

THE GRAPEVINE

A PUBLICATION OF THE NORTHEAST FLORIDA
SQUARE AND ROUND DANCERS ASSOCIATION, INC

FAREWELL



PAUL & NITA WALKER

Paul & Nita will leave Jacksonville on August 1st for their new home in Kannapolis, NC. We will miss them. They have been an integral part of the Square and Round Dance community, serving enthusiastically for many years at the Association, State, and National levels.

As we say farewell, we say **Thank You** to two very special people who have not only called at our dances, but danced with us, worked with us, and laughed with us as we enjoyed this hobby called Square Dancing. We thank you for your dedication, service, and support. Most of all, we thank you for your friendship.

May GOD bless you both in your new home !!

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P R E S I D E N T ' S M E S S A G E

Hope everyone had a good and safe Fourth of July with lots of Bar-Be-Que or whatever your favorite cook-out 'goodies' are.

Well, the State Convention is now a thing of the past. If you did not attend, you missed a great one. The Northeast outdid themselves in planning and conducting this one. For my part, I heard nothing but compliments on the entire convention. Our congratulations and thanks go to Shirley & Dave Nihart as Convention Chairmen and to their assistants, Aaron & Erma Fry for an outstanding job. Thanks also to all of those dancers who gave their time and talent in helping put this event together and of course to all of you who attended the Convention, for without you the job would have been for nothing.

This will be the first issue of the GRAPEVINE published by your NEFSARDA Board. We hope we can come close to the excellence that Paul & Nita accomplished and we beg your indulgence while we all get our feet wet. We are looking for any suggestions you may have for something that will make a better service publication for you. **Let us know!!**

We have noticed that a number of subscriptions expired with the last two issues. If you know of someone who missed getting their last two issues, please tell them to contact us for their renewal. We hate to see old friends miss out on a single issue. The bigger the subscribers list, the better we can serve you, the dancers.

Don't forget the Fifth Saturday dance coming October 29th. This will be another Halloween fun time. Get your costumes started early and make plans to meet us there.

HAPPY DANCING !!

Charlie & Val Newsome



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(YOUR BOARD AT WORK - CHAPTER 5)

May started off with a bang for most board members as we were all in a frantic, last minute push to complete plans for the State Convention (and we were just working on committees) -- Dave & Shirley, as Chairmen, must have worked around the clock the entire month. We all went to the first Fashion Show Rehearsal on May 4th; the Riggs, Fowlers, and Newsomes attended the last State Convention Meeting on the 14th; everyone attended the last Fashion Show Rehearsal on the 18th; and then spent many hours working in our various committees between the 18th and 26th. It was all worth it though, because on May 26th -29th we all attended a **super** State Convention. THANKS SHIRLEY & DAVE AND ERMA & AARON!

While at the State Convention the Newsomes and Riggs hosted the Presidents Breakfast on May 28th; and most of us, along with other NE dancers, attended the State Federation Meeting and the 1997 National Convention meeting(s).

Final reports on the State Convention were due to the Chairmen by the end of June.

The Spring Fling on May 6 & 7 was attended by the Riggs. Hear it was a great weekend!

More Grapevine hands-on experience was given by the Walkers to the president during the period of May 15-25.

On June 1st, the Newsomes, Jacobsens, Lawrences, and Fowlers attended the 3rd NEFSARDA Class Graduation.

On June 3rd we attended the 9th Anniversary Dance of the Silver Fox Squares.

The Lawrences visited the Jekyll Island Squares on June 10th.

The Newsomes, Jacobsens, Lawrences, and Fowlers attended the 10th Anniversary Dance at the Teddy Bears on June 11th. This was also a farewell dance for Paul & Nita -- and a welcome for their new caller, Eddie & Ann Millan.

On June 26th our bimonthly board meeting was held at the home of the Lawrences -- dinner followed!

July 10th we all were on hand for the General Delegates Meeting at the Piccadilly at 3 pm (except for the Vice Presidents who were on vacation).

While it may appear the board was not very busy these past two months, we must hasten to add that most of the month of May was filled with various phases of work on various committees of the State Convention, with the writing of final reports by all committee chairmen during June. Many attended the National Convention in June, and some took a much needed vacation or period of rest. The months of July and August will see members of the board at as many of your dances as we can make. Look for reports next issue. Remember ... we want to visit, let us know of special dances you have. If you have ideas or comments to make this a better Association, please pass them on to us, or any board member. We want to serve **you**, the dancer!

Hope to meet you in a square real soon!

Charlie and Val Newsome
Presidents



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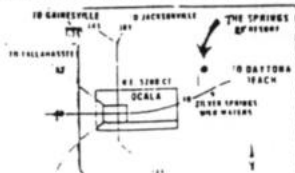
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SPECIAL PRESENTATION

The "Extra Mile Award", sponsored by the 4W's publication of the Southeast Association, was presented to **PAUL & NITA WALKER** during the Florida State Convention at the Northeast After Party on Saturday night, May 28, 1994. The Award is presented to a caller/cuer who has gone the "extra mile" in their contribution to the square and round dance movement. Paul and Nita are most deserving of this award for their service and enthusiastic support of square and round dancing as both dancer and caller & law. The nomination presented included their accomplishments at the local, state, and national levels and was signed by many of the dancers in the Northeast Area.

CONGRATULATIONS, PAUL & NITA!

"BAWL" PLANNED TO BENEFIT SQUARE DANCING

THE GEORGIA CALLERS ASSOCIATION IS SPONSORING GEORGIA "FAWL BAWL", A SQUARE, ROUND AND LINE DANCE EVENT, NOVEMBER 4TH AND 5TH, 1994. THIS DANCE WILL BEGIN A DRIVE TO RAISE FUNDS TO HELP PROMOTE OUR SQUARE DANCE ACTIVITY TO THE NON-DANCING PUBLIC AND WILL BE HELD AT THE GEORGIA NATIONAL FAIRGROUNDS AND AGRICENTER IN PERRY, GA. THIS PROMISES TO BE A WEEKEND OF FUN AND RELAXATION FOR OUR CURRENT DANCERS. THE GEORGIA CALLERS ASSOCIATION HAS VOTED TO COMMIT A GREATER PORTION OF THE PROFITS TO PAY FOR ADVERTISING IN NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS, ETC. WHICH WILL PROVIDE A MEANS OF PULLING NEW DANCERS INTO OUR GEORGIA CLUBS. PLEASE SEE YOUR GEORGIA CALLER FOR MORE DETAILS OR CALL DON HEINS AT (912) 265-1504 FOR FURTHER DETAILS. REMEMBER THAT SQUARE DANCING HAS BEEN DEFINED AS "FUN AND FELLOWSHIP SET TO MUSIC." LET'S PULL TOGETHER AND MAKE THIS A "NOVEMBER TO REMEMBER."

