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## *President's Message*

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Another General Meeting was held November 10, 1991. This was the last meeting for some members of the Board. We would like to take this opportunity to thank them for a job well done. THANKS to Chuck & Aleen Breedlove and James & Jean Kindred. We will miss all of you very much.

Would like to congratulate Dave & Shirley Nihart for serving us so well as President of the Florida Federation for 1991. We are all very proud of you. Also, at the Federation Meeting on November 3, Don & Bonnye Bell were elected Parliamentarian. This is the first step toward becoming President in 1995. Good luck, Don & Bonnye.

The Fall Festival was a rousing success. Thanks to Don & Bonnye Bell and all their helpers for their hard work. Dave & Shirley were awarded "Dancer of The Year" by the Association and they are so deserving!

Mary & I thank you for your ads & directory sales for the Fall Festival program/ad book. The contest for selling the most ads was won by Stephen & Marie Bigelow. Others were close. Thanks to all! It plays a large part in the financial success of the Festival.

The After Party was attended by many and we hope everyone was pleasantly entertained.

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For More Information

## THE CHALLENGERS

Ruth Teske 777-8918

A BANG-UP CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE AND DANCE is scheduled for Dec 20th. Art Springer, who has become every Challenger's friend with great advice and the latest down-the-pike square dancing information for unity in our chosen entertainment, will be the caller for this unique dance. Jim & Barbara Winter will be the Cuers. It has been decided to sell four extra squares for this dance, in addition to the members so that we can have plenty of room to dance, eat, and shoot the breeze. YES, WE EAT THIS TIME. All members are invited to bring their favorite finger foods. It would be appreciated if you would bring your written recipes for these delicacies so we can share them.

Stephen Bigelow (caller-coordinator) advises me that the callers for the next four dances are: Dec 6-Doc Grey, Dec 20-Art Springer, Jan 3-Frankie Lance, Jan 17-Tim Marriner, and Feb 7-Don Furnish.

We are overjoyed to have as our newest members: Ira & Leah Butcher, Lynne & Barney Capehart, Jim & Mary Jo Davis, Harley & Daffo Holt, Mike & Pat Rist, and Bill & Loreen Cannon. Welcome to the oldest square dance club in Jacksonville. The Challengers started in 1962 with nine couples. More history later. It is always so heartening to see two or three or four squares of our Challenger members at other dances around town.

NEWS FLASH: Lorrain Seefried, Joe Smith, and Bob Hare have not been well enough to dance lately. Know that you're all missed....

The Blackfords, long-time cuers for the Challengers, have moved, for six months, to a square dance resort in Mesa, Arizona. We bade them a fond farewell and look forward to seeing them as they return from time to time. As a special bonus, Jim & Barbara Winter will be our cuer.

Please look to Mary Lou Pelz to get advance tickets to the CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE DANCE. Thanks for letting us know how much we contribute to the fun and fellowship of square dancing. We all enjoy our good plus callers, each other, and hopefully, you other folks who decide to visit and join.



## CLAY WHEEL AROUNDS

The Phantom 389-3349

Bowlers! Ghosts! Goblins! Gators! Bulldogs!

All of the above involved in Clay Wheel Arounds since our last issue. On Sept. 29 that bowling trophy rolled right on over to the Mandarin Marauders. (They are good bowlers.) At least the high bowlers were split with Bonnie Bell of M.M. having high score for the ladies and Russ Ratzlaff of C.W.A. for the men. Now somebody challenge those Marauders. Oct. 12 found us once again at the Nettings for our semi-annual meeting. I believe Danny said it was our 21st. What a good time we had with that Treasure Chest game. Who would have thought  $4\frac{1}{2}$  yds. of fabric could create such a ruckus? The chili was wonderful and we always appreciate the Nettings hospitality. The "Hobo Stew Crew" found their way back to Pacetti's on Sat. Oct. 26. It's always a fun time, good food, great dancing and neat to be with lots of good square dance friends. There were some wild costumes and then there were all those Palm Valley Twirlers in their clown outfits who looked like they could have come right out of Ringling Bros. Ernie even called "The Monster Holiday" for us. All those folks who showed up Halloween night for our dance must not have encountered witches on broomsticks or the like. Our hall was "Boo-tiful" as usual. What a great team who do the decorating. There were prizes for best costumes but everybody was a winner in my book. (But even I didn't know who that clown was.)

