

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE GROUP OF NEW YORK

STATEMENT OF POLICY

This organization takes the following position regarding Unidentified Flying Objects:

1. The phenomena commonly referred to as "flying saucers" or "UFO's" are real objects. While a large percentage of reported sightings have undoubtedly represented misinterpretations of conventional objects, errors of fact or observation, and in some cases deliberate inventions, there are also a great many reports from reliable and qualified observers that cannot be dismissed as nonsense.
2. The behavior of these objects gives strong evidence that they may be of extraterrestrial origin.
3. The most useful activity that can be undertaken by this group as a whole is to collect and study factual material about the saucers: that is, reports of sightings, either written or oral, from responsible and competent witnesses, together with theories regarding their origin and nature that are reasonably consistent with science and technology in their present stages.
4. The work of the group will be directed primarily toward explanations based on natural rather than supernatural premises. The group does not deny that "occult" aspects of the subject may have validity, but it feels that research along these lines is not appropriate for the organization as a whole.
5. So far, the evidence regarding "personal contacts" with extraterrestrials, which have been reported by some individuals, is incomplete and not sufficiently conclusive to justify study by the organization as a whole.

June, 1954

June 4, 1954

INTELLIGENCE  
CIVILIAN SAUCER INVESTIGATION GROUP

New York, N. Y.

Temporary Committee on Organization

This informal committee has been appointed to act as a clearing house for members' ideas about the organization of the CSIG. During the summer of 1954 the committee plans to consider various questions about the set-up of the Group, in order to make recommendations to the membership, at a meeting early in the fall, about the constitution and by-laws, committees, activities, plans, etc.

Please get in touch with any member or members of this committee if you have suggestions, recommendations, or just opinions of any kind about the organization and work of the Group.

Ted Bloecher  
317 East 83rd Street  
New York City  
Tel. (home): TR 9-3099

Marty Meyerson  
67-90 Groton Street  
Forest Hills, Long Island  
Tel. (home): BO 8-3641  
(bus.): HO 5-0480

Miss Isabel L. Davis  
67 Jane Street  
New York 14  
Tel. (home): CH 3-6021  
(bus.): OR 5-2700, ext. 8

Harold Oksenkrug  
2070 Powell Avenue  
Bronx, New York  
Tel. (home): TA 9-4930  
(bus.): LA 7-6700

Mrs. Marilyn Feifer  
1239 Mace Avenue  
Bronx 69, New York  
Tel. (home): OL 4-6804

Important: Have you sent in the questionnaire about proposed Group activities? If not, please send it to Ted Bloecher ASAP.

PLEASE FILL OUT AND RETURN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO: Ted Bloecher, 317 East 83rd St.  
New York City

In order to plan a constructive and interesting program for the CSIG and its members, we should like to know what you personally would like to have the club do. The following list shows some of the specific activities that have been suggested. Please indicate by Yes or No in Column A whether you think each of these activities would be appropriate and feasible for the club to undertake as part of its planned program. Please indicate your own personal interests by Yes or No in Column B - that is, whether each activity would be of special interest to you, whether you would want to take part in it, or could contribute toward carrying it out. For more information about any activity, call Mr. Bloecher, TR 9-3099. The list is not offered as complete; your further suggestions, and your comments, will be welcome.

