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SILC News

A publication of the
Samutprakarn International Ladies Club

From the President.....

President's Report

Happy New Year to all our members and their families.

Festivities were of course overshadowed by the dreadful tsunami disaster. At least one SILC member and her family had a very narrow escape and most of us personally know families within the community who have suffered loss. Such personal contact serves to make the horror real and leaves us all with a spiritual bond with the many thousands of families in the region who have suffered.

With that firmly in mind the appropriateness of holding the New Year party was brought into question. After intensive discussion and consultation with those most affected we decided to go ahead with it and turn it into a fund raiser for the victims and their families. SILC members raised a fantastic sum of money – around 570,000 Baht in just the one evening at the New Year party on 8 January. Thank you to all those who contributed for your enormous generosity. The party – to which I was unfortunately unable to attend as I was on a plane back from the UK at the time it was held – was a great success, as you will read from the report inside. Many thanks to Olivia, her team and special thanks to Olivia's husband Keith and all our sponsors for their generosity and help.

The committee is working hard to find the best purpose to donate the money. We have decided:

- All the money should go to southern Thailand
- To support a village or community that is not in receipt of any or much aid from other organizations
- To find a specific project, such as rebuilding or re-equipping a school or some other project that will benefit the entire community

We are exploring a number of suggestions, if anyone has any likely contacts do please let any of the committee know.

If any member unable to attend the party would like to contribute to the fund please contact Maoliosa or any committee member.

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Diary Dates

Tuesday 1st February
Lunch
Fogo Vivo
Hotel Intercontinental

Tuesday 8th Feb
Coffee Morning
Lorraine Illing's
Ladawan

Thursday 17th Feb
Evening Meeting
Thai History
Sue Davies'
Garden Towers

Tuesday 2nd March
Coffee Morning
Maolisa's
Lakeside 2

Thursday 17th March
St Patrick's Night Out

SILC AGM
May 2005

**Deadline for next
issue:
day 18th
February
Send
contributions to:
silcnews@hotmail.
com**

President's report Continued

The committee has now finalised the Bazaar accounts and I can report that we made over 153,000 Baht, which may be a SILC record. The proceeds will be distributed as follows:

FORDEC (for running costs for Mahawong School):	80,000
Soi San Phlu (for re-establishing the community following the fire):	20,000
THEP (for Hilltribe village school projects):	20,000
The Home School, Kanchanaburi (for disadvantaged/orphaned children):	20,000
Hilltribe Sewing Project (a new project set up by SILC Member Angela Fowles):	10,000

The balance of around 3,500 Baht will be held in reserve for local welfare projects as required.

Looking ahead, with Chinese New Year just around the corner some of our activities have a Chinese flavour. I hope some of the activities we have on offer appeal to you and look forward to seeing you all again soon and to meeting new members.

Linda.

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Committee Meeting Highlights

New Year Party Report

Party was a great success. Approx. THB 580K was raised. It was agreed that the money should

1. Stay In Thailand
2. Be donated to a 'small' project

A Sub-Committee was formed to research and report back to rest of Committee on how to best spend the funds.

Membership Report

Membership now up to 117 with more people still interested.

Bazaar Report

Final profit from Bazaar THB178K
Money will be spent as previously indicated plus 20,000THB for Orphanage in Kanchanaburi. Angela Fowles has indicated that she will need 10,000 THB for her sewing machine project. This will be given as previously agreed.

NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday 8th February 2005
Jane Wise's Ladawan

WELFARE OFFICER NEEDED

If you are interested in helping with the Welfare projects SILC supports and would like to act as the Voice of Welfare at our monthly committee mornings to make sure that communication between those doing the work and those giving the money and support flows freely

Please contact:
Linda: 02 336 0965

E-Mail Notices

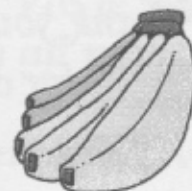
SILC sends e-mail notices to SILC members as reminders of forthcoming events.

If you are not receiving these and would like to be included on the mailing list (undisclosed recipient format) send an e-mail to: lindaful@loxinfo.co.th

Change collection for Fruit



Every month we collect small change collection at all SILC functions held in member's homes to fund fruit for pre-school children. So clean out your hand bags and find all those coins that get into little places and bring them along. It only costs us 300 Baht per month to provide 80 children with fruit every day so even if you only have 2 or 3 baht it really does help!