Go Gators! Go Bulldogs! We had some of both on Nov. 7 at our Fla/Ga. dance. This has become quite a tradition but even some traditions have to go so Danny gave up his outfit to two really cute gals- Christy Padgett and Larissa Anastacio. Three new Ga. gals came on the scene too-Mamie Cole, Mary Wilson and Christine Wilder. They were all super. Our next theme dance will be our Christmas special on Dec. 19. If you're not busy "wheel on around" and dance with us. We love to have you.

NOTE: FLYER ABOUT NASHVILLE TRIP IN APRIL. We already have one bus filled and are working on the second one. Should be fun!

# *All that's missing is you.*

Welcome In The New Year

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SQUARES

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STATE FEDERATION MEETING

The State Federation held it's meeting in Jacksonville over the weekend of Nov 2 & 3. Delegates from all over the state attended. Saturday a special dance was hosted by the Diamond Dancers. Following the dance was an afterparty back at the motel hosted by the NEFSARDA. This was a SDRAWKCAB party with a few skits. We thought you might like to see a few of the pictures (some we can't show) of the afterparty.



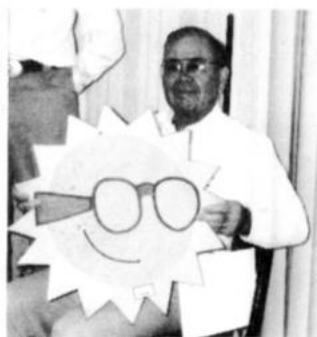
Queen & King Thrones



Bonnye Bell narrating..

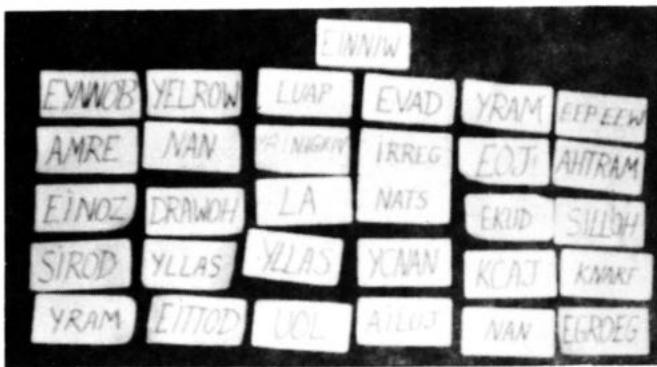


Queen & King sitting on thrones  
(Shirley & Dave Nihart)



Aaron Fry in a skit.

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A few of the name tags of those attending the party.



Nan & Worley Carrier, Fla. Designated Nat'l Chmn enjoy the party.



A Federation officer dresses a dummy. (can you guess which is which)



Local Northeast dancers participate in a skit..



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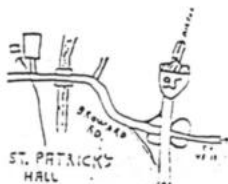


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CALLER: JERRY REED

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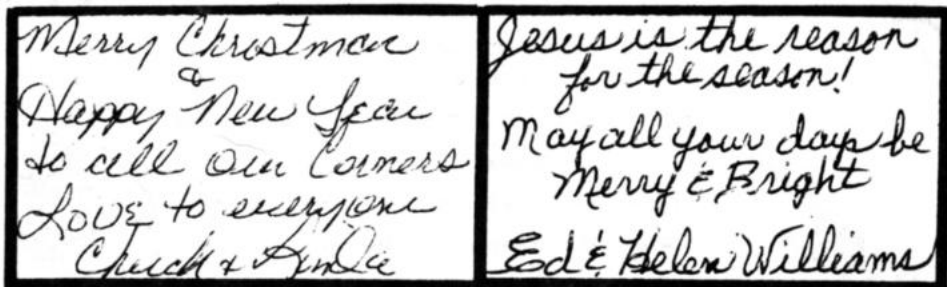
DIAMOND DANCERS

