

Annual Meeting Issue



Annual Fall Meeting & Potluck – October 13th

The BBS competition to decide who our representative will be to the **International Blues Challenge** this year promises to be a hotly contested bash with the **Hoochie Coochie Men** and **Sirah Storm and Bluetail Twisters** providing the fireworks.

This year's Annual Meeting opens with a **potluck at 5:00 pm**. As usual the BBS will provide a couple meat dishes. **Jo's Traveling Bar** provides a no-host bar. During the 5 to 7 pm "dinner" hour, the IBC competitors will perform a 20-minute set each and the membership will vote. There are also three board seats up for election. (If you are interested in running for a board seat, let one of the board members listed at the right know so we can get you on the ballot.) The doors will open to the general public at 7:00 pm. with long time Boise blues and R&B stalwarts Red and Gray. The Solution Brothers, another Boise institution, will follow and the Hoochie Coochie Men and friends will close out the evening. You may want to break out the dancing shoes as this lineup should provide plenty of opportunities to move and groove.



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President's Message

As our society gets ready for our annual meeting and the election of board members and new president, I would like to take opportunity to thank all of the members for their support over the last three years of my presidential appointment. I have made many new friends and heard tons of great music. So thanks for the magic.



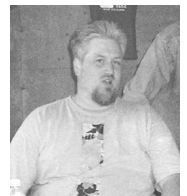
Jim Teeter

Newsletter Editor's Message

Greetings all! I am in the midst of packing and moving into a new house which came completely out of the blue. Therefore this issue, out of sheer necessity and lack of time, is a short one. Once I'm settled into our new home I'll put out a much bigger and grander issue. Thanks for your patience and I hope to see many of you at the Annual Meeting. Nancy

Jam Session Update

Eric Holm, our current jam coordinator reports that the jams have been going well and will probably become even busier as people begin to put away the summer water toys and find it more appealing to stay inside where it is warmer. So, come down and join Eric at Terrapin Station every 2nd and 4th Sunday from 3 to 7 pm.



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Membership Update

We had lots of renewals and have stayed busy at venues throughout the summer signing up new members and renewing current members. We now have 185 households representing 354 blues lovers. As of September 15th if a non-member wishes to receive emails they can try us out for 45 days and then must join to continue to receive BBS email notifications and news. If you have an email address and would like to receive BBS-related emails, please email Nancy McIntosh at neb@fiberpipe.net or call her at 459-8082 to request being added to our email list. But remember it is now a "trial" period and you need to join to keep getting our emails. Management of our database and email lists have made this a necessary evil! Anyway, if you love the blues you really should become a member and help support the BBS and our efforts to "keep the blues alive."

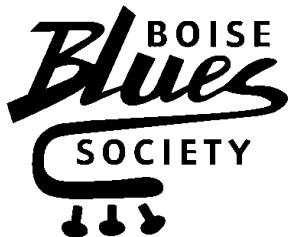
WELCOME OUR NEW & RENEWING MEMBERS! (From 5/14/07 to 10/03/07)

If we have missed your name, please let us know!

Jim Soran
Fred & Connie Bartel & Underscore
Laura A. Williams
Bob & Maradee Stearns
Terry Page
Marty & Vicky Guerra
David Hardesty
Carl Van Valkenburg
Roy Heberger/Bitterbrush Blues Band
Bob Barnoski & Kim Close
Randy & Bobbi Pietz
John Hecht
Larry & Mary Tierney
Damon Anderson
David Brown & Cathy Nuxoll
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John & Darla Rhodes
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Justin Boggs & Kerri Walchli
Blanca Mora
Chris Doyle
Linde Casper
Jeff & Susan Young
Bob Bunch
Jack Cochran
Buddy "Ziggy" Clark
David & Lorraine Poor
Steve & Loretta Flick
Albert Whisenant III & Sandy Coffman
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C. Crellin & Ruth Scott
Veva & Jim Brooks
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Murray Driftmier
Kayleigh Jack & Trevor Jack
Winkie Italiano
Roger Manwaring & Margaret Thomas
Daniel & Cymry Reed
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