<u>Suggested Activity</u>	<u>Col. A Group</u>	<u>Col. B Personal</u>
<u>Sky-watch for possible contact (Project I):</u> Coverage of sky, for as long a time as possible, using any equipment available - radio, cameras, light signals, etc.	_____	_____
<u>Records assembling:</u> Collect library and files of books, magazine articles, newspaper clippings, personal accounts of unpublished sightings, copies of any other relevant documents. Members to use the collection to supplement their own files; reference use by other interested groups and individuals.	_____	_____
<u>Records study:</u> Discussion and study of above records by assigned research groups; for example, comparison of "official explanations" with case records; special study of types of cases such as fireballs, etc. Groups could report results at meetings.	_____	_____
<u>Newspaper coverage:</u> Assign individuals to cover one New York paper each regularly and clip saucer items to make sure none are missed. Out-of-town papers could be subscribed for, even foreign papers. Send for local papers for stories of sightings not reported in N.Y.	_____	_____
<u>Radio monitoring:</u> Regular listening to news broadcasts, etc., for reports and discussion; just now Edwards seems to be only one reporting, but another wave of sightings might bring more reports.	_____	_____
<u>Publication of magazine:</u> Could be as simple or elaborate as money and personnel permit.	_____	_____
<u>Occult group:</u> Research into supra-normal and para-normal aspects of the saucers.	_____	_____
<u>Lectures at meetings:</u> Varied program of speakers for club meetings: critics (both favorable and unfavorable), people who have seen objects; physical scientists (astronomers, rocket experts, etc.) could be asked to give factual background).	_____	_____
<u>Interviews:</u> With people in nearby locations who have seen saucers. Requests for interviews from club representative might be given more readily than to individuals.	_____	_____
<u>Correspondence:</u> With other groups and individuals in U.S. and abroad, for exchange of information, publications, unpublished personal sightings, etc.	_____	_____

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE ADD YOUR COMMENTS AND FURTHER SUGGESTIONS. Use other side of the paper if necessary. Contribute your ideas so that an interesting program of activity can be planned.

# GROUP

# PERSONAL

	YES	NO	INDF
I	11	2	3
II	14	0	2
III	12	2	2
IV	13	0	3
V	13	0	3
VI	11	0	5
VII	10	4	2
VIII	13	1	2
IX	11	0	5
X	14	0	2

	YES	NO	INDF
I	6	4	6
II	10	1	5
III	9	2	5
IV	9	1	6
V	4	2	10
VI	2	2	12
VII	2	8	6
VIII	3	3	10
IX	5	3	8
X	9	1	6

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE

Statement of Income and Expenditures, February to June 1954

INCOME

<u>Month</u>	<u>Membership Fees</u>	<u>Lending Library</u>	<u>Donations</u>	<u>Lecture &amp; Meeting Admissions</u>	<u>Total</u>
February	\$ 10.00	.		\$ 4.50	\$ 14.50
March	26.00	\$ .85		24.50	51.35
April	30.00	.85		407.80 <sup>a/</sup>	438.65
May	1.00			17.50	18.50
June	7.00		\$ 39.19	62.00	108.19
Total	\$ 74.00	\$ 1.70	\$ 39.19	\$ 516.30	\$ 631.19

EXPENDITURES

<u>Month</u>	<u>Postage</u>	<u>Rentals</u>	<u>Stationery &amp; Supplies</u>	<u>Tele- phone</u>	<u>Taxes</u>	<u>Extras</u>	<u>Total</u>
February	\$ 2.50	\$ 8.50	\$ 22.04				\$ 33.04
March	2.79	20.00	15.15				37.94
April	28.15	198.00 <sup>b/</sup>		\$ 48.00		\$ 140.00 <sup>c/</sup>	414.15
May	1.50	11.50	1.02	20.00	\$ 33.80 <sup>d/</sup>		67.82
June	4.99	11.50		23.50		38.25 <sup>e/</sup>	78.24
Total	\$ 39.93	\$ 249.50	\$ 38.21	\$ 91.50	\$ 33.80	\$ 178.25	\$ 631.19

a/ Includes Adamski lecture.

b/ Includes rental for Adamski lecture.

c/ Includes fee paid to Adamski.

d/ Tax on admissions for Adamski lecture.

e/ Includes three-months' clipping service subscription.

f/ Also includes other expenditures by members in connection with duties assigned to them.

June 19, 1954

Civilian Saucer Intelligence  
of New York City

To members and friends of CSI:

The last general meeting of the 1954 spring season will be held on Friday, June 25, 1954, at 8:30 p.m. in room 612, Steinway Hall, 317 West 57th St.

