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EDITORS NOTE

This organization is now well into the new year and it seems at this point to be an exciting one. The scheduled programs for the monthly recitals are most interesting so it seems at this time appropriate to give a little pep talk to all our members.

The board of directors are showing a great deal of excitement and we now have all our positions filled. It is up to each and every one of you, in addition, to join in and help your club. It's easy! Just attend the monthly recitals. We have fine performers just waiting for an audience. Please come and see for yourself - I guarantee you'll be back time after time.

-Diana Klimek
ROSETTE EDITOR

MONTHLY RECITAL

The OCGC Monthly Recital will once again be held at the Fullerton College Recital Hall, at 8:00 pm, February 15.

The performers will be students of Hal Kinnaman including Greg Thompson, Pat Brown, Alex Peck, Robert Ruiz, Jesus Guitierrez, Jack Merenda and Bob Tischler. They will be playing various pieces by John Dowland, J.S. Bach, Carcassi, Carulli, Satie, Villa-Lobos and many more.

The students work very hard for these concerts and for some of them it is their first appearance in front of an audience. Please plan now to support the Circle and these fine guitarists.

OCCG BOARD MEETING

The Orange County Guitar Circle met February 2, 1975 at the home of Diana Klimek. Seven members attended the meeting. President Anthony Puzzo began by discussing correspondence including dues and new members.

Mr. Dallas Pruett was voted as a member of the board and after a motion subsequently voted as the OCGC Vice-President. Lois Shishido was also added to the board filling the place opened by the resignation of Fred Englehart. Mrs. Shishido most generously accepted the position of corresponding secretary.

President Puzzo then reviewed the duties of each board member and stressed the distribution of various duties.

Sharan Sacks, treasurer, gave her report and made the suggestion that extra funds be put into a savings account to draw interest rather than keeping an unnecessary amount in the checking account. She volunteered to inquire into the possibilities.

Ann Apodaca, publicity chairperson, reported some interesting information from the new Tustin community center including the good news that the Orange County Guitar Circle will be one of the first performing groups to introduce the new facility.

The meeting was then adjourned and it was decided that the next board meeting will be held at the home of Mike and Ann Apodaca at 3:00 pm, Sunday, March 2.

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EDITORS NOTE: Remember that all regular members of the club are invited at any time to join the board in their monthly meetings.

base notes

It may of some interest to our members just exactly where your club stands financially. The annual report was presented by treasurer, Sharan Sacks.

The bank balance at the beginning of January 1974 was \$229.12. Total income for the year was \$3,015.12 including recital receipts, newsletter ads and subscriptions, and membership dues.

The total expenses were \$2,242.79 and the bank balance at the end of December 1974 was \$772.33.

Profit for the calendar year totaled \$543.21. If you have any further questions please contact the treasurer in care of the ROSETTE.

There has been a change in the manner in which members will be notified of expired memberships. Instead of cards being sent, the announcement will be made at the monthly concerts. It is the general opinion that each member attends most of the recitals and therefore is will save time and postage if the renewing is done at the same time. This applies to only the members in the general area. All others will be notified by letter.

Also, new members wishing to join the circle may sign up as usual at the monthly recitals.

Just contact our Vice-President, Dallas Pruet, at the concert and he will be most helpful in all membership manners.

The schedule for the monthly recitals have been prepared well in advance. To give you something to look forward to and to help you plan your attendance, the March recital will be held at the Yorba Linda Library, the next one in April will be the debut of the Tustin Community Center. Then in May and June we will be entertaining at the Santa Ana Civic Center. This is quite a line-up. As we move about the county, we make more people aware of our organization and its functions.

For those of you who may be interested in attending some fine concerts, El Camino College is presenting exceptional programs in the months to come. On February 28, Lorendo Almeda will be in concert at 8:00 pm at the recital hall. The following month on March 21 at 8:00, Carlos Barbos-Lima will be presented. George Magula will be featured in the April program in his senior recital at California State University-Fullerton. Then again at El Camino College on May 24, the Romero Family will be in concert.

The Orange County Guitar Circle welcomes as a new member, Ngare Moffitt of Diamond Bar. We also welcome as a rejoined member, Alice J. Kosinan of La Mirada.



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JANUARY RECITAL

The OCGC January recital was held at the Fullerton College Recital Hall. The first half of the program included the students of teacher Sharan Sacks. Some of these were first-time performers and we thank these students for their efforts in presenting their selections. It was quite enjoyable.

Gregg Newton also performed at the concert and he was exceptional. The program continued with a delightful ensemble of guitar and recorder. The recital showed good variety and preparation. The OCGC extends a thank you to all the performers.

DALLAS PRUETT VOTED V.P.

The position of Vice-President of the Orange County Guitar Circle has generously been accepted by Mr. Dallas Pruett.

Dallas is a long-time member of the club and has been actively involved for some time. It is with great pleasure that we welcome him to the board of directors. He is presently studying the guitar, taking lessons from Hal Kinnaman and Cornel Imry. He enjoys the instrument and will be a great asset to the organization.

Dallas lives in Tustin with his wife, Marian and three children,

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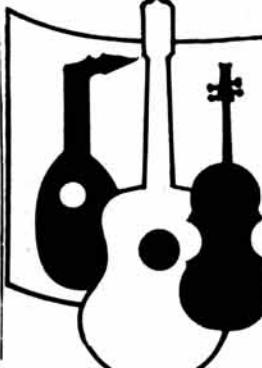
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Lois Shishido Joins Board

The Board of Directors voted as a new member and recording secretary, Lois Shishido.

Lois is a very delightful lady, involved in a busy life. She is probably best known to our members through her recent book, "BASIC RHYTHMS", a joint effort between her and the well known Japanese artist, Kunio Aoki. This revolutionary method is now being used at Fullerton College and soon to be incorporated into music theory. Lois will be teaching the method to all musicians beginning the spring sessions of adult education classes at Buena Park High School.

She is presently working on another book with her friend and well-known performer Yoshio Mansumoto called "ADVANCED RHYTHM".

The Orange County Guitar Circle welcomes Lois Shishido as our corresponding secretary and new-elected board member.

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Board members are Mike Apodaca, Judy Giraladin, Hal Kinnaman and LaVerne Neamy.

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