said: "If you were lucky to have lived in Paris as a young man, you will never forget it as long as you live, no matter where destiny takes you and what banquets await you. Paris will always remain a movable feast."

One year during summer vacation we toured France, and the next year we drove a car to Czechoslovakia. Sometimes, the Prague Sokol Slet coincided and we got to participate. While in Czechoslovakia, we obviously first visited Prague and then headed for Miada Boleslav, to visit Anca' s parents. We always created a lot of new memories, but were glad to return back to France, our new home.

In 1938, the main radio factory near Munich went bankrupt and I was forced to look for new employment. I worked as a supervisor in the Valdes factory, a branch of a Czechoslovak firm manufacturing zippers. The work was easy and more importantly, I could work on my newspaper, "Věstník Pařížského Sokola".

The war was about to start and we were fully engaged in the Second International Resistance.

When, after the Munich accord, the fascist German government took over control of poor occupied Czechoslovakia, someone wrote in a Czech newspaper that " a certain Mr. Spanek is organizing the Second International Resistance, and our offices should take appropriate steps..."

PREPARATIONS FOR THE "SLET" (RALLY) IN PRAGUE

In spite of the feverish preparations in the Sokol gym, we all already had at that time a lot of concerns and worries about the future of our native country. Even though we were receiving enthusiastic letters from our homeland, full of hope and trust in the power of the Czechoslovak army, we in Paris saw very clearly the impact of the German propaganda amongst the French.

The German propaganda was spreading by various means lies about our country, about President Masaryk, and about President Benes. Many of these lies were published in the French rightwing press. When the clouds began to gather over our native land, the Paris Sokol took on the responsibility to work not only in the realm of physical education, but also nationalistically and politically in support of Czechoslovakia.

We wrote and argued against the lies spread by the German propaganda. We attended public gatherings, where there was heckling against the Czechoslovak Republic. We responded to attacks in the rightwing French press and alerted our officers at the Czechoslovak embassy, demanding that they intervene. We found a lot of supporters among our French friends. That was sometimes easier than finding support among our compatriots who were falling into complacent slumber and assuring us that Czechoslovakia did not need to worry, because it had friendly relations with our allies and France.

Unfortunately, we found such optimists even in our Czechoslovak embassy, and as a result we had to continue our work independently, after our day jobs. We were diligently supplying the French press with news of events.

That year, during the membership meeting of the Paris Sokol, the following people were elected as officers: Antonín Smutný-Director; Leoš Milec-Associate Director; Karel Tichý-Leader; Jiřina Tichá-Leader; Jiří Špánek-Speaker; Josef Láznička-educator. The board members were:
Josef Koch, Josef Jeřábek, Jan Slavíček, Josef Mok, Olda Chabý, Josef Franld, Jan Lukeš, Václav Komárek, and Marie Kleinová.

The gym hours for men and women were each Monday from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m. in a school gym in the suburb of Paris. The children's hours were each Sunday from 10:00 to Noon. The membership in January 1938 numbered 140 men and 52 women. The membership meetings were held monthly in the Czechoslovak Colony Building, number 18, Paris 16.

To continue our work we needed our own Czech press, so that we could inform our membership, our compatriots, and our friends about our activities.
I wrote a regular column, "Sokolské Hlídky" (Sokol Watch), for the newspaper "Československý Voj" (Czechoslovak Unit), published by the Czechoslovak community, but we did not like the newspaper; it was not forceful enough.