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The attendance at our dances has increased since moving to Peace Presbyterian Church. We welcome the members back who were on a leave of absence.

We can still take in new members. Call or talk to one of our officers/members regarding a visit to the club and our by-laws regarding becoming a member.

We dance the first and third Fridays of the month. Our callers have been great - Doc Gray and Bob Barnes did some "mean" Mainstream calling along with their excellent Plus calling.

Our officers were elected for the 1994-1995 year and they are: President, Barbara and Jim Winter (268-1369); Vice President, Janet and Lynn Lyons (269-5831); Treasurer, Mary Lou Pelz (733-1869); Secretary, Joyce and Warren Sells (739-3250); Caller Coordinator, Doris and Roy Anderson (904 325-1410); and Kitchen Coordinator, Reba and Bob Woodbridge (778-3135).

Watch for our next "open" dance.

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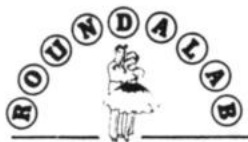
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Seems like just yesterday we were writing our Club report of two months ago. As they say, "time flies when you're having fun" and we have been having our share out at the Wheel-Arounds.

We sadly had to say goodbye to Gene and Marilyn Turk, two loyal club members for a long time. They felt like (although they didn't act like) they were getting old and ready for a retirement home. We are really going to miss their smiling faces every Thursday night, Gene's wit and jokes, and Marilyn's (kangaroo ?) beautiful smile. (Kangaroo is an inside joke and not meant that her smile looked like a Kangaroo. Well, Marilyn will understand if she reads this. If **you** are inquisitive, you can ask these GRAPEVINE reporters!!) We wish them both much luck and happiness in their new lifestyle.

Our favorite lady has joined the Medicare Gang in our club. Yes, **Eleanor** turned 65 and we had a gala celebration Thursday July 7th. The Cagles told her she could dance in a square with our "Senile Squares" now. Maybe some day **these** reporters will reach that age !!!

Our illustrious Banner Chairmen keep us on the go, stealing and retrieving banners. We really have a loyal bunch that support our club on these trips, and we always have the times of our lives. If you haven't been going, you might consider adding a little bit more spice to your life and join us on the next trip. Speaking of John, thanks to all of you loyal supporters.

Our sincerest sympathy goes out to Frank Clyma who lost his Dad this month.

Charlie Braknis is moving back to Virginia (D.C. area) and home. Even though he wasn't a member of our club, he came and danced with us, went through our class and we are all going to miss him. Keep up with your Square Dancing, Charlie, when you get back home and come back and dance with us when you get back to Florida. **We will miss you.**

Good luck to the Association upon taking over the GRAPEVINE. I'm sure it will continue on the right track.

Please, don't forget, when you want the action on Thursday nights, just "**Wheel Around**" to the **Lions Club** in **Orange Park**.

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NEWS ? ? ?**

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Caller: Ken "Silver Fox" Perez



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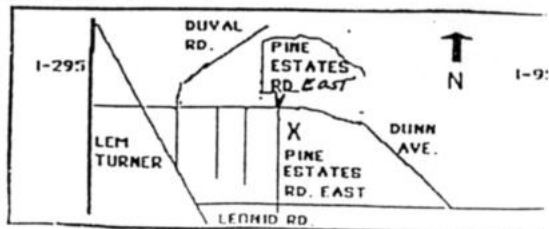
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The secret is out -- the Friendship Squares and guests traveled to Daytona Beach for their "mystery dance" on June 23rd, and joined the Dixie Squares for an evening of fun, food, and dancing. We boarded the bus amid a torrential downpour, but no one seemed to mind. Seats in the front of the bus were reserved for a few with queasy stomachs, but I won't mention any names as I wouldn't want to embarrass Mary or Mildred. Shortly after we got underway, the food was brought out -- submarine, pimento cheese, and egg salad sandwiches, brownies, chips, cookies, fruit, and lemonade. The Dixie Squares provided more nibbles and sweets, and our group ate, of course, as if they had . . . well, you know how Square Dancers love to eat.

Our many thanks to all of those who joined us for the evening and helped to make the trip a great success.

Many of our regular club members are on vacation right now, but we've had numerous visitors and a banner raid by the Mavericks. We'll be resuming our raids and retrievals in August or September when everyone returns. We appreciate all the support and invite the rest of you to join us on Thursday nights. We'll be starting a new class in September, too, so if you have any friends who may be interested, send them on over.

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GYPsy SQUARES

Connie Schnippert 277-3346

Our Fourth of July campout at Celebrity was a firecracker weekend of fun and fellowship and lots of good dancing.

Friday night John & Christine Wilder and Helen & Vince Thorn hosted the finger foods and what a spread they had. The dance was casual and John Barrett was relaxed and enjoying himself calling our favorite songs.

Saturday AM there were games for those who wanted to join in, such as wholly board, golf, volley ball, or swimming. John led a workshop for anyone wishing to review or learn "Plus" dancing. J. E. & Cathy had a workshop on a two-step that some wanted to learn. Supper was served at 4:00 PM with John Wilder furnishing the "special" turkey and ham. Everyone brought a dish and as always, we had more than enough.

The dance Saturday night was full of excitement and awe over the beautiful gifts that Christine Wilder made for door prizes. The dance was super and a few more visitors came to join in the fun. We played Uno after the dance and the women let the men win.

