2015 Julian Fiddle & Picking Contest

INFORMATION FOR RV & TENT CAMPERS

CSOTFA District 7 has been very fortunate this year to secure a prime area close to the Julian Town Hall for our RV & tent camping attendees. Our sincere thanks goes to Father Cecilio Moraga for donating the use of part of his church parking lot.

LOCATION: The parking lot is located directly opposite Saint Elizabeth of Hungary Catholic Church, 2814 B Street, Julian Ca, 92036. The lower half of the lot, bordering 4th and C Streets, will be set aside for our campers. The upper half will be needed for church and public parking, especially during Sunday services. The entrance to the lot is on 4th Street at the little white toll booth. See the map for directions.

FEE: Each camping spot will pay a flat fee of \$25 to camp from 2.00pm Friday through 2.00pm Sunday and the same fee (\$25) will apply whether the camper stays one or two nights. The fees collected will go towards defraying the contest costs, and for a donation to the church.

A camping spot will be considered to be any one of the following: aTent, an RV, a Van, a Trailer or Fifth wheel. We have limited space, so be prepared to park your car or truck away from the camping area - either on the street - or in the upper half of the church parking lot, in which case you'd pay the posted parking fee to the church - \$5 per day.

To keep it simple, we are not asking for prepayment. Instead – give your \$25 to a Camp Host during the event. They'll give you a receipt and a tag for your camping vehicle or tent.

<u>PREREGISTRATION:</u> You will need to preregister. There's a limited number of spots available, so **ASAP** enter your information and questions on the website contact page and send to <u>www.sandiegofiddler.org.</u> We will respond. Should you need to cancel, let us know ASAP so we can give your spot to someone on the wait list.

Information we need to register you: 1). Your name and contact info. 2). Tent, RV, Trailer, Van or Fifth wheel? 3). Its size – length and width. 4). Some idea of your arrival time. 5). If you really need to leave by a particular time - we'll need to know that in advance. In camping lingo – that's First In – First Out.

You can register up until a few days before the contest. We'll let you know if we are fully booked and put you on the wait list if you want. We'd like to know how many people are interested in camping so we can plan for future events.

Tents will camp together – probably along the canyon rim – with a view! There will be a Porta potty and a hand washing station. And...thanks to one of our wonderful volunteers, there will be a small shuttle to take us between the campground and the Town Hall. For most, it is an easy walking distance, but if you need it, ask for the phone #.

CAMPING CHECK-IN: Starting at 2.00pm Friday until late that evening, someone will be there to welcome you and check you in. If you're arriving Saturday, when most people will be at the contest, let us know about what time to expect you and we'll put our cell phones together and figure it out.

GENERAL INFORMATION: Take your valuables with you and lock your vehicles when you leave the camping area. Pick up after pets - they should be leashed when they're out in the campground. Take your trash with you and leave your camping spot clean – or we might not be invited back! For our RV'ers, generator hours are 7.00am – 9.00pm.

We hope there will be jamming in the campground. Playing - and listening - till round midnight is fine! Bring a chair and a flashlight. You don't have to be a camper – all are welcome.

Your Camp Hosts this year are Barbara Brooks and Rich Staehle. Rich will be the Campground Sheriff, and he could do with a couple of Deputies! Offers of help appreciated! Barb will happily collect the money.

If you have never competed in a fiddle contest before, think about entering our easy First Time Fiddle Division. Just two tunes, one round in four minutes. Any age, any level.

Most of all...whether you're competing, jamming....or there to cheer us on we hope you have a wonderful time!

