



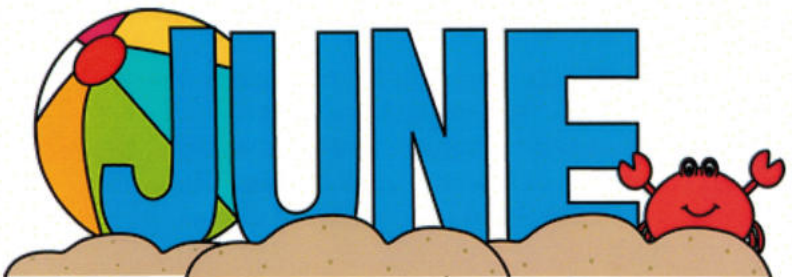
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Presidents Message

Pat & Lamar McMillan

Hello everyone. Our Association, Northeast, has started our new year, 2014, rejoicing. Thanks to the dedication and hard work of many we would like to announce the addition of three new clubs: Clover Squares, Putman Promenaders, and First Coast Rounds. We have graduated 20 new student dancers (Grand Squares & Moose Promenaders) so far. Our goal is 100 new student dancers by the end of 2014. We are in full recruit mode and encourage all dancers and callers to continue asking friends, relatives and neighbors to join us for food, fun, and friendship. Several clubs have started their second new student classes for this year. Do not forget, leave your business cards and flyers everywhere you go. If you need either, let us know. We have some on hand.

Bill & Paula Dion reported 141 club visitations for 2013 and 24 visitations for 2014.

Silver Fox had a wonderful Circus Dance (Dreams Come True) Donations at last count was approximately \$4000.00. Ernie Rollen will be their new caller as of April 4.

The Blue/Grey Weekend was a great success. Thanks to all The Dixie Dancers and Square Wheels,(camping club).

It was decided and voted at the January Delegates Meeting all clubs would send an additional \$100.00 to the 2014 convention to help defray the heavy expenses for the yearly dance weekend. NEFSARDA sent a check for \$500.00 in October. Please send your clubs check as soon as possible.

Linda Tester, Joys and Concerns, began a new information email named "Dances". The new addition will keep us more up to date on upcoming dances, etc .. Contact Linda if you want to receive this email.

Communication is of the utmost importance. Please keep us informed of what is happening in your clubs. Keeping all dancers informed will build and maintain our clubs. It takes time and talent of all to accomplish this goal.

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Congratulations

Congratulations goes out to John Robbins
for being awarded the 'Fifty Years Life Time Award'
Next time you see him give him a hand for all he has done..



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Presidents Message ..continued

The Fifth Saturday Dance will be held March 29, 2014 at The Middleburg United Methodist Church in Middleburg. This is a dance for all clubs to come together and have fun. I hope to see all clubs represented. Call Vice President Debbie Miller for more info.

A "free" Fish Fry is in the works for all Club members. NEFSARDA will furnish the fish and grits and all club members will be asked to bring a dish. It will be held along with the August "5th Saturday Dance". More info will be forthcoming.

Paul & Marilyn Scott are busily making plans for the Fall Festival. The "Mad Hatters Ball" will be fabulous.

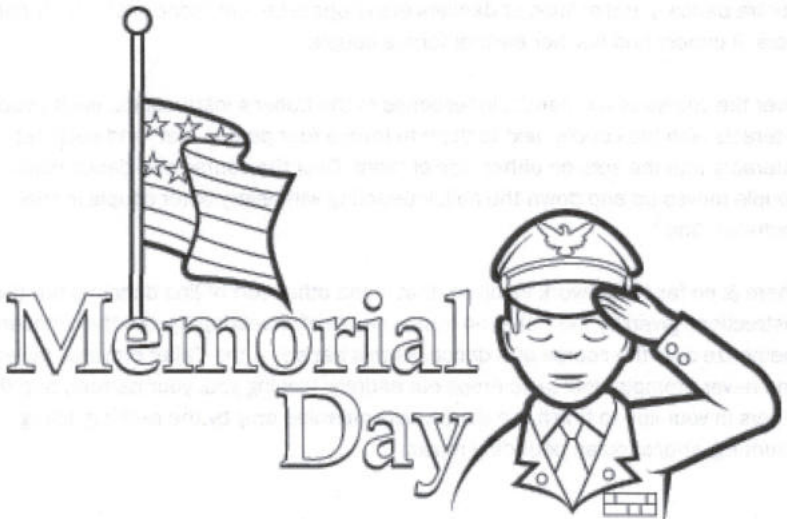
The NEFSARDA Treasurer Accounts have been successfully audited for 2013. A very big thank you to Tom Herscha for donating his time and talents for this huge job.

The next Delegates meeting will be on April 13 at Quality Inn at I 295 & Commonwealth Ave. 3 p.m.

We are looking forward to "squaring up" with all.

We are looking forward to dancing together soon.

Lamar & Pat McMillan
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25 State Road 13

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Caller

Ken Miller

904-465-0759

Banner Chairmen

Chuck & Mary Giera

904-262-9907

What's Contra Dancing

Contra is danced to Celtic, Quebecois, Old Time, New England, Southern Appalachian, Jazz, Blues, and all sorts of other music, often played by live bands. In a contra dance, parallel lines of dancers stand opposite – or "contra to" – their partners. A dancer and his/her partner form a couple.

Over the course of the dance, in response to the Caller's instructions, each couple interacts with the couple next to them to form a four person "set" and each set interacts with the sets on either side of them. Over the course of a dance each couple moves up and down the hall, interacting with every other couple in their multi-set "line."

There is no fancy footwork involved (that is the other sort of line dancing) but the instructions given by the Caller do form a series of repeating figures that dancers memorize over the course of a dance. As this happens, the Caller provides fewer and fewer prompts until s/he drops out entirely; leaving you, your partner, and the others in your line to finish the dance, accompanied only by the exciting, lilting, haunting, and/or pulse pounding music

COME, DANCE WITH US!