On Sunday at 10:00 AM, we had a brunch hosted by Gene & Wanda for the installation of officers. A meeting followed and several issues were discussed. Afterward everyone did what they wanted to do until 4:00 PM when we had a cookout/eat in dinner. Everyone brought their meat, the ladies made a salad and the deserts, and the club provided the baked potatoes. Bernie & Diane Moore were in charge of ice cream and they made four different kinds plus yogurt. We had many toppings and it was all so delicious.

Beau Dean sang for us that evening and he was great as usual. We did some Line Dancing, Ball Room Dancing, and anything you felt like doing. We really enjoy his entertainment.

Monday morning, the host and hostess, John & Christine, had rolls, bagels, coffee, and juice. Everyone had such a good time that no one wanted to leave. We all promised each other we would be at the August campout when we will once again be at Bulow (at our June campout at Bulow we had 88 dancers) - in Flagler Beach, North of Daytona Beach.

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SQUARE DANCE— AMERICAN FOLK DANCE OF THE STATES

In 1993, LEGACY's efforts to further Square Dance as the American Folk Dance were met with mixed reactions, due in part to the economy, natural disasters and other more pressing events. Against these odds, a total of 18 states have approved legislation making Square Dance and its allied dance forms their American Folk Dance, bringing the total of approving states to 38%.

Colorado dancers, with the help of their legislators, proved the ACLU wrong by becoming the 17th state to approve such legislation. Arizona with the leadership of Lyle Morrow has had SB1038 passed out of committee. Square dancers in Arizona should do all within their power to have their legislators vote in favor of the bill. Mel Tyler is making every effort to have a bill submitted in 1994, designating Square Dancing the Folk Dance of Connecticut, as are Al and Doris Moffett in Nebraska. Dick and Linda Peterson of Maryland, Paul and Glennie Lee Kirby of Mississippi and Laverne and Barbara Harrelson of South Carolina are currently guiding bills through their respective states. Lloyd and Cherie Mergel are backing a bill to be submitted to the North Dakota legislators.

Clay and Val Harris of Minnesota, Jack and Ruth Armstrong of Michigan, Bob and Dottie Elgin of Pennsylvania are actively involved in their various states and would welcome any backing their dancers can give them. Gene and Charlotte

Johnson of Wisconsin have recently been involved in a hearing covering this subject.

So far there has been no 1994 activity in Alabama, Georgia, Hawaii, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Missouri, Nevada, New Hampshire, New York, Ohio, Rhode Island, South Dakota and Wyoming. If anyone in these states is willing to actively lobby for legislation to make Square Dance the folk dance of their state, please contact Frank and Helen Cavanaugh of 20 Wooten Dr., Southampton NJ 08088. They are more than willing to give you all the help you need.

As soon as more states have approved such legislation, a delegation will go to Washington, D.C. to obtain national legislation making Square Dance and its allied forms the American Folk Dance of the United States of America, for all time.

Let us all get involved in this project to give our activity the national recognition it deserves.

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MANDARIN MARAUDERS

Ralph & Aletha Griffith 737-8391

Regardless of the heat, rain, and humidity, the Mandarin Marauders have been active.

Bill & Snookie Netting escaped to the Islands for another honeymoon.

The Bells (Don & Bonnye) and the Kindreds (James & Jean) went all the way to Alaska after the National Convention in Portland (that's pretty far to find cool weather). They visited the Northernmost Square Dance Club in North America while in Alaska.

The Snyders (Russ & Jeanette) tried the tropics in Costa Rica.

Dorothy Dean chased all over Scotland and England.

The Tedrahs (Jack & Carmen) tried to get relief on a cruise.

Many of the Marauders were guests aboard the Yonge's (Jack & Geneva) boat for a cruise on the St. Johns, followed by a dinner at The Landing.

We even had a wedding (Jerry Sullivan & Karen Gingrey); a wedding anniversary (Lawton & Eleanor Smith) followed by Eleanor's birthday; and we had new grandparents (Bob & Marge Wofford). The new granddaughter's name is Kelsey. Marge will fight you for the opportunity to hold her.

We tried a Red, White, & Blue night for the 4th and followed with an ice cream social night. Very timely.

Your friendly Secretary (Ralph & Aletha Griffith) tried to beat the heat with a few days in the Mountains with granddaughter, Lane (it didn't work).

When everyone returns from all this running around, we're going to get back to Square Dancing.

Oh yes, don't forget, August 26th we have the FL/GA Blood Alliance Bloodmobile coming to the Italian-American Club, starting at 6:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to come out and donate blood for the NEFSARDA Blood Bank account - it's the Gift of Life. If you want to schedule for a specific time, call Joe & Barbara Fitzmayer, 268-8221. It will save you some waiting time.



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Contact: Skip Larkin.....(904) 471-5479

MAVERICKS

Judy Frahm (904) 282-2354

Sorry we missed the last issue but time slipped away from us. We are still here and back for this issue. The Mavericks are still meeting every Tuesday night at the Middleburg Civic Center at 8:00 PM. We would love to see you there any time you can make it.

Our latest event was the Knothead mystery trip that our officers were able to keep secret until we got there. We left Middleburg and ended up in Kissimmee. I still don't know how because we went North instead of South and East when we should have been going West. However, we did make it and on time too. We now have a whole bus load of new Knotheads.

We have had a whole bunch of Birthdays and Anniversaries this Spring and early Summer - congratulations to everyone. Banner raids have been lots of fun and we are planning more for the Summer. Larry and Nancy Barker are filling in as Banner Raid Chairmen while Asoa and Marian are away. You should be hearing from them soon.

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IN MEMORIAM



A sad farewell to a fellow Square Dancer. **Claudia Groover** passed away on May 29, 1994.

Claudia began Square Dancing in 1977 and danced with many clubs including Gator Promenaders, Diamond Squares and Challengers.

She served as chairman of the Learners' Hoedown in 1977; Association Treasurer 1979-1980; Treasurer of the Fall Round-Up 1980; Association Vice President 1980-1981; Association President 1981-1982; and she was a current member of the Quartermores and Sand Dollars.

She will be missed by all.

MOOSE PROMENADERS

Anita Taylor 272-6551

Summer is over and Fall is on the way. The Moose Promenaders will **not** be dancing in the month of August or on September 1st. Our caller will be taking a vacation and the club will use the time to visit other clubs. We hope to see you in a square soon.