As Ivan Sanderson is not absolutely certain he can come, a panel program has been set up in which he will take part if he attends, to discuss specific questions regarding saucers. The panel will consist of the following:

Captain W. J. Hull, Airlines Pilot  
John DuBarry, Editor on Collier's Staff  
James Moseley, Author of forthcoming book on saucers  
Ivan Sanderson, Naturalist, Author and TV Lecturer

Alternates: Ted Bloecher, Ed Wilkenson

Moderator: Harold Oksenkrug

If you have any specific questions regarding saucers, you may submit them in writing before the meeting.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Frank Edwards, the only radio commentator who has been giving any time to flying saucers recently, has asked his listeners to send him a postcard saying whether or not they want him to continue reporting on saucers. Every member of CSI should tell him "YES"! Write your card today...Edwards is the only source of fresh information. Send to: Frank Edwards, Mutual Network, Washington, D.C.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:** Two CSI members who have turned over their personal files to CSI: Miss Paulina Peavy and Phillip Miller. These will be incorporated into the CSI files, and we are glad to have them.

**FIRST\*HAND REPORTS:** A number of CSI members have seen "something" in the skies, or have friends who have seen "something". We think these accounts would be a valuable asset to the CSI files and would appreciate receiving these sightings either by written report or by telephone.

**IMPORTANT:** Does anyone know of a centrally-located place where we could keep the CSI library and files, which could be open and available to members at least two nights a week? If so, please get in touch with Ted Bloecher, TR 9 3099.

\* \* \*

## CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE

### Statement of Policy

This organization takes the following position regarding Unidentified Flying Objects:

1. The phenomena commonly referred to as "flying saucers" or "UFO's" are real objects. While a large percentage of reported sightings have undoubtedly reflected misinterpretation of conventional objects, errors of fact or observation, and in some cases deliberate inventions, there are also a great many reports from reliable and qualified observers that cannot be dismissed as nonsense.
2. The behavior of these objects gives strong evidence that they may be of extraterrestrial origin.
3. The most useful activity that can be undertaken by this group as a whole is to collect and study factual material about the saucers; that is, reports of sightings, either written or oral, from responsible and competent witnesses, together with theories regarding their origin and nature that are reasonably consistent with science and technology in their present stages of development.
4. The work of the group will be directed primarily toward explanations based on natural rather than supernatural premises.
5. So far the evidence regarding "personal contacts" with extraterrestrials, which have been reported by some individuals, is incomplete, contradictory, and not sufficiently conclusive to justify study by the organization as a whole.

January, 1955

February 14, 1955

C S I D U F S

Announcement

1. A few months ago CSI was extremely short on funds. Because of this it was voted at the November meeting to raise the yearly dues from \$1.00 to \$5.00, effective at once, so that all members then owed an additional \$4.00 for their current year, besides the \$1.00 that they paid when they first joined.
2. However, after examining the records we find that most of our members joined last year during February, March and April. So instead of asking these members to pay an additional \$4.00 now and another \$5.00 in a month or so, when membership will expire for most, we have decided that any member who has already sent in this additional \$4.00 for his current year's membership will be given \$4.00 credit toward his dues for 1955. In this way no member will have to pay \$4.00 now and another \$5.00 a few months later.
3. So those of you who have sent in your \$4.00 owe us only \$1.00 more, which we would like to receive at your earliest convenience. This will cover your membership dues to the end of 1955.
4. New members and members who have received renewal notices and have not paid will of course owe \$5.00 to cover membership to the end of 1955.
5. In the future, dues will be payable in January of each year. Those who join during the last 4 months of the year will be required to pay only \$2.50 to cover membership for the balance of that year.
6. New membership cards will be issued to all members in good standing at the next meeting, and mailed to those members who are absent. Only these cards will be honored for admission to meetings.
7. Checks should be made payable to Civilian Saucer Intelligence, and should be mailed to:

Mr. Marty Meyerson, Secretary-Treasurer, CSI  
67-90 Groton Street  
Forest Hills, L.I.

April 18, 1955

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE OF NEW YORK

Announcement of Forthcoming Meeting

On Thursday evening, April 28, at 8:30 p.m., there will be a Civilian Saucer Intelligence meeting for members, at the home of Miss Isabel Davis, 67 Jane Street, New York City. Marty Myerson has arranged to show a film of recent rocket development, and members of the CSI Research Section will briefly outline its purpose, methods and results to date. Several members will also give detailed reports of several extremely interesting unpublished cases. Refreshments will be served and the admission will be, as usual, 25 cents. We hope you'll be there...