Mandarin Marauders Square
& Line Dance Club



Club Caller



Ernie Rollen

Line Dance Leaders



Bev & George Treiber



Lessons: 7-8pm ... Club Dance: 8-9:30pm

Every Thursday at First Christian Church
11924 San Jose Blvd, Jacksonville, FL

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Don & Debbie Danson
904-268-0048

Banner Chairs:
Reggie & Cindy Dubay
904-249-6941

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Club: 8:30-10:00



Caller:

Bill Chesnut

And

Cuer:

Susan Snider

*Invite you to join us every Thursday for a Fun Filled evening
of Square and Round Dancing*

Look for these upcoming events

Anniversary Dance and Pot Luck Dinner – April 3rd

White Diamonds and Black Tie Dance - May 15th

Ice Cream Social – June 19th

Moose Lodge

5051 Collins Road, Jacksonville, FL 32073

For information:

Presidents: Don & Sherry MacGregor

(904) 375-1252 or email: dmacgr@comcast.net



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Joys & Concerns

Effective July 1st, 2012 our Joys and Concerns is under the care of Pat Herscha. If you wish to be added to her listing for those important news briefs and sharing them within the dance community . Please send an email to the new Joys & Concerns address indicating your request to be added to her email distribution list at nefsardajoy sandconcerns@yahoo.com. Please send all Joys & Concerns to Pat at nefsardajoy sandconcerns@yahoo.com

**Have You registered for the
Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention
in Lakeland Florida Yet?**

We wouldn't want to miss you!!

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Silver Fox Squares



Invite you to come dance with us any
Friday Evening

CALLER: Ernie Rollen



Mainstream Lessons 7:00 to 8:00 P.M.

Club Dance 8:00 to 9:30 P.M.

Circus Dance - January 23rd, 2015

Trinity Lutheran Church
1415 S. McDuff Avenue
Jacksonville, FL

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:

Presidents: Dan and Paulette Kilts (904) 772-8597

Banner Chairmen: Richard & Beckie Burkett (904) 964-6922

See us at www.silverfoxsquares.com

What is a Square Dancer?

A Square Dancer is a person who knows his left from his right, but occasionally forgets it.

A Square Dancer is someone who has learned to do as he is told (by the caller), but doesn't always do it.

He is fanatical in his search for a good time, traveling miles in all kinds of weather, going places he would never go otherwise, spending all night on his feet which were killing him at work, and smiling happily all the time.

A Square Dancer speaks a language all his own. He calls his partner his law, his honey, his date, darling or pretty little thing, and he promenades, sashays, weaves, circulates, dances, circles around the ring, circle or set.

He learns his dancing thru and thru: right and left thru, pass thru, turn thru, step thru, barge thru - and he must be agile enough to do such unlikely things as box the gnat, shoot the star, slip the clutch, pickup up a girl or shuck the corn.

If this description fits you, don't worry. Although it is practically incurable, this disease is not at all harmful, and most square dancers have a strong desire to infect other members of the community

Square Dance Attire

Dancers are expected to wear Traditional square dance attire at nearly all Special evening dances. Most summer dances, many afternoon workshops and campout dances and a few clubs are casual but you should confirm the dress with the leader ahead of time. Men are always encouraged to wear long sleeve shirts, even at summer dances.

At the Grand Squares our workshops are casual but at regular dances the dancers should wear square dance attire except in the summer months when announced by the caller and posted on the club web site.

Normally:

LADIES should wear a full-skirted dress or skirt and blouse. Knee length full circle skirts should be worn with a crinoline and pettipants. Mid-calf length prairie skirts should be full enough to use in skirt work but need only a petticoat beneath unless very full (test by twirling in front of a mirror).

GENTLEMEN should wear long pants and a long-sleeved shirt accompanied by a neck decoration. Western Style is preferred but blue jeans are sometimes frowned upon. Towels are useful in hot halls but are not required.

SHOES should be comfortable and offer reasonable support. Consider the dance surface and choose shoes that will be slippery enough to shuffle and swing but not slick enough to cause a fall. Also avoid dark soles that cause black marks on floors.

JEWELERY should be able to withstand the rigors of close body contact and vigorous swings. Avoid charm bracelets, fancy rings, delicate necklaces and belt buckles that might catch on or stab another dancer.

CALLERLAB has approved three classes of dress:

- "Traditional" - as described above.
- "Proper" - Traditional with the addition of short-sleeved shirts and dress slacks and jeans for men and women.
- "Casual" - undefined but generally understood as tasteful and comfortable.

CALLERLAB has left the designation of attire to be worn at dances in the hands of the organizers of the dance and asked for a policy of tolerance.

The Rollaways

Every Tuesday

Mainstream /Plus/Rounds

CALLER: MARK FETZER

CUER: SUSAN SNIDER



Sandalwood High School

2750 John Prom Blvd

Jacksonville, FL 32246

Banner Chairmen

Walt & Dianne Syphard

(904)221-1368



"Diamond Jubilee" 60th Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention

Have you ever wondered how the Chairpersons for this next Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention made the decisions about the theme and colors for the Convention. Well, we heard the straight truth. Since this will be the 60th Florida State Convention, they looked at the "Anniversary Gem" suggestions for the 60th....which is the Diamond".

Okay, then they did some research and found that there is a "lavender" thorn less rose bush appropriately named "Diamond Anniversary Rose". Putting all that together they came up with the colors of purple, lavender and white as colors for next year's convention.

The 2014 Caller Chairman for the Convention, Keith Stevens, has asked us to address the following question to dancers. Do you have specific callers, and/or comments about programming? He would like to hear from you prior to the programming meeting in October. Please get your comments to him at keith@keithstevens.com ASAP.

Keep in mind, the programming is done at the Caller's meeting in October, where final decisions will be made. We are sure the chairman will take every suggestion into consideration. Also, dancers, if there is a specific cuer that you would like to see programmed, make sure the cuer submits a list of songs they want to cue at the convention to Tim & Terri Wilaby, terriwilaby@cox.net, by the end of December.

Remember, Callers must be members of the Florida Callers Association, and Cuers must be members of the Round Dance Council of Florida. Only by working together.....Dancers, Callers, and Cuers can we truly make the Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention the best dance weekend in Florida.

We want to remind you of the current fund raising raffle, a Gift Certificate for \$250 to Jared's Jewelers, which will be given away in November at the Fall Fun Fest in Bartow. Raffle tickets are 6 for \$5.00, or \$2.00 each, and remember, you do not have to be present to win. Time is running short so get your tickets from representatives in each Association, or call the Ways & Means Chairman, Anita Taylor, at 904-272-6551.