On September 8th the Moose Promenaders will begin their Fall Plus lessons. You may want to take these Plus lessons as a beginner or you may have already taken Plus lessons and need to brush up on your skill. Our caller, Art Wilson, will strengthen your skill by teaching you all-position dancing. This will help to make you a stronger dancer. As always, there is no obligation to join the Moose Promenaders, although we hope you will consider becoming a part of us. There is no pressure to join. The lessons will be every Thursday, 7:00-8:30 PM and will last until approximately the second week of December. As your expertise grows, you will be invited to stay and participate with the club for the first tip or two until you are ready to join us for a full night of Plus dancing.

Some people have gotten misinformation about visiting the Moose Promenaders. Any Square Dancer may visit our club as often as you wish. There is no limit on how many times you can visit. As a visitor, you never have to join the Moose Lodge. The only people who are required to join the Lodge are those men who actually join the Moose Promenaders Square Dance Club. This is so the dues help support the Moose Lodge. You also get to participate in any activity the Moose Lodge has. As a visitor, you are not permitted to go into the bar or wander freely about the Lodge. A member can show you through the Lodge if you want to see the facilities. Children under 21 must remain in the dance hall except to go to the restroom (this is because the Lodge could lose their liquor license if children are wandering around).

If you have any questions, please contact:

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DANCE PROGRAM CODE:

A = ADVANCED B=BASIC C = CHALLENGE
M = MAINSTREAM P = PLUS R = ROUNDS

All locations are **Jacksonville** unless shown otherwise.

SUNDAY

TOUCH OF CLASS: "R" Every Sunday:

Peace Presbyterian Church - 2300 Southside Blvd.: Cuer: Jim & Barbara
Winter 904 268-1369 : Phase I, II, III

MIXED NUTS: "P/A-1" Every Sunday - Gainesville - 8-10PM

Caller: Bill Chesnut 904 374-858 -- Contact: Lynn Capehart 904 373-2039

MONDAY

DIAMOND ROUNDS: Will not be dancing until further notice.

FUN & FROLICS: "A" Every Monday: 8-10 PM (No Dancing In Aug)

2839 W. Beaver St. Woodstock Park: Caller: Art Wilson 904 225-5672

TOUCH OF CLASS: "R" Every Monday

Peace Presbyterian Church - 2300 Southside Blvd.: Cuer: Jim & Barbara
Winter 904 268-1369: Phase III & Higher

YELLOW ROCKERS PLUS: "P" Every Monday -- 8-10 PM

Trinity Lutheran Church - Park & McDuff St -- Caller: Lawton Smith 904
389-3349 -- Contact: Millie Hutto 904 388-4196

TUESDAY

"C" STARS: "C-1" Every Tuesday 8:00 - 9:45 PM

Jax Heights Elementary School - Caller: John Saunders 904 428-1496
Contact: Ray Reedy 786-6183

DIXIE DANCERS: "P/R" Every Tuesday

Teen Town - 312 N. 6th St. **Lake City** -- Caller: Bill Chesnut 904
374-8582: -- Contact: Daisy Tramel 904 752-1469

GRAND SQUARES: "P" Every Tuesday

Union Hall - 1910 NW 53rd **Gainesville** -- Caller: Lon Ligon 904 377-1828

MANDARIN MARAUDERS: "M/P" Every Tuesday 8-10 PM

(Workshops 7-8 PM) - Italian-American Club Westberry Rd. -- Caller:
Lawton Smith 904 389-3349 -- Contact: James & Jean Kindred 904
287-0265

MAVERICKS: "M/P" Every Tuesday
Middleburg Civic Center - **Middleburg** -- Caller: Ernie Rollen 904 282-2335 -- Contact: Stan & Doris Hall 904 779-9237

MOTIVATORS: "A" Every Tuesday, 6:30 - 8:00 PM
Jax Heights Elem. School, Caller: John Saunders 904 428-1496

ROLLAWAYS: "M" 1st, 3rd, 5th Tuesday 8-10 PM
"P" 2nd & 4th Tuesday 8-10 PM
Sandalwood High School -- Caller: Ken Miller 904 268-4492

SEABREEZE SINGLES: "M/P" Every Tuesday 8-10 PM
Friday Musicale - 645 Oak St. -- Caller: Jim Cosman 912 882-4006
Contact: Mary Lou Pelz 904 773-1869

SUWANNEE SCOTBACKS: "MS" Every Tuesday 7-10 PM
(Temp. day & location) - Coliseum - Live Oak, FL. -- Caller: Ramsey Hammers 904 752-4425 - Contact: Terry Barnett 904 935-0689

SWEET ART SQUARES: "M/P" Every Tuesday (Not Dancing in Aug)
Yulee Elementary School - **Yulee** -- Caller: Art Wilson 904 225-56741
Contact: Chuck & Linda Riggs 904 225-8084

W E D N E S D A Y

PLUS FOX: "P" Every Wednesday 7:30 PM (No dancing 'til Sep 7th)
Forrest High School - Firestone Rd. -- Caller: Jim Cosman 912 882-4006
Contact: Ruth Williams 904 783-3594

ORANGE SPRINGS SQUARES: "M" Every Wednesday
Orange Springs Civic Club - **Orange Springs** --
Caller: Walt Raleigh 904 473-4530 -Contact: Rusty Rust 904 546-3281

VILLAGE SQUARES: "M/P" Every Wednesday 7 PM
Eastside Village Clubhouse - **Lake City** -- Caller: Ralph Beekman 904 725-2544 -- Contact: Kirby & Dottie Morgan 904 756-6171

T H U R S D A Y

CLAY WHEEL-AROUNDS: "M" Every Thursday 8 - 10 PM
Orange Park Senior Citizens Center (Starting Aug 11) - Stowe Ave and Smith St. -- **Orange Park**, FL -- Caller: Lawton Smith 904 389-3349 --
Contact: Jerry Van Deusen

FRIENDSHIP SQUARES: "M" Every Thursday 8 - 10 PM
Keystone Hts. High School Band Room, **Keystone Heights** -- Caller: Bill Chesnut 904 374-8582 -- Contact: Gary & Diane Harrell 904 964-8843

