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Dear Ladies:

Well here we are again to report on the activities of our local Northwest Chapter. Our October 5th meeting was held at the Embers and although our attendance was limited to less than our average numbers, we had a chance to meet and enjoy each others company with refreshments and a little feminine chatter. The evening presented us with a pleasant surprise. A new lady from Los Angeles decided to stop in. This very attractive lady, Michelle [REDACTED], had heard about our group and decided to attend while visiting in Portland. A native of Eugene she is planning to move back to the Northwest and wishes to join our group at that time.

Ladies, Michelles appearance at our meeting is a typical example of how successful we have become in attracting new sisters to our sorority. We also gained a new member that evening by our word of mouth advertising. Alicia, a warm and intelligent lady that we offer our warmest welcome to. In almost every case these ladies are delighted to find such a viable organization of Cross Dressers in the Portland area. With your help we have become quite a well known group nationally with such old organizations as Tri Ess, Tiffany Club, C.H.I.C. and Shangri La. This fact cannot help but insure our continued success by attracting new sisters from our area. We have accomplished this within the frame work of maintaining our original goals. These two goals of providing our gals a opportunity to meet once a month in a safe and fun environment and providing these events in a atmosphere of anonymity will never be compromised.

Now lets discuss the planned November 7th meeting. Since we are a democratic organization and we wish to adhere to the members desires, we will not hold our clothes swap and buffet dinner at the T-Bird Motel. It was necessary to get enough contributions to finance the party by Oct. 23rd. We received only \$18.00 by that date and since it was necessary to pay for the room by the 25th, we were forced to recognize your desires and cancel the event. Perhaps that is for the best. We are sure some ladies wish to attend the Rose Court Ball that evening and the cost involved there are quite high. Our timing in asking for added contributions may have been poor. So, for those of us who will not attend the ball and want to get out that pretty dress for at least once during a 30 day period, we will again meet at The Embers at 7:30 P.M. on Wednesday Nov. 10th. At that meeting we will discuss and put our final plans on our BIG, Great, Super Christmas party on Saturday December 18th at a private residence. Yes, you will note the date has been changed. Our hostess found it necessary to change the date due to another commitment. We tried other dates but found the 18th the only logical choice. We promise a really great evening, even to rival our Host to Lucky night in September. Once again, we must ask for a contribution of \$10.00 to be received at our P.O.Box by December 7th. For your contribution we will have refreshments (wine and beer) soda pop, a fabulous buffet dinner and hopefully a live entertainer. Best of all a fun evening together with our ladies, their mates and other friends of our group. It will top off a great successful year for our group and were sure everyone will want to attend. Several of our Seattle Area members and their guest plan on attending also. Let's show them our gracious Portland hospitality. So get that \$10.00 in for each admission ticket you will need for yourself and your mate. Remember Dec. 7th is the deadline. No tickets will be sold at the door. This is to be a private GGA party for the members and their friends. Stay tuned for more on our Christmas party in the next newsletter. Thats it girls. Hope to see you on the 10th at the Embers.

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