REGISTRATION prices have been rolled back to 2008 prices. You may purchase your ribbons for \$27.00 per person until the doors open on May 23rd, at which time it will cost \$30.00 per person. Your Convention Committee can do so much more planning when they know how many to plan for. Not only will you help them, but you will miss a good deal for a fun weekend of dancing and fellowship if you do not get registered NOW.

If you can't find anyone in your Association area selling ribbons, send your registration in to the Registration Chairman, Mary Lee Van Valkenburg, 4237 Promenade Blvd., Plant City, FL 33563. You'll need to add \$1.00 for each Diamond Jubilee button you purchase.

In connection with getting registered for the convention, you want to get your room reservations made. The Host Hotel for the 2014 Convention is the Ramada Lakeland Center, 3260 US Hwy 98 North, Lakeland, Florida 33805; telephone (863) 688-8080.

For only \$65.00 plus tax you can get a comfy room which includes 2 free breakfasts each morning. When you make your room reservations, be sure you tell them you are with the Square Dancers.

The Co-Chairmen of the Convention, Penny & Jenny Green, have told me they will be attending each Association's major dance. They will be selling Ways & Means items, and registering dancers for the convention. Keep an eye out for their table at these dances.

YOUR SUPPORT IS CRUCIAL to the success of the Convention.

Bring all your Bubble Wrap to the Association dances....the Decorations Chairman can use all you bring! Until next time, hope to see you in a square somewhere soon.

Charlie & Val Newsome - Publicity Chairman



Diamond Jubilee

May 23 - 25, 2014

Grapevine Messages

New Personal Messages

In the next edition of the Grapevine magazine we are going to start offering **Special Personal Messages**. This is an inexpensive way to send your Special Personal Message to your friends and other dancers. So if you want to Bless Someone with a special message here are your options:

If really want to have a Big Impact you could place a full page message (maybe with a picture) for just \$25.00, or maybe if you want to be a little more subdued the a half page for \$15.00 would do..



If you want to just communicate then maybe a quarter page for \$10.00 would get you by.. Then if want to just drop them a note maybe five lines would do for \$5 smack-a-roo's.. An Honorable mention of two lines of course would only be \$2.. If you are handy with a computer just send you message to: thegrapevine-mag@hotmail.com, then send your payment vi US Mail to: The Grapevine, 6479

Sable Woods Dr E., Jacksonville, FL 32244-3443. If you prefer you can send both your message and payment via U.S. Mail to the same address.



NEFSARDA Needs YOU!

Do you like to know what's going on in our square dance community? Do you have ideas you want to share? Do you like to be involved? Well, if you've answered yes to any of these questions, then we have the answer for you. NEFSARDA will be assembling a new slate for the officers of the Board in the near future and we want you to be involved! If you enjoy square or round dancing and want to help the community of dancers, then you are qualified! The Board is made up of a President, Vice President, Treasurer, Recording Secretary and Corresponding Secretary. Contact your club delegate or Board member for details.



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Make sure you have plenty of time. There's a lot to see and do in Downtown Little Rock. Take a trolley ride to get a lay of the land, and then make your plan to hit the hot spots. Tour the brand-new Clinton Presidential Library and step back in time at the Historic Arkansas Museum - a real village from the 1800s. You'll find nearly everything is within quick and convenient walking distance.



Hop on the River Rail Streetcar System to see the sights in downtown Little Rock and North Little Rock. These Replica Birney Trolleys are much like those used in the 1940s. Each trolley seats 44 people and offers a wheelchair lift and air conditioning. Hop on at one of many locations such as Alltel Arena, the Statehouse Convention Center, the Robinson Center, the Clinton Presidential Center, the Global village Center of Heifer International and Dickey-Stephens Park in North Little Rock.

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Florida Federation of Square Dancers President's Message

Happy Easter! Time is flying by; spring is here and before you know it the 60th Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention will be here. Make your plans now and purchase your ribbons for the weekend at the low price of \$27.00 per person.

At our Working Weekend meeting held on March 1 & March 2 the Public Awareness, Publicity, Square Dance Preservation, Education & Services Committee discussed some old & new "ideas" for the upcoming year;

Attracting and Retaining Class Members

Advertise, Advertise, Advertise!

Yard Signs in member's front yards with contact number and/or website. Check local restrictions.

Physically hand out flyers in front of stores after getting permission from the store owner/manager.

Two or more clubs combine classes.

Try shorter class times - 14 to 16 week mainstream lessons. Bill Boyd has a workable lesson program.

Maintain positive attitude

Involve everyone: callers, dancers, greeters.

Follow up - call class members when they miss classes - even if only "we missed you; hope to see you next week."

Put FUN back in square dancing. Show how much you enjoy it.

Give class members a "Welcome Packet". i.e.: welcome letter, copies of square dance publications, links to websites, links to square dance history, etc.

Public Awareness and Publicity

Advertise, Advertise, Advertise. We just can't emphasize this enough. The more the better.

Send in advance press releases when fund raising. Invite the press to events to write an article and take pictures. If the press is not able to attend, do it yourself and submit your article to the newspapers.

Don't throw square dance publications away. Leave them in your doctor/dentist offices, repair shops, hospitals and other waiting areas.

Have club Business cards to leave in various establishments you visit.

Bookmarks for libraries.

Announce conventions - state & national - at all functions.

Place ads in publications well in advance of the event.

Provide discounts for early registration for all special events - for instance "\$15 per person or \$20 for two (any combination of two dancers).

We look forward to featuring each of our Committee reports from the "Working Weekend" in the upcoming articles. As always, you can find upcoming dance information throughout Florida at our website at <http://www.floridasquaredance.com>.

Keep dancing and remember to spread the word on how much fun you have Square and Round Dancing.

Paul & Chery Miller, Presidents

60th Florida State Convention

Our Convention Chairmen, the mother-daughter team of Penny & Jenny Green have advised the following: There will be dangle dances at the convention this year. Since these dances are quite popular, we want you to be sure and look at the program when you arrive at the convention so you won't miss these events. The caller scheduling meeting was a success and we believe everyone will enjoy the new programming layout. Along with this, we can report we have at least 5 vendors so far.

Now to registration: If you have not registered yet send in your \$27.00 per person now to Mary Lee Van Valkenburg, 4237 Promenade Blvd., Plant City, FL 33563. And, don't forget to make those reservations for your hotel room. Host hotel is the Ramada Lakeland Center (863) 688-8080.

