

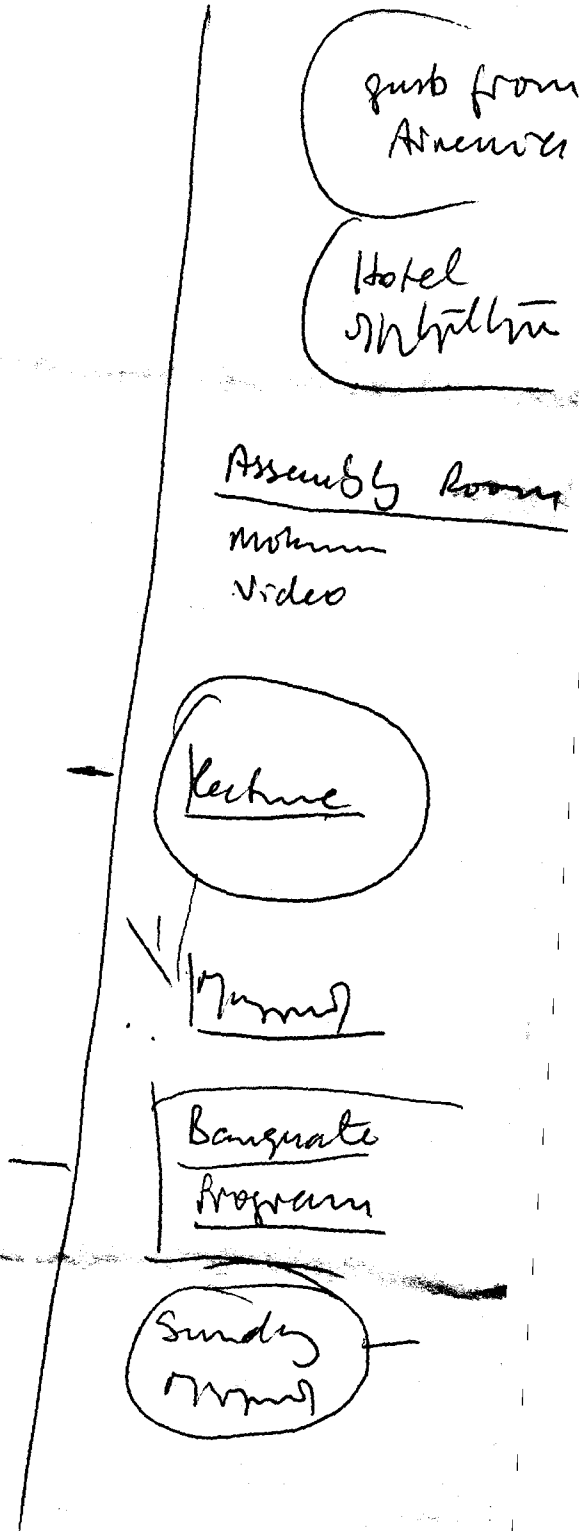
AC70A - Sports Weekend
Watertown, 6/4

Ex. Comm. Meeting

Meetings will take place at the Sheraton Boston Hotel + Towers.

The Primate's
Message for the booklet

Invitation of the Canadian +
Western Div. AC70



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The apostles respond like we would: they are terrified. "This can't be our master", they think, "it must be a ghost." They forget everything that Jesus had previously taught them about his death and resurrection. Jesus sees the look of fear on their faces, and understands the doubt in their hearts. And he reassures them in the clearest way possible that he is really a living and breathing being: "Behold my hands and my feet, that it is I myself," he says. "Handle me and see, for a spirit does not have flesh and bones as you see I have."

Jesus's words are like splashing cold water on the apostles; all the rumors and fears and doubts that had troubled them are dispelled, to be replaced by clarity of mind about the identity of Jesus, and the reality of his return. We might say that this clarity of mind is the first step to the clarity of purpose which the apostles ultimately demonstrate in the formation of the Church. I will return to this idea of "clarity" momentarily.

But let's get back to the story. The apostles are so filled with joy that they hardly believe any of this is happening. Then Jesus makes a very strange remark - a remark that's so simple and mundane that one can easily overlook it. He asks, "Do you have anything to eat here?" The apostles produce a broiled fish and honeycombs, and Jesus takes

I would like to take the passage which we just heard from the Gospel of St. Luke, 24:36-49, which I think is especially fitting for this gathering and for this moment in the Armenian Church in general.