Directions: From Eighth Avenue and 14th Street:

Three blocks south on Eighth Avenue, to Jane Street;  
West on Jane one and one-half blocks (cross Hudson);  
Enter courtyard marked "65-7", take 2nd door on left;  
Inside, turn left - repeat, LEFT - to stairway;  
All the way up.

Motorists: Eighth Avenue is northbound; Hudson southbound; Jane Street is westbound.

A copy of the report of the March 25th meeting is enclosed for members.

---

April 18, 1955

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE OF NEW YORK

Notice To Lapsed Members

According to the bookkeeping records of CSI, we have not received your renewal of membership for 1955. Your name has therefore been transferred from the membership list to our mailing list. You will continue to receive notices of meetings that are open to the public.

Interesting and worthwhile activities are being planned for CSI, and we hope that you will wish to renew your membership soon.

Marty Meyerson, Secretary-Treasurer  
67-90 Groton Street  
Forest Hills, L.I., N.Y. BO 8 3641

Note: If you have paid your 1955 membership fee, and receive this notice by mistake, please let me know, so that the error can be corrected.

NOTICE

Because Civilian Saucer Intelligence has thus far operated continuously in the red financially, it has been found necessary to increase the dues. At the recent business meeting it was voted to raise the annual membership dues from \$1.00 to \$5.00. This will enable the club to pay for postage, paper, mimeographing, rental of meeting hall, and other minimum operating expenses. Under the previous dues system, individual members constantly had to meet these expenses out of their own pockets.

Present members who have already paid \$1.00 dues under the old system will be required to pay \$4.00 for the balance of their current membership year. If you wish to retain your membership, please send this amount as soon as possible; otherwise, please send me a postcard stating that you wish to cancel your membership.

Thanking you in advance for your prompt reply,

Marty Meyerson  
Secretary-Treasurer  
67-90 Groton Street  
Forest Hills, Long Island

NOTICE

Because Civilian Saucer Intelligence has thus far operated continuously in the red financially, it has been found necessary to increase the dues. At the recent business meeting it was voted to raise the annual membership dues from \$1.00 to \$5.00. This will enable the club to pay for postage, paper, mimeographing, rental of meeting hall, and other minimum operating expenses. Under the previous dues system, individual members constantly had to meet these expenses out of their own pockets.

Present members who have already paid \$1.00 dues under the old system will be required to pay \$4.00 for the balance of their current membership year. If you wish to retain your membership, please send this amount as soon as possible; otherwise, please send me a postcard stating that you wish to cancel your membership.

Thanking you in advance for your prompt reply,

Marty Meyerson  
Secretary-Treasurer  
67-90 Groton Street  
Forest Hills, Long Island

GENERAL INFORMATION SHEET  
OF THE  
CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE

The CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE has been founded to promote better public knowledge and attitudes toward flying saucers by means of public meetings, and also to further flying saucer Research. We feel that you are interested in such an important subject, and therefore list below our present plans for coming meetings, for your consideration.

Planned topics: Some discussions and lectures of C.S.I. meetings will include:

- 1 Discussions of all alleged landing reports made within the United States.
- 2 Discussions of all possible theories of saucer origin and a questions-answer period following each.
- 3 Discussions of Menzels, Heards, Adamskis and Keyhoes theories.
- 4 Discussion and display of latest saucer reports and similar phenomena.
- 5 Discussion of famous Green Fireball phenomena.
- 6 Display and discussion of various saucer aircraft types.

EXHIBITS: Material discussing saucer reports will be on display in room. These will include;

- 1 Saucer photos and authentic sketches from eyewitness reports, on loan from the FLYING SAUCER RESEARCHERS.
- 2 Famous front page reports, from 1946 to 1952, from leading newspapers.
- 3 Historical reports from 1860 on, from original newspaper reports and old magazines.

MEMBERSHIP CHARGE:

- 1 A one year membership in the group, is \$1.00 per person. You will receive a membership card, and possibly a lapel pin later.
- 2 Dues of .50¢ per meeting will be charged. These funds will be used to notify you of each meeting, and printing a group bulletin giving a resume of each meeting, and the planned schedule of the next one.