For you campers, the host campground is Lakeland RV at \$18.50 per night with after parties every night. They are asking that reservations be made no later than 15 days prior to the convention.

The winner of the Jared's Galleria Raffle was Shirley Bonvisuto. Congratulations! Now in the works is a new raffle for a \$500 prepaid Visa Gift Card to be given away at the Convention.

Here is some information for the Honor Guard for the State Convention. On Saturday night an Honor Guard posts the colors to start the ceremonies. This Honor Guard is chosen from dancers who have served in the U.S, Armed Forces. They are not required to wear a uniform--red, white and/or blue square dance attire is okay. One veteran from each branch of the service will be selected to carry their service flag. And another veteran will be chosen to carry the U.S. Flag. The Convention Chairmen selects from a master list each year. If you are interested in participating, please contact Ailene Picheco by email apicheco@att.net or call 321-652-0680. She will need your name, address, phone number, email address and branch of service.

The Committee continues to work hard to make this a real Diamond Delight for the whole weekend. You don't want to miss it. PLEASE get registered now.

Charlie & Val Newsome
Publicity Chairman
60th Florida State Convention

Diamond Jubilee

May 23 - 25, 2014

Joys, Concerns, and Thank You

Please submit any Joys, Concerns, and Thank You notes to the Grapevine. We will try and place as many as we can, space permitting. Thanks

Plan Ahead !!

When planning for your special dances and events remember to check the Calendar of Events. Once you have chosen the date, just drop us an email at thegrapevinemag@hotmail.com make sure to include all the details. If you do not have access to email then just give the Grapevine a call at (904) 428-8933 and leave the details and who to contact if we have any questions.

Southwest Corn Spread

2 pkgs (8 oz each) cream cheese, softened (Neufchatel)

1/4 c lime juice

1 can (4 oz) chopped green chilies

3 green onions, thinly sliced (4)

1 T ground cumin (2 t)

1 t cayenne pepper (1/2 t)

1 t pepper (1/2 t)

1/2 to 1 t salt (1/4 t)

1 can (8-3/4 oz) whole kernel corn, drained

1 c chopped walnuts, optional (1/2 c)

Crackers or tortilla chips

This recipe is large - what you saw at the sq dance was half of the recipe. The amounts in parenthesis are my alterations - I was leery of the spices & haven't bothered to change them to original.

In a large mixing bowl, combine cream cheese & lime juice til smooth.

Beat in chilies, onions, cumin, cayenne, pepper & salt. Stir in corn and walnuts if desired. Cover spread & refrigerate for at least 4 hrs.

Yield: about 3 cups

Tips for better square dancing

♪ Shuffle your feet. Put your weight on the ball of your foot, lift your heel off the floor and take short, smooth gliding steps. Lifting your entire foot tires you more rapidly and breaks the dance rhythm.

♪ Be a dancer, not a walker! Listen to the music, pick out the beat and take a shuffle step with each beat of music. Walking a call instead of dancing a call does not look good, throws your timing off, affects the timing of the entire square, and results in an uncomfortable dance feeling.

♪ Be a proud dancer. Keep a loose relaxed feeling and enjoy the music and calls.

♪ Don't worry if you make a mistake. We all make mistakes!

♪ Keep your squares tight, do not spread out. When dancers form large squares they will be slow in executing the calls. The reason is, they are forcing themselves to cover much more ground. When the squares are small, you have ample time to do the calls.

♪ No matter what the Caller calls, DO IT!!! Often dancers will stop if the Caller tells them to do something and they do not know why he told them to do it. This results in a needless breakdown of the square. Don't worry about the 'why' - do as the Caller says. It is the Caller's responsibility to guide you through a call.

♪ Step on the beat of the music Calls have a specific "timing". That means there is "x" number of beats/steps to complete a call. If you take one step per beat you will find that you will have an easier time in accomplishing each call.

♪ If a club member seems to be doing a call differently from the way you were taught, ignore them! Sometimes we old dancers are so used to doing frills during calls that we forget and do them with class members. You'll have plenty of time to learn the frills and stylings. For now, just concentrate on learning the calls.

More Tips for better square dancing

♪ Don't rush through the calls! Sometimes dancers seem worried they will not make it through a call and they rush, push and jerk. This disturbs others, can hurt a person and many times causes the square to break down. Just relax, move to the beat of the music and enjoy the call.

♪ Join Hands - At the completion of any call, you should immediately join hands with the dancer or dancers standing next to you. This helps you to see the formation you are in (e.g., Lines, Waves, etc.) and aids you in doing the next call.

♪ Get into lines - If your square breaks down, get into facing lines. The approved way to get into lines is to square up and then the heads slide to the right to form a line with the sides. The caller will usually have you moving again within four or five calls.

♪ Don't leave early. By leaving early you are tell the other dancers and the caller that you didn't have a good time. The 'wind up' tips is just as important as the first or the middle tips.

Central Florida Square & Round Dancers Association

Party Weekend

April 11, 12 & 13, 2014

Deerhaven Retreat & Conference Center

47924 NFS 540-2 Paisley, FL 32767

Friday Night

Pot Luck Dinner - 5:30 pm

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Saturday

Full Breakfast - 7:30 - 9:00 am

Lunch Served at Noon

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Square & Round Dancing - 7:30 pm

Caller: **Bill Chesnut**

Calling (Mainstream / Plus)

Cuer: **Susan Snider**

Sunday

Full Breakfast Sunday Morning

Gates Open at Noon on Friday.

Come for the Full Weekend or the Saturday Dinner & Dance

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NORTHEAST FLORIDA SQUARE & ROUND DANCE ASSOCIATION

2012 CLUB DIRECTORY

A = ADVANCED B = BASIC C = CHALLENGE L = LINES

M = MAINSTREAM P = PLUS R = ROUNDS

Sunday

First Coast Rounds "R" Every Sunday .

