

Yes, folks, Lou really is that old... AND WELCOME TO THE 30th ANNUAL MIDWESTCON!

June 22-24, 1979

CFG MEMBERS

- Sid Altus
- Mike Banks
- Rosa Banks
- Mary Ann Beam
- Ray Beam
- Ric Beraman
- Bill Bowers (first obligatory mention)
- Don Carter
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- Tanya Curry
- Marla Gold
- Michaela Hahn
- Lin Hawkins
- Nathan Hawkins
- Vicki Imburgia
- Frank Johnson
- Margaret Keifer
- Mike Lalor
- Denise Parsley Leigh
- Stephen Leigh
- Bea Mahaffey
- Art Metzger
- Ruth Parker
- Mike Resnick
- Carol Resnick
- Lou Tabakow (resident Dictator)
- Mary Tabakow (Dictator-sitter)
- Phil Tabakow (Asst. Dictator-sitter)
- Dale Tarr
- George Wagner
- Joel Zakem

...and this year it is PHIL TABAKOW -- continuing the traditions of his family -- that will take your proffered \$5.00. Such a small fee to introduce you to so many wonders! You may empty the contents of your wallet in RUSTY HEVELIN's Huckster Room; exercise your critical faculties, marvel at the talent displayed, and exclaim in disgust at the CFG's only Detroit member's velvet paintings in the Art Show -- run by MARLA GOLD (famous short person) and TANYA CURRY (former printer and future farmer); and sheepishly admit that you too slept through the films at the GEORGE WAGNER All Night Film Festival and Taco Stand (GWANFFATS)

...there is the famous MIDWESTCON programming, which consists entirely of the Annual Lou Tabakow Ugsome Speech (ALTUS) and which will begin sometime Thursday night and continue through early Monday morning. Other than the ALTUS, you might be interested in the...

...MIDWESTCON BANQUET. For those with a cast-iron stomach. It's not the food, you understand, but simply the fact that Lou will no doubt feel compelled to stand up and say a few words (we only wish it were a few words) in the Banquet Sequence of the ALTUS. We have Derek Carter's announcement of 1978, which will serve for this year: "Yes, folks, once again it's the 'famous' Lou Tabakow smorgasbord Banquet, consisting of Country Fried Chicken, Swiss Steak, peas, mushrooms, and the usual assortment of salads, topped off with strawberry shortcake. All this plus Lou being served last for the magnificent sum of \$7.50." c 1978 by Derek Carter. We can use that spiel this year because the same food will be offered again. Take that as you will. Plan on being there (or being far away) at 7pm Saturday. Once again, banquet tickets are limited, so first come... FREE BEER AT THE BANQUET!

...don't miss BOB TUCKER following the banquet. Easily the most appetizing item on the menu.

...Bill Bowers (obligatory mention #2). Mike Glicksohn (first obligatory mention).

