



THE STRAIGHT SHOOTER

APRIL 2011



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Greetings from Mr. Anonymous:

With Anni and his Lordship visiting their realm in the southern hemisphere, Mr. Anonymous is honored to have been selected to write her monthly notes to the Straight Shooter. Various e-mails from down under informed me that they arrived safely. His Lordship came down with a nasty cold; however they are doing well and visiting friends and family around the country.

During March, both of our dances were held at the "Complex" and did you notice that the weather was not in our favor. The March 5 Mardi Gras theme dance, with DJs Mike & Joyce, was attended by a hearty crowd with many dancers wearing their colorful necklaces and masks. During the evening board members received some very positive comments about the pleasant environment, the good floor and especially the closeness and cleanliness of the restrooms.

Due to the ugly weather on March 19, there was no "Blue Moon" visible for the dance at the "Complex". A dedicated group of dancers braved the wind and rain to dance to tunes selected by Neil "The King" Hale, who had struggled in the wind and rain to

move his equipment up those steep steps while dancers had to sidestep the puddles and hold on tight to their umbrellas. Even though there was low attendance, a "special thanks" has to be extended to a spirited group of generous members who pitched in and bought extra 50/50 tickets to help defray the evening's costs. Since Mike Shannon was tired of telling St. Patty's Day jokes, Judy Romanenkov volunteered and almost had the crowd rolling off their seats.....good joke Judy.

Yes, we do have three dances in April. On April 2nd, we will return to Barrett for "Pocket Power" DJ'd by Gary Clayton. On the 16th Mike & Joyce will don their Easter Bonnets and spin the tunes. And on the 30th, Jeanette & Tina will be on stage for your dancing pleasure.

Two points of interest to remember: there will be NO dance on May 7th, and the Black & White Ball has been rescheduled for May 21st. Also, it will soon be time to think about electing new board members.....do you want to help run your dance club?

Welcome back Anni & Richard.....

Happy trails to you all.....

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Mr. Anonymous

Local Area Line Dance Classes**Michael Barr (530) 824-6888**E-Mail: webmaster@michaelandmichele.comWebsite: www.michaelandmichele.com**Wed Evenings San Mateo**

For registration call (650) 522-7440

Beginner-7:30 The Next Step-8:30

2720 Alameda de las Pulgas

**Jeanette Feinberg (650) 755-8049** E-Mail: jmf720@aol.com**Monday Evenings**-285 Abbott Ave Daly City

Beginner-7:00 to 8:00 pm- Intermediate-8:00 to 9:00 pm

Tuesday Mornings-33 Arroyo, So San Francisco

Beginner class 10:15-11:30 AM

Tuesday afternoon-1:30 to 2:30 PM Basic Beginner

Larcombe Hall 101 Lake Merced Blvd Daly City

Wednesday Morning -Intermediate 9 to 10 am

San Bruno Senior Center- 1555 Crystal Springs Rd San Bruno

Wednesday Afternoon Advanced Beginner Class 1:15-2:45 PM

Larcome Hall, 101 Lake Merced Blvd, Daly City

**Evelyn Khinoo (650) 325-6913**E-Mail: ekhinoo@sbcglobal.net**Tuesdays 7 to 9 PM—Palo Alto**

Intermediate/Advanced

Lucie Stern Center 1305 Middlefield

**Diana Ward (650)359-2599**E-Mail: didi8854@aol.com**Thursdays 9:00-Daly City**

Intermediate-151 Lake Merced Dr

Thursdays 3 pm-Pacifica Comm Ctr

540 Crespi Dr at Hwy 1-Pacifica

Thursday Evenings-Brisbane

7:30 High Intermediate/Adv

Friday 8:30 am-Daly City Intermediate 101 Lake Merced Dr**Mike & Joyce Shannon (408) 378-7096**E-Mail: info@dancinshamrocks.comWebsite: dancinshamrocks.com**Mon 7 to 9 PM & Wed 2 to 4 PM (Mike & Joyce)****St. Thomas of Canterbury Church**

1522 McCoy Ave San Jose

Mon Basic beginner 10:30 to 11:15 AM (Joyce)**Advanced beginner/Intermediate 12:30 to 2:30 PM****(Joyce)**

Cypress Senior Center 403 South Cypress San Jose

Mon All levels 1:30 to 3:30 PM (Mike)

Southside Senior Center 5585 Cottle Rd San Jose

Wed 10:10 to 11:40 AM Beginner 2+

11:40 to 1:10 Beginner 2

Cupertino Senior Center (Mike)

Fri 12 to 1:30 PM -Beginner

1:30 to 3:30 PM -Intermediate

Cupertino Senior Center (Mike)

21251 Stevens Creek Blvd Cupertino

**Cathy Dacumos (650) 574-7948**E-Mail: cch3@att.net**Monday morning:** High beginner -9:00 to 10:15 am

Easy Intermediate -10:15 to 11:30 am

Veterans Memorial Senior Center

1455 Madison Ave Redwood City

Thursday afternoon: Beginner -1:30 to 2:45 pm Intermediate -2:45 to 4:00 pm

San Carlos Adult Community Center 601 Chestnut St San Carlos

Thursday evening: Beginner 7 to 8:15 pm

Community Activities Bldg 1400 Roosevelt Ave Redwood City

**Hedy McAdams****(650) 325-3371**Website: danceadventures.com**Thursdays 10:00AM to 12:35 PM**

Beginning classic line dances: 10:00 to 10:45 AM

Intermediate classic line dances: 10:55 to 11:45 AM

Advanced classic line dances: 11:50 AM to 12:35 PM

Lucie Stern Community Center**1305 Middlefield Rd Palo Alto****Jamie Hogan (650) 207-1902**Website: silvercreekdjanddance.comE-Mail: silver_creek@prodigy.net

