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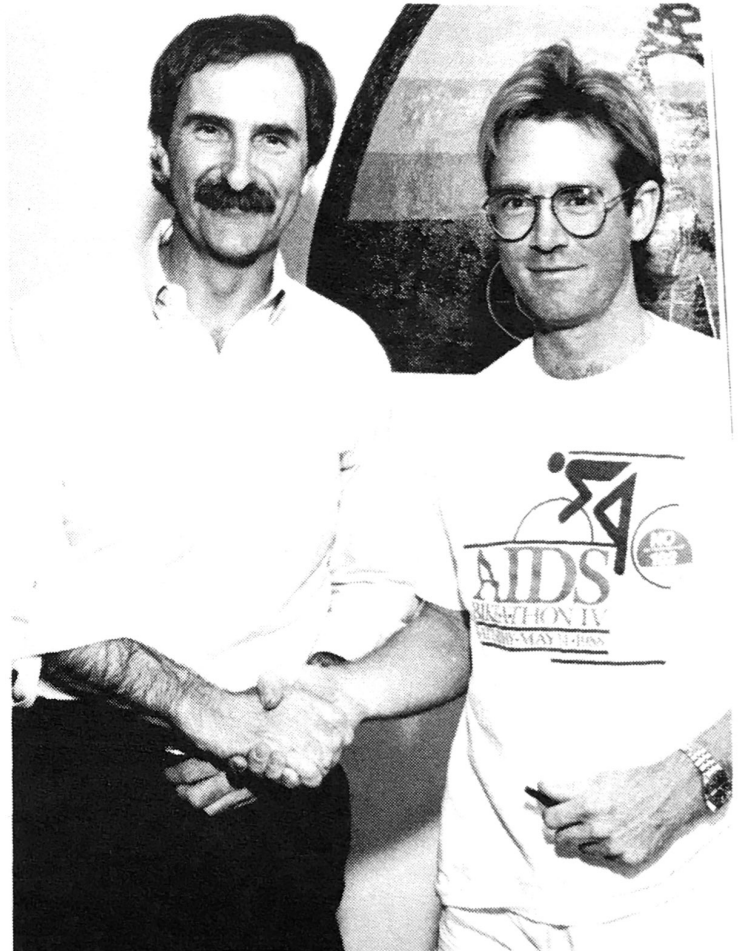
## Tom Nolan at September Meeting

by *Don Nelson*

After returning the same day from Washington DC where the Names Project Quilt was on display, San Mateo County supervisor and State Senate candidate Tom Nolan spoke to the HTG membership at the September monthly meeting. On the size of the Quilt (over 8,000 panels), Nolan remarked, "If there had been someone stronger in the White House the quilt might have been smaller."

Nolan, who is also co-chair for the state wide No On 102 campaign, stated that the community is "in the midst of war" and the major front is proposition 102. Paul Gann is the oppositions secret weapon according to the New York Times, he says, and that if California should pass prop. 102 or if it should do well, it sends a message to the rest of the country that it is alright to try the same elsewhere. Nolan said that prop. 102 must be defeated by a large margin in counties such as Santa Clara and San Mateo to make up for the assured passage in Orange County where William Dannemeyer, the co-author of the measure, represents. He feels that if we defeat prop. 102, "We may not have to deal with something like this (prop. 102) for some time."

Though the upcoming election has a dangerous measure like prop. 102, Nolan says, it also has one good thing and that is the chance to vote for "one of our kind" for the state senate. Describing his record on transportation and other subjects, Nolan says if he is elected it will make it more difficult for someone like Dannemeyer and others to put forth initiatives like 102.



Tom Nolan with HTG Secretary, Don Nelson  
Photo by Ted Sahl

## S. C. County Health Officials to be November Guest

by *Don Nelson*

At HTG's November pot luck meeting, the guest speaker will be Dr. Martin Fenstersheib, Deputy Public Health Officer of the Santa Clara County Health Department. He will be joined by Valerie Kegebein, Health Education Specialist with the Santa Clara County AIDS Program, and they will discuss a variety of issues regarding AIDS. Some of the topics will be HIV diseases, an

update on AZT, AIDS prevention and follow up clinic, medical treatments, AIDS Service Provider Network (ASPN) and the legal issues surrounding the disease. Presumably they will also discuss what to do if prop. 102 passes (which we all know won't because you are going to vote against it and tell every living soul you know to do the same, right?). Please join us!

**VOTE on November 8th . . . NO on 102 !!**

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## Hot Dish at next meeting!

We need more of 'em. The edible kind, that is. We know its difficult to take the time to prepare something for the pot luck meeting but if you could we would really appreciate it.

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For the latest information on HTG, our activities, and much, much, more.

