

# THE

# GRAPEVINE NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 1974

## OFFICERS OF NEFSDA, INC.

### PRESIDENT

GEORGE EPHREM  
549 OGLETHORPE RD.  
JACKSONVILLE 32216  
724-5243

### VICE PRESIDENT

JIM PANIPINTO  
1809 CASSAT AVE.  
JACKSONVILLE 32210  
388-2079

### CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

SANDRA MILLIGAN  
986 BARTLETT AVE.  
ORANGE PARK 32073  
264-5479

PUBLISHED MONTHLY BY THE  
NORTHEAST FLORIDA SQUARE  
DANCE ASSOCIATION, INC.  
DEDICATED TO SQUARE AND  
ROUND DANCERS, CALLERS &  
TEACHERS.

### SUBSCRIPTION RATES

\$2.00 PER YEAR

SPECIAL RATES FOR ADS &  
FLYERS..NEWS DEADLINE..

15th. OF EACH MONTH

ONLY SIGNED ARTICLES WILL  
BE PRINTED. THE EDITORS  
RESERVES THE RIGHT TO OMIT,  
CONDENSE, OR REWRITE ALL OR  
ANY PART OF MATERIAL SENT  
TO THIS NEWSLETTER FOR PUB-  
LICATION...

## OFFICERS OF NEFSDA, INC.

### TREASURER

HILTON LAY  
6004 SUWANEE RD.  
JACKSONVILLE 32217  
733-7597

### RECORDING SECRETARY

TRUDY PATRICK  
445 OGLETHORPE RD.  
JACKSONVILLE 32216  
724-1386

### GRAPEVINE EDITORS

GEORGE & JUDY GARLAND  
416 OCEANWOOD DR.S.  
NEPTUNE BEACH 32233  
246-7267

## Good Ideas

## for a Great

# Vacation



PRESIDENTS CORNER

I want to thank everyone who attended the 5th Saturday Dance, June 29; your support was gratifying & I am sure that all of you enjoyed the calling of John Creel & the cuing of Edith Reisen. This dance was a success. Thanks to Virgil Green for furnishing transportation for Johnny from the airport & arranging lodging for the night.

Many thanks to Bill Bishop & Edith Reisen for handling the Special dance, July 6, at the Pythian Hall. The attendance was more than 25 squares with more than 50 spectators. Dr. Paul Mori, in charge of civic affairs for the Bi-centennial Commission, spoke a few words & complimented the dancers & callers, & has plans for 1975-76 in the making, which will include a Square & Round Dance on a larger scale. He said that this form of activity will continue to be a major factor in American life.

Again, I would like for all dancers to keep in mind & plan to attend the Area Dance, to be held on October 19, 1974, in conjunction with the Callers Clinic which will be held in Orlando. Net proceeds will go to help defray some of the callers expenses, while attending the clinic. George Wray from Atlanta will do the calling with Edith Reisen cuing the rounds. Please plan to attend this dance.

The appointed committee for the nomination of new officers for NEFSDA, INC. will be Joe Smith, Chiarman; with Lou Connally, George Garland, Roy Bailey, Joe Townsend & Chet Vettters. ALL CLUBS are requested to contact these committee men, if you have someone in mind that would & could accept one of the offices in the Association.

The Local Callers will handle the 5th Saturday Dance on November 29, 1975 & at least one 5th Saturday Dances in 1976.

Please buy your Fall Roundup Ribbons early, so we can take care of some of the pre-dance bills. If your club delegate has not received any ribbons to sell, have him contact Jim Panipinto for same.

The best people in the world are Square & Round Dancers; with this in mind, please give the round dancers & the cuer the courtesy of enjoying the dance, by being quiet on the dance floor.

Squarely yours  
George Ephren  
President, NEFSDA, INC.

KNOTHEAD NEWS

NO - YES - WE ARE - WE AREN'T - BUT NOW IT IS A DEFINITE YES !!! The Florida

KNOTHEAD KONVENTION is open again, no limit on registrations & we have again reinstated the new membership applications for the trail dance.

Call it circumstance or energy crisis let-up or what have you, it is the happening we were waiting for.

We have secured another hall; the St. Petersburg Junior College, Clearwater Campus, facillities for the dancing. A/C & lots of good paved parking. Located on Drew ST. in Clearwater, 1/2 mile west of US#19, North on Drew St. We will have maps available at the trail dance.

We are giving notice at this time, that the Konvention is again an open one, so we are withdrawing our offer of making 1974 a year that will not break a sequence..FAIR ENOUGH???

REGISTRATION AT DESK Kay Mack  
\$4.50 per member Secretary

\*\*\*\*\*

WHERE IS IT ??

PRESIDENTS CORNER	PAGE 2
KNOTHEAD NEWS	PAGE 2
NEFSDA NEWS	PAGE 3
STARLITE SHUFFLERS	PAGE 3
CALICO SWINGERS	PAGE 3
SUNSHINE TWIRLERS	PAGE 4
FRIENDLY WHIRL-A-WAYS	PAGE 4
WESTERNAIRES	PAGE 5
ALLEMANDARINS	PAGE 5
GATOR PROMENADERS	PAGE 5
OPEN LETTER FROM THE HIDDINGS'	PAGE 6
FRIENDLY FROLICS	PAGE 6
HICKS & CHICKS	PAGE 6
ROCKIN' ROBINS	PAGE 7
JUBILEERS	PAGE 7
FUN & FROLIC	PAGE 8
WESTERN CUTTERS	PAGE 8
BELLES & BEAUX	PAGE 9
'75 STATE CONVENTION-REPORT	PAGE 9
MANDARIN ATHLETIC CLUB	PAGE 9
NEW GRADUATES	PAGE 10
FROM YOUR ROVING EDITORS	PAGE 11
SPECIAL COMING EVENTS	PAGE 12



**The Square Fair Shop**  
 SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE  
 APPAREL AND ACCESSORIES

SALLY THOMPSON  
PH. 904 725-2511

7408 ATLANTIC BLVD.  
JACKSONVILLE, FLA. 32211

\*\*\*\*\*

NOTE: Due to illness of the caller, Hays Herschler, the new club, St. Augustine Y Squares, had to cancell its first dance.(July 19). Hopefully, they will be dancing on August 2, 1974.

\*\*\*\*\*

NEFSDA NEWS

Our sincerest appreciation to all of you who expressed your opinion regarding what you preferred as to the type of 5th Saturday Dances to be sponsored by your NEFSDA.

As in any situation where more than one person has an opinion, there are various degrees of preferences. However, as the NEFSDA bases decisions of this nature on a majority opinion, we will be governed by the majority poled.

The totals for each item are as follows:

- 1) Remain as is (out of area callers) 214
- 2) Local callers only 83
- 3) Mix of local & out of area 62

As expressed by the majority, we will continue with out of area callers.