MOOSE PROMENADERS: "P" Every Thursday 8 - 10 PM
5051 Collins Rd. Moose Lodge **Orange Park** -- Caller: Art Wilson 904 225-5674 -- Contact: Bud & Anita Taylor 904 272-6551

QUARTERMORES: "A" 1st, 3rd, & 5th Thursday
Jax Heights Elementary School -- Caller: Bobby Keefe 904 383-6386
Contact: Bob & Sarah Hare 904 745-0018

SAND DOLLARS: "C" 2nd, 4th, 5th Thursday
Jax Heights Elementary School -- Caller: Bobby Keefe 904 384-6386

SUWANNEE SCOOTBACKS: "MS" Every Tuesday 7-10 PM
(Temp. dancing on Tues. Night) - Coliseum - Live Oak, FL. -- Caller:
Ramsey Hammers 904 752-4425 - Contact: Terry Barnett 904 935-0689

FRIDAY

CHALLENGERS PLUS CLUB: "P" 1st & 3rd Friday 8-10 PM
Peace Presbyterian Church- 2300 Southside Blvd
Guest Callers Used -- Contact: Bob & Miriam Hinkle 904 268-6643
Contact: Mary Lou Pelz 904 733-1869

FLAGLER OCEAN WAVES: "P/R" Every Friday 8 - 10 PM
Old Kings Rd. Elementary School -- (FI 100 Exit , East , off I 95) - Palm
Coast -- Caller: R J Hogan 904 376-2428
Cuer: Len & Winnie Taylor 904 797-5612

GYPSY SQUARES: "M/P" 1st Full Weekend Each Month
Various Campgrounds -- Caller: John Barrett 904 767-7775
Contact: Gene & Wanda Tanner 904 782-322

JEKYLL ISLAND SQUARES: "M/P/R" 2nd, 4th, 5th Friday
Glynn Middle School - Brunswick, GA
Caller: Don Heins 912 265-1504 Cuer: Donna Heins

PALM VALLEY TWIRLERS: "M/P" 2/4 Friday (Thru August 19th)
Peace Presbyterian Church - 2300 Southside Blvd -- Caller: Ernie Rollen
904 282-2335 -- Contact: Rex & Kate McCaul 904 744-3187

PALM VALLEY TWIRLERS: "M/P" Every Friday (Starting Aug 26th)
Fletcher Jr. High - Jacksonville Beach -- Caller: Ernie Rollen 904
282-2335 -- Contact: Rex & Kate McCaul 904 744-3187

POGO SQUARES: "M/P" 2nd & 4th Friday 8 - 10 PM
Wacoma School, U.S. 1 Waycross, GA. -- Caller: Dick Barker 912
283-4394 -- Contact: Leon & Dolly Gray 912 283-2192

SILVER FOX SQUARES: "M/P" Every Friday 8 - 10 PM
Jax Heights Elementary School -- Caller: Sam Atkinson 904 268-3165
Contact: Cliff & Margie Elliott 904 781-2101

SWINGIN' SAINTS: "P/R" 2nd & 4th Friday 8 - 10 PM
St James Lutheran Church -- Caller: Ken Perez 904 964-2917
Cuer: Audrey & Tom Philips 904 273-2719
Contact: George & Julie Pickett 904 744-7741

SATURDAY

TEDDY BEAR SQUARES - *P/F 2nd & 4th Saturday 8:10 PM
Peace Presbyterian Church - 2300 Southside Blvd -- Caller Eddie
Millan 904 275-0296 -- Contact: Dee Dee & Bessie Stovall 904 744-
7560

NEFSARDA 5th SATURDAY DANCE: Every 5th Saturday at
various locations - Please consult Special Events Calendar in the back of
this publication.

BEGINNERS CLASSES

SEPTEMBER 6, 1994

MANDARIN MARAUDERS - Italian American Club, 7:00 - 8:30 PM

MAVERICKS - Middleburg Civic Center - 7:00 - 8:30 PM

ROLLAWAYS - Sandalwood Hi School - 7:00 - 8:30 PM

SEPTEMBER 8, 1994

CLAY WHEEL-AROUNDS - Orange Park Sr. Cit. Ctr. - 7:00 - 8:30 PM

SEPTEMBER 9, 1994

SILVER FOX SQUARES - Jax. Hts. Elem. School - 7:00 - 8:30 PM

SEPTEMBER 13, 1994

SEABREEZE SINGLES - Friday Musicale, 645 Oak St - 7:00-8:30 PM

SEPTEMBER 15, 1994

FRIENDSHIP SQUARES- Keystone Hts. Hi School, 7:00 - 8:30 PM

PLUS CLASSES

SEPTEMBER 8, 1994

MOOSE PROMENADERS - Moose Lodge 2020, Collins Rd. - 7 - 8:30 PM

SEPTEMBER 12, 1994

YELLOW ROCKERS PLUS - Trinity Lutheran Church, McDuff Ave.
& Park St.- 7:00 - 8:00 PM

ADVANCED CLASSES

SEPTEMBER 12, 1994

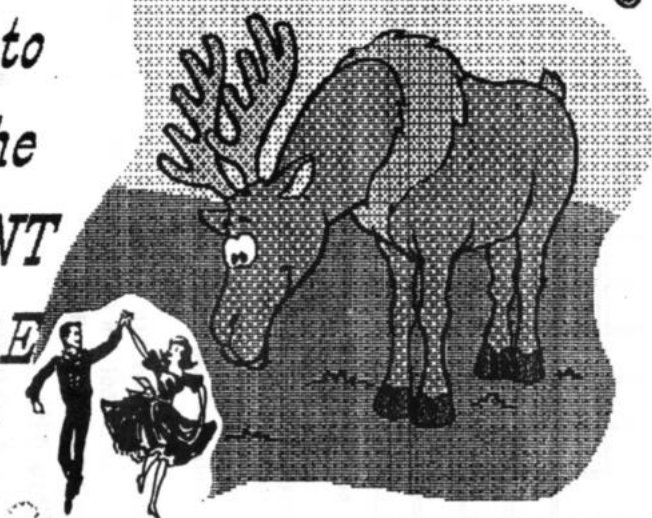
Fun 'N' Frolic - Woodstock center (Beaver St.) - 7:00 - 8:30 PM

IN PROGRESS

Eddie Millan (A2) - Peace Presbyterian Church 7:30 - 9:30 PM

MOOSE PROMENADERS

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PLUS CLASSES

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7:00 - 8:30 PM

Classes begin September 15

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Art Wilson, Instructor/Caller

For Information: Bud & Anita Taylor-
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or Dale & Gerry Fredrickson (269-9717)

IN MEMORIAM



A sad farewell to fellow Square Dancers.

