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OUR CONVENTION COMMING UP IN MARCH ** DATES NEXT MONTH

MESSAGE FROM THE VICE-PRESIDENT:

Since our President has gone south for the winter it is up to me to preside over the January 10th State Meeting to be held at the Fairgrounds in Rosesburg. You will have to bear with me as I don't know everything which sould be on the agenda. I will have to depend on those of you who know of something which needs discussion to attend and bring it up.

The IWA Hall at 1523 N. E. Vine Street in Roseburg will be open for jamming at 9:00 P.M. on January 9th. Doors of the Community Building at the Fairgrounds will open at 10:00 A.M on January 10th. Meeting will begin at 10:30. Potluck at 12:30 and doors open to the public at 1:30. Following is the "skeleton" agenda;

- 1. Review Plans for Convention
 - a. Report of Show Committee.
 - b. Report of Kitchen Committee.
 - c. Other Convention Reports.
 - Review plans for State Contest a. Report of Contest Committee.
 - b. Discussion of 1983 Contest Site.

3. Discussion of proposed amentments to By-Laws.

a. Change auditing date to June 30th so that books will be audited immediately prior to handing them over to the new secretary.

. Abolish the two year limitation on term of office for

Secretary, perhaps all offices?

4. Miscelaneous Reports.

a. Penny Mead - Clackamas College Audio-Visual Tape-State Contest.

b. Wayne Holmes - Convention Show Tapes

c. Bill Yohey - Traveling Trophy.

5. Discussion of request for the fiddlers to do a show for the Scio Grange Barbeque on July 17th, 1982. This would be for a fee.

NOTE: If any individual who is listed cannot attend, please mail me your report. Also, any Committee Chairman who cannot attend, please mail in reports of progress. District Chairman or Co-Chairman who cannot attend, please designate an alternate representative. Remember, I need all the help I can get!

Thank you,

Jim Deaton

DISTRICT 1

The Fiddlers played at various functions this past month, dances, dinners, parties. Always some can go when they are needed. We played at the Nursing and Apartment, too.

Our Christmas party was a fun thing. We had the Christmas story in pagent. Most everyone took part in it. Everyone played after a scrumptious meal and handing out gifts. We thank all those that helped make the

party a success.

Our next jam will be January 20th at the Shasta Grange Hall, corner of Madison and Shasta Way. Meeting at 1 PM. Our New Years eve party will be at Merrill Community Hall for fiddlers and guest. Doors will open 6 PM.

Our jam of the 20th was a good one despite bad weather. We had 16 fiddlers and 6 accompanist and a good crowd of listeners.

Fae Martin is home and getting along fine. Also, a number of our fiddling family have had the "old flu bug". We trust all are fine now.

Our new fiddler came out of the woodwork--- Betty Bruneau!!! Also HAPPY BIRTHDAY BETTY ON NEW YEARS DAY!

Anne Johnson, Reporter

DISTRICT 3

District 3 of Bend, met at the Senior Citizens Center Sunday December 6th. We enjoyed a dinner of Turkey & various "pot luck casseroles" and deserts. All very good. Thanks to everyone for their co-operation.

We had 13 fiddlers and as many back ups. The music sounded very good on a full tummy. We had 2 new eleven year old! I play their first time in front of an audience. Julie Ann Stenkamp and Danny Wayne Hanson. They are

Brian Hanson's cousins. We were happy to have him back this session too and his mother "Peggy" backing him. Some of our musicians have been playing for dances, for the Seniors at the Center.

We were sorry to hear Jane and Darrell Thompson lost their "Grandpa Thompson" - he was 99 years young. Our heartfelt sympathy to both of them. Wishing everyone a Healthy, Happy 1982. Keep on Fiddlin!

Bernie Hanson, Reporter

DISTRICT 4 HAPPY NEW YEAR

Approximately one hundred members and their families joined together on December 12th in Central Point for a very enjoyable and pleasant annual Christmas Party. In the afternoon, the fiddlers and their backups, in a sociable jam, supplied good dance music for a crowd of dancers. At 4:30 PM. a potluck Holiday Buffet was prepared and served by our ladies. Thank you, Juanita and Neva for a pretty Christmas tree and other decorations you brought and placed in the dining hall. This made for a most festive atmosphere. Following the buffet, the evening was spent jamming, sing, dancing, and visiting. Our thanks to Vic, for directing the program and to those who helped to put the hall back in order. We did miss many of our members who weren't in attendance.