Phase II-IV dance from 7:30–9:30 PM. St. Catherine's Episcopal Church 4758 Shelby Ave (just off Cassat Ave), Jacksonville, FL. Class information may be obtained by calling Susan Snider @ 904-908-5184

CREEKSIDE PROMENADERS "M/P" Every Monday. Mainstream class 7:00-8:30 followed by club dance 8:30-9:30PM at Westminster Woods on Julington Creek, 25 State Rd 13, Jacksonville, FL 32259. We dance Mainstream with announced Plus. Contact Caller-Ken Miller (904)465-0759, Banner chairman James Sirvent (904) 312-4147

CLAY ALLEMANDERS "M" Every Monday. Club dance 7:00 to 9:00 PM at 4055 Cedar Rd, Orange Park, FL 32065. Caller: Robert Padgett (904) 264-4751.

Tuesday

DIXIE DANCERS "P/R/L" Every Tuesday. New Dancer Lessons 6:45-8:30 PM, Club dance 8:30-9:30 PM, Teen Town, 533 NW Desoto St, Lake City, FL. Caller: Bill Chesnut & Cuer: Ralph Beekman. Contact Annette Conk (386) 935-1548.

GRAND SQUARES "B/M/P" Every Tuesday. 6:30-9:00 PM, Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Gainesville, 4225 NW 34th St., Gainesville, FL. Caller: Lon Ligon (352) 377-1828, www.lonligon.com

ROLLAWAYS "M/P/R" Every Tuesday.

Class 7:00-8:30 PM, Club dance 8:30-9:30 PM, Sandalwood High School, 2750 John Prom Blvd, Jacksonville, FL. Caller: Mark Fetzer. Contact Linda Tester (904)707-3117 Banner Chairs: Walt & Dianne Syphard (904)221-1368.

JOY SEAS "M/P" Every Tuesday except for 2nd Tuesday. Class 7:00-8:00 PM, Club dance 8:00-9:30 PM, St. Augustine, FL (Coquina Crossing). I-95 South, exit 311, West on SR 207, 1 mile on the left, You must be thru the gate prior to 8:00 PM. caller: Mike Akers, **VERY IMPORTANT** to contact Mary Burzo at (904)797-7530 to verify dance availability.

SEABREEZE SINGLES "M/P" Every Tuesday. Club dance 7:30-9:30 PM, Arlington Presbyterian Church 1300 Sprinkle Dr. Caller: Jim Cosman. Contact Shirley White (904) 708-3273 or Smitty Smith (904)779-7626, Banner chairman Betty Smith (904)772-9131.

QUARTERMORES "A" Every Tuesday. Dance 7:00-9:00 PM, St. Catherine's Episcopal Church 4758 Shelby Ave (just off Cassat Ave), Jacksonville, FL. Caller: Bobby Keefe. Contact Bobby & June Keefe (904)966-3451.



Wednesday

FUN 'N FROLICS "A" 1st & 3rd Wednesday. Class & Club dance 7:00-9:00 PM, Jax Heights Elementary School, 7750 S. Temple St. Jacksonville, FL. Caller: Jim Cosman. Contact Russell & Carolyn Ueber (904)223-9347 or Bob & Miriam Hinkle (904)268-6643. Dark in June, July & August. **No banner raids please.**

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Thursday

MANDARIN MARAUDERS "M/P/L" Class 7:00-8:00 PM, Club dance 8:00 -9:30 PM, First Christian Church, 11924 San Jose Blvd in Mandarin, Jacksonville, FL. Caller: Ernie Rollen. Contact Dan and Debbie Danson, 904-268-0048; Banner chairman Reggie & Cindy Dubay (904) 249-6941

MOOSE PROMENADERS "P/R" Every

Thursday. Plus Workshop 7:00-8:30 PM, Club dance 8:30-10:00 PM, Moose Lodge 5051 Collins Rd, Orange Park, FL. Caller: Bill Chesnut. Contact Presidents Don & Sherry MacGregor (904)375-1252, Banner Chairman Paul & Marilyn Scott (904) 264-9392.

VAGABOND SQUARES "M/P/R" Every Thursday, Club dance 7:00-9:30 PM, Hale Recreation Center, 215 NE Duval St (CR 136), Live Oak, FL. Caller & Cues Ralph Beekman. Contact Bob & Terry Wallace (386)362-4018. Banner chairman Bob Hunnicutt (386) 638-0144.

Friday

GYPSY SQUARES "M/P/L" 1st full weekend each month. Dance 8:00- 10:00 PM. Various campgrounds. Caller: Bill Chesnut. Contact Dale Fredrickson (904)536-3695.

SQUARE WHEELS "MjPjR" Every 3rd Friday & Saturday. Dance 8:00-10:00 PM Various Campgrounds. Caller: Bill Chesnut. Contact Martha Zimmerman (352) 336-5311 or (352) 226-0118.

SILVER FOX SQUARES "M/P/R" Every Friday. FREE Mainstream lessons 7:00 - 8:15 P.M. Club dance 8:15 - 9:30 P.M. 7:00-8:00 PM. Trinity Lutheran Church, 1415 S. McDuff Ave, Jacksonville, FL. Caller: Gary Murphy. Contact Dan & Paulette Kilts (904)772-8597.

Saturday

TEDDY BEARS M/P 2nd & 4th Saturday, 7:30-9:30 PM. St. Matthews Lutheran Church, 6801 Merrill Rd., Jacksonville, FL. 32277 Club Caller: Donnie Miller, Jr. (904) 781-4596 Banner Chairs: Walt & Dianne Syphard (904)221- 1368

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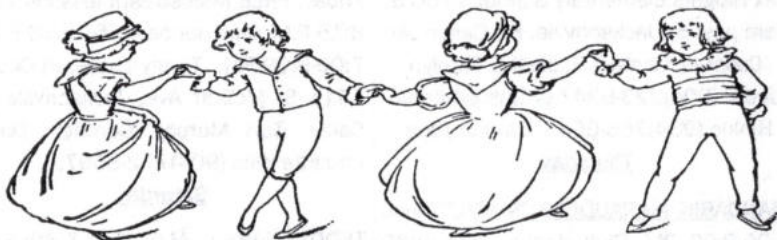
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From WebMD

Good for Body and Mind

With all its moving, twisting, and turning, square dancing provides more than the daily dose of heart- and bone-healthy physical activity. Remembering all the calls – from "do-si-do" to 'alemand' – keeps the mind sharp, potentially staving off age-related memory loss, experts say. And the companionship that regular square dancing offers is an antidote to depression and loneliness, a statement confirmed by square-dancing advocates everywhere.