~~The passage is too~~

The scene opens with the apostles gathered together, talking about an earlier sighting of the resurrected Jesus. Elsewhere, we are told that, after Jesus's execution, the apostles had hidden away in the upper room of a house, frightened, confused and broken-hearted. Now, three days later, they were hearing reports that the tomb was empty, and that others among the faithful had been visited by their master.

Suddenly, Jesus himself appears among them, and greets them in a very simple and humble way: "Peace be with you," he says. This was probably the same greeting the apostles had heard Jesus use countless times before. | Imagine | what it might be like | ~~like~~ if a friend | who you thought was dead | walked up to you | and said, | "Hello. | What's new?" | as if nothing at all | had happened. |

Last Update: 5/25/93

SPORTS WEEKEND MAILING/PUBLICITY SCHEDULE

- 1) **PRESS RELEASE**: distribute press release on bands featured for the entire weekend to Armenian newspapers.

Responsibility: Tony Barsamian, Laurie Onanian

Due Date: June 1, 1993

- 2) **LOOYS ARTICLE**: write article for June/July issue of the St. James Looys giving parishoners an update of our progress, reminding them to support the fundraising effort, asking for volunteers at actual events, information on actual events will be mailed in July.

Responsibility: Laurie Onanian, Karen Potookian, Marcia Sedhom

Due Date: June 1, 1993

- 3) **FUND RAISING REMINDER**: follow-up letter to parishoners/businesses advising them of deadline (7/1) to make donations and appear in commemorative booklet. Simple one-page reminder.

Responsibility: Shawn Movsessian, Jill Arslanian, Rich Assarian

Due Date: June 4, 1993

- 4) **MAILING TO ALL CHAPTER PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS**: Send packet of information to Parish Council Chairperson which include:
- Cover letter
 - Flyers
 - Fund Raising Letter

Responsibility: Laurie Onanian

Due Date: June 4, 1993

- 5) **2ND-MAILING TO ACYOA CHAPTER CHAIRPERSON**: Send new flyer* which will give chronological order of events, sports roster & contact sheet+, and cover letter with update of events and host chapter's progress.

Responsibility: Laurie Onanian, Ray Davidian(+), Jill Arslanian(*)

Due Date: June 10, 1993

- 6) **SPORTS WEEKEND REGISTRATION**: registration materials will be broken up into three separate mailings to: A) ACYOA Members & Alumni
B) Clergy
C) St. James Parish

The following items will be included in mailings A & B:

- Weekend Registration Form (two different forms)
- Sports Waiver
- Hotel Registration Form
- New Flyer (listing all events)

The following items will be included in mailing C:

- New Flyer (listing all events)
- Parishoner Registration Form (for specific events)
- Volunteer Forms (to assist at certain events)

Responsibility (Compiling Materials): Jill Arslanian, Rich Assarian, Papken
Maksoudian, Rita Masrof, Laurie Onanian

Responsibility (Collating/Mailing): ALL

Due Date: June 28, 1993

- 7) **PRESS RELEASE**: distribute press release on sporting events to be held over the weekend at Watertown High School to Armenian newspapers.

Responsibility: Laurie Onanian, Ray Davidian

Due Date: July 1, 1993

- 8) **MAILING TO ACYOA ALUMNI**: send flyer announcing "Alumni Friday Night Event" during Sports Weekend with ticket information.

Responsibility: Tony Barsamian, ALL

Due Date: July 1, 1993

- 9) **PRESS RELEASE**: distribute press release on "Insights Program" to be held on 9/4/93 during sporting events to Armenian newspaper.

Responsibility: Laurie Onanian

Due Date: August 1, 1993

10) **ADVERTISEMENTS:** take out ads in the "Mirror Spectator" and "Armenian Reporter" on weekend events. Also advertise in calendar section entire month of August.

Responsibility: Laurie Onanian, Jill Arslanian, Rich Assarian
Due Date: A) One Ad In July B) August 1, 1993

11) **EVENTS:** whoever is planning to attend the following events should see Laurie Onanian or Jill Arslanian for flyers to distribute:

July 2-4, 1993 = ASA 4th of July Weekend at Cape Cod
July 31, 1993 = ACYOA 25th Anniversary of St. Vartans Cathedral
July ? = ACYOC Canadian Sports Weekend (kita?)

