



Greetings fellow 351'ers. Above is just a sampling of our first batch of digitized photos from back in the day. We have over 100 of these which we will be making available on the web site (www.troop351.net) in some form, with another similarly sized batch to follow. For my money, the last photo captures the best Capture the Flag turf ever created.

Your Association board has been busy since our last newsletter. Over the holidays, we made contributions to the following organizations: Golden Gate Council James West Scholarship Fund, Samaritan House, City Youth Now, UNICEF Girl's Scholarship Fund, and the UNICEF KIND Fund (Kids in Need of Desks). As always, we are hoping to hear from you with suggestions for causes to contribute to in the next cycle.

Now that COVID is behind us, we are aiming for a reunion gathering in late October or early November, probably a weekend lunch, possibly at the Irish Cultural Center in the Sunset. We will have more information after the next board meeting in June.

In the meantime, we are going to institute a new gathering tradition for those of us that are still in the Bay Area. Call it the **Third Thursday lunch**. The idea is to have a set date on the calendar so that everyone knows that if you have the time and the interest, there will be a location booked for as many as want to join. The first lunch is planned for Thursday May 18 at the Basque Cultural VCenter in South San Francisco. If you're interested, send an acknowledgement to jlwiener@aol.com. We will send out a reminder conformation a few days before the lunch.

We recently received a very generous contribution from one-time horseman par excellence Paul Taylor. After matriculating at the Julliard School in New York, his career path eventually brought him to Europe, where he now resides in Switzerland. In addition to a number of orchestral directorships, he also created the Paul Taylor OrCHEstra, which has both recorded and performed in Europe. You can find more information at <http://www.paultaylororchestra.ch/>. He asked to send his best wishes to some of his close friends from the troop.

That's all for now. Don't forget to check out the web site - www.troop351.net – and if you are so inclined, throw a few coins in the fountain.