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Another Visit to the Jersey Shore

For the second consecutive year H.F. Watha and B.F. Doggle journeyed from the Delaware beaches to the Jersey Shore to spend a day with K.F. Carson and P.F. Villa during their annual trip to Ocean City. The minutes are being published in a mere two months this year due to a planned

meeting at the Delaware beaches on October 18. Kit and Pancho, along with their cubs are visiting in an effort to give the cubs an early start on visiting all 50 states. They are expected to complete the task as soon as one of them is old enough to, like Pancho, drive all over the friggin country.



The ferry from Delaware to New Jersey



A new discovery

An Exhibition Tasting

The club members sampled a single bottle of Champagne, Barnaut Grand Cru. Boon attempted to purchase a bottle of the “Widow” from a local Delaware wine shop. They were out of that club favorite but recommended the Barnaut as a worthy substitute. As a result the tasting became an attempt to validate the

shop owner’s judgment rather than a contest between two contenders. Amazingly, all of the club members agreed that the Barnaut was indeed worthy of comparison to the “Widow. An amazing result - also an encouraging sign that there actually may be civilization in Southern Delaware.

The Host Goes All Out

Bill Murray has long been an invited guest to 361 Club meetings. Although he has never shown up he has been represented by a number pictures, masks, place cards, etc. Pancho introduced an impressive addition to the Bill Murray collection. He is shown in the picture preparing the tasting while sporting a new Bill Murray sweatshirt. Along with the image of Bill Murray there

was also no mistaking the spiritual presence of Calamity F. Jane the leader of the Bill Murray movement in the club. Calamity would have loved the sweatshirt and probably demanded that it be given to her. She would not, however have been impressed by the inability to secure the “Widow” for the tasting.



Pancho and Bill

Some Things Never Change

It's Not About the Food



Pizza with a little seafood

Photographer?

Boon, having invested heavily in equipment and occasionally actually selling a picture likes to think of himself as a photographer. At this meeting he showed up with a brand new Fuji XT-1, a great new mirrorless camera. But, you may have noticed that the

Although the club claims to care only about the Champagne the members do like to eat. At this meeting the traditional pizza, in was, in consideration of the location, augmented with a bit of food from the sea.

pictures aren't that great. Boon, being a photography pro, thought that a non-existent assistant may have put a battery in his camera. Thankfully, the iPhones (with batteries) present at the meeting did a pretty good job of picking up the slack.

I'm With Who?



Trying to hide

Hia is clearly trying to hide to avoid being photographed with Boon. Unfortunately for her Pancho was quick enough to catch the shot.

A New Twist



Starting the relay

At each club meeting it is customary for Kit to deliver a blow to Hia's jaw. Using a new process Kit delivered the blow to Pancho who is in the process of completing the attack on Hia. Notice that Pancho, in his enthusiasm, is moving so fast that he is blurry.



Delivering the blow