The 5th Saturday Dances can be one of the many highlights that we experience during the year. The last dance with John Creel really demonstrated a wonderful spirit, good dancing & calling with a fine turnout.

We have a strong feeling that the overall spirit of coordination & cooperation is developing within all facets of square dancing in Jacksonville. The more we see this develop, the more we will see square dancing develop & grow.

Again, thanks for your cooperation.

Your committee:

- Cameron Gates
- John Lukas
- Gordon Casey
- Virgil Green
- Lou Connally, Chairman

STARLITE SHUFFLERS

THURSDAY - JOSEPH LEE CENTER  
CALLER - JAMES MAXEY  
PRESIDENT - LARRY SMITH

Hello again from the Starlite Shufflers. First off, I would like to say, it has been a pleasure being the reporter for the past couple years. It is not with deep regrets that I turn the job over to someone new. So, beginning with September you will be hearing from a new reporter.

On June 21, a group from our club, plus some other dancers went to Jesup, Ga. for a Knothead trip. They traveled by motor homes & everyone had a wonderful time. Now we have a bunch of new Knotheads.

On June 20, James Maxey broke a record. He stood us Shufflers up for the first time since he has been our caller. He had a good excuse tho. Seems like some-

one either cut off his water or they didn't cut it off; from what I hear, he was a mess. Anyway, the Maxey's are the proud owners of a new swimming pool. We would like to thank John Robbins for calling for us while James played in the mud.

We have had quite a few visitors during the month of June. I can't begin to name them for I might leave some one out, but we enjoyed having everyone & invite them back real soon.

We still have some Shufflers that aren't up to par. Helen Maxey has been sidelined for awhile with a cast on her foot. Debbie Reed has been in the hospital. We send get well wishes to each of you.

Don't forget to tour the Bahamas with James Maxey & John Robbins in August. It sounds like a real blast is in store for everyone.

Bob & Yvonne Hart  
Reporters

\*\*\*\*\*

CALICO SWINGERS - FAMILY CLUB

TUESDAY - 2-4 - 7-9pm - JAX HGTS. ELEM.  
CALLERS - TOM & MARIANN HIDDING 771-6272

ABOUT ALL WE HAVE TO REPORT THIS MONTH is that we are enjoying our summer vacation with the Calico Swingers scattered all over the country.

Lauri Blackford is the only Birthday during the month of August, "Happy Birthday, Lauri".

Some of the Calico Swingers have plans to attend the Knothead Konvention in Clearwater..Hope to see you there.

George Rider  
Reporter

\*\*\*\*\*



SUNSHINE TWIRLERS

THURSDAY - GAINESVILLE REC. CENTER  
CALLER - BOBBY KEEFE  
ROUNDS - TOM & SUE McRORIE  
PRESIDENT - BILL & BARBARA RUSSELL

New officers were installed, June 13, & we wish the best for those who have agreed to lead the club for the coming year. The new officers are: Bill & Barbara Russell-President; Dave & Marie Dame-Vice President; Kevin Rolf-Secretary; Genie Crosby-Treasurer. The club also gives a sincere vote of appreciation to the outgoing President, Ron & Patty Anderson & Vice President, Ken & Patsy Vick for their leadership during the past year.

It was immediately evident that Bill Russell would use his Presidential talents to put other people to work. Kevin Rolfe was appointed as our representative to NEFSDA & this is a real good selection. We know that through his efforts the Sunshine Twirlers will become an active participant in NEFSDA.

The club members have certainly missed dancing with the Kilby's & Frue's, During recent weeks. Evelyn Kilby & Charlie Frue have both spent some time in the hospital. Both are home now & hopefully they will be joining in the fun of dancing soon.

It is easy to tell that school is out, & it is good to see some squares of our young people back on the floor. Their enthusiasm does a lot to get the club really "up", & sometimes even a caller - right, Bobby?

Gil Crosby will be calling for our club on July 18, while Bobby "Motivates" at Rainbow. All you Gil T. fans, come on over to Gainesville.

Jack & Betty Wingard of Daytona, were recent visitors to our club. We have also enjoyed having John & Sue Griner at our dances. Melody Warner is back dancing, husband, Bruce will be joining her soon.

Tony & Dot Anthony  
Reporters

\*\*\*\*\*

FRIENDLY WHIRL-A-WAYS - R/D CLUB

MONDAY - FT. CAROLINE JR HIGH SCHOOL  
INSTRUCTOR - EDITH & BUD REISEN  
PRESIDENT - CARL FAHLBUSCH 829-5869

Club members have had an active month with so many going on vacations & others returning. We have had a different group almost every week.

The Armstrong's have returned from a business trip & have taken off on another. According to Al & Margaret Bowie where there's a "wheel" there's a way.

They are heading up a cross country trek to Dallas, in their luxurious Winnebago. Accompanying them are: Roy Bailey, Betty Porter, Doug Stringer & Bonnie Ennis. They plan to visit relatives, but "ne-thinks" they will make plenty "whoopie" en route; first stop New Orleans to dance with Johnny Creel. We'll expect a full report when they return.

This week Bud & Edith are having visitors in their Fruit Cove Home. They are entertaining their son & family from Baltimore.

A new group was graduated this month into round dancing & everyone enjoyed the fun. Our thanks to those who planned the activities & also the refreshments. Edith is truly a busybody, no sooner does she graduate one class, she starts another. A new class will begin August 6, 1974.


We are always glad to welcome our visitors. In addition to the regulars were Herb & Rhona Williams, Frank & Lucille Sullivan, Jo Beth Pace, & Lucious Nelson. We enjoyed having you...Hurry back. Each week we have a short workshop to bring us up to date on popular numbers being danced; to those who have never danced with us, the welcome mat is out.

Jekyll Island Fun Fest, a must for everyone. Dick Barker & Cal Goldon gave us their best & the round dancers thoroughly enjoyed Charlie & Madeline Lovelace. They taught us 3 new dances. The barbeque & after parties were super... If you wonder if it's worth the trip, just ask everyone who was there..

Mabel Pangle  
Reporter

\*\*\*\*\*

**RED GREENE'S**  
 WHEEL BALANCING  
 ALIGNMENT SERVICE  
 HEADLIGHTS ADJ.-WIPERBLADES  
 BULBS - BRAKES & FRONT END - REBUILDING



**GARAGE**

2183 HWY. 17 ORANGE PARK, FLA.  
 PHONE 264-9206  
 HRS. 8 AM - 6 PM - MON. THRU FRI.  
 FLA. OFFICIAL INSPECTION STATION

DIP 'N DIVE 'N '75  
JACKSONVILLE  
REGISTER NOW!!

