

June 2013

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PRESIDENT'S TWO CENTS

SUMMER HAS ARRIVED.

Summer is often one of the busiest times of the year for most of us. We try to cram tons of activities into part of June, all of July and most of August. Square dance special events are added to the mix such as square dance at the San Diego County Fair on June 16, exhibition at Petco Ball Park for a Padres baseball game on July 13, 2013 (we are the entertainment). We are planning a picnic at Harry Griffin Park July 21 providing it is not to hot like the past several summers have been. If it is too hot, we will look for a location with a good air conditioner.

Single Spinners 39th Anniversary

We had our anniversary dance on June 1, 2013 with about 80 dancers in attendance. Every one seemed to have a great time by the noise being generated by every one. Lots of yummy comments on the chili. A big thanks to those that brought the extra goodies. We scaled back on the quantity of decorations to make it easier to set up. This worked okay as we had a good group setting up the hall. Taking them down was another matter, I miss judged the time and did not start taking down stuff soon enough. We had several of our guests stay and help take down the posters and assist in taking them out to the truck.

We ended up with a total of five people to going back to church, unloading the truck and putting everything away in the attic of the church.

Thank you to everyone who planed, conducting, taking down and clean up, ETC. The custodian was not pleased when he saw the chairs moved all over the place (UNPLANED WORK) so we had to spend valuable time resetting the hall.

A SPECIAL VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU goes to Suzi, Ken and Barbara for helping Lynn and I get the truck unloaded and decorations put away. Everything was done, truck turned about 1:30 AM

We had everything out of the Balboa Park club by 10:01

pm., but still had to finish putting the small stuff into the truck (kitchen gear).

HAPPY DANCING DANA

CLUB TRAVELS AND VISITATIONS

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Upcoming Official Travels:

Round-Up June 15th "Let's Go Fly a Kite" day at the Park Club. Caller : Rod Shuping Cuer: Mary Townsend Manning Afternoon: Advanced 3:15 – 5:15 pm Pre Rounds: 7 – 7:30pm Squares & Rounds 7:30– 9:45 pm

Recommended Travel Round Up June 15.

Anniversary Travels

The next Anniversary Dance is Ruffles n' Beaus in August

Dennis Lynn & Freya Peterson Travel Chair

Websites

INFORMATIONAL WEBSITES:

Most of the websites have links to dancing in other local

tins, including overseas, and is available via our website's "links" feature.

singlespinners.sdsda.org/ www.sdsda.org www.PalomarSDA.org www.backcountrysda.com www.squaredance.org www.61nsdc.com - Spokane www.NSDCNEC.org www.wheresthedance.com/ www.facebook.com/singlespinners

2013 additional forms & Information

www.squaredance.org/2013

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VICE-PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

Greetings from Cookeville, Tennessee!

I have heard that the anniversary last weekend had seven squares, which while down from years past, is a fine turnout.

As far as my activities are concerned, I'm here in Cookeville during the "Spring Training" portion of the U.S. Military All-Stars 2013 tour (the teams 24th tour!). We will have our first game on Wednesday and will be leaving the Cookeville area on Friday morning on our way to Morehead City, NC. While Spinners were having their anniversary, we were doing our first ceremony (we usually do the ceremony prior to our games and then play baseball!) for a semi-pro football game. The ceremony only had 2 problems with it (RAIN and one minor slip by yours truly).

Homespun News

If you wish to keep up with the "Red, White and Blue Tour" please check out our schedule

at <u>http://www.usmilitaryallsta</u> <u>rs.us/Schedule/index.html</u>

See everyone when I get back! Chris Davis

P.S. Ask Mom to see the picture of my uniform . . . unless she has already shown everyone

CALLER'S CORNER

I hope everyone has a great month! Until next time...

John

DO YOU WANT TO LEARN HOW TO ROUND DANCE?

San Diego Round Dance Instructors – brand new website: rounddance.org

AROUND SPIDEY'S WEB

If you have anything you want in this fine publication, just give it to Lynn Davis at a dance (deadline is the last dance of each month, and IF SPACE PERMITS, it will be included in the next issue) or you can e-mail it to: lynndavis542@cox.net

Party Central

*Spinner's 39th Anniversary dance is June 1st! We ask everyone to come help set up our Spinnerville decorations at the Balboa Park Club at 3 pm. John always calls a class level tip at the beginning, so you all come- you hear! We serve the best chili in town! And, you can throw your best friend in the Spinnerville jail for a quarter.