Jerry &amp; Del 276-7605

We have had an exiting time during the past 2 months. Our special dance for the Florida Federation was a tremendous success! Dancers and delegates from all over the state and many Jacksonville dancers attended. Thank you to all who attended the dance! Jim & Barbara Winter did an outstanding job on the rounds, as usual. The "BACKWARDS" AFTERPARTY sponsored by NEFSARDA was most unusual. They did their normal impressive job. They are a very talented group (although a few are a little weird) and we are always delighted with their ingenuity.

We cancelled for the Fall Festival and we had a great dance. It was just great to see most of the dancers from our area that we hadn't seen for some time - it's great to get together.

Once again we want to thank all the dancers who have danced with us and we look forward to seeing ALL OF YOU at a dance.....

DIXIE GRANDS

Billy &amp; Pat Heller 264-5062

1st & 3rd Fridays of each month at Jax Heights Elementary School, special events are being planned and you should be there to enjoy them. 7:30 workshop - 8:00PM Square em' up!

DRIFT AROUND SQUARES

Isabell Buie 768-4363

We had our November dance at Pacetti's. We had a covered dish dinner and dance.

Our sympathy goes out to Dan Ashton in the death of his wife Van who passed away on Oct. 24th.

Our Christmas party will be at Tom & Jean Moore's on the 14th. of Dec. Our Camp-o-ree at Okeechobee was a great success last month. The ones that didn't make it missed a great time.

We are glad to hear that Bob Hare is getting along so well after his surgery.

We will meet and dance at Stark K.O.A. in Jan. on the 24-25-26, please come out and enjoy our dancing and good fun and fellowship.

FUN'N FROLICS

Jim &amp; Beth Partin 264-5427

The Fun'N Frolics invite all advance dancers to enjoy an outstanding A-2 dance by our club caller, Art Wilson, each Monday night. We meet at the Woodstock Recreation Center on Beaver St. Our class meets from 7-8:30PM with the dance following, 8:30-10PM. Come on out for an enjoyable evening of dancing. For info contact Jim and Beth Partin at 264-5427.



GYPSY SQUARES

Judy Arnold 684-3791

In December the Gypsy Squares will be celebrating their first anniversary at Whitey's Fish Camp. We have had a very busy and fun-filled year. We are looking forward to the new year with high hopes. We will not be camping in December or January. In February we will be at Hannah Park on the 7, 8, & 9th. We extend an open invitation for you to come and visit us. We are hoping to make new friends in the up and coming year.

MAXEY'S MAVERICKS Susan Thompson 642-1238

The past two month's have been busy. On Sep 7 we went to Friendship Squares 1st Birthday and enjoyed dancing to Bill Chesnut. Again on Sep 4 we returned to Keystone to the RCA dance MC'd by John Robbins. The fun continued as 10 squares of your square dance friends can echo as they heard caller Bud Whitten at the Maxey's Mavericks 1st Annual Round-up Dance on Oct 19. If you missed it you truly are the loser as it was a Terrific Dance. We hope you will attend our 2nd Round-up next year.

On Oct 22 at our regular club dance we had in attendance three squares and all monies made that night were to total \$136 that was donated to the Ron Higginbottom fund. On Oct 31 several of our Mavericks went to the Friendship Squares to steal their banner. The fun continued as we hit the Silver Foxes on Nov 1 to steal their banner. On Nov 5 Friendship Squares came to retrieve their banner.

If you have not visited us in a while we welcome you back and we sure do miss you. If you have never visited us then we encourage you to come dance with us some Tuesday night at Middleberg Community Center. We have three unique "banner plaques" that you can steal and our banner chairman is David Kegley (282-1716) so you can let him know you are coming for a very special night.

James Maxey is still calling in his usual rare form. See you in a square real soon.