T. S. Highsmith passed away May 24, 1994. He was a past member of the 'Seabreeze Singles' Square Dance Club.

William H. "Mac" McVay passed away July 9, 1994. He was a past member of 'The Alemandarins'.

William H. Maher passed away July 10, 1994. He danced with the 'Palm Valley Twirlers' for many years.

They will be missed by all those who knew them. We extend our sincere sympathy to their families.

ROLLAWAYS & ROLLAWAYS PLUS Jim & Marie 720-5662

Its been a busy time for the Rollaways who were well represented at the State Convention - workshops, dancing, Fashion Show, Kaleidoscope, exhibition dances, entertainment, and Grand March. A happy time for one and all.

June found four couples visiting the Moose Promenaders on the 9th and six couples went to Jekyll Island Squares on the 10th to steal their banner. There were ten couples on the 11th at Teddy Bear Squares and since it was Paul & Nita's last night there, we gave them a sunflower planter and Rollaway visor. They were also made honorary members of the Rollaways.

On June 14th a Father's Day ice cream social was held with "# 1 Dad" dangles given to visitors and all club dads. Two clubs came to steal our banner - Swingin' Saints and Palm Valley Twirlers. Plus Fox also came to retrieve their banner. Dads were well represented. Then on June 21st the Yellow Rockers came to retrieve their banner, as did the Gypsy Squares.

Our caller, Ken, is away for a much deserved vacation. Eddie Millan came as caller for June 14, 21, 28, and July 5th. Thank you Eddie - it was GREAT!! July 12 & 19th, Don Heins called and July 26th Paul Walker did the honors. We thank these wonderful men, but we miss you Ken.

On July 12th, we held our Red/White/Blue American Pie Dance and had a great time with all of our guests.

ATTENTION!! ATTENTION!! ATTENTION!!

Rollaways at Sandalwood are now a "cool" club. Fans have been purchased and we're experiencing "January in July". COME AND ENJOY US!

High & Ruth Gowbel from West Monroe, LA visited. It was nice to have them dancing with us.

We've had our share of 'laid up ones'. Jack is now feeling better, Paul is doing well, Marie is back dancing, and Jetty is out dancing when her leg will allow. We do wish to tell Marlene, who had a nasty bout in the hospital, that we love her and are praying for her. Shirley Ulch goes in for elective surgery and we wish her well. Please, if we have forgotten someone who's been under the weather, know we wish them all a speedy recovery.

SWEET ART SQUARES

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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH

7:30 - 10:00 PM

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SEABREEZE SINGLES

Al Kush

The summer heat has come upon us; so the Club has voted to come to our dances casual for the months of June, July, and August. When visiting our Club, dress comfortable.

Our regular monthly meetings are doing great; attendance is increasing at every meeting. The problems are well discussed and voted on, so you're welcome to express your ideas at these meetings. The variety of foods and dishes that are brought are welcome for a Sunday dinner. Please join us if you can. Meetings were held at the homes of Mary Lou Pelz in June, and Helen and Bud Fake in July.

The club's banner program is also improving. We have stolen banners from the Palm Valley Twirlers, Yellow Rockers and Silver Fox clubs.

We will sponsor beginners mainstream dance lessons starting on September 13, 1994.

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SWINGIN' SAINTS

Cora Delle Barnes 757-8539

A good time was had by all that attended our "Watermelon Dance". Those that did not make it sure missed a treat and some good dancing.

Be sure and come dance with us on August 12th, for our "Churn dance". Lots of good home-made ice cream and fun dancing. Will be at Highland Middle School, 90013 Pine Estates Rd., East (between Dunn Ave. and Leonid Rd.), 8:00 - 10:00 PM.

The Saints have really been having fun stealing banners. Do we have yours?

Keep cool and come dance with us.

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SILVER FOX SQUARES

Nancy Wolfert 284-2219

The news for the Fox Den begins on a sad note as we bid a tearful "Farewell" to two of our favorite people. As most of you already know, Paul & Nita have moved to North Carolina. However, they have promised to come back often to visit. In the meantime, if you are ever in the Charlotte area (Kannapolis to be exact), stop by and give them an Orange Squeeze (a Yellow Rock - Florida style)!

On June 3rd, the Silver Fox Squares celebrated their ninth year as a club. Highlight of the evening's festivities was the induction of Roscoe Gootee into the Order of the Silver Fox. Roscoe is a long-time member of the club and is presently serving as our President. Congratulations, Roscoe, on this well deserved honor!

On June 17th, we honored Dads at our Father's Day Dance. Fred Brinson was awarded a prize for being the oldest Dad present and Eddie Brown was honored as the youngest. (Eddie, Theresa, and Eddie, Jr. are graduates of NEFSARDA's most recent class.)

Yellow Rocks to Sam & Janice Atkinson for filling in for Paul & Nita while they were in Portland attending the National Convention.

Speaking of Sam, we are pleased to welcome him to the Fox Den as our new caller. If you haven't yet danced to Sam, come out and give him a try. I can promise you will not be disappointed.

We'd also like to welcome our newest foxes - Gene & Ann Brice, Chuck & Rheta Voss, Nancy Dennis, Mike O'Brien, Arlene Archer, and Fred Ward.

We want to thank everyone who came out on July 29th to help us say Good-bye to Paul & Nita in our own unique style,

Til next time - with Sam.....