MEMBERSHIP PRIVILEGES:

- 1 Lending library of material on all unidentified flying objects. This includes all books, and more than 100 magazine articles, with clippings attached.
- 2 Free Information on all saucer phenomena. E.R.
- 3 Free lectures by noted flying saucer researchers and authorities.

February 14, 1955

C S I D U F S

Announcement

1. A few months ago CSI was extremely short on funds. Because of this it was voted at the November meeting to raise the yearly dues from \$1.00 to \$5.00, effective at once, so that all members then owed an additional \$4.00 for their current year, besides the \$1.00 that they paid when they first joined.
2. However, after examining the records we find that most of our members joined last year during February, March and April. So instead of asking these members to pay an additional \$4.00 now and another \$5.00 in a month or so, when membership will expire for most, we have decided that any member who has already sent in this additional \$4.00 for his current year's membership will be given \$4.00 credit toward his dues for 1955. In this way no member will have to pay \$4.00 now and another \$5.00 a few months later.
3. So those of you who have sent in your \$4.00 owe us only \$1.00 more, which we would like to receive at your earliest convenience. This will cover your membership dues to the end of 1955.
4. New members and members who have received renewal notices and have not paid will of course owe \$5.00 to cover membership to the end of 1955.
5. In the future, dues will be payable in January of each year. Those who join during the last 4 months of the year will be required to pay only \$2.50 to cover membership for the balance of that year.
6. New membership cards will be issued to all members in good standing at the next meeting, and mailed to those members who are absent. Only these cards will be honored for admission to meetings.
7. Checks should be made payable to Civilian Saucer Intelligence, and should be mailed to:

Mr. Marty Meyerson, Secretary-Treasurer, CSI  
67-90 Groton Street  
Forest Hills, L.I.

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE OF NEW YORK

Report On Receipts During Third Winter Season

(October 1, 1955 - June 3, 1956)

C.S.I. TREASURY AS OF OCTOBER 1, 1955:	41.28
ADMISSIONS: Jessup meeting (attendance 109)	87.25
Keyhoe meeting (" " " " 370)	370.70
Bloecher " " (" " " " 126)	102.00
Sanderson " (" " " " 72)	49.55
Edwards " " (" " " " 245)	263.30
Barker " " (" " " " 312)	317.80
BOOK SALES (Keyhoe, Ruppelt, Michel):	208.70
LITERATURE SALES	75.97
NEW MEMBERSHIPS (40: 1 in Oct., 2 in Nov., 4 in Dec., 12 in Jan., 4 in Feb., 10 in Mar., 4 in April, 3 in May):	180.50
RENEWALS (17):	85.00
CONTRIBUTIONS: From Holt, for Keyhoe advts.	62.22
From F. R. Hubachek	47.00
From others	90.63
<u>TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR 8-MONTH PERIOD:</u>	<u>\$1981.90</u>
<u>TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR 8-MONTH PERIOD:</u>	<u>-1939.80</u>
BALANCE: C.S.I. TREASURY AS OF JUNE 3, 1956:	\$42.10

Members who wish a more detailed itemisation of receipts and expenditures should apply to the Secretary-Treasurer, Alexander D. Mebane, 138 West 92nd Street, New York 25, N.Y.

**CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE OF NEW YORK**  
**Report On Expenditures During Third Winter Season**

(October 1, 1955 - June 3, 1956)