Vice-Chairman, Dorothy Houston, has taken over the Chairmanship of District #4 upon the resignation of Gene Lowe, in November. Thank you, Gene and Mary, for the sharing of your time and efforts, with members of District #4. It was appreciated.

The State meeting and jam session will be held at the Douglas Co. fairgrounds in Roseburg on Sunday January 10th. Business meeting at 10:30 potluck meal at 12.30 and doors open to the public at 1:30 PM. There will a Saturday evening jam at the TWA Hall at 1523 N. E. Vine St. (Vine St is the first street behind the Montgomery Ward Store). The time will be after 9 P.M.

Best wishes go out to Tommy Grissom, who is recovering following surgery and to Beulah Wobbe, who is recovering after a medical stay in the hospital. Get well quickly, both of you. We miss you.

We wish to extend our condolences to Carvel Rost upon the death of your wife, Betty and to Annie Wagner, upon the loss of your mother. Our sincere and deep sympathy is offered to each of you.

Our February jam will be held Sunday Fev. 14th at the IOOF Hall in Gold Hill. A business meeting will be conducted at 10 AM with elections of officers for the comming year. Hopfully, many of our members will be in attendance. The doors will be open to the public at 1 PM. We will be having potluck at noon.

Marian Jorgenson, Reporter

DISTRICT 5

The members of District #5 would like to thank Leonard Maas, Joey McKenzie, Thelma Berg and all the rest of the fiddlers and accompanist who helped at our Jam in Florence Oct. 31st. We had the Sr. Citizens building filled to capacity with not even standing room. Had to turn away 50-60 people because there wasn't room. Everyone really enjoyed the music and

dancing. They are looking forward to having another jam in the furure. Will have to lacate a larger building next time. Thanks goes to Bundy and Ruth Albertoni for all their help in arranging for the jam. Sorry about our Christmas party, but I bet none of the other districts could have weather as we hat that nite. We do plan on combining Christmas and New Years Eve Party at the VFW providing the weather man is fairly good to us. If it is as stormy as the nite of the 5th, I would advise everyone to stay home. That's the safest place to be! Potluck at 6:30, will have our turkey and ham at that time. Also, our gift exchange. At the present we have nothing scheduled for January. We will have our election of officers in February, so remember that if your 1982 dues are not paid you will not be able to vote. So get those dues in!

Our best wishes for a speedy recovery goes out to Claude Strader, Dave Pinkerton, Norman Allen and all those who have been ill. Our condolences to the family of Ila Flynn, as she passed away on December 9th.

She will surely be missed.

Wishing all of you a Happy and Prosperous New Year and lots of good fiddlin!

There will be a retirement party for Roy Ziegler January 16th at the Mckinley Grange. No potluck, 7 P.M.

Barbara McLeod, Reporting

DISTRICT 6

The January meeting will be a very important one for our district, as it will be the annual business meeting for the election of officers for district 6. The place: Springfield Senior Center, January 17, 1982. Directions to the Senior Center are; cross the bridte, as you are heading east into Springfield, turn left (north) on Mill Street, which is the first street east of the bridge, go north to C street (about two or three blocks) turn left (west) on C and go one block and you're there.

Happy New Year!

Wayne Holmes, Reporting

DISTRICT 7

Our Christmas party was fun for all. Well attended by musicians and listeners. Thanks to everyone who helped with dinner and thanks to our Fiddlin Sant and good helpers. It was fun to find out they play the same fiddle tunes at the North Pole as we play here in Oregon, tunes like "Possum up a Gum Stump and Bulley of the Town".

January 10 jam will be held at the STUHR Sr. Center in Beaverton 5550 S. W. Hall Street. Doors open at 10 AM, 12 potluck, show from 1-4-5. February 14th will be at Gresham Sr. Center at 50 NE Elliott, just off Powell Blvd. This will be a business meeting to elect officer, so please come early for the meeting if possible. Doors open at 10AM, business meeting at 11:AM, potluck at noon and show from 1 to 4 or 5 PM.

Helen Hakanson, Reporter

DISTRICT 8 HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

Now that our Christmas Party is over, we had a large attendance, 42 events from 1 o'clock to 4 PM. with one hour of dancing. And of course we had food and food. Sooooo good.

Oh yes, Charlie Jensen found his fiddle bow right where he left it... at home where he was practicing. That's alright Charlie, we all forget things. Shows you are not alone.