WESTERNAIRES

SATURDAY -1-3 JAX HGTS. ELEM. SCHOOL  
CALLERS - TOM & MARIANN HIDDING 771-6272

VISITORS GALOR: We really had the visitors this past month. The Oceanwaves came for our banner & Fun & Frolic came to retrieve their's. Their caller, Jack Griffiths, called a very enjoyable tip for us, too. We also had visitors from Western Cutters. We enjoyed dancing with all of you very much, come back soon. Visiting was on our agenda, too. The Gator Promenaders saw us retrieve our club banner & enjoy the evening with them very much.

TUBING DOWN THE ICHETUCKNEE? Yes, a number of Westernaires went on the expedition & had a ball.

KNOTHEAD TRIP: Shaping up real good. We are looking forward to the trip & to the calling of John Saunders at South Orlando Squares.

FIFTH SATURDAY DANCE: A ball you all. Everyone had a great time & the calling of Johnny Creel made it even better.

RICK CROSBY: Called at our regular Saturday Night Dance on July 6. His calling has progressed very well & the voice is clear & plain. Keep up the good work, Rick.

SALTY DOG SPECIAL: By Patty & Jim Everett. Not a song, but a dance. They were really good.

COME BACK: Lois Litgen did..she looked great.

PNEUMONIA & KRIS KINSEY: They haven't figured out which one has the other, but Kris, I hope we still have you.

SYMPATHY: Our deepest to Bob & Melodie Sanford in the loss of their twin boys.

NEXT DANCE: See you all there. "til then"

Jim Martin  
Reporter

\*\*\*\*\*

ALLEMANDARINS

FRIDAY - WOLFSON HIGH SCHOOL 8-10:30  
CALLERS - DICK BARKER 1-3  
BILL BISHOP 2-4  
EDITH REISEN 2-4 ROUNDS  
PRESIDENT - JOHN & NORMA LUKAS 737-3496

The Allemandarins have been busy this past month. We've had a lot of visitors come dance with us & we've enjoyed having them all. To add a little "zing" we've begun a weekly drawing where a lucky couple (visitors) receive a free pass to a future Allemandarin Dance. The first winners were Bill & Dianne Ashmead from the Dixie Chain Gang, with Gordon & Margaret Casey from the Ocean-

waves winning the following week; who knows what couple "Lady Luck" will favor next?

In the past, as a token of appreciation, our club has presented the outgoing Presidents with a gift. This year, John & Freda Seebacher, asked that in lieu of a gift to them, we give a donation to the building fund. This we have done in their name. Thanks again for a job well done!!

Traveling has been the thing to do, lately. Doug Stringer, Bonnie Ennis, Roy Bailey & Betty Porter danced their way to Texas, which must have been great & 23 of us traveled to Jekyll Island for the Fun Fest. (Fews, Jeffries, Linkers, Lukas, Pinsons, Scotts, Pucketts, Stritts, Tapleys, Charlie Landis, Harvey Hartley, all enjoyed the the calling of Dick Barker & Cal Golden. The Lovelaces' did a beautiful job on the rounds. At one of the square dance workshops, we learned "Grand Parade", which we hope will become part of the Jacksonville repertoire. The "clogging bug" bit some of us. We have willing feet, but need a teacher!

Three new members were with us at Jekyll Marge Priddy, Cathy Puckett & Dellora Stritt. I am sure there have been many trips that I don't know about, so when you do something "neat", let me know!

We will be 10 years old, soon, & a celebration dance is in the planning. Next issue we will announce the date & we hope to see you there.

Betty Stritt  
Reporter

\*\*\*\*\*

GATOR PROMENADERS

FRIDAY - FORREST HIGH SCHOOL  
CALLER - BILL CAMP  
PRESIDENT - PAUL & MICHELLE MORGAN  
772-7610

Our new officers took over business for the club as of July 1,1974. They are hoping to get the club off to a good start by giving the club an "up-coming" "Mystery Ride & Dance". Come dance with us & learn the details.

Wedding Bells will ring in August for Elmer Hilbrant & Wynona Spurlock. Our club sends them our best wishes for a happy marriage.

Jim Morgan has been busy about town, calling some "exciter" dances for non-square dancers. His latest venture was an evening of dancing with the District Group of Christian Churches. Everyone had a good time & it's a good way to get new people interested in learning to square dance. The gator Promenaders would like to see more visitors. Come on out & dance with us. You're always Welcome.

Mary Hubbard-Reporter

OPEN LETTER TO THE PARENTS OF CHILDREN

INTERESTED IN SQUARE DANCING - FROM:

TOM & MARIANN HIDDING

As the 22nd Annual Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention is to be held in Jacksonville, Memorial Day week-end, the thoughts of all good square & round dancers in the area should be thinking, "WHAT CAN I DO TO HELP THE COMMITTEE MAKE THIS EVENT A SUCCESS?". We have been asked by the convention committee, & specifically, the Chairman, Herman Ibach, to put together a group of children to perform precision square dancing drills at upcoming functions, before & during the State Convention.

We have agreed to give this project a try & thereby issue an invitation for ALL INTERESTED PARENTS OF CHILDREN WHO SQUARE DANCE & THOSE WHO ARE INTERESTED IN SQUARE DANCING ( THESE CHILDREN DO NOT HAVE TO BE SQUARE DANCERS AT THIS TIME ), to make themselves known to us so that we can determine if there is enough interest to make this project a success.

If the response is great enough to allow us to go ahead with the project, we will set up a meeting of the parents in the near future to discuss the plans.

Hopefully we will hold this meeting during the first week of September. Please contact us at - 771-6272 or 5985 Fury Dr. Jacksonville, Fla. 32210.

Tom & Mariann Hidding  
Callers & Teachers

\*\*\*\*\*

FRIENDLY FROLICS

SATURDAY - 1-3 FT. CAROLINE JR HIGH  
CALLER - BILL BISHOP  
ROUNDS - EDITH REISEN  
PRESIDENT - REX & DORIS JERRIM 744-5727

Friendly Frolics are busy with preparations for our Annual Beachcomber Dance August 17. Elmer Sheffield from Tallahassee will do the calling & Edith Reisen will cue the rounds. Elmer's a terrific caller, so don your best (or worst) beach attire & come out for some fun. Prizes too!!

Bill Bishop's class graduated July 3. They are a real good group of new dancers. Friendly Frolics are very pleased to welcome the following from the class as new members: Derrell & Cindy Akins, Ed & Sherron Jeffrey, Alfie Liquori, Jim Mock, Reggie & Joan Pate, Ed & Brenda Spivey, James Stone & Cindy Wiggins.

Hope we didn't inconvenience anyone by cancelling our July 6 dance. It wasn't decided until after Grapevine deadline, so it was difficult to notify everyone.

We took part in the Jacksonville Independence Day Celebration & danced at the Pythias Hall as part of the square dance exhibition presented by the NEFSDA. Bill Bishop did the calling & was assisted by area & guest callers. There was a good turnout, & the spectators enjoyed the square dancing & some expressed an interest in taking lessons.