<b>SPEAKERS' FEES:</b>	M. K. Jessup	25.00
	Donald Keyhoe	100.00
	Frank Edwards	100.00
(Ivan Sanderson and Gray Barker very generously refused any remuneration.)		
<b>HALL RENTAL:</b>	Steinway Hall (Jessup)	23.50
	St. Nicholas Ballroom (Keyhoe)	165.00
	Steinway Hall (Bloecher)	35.00
	Adelphi Hall (Sanderson)	32.50
	Pythian Temple (Edwards)	200.00
	Roosevelt Auditorium (Barker)	165.00
<b>MAILING EXPENSES:</b>	5 mailings to a list of about 500 names, one (Edwards) to a list of 2000, 2 to members	158.46
<b>STATIONERY SUPPLIES:</b>	41 reams of mimeograph paper, stencils, cards, etc.	89.90
<b>PRINTING &amp; OFFSETTING:</b>	1500 letterhead	15.97
	1000 registration cards	10.00
	400 list-weeding postcards	9.50
	300 membership cards	10.12
	2000 Keyhoe announcements	26.53
	2000 Edwards announcements	22.66
<b>NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENTS:</b>	Times & Tribune (Keyhoe)	64.32
	Post & Tribune (Edwards)	45.32
(The cost of the advertisements for the Barker meeting was borne by University Books, Inc.)		
<b>SUBSCRIPTION TO BURRELLE CLIPPING SERVICE</b>	(6 months)	90.00
<b>BOOKS BOUGHT FOR RESALE:</b>	40 Jessup supplements	4.00
	63 Keyhoe <u>Conspiracy</u> , 2.1.	132.24
	20 Ruppelt at \$2.70	55.62
	25 Michel at \$2.37	59.25
	24 Saucerian Review at 75c	18.00
<b>PHONE BILLS, TELEGRAMS, TAPE RECORDINGS:</b>		46.72
<b>PHOTOSTATING BLUE BOOK REPORT #14</b>		30.15
<b>BLOWUPS &amp; MOUNTS FOR WALL DISPLAYS:</b>	Blue Book Report	46.08
	Landings	17.73
<b>PURCHASE OF UFO LITERATURE &amp; PHOTOGRAPHS</b>		12.58*
*Mostly paid for out of Research Section's pockets.		
<b>BANK CHARGES ON CHECKING ACCOUNT (through May):</b>		10.76
<b>10% EXCISE TAX ON MEETING ADMISSIONS</b>		114.94
<b>GAVEL</b>		2.95
<b><u>TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR 8-MONTH PERIOD:</u></b>		<u>\$1939.80</u>

Return to: Mr. Marty Meyerson  
Secretary, Civilian Saucer Intelligence  
67-90 Groton Street  
Forest Hills, Long Island

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE

Application for Membership

I hereby apply for membership in Civilian Saucer Intelligence.

I have read the club's Statement of Policy and I subscribe to the principles stated therein.

I enclose \$5.00 in payment of the annual membership dues. It is understood that if my application is not accepted, this money will be returned to me. If the application is accepted, the club will send me a receipt for this payment of dues.

The annual dues entitle me to receive the club's information bulletins, as and when issued, and to admission to meetings at the members' admission price of 50 cents.

I understand that CSI meetings will be held approximately once a month, and that all members receive notification of the time and place of meetings.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed:  
membership fee, \$5.00     check     cash     money order

-----  
Please supply the following information for CSI files (Please print):

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

HOME TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_ BUSINESS TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE OF NEW YORK

Statement of Policy

Adopted by Executive Committee January 4, 1957

CSI of New York believes that:

There are as yet unidentified objects or manifestations in our atmosphere.

They are of diverse forms, suggesting various origins.

Some of them appear to be material objects.

Some seem to be controlled by intelligences.

Some appear to be constructions.

Some of them appear to have landed.

CSI has no reason at this time to believe that:

UFOs have any occult or religious connotation.

Anyone on this earth has had any communication with UFOs or their occupants.

CSI undertakes to:

Collect reports.

Investigate at first hand, when possible.

Evaluate evidence by established scientific principles.

Disseminate its findings.

General Information

Civilian Saucer Intelligence of New York is a non-profit organization, founded in February 1954 by a small group of persons who were interested, some through personal observations, in unidentified aerial phenomena, particularly "flying saucers."

As of the end of 1956 its membership was approximately 125, half of whom live in the New York metropolitan area, most of the others in the continental United States, and a few in foreign countries. Membership benefits include a voice in CSI policy, invitation to CSI "members only" meetings, reduced admission to public lecture meetings, free reports of all meetings, subscription to the CSI News Letter (see below), and access to CSI library and files.

The organization is supported by annual membership fees, by admission fees at lecture meetings open to the public, and by occasional contributions from members.