SEABREEZE SINGLES SQUARE DANCE CLUB



Caller: Jim Cosman

We dance every Tuesday –

Dance time: 7:30 – 9:30 PM



Singles, couples, new, and returning dancers welcome

***Arlington Presbyterian Church
1300 Sprinkle Dr.***

Jacksonville, Fl. 32211

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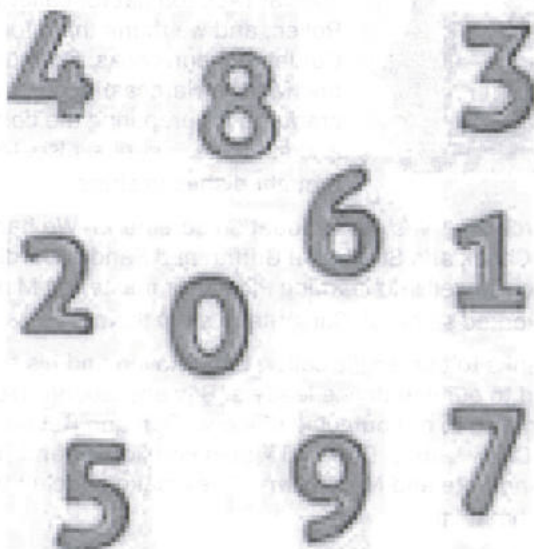
April 2014

3rd - "Anniversary Dance & Pot Luck Dinner" @ Moose Promenaders, Jacksonville

May 2014

30th - Red/White/Blue Dance @ Silver Fox Squares, Jacksonville

Please send events in to be added here





MANDARIN MARAUDERS
JACKSONVILLE
MARY LEWIS (904)373-8388

The Mandarin Marauders warmed up at our Chili Cook-off in wintery January. There were four different chili concoctions to sample. After the votes were tallied, Martha Hardcastle won a chili chef's bib apron for the number one chili recipe. Congratulations, Martha!



We celebrated Valentine's Day with our favorite Valentine colors and sweet treats.



Our St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner/Dance was a great success! We were so happy to see our friends, the Seabreeze Singles, who retrieved their banner and enjoyed the evening with us. Chuck and Stephanie Griffith contributed St. Patrick's top hats for everyone to wear and a special TALL top hat for caller Ernie Rollen, and we thank them for that. Our leprechaun cooks, Dorothy Dean and Martha Hardcastle, deserve our gratitude for preparing the corned beef and cabbage. Thanks, also, to all who brought dishes to share.

March 27th was our Graduation ceremony. We had three graduates: Chuck and Stephanie Griffith and Sandra Hardison. They are already well into learning Plus after mastering Mainstream. They have worked so hard! Congrats to all of them!

Thanks to our terrific caller, Ernie Rollen and his law Frances, and to our line dance leaders, Bev and George Treiber. Appreciation also to our outgoing officers: Dan and Debbie Danson, Reggie and Cindy Dubay, Dan and Agnes Porfilio, Joe and Barbara Fitzmayer, and Pete and Mary Lewis. They make our club the fun experience that it is!

Club News

TEDDY BEAR SQUARES

Jacksonville

Gaye Feuer 743-1087

Teddy Bear Squares extend a warm welcome to all Plus Dancers to attend our Delightful and Delicious Dances on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month. (Our only dark nights are for the State and National Conventions in May and June). Not only do we have a great caller: Donnie Miller and his wife Cindie, but we also have tasty and tempting refreshments.

Donnie's beginner square dance lessons on Thursdays from 7 to 9 p.m. are continuing at St. Pauls United Methodist Church, with enthusiastic students and dedicated angels. Learning is a process which takes patience, practice and a sense of humor and these students have what it takes. Donnie and Cindie are dedicated leaders working hard for our club.

We are easy to find at St. Matthews Lutheran Church, 6801 Merrill Road; 2 miles west of I- 295; or, 2 miles east of University Blvd N., turn R at Jacksonville University.

See you soon! Luv ya!

What IS Missing Here???????

Your Club News !!

Please help us by including your club news in each edition. You or someone at your Club just send us a brief article via email to thegrapevinemag@hotmail.com. If you would like, please send along any pictures of your club dance or activities and they just might be in the next Grapevine!

Joy Seas News

This has been a wonderful winter. John and I have been gone most time due to family and having work done to our house.

The Joy Seas have come thru with flying colors. They danced and danced their happy feet off without John and I. There were one or 2 squares each night. I hope they still need me. It is a great to see us moving in the right direction. The internet has influential in getting us get some dancers. Bruce does a great job.

We will be back in town early March and am look forward to dancing with them we hope we can keep up they have been dancing and we haven't. Should be like riding a bike never forget at least I hope so.

Mike Akers has been asked to call at the international this year he is very happy and excited.

When you guys travel to St Augustine stop by and pay us a visit we will be glad to have you, but remember to call me (904-797-7530) you never know we may be out and about.

The Joy Seas are going to have their Graduation on Tuesday May 6, 2014. Our hours of dance are 7PM till 9PM. Would you please put this in your.

Coming Events!!

First Coast Rounds

What a great beginning to our restart at First Coast Rounds. St. Catherine's Episcopal Church was gracious enough to let us use the Parrish Hall and we even have church members including Mother Nancy taking classes.

Mark and I had our opening dance January 5th and with the exception of a broken bone in my foot things couldn't be better. My foot seems to be getting better slowly. We began teaching introductory waltz and had more than 20 couples in attendance. The dances have been well attended and the dancers couldn't be more supportive.

Mark and I won the President award at the Moose Promenaders President's Ball for First Coast Rounds. We can't thank the dancing community enough.

Our future plans include teaching Foxtrot to those who attended the Phase III Waltz class and introduction to Cha Cha and Rumba. Many thanks to all the dancers without whom this wouldn't have been possible.

Round Dancing seems to be alive and growing in Jacksonville.

information may be obtained by calling Susan Snider @ 904-908-5184

Clay Allemanders

Our club is celebrating its fourth successful year. Four years ago, Robert Padgett a fairly new local caller, had a vision and dance location to start a club despite past shrinkage in the number of square dancing clubs across the nation.



The club got started with modest beginning numbers... Just barely enough members for a square. The only square dancing club located in Clay County slowly grew as it continues to meet every Monday evening at the Doctors Inlet Civic Center.

Today, the Club still is small, but averages at least two to three squares including several really faithful repeat visitors.