If you thought there weren't many FF members present at the July 20, dance, you were right! We were enjoying a weekend in Lakeland at the Citrusland Square-up. We'll report more on that weekend, next month.

Doris Jerrin  
Reporter

\*\*\*\*\*

HICKS & CHICKS - TEEN CLUB

MONDAY - JOSEPH LEE CENTER 7:30  
CALLERS - JAMES MAXEY & DICK GOEDERT  
PRESIDENT - WANDA MAXEY 725-4828

We welcome one of our newest members back, for she has been in the hospital. It is good to have Lynnwood back, again. We miss our vacationers!

Jimmy, Christine & Brenda represented our club at the National Square Dance Convention in San Antonio, Texas. The teenagers had their own hall & callers with guards at the door to admit no adults. It was Super!! Florida had the largest booth display of all the states. Even our Grapevine was displayed.

The club has started working on an exhibition for the State Convention in Jacksonville, next year.

Last month there was a mistake on the new officers; Tracy is the Treasurer & Lynn A. is the Vice President.

We haven't had many visitors this month, but welcome visitors anytime. We miss Kim & Eddie & hope they will dance with us soon.

Now for the gossip!!! R.S. said to C.M. "Looks like I have to dance again!" K.R. said to the treasurer, "Money isn't everything". V.H. said to L.W., "Guess who's back?" " Tracey is "Rinky Dinkin" everybody!!! W.M. agrees with D.R. R.P. said to L.P., "If you want to go home tonight, you will come help me change this flat tire!" N.I. said to B.G., " Is it true R.G. & B.A. are playing farmers?" L.B. said to K.W, "I'm ready to dance!"

Thats the news for this month, we hope everyone had fun dancing - see you!

BRENDA GOEDERT  
Reporter

ROCKIN' ROBINS

SATURDAY - 1-3 1541 HENDRICKS AVE.  
CALLER - JOHN ROBBINS 398-1301

With all the recent rains & muggy weather, things are still cool & dry at the Robins' nest. With our great class on Friday & workshop on Tuesday, we're not letting summer doldrums overtake us. Since the last column, we've added another couple under our wings, Bill & Barbara Hall. Welcome to the nest.

Had a great picnic at Anastasia Park in June. Playing soft ball, eating, drinking (tea & cokes of course) or just plain soaking up sun, was fun for all. Linda must have struck out 10 times. It was said, "She swings like a rusty gate". Poor thing, she's now in the hospital & we hope by the time this is in print, she will be back in the square. We miss her smiling face, not her battling average.

Glad to have Edie back on two sound feet, again. Had the pleasure of seeing our good friends, Pee Wee & Mary Stewart & Jack & Pat Tucker, in Eustis at the 5th Saturday Dance in June. There was a large crowd on hand & it was a pleasure working with the Augenblinks again. The two squares that accompanied us to the dance, had a blast. Ed Newton was there & he told me he is calling again. He is a past president of the FCA. Welcome back, Ed. We're looking forward to a return trip on August 10.

Another club outing is planned for September when our new grads will be club members. Between now & then, a party for the class will be held & various activities which are a part of the world of square dancing. I've been getting a lot of kidding about losing a pair of shoes in Clearwater. They didn't steal the callers shirt, they took his shoes. (a first, I think).

We've had the Shufflers & their shouter outer (caller), to retrieve their banner. James' comment about the comment I made about Helens' capst was a riot. I've got to watch my mouth.

Nice to have Ada & Russell Kelly visit us. They are old friends. Jim Morgan & Jimmie Lee & Paul & Michele were visitors & Jim called a tip for us. He does a good job!

Come September we plan to take in the Gatlinburg Hoedown with Ruppert & Merlene & Jack & Edie. Should be cool & beautiful in the mountains that time of year. We also plan to stop at my "estate" in the North Carolina mountains & get in some trout fishing. So until then, the welcome mat is always out at the Robins Nest. See you 'round the square.

John Robbins  
Reporter

JUBILEERS

SATURDAY - 2-4 FT. CAROLINE JR HIGH  
CALLER - DICK GOEDERT  
PRESIDENT - JIM & FRAN WEESE 744-3293

We hear from the Jubileers who attended the National Convention that it was a marvelously exciting experience. Imagine, 17,000 square dancers in one place - & more than 350 of them were from Florida!

The McCalls, Townsends, Harveys, Weeses & Goederts made their first stop in New Orleans, where they took time to do some sightseeing. Monday night they danced in Beaumont, Texas & Tuesday they went on to Houston & toured the Astrodome & on to San Antonio that night. They danced Wednesday night at the Trails End Dance in San Antonio. On Thursday Dick Goedert attended some seminars & the rest of the group toured the convention center, shopped & did some more sightseeing. Friday, they all went to Mexico & visited Ciudad Acuna. We hear that some car trunks & trailers had to be rearranged to accommodate purchases. Saturday night was the grand finale which included the Parade of States & the big dance. Upon leaving San Antonio, the Jubileers' Caravan separated & the McCalls went on to the Big Bend Country in West Texas, the Townsends & Harveys went to Dallas, The Weeses went to Austin & the Goederts explored some newly opened caverns near Waco. We were happy to learn that Florida had the largest square dance display of any state represented at the convention.

On July 13 we had a very good dance with many visitors. The Starlite Shufflers came to retrieve their Presidents' shirt & the Belles & Beaux made off with our banner. Many Lone Star Swingers also joined us for the evening. We hope they will come again soon.

We are happy to have our travelers back with us & we understand they are happy to be home again.

Fran & Enid Olson  
Reporters

\*\*\*\*\*

WESTERN CLOTHING

**Little Dude  
Western Store**

502 SO. EDGEWOOD AVE. JACKSONVILLE, FLA.  
PH: 384-1210

CHAS. PETTY  
OWNER

LEATHER  
GOODS

FUN & FROLIC

MONDAY - WOODSTOCK COMMUNITY CENTER  
 CALLER - JACK GRIFFITHS  
 PRESIDENT - RAY MONTEAN 781-5980

Well, summer is two-thirds over & so many have been on vacations. They are really seeing America First, covering all sections of the country. The Butners have gone to Houston, Texas for an extended visit & the Connallys will be gone for 3 weeks, touring the New England States; the Registers will be at Keystone at the Lake for a couple of weeks; the Montean will be at Sebastian Inlet for a week of camping & fishing. Florida is such a beautiful place to live & we really have a vacation everyday, just living here. The Woods are on vacation, too & the Pooleys will be in Washington, D.C. for several weeks.