## Election Day

Watch the election day returns with your friends at the Billy DeFrank Center beginning at 9:00 p.m. on November 8th. There will be snacks and drink and a large screen tv to watch the action.



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## HTG Activities Calendar

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### HALLOWEEN PARTY SATURDAY OCTOBER 29

Maybe this will reach you before Oct. 29. If so, and you haven't already made your plans for Saturday evening, come join us for this year's edition of HTG's favorite event. Call Voicemail for directions.

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### ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE MEETING

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 8

Back to the Southland. The Activities Committee will meet at Steve and Phil's this month. We'd love to have you join us. Leave a message on Voicemail and we'll give you directions.

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### IRISH DINNER NIGHT THURSDAY NOVEMBER 3

We can probably accept more reservations until a day or two before this event, so leave a message if you want to go. There is a choice from four full dinners ranging from \$14.00 to \$17.50. The place is Stanley's at 2369 Winchester Blvd. between Camden and Campbell Ave.

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### LA CAGE AUX FOLLES SAN JOSE CIVIC LIGHT OPERA SUNDAY MATINEE NOVEMBER 6

I lose 10 points for accuracy. The DeFrank benefit performance is on Sunday evening, not at the same time as ours. But still, if you missed your chance to join us, call the Center at 293-AGAY to get tickets for their evening performance.

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### HTG MONTHLY MEETING SUNDAY NOVEMBER 13

The potluck begins at 6:30 PM. at the Billy DeFrank Community Center at 1040 Park Ave. in San Jose. Please bring a dish to share for the potluck! The business meeting will begin at 8:00, to be followed by our guest speakers at about 8:15. Our guest speakers will be from the Santa Clara County Health Department and AIDS Program. (See

detailed story elsewhere in newsletter.) A map to the Center is on the back page of the newsletter. See you on November 13

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### THE GREAT HIGH TECH GAYS CHICKEN LIVER AND BRUSSELS SPROUTS DINNER AND MOVIE NIGHT SATURDAY NOVEMBER 19

My heart is broken! I didn't check my calendar when the committee finally scheduled this event that we've been talking about for over a year. While you lucky people are at Lynn's enjoying a potluck of dishes featuring either chicken livers or brussels sprouts (or both?), I'll be suffering aboard the cruise ship *Song of America* somewhere in the Caribbean. Oh, woe is me!

If you are lucky enough to be here in Silicon Valley that night you can sign up for this stellar event at the November meeting. On the outside chance that you don't like the menu (really?), you can see Donna about going out for pizza.

If you just don't want to think about food at all, you can always just join in for HTG's first Movie Night. We plan to organize three different "viewing rooms" with a different theme for each.

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### DINNER AT CATS THURSDAY DECEMBER 1

Always a fun evening. We get the private room upstairs at this Los Gatos landmark roadhouse and have a blast. Sign up in November.

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### SOUTH TAHOE SKIING DECEMBER 2 - 4

We're renting two luxury lakefront villas for the weekend. There will be fireplaces, hot tubs, gourmet kitchens, TVs, washers and driers for those who get wet on the slopes, and we're organizing a group dinner for Saturday evening. The cost for the weekend will be \$75.00 for members, \$80.00 for guests. The first three couples with

full payment in will get the rooms with king or queen size beds. Call Voicemail or be at the November meeting to sign up.

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### TEDDY BEAR FACTORY AND TOY MUSEUM

SATURDAY DECEMBER 10

Sign up and get details at the November meeting.

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### THE 1940'S RADIO HOUR SAN JOSE REP

THURSDAY DECEMBER 15

It's Christmas, 1942. WW II. Times are tough but spirits are high as the harried producer does his best to keep the show together, as we are entertained by such songs as "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy," and "That Old Black Magic." Featured will be Holly Near. Tickets at \$15.00 will be available at the November meeting.

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### \*\*\* FUTURE EVENTS \*\*\*

Dates have been chosen for the following events with detailed plans to follow at future meetings.

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### MA RAINEY'S BLACK BOTTOM THEATREWORKS JANUARY

SKI TRIP II  
NORTH TAHOE  
JANUARY 13 - 15

SKI TRIP III  
INTERNATIONAL GAY SKI WEEK  
ASPEN, COLORADO  
JANUARY 21 - 29

GAME NIGHT  
SATURDAY FEBRUARY 4


SKI TRIP IV  
KIRKWOOD  
FEBRUARY 24 - 26

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### \*\*\* SVGMC \*\*\*

The Silicon Valley Gay Men's Chorus is now auditioning for their new season. They are seeking a few good men's voices. For more information call: (408) 578-7715.

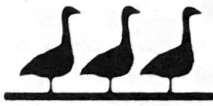
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