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TEDDY BEAR SQUARES

Al & Virginia Cook

At our June 11th dance we had eight squares gather to bid farewell to Paul & Nita Walker, this being their last official dance as our club caller. At the same time we welcomed Eddie & Ann Millan as our new caller. A fun time was had by all.

Jim & Barbara Winter have been on vacation and have been sorely missed as we attempted to fill in for them with tapes that Jim had prepared. It's just not the same without you Jim.

Teddy Bears will have a traveling banner in the near future for your club to steal. Be on the lookout for us as we go on the prowl for your banners also! Come visit us on the second and fourth Saturdays at Peace Presbyterian Church from 8 - 10 PM. Eddie calls Plus and Jim cues the rounds.

YELLOW ROCKER PLUS

"The Smiths"

Baseball, Chevrolet and apple pie! All American! This month of July helps us remember all the things that transpired in order for us to enjoy the freedoms we have.

We began a patriotic theme in June with our Flag Day Dance on June 13th. It's always a beautiful sight to see all the red, white and blue on the dance floor. Betsy Ross paid us a visit (via tape) telling us of her experience in being chosen to make our first flag (some say it's legend but I believe it).

The "Grandma Dance" brought out a lot of pictures of beautiful grandchildren as well as a lot of beautiful grandmas. Some surely didn't look like grandmas but they all got grandma dangles.

Our Plus class graduated in June and as a result, we have four new members in the Yellow Rockers -- Jim and Barbara Smith, Bert McArthur, and Elizabeth Clive (soon to be Mrs. McArthur). Jeanette Bird and Helen Cunningham are also new members. **Fine folks joining other fine folks.** Charlie Brankis graduated with our Plus class but didn't join the club because he is returning to his home in Virginia, July 19th. He has faithfully attended the Clay Wheel-Arounds and Yellow Rockers while he has been here.

Jerry Sullivan and Karen Gingrey were married July 8th and we wish for them a long and happy life together. Jerry got two pretty girls -- **Karen** and her daughter **Misty**.

Don't forget our Peach Dance on July 25th with two 'peachy' callers -- Paul Walker and Lawton. We are planning on lots of peach goodies and it will be an all singing call dance.

Even though it's hot outside, our hall is cool and **our welcome is warm**. We'd love to see you in a square!!

CLUB DUES ARE DUE !

NORTHEAST ASSOCIATION club dues were due July 1st and will be considered delinquent as of August 15th. Dues are still \$15.00. Make check payable to NEFSARDA. It **must** be accompanied by a copy of your current club roster and Club Information Sheet and mailed to:

Dick & Beverly Harvey
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SET YOUR SIGHTS ON ALABAMA IN 1995!

Alabama, whose name means "brush gatherers" in Choctaw, has a dramatically varied terrain. The end of the tree-covered Appalachian mountains covers the northern part of the state and flattens out to the bayou lands in the southern region.

Alabama's rivers have played an important role in our state's wealth and development from the earliest days of Indian settlements along their banks to modern day projects such as the Tennessee Valley Authority's hydroelectric complex.

Birmingham, nestled in the central part of the state, was founded in 1871 amidst hills so red with iron that one was fittingly named Red Mountain. It was the plentiful coal, iron and limestone - ingredients for making steel - that made Birmingham a booming town until the Depression. After that, Birmingham's iron and steel industry never fully recovered.

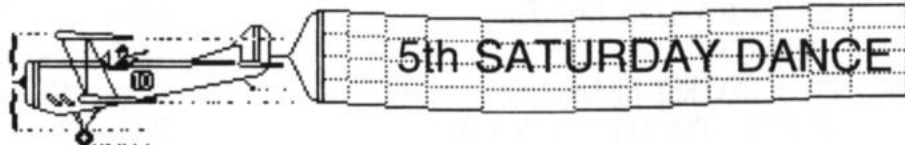
While in Birmingham, visit Sloss Furnaces National Historic Landmark. For nine decades, Sloss Furnace produced most of the pig iron that fed the city's foundries and steel mills. Today, it is the only preserved example of 20th century iron-making technology in the world.

BIRMINGHAM/JEFFERSON CIVIC CENTER

With the recent completion of a \$140 million expansion project, the Birmingham-Jefferson Civic Center emerged as one of the finest meeting facilities in the country. The handsome structure covers almost seven city blocks, with a 19,000-seat Coliseum, 3,000-seat Concert Hall, 1,000-seat Theatre and a 220,000-square-foot Exhibition Hall. A 400,000-square-foot projects mart adjoins the center, housing the nation's first medically-oriented trade mart. The multi-use facility attracts 1.5 million visitors annually for a wide range of events. Dynamic architecture, a great central piazza and generous landscaping make it a landmark.

There will be a total of seventeen dance halls including the Civic Center, the Ballrooms of the Sheraton, and Boutwell Auditorium. All dancing will be under one roof, except for Singles and Country Western which will utilize Boutwell Auditorium across the street from the Civic Center.

The dance floors at the 44th National Square Dance Convention in Birmingham will include 9,558 square feet of carpet, 73,499 square feet of tile, and 146,510 square feet of cement.



It will be "Ghosts & Goblins" time before you know it !! The next NEFSARDA 5th Saturday Dance will be a "costume" dance on October 29, 1994 with Dick Barker & Art Wilson calling Squares and Jim Winter cueing Rounds. Our 5th Saturday Dance Chairmen, Ed & Helen Williams, are busy making preparations for a "ghostly" affair.

WATCH FOR FLYERS SOON !!

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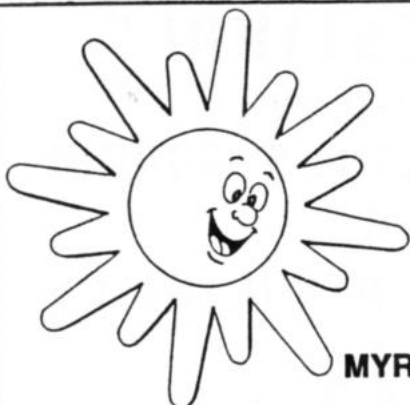
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SUMMARY - GENERAL DELEGATES MEETING
JULY 10, 1994

The minutes of the previous meeting and Treasurers Report were approved.

