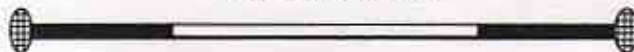


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## NEXT MEETING

*September 19, Tuesday 9AM*

Hast Piano Shop  
3631 North Bryant  
Edmond, OK 73034  
405-359-0440

(travel north on I-35 from I-44 to Danforth exit, go west to Bryant,  
then north to 3631 North Bryant, west side of road)

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### TECH TIP

See Recommended Reading section!

### LAST MEETING

We had a unique meeting this time. David Bonham borrowed a houseboat to have the meeting on. So here we are, cruising around Ski Island taking care of business, talking about this and that, and all the while relaxing on board this sailing vessel. We also stopped on a island type place where a few picnic tables were and continued our meeting there, later reboarding the boat back to the house to conclude this gathering.

Though the original technical planned was not held due to unforeseen circumstances, other items such as new meeting times, treasurer's report, Council report, piano moving, the Albuquerque convention, Renner parts, V-bars, HMCs', were some of the topics on the menu. All in all, a very satisfactory event.

### CONGRATULATIONS !

David & Cheri Wallace on their new arrival  
Micalah John, August 18, 1995

## 1995 SCHEDULED MEETINGS

October 17th, 9:00 AM  
November 16th 9:00 AM

Keep those cards and letters coming in...editor : - )



## Recommended Reading

*"Tips, Tools & Techniques" and "Q&A/Editor's Roundtable"*  
(PT Journal, September 1995, pages 12-19)

Lots of goodies here!

### The "Kick" Zone

(closely related to after touch)

from

Keith McGavern, RPT

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"Do not have your concert first and tune your instruments afterward.  
Begin your day with God."  
(J. Hudson Taylor)

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"There is a better way for everything. Find it."  
(marquee sign at Seminole Chemical & Supplies, Inc., Seminole, OK)

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"If things go wrong, you don't have to go with them."  
(marquee at Oak Park Church of God, Shawnee, OK)

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"The golden key to supply of any and every kind is knowing that it is impossible to give  
(with no desire to get) and not end up with more than you can possibly use."  
(Dorothy Moore, Library Information News Kaleidoscope, Utica, Michigan)