This little Club knows how to have a lot of fun. Many members show up in strength Thursday evenings at its neighbor Club, the Moose Promenaders. Robert Padgett credited to be the founding father, along with Millie Whipple, his long time square dancing partner and great assistant are extremely proud of Clay Allemanders as they have just graduated another couple and look forward to the possibility of three more new couples joining their new class the first week of March.

in addition to mainstream square dancing calls, the club has formed many traditions that include Pot Luck Thanksgiving and Christmas Dinners and our famous last singing call of the evening, Roy and Dale Evans' "Happy Trails". Clay Allemanders also scores high for their size on all NEFSARDA functions on attendance percentages as well as other club visitations and banner raids. As quoted with the famous "Allemanders Cheer", this club is always the "Mouse that Roared".

Robert Padgett (904) 264-4751.

Grand Squares

Gainesville
Susie Moon
352-283-1296

We have had some really nice special dances so far in 2014.

The club members are going all out with dressing to the theme. The dance hall was solid white on Jan. 21 for our Snowflake Dance (even the refreshments were white!), all red and pink on Feb. 11 for the Valentines and Chocolates Dance (the chocolate goodies were fabulous), and oh so colorful with purple, green, and gold on March 4 for the Mardi Gras Dance. Vicki Todd did a magnificent job decorating the hall.



Our caller Lon Ligon has been helping us polish and perfect main stream calls and has been work shopping the plus calls.



Because of scheduling conflicts with our regular dance hall on March 11-April 8, we'll be dancing at the Ornan Masonic Lodge, 250 NE 6th Blvd, Williston. Please come out and join us whenever you are able.

Continued on the next page

On April 15 we'll be back at our regular dance hall to celebrate the wedding of bride Maria Harper to groom Larry Middleton. It will be a true Square Dance Wedding performed by Rev. Jerry Robey. Please plan to help us celebrate that evening.

We've enjoyed dancing with Donna and Jerry Robey this spring while they wait for their hometown of Rockford, Illinois to thaw out.

Our "store" of clean, gently-used square dance clothes will be open the first Tuesday of each month during dance time (6:30-9:00). The clothing can be purchased by making a donation to St. Francis House of Gainesville.

We will celebrate the 41st anniversary of Grand Squares on June 17 with a covered dish dinner.

Keep checking our website
(www.lonligon.com/grandsquares.html)
for the latest information, or call Lonnie at 352-377-1828.

FUN 'N FROLICS

Jacksonville, FL
Carolyn Ueber (904) 223-9347

Our snow birds have returned for the winter, so we're looking forward to more people at our dances. We also hope that Bob Hinkle and Priscilla Hayes are feeling better soon we sure miss them at our dances.

The Fun 'n Frolics dance the first and third Wednesdays of each month. We dance from 7 - 9 PM at Jax Heights Elementary School at 7750 Tempest Street S., Jacksonville.

If you are an Advanced Dancer, we would love to have you come dance with us. We always have so much fun.

Clover Squares

Mignon Craig

More than 50 dancers and students attended the revived Clover Squares inaugural dance on Friday, February 14th in Williston. Several members of the original club, which closed in 1986, joined the fun, including Virginia Lewis, Henry Britten, Herb and Gerry Jesk. Hazel Daggett, Vicki Todd and Mignon Craig are also members of the revived club.

A Mardi-gras theme dance was held February 28th. Mary Britten won for best costume. March 14th was our St. Patrick's Day dance.



(Note: The picture on the left is of our caller, Charlie Pergrossi. The picture on the next page is of a founder of the original Clover Squares, Virginia Lewis and Hazel Daggett, a member of both the original and the revived club.)



Dances will continue every Friday evening at the Ornan Masonic Lodge, 650 NE 6th Blvd (SR 121), Williston. Club caller Charlie Pergrossi starts lessons at 6:30 and the dance is at 8 PM. Couples, singles and children 10 and over are welcome to come and learn square dancing.



For more information call 352-528-3323 or go online to www.cloversquares.com.

Mignon Craig



Vagabond Squares
JACKSONVILLE

Make sure to submit both your club news, pictures and events.

DIXIE DANCERS

Lake City
Ivan & Ann Hadsall

First things first—a great big thank you to all of you that attended the Blue-Grey Festival in Lake City. From the Trails End Dance Friday night hosted by the Square Wheels to the dancing in Olustee Square on Saturday afternoon where five squares entertained the festival goes to the Blue-Grey dance at the Toyota showroom, it was a fun filled weekend.

Many thanks to our guest caller, Jack Lewis. It's always a pleasure to have Jack with us. Thanks also to our own Bill Chesnut and cuers Susan Snyder, Ralph Beekman and Ann Hadsall.

There was lots of dancing, a great silent auction, racks of dance clothes for sale and a buffet to keep us busy all evening. We hope you'll put it on your calendar for next year. Our invited caller will be Elmer Sheffield from the Tallahassee area.

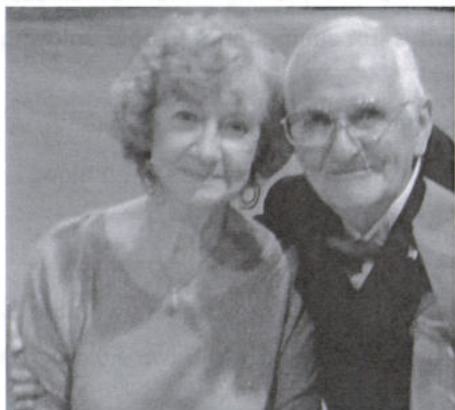
A new square dance class is underway at the Dixie Dancers. We had fourteen students for the first class. Everyone was enthusiastic and enjoyed themselves.



We had a Mardi Gras party night with lots of glitz, glitter, beads and food. Next is a St. Patrick's Day Dance then we don the Easter bonnets for the Easter dance. If you're in the neighborhood, drop by on Tuesday evenings at the Teen Town Rec Center in Lake City. We'd love to see you all!



Sea Breeze Singles



2024 The Rollaways

The Rollaways started the new year right with new classes for beginner dancers. It's always fun seeing more people enjoying our activity.

Our annual chili cook-off was a great success. Thanks to Mary Ann and Sherry for grilling cheese sandwiches to go along with all of the chili.