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AND A HAPPY NEW  
YEAR- AND HAPPY  
DANCING.  
THE KEYSTONE  
KICKERS. KEYSTONE  
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AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL  
OUR FRIENDS IN THE NORTHEAST  
DAVE & SHIRLEY NIHART

KEYSTONE KICKERS

Top Kick 737-8514

The Keystone Kickers dance at the Senior Center in Keystone Hgts on every Thursday form 8 - 10PM. Our level is mainstream and plus. Our open house on Nov 14 was a great success with special emphasis on attracting new class members. Our class will begin soon. We also had several visitors from clubs in the area, and a special group, the Silver Stars from Lawtey.

A special thanks to Ken Perez for his participation. We were a part of the annual 'Christmas Walk' on Nov 24 in Keystone.

If you are looking for a fun dance in a relaxing atmosphere, come and give us a visit.

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## THE SENIOR CORNER

By Chuck Joyeusaz

I am sad to announce that we have had to close out the Grand Leisure Squares located at the Singleton Center. The club lasted six years and provided dancing for many seniors.

Tom Liston is now working with Seniors at the Arlington Center on Rogero Road and with seniors at the Mandarin Center during the day. If you know of any seniors near these locations wanting to learn square dancing, please get in touch with Tom for more information.

If any local clubs have new students having trouble with the Basic Lessons, please suggest that they come dance with us and maybe they will be able to grasp it better at a slower pace. We have had several students come to us for awhile, then start again in the spring classes and sail right through without any trouble and are now dancing mainstream.

Start telling your students now about the State Convention in May. We will again have the Basic Hall for students who may not be able to handle the Mainstream Hall. If you send anyone to the convention, be sure that they can handle the 49 Basics. We had people last year that only had a couple of lessons and were told to go to the convention, needless to say, they were very unhappy about spending their money and not being able to dance.

LONE STAR SWINGERS Don Peters 642-0586

The fall season always seems to be the start of the busy Square dance season. The snow birds return, school begins, including basic lessons and we look forward to the holidays. Our summer was fun with an ice cream social and a watermelon feast. The fall season was begun in September when we had our 19th birthday party with many friends and memories. October we had the spirit with a halloween dance featuring some fancy animated decorations as well as animated square dancing. We are looking to November 22 with the 15th TURKEY HASH DANCE, and of course on Dec 13 we are preparing our annual Christmas dance with a sit-down dinner. We are looking forward to 1992 as another year for square dance FUN, FROLIC and PARTIES.

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Season  
Tom & Dot Hidding*

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MISSION BELLS Chuck Joyeusaz 636-0789

We are a Basic 49 Club; have ladies dancing the mans part when necessary, and love visitors. We dance a variety of dances including: Quadrills, Contras, Mixers, Reels, some limited easy Rounds, and line dances. Of course we can't do it all in one day, so each dance is something different each week. Our main goal is to have fun and keep dancing. Since we are a daytime club, square dance attire is not necessary. If you want to wear it, fine, but if you just want to drop in and dance in street clothes please feel free to do so, just come have fun.

Several of our folks are making plans to go to the State Convention in May. We hope that you have made your reservations early as good rooms go fast in Lakeland. If you haven't been to a State Convention, you have missed a really good time. Hundreds of our fellow dancers are there for a weekend of fun and they all agree that each year is better than the one before.

Hope that you will have the time to come for a visit and that we see you in our squares soon.

PABLO SQUARES Esther Weaver 241-1171

Witches, hobgoblins, and all those things that go bump in the night, were quite in evidence on Halloween in our Strange Hall. What a fun, wild evening. The turnout was tremendous, fellow dancers came from St. Augustine, Jax, Tom Liston brought a large group from P.O.P. Arounds, Jim & Jimmie Lee Morgan, who have proven to be a real important part of our Pablo Squares were in rare form. Those in costume were terrific, some very clever and original. Chuck was at his very best, his singing, calling tips, even played a few games which were lotsa fun. Carolyn Bell, our President, supervised these goings-on plus a long decorated table, well laden with goodies. Every soul seemed to really enjoy this fun filled evening and we thank all of our many friends who joined us.

