



Last Dance Of The 2016/2017 Season

"Only the dead have seen the end of war"-Plato



The party is getting underway!

**"And I'm proud to be an American, where at least I know I am free.
And I won't forget the men who died, who gave that right to me! –
Lee Greenwood**

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE...

We are sorry we missed the dance but we heard through the grapevine that it was a winner. Sam Conti keep everybody up and moving the entire evening. We also had seven tables with members and guests!

It's Spring but Summer is right around the corner and that means we go dark from June through August! We will miss our get together's but it also lets us have time to go on vacation and perhaps learn a few new dance steps!

Welcome Jan and Brian who are here from the UK. Hope you have a safe trip home and come back to soon.

It was wonderful to see LeRoy back and in good spirits! We sure

missed his smiling face but the training he provided his staff sure showed while he was out on medical!

Our next dance is formal and is in honor of Memorial Day. Looking forward to seeing you!

*Larry O'Isham,
President*



**THERE ARE ONLY TWO WORDS
THAT DESCRIBE THE MEANING
OF MEMORIAL DAY.
"THANK YOU"**

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

The May 12th dance is at the Petroleum Club and featuring Time Machine. The cost is \$74/couple (includes tax/tip).

No-host cocktail time is 6 pm & great dance music until 10 pm.
Dress code is Formal.

TOPPERS DINNER MENU

Garden Green Salad
Fresh seasonal vegetables
Hot Bread and Butter

Entrée: New York Cut Steak, broiled steak severed with au jus and baked potato, OR

Grilled Salmon with
Hollandaise sauce and rice

OR

Vegetarian selection

Dessert: Chefs Choice

Mail your checks made out to "Toppers Dance Club" with dinner selections and seating requests on the checks by May 4th to:

Kathy Roberts
12021 Kibbee Ave
La Mirada Ca 90638

POLICY NOTES

There are no refunds for cancellations made after the Tuesday before the dance as the arrangements are finalized Tuesday evening.

If you desire to sit with someone please note it with your check so we can attempt to satisfy your seating desires!

PREPARE TO BE GREETED BY



Neal & Nita Woolston

FUN WITH FRIENDS!



Greetings!



Ready to kick up the dust



Moving to the beat



Dancing the night away!

A THOUGHT FOR THE HOLIDAY!

These heroes are dead. They died for liberty - they died for us. They are at rest. They sleep in the land they made free, under the flag they rendered stainless, under the solemn pines, the sad hemlocks, the tearful willows, and the embracing vines. They sleep beneath the shadows of the clouds, careless alike of sunshine or of storm, each in the windowless Place of Rest. Earth may run red with other wars - they are at peace. In the midst of battle, in the roar of conflict, they found the serenity of death. I have one sentiment for soldiers living and dead: cheers for the living; tears for the dead. ~Robert G. Ingersol

DID YOU KNOW?

In April 1866, women from Columbus, Mississippi, laid flowers on the graves of both Union and Confederate soldiers. It was recognized at the time as an act of healing regional wounds.

In the same month, up in Carbondale, Illinois, 219 Civil War veterans marched through town in memory of the fallen to Woodlawn Cemetery, where Union hero Maj. Gen. John A. Logan delivered the principal address.

The ceremony gave Carbondale its claim to the first organized, community-wide Memorial Day observance.



Bits & Pieces

The Avalon Ball is approaching... Want to spend a great weekend on Catalina May 19th and 20th. Call Paul & Sue Liles

Al Lam is recovering after bypass surgery... He was at the recent dance and looked outstanding! We are happy to have him back with us!

Kathy & Ed Roberts are heading to Europe during the summer with a stop in England! Bring us back some new dance steps!

Looking for a place to dance. Come to the Phoenix Club Thursday evenings at 7:00 PM

UPCOMING DANCE SCHEDULE

Have A Wonderful summer! The next dance is in September. We are looking forward to hearing about the great summer getaways!

- 9/15/2017 - Howard Solomon
- 10/20/2017 – Sam Conti
- 11/17/2017 – Gil Gilman
- 12/15/2017 – Time Machine

To keep the club thriving, we are always looking for new friends to join in and participate in our great parties and keep social dancing alive and well in Long Beach!

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