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June 26, 2012

Dear Friends of the Accordion,

On June 7, 2012, our club was invited to the Camp Concerto finale performed by all the participants. The orchestra played several pieces, including a few arranged by Gordon. After the group performance we heard solos from Ron Pinarelli, Rob Patterson, and, Paul Pasquali. Ron is enjoying his Concerto and seems to be sporting much fun. Rob continues to enlarge his technique with quick-change background sounds and precision. Paul always lets us know "who is da man behind da bellows". His knowledge of orchestration and voices on the instrument is legend.

Following their presentations, Gordon Kohl played a series of dance band songs, polkas, and classics from the American songbook. Gordon never fails to demonstrate accuracy, speed, technique, and showmanship in demonstrating his uses of melody and harmony. The entire event played to a virtual full house, an accomplishment only Paul and his Accordions International could manage---well done Maestro Pasquali!

As a reminder to my previous reminder (because change does happen), the club is sending out the following schedule of upcoming events:

- **July 9**th Club meeting at Kowloon Café; Paul Pasquali to make memorable performance. Tickets to the Mario Pedone concert at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will be on sale.
- **July 30**th Club meeting at Kowloon Café; Steve Albini from the Bay Area and Tatiana who performs in Las Vegas will be performing for our club. Tickets to Mario Pedone will be on sale.
- **August 11**th Mario Pedone will perform in Concert 7:30 PM at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. Maestro Pedone will perform an evening of many genres of songs. Tickets, in advance, for members and their guests are only \$8.00. Tickets at the door \$10.

We look forward to seeing you at all of these events. As we consider ourselves a family of sorts, members are always missed when they do not show up at the dinner table.

Keep Squeezin"

Dave Marasco