Since Singleton Center in Jax. has temporarily closed up shop, we "Pablo Squares" will host our annual Xmas party this year on Thurs. night Dec. 12th. We invite all of our many friends to join us. Santa and Mrs. Santa will grace our group. It's always such a beautiful affair, with so much extra special good will oozing out at this time of year. Come one, come all-you'll see!!

# SWEET ART SQUARES

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## MAR 31

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CONTACT: Linda Riggs 225-2172

CALLER: Art Wilson 225-5674

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 1992

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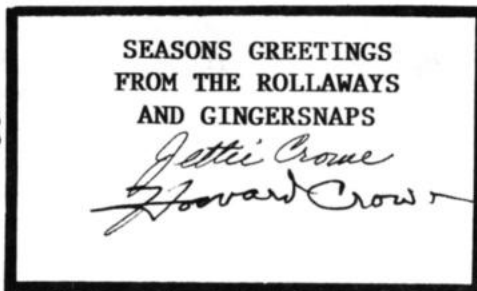
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As I begin typing for this newsletter, I can't believe I'm writing for the end of 1991 and the beginning of 1992. We've all had a busy year. The Halloween dance at the Moose Promenaders was great. I would like to thank everyone who came in costume, and a special note of thanks to the two couples who really went all out on their costumes and unusual transportation. I won't spoil what they were wearing because they may want to use them again. Thanks to all the clowning around by Palm Valley Twirlers. We really enjoyed having you all.

The Moose Promenaders have decided not to dance the day after Christmas as we feel people may have company and feel like we should not leave our company alone. Some of our members may be able to go out and visit some of the other clubs that dance on Thursdays. We will be dancing on the day after New Years. We hope you will come out and help us start the New Year. Beginning Jan. 9, 1992 we will be starting a workshop at 7:30 each Thursday for the purpose of learning DBD (Dance By Definition). This will be on a plus level. We will then use what we learned each night in our regular dance. The dance will be from 8:00-10:00. If anyone is interested give me a call for further information.

We have scheduled the "President's Ball" for Sunday, Feb. 16, 1992. We will have fliers out on this. We hope you will mark this date on your calendar and plan to attend. The President's Ball will not mean anything without your attendance. We are asking all the dancers for ideas on how to make this day extra special. We feel this is not just our day, but yours as well.



### ROLLAWAYS

Mary Jo Davis 273-0510

Dancing at the Rollaways continues at a fast pace. The 18 students are progressing nicely and looking forward to the Freshman Dance, which will be held on Dec 7 at Sandlewood High School.

September saw us wear our school colors to a special dance. Lot's of gators and dogs showed up and had a good time chiding each other. What was the score? 45-13?

The olde Parthanon Restaurant hosted our club in October. Everyone enjoyed the delicious food and several couples went on to an evening of competitive bowling.

Our Banner was retrieved from the Silver Stars in Lawty; The Seaside Stompers treated us to cajun cooking on the night we retrieved our banner from them. Great Red Beans and Rice! Pacetti's was the scene of the "Scare Dance". Ken Miller and Lawton Smith cooked up some yummy Hobo stew and some real Square-Dancing hobos showed up to partake.

Halloween came to the Rollaways in a big way. We had two special shieks attend. One brought his harem (of one) and the other brought his French maid. The Flintstones drove their Flingmobile to the dance and had a YABADABADO good time, taking first place in the costume contest.

Thanksgiving will be celebrated by the Rollaways on the 26th of Nov. We are hoping many of our old club members will be there to share this Holiday with us. We also hope all the upcoming Holidays will be safe and happy ones for all dancers and their loved ones.



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F A L L F E S T I V A L - 1 9 9 1



John (Linda) Saunders called a great dance on Saturday evening!

For the second year  
Sunni & Jerri Thomas  
cued the rounds.....



During the afterparty the "CIRCLE AWARD" (for outstanding service) was presented to Hollis & Mary Fowler and Don & Bonnye Bell. Shirley & Dave Nihart were presented a plaque for being chosen as "DANCERS OF THE YEAR".

