

Newsletter for Boots "N" Buckles

March 1990

Presidents Message

Hi everyone, it is time for another Monthly report. This month we had a very special birthday - Mary Hendricks celebrated her 70th birthday with us! We had cake and presented Mary with a pass for one year of free dancing at Boots 'N Buckles. She then danced her favorite dance, the swing, with one of her first students, Robert Royston. Mary is one of the founders of Boots 'N Buckles.

On March 9th we will be having a <u>Dance</u> <u>Demonstration</u> by many of our competition dancers. Plan on attending this special event. The weekend of March 17 and 18 these same people will be competing in Santa Rosa at the 5th Annual North Bay International. Try to attend this competition and support our dancers. You can ask anyone on the Board or any of the dancers for information on this event.

Miller Stockman Western Wear Store has provided discount cards for all B 'N B members. You can pick up your card at the door.

Due to a mixup with Swiss Park our March 2 dance was canceled. They have agreed to reschedule that dance on SATURDAY, JUNE 2. Mark this date on your calendar as it will be a special event. Watch for details in the newsletter.

I would like to thank everyone once again for your support. If anyone has any suggestions or special requests, please let me know.

I hope everyone has a happy and pleasant month.

Shirley Johnson

Membership Renewal Time

Club Membership Renewal

March is the month for our annual membership renewal. Please follow these directions to renew your membership in Boots 'N Buckles.

- 1. Tear off the front page of the news letter with your mailing address label.
- 2. Verify that the name and address on your mailing label is correct. If not, please print corrections in the space provided.
- Attach to the renewal application a check for \$12.00 per year for each member.
- Bring your application with your check to any Friday night dance, or mail to Boots 'N Buckles.
- After processing, you will receive a new membership card.



Thank You

The Boots 'N Buckles board received a note of thanks from Tri-City Volunteers, Inc. They expressed their thanks to each of you for your contributions which enabled them to provide emergency food, clothing and household goods to those in need. Thanks again!

Club News

Valentines Dance

The Boots 'N Buckles Valentines Dance was a great success! Many thanks to the group who put together the fabulous decorations and the great food for the Valentines Dance. The committee included: Jan & Al Barabe, Karen & Gail Cone, Karen & John Flatbush, Karylene Stoker, Corky Walker and Cindy Vincent. A great big thanks, too, for the help with clean up.

Search for Band

We are always looking for the names of live bands that we can hire for our special dances. If anyone should hear a good local C.W. band, please get a business card or phone number and give it to Bill Jackson at the door.

Plan Ahead

Picnic Time

Mark your calendar for a picnic on June 2. Boots 'N Buckles will have a picnic at Swiss Park followed by workshops and a dance. This will be a fun special event, so reserve this date!

Annual Outing

We will repeat one of our favorite club activities this summer - the annual outing at BUCK NORRED. The date will be August 26, so mark your calendar now! Look for more details in upcoming newsletters.

QUICK STEPPERS

The Country Quick Steppers will hold two regular dances in March. The March 3 dance will be held at the Veterans Memorial Building at 1455 Madison in Redwood City. The March 17th dance will be held at Bowditch Middle School, 1300 Beach Park Blvd. in foster City. Dances begin at 8:30pm.

In addition, a special "beginner" dance is scheduled for March 24 at Bowditch School with Pat Nowlan.

West 40 Club

The West 40 Club, located at 871 West "A" Street in Hayward, offer dance lessons taught by Dave West and Carla Martinez. They feature Beginner Lessons on Thursday evenings and Intermediate lessons on Wednesdays. Classes run from 7 to 9 pm and cost \$2 per person. Call (415) 783-1882 for more information.

A special CHA-CHA and Swing class will be held on March 24 and 25. The program includes the following:

March 24:

Beginning Cha Cha - \$15 - 2 - 3:30 pm Intermediate Cha Cha - \$15 - 3:30 - 5 pm Dinner - \$5 - 5 - 6 pm Intermediate/Advanced West Coast Swing - \$15 - 6 - 7:30 pm All three classes - \$35.

March 25:

Beginner/Intermediate West Coast Swing
- \$15 - 2 - 4 pm
Intermediate/Advanced West Coat Swing
- \$15 - 4 - 5 pm
Dinner - \$5 - 5 - 6 pm
Both classes \$25
Call (415) 732-6257 for more information.