

Take a Tax Break – come to the April 15th Contra Dance featuring the Deming Fusiliers and the L&L Boyz

Help – We need some “*Dance Angels*” to come early and help with the teaching.

Last month we had 12 new dancers. It would help if each had an experienced dancer to lead them through the lessons. If you invite new friends, plan to join them in lessons or ask them to dance early in the evening. Everyone has more fun.

BAD NEWS

In April our hall rent went up by \$100. We have two options, raise the cost \$1 for everyone or look for a large hall with a wooden floor (ideas?). So new cost will be \$6 for regular, with a \$1 discount for under 18.

Background on hall search:

San Andres High School has a 10 pm alarm now & availability depends on school functions with very short notice.

Zia Middle School is possible, but sound is lost in the big gym and cafeteria is a terrazo hard floor.

Mesilla Park Recreation Center still has not fixed the joists under the floor, so not available until new funding.

Bingo Hall and Rollerrink wanted a fortune.

NMSU would require a lot of continuous university student involvement.

Regular Details on April Contra Dance:

Mesilla Park Community Center

2251 Calle de Santiago (2 blocks west of plaza)

Dance 7:30 – 10:30 pm (lessons first - be an angel, come and coach)

Cost is \$6 regular with \$1 discount for under 18.

Band is the Deming Fusiliers

Callers are Lonnie Ludeman and Lewis Land

Information: 575-522-1691

See our website for more information: www.snmmds.org

Next dance is third Friday, May 20 and NO DANCES during June or July.

See you next Friday, and remember, Taxes are not due until April 18th, so Take a Tax Break and come out and dance. Julie

The happiest people don't necessarily have the best of everything; they just make the best of everything they have.

Dancing is wonderful training for girls; it's the first way you learn to guess what a man is going to do before he does it. ~Christopher Morley