Party night is June 13th, called "Under the Sea" maybe you will see Dora or Nemo or even a mermaid or two! Rounding out June is birthday night on June 25th.

July 9th is "Pie Night" rounds and wedges and a bakers dozen. Did I say that John will be calling at the Ocean Wavers on July 5th and MC at BCSDA's July 6th Picnic dance, and Spinners Birthday party on July 30th.

I hope to see you in a square at all of these dances. Just be sure to wear your Spinner Smile!!

So... mark them on your calendars and enjoy the dancing

See You in a square Jane Marus

MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE

Membership and square dance insurance dues are due. We are collecting for 2014. For those that belong to other clubs in addition to Single Spinners, please indicate on the card(s) that are included in the newsletter as to which club you intend to pay the insurance to. The Insurance Chairman for San Diego Square Dance Association has to check the lists we submit as members for ALL the clubs. A separate list is submitted as additional members that belong to another club, and we have to indicate that club and the association that club is affiliated with. (Such as Rusty Hinges is in the Back Country Association.)

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Homespun News

We are collecting the same as last vear. We do not know what Insurance from USDA but we are guessing little change. For those who are newer members of Spinners, the dues you paid was for 2013. Now we are collecting for the January 1, 2014 insurance year. ALL clubs in the SDSDA Association will be collecting dues/insurance in the near future, as the insurance money has to be sent for processing no later than November 1, so the clubs will have their insurance certificates for dancing in any facility on January 1, 2014. This includes those clubs that dance on December 31, as we will be dancing after midnight.

If anyone has a question regarding the square dance insurance, please talk to Dana or Lynn, and they can give you additional information.

Dues \$5.00 per person Insurance \$5.00 per person Newsletter \$7.00 per household (unless it is sent electronically)

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I have been hearing a lot about this and decided to include it as a warning Lynn D

June 2, 2013 (San Diego) -If you've eaten Townsend Farms Organic Antioxidant Blend frozen berries purchased at Costco in the past couple of weeks, you may have been exposed to hepatitis and should see your doctor immediately. A key concern is that retailers may have purchased the product in bulk for use in other products such as smoothies or frozen drinks. Thirty cases in five southwestern states have been reported thus far, including two in San Diego County. But the disease can take up to six weeks to occur after exposure, so cases are expected to rise.

Dr. Eric McDonald, the county's deputy public health officer warns that those exposed should seek medical treatment which may include a vaccine for Hepatitis A or treatment with immune globulin - unless you have already had the vaccine or the disease. If you don't have a healthcare provider, you can call the county's Epidemiology Program at (619) 692-8499.

Health officials don't yet know if the product was sold at other stores or markets. Over two-thirds (67%) of those sickened reported consuming the berry product, raising the potential that other contaminated products may exist or that the product may have been used by food establishments in other items served.

Nearly half-47%--of people sickened in this outbreak have been hospitalized with the viral liver infection, which is contagious, the U.S. Centers for Disease Control (CDC) has advised. The strain of the disease found in victims is one most commonly found in the Middle East and Africa; the product contains imported ingredients including pomegranate seeds.

Symptoms of Hepatitis A include fever, fatigue, loss of appetite, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, dark urine, clay- colored bowel movements, joint pain and jaundice -- a yellowing of the skin or eyes. The disease can last from several weeks to several months, according to the CDC.

Found some one line jokes to fill the last column enjoy

 \Box 43% of all statistics are worthless.

 \Box 7/5th of all people do not understand fractions.

 \Box 99% of lawyers are giving the rest a bad name.

□ A bachelor's life is no life for a single man.

 \Box A bad plan is better than no plan.

□ A bargain is something you don't need at a price you can't resist.

□ A beautiful relationship does not depend upon how good we understand someone but on how well we avoid misunderstandings.

 \Box A child of five would understand this. Send someone to fetch a child of five. —

Groucho Marx

□ A city is a large community where people are lonesome together.

□ A committee is a group of men who keep minutes and waste hours.

□ A computer once beat me at chess, but it was no match for me at kick boxing. — *Emo Philips*

□ A conclusion is simply the place where you got tired of thinking.

A day without sun shine is like, you know, night. □ A dictatorship would be a heck of a lot easier, there's no question about it. — *George W. Bush*

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