Our January Jam Session will be at the Salem Sr. Center on Jan. 17th 1982. Doors open at 10 AM. Show for public starts at 1 PM. Potluck, remember we only have warming ovens. Bring own service. We will have a short business meeting starting about 11 AM.

Our February jam will be at McMinniville Grange Hall on February 21

1982.

Deanette Robinson, Reporter

CLACKAMAS COLLEGE REPORT

Classes in Country, Folk, Bluegrass will be offered again at Clackamas Community College starting Thursday 4-7 PM, or Saturday 9-12 AM, January 9th. Registration call 657-8400, Ext. 454.

IN REMEMBERANCE

Ila Flynn...Betty Rost....mother of Annie Wagner...Grandfather of Darrell & Jane Thompson.

ILLNESS....

Tommy Grissom, Claude Strader, Dave Pinkerton, Norman Allen. A speedy recovery to you all.

THANK YOU NOTES:

I want to thank the fiddlers and friends for all the cards letters and calls. Especially the party given for Betty Rost at the Bud Brown home. Its really nice to know so many care. Betty died December 5th. Thanks to all.

Carvil Rost

I wish to thank all the people who sent cards and flowers, especially the Old Time Fiddlers who came and played for me in the hospital.

Alta Bance

Thanks to you folks for the good wishes, while I was in the hospital. I am recovering nicely and able to fiddle a little already.

Dave Pinkerton

I wish to "Thank" you all for so many cards, flowers and visits from well wishers while I was recovering in Providence hospital. Sara Cade laughingly remarked that "we should buy the 1st floor, so many in at the same time". Another light stroke affecting my left hand and foot. Theraphy has helped and I'm home with a 4 prong walking cane to keep my balance. I fell down causing pulled and bruised chest muscles. It will take time. Home is a great place to be.

Beulah Wobbe District #4

I wish to thank everyone for the cards, flowers, phone calls, prayers while I was in the Portland Diabetes Center (Good Samartian) and after I come home. I am really doing great and feeling fine! Also, a big thank you to Bob & Dulcie Fast for housing Fred for that week and having a fiddle jam. Thanks to the fine people that were there and played to make a nite to remember for Fred. In other words, A GREAT BIG THANKS TO EVERYONE!





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Klamath Falls, Oregon 97601 Pols M. Tucker, Editor



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REGIONAL FIDDLE CONTEST

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Please make all chacks payable to the Eagle Aerie #2 Fiddlers Committee

Mail to: Midge E. 1405 Central, Spokane, Wn. 99207

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Junior 1st\$ 2nd 3rd	75.00 50.00	Junior \$200.00 \$150.00 \$100.00 \$50.00	Men \$250.00 \$200.00 \$150.00 \$100.00	\$400.00 \$300.00 \$200.00 \$100.00
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The first 8 places in each divison will receive a trophy also.

North West Regional Fiddlers' Contest March 25- 26- 27 Tentative Time Schedule

Thursday Day Evening	8:00 to 11:00 11:00 to 2:00 ' 2:00 to 4:00 4:00 to 5:30 7:30 to 8:30 8:45 to 9:45	Senior Round 1 Junior-Junior Round 1 Senior Round 2 Junior-Junior Round 2 Senior Finals Junior-Junior Finals
Friday Day Evening	8:00 to 11:00 11:00 to 2:00 2:00 to 4:00 4:00 to 5:30 7:30 to 8:30 8:45 to 9:45	Junior Round 1 Ladies Round 1 Junior Round 2 Ledies Round 2 Junior Finals Ladies Finals
Saturday Day	8:60 to 10:00 10:00 to 2:00 2:00 to 3:15 3:15 to 4:30 4:30 to 5:30	Open Round 1 Men Round 1 Open Round 2 Men Round 2 Open Round 3
Evening	7:30 to 8:30 8:30 to 9:30	Men's Finals Open Finals

The Northwest Regional Fiddle Contest this year will be Sponspered by the Eagles Kerie # 2
Hosted by Spokane Falls College Student Body in Association with the Wn. Old Time Fiddlers.
It will be Held at Spokane Falls Community College.

NOTE: There are some very reasonable rates on the dorms and plenty of camper parking spaces available. For reservations on the rooms information send a self address envelope to the contest chairman.

Contest Chairman: Jim Eisele, Rt. 2, Box 47, Chattaroy WN. 99003 phone 509 238-4253.