

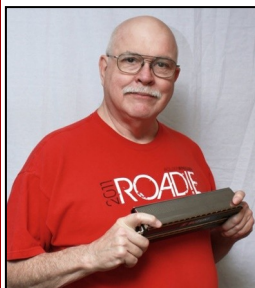


HARMONICA HIGHLIGHTS

DECEMBER 2017

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Notes from the Prez



Dick Paige

MHHC President

And Now.....

THE NEWS

Our Christmas party is the next big thing on the agenda. December 10th is the date and the time is 1:00pm. Bring family and friends. Get your harps ready for open mic too. Also be ready to cast your vote for officers of our club. Put your name in the hat if you would like to serve.

2017 in retrospect. We have lost many long-time members during the year and we shall not forget their presence and the joy they brought to all of us. Our club has steady but slow growth and we are experiencing great turnouts for the meetings. SPAH was fun as usual and we had many members in attendance. There is a great movement to improve our playing, both the scope and quality of the music. Several newer members have made, in my opinion, magnificent progress in their individual playing.

Our learning class attendance seems to be growing as well thanks to efforts of Paul Davies, Scott Paulding and Lee Taylor. Thank you Roger Bale for bringing the sound system. We all appreciate it.

What is ahead for 2018? I hope to have at least 3 open mic nights or afternoons outside of our regular club meetings, if I am re-elected. This is how we can spread the joy of the harmonica and hopefully increase our membership too. There are a lot of players out there that would benefit themselves and us if they knew about our club and joined us.

I hope we would have another strong turn-out at SPAH in St. Louis in 2018.

May each of you and your families have a wonderful Christmas and Happy New Year!



DECEMBER CLUB SCHEDULE

December 10 1:00 p.m.

**Christmas Party
Historic Grant Avenue
216 S. Grant Street, Denver**

December 24 1:30 p.m.

**Club Meeting
Historic Grant Avenue
216 S. Grant Street, Denver**

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MHHC – November 12, 2017

Open Mic -

Lou Acosta
Ed Martin
Jim Kummer
Lloyd Williams
Roger Bale
Mayra Alexander
Lloyd Johnson
Barry Staver
Richard Keller

Lee Taylor
Scott Paulding
LeRoy DeVries, Chris Wallace & Freddy
Alexander
Chris Wallace
Bill Kawamura
Freddy Alexander

Group Song

"All I Need is the Air that I Breathe," "He Ain't Heavy, He's My Brother"
"Beautiful Dreamer"
"Ave Maria" and "Midnight in Moscow"
"Simple Gifts"
"I'll Be Seeing You"
"Amazing Grace"
"Moon River"
"Summertime"

A Veterans Medley - Salute to the Coast Guard, Navy, Army, Marines, & Air
Force

"You Can't Be True Dear"
"Ghost Riders in The Sky"
"My Eyes are Dry," "Give Me That Old Time Religion"

"Comes A Time" and "Old Man"
"I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas"
"Crazy Love"

"Caissons Go Rolling Along," "America the Beautiful"



MHHC – November 26, 2017

Open Mic

Roger Bale, Tim Winkelman, Ken Moyer
Nancy and Roger Bale
Lloyd Johnson
Richard Keller
Mayra Alexander
Christ Doughty
Lloyd Williams
Ed Martin
Lou Acosta
Lee Taylor & Chris Wallace
Scott Paulding
Barry Staver
Paul Davies
Freddy Alexander
Freddy Alexander, Bill Kawamura &
Ken Moyer
Bill Kawamura
Groups Songs

"Tuxedo Junction," "American Patrol"
"The Chipmunk Song"
"A Pretty Girl is Like a Melody,"
"Please Release Me"
"Silent Night"
"Bear Down"
"O Holy Night"
"Summertime"
"Words"
"Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground," "Old Black Joe"
"Elmer's Tune"
"You'll Never Walk Alone"
"Raindrops Keep Falling on My Head"
"Fly Me to the Moon"
"Yellow Bird"

"Harbor Lights"
"Rudolph," "Jolly Old St. Nicolas," "Silent Night"





Mile High Harmonica Club Holiday Party

December 10, 2017

1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

***Friends and Family welcomed. Potluck and
good music***

For the Potluck:

Members whose last names begin with A thru M bring main dishes

Members whose last names begin with N thru Z bring side dishes,
(salads, veggies, etc.).

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Bring Desserts for extra bonus points!

Please come early to help set up and stay to help take down.

Club provides beer, wine, soft drinks as well as plates and utensils.



Here is a message from George Evans -

I started a Mile High Harmonica Club Facebook group for everyone to share and upload songs, photos and comments to. For Facebook users they can search for Mile High Harmonica Club and they should easily find it. Once found they will have to ask to join. That way we can let in only members.

I've uploaded a few posts to get it started including one that explains how to upload recordings of their songs if they want to.

I think people would enjoy being able to communicate through using the group.

The url is:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/MileHighHarmonicaClub/>

You will have to have a Facebook account to sign in to see this site.

This note is from Lloyd Williams

The Elks lodge 1921 served a spaghetti dinner for veterans November 14th. A ceremony began and then we ate, and then we played. Players: Lloyd Johnson, Chris Wallace, Forrest Ernst, Ed Martin, Freddie Alexander, Lloyd Williams, Bill Kawamura, and the trio: Lee Taylor, George Evans, and Bob Savery.

The music was well received, and I thank you all for coming! Lloyd
