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January 28, 2014

Dear Wasatch Accordion Club Member,

The Wasatch Accordion Club rang in the New Year with the sounds of Steve Keen and Mark Chaney. Although Steve has performed for us with several different ensembles, this was the first time for the Steve and Mark performance. Jazz and standard tunes prevailed, but some European ethnic songs surfaced as well. In addition to singing, Mark added a musical twist to the mix when he scatted a couple of tunes and played various percussion instruments, all stacked upon his "percuss-a-pole". The duo seemed to mesmerize the audience with their playing, singing, percussing, and tag team leadership. Hopefully, we can have a return engagement by the duo come summer or fall.

For our February 3 meeting we are looking forward to being entertained by Jim Jensen and John Tibolla. Both musicians hale from north of Salt Lake City; Jim from Bountiful and John from Centerville. Both have entertained our club several times in the past and have been well received. What is not known about these two individuals is that they are extremely adventuresome. Until 10 years ago, Jim was actually Italian and John was of Danish decent. At that time, John looked at Jim and said, "I've had the opportunity of a lifetime to be robbed in jellied pastry, Jim. You look quite astute in your sausage, peppers, and tomato sauce attire. What say we temporarily exchange heritages so that we may immerse ourselves in each other's culture--- you know, food, music, literature." As luck would have it, neither gentleman requested a return to his original heritage. As a result, the Wasatch Accordion Club will host the world premier of Giacomo Genobolli and Johann Tibensen. These two gentlemen will give us the world while we receive their charm. Be there or may your Danish be smothered in spaghetti sauce.

At our boards last meeting the board agreed not to raise prices. The fee for non-members attending any regular club meeting is \$3.00. Since Kowloon does not charge our club a fee for the banquet room and their remuneration comes from food orders those who do not order will be charged a \$5 guest fee which will go to Kowloon.

Beginning February 1, to access the full features of our club website www.AccordionClub.org, you will need to log in. Below is your personal username and password information.

USERNAME Sent by mail
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We look forward to visiting with all our members and guests on February 3, 2014, at Kowloon Café 2000 West 3500 South in West Valley City at 6:30pm.

"Keep Squeezin"

Dave Marasco

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