In accordance with the Statement of Policy adopted January 4, 1957, by the Executive Committee, CSI collects, investigates, and evaluates data of all kinds pertaining to unidentified aerial phenomena. The Research Section is currently constructing a unified, cross-indexed card catalogue of published and unpublished reports, which is expected to include about 4000 cases when completed. A comprehensive bibliographical card index is maintained. The Research Section also receives all reputable periodicals and books on UFOs for its library, and information and periodicals are exchanged with other organizations and individual researchers in the field.

The News Letter is issued approximately bi-monthly, as time permits; it contains reports on carefully selected sightings, general news about saucers, articles on special topics in the field, and editorial comment. This is distributed to members without charge, and to non-members for a small fee to help cover the costs of preparation and distribution. Summaries of the public lectures are also made available on the same basis.

Public meetings are held when reputable speakers are available; in the past these lecturers have included the authors of several of the more reliable books about UFOs, a famous naturalist and expert on Fortean phenomena, a balloon specialist, an astronomer, and electronics expert, and a well-known news commentator interested in UFOs.

Membership dues are \$5.00 per year for local members, \$3.50 for out-of-town members. Applications for membership must be in writing, and must be approved by an authorized committee of the organization.

Address inquiries to:

Civilian Saucer Intelligence of New York  
c/o Davis  
67 Jane Street  
New York 14, New York

June, 1957

MEMBERSHIP CHARGE:

- 1 A one year membership in the group, is \$1.00 per person. You will receive a membership card, and possibly a lapel pin later.
- 2 Dues of .50¢ per meeting will be charged. These funds will be used to notify you of each meeting, and printing a group bulletin giving a resume of each meeting, and the planned schedule of the next one.

MEMBERSHIP PRIVILEGES:

- 1 Lending library of material on all unidentified flying objects. This includes all books, and more than 100 magazine articles, with clippings attached.
- 2 Free Information on all saucer phenomena. E.R.
- 3 Free lectures by noted flying saucer researchers and authorities.

Marilyn Felter.  
*Marilyn Felter*  
 CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE.

Sent \$1.00 (in cash)  
 with coupon, April 29, 1954

Very truly yours,

Looking forward to hearing from you, we remain,

next meeting.  
 If you are interested in becoming a member, kindly notify us and we will be happy to send you a notification of our  
 FLYING SAUCERS. We are therefore sure you will be inter-  
 ested in our new CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE.

Dear Ben:

OLIVILLE 4-6804

BRONX, 69, N. Y.

1239 MACE AVENUE

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE

*William F. ... (signature)*  
*(three) O'Keefe*

*Just work - will  
 in time -  
 O'Keefe*

Back issues  
from

Mr. Ted Bloecher  
home TR 9-3099  
317 E. 83

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE  
1239 MACE AVENUE  
BRONX, 69, NEW YORK

Chief org. Chairman

CONSTITUTION OF C. S. I.

- 1- ALL MEMBERS MUST BE OVER 16 YEARS OF AGE <sup>2</sup> ✓
- 2- MEMBERSHIP FEE OF \$1.00. VALID FOR ONE YEAR ✓
- 3- MEETINGS WILL BE FINANCED BY A CHARGE OF 50¢ DUES EACH MEETING ✓
- 4- MEMBERS MUST ATTEND AT LEAST 6 OF THE (24) MEETINGS WITHIN THE YEAR OF MEMBERSHIP. A CHARGE EQUIVALENT TO EACH OF ANY OF THE 6 MEETINGS MISSED WILL BE LEVIED UPON RENEWEL OF MEMBERSHIP X
- 5- NO REFUND OF MEMBERSHIP AFTER ATTENDANCE OF SECOND MEETING X
- 6- MEETINGS WILL BE HELD ON THE FIRST AND THIRD FRIDAY EVENING OF EACH MONTH UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE X
- 7- ALL CORRESPONDANCE WRITTEN UNDER OR REFERRING TO C. S. I. MUST BE APPROVED BY AN OFFICIAL OF THE ORGANIZATION AND A COPY MUST BE SUBMITTED TO SECRETARY UPON APPROVAL ✓
- 8- EVERY MEMBER MUST SUBMIT A RESUME OF HIS OR HER IDEAS AND OPINION CONCERNING UNIDENTIFIED AERIAL OBJECTS X

to whom? T.B.  
last issue by Review?  
about 1 mo. ago

## U. F. O. ALERT PLAN

A plan designed to quickly alert all CSI members and associates in the event UFO's or Flying Saucers are seen or reported to be in the metropolitan area of New York.