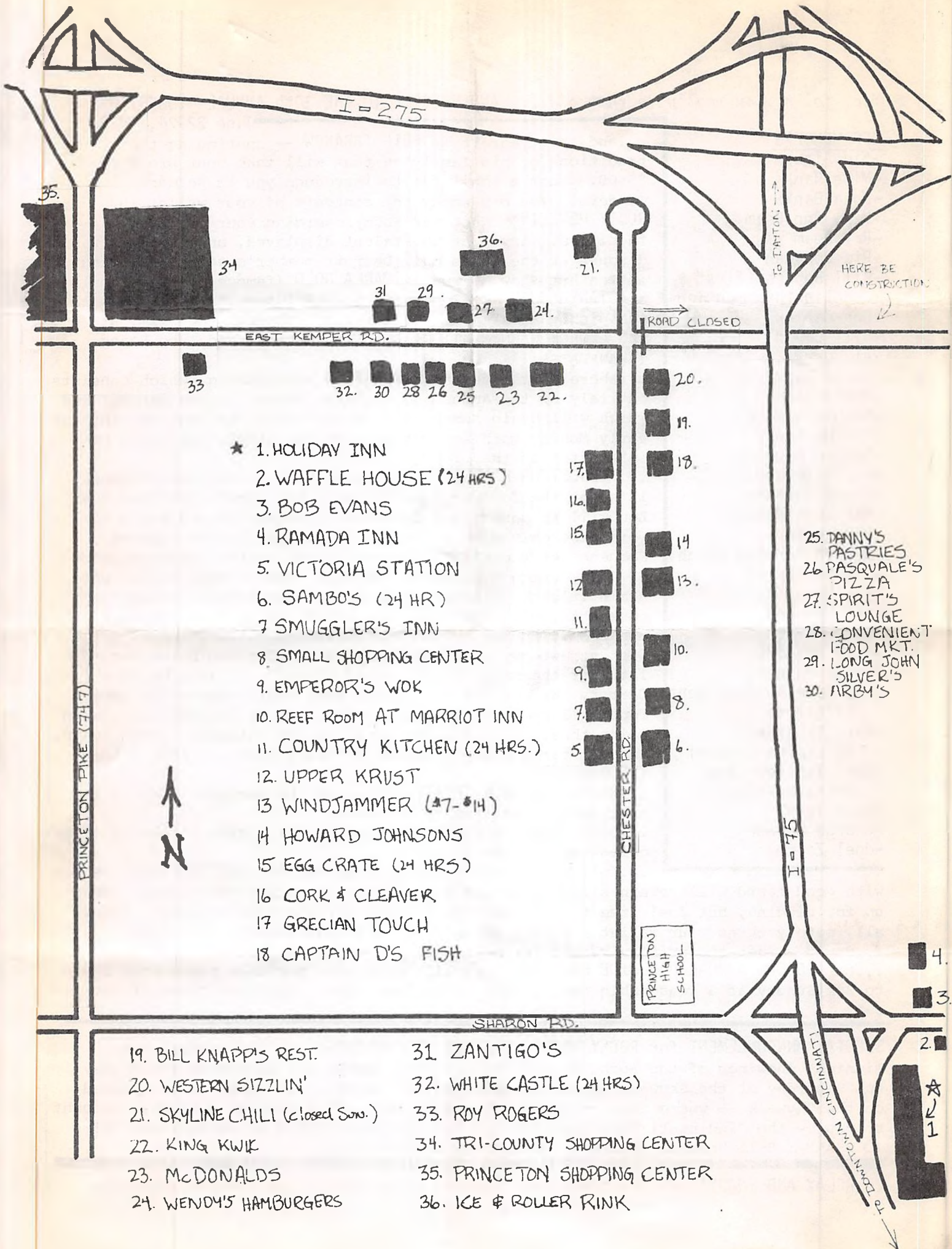
...following the banquet will be the ART AUCTION (AA). Those with good taste will remain silent when the Annual Sid Altus Cast-Off (ASACO) comes up for bidding, but feel free to part with your money for the rest -- money, after all, merely turns your wallet a sickly green and Art Is Investment. Ask Sid.

...don't forget the primary reason for being here -- the PARTIES!

...the SECOND ANNUAL POOLSIDE BRUNCH (SAPB) will once more not take place from 10am to 2pm Sunday at a reasonable price. Just like last year. Don't be there if you can.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT for ROCKY HORROR *PRETINS* AFICIONADOS: at the present time, midnight showings of the Rocky Horror Picture Show (RHPS) are scheduled for Friday and Saturday at the Skywalk Cinema in downtown Cincinnati. The theatre is located on the Skywalk -- where else -- at 22 convention Way. This message once more brought to you by the Cincinnati Committee for the Preservation of Sid Altus-Approved Films (CCPSAAF); Bill Bowers, Chairman (obligatory mention #3).

...RELAX AND ENJOY! -- the Cincinnati Fantasy Group (CFG); Lou Tabakow, Dictator.



- ★ 1. HOLIDAY INN
- 2. WAFFLE HOUSE (24 HRS)
- 3. BOB EVANS
- 4. RAMADA INN
- 5. VICTORIA STATION
- 6. SAMBO'S (24 HR)
- 7. SMUGGLER'S INN
- 8. SMALL SHOPPING CENTER
- 9. EMPEROR'S WOK
- 10. REEF ROOM AT MARRIOTT INN
- 11. COUNTRY KITCHEN (24 HRS.)
- 12. UPPER KRUST
- 13. WINDJAMMER (#7-#14)
- 14. HOWARD JOHNSONS
- 15. EGG CRATE (24 HRS)
- 16. CORK & CLEAVER
- 17. GRECIAN TOUCH
- 18. CAPTAIN D'S FISH

- 25. DANNY'S PASTRIES
- 26. PASQUALE'S PIZZA
- 27. SPIRIT'S LOUNGE
- 28. CONVENIENT FOOD MKT.
- 29. LONG JOHN SILVER'S
- 30. ARBY'S

- 19. BILL KNAPP'S REST.
- 20. WESTERN SIZZLIN'
- 21. SKYLINE CHILI (closed Sun.)
- 22. KING KWIK
- 23. McDONALDS
- 24. WENDY'S HAMBURGERS
- 31. ZANTIGO'S
- 32. WHITE CASTLE (24 HRS)
- 33. ROY ROGERS
- 34. TRI-COUNTY SHOPPING CENTER
- 35. PRINCETON SHOPPING CENTER
- 36. ICE & ROLLER RINK

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