

Communications- John Waltman

Miss T.I. goes to Portland !!



The Portland Skyliners did a magnificent job of Media coverage of The Tall Club as well as our Queen Mary at the parade.





Upcoming TCI Travel Opportunities

Convention At Sea 2023 JUNE 30- JULY 7

This is the T.C.I. Convention for the Clubs here in the States. A cruise, sightseeing, glaciers and trains. Dining, dancing and more. With stops in Canada along the way, this is sure to be an experience of a lifetime.

<https://www.tall.org/tci-2023-convention-at-sea.html>

Sacramento "CHEESBURGER IN PARADISE" OCT 8-15

Mayan Rivera Adult Resort CANCUN

Authentic dining, spas, and live entertainment. All from you very own ocean front rooms. Experience the vibrant culture of Cancun. All inclusive week with round trip transfers to and from the airport.

https://www.tall.org/uploads/3/9/6/5/39650458/stc_cancun_we

Convention Information

To: All TCI Clubs and Affiliates

Nominations are now open for TCI Merit Awards for 2022/2023. The purpose of the Merit Award is to acknowledge members of your club who have gone the extra mile to support your club and/or TCI. Nominations must be submitted by 6/03/23.

As defined in the TCI Bylaws, Section 8.1H, "Up to twelve (12) Merit Awards shall be presented annually to individuals in TCI. Each Club can submit two (2) nominees from its membership, and the Executive Board may nominate two (2) additional candidates from throughout TCI, including MALs. Nomination forms and instructions should be available for download from the Members section of Tall.org at least four (4) months prior to the annual Convention. A Merit Award recipient can receive additional Merit Awards. However, they shall not be given to the same recipient in consecutive years.

A fillable copy of the nomination form is attached. Complete the form, either on-line or by hard copy, and include detailed information about the candidate. In order to give fair assessment to each individual, it is essential to include dates and a descriptions of leadership positions held and events credited to the member. In addition, **do not reveal the identity of your nominee on this form—recipients are selected anonymously!** Place the name in a separate, sealed envelope with the name of your club on the outside, and staple it to the nomination sheet.

I am also mailing (USPS) this request and a hard copy of the nomination form to each club with a physical address on TCI List of Clubs.

Nominations must be submitted, via e-mail or to the address below, no later than June 03, 2023:

Shirleen Murphy
TCI Executive Officer
8700 Hummingbird Ave.
Fountain Valley, CA 92708
e-mail: smmcnamee@earthlink.net

Greetings Tall Friends,

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Newsletter Honorable Mention

There are 8 clubs still producing a newsletter. Five of these will be voted upon during convention to see which club brings home the TCI Best Newsletter Award for 2023.

All the newsletters are well done, and it was a difficult task to decide which ones would be in the top five.

Let me point out the three Honorable Mention newsletters. Tall Club of Long Island, Central Arizona Tall Society, and the Tall Club of New York. They were all worthy and deserve recognition.

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Delegates Meeting

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This meeting is open to any TCI member, and you do not have to be a delegate or proxy to attend. I invite those of you who have never attended and the well initiated to get on-line. There will be no actual business performed at this meeting.

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Topic: TCI Convention 2023 Delegates Meeting review
Time: Jun 1, 2023 04:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84832260364?pwd=WXhwdCsrNFZJbjJxbVRybEMrNHZYQT09>

Meeting ID: 848 3226 0364
Passcode: 256985

Highest Regards!

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TCI President 2022-23

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Presidents message

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