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Event Report

Viva La Mexico (event)

Fri Jun 15, 2012 Leader: William Wright

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Terrific Viva la Mexico evening that kicked off with a Mexican dinner for 14 followed by slideshows & a movie - much better than just dinner & a movie.

Diana & Terry opened the slideshows with a fabulous account of some of Central Mexico's rare pristine waterways and luxuriant highland terrain, which featured stunningly massive sinkholes.

Susan took us to intermission with a pictorial overview of the terrain of the Southern Baja that was highlighted by the spectacular flora in this region.

Following the intermission, where we enjoyed the company of those attending plus many potluck treats, Susan immersed us in a 6 day mule trek that she took part in, this past winter - an amazing adventure.

We closed the night with "Corazon Vaquero" (The Heart of The Cowboy), a film festival winner from 2008 and an incredible portrait of a culture attempting to survive in the high deserts of the Baja - Susan's 6 day mule trek passed through these lands and amongst these people.

A superb event, which I enjoyed immensely (and from conversation afterwards), as did most others.

Thanks to the swell efforts of our travellers & presenters as well as the wonderful work of our media liaison, Tim, who tied this all together so nicely!

On the previously posted side note, Tim's dispossessed soles have found their way home - Terry's looking into new eye ware.

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