



THE STRAIGHT SHOOTER

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A note from Anni:

Anni Wunderlich, President.

Hello everyone:

I hope your New Year has started off well, and continues this way throughout 2009.



Once again our New Year's Eve, "Glitz at the Ritz Goes for the Gold" was a huge success, and DJ's EVELYN 'n DENNY kept the floor filled all evening. People to thank: Dolores, for her outstanding table settings; each year she comes up with yet another fantastic idea. She is so talented. All of you who came early and helped set-up, and stayed late to clean-up; our floor show performers .. "Big George and his Cup Cake Cloggers" (George, Donna and Diana), "The Great Flydini and his attractive assistant "Miss Flutter-butt" (Bernie and Jeanette), and from the Disney Assisted Living Facility, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" (Mike, Joyce, Martie, Joanne, Lorraine, Jim, Richard and Anni). Also 'thank you' to Ricky Kwok and Laura Ma for their generous donation of eight door prizes, which made a total of sixteen door prizes this year. We do have Twin Pines again this year, but the price has gone up, so we'll need your support; please mark CQ's NYE on your calendar.

January 3 was our "Yikes! It's 2009" dance with the King, Neil Hale. What can I say, Neil always does a great job, and 60+ people, just oozing with energy, were there to support him, the place was jumping.

Sixty plus people also attended our "Back to Country" on January 17, with JAMIE, Mary and Joey. Jamie's dances always have a party atmosphere, and everyone had such a good time. Ray and Kathy Flanagan were there, they haven't been to a Quicksteppers dance for about 7 years, and Faith and Ron Appel brought along their cute little 'adopted' grand-daughter, Lizzy, she helped Vickie sell the raffle tickets. Who could resist her?

Our next dance is on January 31, "Superbowl Saturday" with GARY Clayton. We haven't seen Gary for a while, so come along and support him in your favorite team's colors. Some "Superbowl" snacks would be appreciated too. February 7, "Red is for Valentines" with MIKE 'n JOYCE. February 21, "Mardi Gras" with NEIL HALE.

Unfortunately we're losing our Webmaster, Belinda Cheng. Belinda offered her expert services at the right time, we had an ailing website and Belinda made it what it is today, a website to be proud of. Thank you Belinda. However, we do have a new Webmaster, Shirley Sellers, (thanks to Joyce & Mike), but more about her in our next Straight-shooter.

Anni

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Line Dance Classes Taught By Club Members

Michael Barr (530) 824-6888

E-Mail: webmaster@michaelandmichele.com

Website: 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

San Mateo



Jeanette Feinberg (650) 755-8049

E-Mail: jmf720@aol.com

Monday Evenings-Daly City

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

Tuesday SSF Senior Center- 33 Arroya, SSF

Beginner Class 9:15-10:15 AM

Wed 9 to 10 am-San Bruno

San Bruno Senior Center 1555 Crystal Springs Rd

Wednesday Beginner Class-I:15-2:30 PM

Larcome Hall,99 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

Thursday Evenings-Redwood City

Red Morton Community Activities Building

1400 Roosevelt Ave

Beginner-7:00 to 8:10 PM

Intermediate/Advanced— 8:20 to 9:30 PM



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



Cathy Dacumos (650) 574-7948

E-Mail: cch3@att.net

Monday: 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: Beginner –1:30 to 2:45 pm

Intermediate –2:45 to 4:00 pm

San Carlos Adult Community Center 601 Chestnut St



Mike & Joyce Shannon (408) 378-7096

E-Mail: info@dancinshamrocks.com

Website: dancinshamrocks.com

**Mon 7pm & Wed 2pm San Jose
St. Thomas of Canterbury Church**

Mon 1:30pm Southside Sr Ctr-SJ

Wed & Fri Cupertino Sr Ctr-Cupt



Jamie Hogan (650) 207-1902

Website: silvercreekdjanddance.com

E-Mail: silver_creek@prodigy.net

Masonic Center, Menlo Park 2nd Fridays



Hedy McAdams

(650) 325-3371

Website: danceadventures.com

Tuesdays 7-9:15 PM:

Beginning line & couples: 7:05-8:20 PM

Intermediate line & couples: 7:55-9:15 PM

Open dancing: 7:50-8:20 PM

All Saints Episcopal Church-555 Hamilton Ave, Palo Alto

Thursdays 10:00 AM-12:35 PM

Beginning classic line dances; 10:00-10:45 AM

Intermediate classic line dances: 10:55-11:40 AM

Advanced classic line dances: 11:50-12:35 PM

Lucie Stern Community Center, 1305 Middlefield Rd., Palo Alto



Matt & Carol Kirkpatrick (650) 359-2103

E-Mail: coastlnctrydncr@aol.com

Website: www.lehuanet.com/coastsidekickers

Thursday Nights 7 pm—Pacifica

Pacifica Community Center, Crespi Dr



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On our website; www.countryquicksteppers.com

CQS Board 2008-2009

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 Belinda Cheng
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Monthly Financial Summary

<u>DEC 2008</u>	<u>Expenses</u>	<u>Income</u>
Income from dances	\$1678	
Including admissions		
50/50 and NY Eve		
Donation for Hall	650	
DJs		\$ 910.00
Hall		1055.00
Shooter & Decorations		166.07
Monthly Totals	\$2328	\$2131.07
Bank Balance	\$1229.16	Cash \$120.00
CD Balance:	\$9,761.79	

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Carol Clark Feb 2
 Faith Appel Feb 16
 Tina Beare Feb 16
 George Nickum Feb 17
 Andrea Sullivan Feb 21
 Michael Shannon Feb 25



O SAY, CAN YOU SEA?

