

INTRODUCING YOURSELF AND OTHERS

Meeting at a party

Todd: Hi. You must be John's cousin Matt, right? , From San Diego?

Matt: Correct! I just got in last night.

Todd: I'm Todd, John's roommate from college. Glad to meet you. I can assure you that I'm not anything like what John has told you.

Matt: I'm happy to meet you, too. And, yes, I have heard about you. Football player and party animal extraordinaire.

Todd: Football, yes. And as matter of fact, I do like parties. But tell me more about yourself and what you do in San Diego.

Matt: Well, I'm more (of) a surfer than a football player. You know, San Diego has a fantastic coast, and we can surf all day and then party on the beach at night.

Todd: That sounds awesome. How long are you staying?

Matt: Well, I'll be here for two weeks. John has promised me a nonstop schedule (kind of a mix of sightseeing, meeting his friends, checking out the local scene, and hopefully, camping in the mountains for a couple of days.

Todd: John's a good guy. And you can be sure he knows the local scene. He knows everybody in town. I'm sure he'll show you a good time. And his friends are here to help.

Matt: Thanks so much. I really appreciate that. I'm still a bit jet-lagged at the moment but should be in good shape by tomorrow. I'm looking forward to hearing what John has in store for me...

Todd: Don't worry. We'll all take good care of you. And don't be surprised if we show up on your doorstep in San Diego one day, ready for surfing!