

Mates and Dates July 2026

Notes from the President

In July we are back to the Mountain View Masonic Lodge for the rest of the year. 14 of you completed feedback forms at the last dance, see <https://matesandddates.org/feedback>.

July 17 Dance

Our Friday July 17 **Honoring our Veterans at the USO** dance will be at the **Mountain View Masonic Lodge**, 890 Church Street, Mountain View, CA. Attire will be theme dressy: uniforms or 1940's attire or USO theme appropriate. Doors open at 6PM, **Singalong** starts at 6:15, dinner is served at 7:00. After quick announcements at 7:45 we will have our very popular **Joe Ferrari Big Band** back for a great evening of big band dance music. Dust off those uniforms and 1940's attire for another great dance to an excellent big band.

Next Dance: September 18 Farewell to Summer

Our next **Farewell to Summer** dance will be on September 18 at the **Mountain View Masonic Lodge**. We will have a dance lesson from Lesley and the meal will be Jamaican chicken curry, salmon, Jamaican peas and rice, and mixed vegetables.

FYI: Members vs Guests

If you have not paid your annual membership, you are a guest. Guests, according to our bylaws, must be invited by an active member. Members can self register and can also register their guests on the website. Guests have no self-registration capability on the website. A guest can fill out and mail in an offline (paper) guest registration form but the form must have the names of their member hosts and they must sit at the same table as their inviting host members.

"You don't stop dancing when you get old, you get old when you stop dancing." -Anon