

Report of the Executive Secretary / Treasurer

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Help! I've STILL got a problem!

I received a membership renewal in the mail early this year which got separated from the envelope. It is a Mastercard renewal. The person who sent it copied the back side of the letter and I don't have the name and address printed on the front. The name written on the back looks like "C. Mark - sons." I can't find anyone in my database with a name close to that. I believe the person is from outside the United States, but I'm not sure. If you are that person, or think you know the person, please contact me so I can renew the membership.

Are you having trouble accessing IDRS online?

Many e-mails come in each month asking for help in accessing the "members only" section online. I have instructions for correcting this problem. Go to: www.idrs.org/access.denied.html If this does not help, please contact our webmaster Yoshi Ishikawa - ishikawa@spot.colorado.edu.

I'm sorry but I don't have the knowledge to handle problems with the IDRS website.

Attachments

Another online problem seems to be attachments. I know that the IDRS-L has requested that you not send attachments to the list. I'm also asking that you not send me attachments unless you let me know ahead of time. With all the viruses attacking computers worldwide, I don't want to end up a victim. I will not open an attached file unless you inform me in advance to expect one.

Not TOO busy.

Things always seem to be busy here in your IDRS office. Many requests for various things come in, dues payments are being processed on a daily basis, preparations are being made for the next 3 conferences, and exhibitors are being lined up for the Buenos Aires conference. I'm busy, but I'm not too busy to get out in my new red, MR2 Spyder convertible sports car once in a while for a spin through the countryside. All work and no play. . .

Getting Ready

I trust that all of you who will be attending the conference in Buenos Aires, have gotten all your plans made. I'm sure you are as excited as I am about the wonderful conference Andrea Merenzon is arranging. There will be lots of reports on the goings on at the conference in our next issue. Be on the lookout. Isn't it wonderful that we can be a society bringing people from all over the world together to share ideas, inspiration and beautiful music. ❖