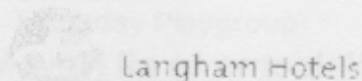
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*Thank you so much to Jacque Kirkham and her volunteers
for organizing the raffle draw for the evening.*

*And to all the members and friends for
their participation and generosity.*

THANK YOU TO ALL THE SPONSORS AND SUCCESSFUL
BIDDERS WHO HELPED MAKE THE AUCTION A
RESOUNDING SUCCESS



Etihad Airways for upgrading the prize to **2 FIRST CLASS** return tickets to London
Langham Hotel London for upgrading to **5 nights SUITE** accommodation inclusive
of breakfast and evening cocktails

Mr. Arunagiri Manikam for supporting the event and making the winning bid



Thai AirAsia for **2 return tickets to Phuket** and extending the expiry date till end of March 2005
Jiva Resort & Spa for upgrading to **3 nights JUNIOR SUITE** accommodation inclusive of breakfast
Mr. Gerald Dibbayawan for supporting the event and making the winning bid



Philippine Airlines for **one return ticket to Manila**
Westin Philippine Plaza Resort & Hotel for upgrading to **3 nights accommodation** for two in
a deluxe room inclusive of breakfast

Mrs. Annette Gerlach for supporting the event and making the winning bid.

*Many thanks also to the Three-legged Beatles and VIC & Amy
for donating extra time and keeping us dancing all night.*

*A special thanks to Mr. Keith Hardie for being an effective
and seemingly experienced auctioneer.*

Membership Update

If you know anyone that may be interested in joining SILC please ask them to contact

Maria Thompson
Membership
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Welcome to all New Members this month.
The more the merrier!

PLEASE NOTE THAT 2 ADDITIONAL PAGES FOR YOUR DIRECTORIES ARE INCLUDED IN THIS MONTHS FLYERS—DON'T THROW THEM AWAY!

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Regular Events

Golf

Every Thursday morning; alternating Samutprakarn courses. Newcomers welcome.

Contact:

Annette Gerlach: 02 336 0895

Tennis

Fridays at 7:30 am.

Contact:

Judi Blackhurst: 09 813 6597

Scrapbooking

Do your photos of Thailand accumulate faster than you can put them into albums? If you'd like to join a very informal group of ladies who regularly meet to scrapbook.

Contact:

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Mah-jong

Mah-jong takes place on Wednesdays from approx 9 am until 12 noon in members' homes.

Contact:

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Thursday Playgroup

A casual group of moms & kids (baby — preschool) who meet weekly in each other's homes (along Bangna Trad & Srinakarin). Newcomers Welcome!

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This is a number that enables friends and family
to call you from the UK for just 1p per minute

The number is 0844 8615615 (at no extra cost), apparently you have to call this number first and then tell them which number you wish to call, I believe then you are connected. The cost of the call will appear on your BT telephone bill.

(note only applies to those with a BT line).

SILC Member's parents use it all the time and it really is 1p per minute!!!!

Organisation of the Club

SILC creates an opportunity for women of all nationalities living in the Samutprakarn area to meet socially and participate in a variety of activities without travelling into Bangkok. We invite members to join monthly meetings, tours and interest groups. Members pay an annual fee of 500 Baht to cover costs and receive a newsletter and club directory.

Newsletter

The newsletter is published ten times a year with articles and information on club activities. Contributions are welcome and can be sent to the newsletter editor.

Committee Meetings

These are held once a month and are open to all members. Please inform the meeting hostess if you wish to attend.

SILC Policy on Children

As the main purpose of SILC is to provide a network and support for its members, it is our policy that children do not attend functions and tours, except in the case of very young babies who are being breastfed and/or cannot be left with a carer. Members with babies, toddlers and children are invited to join regular playgroups advertised in the SILC newsletter and special family activities. Details of contact names and numbers can be found in the newsletter.