We have enjoyed having our visitors. We had a delightful couple, Ray & Dot Arnold from LaMirada, California, who were just traveling through & wanted to dance. They invited us to visit them at their club, the Square 888's, Long Beach, California, so if any of you get that way, stop by. We also enjoyed having Frank & Lucille Sullivan dance with us. We also welcome Dean Wills to dance with us; he is a Medic at Cecil Field & is from Eastern Ohio & says he hasn't danced for 10 years, but he is doing just great. We also welcome the new Minister at Woodstock Church, who says he & his wife would love to brush up on their square dancing, so welcome to the Prices. It was so nice to have Julian Nelson from the Golden Isles Swingers of Brunswick, visit with us.

We almost have what you call twin Birthdays as Ancel Woods & Faith Butner will celebrate the same day. We wish a Happy Anniversary to Alette & Reggie Register.

If you have a Monday night free, we would love to have you come dance with us. We have squares & rounds, so you'll come. So, until next month, Happy Dancing & again a special thanks of dedication to all you callers out there & our own, Jack.

Catherine Montean  
 Reporter

\*\*\*\*\*

WESTERN CUTTERS

SATURDAY - 2-4 FORREST HIGH SCHOOL  
 CALLER - BOBBY KEEFE  
 ROUNDS - EDITH REISEN  
 PRESIDENT - ERNIE & SALLY DOERING

264-5122

The Blackfords took off for a week at Rainbow & then to Ohio & to Lakeland for the Citrusland Square Up. In their absence, I am, again the sub-reporter.

On June 15, 90 Western Cutters got to-

gether at Lake Newman for a steak cookout. In spite of the rain, we had a ball. Jim Panipinto & Len Kaufman did an excellent job of cooking the steaks. Our thanks go to Kaye & Harvey Gordon for planning such a great evening of fun & food.

Mr. President flew away to San Francisco for two weeks. He had an interesting return trip. The seat next to him was vacated in New Orleans & the man who boarded, was none other than, Johnny Creel, on his way to Jacksonville to call the 5th Saturday Dance. We were sorry we couldn't make the dance.

Edith Reisen is cuing rounds for us & everyone is very pleased. After our dance on June 22, Helen & Vick Fake had a party at their home. It must have been a success, as I understand some didn't leave until 4:45 am. I heard something about Carol, & "Under the Sheet" - must remember to ask her about it.

The "Special Free Dance" found a couple squares of Cutters having a fine time dancing to Bill Bishop at the Pythian Hall.

July 12 found 33 couples, heading for Cocoa for our 3rd annual Knothead trip. If your car had to break down, hope it happened when a bunch of square dancers are going to the same place. One of our couples blew a tire & four cars of Cutters pulled off to help. That's what I call "real togetherness". Our great leader has gone to Cocoa all 3 times, so we all believed he knew the way ..well, he managed to get 6 car loads of dancers, completely lost. We were 30 minutes late for the dance. Thank goodness, I wasn't driving. When we finally got to the Harbor City Squares, Wade Driver was calling a great dance. Harbor City Squares initiated 7 couples into the Knothead Club. They are: The Blacks; Craigs; Dalys; Hammers; Hendersons; Lovelands; & Pratts. Saturday night it was Allenanders & Colin Walton. We sure did enjoy Colin's progressive squares. It was a great lazy, relaxing weekend. We do have a good time when we all get together.

August 3 will find most of the Cutters in the Doerings back yard for another Luau. Remember, you must come in Hawaiian or Tourist attire.

Bobby will be out of town on Aug. 10. We are happy to have Dick Barker to fill in, so ya'll come.

Our thoughts & prayers go to Ken & Wanda Cornell on the passing of Ken's Father.

Sally Doering  
 Sub-Reporter

BELLES & BEAUX

WEDNESDAY - SOUTHSIDE YOUTH CENTER  
CALLERS - BILL CAMP 1-3  
EDDIE MILLAN 2-4  
GUEST 5  
PRESIDENT - BOB & LIBBY LOWERY 356-6918

Our temporary caller for 103 Wednesday is Wayne Thompkins.

The Oceanwaves paid us a visit on June 26 & stole our banner.

Belles & Beaux extend their sincere sympathy to George Jones, whose Father passed away in Manasses Park, Virginia.

Our Mary Moore, newly elected secretary for the club, has just returned from a vacation & family reunion in Minneapolis, Minnesota. She reports the many lakes are beautiful.

Lavon Waters broke her wrist in a freak accident in her kitchen. We miss her smiling face & wish her a speedy recovery.

Elmer Milbrant & Wynona Spurlock are to be married August 23, at the West Side Christian Church on Herlong Road. The hour is 7:30pm. Wynona's brother, Rev. Charles C. Donovan, from Melbourne, shall officiate at the ceremony. The reception is to be held at the Church Hall, immediately following the ceremony.

Please come dance with us, any Wednesday. Remember our welcome mat is always out.

Rosemary Lloyd Smith  
Reporter

\*\*\*\*\*

22ND ANNUAL FLORIDA STATE CONVENTION  
SQUARE & ROUND DANCE  
PROGRESS REPORT:

DIP'N DIVE'N'75 is our slogan & the place is JACKSONVILLE - MAY 23,24,25-1975 - HEADQUARTERS - ROBERT MEYER HOTEL.

Your committee chairmen are at work & will continue to work hard for the next 10 months, to make this a great convention. We need all the help we can get, from all you dancers. There are many committees to work on, so IF YOU CAN & WILL, help, please contact your chairman, Herman & Louise Ibach, & let them know what you can do to help.

The dancing areas have been checked out by Virgil Green; camping facilities by John Lukas; fashion shoe ideas by Louise Ibach; & our publicity is going well (thanks to our good friends, Jack & Marie Pierson, from Bow & Swing, for their help). Flyers are out, reservation forms & stationery are in the making; also, more DIP'N DIVE badges & ribbons will be available the first of August. Lets all in NE, buy our ribbons

& badges, NOW, so we can advertise everywhere we go. We are working on screen printed emblems (like the badge) to be sewn on vests for the men & ladies. There will be more on this, later. Tom & Mariann Hidding are working with the young children & James Maxey & Dick Goedert with the teens, for some exhibition dancing to advertise the convention.

Again, please don't hesitate to make yourself known, if you can serve on a committee.

Last, but not least, we have a great program, with JERRY HAAG & JOHNNY WALTER - CALLING; DORIS & LeVERNE REILLY FOR THE ROUNDS.

DIP'N DIVE'N'75

BUY YOUR RIBBONS NOW

GEORGE & JUDY GARLAND  
Publicity chairman

\*\*\*\*\*

MANDARIN ATHLETIC CLUB - NEWS

Our news is slim this month, since our meeting will be on July 28; after the Grapevine is out, but will give you a report to date..

