

Golden State Insulator Club Newsletter

From the Presidents Corner

April 2008

Time is passing so quickly and the Chico Show is history. It was a good show with it being the first show of the year for most of us and meeting collector friends again. There was an unembossed purple CEW brought in for sale by an old time collector Gordon Marsh from Corning, California and was bought by Glen Adkins for his collection. Sales were a little slow but that can be expected with the economy being on the downturn and gas prices on the upturn again. Another old time collector that was at the show was Don Gaylord. The insulator collector that traveled the farthest to the show was James Egge from Minneapolis, Minnesota.



Janet Bonds beautiful “Coordinated Color Collection” display at Chico

We have the Rohde Ranch Tailgater coming up fast (April 19th) which is always a fun time for all. I know Bill, Don and Camille have planned a wonderful barbeque and meal for all to enjoy. Don has ordered up 70 degree weather for this one for our enjoyment. This is one show if you have not attended and are a member in good standing of either the JSIC or GSIC it would be to your benefit to come see this one. If you wonder why collect porcelain insulators, come and look at Bill’s museum of beautiful porcelain. This show is always a treat for all.

See you at Rohde’s,
Larry Shumaker

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Views from the 2008 Chico Show



Colin Jung & His daughter Alesia, They sure looked like an awesome team.



Now THIS Looks like Trouble !!
Dave Elliot & Larry Shumaker,Up to

SOMETHING!?!?!?!?!?



It was good to see LONG TIME Collector **Don Gaylord** at the show.

Mudman **Bill Rohde** with a beautiful yellow 10-ring M-4415 that Frank Feher brought to the show



Steve Bava, Janet Bond & Steven Dartnellcheckin' out the rare bottles too!!!!



Northwest Blvd. Boys!!!!!!! Frank Feher COLOR and lots of NEATO Porcelain signs.



Bill Vincent & Arnie
The Northwest

Making the long drive with good glass, LOTSA color!!!



Glenn Adkins holding the sales racks steady while making the sale



Upcoming Events



PLEASE CONTACT THE SHOW HOST TO VERIFY DATES AND TIMES

When: APRIL 19, 2008

Where: **Fresno, CA**

Description: **Sat. 7 a.m. – 4 p.m. Golden State Insulator Club & The Jefferson State Insulator Club members in good standing are invited to this event hosted by the Rohde Family. You will enjoy free of charge the famous Deep-pit BBQ Feast courtesy of our gracious hosts: Don, Camille and Bill Rohde. Bring insulators for sale or trade. Numerous tables are provided by our hosts, but you may bring your own, or just open your tailgate and sell and trade!! Swapping stories and bringing your recent finds are strongly encouraged. Bill's extensive porcelain insulator collection will be open for public viewing—a must see for porcelain collectors. Contact: Bill Rohde 530-701-4377.**



When: May 16 & 17

Where: **Cayucos, CA**

Description: **The Golden State Insulator Club's 13th Annual Great Insulator Show and Barbecue. Fri. 2 p.m. -- 8 p.m.; Sat. 9 a.m. -- 3 p.m.; BBQ: Sat. 3:15 p.m. -- 4:30 p.m. BBQ is free to paid members & their minor children. Cost: \$7 per person for everyone else. Show located at the Lions Veteran Hall (at the pier), Cayucos, California. INFO: Paul Alleeson, 1766 First St. #D, Simi Valley, CA 93065; phone: (805) 527-1770; or Dwayne Anthony (909) 862-9279; email: insulators@open-wire.com.**



When: June 7

Where: **Farmington, NM**

Description: **2008 Bolack B-Square Ranch Insulator Tailgater. Free admittance to all attendees. Sellers should provide their own sales tables. Tours will be available for Tommy Bolack's personal world class insulator collection, the Bolack Electromechanical Museum and the Bolack Museum of Fish and Wildlife. Hotels/motels in the area can be found at: http://www.findlocalhotels.com/bolack_museums-hotels-93496.html?sortby=distance LOCATION: 3901 Bloomfield Highway, Farmington, NM 87401. INFORMATION: This is a RSVP event. All inquiries and RSVP replies should be directed to the event coordinator, DWAYNE ANTHONY, 909-862-9279, e-mail insulators@open-wire.com. (Additional information will be forthcoming)**

When: June 14

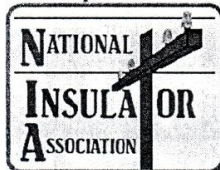
Where: **San Diego, CA**

Description: **NEW SHOW!!!!!!!!!! The Antique Bottle Club of San Diego is back in action with a grand show to be held at the Al Bahr Shrine Temple, 5440 Kearny Mesa Rd, San Diego, CA. 9,000 sq. ft. on two floors with 100+ tables. Dealer set-up at 6:30 a.m. Early Bird at 8:00 a.m. (\$5.00) General Admission is from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at \$2.00 per person (kids under 12 free with adult). Free parking. INFO: Jim Walker (858) 490-9019 jfw@internetter.com**

When: July 4 - 6, 2008 (Friday - Sunday)

Where: Portland, OR

Description: **39TH Annual National Insulator Association's Show & Convention,** Friday July 4th through Sunday July 6th, DoubleTree Hotel, Portland-Lloyd Center, 1000 NE Multnomah, Portland, OR 97232. 127 sales tables, 40 display tables. Sales tables are \$45 for first, \$40 subsequent, plus \$10 per table for electricity if desired. For reservations, phone 800-222-8733. For show info: Howard & Linda Banks: 541-761-9456 or email: hbanks@grantspass.com. Or Steve Watkins 503-794-5691 or email: germsw@earthlink.net



When: Sept. 26 & 27

Where: Placerville, CA.

Description: **2nd Annual Golden State Insulator Club Show & Sale** at the Placerville Fairgrounds, in the Marshall Building. Set up Friday at 10:00 am, open to public 12:00 noon to 7:00 pm. Saturday open to dealers 07:30 am, open to public 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. RV access available. For more information contact Larry Shumaker phone: (916) 415-1555 email: twooldshus@yahoo.com



40th Annual Tulare Show

November 7th and 8th, 2008 !!

Friday 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Same Great Show and People, just 1 year later.

Tulare Veteran's Memorial Building

1771 E. Tulare Ave., Tulare, Calif.
Two minutes East from State Hwy.99
137 exit (central Tulare)



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