February Events



CELEBRATE THE CHINESE NEW YEAR 2005

Anna Lai will be explaining the Chinese customs and cultures, the do's and don't for our Chinese New Year

**Tuesday 8th February
at Lorraine Illing's home
25/14 Soi 1/1, Moobaan Ladawan
Srinakarin Road**

Tel: Jacque: 079171580
023164160
or Lorraine: 019214106

**Please bring along a dish
and hope to see you there.**



SILC EVENING EVENT THURSDAY 17TH FEBRUARY

Come and share some company whilst listening to our President, wearing her other 'hat' as a National Museum Volunteer (NMV).

**Linda Fullerton will provide a
brief history of Thailand.**

Venue: Sue Davies Home
11A South Tower
Garden Towers

Time: 7.30pm

Please bring snacks or wine to share

RSVP: Sue 02-751 9876
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BRAZILIAN LUNCH

DATE; FEBRUARY 1ST.

TIME ; 12 NOON

**VENUE ; 'FOGO VIVO'
HOTEL INTERCONTINENTAL BANGKOK.**

TEL: 02 656 0384
973 Ploenchit Rd. Chit Lom

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YOU WILL DEFINITELY WANT TO GO BACK!

PLEASE NOTE THAT A LA CARTE IS NOT AVAILABLE AT LUNCH.

SEE YOU THERE!!

RSVP SHARLINI 02 398 91 96
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Christmas Coffee Morning

Christmas somehow seems so very long ago. I have definite expectations of the season (or... is that the expectations of my 5 children??) but found it hard to begin this year. I have adjusted to tropical Christmas celebrations, and my fake tree, but the season still needs more than those horrid renditions of carols played over and over (and over) at certain local stores.... so where to find the Christmas spirit this year? At the SILC Coffee Morning, course!

I have to confess that I haven't made time to attend many of the Coffees in recent times. Having dragged my husband throughout Central in search of the perfect Secret Santa gift however, I was required follow through and to go to December event. And what did I find? Friendly faces and happy conversation, and an over abundance of tasty food, of course!



There was also relief in learning that I had misread the description of the morning, that I would not be required to join in a carol sing-a-long (and I am certain my friends were even more relieved that I would not be singing!). Jacque had arranged for some lovely young women from the Fatima Self-Help Centre to entertain us.

Unfortunately, SILC numbers were few, and we barely outnumbered the performers. We all felt bad about this, especially because they were so cheerful and did a wonderful job. Their renditions of familiar carols set the perfect mood for the holiday season. The crowning achievement was their dance to Jingle Bells. I believe it is a new Christmas tradition! And yes, their lovely voices carried the day over the soft accompaniment of SILC ladies who couldn't restrain themselves from singing along.

Most of the handicrafts produced at Fatima Centre are sold through parties and other small events. The program, in existence for over 20 years, encourages young girls and women to escape the cycle of poverty and exploitation, and to become self-sufficient through producing handicrafts and education. SILC members bought a few items, then we took up a collection to support their work.

After sending the carollers in to partake of the feast, SILC members headed off for the most serious part of the morning: the gift exchange. After a very unclear explanation of the rules, it was time for everyone to take their chances. Do I want to take a risk on this unmarked parcel or do I covet that - over there - the one you just unwrapped and were hoping to take home? Ha Ha Ho Ho. Definitely the Christmas season, for the hottest item was a set of adorable holiday elves. In the end, everyone had a gift as well as detailed directions as to where exactly to purchase their own elves at Central.

As I look back over the last long two months, and at the Christmas season which ended so tragically, I have a smile for the girls from Fatima. They brought good cheer to us, for which I thank them.

Many thanks also to Jacque for organizing a lovely morning. With a promise to make it more often, and a hope that you will join me,

Terry O'Donnell Parsons

January Reviews

January Coffee Morning and H₂O Beauty Tips

Our illustrious MEO, (**M**orning **E**vents **O**rganiser) Jacque had organized a unique surprise for us recently at Tess Needham's home at Lakeside II.

Most of us arrived expecting, coffee, camaraderie and a chat to catch up after the holidays.

However, Kuhn Chuyot and his helpful team from **H2O+ Cosmetics** had other plans. We were all soon sitting along the table facing each other, worse, smack bang in front was a very truthful face mirror. Soon we were decked out in huge bibs, thick hairbands, hair pulled back and ready for the team to work their magic!