Each pair of countries below (1-12) is separated by one of the bodies of water listed on the right (A-L). Can you match them up, without looking at a globe or atlas?

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|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Australia & New Zealand | A. Adriatic Sea |
| 2. Croatia & Italy | B. Baltic Sea |
| 3. Denmark & United Kingdom | C. Black Sea |
| 4. France & United Kingdom | D. English Channel |
| 5. Greece & Italy | E. Gulf of Aden |
| 6. Iran & Saudi Arabia | F. Ionian Sea |
| 7. Latvia & Sweden | G. North Sea |
| 8. Morocco & Spain | H. Persian Gulf |
| 9. Philippines & Vietnam | I. Red Sea |
| 10. Saudi Arabia & Sudan | J. South China Sea |
| 11. Somalia & Yemen | K. Strait of Gibraltar |
| 12. Turkey & Ukraine | L. Tasman Sea |

Answers:
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50/50 Winners

Jan 3: Lorraine Kurtela, Joyce Shannon, Judy Romanenkov
Jan 17: Jan Hanway, Shirley Tam, Gail Harden, Bernie Feinberg

Boots 'n' Buckles

Most Friday Nights
 8-11 PM
 Check website for dates and locations



bootsnbucklesdanceclub.com

Visit Our Club Website

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And more:

- Classes
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www.countryquicksteppers.com

Country Hustlers

Danville—2nd & 4th
Saturdays 7:30 to 10:30 pm
 Check website for dance Information
www.countryhustlers.com/index.htm



Matt & Carol

(650) 359-2103
Fourth Friday Dance
 Pedro Point Firehouse



Email:
coastintrydncr@aol.com

First Sunday Dance

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



Cactus Corners

@ The Grange
 743 Diablo Road Danville
 Dances 1st Friday & 3rd Saturday
 7:30-11:00 pm



www.cactuscorners.com



NEW YEAR'S EVE-GLITZ AT THE RITZ



MEET PETE & NORMA

Pete and Norma live in Pleasanton. They met at the Cowboy Country Club in Pleasanton 15 years ago. Pete grew up in Alamo and has his own business as a Residential Appraiser. He has three grown children, one granddaughter, and one great-granddaughter. He enjoys golfing and line dancing, and plans on retiring in three years. He also enjoys cooking and is, without a doubt, the best cake baker.

Norma worked at the Lawrence Radiation Lab in Berkeley, and as a receptionist at the student loan office at UC Berkeley. In 1972 she quit working to stay home and raise her children, and did babysitting for eight years. She now enjoys line dancing four times a week and is also in a Senior Tap Dancing group in Castro Valley. Norma has two grown children, one deceased child, and six grandchildren.

When the Cowboy Country Club closed in Pleasanton, Norma and Pete felt a little lost. Cactus Corners and the Hustlers took them under their wings and made them welcome. Now Boots 'n' Buckles and Quicksteppers have done the same. They formed a line dance group called the Drifters which meets every other month for a pot luck meeting, and they also go on outings. As you may have noticed, this group drifts around and supports all the local clubs.

Pete and Norma are also part of the Seven Expressions group that put on a program for the annual Michael Barr and Michele Burton event in Corning, "Boogie 'til the Cows Come Home". They are working now with Lorraine Kurtela on a new skit for this year's Boogie. Pete and Norma love all their line dancing friends, and feel many of them are like family.

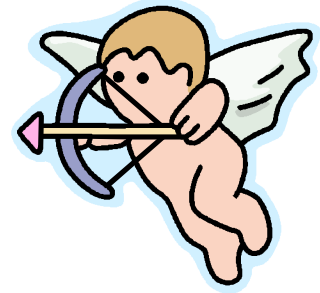




FEB 7 RED is for VALENTINE'S



DJs Mike & Joyce



Barrett Community
Center

FEB 21 MARDI GRAS



DJ-Neil Hale



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 Drive, Belmont

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

From 280: Take Ralston exit, travel east. Cross Alameda de las Pulgas, turn left on Avon, then left on Belburn

For more information on other Dance Venues visit these websites:

www.countryquicksteppers.com

www.linedancefun.com

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/bayarealinedancing>

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1381 Hillcrest Blvd., Millbrae

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Fax: 650-692-8628

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in the Shooter:**

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\$15/mo

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Email:

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PUZZLE ANSWER:

1. L (Tasman Sea)
2. A (Adriatic Sea)
3. G (North Sea)
4. D (English Channel)
5. F (Ionian Sea)
6. H (Persian Gulf)
7. B (Baltic Sea)
8. K (Strait of Gibraltar)
9. J (South China Sea)
10. I (Red Sea)
11. E (Gulf of Aden)
12. C (Black Sea)



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