Dances held on second Fridays at

Barrett Community Center Belmont

**Country Swingers Dance Club**

Lessons: Thursdays 7 to 9 PM

Lolly Hansen Senior Center 375 East 9th Street, Tracy

For info call 209-608-0632 or email rosfam@pacbell.net

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CQS Board 2010-2011

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Monthly Financial Summary

<u>February 2011</u>	Income	Expense
Admission & 50/50	959.00	
Hall Rental		\$ 480.00
DJ		510.00
Insurance		10.40
P.O. Box fee		140.00
Refreshments		14.41
Flyers, postage, Shooter & gifts		147.64
Month Totals	\$959.00	\$1302.45
Bank Balance: \$685.29	Cash \$120.00	
CD Balance: \$9,990.48		

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

Ted Roehm April 2
 Mary Angelmier April 3
 Herb Steinkraus April 16
 Kathy Flanagan April 19
 Donna Case April 21
 Dolores Meeks April 21
 Janet Clayton April 22
 Vivian Tracy April 24
 Anne Jordan April 25
 Ann Margulies April 25



IN OTHER WORDS: The sets of words below at left (1-14), if spoken aloud, sound like phrases that are loosely equivalent to the definitions on the right (A-N). Can you match them? For example, in #1, "Day, catch, ants" sounds like "Take a chance", which would match with the letter L (Risk it).

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| 1. Day, catch, ants | A. A couple of days |
| 2. Eggs, salmon, Haitian | B. Cheap laborers |
| 3. Fallen, tears | C. Constitutional right |
| 4. Foghorn, corn, clues, shun | D. Exactly as it appears |
| 5. Ford, D. A., towers | E. Final |
| 6. Freeze, peach | F. Follow orders |
| 7. Ghetto, moo, fawn | G. Guesswork |
| 8. Honor, spirit, hum, omen | H. Health food trait |
| 9. Hugh, wane, sea, nutty, nyet | I. Impulsively |
| 10. Local, lust, troll | J. Inevitable result |
| 11. Pea, your, speckle, Asian | K. Lincoln's headache |
| 12. Toad, align | L. Risk it |
| 13. Warp, eat, wean, distastes | M. Shake a leg |
| 14. Watcher, cease, watch, egret | N. We've only just begun |

Answers
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50/50 Winners

March 5: Victoria Garcia, Ricky Kwok,
 Jeanette Feinberg

March 19: Judy Steinkraus, Vickie Newman, Helene



Boots 'n' Buckles

Dances every Friday night 8-11 PM
 Every 4th Friday at Swiss Park, all other
 Fridays at Centerville Community Center
 3355 Country Dr Fremont
bootsnbucklesdanceclub.com



Country Hustlers
 Danville—2nd & 4th
 Saturdays 7:30 to 10:30 pm
 Check website for dance nformation



Cactus Corners
 @ The Grange
 743 Diablo Rd
 Danville
 Dances 1st Friday
 & 3rd Saturday
 7:30-11:00 pm
www.cactuscorners.com



Tracy Country Swingers:

Dances at San Joaquin River Club 30,000 Kasson Rd Tracy
 For dates and times contact:
 Phone: 209-608-0632 Email: rosofam@pacbell.net

First Sunday Dance

DJs-Tina Beare &
 Jeanette Feinberg
 San Bruno Senior Center
 1555 Crystal Springs
 San Bruno
 1:00 to 4:00 pm
skybearthmom@att.net
 or jmf720@aol.com



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March 5
Mardi Gras dance



March 19
Blue Moon dance



Puzzle Answers:

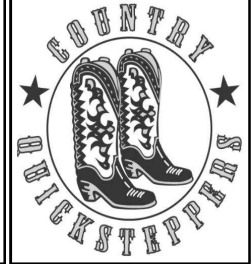
- 1-L Take a chance
- 2-E Examination
- 3-B Volunteers
- 4-J Foregone conclusion
- 5-A Forty-eight hours
- 6-C Free speech
- 7-M Get a move on
- 8-I On the spur of the moment
- 9-N You ain't seen nothing' yet
- 10-H Low cholesterol
- 11-G Pure speculation
- 12-F Toe the line
- 13-K War between the states
- 14-D What you see is what you get



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April 2-Pocket Power

DJ-Gary Clayton

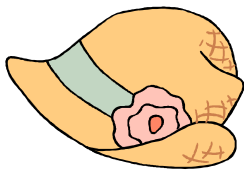
Barrett Community Center



April 16-Easter Bonnet

DJs-Mike & Joyce

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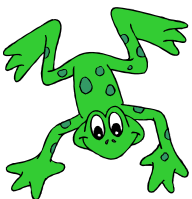


April 30-

It's Not Easy Being Green!

DJs-Tina & Jeanette

Barrett Community Center



DANCE TIMES 7:30 TO 10:30 PM

MEMBERS \$8.00

NON-MEMBERS \$10.00

Directions to Barrett Community Center: 1835 Belburn Dr. Belmont

From 101: take Ralston Ave exit, go west & cross El Camino. Continue for 1 1/2 miles and turn right on Avon, then left on Belburn.

From 280: Take Ralston Ave exit, go east & cross Alameda, turn left on Avon, then left on Belburn



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