



Southeast Texas Dulcimer Friends

Meeting the second Saturday of each month
Rosedale Baptist Church, 7110 Concord Road, Beaumont, Texas
1:30 – until



June 2012

From The Prez:

The pace of life is accelerating. The demands of work have really increased this year. You may have seen some of Motiva's troubles on the news. The demands of home-school are also increasing as the kids advance in grades and are preparing for college. I hate that I have now missed two club meetings in a row due to these competing priorities. Thank you, Suellen, for scheduling the Silsbee Oaks play at a time when I am able to be there. I'm looking forward to seeing all our dulcimer friends at our next meeting.

Let's jam!

Steve Clark

Darrell's Dulci-News:

Lots of the SETD Friends made the Beaumont Health Center and the monthly play for Silsbee Oaks, with lunch following the plays.

June 28 our Snak N Jam was held in Buna, TX at the First Methodist Church and hosted by Van and Mary Beth Hunt. It was a GREAT success. Several of the SETD Friends and folks from the Sam Rayburn club participated. Also in the crowd were Ray and Eunice from Crockett. Eunice plays the autoharp expertly. We were kept in rhythm with an upright bass played by Vergil Hammock from Hemphill. In addition, we had delicious snacks and good fellowship.

Darrell Hall



Hazel's Notes:

We had a great group at the June meeting. If you missed the meeting, you can check the "June" folder for the tune that was taught. I will not be at the July meeting due to the fact that I had another commitment for that weekend, another

of one of my many hobbies, scrapbooking! This is a fundraising scrapbook gathering that I attend each year in July. It happens to fall on our meeting date this year. Besides, two of my daughters will also be there, and it gives us a chance to scrapbook together.

I hope that some of you are not just discarding or putting aside the tunes that we learn at the meetings each month. They are for you to practice at home to help you build your list of tunes as well as, if we are good enough, to add them to our club list of tunes to play outside the club when asked.

Glossary of Musical Terms

Accent: An unusual manner of pronunciation, e.g. "Y'all sang that real good."

Da capo al fine: I like your hat!

Flute: A sophisticated pea shooter with a range of 500 yards, blown transversely to confuse the enemy. (aha jokes)

Hazel Hall



Happy July Birthday to:

Houston Weaver	05
Glynda May	06
Steve Clark	16
Keith Faske	24
Gary Cash	25

Upcoming Plays:

August 14: 10am, Beaumont Health Center, Bmt.

Upcoming Festivals:

To find all the Dulcimer Festivals across the USA, go to

www.everythingdulcimer.com

Click on “Find a Festival” icon.

ITEMS OF INTEREST:

Club Playbook, a collection of tunes
Club T-Shirts (See Suellen Weaver for details.)



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Will McLean
Secretary/Treasurer

No minutes were turned in.