We had many visitors and some even participated by bringing chili. Paul Scott from the Moose Promenaders won the \$20 gift certificate to Chilis and promptly donated it to Silver Fox for their benefit dance.



Our caller, Mark, answered some requests to teach plus lessons and he came early every week to help our dancers progress with plus figures. From 6:00 to 7:00 he taught Plus and then taught Mainstream to our new class followed by our club dance. **A HUGE THANK YOU Mark.**

On February 18th we enjoyed another Red Solo Cup dance. Blenders were whirring as people chose their own fixings and drank them between tips. Looks like this might become an annual event. Last year Red Cup tee shirts were given out and many dancers wore them to this years party.



Join us on Tuesdays at Sandalwood High School. A guaranteed fun night of Mainstream, Plus and Round dancing.





Moose Promenaders

Jacksonville

Don and Sherry MacGregor (904) 375-1252

2014 is getting off to another great start with the first quarter being filled with many activities. Our first class graduated January 16th using the abbreviated lesson schedule and it has worked very well. They are having a lot of fun and are still learning additional calls. It also gave our club an opportunity to have another class which started Feb. 27th and will graduate the first week of June.

Recruitment of new students is better when the students know it is not such a long commitment till graduation.



Moose Promenader graduates January 2014

We had our Valentines dance in February and recognized the many couples in our club that met through square and round dancing. Judging from the number of couples, square dancing must be the dance of love.

Then we had our annual "Presidents Ball" with 14 clubs attending. There were clubs from as far away as Palatka, Williston and Lake City. As many as 10 squares were dancing to the entertaining calls of Mr. Tim Marriner from Rock Hill, SC. Between tips the floor was filled with round dancers as Susan Snider cued the various dances. It was a great dance and the "President of the Year" award was presented to Susan Snider and Mark Fetzer of First Coast Rounds for the club with the highest percentage of members attending the dance.



Presidents from Moose Promenaders 2014 Presidents Ball

March ended the quarter with the St. Patrick's Day dance. There was our traditional parade of costumed revelers to select the best St. Paddy's day outfits. Awards were then presented to the top three winners.



St Patrick's Day dance at Moose Promenaders

Coming up in the next quarter we will have our Anniversary Dance/ Pot Luck Dinner on April 3rd. The following month is our White Diamond and Black Tie Dance on May 15th to prepare for the State Convention at the end of May. In June we cool off with our summer attire and an Ice Cream Social. All these activities will give us something to write about next quarter. Till then, just stop by any Thursday evening and dance with us. Hope to see you in a square.

Visit us on our Facebook page: MoosePromenaders



Silver Fox Squares

Jacksonville

Dan and Paulette Kilts (904)772-8597

Come join us any Friday night at Trinity Lutheran Church, 1415 S. McDuff Ave for a great dance of Mainstream, Plus called and round dancing. Weekly Ed Hauck will cue round dancing and Susan Snider will cue for us the first Friday of each month as well as at special dances.

Friday, March 28 will be the Graduation date for our students of 2013-2014 classes. Join us to welcome them into the square dance community. You may have already met them at the Fall Festival, Freshmen and Sophomore Hoedowns or the President's Ball. Watch for their photo in the next Grapevine issue.

Also join us to bid farewell to caller Gary Murphy and his wife Bernie. Gary has served as the club caller for almost 7 years through our transition from Jax Heights Elementary to our present venue, through good times as well as our most recent challenging times. Thanks go out to the NEFSARDA Board and club representatives for their support of our club.

Friday, April 4 we welcome back as club caller Ernie Rollen and his wife Francis to our club! Join us for an Open House for new dancers that night - invite a friend to come with you. Ernie will be teaching the 9 week Beginners dance course with a graduation date set in late June for this new class. Beginners class will be from 7 - 8 p.m. with our regular club dance including squares and rounds from 8 - 9:30 p.m.

Friday, April 18 we will be Dark during Holy Week and we will also be Dark on Friday, May 23 so members can attend the State Convention. Join us the following week Friday, May 30 for a RED, WHITE and BLUE Dance in celebration of Memorial Day. Watch for updates on all activities at www.silverfoxsquares.com.

We look forward to seeing you this Spring!

Circus Dance 2014

Silver Fox Squares thanks the entire square and round dance community for their support of the "Circus Dance", January 24, 2014. Special thanks go to our callers and cuers for the evening: Gary Murphy, Ernie Rollen, Mark Fetzer, Susan Snider and Ann Hadsall. There were 113 dancers in attendance representing 11 different clubs.



This year your generosity and that of special sponsors will make a "Dream Come True" for one or two Jacksonville children.

Clubs represented in the photo with the largest attendance were: Grand Squares, Clay Allemanders, Moose Promenaders and Rollaways.



March 7 "Dreams Come True" representative Andrea Siracusa joined us to receive monies raised at the dance. The Circus Dance, individual and corporate donations totaled \$ 5,067.00. Two thousand dollars was given in memory of dancer Mike O'Brien by Key/Hyundai Buick, President Maureen Burnett; three hundred dollars was donated by the Wal-Mart distribution center; Mary Starling gave five hundred dollars from the sale of square dance clothing and the Circus Dance event raised two thousand two hundred sixty-seven dollars.

Andrea shared with us her thanks for what these funds have done for the community through the years. Since 1996, the Circus Dance has raised more than \$47,000 for the "Dreams Come True" organization. This is the 30th anniversary year for "Dreams Come True" which has given 100% of your donations to make a "dream come true" for over 20 children. She expects that one or two children will be chosen this spring for their special dream adventure with the 2014 monies.

Time now to put Friday, January 23, 2015 on your calendar so you can join us for the Circus Dance and continue the tradition of sharing with these deserving children!

Silver Fox

Square Wheels
JACKSONVILLE

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- 2012 Linda Tester
- 2011 Walt & Dianne Syphard
- 2010 Jerry & Donna Robey
- 2009 Martha Zimmerman
- 2008 Joe and Martha Hardcastle
- 2007 Bud & Dianne German
- 2006 Ouida Taylor and Thomas Tramel
- 2005 Shirley White and Lorval "Smitty" Smith
- 2004 Manny & Sherry Gonzales
- 2003 Bud & Anita Taylor
- 2002 Kim Keffer
- 2001 Linda Riggs
- 2000 Howard & Jettie Crowe
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- 1997 Grover & Marcella Jacobsen
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