NEW MEMBERS: Two new clubs were approved for Association membership: "C" Stars, Jax Heights Elementary School, Tuesdays, caller - John Saunders; Suwannee Scootbacks, Spirit of the Suwannee, Thursdays, caller - Ramsey Hammers.

5th SATURDAY "CRAZY HAT" DANCE: July 30th at Sandalwood High School (**WITH AIR CONDITIONING**) - Bill Chesnut, Don Heins, and Audrey Phillips.

BLOOD BANK: the Bloodmobile will be hosted by the Mandarin Marauders, Aug. 26th, at the Italian-American Club in Mandarin, starting at 6:00 PM. ALL donors welcome.

GRAPEVINE: The books have been audited and all assets turned over to NEFSARDA.

EDUCATION AND CLASS COORDINATION: The 3rd NEFSARDA sponsored beginners class graduated 12 new Square Dancers for Association clubs.

DANCE COUPLE OF THE YEAR: Nominations forms were given to delegates. Nominations are due not later than the Sep. Delegates Meeting.

STATE CONVENTION: NEFSARDA should net between \$2,000 and \$3,000 from the Convention. Thanks to all of those who helped put this on.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: The slate of officers for 1995 is as follows: **President** - Chuck & Linda Riggs (Fun N Frolic, Sweet Art Sq., Teddy Bears); **Vice President** - Dee Dee & Bessie Stovall (Teddy Bears); **Recording Secretary** - Grover & Marcella Jacobsen (Rollaways, Teddy Bears); **Corresponding Secretary** - Bob & Cloie Bowie (Swingin' Saints); **Treasurer** - John & Mary Ann Lawrence (Clay Wheel-Arounds, Rollaways, Touch of Class). Resumes' are due as soon as possible, but not later than the Sep. 11 Delegates Meeting so they can be included in the next GRAPEVINE issue.

NATIONAL CONVENTION: There will be a Flea Market & Dance in Kissimmee, FL., Dec. 2nd & 3rd (see flyers).

CLUB VISITATION: Keep sending in your Club Visitation Cards. Cut-off date is Oct. 31st.

NEXT DELEGATES MEETING: Scheduled for September 11, 1994, Piccadilly Cafeteria on Lanes Ave. & I -10, 3 PM.

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NEFSARDA CLASS OF '94

The Class of '94 graduated 12 new dancers on June 1st at Jeff Davis Middle School. The class had a retention rate of 87% after exclusion of those persons who came out during the early weeks just out of curiosity.

The graduation was attended by 45 guests representing eight clubs. Also on hand to welcome these new dancers were callers Ken Miller, Lawton Smith and Paul Walker.

Appreciation is extended to all the clubs who sent out angels. Special Yellow Rocks to our most faithful angels Fred Ward, Maxine O'Donnell and Morris & Wynette Davis. the Davises attended all eighteen class sessions.

Thanks also to Lawton Smith who filled in for Eddie during his hospitalization. It is cooperation like this that makes Northeast Florida such a great place to dance.

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AUGUST 1994

- 6...Special Dance.....Jax Hgts Elem. Sch.....Gateway Callers Ass'n
 12...Churn Dance.....Swingin' Saints
 19...Country Western Dance.....Silver Fox Squares
 21...Gateway Callers Ass'n Meeting.....3 PM.....Piccadilly
 26... Bloodmobile Drive.....6 PM.....Mandarin Marauders

SEPTEMBER 1994 (LESSONS START THIS MONTH - RECRUIT NOW)

- 1...Raise The Roof Dance...(See Flyer).....Nativity Episcopal Church
 10...Rural callers Dance.....Mavericks
 11...NEFSARDA Delegates Meeting.....3 PM.....Piccadilly
 13...19th Anniversary Dance.....Sweet Art Squares
 14-17...Myrtle Beach Ball.....Myrtle Beach, SC
 23... Pizza Dance.....Swingin' Saints
 30...Crazy Hat Dance.....Silver Fox Squares
 30...5th Friday Dance.....(Miller/Smith).....Sandalwood HS

OCTOBER 1994

- 14...Harvest Moon Ball.....Tim Marriner.....Palm Valley Twirlers
 16...Gateway Callers Ass'n Meeting.....3 PM.....Piccadilly
 23-26...Kanuga.....Hendersonville, NC.....Art Wilson
 28...Halloween Dance.....Silver Fox Squares
 29...5th Saturday "Halloween" Dance.....NEFSARDA.....Sandalwood

NOVEMBER 1994

- 13...NEFSARDA Delegates Meeting.....3 PM.....Piccadilly
 18-19...Fall Festival.....NEFSARDA
 25...Gobble Day Dance.....Silver Fox Squares
 25...Hobo Dance.....Swingin' Saints

DECEMBER 1994

- 2-3...'97 Na. Flea Mkt. & Booster Dance.....Kissimmee, FL
 9...Vision Dance.....Swingin' Saints
 10...Christmas Dinner Dance.....Teddy Bear Squares
 16...Christmas Dance.....Silver Fox Squares
 18...Gateway Callers Ass'n Meeting.....3 PM.....Piccadilly
 31...New Years Eve Dance.....Teddy Bear Squares

JANUARY 1995

- 21...Anniversary Dance.....Jekyll Island Squares

FEBRUARY 1995

- 4...Valentine Charity Ball.....Seabreeze Singles
 9...Special Dance.....Tony Oxendine.....Moose Promenaders
 18...Blue-Grey Dance.....Tim Marriner.....Lake City, FL

MARCH 1995

- 4...Blood bank Dance.....NEFSARDA

APRIL 1995

- 29...5th Saturday Dance.....NEFSARDA

MAY 1995

- 14...REMEMBER MOTHER'S DAYEveryone
 26-29...Florida State Convention.....Lakeland, FL

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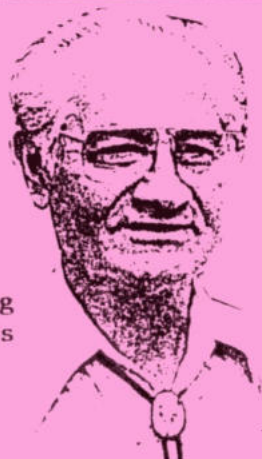
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