"WHAT A GREAT FALL FESTIVAL"

PALM VALLEY TWIRLERS Pat Key 282-4021

The accusation that some of Palm Valley's dancers clown around too much may have been a little more than a truth when 15 Palm Valley Twirlers arrived at the Hobo Dance in full costume and make-up, they made a merry site.

A banner raid on the Moose Promenaders was the next stop for this merry group, preceding the clowns was Fred & Wilma Flintstone and Barney & Betty Rubble in the new 6000BC model foot powered auto, thank goodness it was Halloween or someone may have called the men in the white coats.

With all the clowning around "in costume" behind us we all are looking forward to the busy upcoming Holiday Season.

All of us at Palm Valley would like to take this time to wish all our square dance friends a joyful holiday season and a happy New Year.

MERRY CHRISTMAS  
AND  
HAPPY NEW YEAR  
GOD BLESS ALL  
OF YOU. SEASIDE  
STOMPERS

We wish everyone  
a joyful, Blessed  
Christmas and a  
very Happy New  
Year!  
Charlie & Val

SEASIDE STOMPERS Dotty Millis 287-5791

Wow! The best and biggest Cajun Dinner Dance we have ever had. Eleven squares were in attendance and we enjoyed the calling of Jerry Reed and Ken Miller. Retrieving banners were Mandarin Marauders, Swingin' Saints, Rollaways, and Flagler Oceanwaves. Joyce (Cajun) Turner cooked, for the 4th year, the red beans and rice. Joyce said, "we almost didn't have enough, next year we will have to add more".

Oh, guess what happened? We stole a banner from Flagler Oceanwaves and someone stole (literally!) the banner from us. So, Leah Butcher made a special traveling banner just for the folks at Flagler. Thanks Leah and thanks to the Flagler club for their understanding.

We traveled across town to retrieve our own banner from the Silver Fox - what a great dance.

Come join us for our Christmas Dinner Dance on Dec 12. The Fletcher High School will be closed for the holidays so we must cancel our dance on Dec 26th. Come see us the 2nd & 4th Thursdays.

THANKS FOR YOUR  
SUPPORT-  
HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Paul & Nita



To all our Dancing  
Friends

MERRY CHRISTMAS  
and  
A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Freda & John Seebacher

# RATE INCREASE

To our knowledge there has not been a rate increase for advertising or subscribing to THE GRAPEVINE since 1982. At the November 10th NEFSARDA General Meeting The Grapevine Editors presented a proposed rate increase. Motions were made and approved by the Association's Club Delegates to accept the following increases effective JANUARY 1, 1992:

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As a public service The Grapevine will continue to provide free ads for: Christmas in July, Heart Fund Dance, Blood Bank Dance, The Beach Bash, the Four 5th Saturday Dances, The Fall Festival, National Square Dance Convention, State Convention Articles, and others as deemed in the public interest.

We appreciate your understanding and applaud your continuing support of The Grapevine.....

Paul & Nita Walker - Editors

REMEMBER these rates are effective January 1, 1992

## TEDDY BEAR SQUARES



"TEDDY BEAR"

PAUL & NITA WALKER on Squares  
JIM & BARBARA WINTER on Rounds

### SPECIAL DANCES

Dec 14...Christmas Dinner Dance

Dec 31...New Years Eve

Jan 31...5th Friday Dance

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8:00 - 10:00

DANCING IS FUN



"TEDDY BEAR"

SEABREEZE SINGLES

Don Kelly 285-4980

It is nice to see a large crowd every week enjoying the fellowship that goes with square dancing. We are enjoying dancing on the newly refurbished floor at the Friday Musical.

We have a large enthusiastic class of new dancers. They are moving easily through all those complicated movements. Many thanks goes to all those faithful angels who come every week.

To help celebrate Thanksgiving there will be a Harvest Festival Dance on November 26. All Seabreeze dancers are asked to sign up now for our Christmas party and dance on Dec 7th. We need to know as soon as possible who will be attending.