Herman, George & Fred Fair (the plumber) went down to the site & checked out the "out-house" facilities; & all is in pretty good shape. Herman worked on the roof, & seems we will have it useable at the time of our meeting this month. We have electricity by now (we hope, as we haven't gotten the latest word on this). Herman thinks we will be ready to pour the foundation by the first of September.. We do need more "MONEY" for this; but we are sure some more of you good dancers will come through with the necessary funds.. We have had donations of money from: Frank & Frances Smith, (Belles & Beaux), Sally & Bill Thompson (Square Fair Shop & Starlite Shufflers), & THE BIG ONE - \$1011.75, from the ALLEMANDARINS.. this was plus the \$500. already given to us for Lawyer fees.. THIS IS GREAT!!!.. We also have had more new members & hope to have an up-to-date roster, to be published next month. If you haven't joined us, come on down to our meeting on July 28 - 5PM - at the site on Brady Road in Mandarin. If you can't make it, send your membership fee (\$1.00 PER PERSON) to: George Garland - 416 Oceanwood Dr., Neptune Beach, 32233.

Badges for MAC are out, thanks to Ray & Liz Valentine; so be sure to buy one for \$1.00 (money goes to building fund)

Many thanks for your support in the raffle, at the 5th Saturday Dance. We made \$115... Liz Valentine has made a beautiful afghan, to be given away at a later date.. watch for tickets... see you Sunday..

George & Judy



# CONGRATULATIONS NEW DANCERS

SHERRON & ED JEFFREY  
 JOAN & REGGIE PATE  
 ED & BRENDA SPIVEY  
 CINDY & DERRELL AKINS  
 CINDY WIGGINS  
 ALFIE LIGUORI  
 DONNA E. JOHNSON  
 CRAIG THOMAS  
 JIM STONE 111  
 JIM MOCK



FRIENDLY FROLICS SQUARE DANCE CLUB  
 INSTRUCTOR - BILL BISHOP

# STARS

OF

# 75

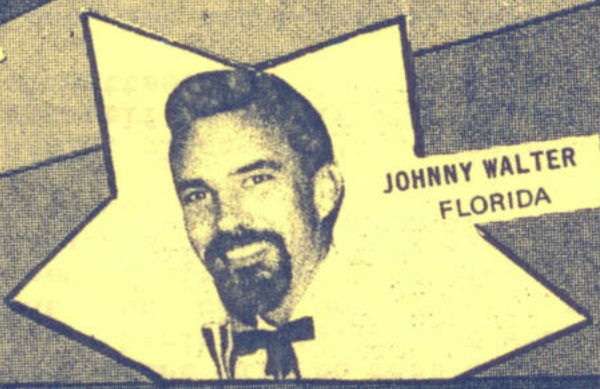
22nd ANNUAL FLORIDA STATE  
 SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CONVENTION  
 P. O. BOX 1575  
 JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32201



Jerry Haag  
Cheyenne, Wyo.



DORIS & LeVERNE REILLY



JOHNNY WALTER  
FLORIDA

FROM YOUR ROVING EDITORS

Have you learned to DIP'N DIVE yet??? That's our slogan for the '75 State convention, so lets all learn the call.. its an old one, but very pretty..when you see Tom & Mariann Hidding, get them to teach you!! They taught it at the Oceanwaves & Calico Swingers..

We thoroughly enjoyed a great evening of dancing at the 5th Saturday Dance with the fine calling of Johnny Creel. The rounds were beautiful with Edith Reisen, cuing. Our Mandarin Athletic Club, headed by Doug Stringer, raffled some "goodies" donated by General Foods. Congratulation to the winners & to you dancers, who participated, many THANKS. As you know, the funds go to building OUR square & round dance hall.

Friendly Frolics graduated a new group of square dancers. We didn't make the graduation, but they all received the Grapevine.

We made it to the Swinging Squares for the monthly dinner & dance, & then on to the Pythian Hall for the last few tips. A nice turnout..The PT Boaters dance, scheduled at the Hilton, had to be cancelled, due to power failure..so they were with us, which made the dance even better. We enjoyed the calling of our area callers, along with a tip by Jim Newberry from Memphis, Tenn. The special BADGE was great..

We had a great time at Jekyll Island (only made it for the Saturday workshop & Dance. The "team" of Barker, Golden & Lovelace, just can't be beat!! and the friendliness of those Georgia dancers made it a terrific dance..that JFF Badge with the red boot & gold hat was "real neat" & a great way to remember a swell time!!!

And...speaking of Dick Barker..He is calling "full time" now, so guess we will be seeing a lot of him & Betty.. Dick will be guest caller for Western Cutters on August 10.

We have heard a lot of talk about the National Convention. Sorry we couldn't attend. We are real proud of Florida Square Dancers for having the largest display for the Showcase of Ideas & a lot of Thanks go to Mori Sogolow of WC for transporting the "goodies" to Texas. We were especially happy that we were able to send along some copies of the Grapevine, along with a display rack for holding our literature. Thanks to the Chamber Of Commerce at Tallahassee & Jacksonville Beach for supplying us with packets on the great State of Florida!! ALSO, St. Augustine gave us a big supply.. Citrus Land Squareup!! must have been a ball..most of Jacksonville dancers must have been there..another miss for

us, but we can't make them all..hopefully, one day, we can..Sorry to hear Madeline Lovelace was ill..hope she is improving..Sorry about the flat tire, John..you really should have a spare..

A lot of good dances coming up in August..Billy Miller at the Oceanwaves on August 1 & Gainesville on August 10. Elmer Sheffield at Friendly Frolics for their Beachcomber Dance on August 17..Gil Crosby & Bobby Harris for a Special dance in Gainesville on August 24..The BIG ONE..KNOTHEAD KONVENTION.. August 30 - September 2..a lot of good Fall dancing in Fontana (if you are lucky enough to get to the N.C. mountains) This is a beautiful time of year in N.C., so hope some of you can go..

Now is the time to start working on new people for the fall beginner classes. Square Dance Week is September 16 thru 22..We always need new dancers, so get to work & lets have some real big classes in Jacksonville. If your club or club caller needs some good "hand-outs" for your beginners, give us a call, & we will gladly supply you. It means a lot to your club, to get all the information available, so these new dancers will be aware of what square dancing really is & what is expected of them during class & on becoming an active dancer in a club. We hear so much of, "no-one told me"..so don't let this happen to your class members..It is your duty as a square dancer & club member to give the new dancers the correct information on COURTESY..DRESS..DO's & DON'Ts...ect. There is a lot more to Square Dancing, than just learning the Basics...

If your club is starting classes in September, let us know, so we can list it on Special Events..Deadline 15th.

We are in the process of checking out the possibility of publishing a NE area Calendar & Phone Directory..listing clubs, special dances for the year, & addresses & phone numbers of all dancers (who wish) in our area. We will send each club a letter as to prices, ect. Hopefully, we can accomplish this as we can see a need for it..

