

CENTER FOR UFO STUDIES

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Dear Friends,

Enclosed is our new bulletin, in a new format. Because of our limited staff and budget, and because of the basic *research* nature of the Center for UFO Studies, we have made some changes.

First, the Center's News Bulletin will be a regular, quarterly publication, printed in June, September, December and March. Thus, a donation for a period of one year will entitle the donor to four issues of the Center's News Bulletin. This News Bulletin will contain news of the Center's activities, mention of new Center publications, reviews of new books and publications from other sources, our Continuing Research column, as well as an important new addition - summaries of interesting cases that have come to the Center's attention during that quarter period. This will no longer include only summaries of cases that have come through the Center's toll-free "hot-line", UFO CENTRAL, but additional cases submitted by individual investigators, letters, and other sources.

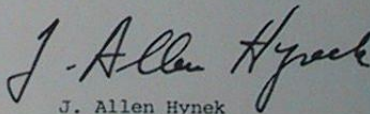
Also included in the News Bulletin will be summaries of all reports issued by the Center for UFO Studies. There will no longer be a mailing of separate summaries of reports to donors. To replace the complimentary books and other benefits enjoyed by Contributors, Fellows, and Patrons, a constantly updated list of premiums will be sent upon the initial donation. This will include a choice of books and publications.

We are preparing a revised catalogue of information, which will include information about the Center and donations to the Center, a brief "fact sheet" about the UFO phenomenon, a list of recommended reading and sources for books, and a list of Document Library Services. The Center will no longer handle the sale of books, but will advise readers of sources for books. This catalogue will be sent to all donors as it is completed.

These decisions have been made in an effort to assure donors and associates of the Center that the Center is primarily research oriented, providing the Center with a better use of its available resources. All present donors will receive an automatic "two issue" extension for receipt of the News Bulletin. Thus, if your period of donation has elapsed before the September issue, you can expect to receive September and December issues. This is reflected on your current mailing label. We hope that this will satisfy those of you who made donations with the former benefits in mind.

At this time, the Center's sole support comes from individuals such as you, through your tax-deductible donations. Thank you for your past support; it is our hope that you will continue to wish to be a part of the funding for this important research.

Sincerely,


J. Allen Hynek