We learnt that the '*good things*' like moisturizers and masks were to be placed on our faces in an upward and outward fashion. The '*bad things*' that we didn't want to '*stick*' were to be '*away*' from our face.



Guess Who?

I had a sneaking suspicion that some of the gang had been tipped off.

A few wandered in quite late and were very eager to provide some honest input about our new looks, i.e., barefaced as the day we were born!

Others feigned prior lunch dates and just couldn't or wouldn't take off their pastels, although his Staff did a good job of trying to get them to participate!

There were quite a few strenuous hand motions waiving due to the face masks setting. Funny sights when our eyes had dollops of cream in place, or sliding off, which ever came first. Don't know what the cosmetic staff thought of us all having heaps of laughs, a few good stories and unfortunately, some photos floating around.

To keep names and faces out of the newsletter, all donations will be kindly accepted by the Editor I am informed!

The end results were for our Partners to approve/disapprove or would they even notice, that we had been cleansing, slopping and slapping on all morning!

Everyone in general agreed, that if it took that long to take off the warpaint, how much time we were to spend applying the damn stuff in the first place!

Thanks to Jacque and Tess for hosting; H2O+ for their gift bags and patience and to everyone who came along.

For those that didn't we will see you in a few years time for a 'face off'!

Lorina Swindley

January Reviews continued



Sharon, Ros and Sue pre Chocolate Pudding!

POT LUCK LUNCH GARDEN TOWERS

friday 14th jan was a nice cool and breezy day which saw a group of us ladies from silc gather for the usual lunch date. speaking for myself as a tenant at garden towers it was no great effort no car journey for me!

the `potluck` theme was its usual deceiving self because we ultimately ended up eating a rather `sumptuous buffet` with an international theme which included deserts ... chocolate pudding forever!!

the poolside surroundings at garden towers were very comfortable and our own waiter just topped the occasion off.

i'd like to thank the ladies on my table for the interesting conversations and in particular jacque kirkham for her amusing `interludes`! see jacque for details because i dont `kiss & tell`

thanks to everyone who contributed to the lavish array of home made dishes and thanks to garden towers for their contribution of pad thai and satays.

we of course ended up with far too much food and i suspect there to be a few grateful recipients of it after school that afternoon!

very grateful thanks goes to maria thompson who did a grand job of hosting and to sharlini colin-thome our lunch organiser.

a very enjoyable afternoon
encore!!

sharon gretton



Almost another Committee Meeting

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers Needed to help at the pre-schools supported by SILC. Any help will be of great benefit underprivileged children.
Contact: Julie Heather 02 385 8133

Contact:
Linda Fullerton 02 336 0965
Julie Heather 02 385 8133

**ALL EVENTS ARE
SUBJECT TO CHANGE
PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR
ATTENDANCE WITH
THE RELEVANT CONTACT.**

OH WHAT A NIGHT!

After the tragic events of 26th December it was with much soul searching and frantic telephone conversations that the decision was taken to go ahead with the SILC New Year Party. In hindsight if it had been cancelled we would have missed out on what, I personally thought, was one of the best nights out for some time and the fantastic opportunity to raise money for those affected by the Tsunami. Despite worries that many would not want to party, the opposite occurred and people were given the chance to celebrate life. From a financial stand point I do not think any SILC event has ever raised 580,000 Baht.

As if it was an omen for the evening ahead even Bangkok's unpredictable traffic was on our side and we arrived before the bar was officially open however, with a bit of prompting and help from Westin Grande GM Keith Hardie - not for the last time that night - we were soon supplied with a variety of cocktails to whet our appetites for the night to come.

The dress code had been changed to smart casual which suited many who were slightly uneasy about the timing of the event. That said some ladies still arrived in outfits befitting the 'stars' and they looked beautiful.

Lorina started the night with an eloquent speech and thought provoking silence. We then had the privilege to listen to Lars Ydmark - GM of Jiva Resort & Spa Phuket who told of his experiences on the day of the Tsunami and the days that followed. I think for many us the reality of this disaster is still hard to grasp but Lars spoke wonderfully and it was hard not to be moved by his words.

Then the time came to put grief to one side, eat, drink and make merry. The buffet was fantastic and the Westin staff efficiently and happily accommodated the many requests for more wine and the occasional soft drink.