In closing, try to support our Georgia neighbors, by attending the Georgia State Convention, September 20-21, 1974. Fall Roundup ribbons are out..get one NOW!!! Camp O'Leno Hoedown is in November this year (flyers in this issue).. Florida State Convention 1975..ribbons will be available the first of August.. REGISTER EARLY..BE FIRST!!!

Information on "Where to Dance" when you are out of town..Write CROWD.. Marv & Syl Leibowitz..213 Winn AVE.. Universal City, Texas 78148..

SPECIAL COMING EVENTS

- JULY 27 - CHUCK LEAMON-SPONSORED BY GAINESVILLE S/D COUNCIL - GAINESVILLE  
 JULY 28 - MANDARIN ATHLETIC CLUB - MEETING & COVERED DISH - BUILDING SITE 5PM  
 AUGUST 1 - OCEANWAVES MID-SUMMER DANCE - BILLY MILLER  
 AUGUST 2,3,4 - DOGPATCH, ARKANSAS SQUARE DANCE FESTIVAL - GOLDEN, CONE & LOVELACES  
 AUGUST 6 - FRIENDLY WHIRL-A-WAYS BEGINNERS ROUND DANCE CLASS - LEE HIGH SCHOOL  
 AUGUST 10 - BILLY MILLER - GAINESVILLE S/D COUNCIL - GAINESVILLE  
 AUGUST 17 - FRIENDLY FROLICS ANNUAL BEACHCOMBER DANCE - ELMER SHEFFIELD (SEE FLYER)  
 AUGUST 24 - GIL CROSBY & BOBBY HARRIS - GAINESVILLE S/D COUNCIL -GAINESVILLE  
 AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 2 - FLORIDA KNOTHEAD KONVENTION (SEE FLYER)  
 AUGUST 31-SEPTEMBER 8 - FONTANA FUN FEST - FONTANA DAM, NORTH CAROLINA  
 SEPTEMBER 8 - NEFSDA MEETING - ROBERT MEYER HOTEL - 2:30pm - ELECTION OF OFFICERS  
 SEPTEMBER 14 - R.J. HOGAN & WAYNE BROOKE - GAINESVILLE S/D COUNCIL - GAINESVILLE  
 SEPTEMBER 8-15 - ACCENT ON ROUNDS - FONTANA DAM, NORTH CAROLINA  
 SEPTEMBER 15-22 - REBEL ROUNDUP - FONTANA DAM, NORTH CAROLINA  
 SEPTEMBER 28- OCTOBER 6 - SWAP SHOP - FONTANA DAM, NORTH CAROLINA  
 OCTOBER 19 - AREA DANCE - GEORGE WRAY - NEFSDA - FORREST HIGH SCHOOL  
 OCTOBER 25-27 - FALL FESTIVAL OF ROUNDS - R/D COUNCIL OF FLORIDA - MIAMI  
 NOVEMBER 16 - ART SPRINGER -SPONSORED BY FRIENDLY FROLICS  
 NOVEMBER 22-23 - NEFSDA FALL ROUNDUP - JONES, BOWER & THE PROCTERS'  
 NOVEMBER 29 - BOB CONE - SPONSORED BY WESTERN CUTTERS (PROFITS GO TO BUILDING)  
 DECEMBER 31 - NEW YEARS EVE DANCE - SPONSORED BY FRIENDLY FROLICS - ANDY PETRERE  
 MAY 23,24,25 1975 - 22 FLORIDA STATE SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CONVENTION JACKSONVILLE

\*\*\*\*\*

**Subscribe to**

FLORIDA'S SQUARE &amp; ROUND DANCE MAGAZINE

**BOW & SWING**

Direct all mail to Bow &amp; Swing, P.O. Box 1076, Palmetto, Florida 33561

PLEASE START MY SUBSCRIPTION. MY CHECK (OR MONEY ORDER) IS ENCLOSED

One Year \$2.50

Two Year \$6.00

Plus Sales Tax

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Club \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

FRJENBLY  
ANNUAL FROLICS



BEACHCOMBER DANCE



CALLER

ELMER

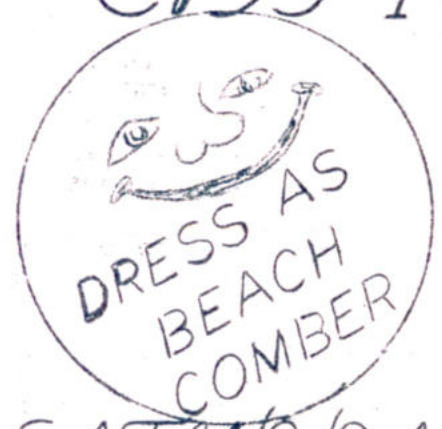


SIFEFJELD

TALLAHASSEE

ROUNDS

EDJTF REISEN



SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 1974

8:00 - 11:00

\$3.00 PER COUPLE

FT. CAROLINE JR. HIGHT SCHOOL  
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

# Double Header

FLORIDA  
SQUARE DANCING'S  
FINEST

FATHER-SON  
CALLING - TEAM

GIL T. CROSBY

&

BOBBY STARRS

CALLING  
JUST FOR YOU



SATURDAY - AUGUST 24, 1974

8:00 PM

EASTSIDE RECREATION CENTER

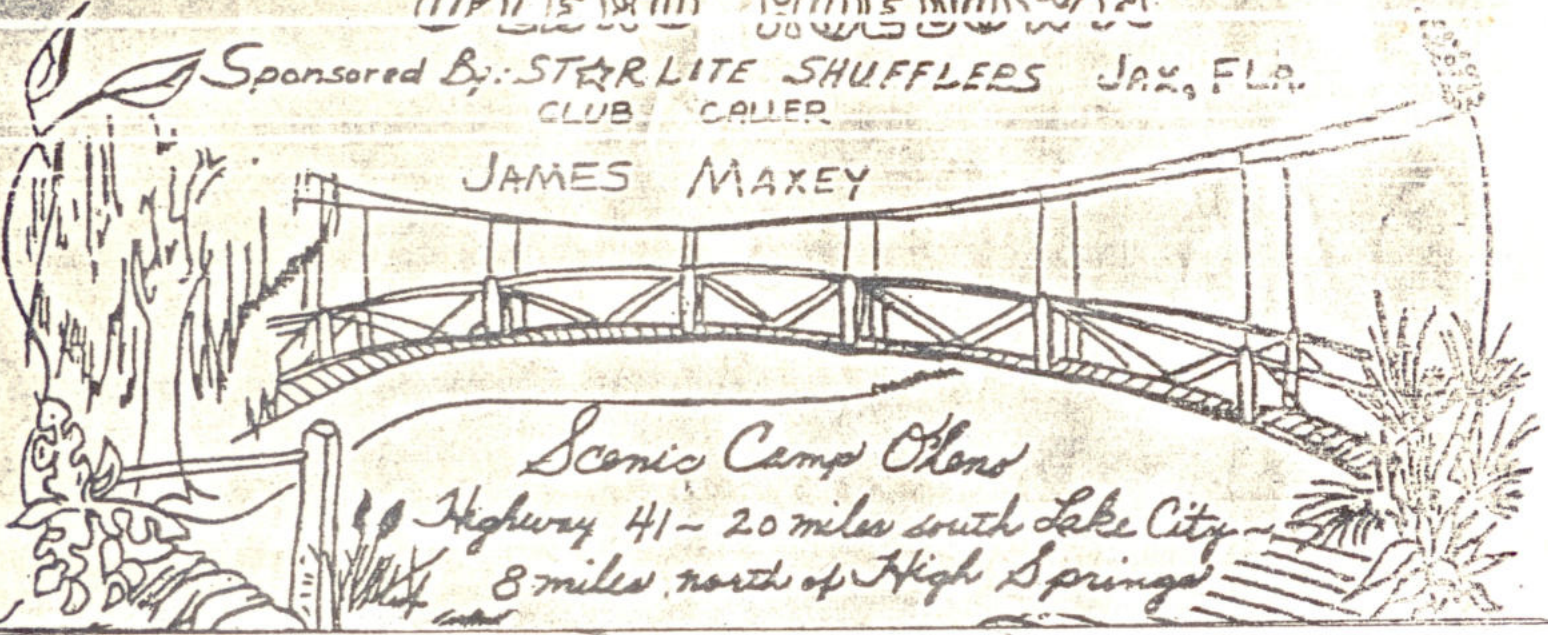
516 N.E. 2ND AVE.