All those in attendance at our last monthly meeting were pleasantly surprised with a visit from Lucille Keefe, you can't keep this lady down.

*Wishing all a  
Blessed Christmas  
&  
Healthy & Happy 1992  
The Wolferts*

HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL  
OUR DANCING FRIENDS...

*Jim & Barb Winter*

SILVER FOX SQUARES

Nancy Wolfert 284-2219

Our move back to Twin Hills has certainly kept James busy as practically every club in town has either retrieved their banners or stolen ours. On Oct 4 the Clay Wheel-Arounds came out. When all that purple walks in the door it sure is an overwhelming sight. On Oct 11 we hosted four -count 'em four - clubs. Sweet Art Squares, Mandarin Marauders, Moose Promenaders & Yellow Rockers came out to retrieve their banners. This was a "first" in James Maxey's 30 year career as a caller. Having so many clubs come out on a regular dance night (no special goings on) to retrieve banners.

Contrary to a rumor (started by GV Editor Mr. Walker) the Foxes have not changed our club outfit to rather strange clothing. Paul & Nita came out to our Sadie Hawkins Dance along with the Seaside Stompers to steal our banner. We had converted the hall into a gen-you-wine facsimile of Dogpatch USA. Millard Brown and Diane German were afforded the honor of being chosen King & Queen of Dogpatch. At least I think it was an honor - wasn't it???

We welcome new members Sam & Jo Martin in the Foxes Den.

We also thank Jack & Geneva Yongue for hosting our Sep 27 moonlight cruise on the St. John's. It was a wonderful relaxing evening.

Now it can be told: the Circus is coming to town!! On Jan 17, Twin Hills Civic Center will be converted to the BIG TOP as we host the REVERSE THE FLUTTER - BOX THE GNAT CIRCUS. (See our ad in this issue) Now is finally your chance to make your childhood dreams come true as you are invited to "runaway" and join the circus.

See you across a square!!!!!!

PS: On a personal note George & I would like to thank everyone who sent cards or called to inquire about his condition after he chose an unorthodox (and not recommended) manner of disembarking after our moonlight cruise.

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## F I R S T T I M E

On October 11 four clubs came to Silver Fox Squares to retrieve their banners. James Maxey said "this was the first time in his 30 years of calling that four squares came on the same night".



MANDARIN MARAUDERS



YELLOW ROCKERS



MOOSE PROMENADERS



SWEET ART SQUARES

5<sup>TH</sup>  
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JAN 31, 1992

JERRY  
REED



PAUL  
WALKER

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8:00 - 10:00PM

\$3.00 PER PERSON

ELECTED TO THE STATE FEDERATION BOARD

Don & Bonnye Bell - Past Presidents of the NEFSARDA have been elected to the State Federation of Square Dancers as Parliamentarian. They will serve for one year. Congradulations Don & Bonnye and thanks for serving us.

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SUNDAY

JANUARY 5, 1992

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WILL MEET  
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CALLER: James Maxey

SWEET ART SQUARES

Linda Blake 261-7192

The Sweet Art Squares finally have a class for this year, we have almost two squares and they are a good group. We are looking forward to the beginners hoedown to meet some of the great people from the Jacksonville, and surrounding areas.

We would like to thank all of you who supported our club in the benefit dance for Ron Higginbotham, we appreciate your participation and we appreciate the funds taken up at the clubs. The square dancers really have a big heart when it comes to helping another fellow square dancer. Ron is home at this time and doing good, he visited us one night and we were all glad to see him, he does have to go back to Houston soon for more treatments. We will keep him in our thoughts and prayers for a complete recovery.

The club is planning a Christmas Dinner Dance for Dec 14 at Ten Acres in Fernandina Beach. If interested please call one of our members, we would love to have you. The dance will have every other tip for the class level. We always have a great time at this affair.

Quite a few of our club went with Art Wilson up to Kanuga for the annual fall retreat up in Hendersonville, NC. We had a great time, if you've never gone up for this retreat you are missing a treat it's always a fun time with good dancing, this year we even had round dancing. Think about it for next year in October.