It will continue in the next Spring Vestnik 2012

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36	Frank	Miksa	7 Royston Walk	Pleasant Hill,	CA	94523		1	P	
37	Blanche	Milner	1500 Held Dr. # 67	Modesto,	CA	95355	1		P	
38	Ludvik	Mlynek	1225 Warner Ct.	Lafayette,	CA	94549		1	P	P
39	Ludmila	O'Donell	3424 NE. 35th Ave.	Portland	OR	97212	1		P	
40	Teresa	O'Donell	3424 NE. 35th Ave.	Portland		97212	1		P	
41	Alena	Picha	650 Newhaven Ct.	Walnut Creek,	CA	94598	1		P	
42	Frank	Picha	650 Newhaven Ct.	Walnut Creek,	CA	94598		1	P	
43	Eva	Plachy	425 Bodium Ct.	Alphareta	GA	30004	1		P	
44	Ivo	Plachy	425 Bodium Ct.	Alphareta	GA	30004		1	P	
45	Milan	Prejda	110 Ballatore Ct.	San Jose	CA	95134	1		P	P
46	Regina	Prejda	110 Ballatore Ct.	San Jose	CA	95134		1	P	P
47	Jaroslav	Rosicky	16714 Selby Dr.	San Leandro,	CA	94578-1264		1	P	P
48	Michelle	Ruff	324 Via La Paz	Greenbrae,	CA	94904-1246	1		P	
49	Dagmar	Rus	628 Newlands Ave.	San Mateo,	CA	94403	1		P	P
50	Ruda	Rus	628 Newlands Ave.	San Mateo,	CA	94403		1	P	P
51	Marta	Sehnal	7415 Alpine Road	La Honda,	CA	94020	1		P	P
52	Albert	Sieber	231 Auburn Ave.	Santa Cruz	CA	95060		1	P	
53	Libuse	Sikl	418 Patricia Ave.	San Mateo,	CA	9440-3044	1		P	P
54	George I.	Skoda	3400 Princeton Way	Santa Clara,	CA	95051-5526		1	P	P
55	Marcelle	Skubna	1333 Singingwood Ct. # 2	Walnut Creek,	CA	94595	1		P	
56	Desider E.	Slavoj	22 Ord Ct.	San Francisco,	CA	94114-1417		1	P	
57	Karel	Snajberk	916 Regal Road	Berkeley,	CA	94708		1	P	
58	Barbora	Soltys	1175 Covington Ct.	Walnut Creek,	CA	94596	1		P	

How we have paid dues **Sokol San Francisco Membersip**

	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	K	L
59	Pn=paid,ne	P=paid	Pt= paid, trasferred	Pr=reinstated		N=not paid				
60	**First Name**	**Last Name**	**Address**	**City**	**ST**	**Zip Code**	**F**	**M**	**D 11**	**D 12**
61	Pavel	Soltys	1175 Covington Ct.	Walnut Creek,	CA	94596		1	P	
62	Pn=paid,ne	P=paid	Pt= paid, trasferred	Pr=reinstated		N=not paid				
63	Henry J.	Sredl	P.O. Box 1029	Center Harbor,	NH	03226-1029		1	P	P
64	Walter	Strach	783 Ajax Dr.	Sunnyvale,	CA	94086		1	P	
65	Jindra	Stroleny	780 Oak Grove Rd. apt. 312	Concord	CA	94518	1		P	
66	Ivan P.	Sturman	7 Arlington Ln.	Kensington	CA	94707		1		
67	Georgina	Teyrovsky	21966 Dolores St. # 241	Castro Valley,	CA	94546	1		P	P
68	Helena	Vernak	2724 Mason Lane	San Mateo,	CA	94403-2613	1		P	
69	Zdenek	Vernak	2724 Mason Lane	San Mateo,	CA	94403-2613		1	P	
70	Milos	Zivny	10815 Breed Ave.	Oakland,	CA	94603		1	P	
71	Zelka	Zivny	10815 Breed Ave.	Oakland,	CA	94603	1		P	
72	Ashka	Zrzavy	654 Oregon St.	Sonoma,	CA	95476	1		P	
73	Lada	Zrzavy	654 Oregon St.	Sonoma,	CA	95476		1	P	
74										
75	**TOTAL**						38	30		

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jak zchromlá vláda na nás bere bič,
jak umění je pořád služkou mocných,
jak blbost zpupně schopným poroučí,
jak prostá pravda je všem jenom pro smích,
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