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

MPLEMM UUMS MMSW/21

Sponsored By: STARLITE SHUFFLERS JAX, FLA.  
CLUB CALLER

JAMES MAXEY



Scenic Camp O'Leno

Highway 41 - 20 miles south Lake City -  
8 miles north of High Springs

\*\*\* GUEST CALLERS \*\*\*

DICK "FOOT DOCTOR" BARKER  
WADE "MR. RHYTHM" DRIVER

JACK "TAMBOURINE MAN" HARRIS  
FRANK & HELEN DUBOIS - ROUND DANCE

November 9 & 10, 1974  
21st O'LENO HOEDOWN

WELCOME ALL SQUARE AND ROUND DANCERS

\*\*\* CABINS \*\*\*

\$5.00 First Two Persons - \$1.00 each  
Additional Person

BRING YOUR OWN LINEN AND PILLOW  
(ALSO, BLANKETS - Brrr)

CHECK IN ANYTIME AFTER 2PM SATURDAY

ADVANCE RESERVATIONS ARE NECESSARY  
FOR CABINS AND MEAL. CAMPER, PLEASE  
MAKE ADVANCE MEAL RESERVATIONS.

Campers Make Own Arrangements for  
Camping and Pay Camp Fee at Gate.

\*\*\* MISS O'LENO CONTEST \*\*\*

Each club is encouraged to sponsor  
one entry. Please send entries to  
the Secretary of Starlite Shufflers,  
Ski Zelusky  
4725 Marlboro Circle E.  
Jacksonville, Florida  
32206



\*\*\* DANCING \*\*\*

Caller's Choice and/or Round Dance  
Workshop. 3-5:30PM \$1.50 Couple

SATURDAY EVENING - \$4.00 Couple  
Square and Round Dance 8-11PM

SKITS

Clogging Exhibition by the  
~~SUNSHINE~~ SQUARES, Orlando

After Evening Dance 12 midnight till

SUNDAY MORNING -

Square and Round Dancing 9-11:30AM  
\$1.50 Couple.

\*\*\* MEALS \*\*\*

Supper - 6PM \$2.00 each (12yrs. & older)  
Children under 12, half price!  
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST - 8AM  
Beverages and Sweet Rolls  
Hot Dogs & Soft Drinks Available.

Send Registration Form with Check or Money Order to:

Tom Heffernan  
1736 Louvre Dr.  
Jax., Florida 32205  
904: 781-5161

(Travel the farthest and win a prize)

NAME	CABIN	DANCING			MEAL	AMOUNT
		CC	SE	SM	SUPPER	

If planning to share a cabin with another family, give other family's name and

18th Annual

# Florida Knothead Konvention

CLEARWATER FLORIDA



DIRECTORS

HELEN GALLOWAY  
KAY & ED MACK  
PAT McCLUMPHA

**AUGUST 30 - SEPTEMBER 2 1974**



**KEN ANDERSON**  
NEW YORK

## KALLERS



**BOB PAGE**  
CALIFORNIA

SQUARE DANCE WORKSHOPS  
ROUND DANCE WORKSHOPS



EVENING DANCES  
EVENING R/D BALL



**WAYNE & NORMA WYLIE**  
MISSOURI



FORT HARRISON HOTEL    KONVENTION HEADQUARTERS

TRAIL DANCE

NO LIMIT ON REGISTRATION..  
NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS  
FOR THE TRAIL DANCE.....

AFTER PARTIES-SATURDAY NIGHT

TEEN STOMP

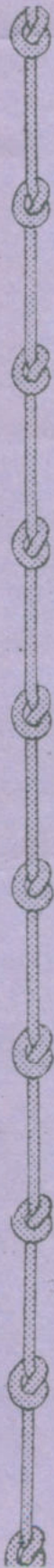
SKITS-SUNDAY NIGHT

REGISTRATION - \$4.00 PER MEMBER  
FLORIDA KNOTHEADS, INCORPORATED  
HELEN GALLOWAY  
330 20 MILE LEVEL ROAD  
LUTZ, FLORIDA 33549  
PHONE 1-813-949-1967

PLEASE NOTE

REGISTRATION AT DESK  
\$4.50 PER MEMBER

THE LARGEST FUN AND FELLOWSHIP GROUP IN FLORIDA



GRAPEVINE SUBSCRIPTION OR NOTIFICATION OF ADDRESS CHANGE

TO: GRAPEVINE  
GEORGE AND JUDY GARLAND  
416 OCEANWOOD DRIVE S  
NEPTUNE BEACH, FLORIDA 32233

Enclosed is \_\_\_\_\_ \$2.00 \_\_\_\_\_ \$4.00.

Please send me the Grapevine for 1 one year \_\_\_\_\_ 2 two years \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Club Member \_\_\_\_\_

New Subscription \_\_\_\_\_ Renewal \_\_\_\_\_ Please use this form also for  
notification of address change.  
Change of address \_\_\_\_\_ Grapevine will not reach you if  
this is not done.

GRAPEVINE  
GEORGE & JUDY GARLAND  
416 OCEANWOOD DRIVE S.  
NEPTUNE BEACH, FLORIDA 32233

Bulk Rate U. S. Postage Paid Jacksonville, Fla. Permit No. 3285
---

VIRGIL GREEN  
4741 IRVINGTON AVENUE  
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA, 32210