We were treated to some wonderful music from Vic & Amy and the strangely familiar Three-legged Beatles, oh how we danced and danced and danced!

The fund raising part of the night began in earnest with the auction of what had initially been the 3 top raffle prizes. If any members had been worried about how much money we would raise doing this their fears were soon put aside - although my husband just about passed out when I bid 200,000 Baht for the trip to London. That figure was well surpassed and many thanks go to all those who bid and especially Arunagiri Manikam -I hope he and Mala have a wonderful trip.

Jacque Kirkham and her raffle ladies did an amazing job, although with the theme of the night I do not think many were struggling to open their wallets.

Many thanks to all who worked so hard, especially Olivia and Jacque. I had a fabulous night although getting out of bed on Sunday morning after only 3 hours sleep was not quite so fabulous. Plans are already afoot for next year and plans are in motion for spending all that money.

HAPPY NEW YEAR AND THANK YOU

Jane Wise



Who were these Mysterious Men?? - Karen likes them anyway.

Events at Neilson Hays...

At the Rotunda



"Recurrence - Thailand Paintings"

Art Exhibition
by
Christine Falk

1st - 27th February 2005

Opening event 1st February, 7 pm

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Rotunda Gallery, Neilson Hays Library
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Dennis W. Shepherd

RESPECTING WARRIORS WHILE NOT PROMOTING WAR -

The Writing of Returning Son

Thursday 10th February
10 - 11.30 am

Neilson Hays Library
195 Surawong Road, Bangkok

tel. 02-233-1731

Author of *Returning Son*, resident of Lexington, Kentucky and employed by the Office of the Attorney General. This morning will be based along addressing how he created the story about 3 wars: Vietnam, Iraq, and the war of human emotions for loved ones back home. The book will be used to explain the creative process, how he used photographs to illustrate the story, and how he developed a biography/memoir, as well as picture of the post-9/11 world.

Some Giggles . . .



BABIES: Child 1, child 2, child 3

Your Clothes

- 1st baby: You begin wearing maternity clothes as soon as your OB/GYN confirms your pregnancy.
- 2nd baby: You wear your regular clothes for as long as possible.
- 3rd baby: Your maternity clothes ARE your regular clothes.

Preparing for the Birth

- 1st: You practice your breathing religiously.
- 2nd: You don't bother practising because you remember that last time, breathing didn't work.
- 3rd: You ask for an epidural in your 8th month.

The Layette

- 1st: You pre-wash your newborn's clothes, colour-coordinate them, and fold them neatly in the baby's little bureau.
- 2nd: You check to make sure that the clothes are clean and discard only the ones with the darkest stains.
- 3rd: Boys can wear pink, can't they?

Worries

- 1st: At the first sign of distress—a whimper or a frown you pick up the baby.
- 2nd: You pick the baby up when her wails threaten to wake your firstborn.
- 3rd: You teach your 3-year-old how to rewind the mechanical swing.

Pacifier

- 1st: If the pacifier falls on the floor, you put it away until you can go home and wash and boil it.
- 2nd: When it falls on the floor, you squirt it off with some juice from the baby's bottle.
- 3rd: You wipe it off on your shirt and pop it back in.

Nappies

- 1st: You change them every hour, whether they need it or not.
- 2nd: You change their nappy every 2 to 3 hours, if needed.
- 3rd: You try to change their nappy before others start to complain about the smell or you see it sagging to their knees.

Activities

- 1st: You take your infant to Baby Gymnastics, BabySwing, and Baby Story Hour.
- 2nd: You take your infant to Baby Gymnastics.
- 3rd: You take your infant to the supermarket and the dry cleaner.

Going Out

- 1st: The first time you leave your baby with a sitter, you call home 5 times.
- 2nd: Just before you walk out the door, you remember to leave a number where you can be reached.
- 3rd: You leave instructions for the sitter to call only if she sees blood.

At Home

- 1st: You spend a good bit of every day just gazing at the baby.
- 2nd: You spend a bit of everyday watching to be sure your older child isn't squeezing, poking, or hitting the baby.
- 3rd: You spend a little bit of every day hiding from the children.