1993 ACYOA SENIORS GENERAL ASSEMBLY & SPORTS WEEKEND

September 1-6, 1993 / Labor Day Weekend
Hosted by St. James ACYOA Seniors, Watertown

____ YES, I am interested in volunteering to help ONLY with the planning of Sports Weekend .

____ YES, I am interested in volunteering to help ONLY during the actual events: (please indicate your 1st two choices)

Sports: _____	Registration: _____
Assembly: _____	Friday Night Event: _____
Sunday Brunch: _____	Sunday Banquet: _____
Picnic: _____	Alumni Reception: _____
Publicity: _____	Welcome/Info Table: _____

____ YES, I do have contacts/information that I think will be useful to the Sports Weekend Committee.

Specify: _____

____ NO, I cannot assist with the planning/assisting, but I would like to contribute in other ways:

Specify: _____

MY TALENTS CAN BEST BE USED: (ie: creatively, food prep, sports programming, registration-computers, mailings, publicity, fund raising, music, pre-weekend Assembly, etc...):

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE (DAY): _____ EVENING: _____

REGISTRATION FORM
1993 ACYOA GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AND NATIONAL SPORTS WEEKEND
September 1-6, 1993

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ ZIP _____
 Phone _____ Birthdate _____
 Chapter/Parish _____
 Planned Arrival Date/Time _____

Package Plans

Full Package Plan (includes Sports Fee)* \$160-- _____
 Minimum Eligibility Plan \$125-- _____
 Preevent Package Plan \$ 40-- _____



A la Carte

Delegates Reception \$15.00 _____
 Trolley Tour/ Warren Tavern \$35.00 _____
 "Spirit of Boston" Cruise \$75.00 _____
 Bus Transportation to Cruise \$ 5.00 _____
 Sunday Brunch \$ 5.00 _____
 Banquet \$45.00 _____
 Ball \$20.00 _____
 Bon Voyage Picnic \$10.00 _____
 Sports Participation Fee \$10.00 _____

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MINIMUM DEPOSIT OF \$50.00 REQUIRED

*** "Full Package Plan" Special!**

\$10 rebate if registration is received with full payment by August 2nd, plus a free t-shirt to the first 50 fully paid "Full Package Plans" received!

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Total Due _____
Total Enclosed _____
Total Due upon Arrival _____

Attention Canada Residents: **NO** Personal Checks.
 Bank Drafts Only. ACYOA is assessed \$25.00 for every Canadian check, even if "US Funds" is written on the check.

To register for "Sports Weekend," please complete this form and mail with payment to:

1993 ACYOA Sports Weekend
c/o Papken Maksoudian
P.O. Box 906
Watertown, MA 02172-0906

1993 ACYOA NATIONAL SPORTS WEEKEND, WATERTOWN, MA
SEPTEMBER 1-6
TEAM AND INDIVIDUAL SPORTS REGISTRATION FORM

Chapter _____

ACYOA Chairperson _____

ACYOA Sports Representative _____

Men's Basketball

Women's Basketball

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| 1. _____ | 1. _____ |
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| 13. _____ | 13. _____ |
| 14. _____ | 14. _____ |
| 15. _____ | 15. _____ |

Co-ed Volleyball

1. _____
2. _____
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Men's Tennis Singles

Women's Tennis Singles

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| 1. _____ | 1. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 3. _____ |

Co-ed Tennis Doubles

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| 1. _____ | / | _____ |
| 2. _____ | / | _____ |

Men's Golf

Women's Golf

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| 2. _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 3. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 4. _____ |

Men's Swimming

Women's Swimming

Breaststroke

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| 1. _____ | 1. _____ |
|----------|----------|

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

Backstroke

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

Freestyle

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

Freestyle Relay

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

4. _____ 4. _____

Men's Track and Field

Women's Track and Field

50 Meters

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

100 Meters

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

200 Meters

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

400 Meters

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

800 Meters

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

1600 Meters

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

1600 Relay

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

4. _____ 4. _____

Softball Throw

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

Long Jump

1. _____ 1. _____

2. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

Shot Put

- 1. _____ 1. _____
- 2. _____ 2. _____
- 3. _____ 3. _____

Checkers

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

Chess

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

Tavloo

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____
- 5. _____
- 6. _____
- 7. _____

The Sports Committee is enthusiastically anticipating the largest and most talented sports field ever. If your ACYOA chapter is in need of any assistance, please contact the Sports Committee as soon as possible.

1993 DELEGATE AND SPORTS STATUS

Chapter: _____

As of July 30, 1993, your chapter has the following dues paid membership:

_____ 1992 Dues Paid Members

_____ 1993 Dues Paid Members

The number of elected delegates currently eligible to participate from your chapter at the 1993 General Assembly is:

_____ Elected Delegates

If the number above is "0", you should immediately send \$5.00 per member (the "\$5.00" used in this letter applies to chapters with the minimum dues of \$10.00) to the address below in payment of your 1992 dues. Please remember that the 1992 ACYOA General Assembly did not ratify any of the proposed changes in the ACYOA dues structure.

