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Howdy From District 8

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Can you believe it! Summer is on the way out. School is starting, Fairs are in full swing and the geese are gathering. Summer sure went by fast, but I can't complain. Fall in Idaho is my favorite time of the year and football is back!

The "Dog Days" didn't let up on our plays at all. A high light was playing for the Jefferson Co. Fair BBQ in Rigby, Idaho. We played in a nice bandstand, and they fed us a great chicken dinner. We had a quality crowd and some good dancers brave a barren dance floor and showed off how it used to be.

Did you ever notice that there is a "highway to hell" but only a "stairway to heaven"? It must say something about the traffic.

We are missing Sonja Sanders who is out for a few weeks while recovering from a broken foot. While she's out we are expecting her to prepare a new song or two. She does such a nice job.

Six of our regular plays are scheduled for September with five extras everywhere from Pocatello to Rigby. "No rest for the wicked," but us righteous don't need it. We are still split into two groups so it's not much of a strain on anyone and we are sure making some new friends who appreciate Old Time Fiddle music.

Our annual election, business meeting and jam session/practice is scheduled for the Sept. 13th at the Darrel and Nancy Lopez' home on the Journey's End golf course near Shelly. As it says in the song, "Ya'll come".

So here's to the good old days, which we are having right now!

Adios, David Schjeldahl

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