Swallowing Coins

- 1st: when first child swallows a coin, you rush the child to the hospital and demand x-rays.
- 2nd: when 2nd child swallows a coin, you carefully watch for coin to pass.
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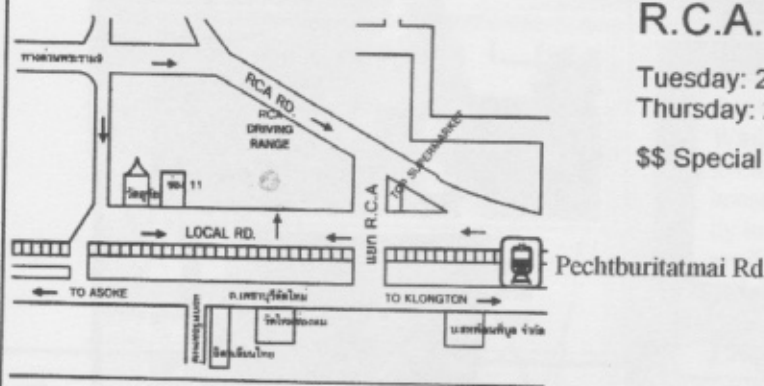
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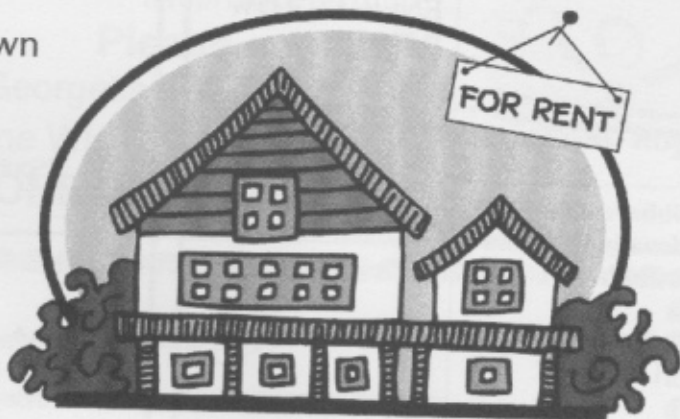
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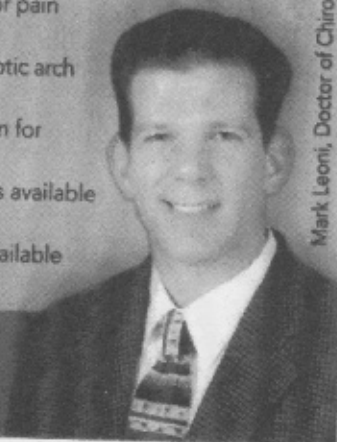


