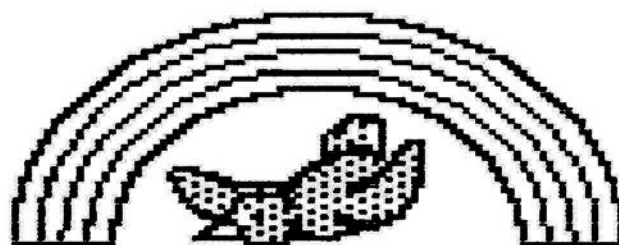


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## LAST NEWSFLYER

I submitted bills to each society for the newsflyer in October and again this past week. The bills covered (most) expenses of newsflyer up to up to current one. I have not received payment from either society. I have received \$246.00 plus a few donations since I started printing the newsflyer. It has cost me almost twice that amount to print and mail the newsflyer. I donate my time, but I can't afford to put out money from my pocket to pay the expense of copy paper, stamps, printer ribbon, copy machine cartridges and address labels.

Also there seems to a complete lack of interest on the part of other members to submit articles for the newsflyer even tho I have asked

a number of times . . . The well does run dry after awhile and I am just about that point .

I have put off, as long as possible, writing this . . . I hate to have to wrtie this, but I do feel that this will be the last newsflyer. SORRY !

## F Y I

I have sent out 314 newsflyers from JUNE 1986 to JANUARY 1988.

I have made approx. 4070 copies. I get about 1600 copies out of 1 copy cartridge.

COST OF :

COPY CARTRIDGE (1st 2 each) \$ 63.72

COPY CARTRIDGE ( last one ) 74.52

COST OF ONE NEWSFLYER :

5 copies @ .05 = .25

2 white sheets @ .02 = .04

1 color sheet @ .05 = .05

2 address labels @ .02	=	.04
postage	=	.22
Total		.60

This does not cover the cost of the printer ribbon , electricity to run the computer , disk drive , printer , copy machine or my gas running around buying supplies and stamps.

## JANUARY MEETINGS :

IRIS SOCIETY OF AUSTIN WILL MEET ON JANUARY 12 , 1988 AT 7:30 pm AT THE ZILKER GARDEN CENTER. DON FREEMAN WILL GIVE A PROGRAM ON FERTILIZING FOR BLOOM .

THE NEW BRAUNFELS IRIS SOCIETY WILL MEET JANUARY 19 , 1988 AT 7:30 pm AT THE FIRST FEDERAL BLDG. IN N. B. A SLIDE PROGRAM OF THE IRIS GARDENS OF MR. AND MRS. MARVIN SCHAEFER AND MR. AND MRS. JIM ALLEN WILL BE SHOWN .