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## SPRING IS HERE!

Greetings from District 9. I am writing this in the latter part of May since things have been happening that have kept me from keeping up with my duties and now I am going to get back in order. So am checking the calendar to see what went on in March and April.

Looks like March was a pretty routine month with play sites including Bishop, our Tri-Play date, Good Sam, Clark House, Kendrick, and Moscow Senior. We had our regular meeting and again practiced songs from the square dance we will be playing live music for. This is becoming an annual event and we are excited for that. Then on a sad note, we ended March with the loss of one of our long time members, Ernie Bunch, who passed away on March 28th at the age of 89. Ernie was a great guitar player and the best ever on his harmonica. He served in WWII and was the recipient of 2 Purple Hearts and numerous other awards. He wasn't able to play as much with the fiddlers, but always played at the Moscow Sr. Meal site and did so the month before he died. He will be missed by all of us.

In April we made our site dates, and some of us also played for Ernie's funeral. The whole group who attended the funeral also played at the reception in honor of Ernie. We also played at Ridgepoint which is a Sr. independent living facility and we are usually asked to play for them one evening each year. Deary Sr. Meal site and Troy Sr. Meal were also on our agenda, and we only play a few times a year for them. We also had our reminder from Dave about making reservations for our Three Rivers campout weekend which is coming up in August and open to all Idaho fiddlers. Next month we will be playing for the square dance club which will be a good time, and we are playing for the National Association of Retired Federal Employees. So play dates abound. We wish you a great

spring and will be checking in again in June. Happy fiddling!

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