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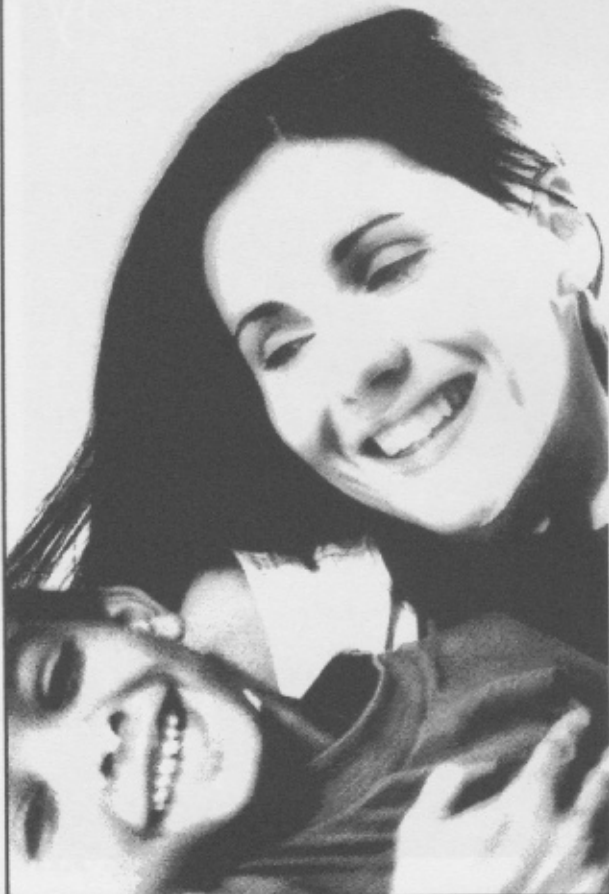
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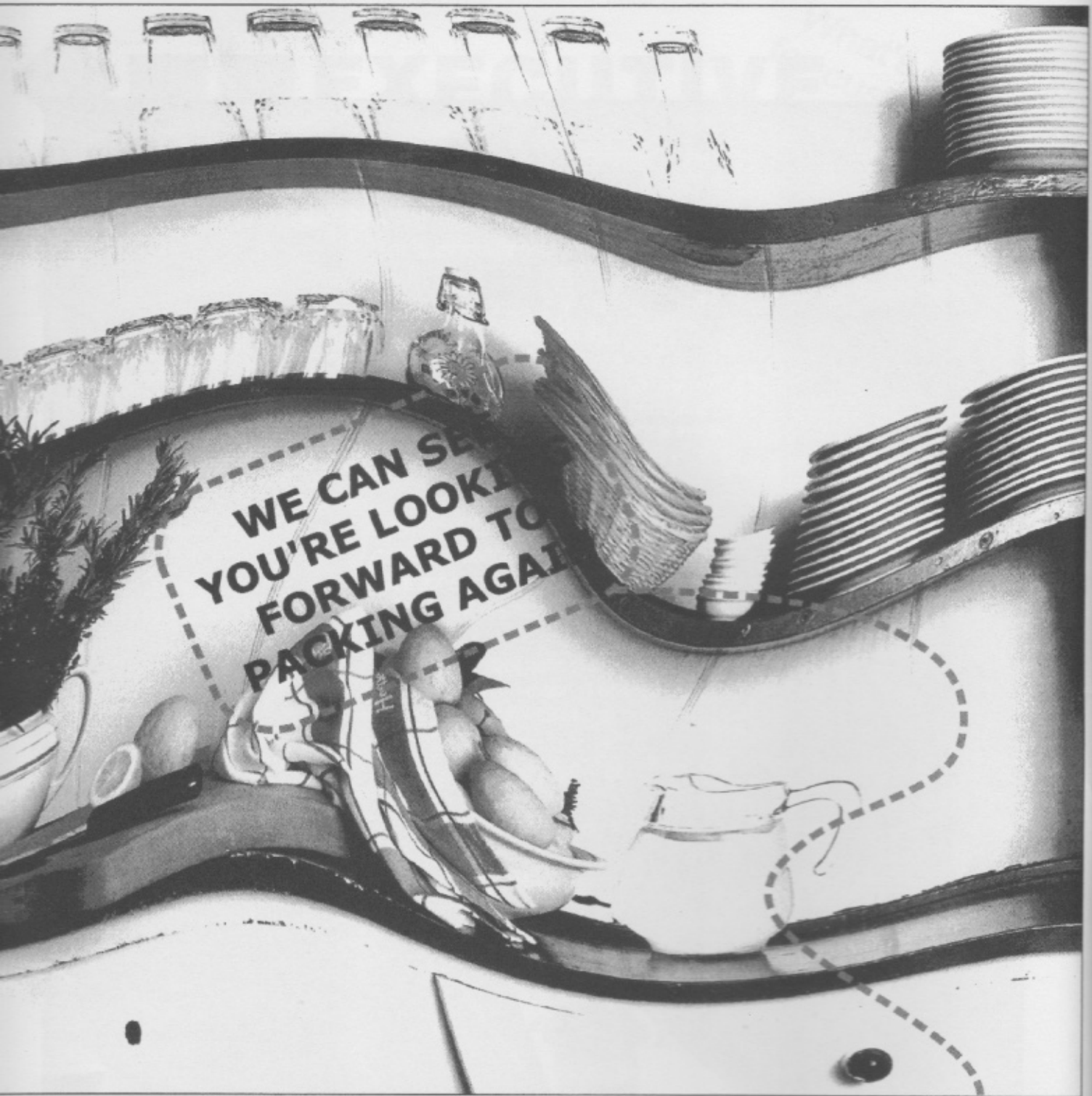


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