You had to be there or be square- last weekend was a blast!

Let's talk about lucky. Barbara R won the Friday night half and half- yay, and then Marilyn S who won at her home club Moose Promenaders on Thursday night, won again on Saturday night! Maybe if we rub on her shoulder or something it will work for someone else- kinda like rubbing a Budda belly for good luck.

After our traditional brown bag dinner Friday night- at which several conscientious eaters had salads- (you know who I am talking about Steve and Carol C), we proceeded to have a not so typical Friday night dance- because of visitors we had not only a large audience, but five squares much of the evening! Bill called one of my favorites King of the Road which surprised some of our newer dancers with its changing tempo. Laura from the campground joined us so we had 4 Lauras most of the evening. Audrey and Bruce, the honeymooners returned to us- congrats! Gail and Gary L paid us a visit. Susan, as always cued some wonderful dances including Uptown Girl, and I don't think I have ever mentioned how pretty it is when she plays Tumbleweed. Those of us not too tired enjoyed an after party in the club house.

Saturday morning residents of the campground served a delicious breakfast, tempting even those of us who normally don't indulge- many thanks! A small group of us played cards-(Bob, Martha, Laura R and Wendy) and then Marilyn and Ron led a group of us who are planning a transatlantic cruise leaving in just two weeks. Lolly and Allan were perhaps the most creative, Marilyn providing the materials and she and Ron providing the technology.

Bill and Susan both led workshops that afternoon- I am sorry that I can't dance in the afternoon and again in the evening because my knee won't take it- so of course Bill and Susan both taught things to be danced later in the evening, and let's just say that for some of us the results weren't pretty for those of us who missed the workshops.

It always pleases me to see the variety of excellent food served at our covered dish dinners. Mary C and I both made meatballs (next time I will check with her). Jill prepared a wonderful pineapple and cheese dish. Can someone tell me who made what I learned to call the red neck caviar (beans, tomatoes, chopped veggies etc)- it was yum. Everything was terrific, let's not forget the desserts!

Ed and Evelyn visited us on Saturday night- you guys are always appreciated. The music flowed, the friendships flourished, many wearing the green to celebrate St Patrick's Day which was Monday. Following the dance, some of us went to the campfire sponsored by Ron and Allan- so peaceful and to me hypnotic.

Dennis and I want to give a big shout out to Tom, Marshall, and Adam who did plastic surgery on our camper which was missing some panels- you guys rock! Thank you Mary C who keeps us organized, Bill and Susan who lead our dancing, and everyone who attended.

Don't forget our April campout which will be at Stephen Foster state park.

Keep our ill members in your thoughts and prayers- especially Carolyn S.

Thank you for being friends!

Laura R