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NEWSLETTER

April 2, 2023

Brunswick Schedule – St. Jude’s

Tuesday, April 4, 2023

5:45 – 6:30 – Beginner - Transition – Review of Beginner Songs, It’s Not Unusual, Down at PaPa Joes, Rompin Stompin, East Bound & Down, Forever & Ever Amen, At the Hop, Runaround Sue

6:30 – 7:15 – I’m Walkin, Music Music Music, Sister Kate, Down at the Twist & Shout, Cowboy Sweetheart, Little Deuce Coupe, I’m Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover

7:15 – 8:00 – Practice for upcoming demos

BOARD MEETING – Next Board Meeting will take place at 5:30 pm at St. Jude’s on Tuesday, April 11.

PAST DEMOS/EVENTS:

March 30, 31 and April 1 2023 – Northeast Clogging Competition & Convention (NECC)

An amazing weekend was had by all who attended the competition!!! Here are the results:

Freestyle Accapella Amateur

Olivia 1st place (12 and under)

Julia 2nd place (12 and under)

Theresa 3rd place (13-18)

Freestyle Accapella Challenge

Andrew 3rd place (13-18)

Solo Freestyle Traditional Amateur

Angelina 1st place and overall high score (10-11)

Solo Freestyle Traditional Challenge

Olivia 1st place (10-11)

Solo Freestyle Contemporary

Julia 3rd place (12-14)

Andrew 1st place and overall high score (15-18)

Taylor 2nd place (19-29)

Duet Accapella

Hannah & Andrew 1st place (15-18)

Duet Traditional

Hannah & Andrew 1st place and overall high score (15-18)

Duet Show

Hannah & Andrew 1st place and overall high score (15-18)

Mr. Northeast Clogger

Andrew

Miss Northeast Clogger

Olivia 1st place runner up (10-11)

Julia princess (12-14)

Hannah 1st place and overall high score – awarded Queen Supreme (15-18)

Small Team

Hannah, Andrew, Taylor 1st place and overall high score of the competition (19-29)

Team Accapella

Hannah, Andrew, Jessica, Taylor, Brandy 1st place and overall high score (19-29)

Production

Hannah, Andrew, Jessica, Taylor, Brandy, Olivia, Angelina, Theresa, Julia, Fran 1st place and overall high score (19-29)

UPCOMING DEMOS/EVENTS:

Wednesday, April 5, 2023 - 2:00 pm - Vermont Veterans Home, 325 North Street, Bennington, VT 0520, Group 1 Outfit #19 and (Sparkly Green top and black capris for Taylor) Routines: Rompin Stompin, Better When I'm Dancing, Pretty Little Angel Eyes, Mama Mia, Rocky Top, Beer Barrel Polka, Sister Kate, Amazing Grace, Down at the Twist & Shout, Freeze Dance, Forever & Ever Amen

April 13 – 16 – Nickle City Clogging Convention – Double Tree by Hilton, Niagara Falls, NY (Call 716-524-3333 to make your reservation)

Thursday, April 20, 2023 – 2:30 pm – Shaker Place Rehab & Nursing Center, 100 Heritage Lane, Albany 12211, Outfit #10, Routines: I'll Fly Away, I'm Walkin, Music Music Music, Dance Above the Rainbows, Little Deuce Coupe, Sister Kate, Rompin Stompin, You're the One That I Want, Auctioneer, Forever & Ever Amen, YMCA

Thursday, April 27, 2023 – 2:00 pm – Peregrine Senior Living, Outfit: #19, Routines: Better When I'm Dancing, Amazing Grace, Rocky Top, Down at the Twist & Shout, Cowboy Sweetheart, Bandstand Boogie, Auctioneer, Music Music Music, Freeze Dance, Forever & Ever Amen

Tuesday, May 9, 2023 – 6:00 pm – Annual Meeting – St. Jude's - NO COVERED DISH – If there is time after the meeting we will dance, so please bring your shoes. The following offices are open this year: President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary and Director. Nominating committee: Audrey Koester, Fran Beaudoin, Sandra Davis. If anyone is interested in running for an office, please submit their name to a member of the nominating committee.

May 19 – 21, 2023 - Maine Spring Fling Clogging Competition – Bayley's Campground, 275 Pine Point Road, Scarborough, ME 04074

Saturday, July 22, 2023 – Grange, 7 Grange Road, Troy 12180 – 150th Celebration – TBA but somewhere between 2:00 and 4:00 pm

Sunday, July 23, 2023 – noon – 6:00 pm – HCC Annual Picnic – Brunswick Town Beach

Sunday, December 10, 2023 – noon – 5:00 pm – HCC Christmas Party – Hilton Garden Inn, 235 Hoosick Street, Troy

STIPENDS for CONVENTIONS

Member dancers will receive a one-time \$50.00 stipend and member non-dancers/spectators will receive a one-time reimbursement for their entry fee. Reimbursements will be distributed AFTER attending a convention. Stipend or reimbursements will be provided for one convention per member per calendar year.

Eligibility to receive a stipend is contingent upon:

- 1) Registering as a Hill Country Clogger (HCC) and performing or attending as a representative of HCC.
- 2) Participating in at least one class (if a dancer).
- 3) Providing our treasurer (Tom Poole) with a copy of the registration form and proof of payment **no later than 14 days after the convention.**

If you have any questions, please email George at franb@nycap.rr.com or telephone him at 518-279-3067
