

May 20, 2017

Debriefing Notes:

\* Does the FPGBB wish to do this event next year? Consensus was yes.

Does the Band wish to make this a 2 day event? Consensus was no, although the question needs to be asked again next year.

\* The FPGBB needs to inform The Diggins folks this year that we will attend next year, with a location reserved for the Band where we can put up our fly and be visible to the general public (a headquarters for us and our gear).

\* The gazebo, though the Band (standing) fit under its roof, is not a good performance venue: too isolated with little foot traffic.

\* Perhaps schedule our concerts in their saloon where there is a stage and seating for the public. Perhaps limit concerts to 10 tunes.

\* Playing in the town of Columbia with our half-sheets was a good idea, and drew a nice little crowd.

\* The FPGBB has three separate music binders for each musician (these apart from our general master binders):

The Diggins Books

The Dance Books

The Christmas Books

The Diggins and Dance books will be handed out by Marty and collected by Marty before and after each event or rehearsal.

The Christmas Books should be in the possession of each Band member...*do not remove any music from these binders!*

\* We need to have more FPGBB business cards printed as well as new Band information pamphlets in order to pass these out to the general public. Discussion was held as to making a "sandwich board" on which the Band could post our name, times of concerts, etc. to display with us when we perform.

\* Do we want to play the NCWA Tres Pinos event near Hollister this year? The Band will vote on this by the end of June.

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