The plan is based on the chain telephone idea used by some Civilian Defense groups for alerting their members.

Briefly, a CSI member or associate who spots a UFO, will call one member and immediately return to the observation point.

The member called will then phone another member and proceed to an observation point.

Thereafter, each member called will call one other member and proceed to a point of observation.

This will continue until the entire membership will have been alerted.

Each member and associate will be provided with an alert list. This list will contain the members' names, area of residence and telephone numbers. Each name will have a designating number and each area a designating letter.

For purposes of example, Manhattan would be "A"; the Bronx, "B"; Brooklyn, "C"; Queens, "D"; Nassau and Suffolk, "E"; etc.

No. 6B would represent the sixth name on the list and that member would reside in the Bronx.

If member No. 6B should sight or hear of a sighting of a UFO, he or a member of

his ~~mother~~ family would telephone the first name on the list (or the second if the first did not answer) and report something like this, "This is John Smith, member No. 6B. I just saw (or heard of) a UFO moving southwest from the Washington Bridge. Start the alert and cancel my name from the list."

If a member called did not answer, the member calling would then try the next name and continue until a member was reached.

NOTES: 1) Members shall be supplied with sighting report cards and shall fill out such cards and mail them at once to the designated point. Each member will also make every effort to have such cards filled out by neighbors, ~~friends~~ friends and others who have made a sighting.

2) When the membership has sufficiently expanded, this alert plan can be broken down into greater detail in the form of interlocking lists for the various local areas.

CIVILIAN SAUCER INTELLIGENCE of NEW YORK

announces

Its First Public Lecture-Meeting of the 1958-59 Season

at

THE CRYSTAL ROOM  
HOTEL DIPLOMAT  
108 West 43rd St.  
New York, N. Y.

8:30 P.M. SHARP on the night of  
ELECTION EVE -- Monday, 3rd Nov., 1958

Hear the facts about

"U.F.O.'s As Air Line Pilots See Them"

from

Capt. William B. Nash of Pan American World Airways

Behind pilots' publicized sightings of Unidentified Flying Objects are others little-known or unrevealed to the public. Capt. Nash, himself a witness to one of the most famous and extraordinary air encounters with U.F.O.'s, is Special Advisor to NICAP, the national investigating organization. He is a veteran pilot uniquely qualified to tell what pilots see, what they know, and what they think about "flying saucers."

\* \* \* \* \*

Also: Reports from CSI Research Section on recent U.F.O. phenomena, including...

Disk appearance at Delaware Water Gap.

Fall of 'angel's hair' at Portales, N. Mex.

Report of Pfc. Jerome Scanlon, U.S. Army, of J.C., on a landing near Baltimore.

\* \* \* \* \*

ADMISSION: CSI members free (please present membership card)

Non-members = \$1.50

\* \* \* \* \*

*Although we believe The Crystal Room will accommodate the many people we were regretfully unable to seat at our last two public meetings, we suggest, for your convenience, purchase of non-member tickets in advance for reserved seats. Tickets will be mailed to you on receipt of the form below; please order promptly. Tickets will also be sold at the door.*

-----  
CSI of N.Y., 19 Cherrywood Lane, Port Washington, N.Y.

Please send me -----tickets at \$1.50 each for the lecture-meeting with Capt. William Nash, on Monday, Nov. 3.

Enclosed: Check ( )  
Money Order ( )

NAME -----  
ADDRESS -----

CSI of N.Y.  
19 Cherrywood Lane  
Port Washington, N.Y.

BULK MAIL  
U.S. POSTAGE  
P A I D  
ROSLYN HTS., N.Y.  
PERMIT NO.68