BE A PART OF IDAHO OLD TIME FIDDLERS



Idaho Old Time Fiddlers was founded in 1963 for the Idaho Territorial Centennial. The organization is dedicated to preserving and furthering old time fiddle music and techniques, and passing it on to future generations.







We are looking for acoustic string players!

Why did I become an "Old Time Fiddler"?

I had heard that one of the best ways to learn more about music, and to gain skill, was to play with other musicians. Boy, what great advice! As a self-taught guitar and ukulele player, I finally decided that it was time to begin playing for other folks instead of just my family.

I have learned more in the last 8 months playing with the Fiddlers than I learned in years of playing by myself. But I've learned about more than just music. I have witnessed a group of dedicated volunteers, bringing the gift of music to Senior Citizens all over the "Palouse area". Be it a Senior Center, Assisted Living Facility, Nursing Home or Community Event, the Fiddlers show up and make the Seniors light up.

As a player, I have found the Fiddlers to be a very inclusive and supportive group that gets a lot of joy out of preserving and sharing old time music. And, whether they know it or not, they are giving me free music lessons!

~ Scott Hallett

Some of the Favorites:

Golden Slippers • Huckleberry Rag • Red Wing She'll Be Coming Around the Mountain Waltz Across Texas • Tennessee Waltz Appaloosa Schottische • Mexicali Rose The Idaho Old Time Fiddlers Association (IOTFA) is a non-profit corporation. Dist. 9 was started on the Palouse when the State Organization was started at the encouragement of Governor Smiley. The purpose of the Old Time Fiddlers is to promote and to perpetuate old-time fiddling by encouraging young and old to develop their skills. This is to be done by having regular "jam sessions", educating the public, exchanging ideas and participating in public events. Members furnish musical entertainment for residents of nursing homes, hospitals, and private homes for the purpose of brightening the lives of shut-ins.

Come check us out!
Practice / Jam Sessions:
2nd Sunday, 2-4 pm
Gritman Adult Day Health
E. 225 Palouse River Drive
Moscow, Idaho







Donations can be made to "Dist. 9, IOTFA"