In addition to Elected Delegates, each chapter in good standing may also send its Chapter President (usually the parish priest) and Chapter Chairman as voting delegates.

Please make sure to complete and mail credentials for each delegate (whether President, Chairman or Elected).

Regarding sports participation at Sports Weekend, only those members who have paid dues for 1993 are eligible. The 1993 dues paid membership shown at the top of this status report reflects your currently eligible dues paid members. If this number is "0", please send 1993 dues now (with a membership list including addresses).

To recap:

If you have sent chapter dues for 1992 and 1993, thanks!

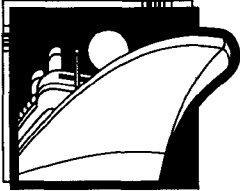
If only 1992 dues are unpaid, send \$5.00 per member.

If only 1993 dues are unpaid, send \$5.00 per member.

If both 1992 and 1993 dues are unpaid, send \$10.00 per member.

_____ IF CHECKED, you did not submit a membership list with your 1993 dues. Please do so or your members will have difficulty with Sports and they will miss out on the Sports Weekend rebate for members.

MAIL DUES & COMPLETED CREDENTIALS TO: CENTRAL COUNCIL CHAIRMAN
CHARLES SHOOSHAN
558 CYPRESS RD
NEWINGTON CT 06111-5621



**SPLASH DOWN IN WATERTOWN . . .
RIDE THE "HYE" WAVES!!!**

September 1-6, 1993

Ahoy There!

Pastors

Father Dajad Davidian
Father Arsen Barsamian

Youth Director

Marcia Sedhom

Chairperson

Jill Arslanian

Vice Chairperson

Rich Assarian

Treasurer

Papken Maksoudian

Secretary

Krista Kazanjian

Executive Committee

Robert Assarian
Raymond Davidian
Rita Masrof
Shawn Movsessian
Laurie Onanian

Excitement is mounting on the Hye seas, and all of us in the Watertown Chapter of the ACYOA Seniors are eagerly anticipating the upcoming 1993 General Assembly and National Sports Weekend "Splash Down in Watertown... Ride the 'Hye' Waves" being held this Labor Day Weekend 1993.

We have a number of exciting activities planned in addition to the customary General Assembly meetings and sporting events. We will set sail on Wednesday with the ACYOA Delegate Reception, continuing on Thursday when we will treat our out-of-town delegates to a grand tour of historical Boston. The journey continues on Friday as hundreds of ACYOA Seniors from the United States and Canada sail into Boston for the weekend. The wave builds on Saturday night with a dinner/dance cruise on the luxurious Spirit of Boston cruise ship and crests on Sunday night with a gala banquet and ball. Our excursion will end with a fellowship picnic to be held at our Cultural Center in Watertown.

The Watertown ACYOA Chapter has not had the honor of hosting this prestigious event since 1980, and expectations for the BEST Assembly ever are running high.

With your contribution, we can make our expectations reality. To help us offset the cost of the Assembly and generate much needed revenue for the Parish, we will be printing a commemorative booklet. This booklet will list the names of all our supporters and feature historical events of the ACYOA. The enclosed attachment will further explain how you can make a contribution.

On behalf of the entire 1993 ACYOA General Assembly and National Sports Weekend Committee, thank you for your time, consideration, and generosity.

Very Truly Yours,

Shawn R. Movsessian



1993 ACYOA GENERAL ASSEMBLY & NATIONAL SPORTS WEEKEND

St. James Armenian Apostolic Church
465 Mount Auburn Street Watertown, MA 02172
617/923-8860 or 617/923-8861

**Donations Page
Individuals / Businesses / Organizations**

\$100+

\$50+

\$25+

Please cut off the bottom portion of this form and return it with your check in the enclosed envelope.

We also have a limited number of pages designated for businesses. If you have a business and would like to insert your business card, we are reserving these pages for you. A \$100 donation will enable you to insert your card into the booklet. There will be 8 cards to a page.

If you would like to make a larger donation and wish to discuss possible layout alternatives, please don't hesitate to contact me in the evening at (617) 891-7296.

Name of Donor: _____

Address: _____

Daytime Telephone: _____

Name in Booklet: _____
Only if a non-business card insertion

Amount of donation: **\$25** **\$50** **\$100** **\$250** **Other**
Please circle one:

Mr. Shawn Movsessian
Fund Raising Chairperson
1993 General Assembly & Sports Weekend
21 Cliff Road
Waltham, MA 02154