



Southeast Texas Dulcimer Friends



Meeting the second Saturday of each month
Rosedale Baptist Church, 7110 Concord Road, Beaumont, Texas
1:30 – until

July, 2011

From the Pres:

We had a good turnout for our July meeting. I enjoyed having some old friends join us again after being away for a long time. It was good to have Butch & Dee and Frances with us at our last meeting.

I have had a number of people tell me they will be away at the Henderson Shape Note Singing this year including our Hospitality committee. **We are moving our club birthday party to the September meeting this year.** So our August 13 meeting will be a regular club meeting except that we'll miss many of our regular folks. I hope to see you there. Stay cool and keep jamming.

Steve Clark

Dulci-News:

I think the SETDF'S did ourselves proud performing for First Methodist "Christmas in July" festivities in Buna. It was fun once we got there after driving through that monsoon rain to get there! There were lots of interesting gift ideas for Christmas, and they were serving Gumbo for lunch. You could even buy a watermelon outside the building. That was not the time to forget my wallet at home. Two of my granddaughters with me wanted some of that gumbo! Oh, well, it was still a good play, and I guess it doesn't hurt to do without something you really want. I made it up to girls by taking them a local park that evening and treating them to Casa Ole!

We had several SETX Dulcimer Friends show for the Florida Ave Baptist snack-n-jam, and, again, we ate really well that night.

Darrell Hall



Happy August Birthdays:

Betty Fowler	01
Barabar Leming	04
Gheryl Ellis	11
Suellen Weaver	11
Betty Elliott	12
Kevin Goats	12

ITEMS OF INTEREST: Club Playbook
(a collection of tunes)
Club T shirts (See Suellen Weaver for details)

Upcoming Festivals:

To find all Dulcimer Festivals across of USA, go to:
www.everythingdulcimer.com and click on "Find a Festival" icon

Upcoming Plays and Events:

August 5 – Silsbee Oaks Retirement 10 am
920 East Ave Silsbee, TX club T shirts

**August 11 – Wille Mae Smith Play Vidor,
Tx 6:00pm**

August 13-14

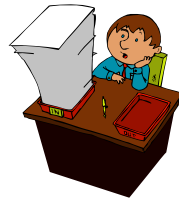
**156th Anniversary of the East Texas Sacred Harp
Convention** 9:30 AM each day
Saturday 6:00 PM Social, food and fellowship
Henderson Civic Center
1005 Hwy 65
Henderson, TX
(Make reservations by July 30, 2011 if booking
a hotel room. Keith and Sheila are staying at

the Best Western if you need to contact
someone. Others will be staying at nearby RV
parks.

August 13, 2011

**SE Texas Dulcimer Friends Club Meeting
1:00 PM**

Rosedale Baptist Church
Concord behind Academy
Beaumont, TX



**South East Texas Dulcimer Friends
July11 Meeting**

The meeting was opened by Steve Clark. The minutes were approved as printed. Will McLean presented the Treasurer's report. The report was approved as read. Darrell Hall gave the Communications Director report. He said to check the newsletter for the upcoming plays. The Music Director was not present to give a report, but sent pizza in her stead. There was no webmaster report, however Keith did report that Sheila had been sick. There was no old business.

Under new business, Darrell made a motion to change the October meeting to the first Saturday because of conflicts with other events. The motion was seconded and passed.

Upcoming plays include Christmas in July, First Methodist in Buna, at 10:00 A.M. July 16; Summer Singing July 21 6:00 P.M. at Florida Avenue Baptist Church; snack and jam July 28, 6:30 P.M. at Faith Family Ministries in Silsbee; and the shape note singing class on July 30 and Florida Avenue Baptist Church.

The meeting was adjourned.

Will McLean
Secretary/Treasurer.

