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March 29, 2016

Dear WAC Members and Friends,

Happy springtime in the Rockies; we know we're in the Rockies because of the sudden snow flurries that leave as quickly as they come. The Utah joke applies here: IF you don't like the weather, just wait for half an hour.

An enthusiastic thank you goes to Rob Patterson and the PDC Band!!! They certainly gave us a night to remember. Not only were they entertaining as they played a great variety of songs from different genres, they were impressive to listen to--- polished and 'electrifying' one could say. Rob played the Concerto beautifully; George, the bass guitarist, was probably the calmest musician of the evening, while the drummer, Tim---also acting as MC---kept us on the edge of our chairs with the 'aliveness' of everything they played. Thank you again, PDC BAND! We'd love to have you back.

A warm welcome to our newest members, Dave and Hillary Whitaker! Glad you found us. We hope to see you often.

Our Wasatch Accordion Club meeting April 4th will feature Steve Keen and Yvonne Mueller who will be playing a wide variety of music. Also, Bruce Hunsaker will be playing the beautiful 'Air on the G String' along with a couple of other numbers.

Steve Keen is an accomplished jazz pianist, accordionist and bassist and he currently teaches Jazz Piano for the University of Utah and for Westminster College. He is a full-time musician in demand as an arranger, accompanist, performer and private teacher of advanced and professional level pianists.

Yvonne Mueller started accordion at age 8 and then while she raised her family took a break for about 20 years. In 2003 she joined the Accordion Club and started practicing again. She joined the "Polkatonics" and performed at Snowbird's Oktoberfest. She now performs as a strolling soloist, playing German waltzes and polkas on the Plaza at Snowbird.

Bruce Hunsaker studied with Lou Fornoff as a young boy in Logan, Utah. He returned to the accordion a few years ago and recently began accordion lessons again. He is excited to play for the club.

We're in for another unforgettable evening, so be sure to come.

Mark May 19th on your calendar. All WAC members are invited to Camp Concerto Concert Night. Details will follow next month.

Warmly,

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