



Grin-n-Square It

The "Fun Club" of El Monte

NEWSLETTER December 2019

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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Hello boys and girls,
Our general meeting was held on Sunday Nov 3 at the Duarte Elks Lodge. We held elections for our board for 2020 and, SURPRISE, there were no changes to report. So, at this time, I would like to thank all those who held an office, either elected or appointed, for a job well done in 2019 and we are looking forward to another good year in 2020. Congratulations to the 2020 board.

Ballots for Square Dancer of the Year are available. Please be sure to vote by the November dance. Winners will be announced at the Christmas Party. Our dancers of the year will also represent the club at the Sweetheart Ball.

The Club Christmas Party will be Friday, Dec 6, at Annia's Kitchen at the El Monte Airport.

See more details in the newsletter.

Be sure to check the flier table for coming events.

Be a Cooperative Dancer:

It might be said that square dancing is an activity where everyone is responsible for everyone else's happiness. A square is not made up of eight individuals working independently, but rather as one unit with no individual person attempting to show off or be a star. The real please comes when each person does his share making the square run smoothly.

7th of 10 Commandments of square dancing:

Thou shalt take care that the words of thy mouth are not scented with garlic or alcohol.

Well, that is all I have for now. See you in a square.

Randy & Pat Thorpe

BOARD MEETING

Monday, Dec. 2, at Randy & Pat Thorpe's home. The meeting starts at 7:30 pm. All club members are welcome.

DRAWING

Trudy Hite's name was drawn for the official visitation in October to the Major Keys and she was not there so the pot goes up.

Fundraiser

Randy has set up the third Tuesday of the month to have breakfast, lunch, or dinner at Cabrera's Mexican Restaurant 1856 E. Huntington Dr. Duarte. Bring friends and family and tell your server you are with the Square Dance Club and be sure to write it on the bill.

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KITCHEN DUTY

Dec
Dark

Jan

John & Karen Van Cise
Don & Lynn Pearson

Feb

Bob & Connie Macomber
Carl Heinrich & Tammy Fore

KITCHEN DUTY REMINDER:

Check your calendar and if you have a conflict, please trade with someone and let the VP's and the newsletter editors know.

Kitchen helpers should be at the dance no later than 7:00 p.m.



December

- 06 Trudy Hite
- 08 Don Pearson
- 16 Bill Abbott
- 17 Connie Macomber
- 19 John Van Cise
- 21 Kay Trigo
- 22 Sandie Fender



December

23 Don & Lynn Pearson

SUNSHINE



Norine Millice is recovering at home from her surgery.

*Mark your
calendars*



Christmas party coming on Friday, December 6, at Annia's Kitchen, 4233 Santa Anita Avenue, El Monte at the San Gabriel Valley Airport.

November/December **Dance and Visitation Schedule**

<p>Saturday, Nov. 23</p> <p>OFFICIAL</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Rustlers United Methodist Church 12741 Main Street Garden Grove Rounds 7:30 – Squares 8:00 to 10:30 “Honor Red, White, & Blue”</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Mike Seastrom</p>
<p>Friday, Nov. 29</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sets in Step Knights of Columbus 2657 Honolulu Montrose Squares 8:00 to 10:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Darren Gallina</p>
<p>Friday, Dec. 06</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Annia’s Kitchen 4233 Santa Anita Avenue El Monte San Gabriel Valley Airport</p>	
<p>Saturday, Dec. 07</p> <p>OFFICIAL</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">12th Annual Chips for Kids Community of Christ Church 9468 Broadway Temple City Squares 2:30 pm to 5:00 pm Suggested Donation: \$10.00 Or one unwrapped toy valued \$10.00 or more</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Various</p>
<p>Friday, Dec. 13</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Orange Coast Lariats Women’s Club of Garden Grove 9501 Chapman Ave. Garden Grove Rounds 7:30 – Squares 8:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Buddy Weaver</p>
<p>Friday, Dec. 20 to Wednesday, Dec. 25</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Merry Christmas</p>	
<p>Friday, Dec. 27 Tuesday, Dec. 31</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Happy New Year</p>	

Grin 'n Square It Annual Christmas Party

Merry Christmas



*Friday, December 6. Cocktails at 6:30 p.m.; Dinner at 7:30 p.m.
Location: Annia's Kitchen, 4233 Santa Anita Avenue, El Monte*

Buffet Dinner

Salad

Tri Tip

Mashed Potatoes with Gravy

Mixed Vegetables

Chicken Picado with Rice and Beans

Dessert will be Apple Pie and Ice Cream

Price includes chips and salsa, soft drinks, ice tea, coffee.

Cost: \$28.00 per person

Make checks payable to Grin 'n Square It, and send to

Bill and Genny Abbott by December 4

1159 E. Jedburg Street

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Please RSVP by December 1

Door prize gifts suggested, but not required

(Please, no white elephants)

*Please bring canned goods and an unwrapped toy
for donation to the City of El Monte*

You are welcome to bring your own libations if you like