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## June, 2008 Newsletter

### â€œtâ€™s Summer â€œ Rent â€œem up!â€

The web page for the past Mobile meeting is now:  
<http://www.alabamassa.org/pastmeetings.htm>

This newsletter report will soon reside in our  
â€œmembers-onlyâ€ pages section, where previous  
newsletters can be found. For new members, go there and

update yourself on past happenings.

Stuart LaGroue and M.D. Smith have just completed updating and purging records of past members who have not renewed. For this reason, we will be changing the password one more time this year, as of the writing, try our NEW password which is â€œstorage2008â€. The name is still â€œmember.â€ (**write this info down**) Approximately 18 of you are getting this email newsletter for the first time, and 25 old members are not, having not paid for 2008 and been deleted. You will also be getting a MAILED copy of this newsletter. Let someone know if you don't get one in the mail.

This summer is pretty quiet for meetings and happenings. October is a big month, kicking off on the 1<sup>st</sup>, with our Huntsville State Meeting. The next week, ISS meets in Nashville at Opryland Hotel, and the middle of the month is the Myrtle Beach Conference and meeting. All links and detailed info can be had from our home page, <http://www.alabamassa.org/> .

### **Mobile Meeting: At the Q&A session we talked about local lunches:**

1. Plan to have a lunch locally in your city or town this summer. If you DO get a non-member to join you and you pitch becoming a member, ALSSA will pay for the guest's lunch. You send the ticket and report of the meeting to Stuart LaGroue and he will reimburse you. You can print a copy the member sign up form thatâ€™s on the internet and take a few with you. Enjoy lunch wherever you choose, and talk about the benefits of being a member of ALSSA. I wish you would email me the details of the lunch as well, so I can put some of it in the newsletter. PLEASE have at least ONE lunch with at least ONE prospective member. YOU can help us grow.

Next year, our EXPO '09 (<http://www.alabamassa.org/expo-09.htm>) will be in **MONTGOMERY**, at the **Renaissance Montgomery Hotel & Spa at the Convention Center**. This new location will be a big change for us, but we are really expecting a major event, and thanks to Ben Terrell for serving as the Expo Chairman again for 2009. Visit this link to this brand new, wonderful location for the Expo.

Regards,

M.D. Smith, President

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