The Sweet Art Squares would like to wish all of our dancing friends a very MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Come see us when you can.....we love company.....



Merry Christmas  
We ♥ you all...  
Hollis & Mary



PLUS FOX Larry Bushnell 757-4323

The Plus Fox almost folded a year ago but today is going strong. In September we started a plus class and everyone is having a grand time. If you've been through Plus but still get easily confused, come join us. Jerry Reed, our caller, is one of the best teachers in the country and we don't mind your mistakes. It may be the end of March before we graduate our class but with Jerry's ability to teach you'll be able to dance Plus with any caller in the country and not get lost or confused. We meet every Wednesday at Forest High (off 103rd St). 7:00PM.....

"NEW ROUND DANCE CLUB"

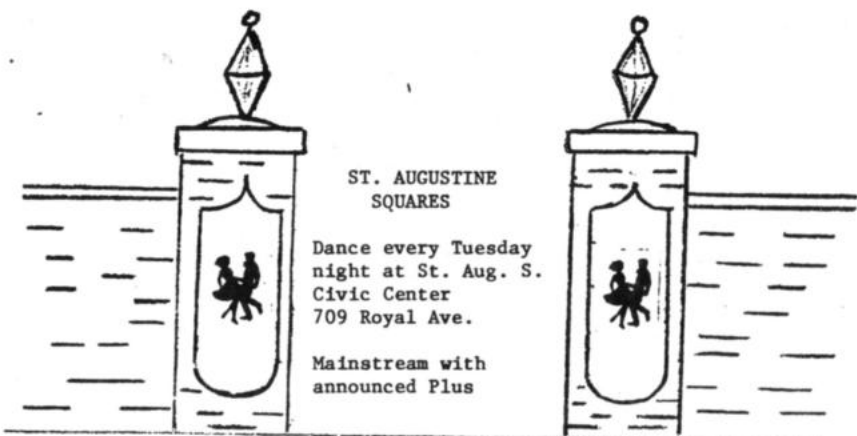
We received this information to late to include on the calendar this issue-but managed to find space on another page.

CLUB NAME: DIAMOND ROUNDS

WILL DANCE ON: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday

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LAWTON SMITH  
JIM COSMAN

**ROUNDS:** JIM & BARBARA WINTER



TEDDY BEAR SQUARES Paul & Nita Walker 646-3520

Our special dance featuring Stan Russell from Greenville, SC was a great success with lots of fun. Stan will be coming back next year. Don't forget our next special with Nick Hartley on Feb 22.

The Christmas dinner dance will be on Dec 14 with pot luck at 6:45PM and dancing at 8:00PM. Get your NEW YEARS EVE tickets from the Winter's or the Walker's.

We will be making a "wallet size" card listing all the special theme dances for 1992. These should be ready by mid-Dec, be sure to get one.....See you in a square.....

YELLOW ROCKERS The Smiths 389-3349

The next best thing to seeing something born is to see something revived. This is what seems to be happening with us. Monday may be the worst day of the week but for those who have been coming to Y.R. on Monday night it seems to start the week on the "right foot". We've been having wonderful groups and appreciate all of you who come. On Oct. 28 we had a Pumpkin Dance--pumpkin tree (whoever heard of such?), pumpkin decorations, pumpkin pies and pumpkin dangles for everyone. After eating all those pies, ice cream, and other goodies some of us even looked like a pumpkin. It was fun.

This is such a festive time of year with the holidays coming and we are planning a Christmas dance on Monday, Dec. 16. Hope you will plan to be with us. (Our schedule will be the same.) Santa might even appear.

TRADITION! Yellow Rockers' New Years Eve dance seems to have become one so make plans to be with us again this year on Dec.31, 8:30-1200. (See flyer in GV) Ken and Ginger Miller will be with us. DANCE OUT THE OLD, DANCE IN THE NEW. IT'LL BE MORE FUN IF WE SEE YOU! Let's keep a good thing going--Square Dancing.

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What a great time at Kanuga again this year. Some folks left on Saturday and stayed in Spartansburg, SC to go dancing at a local club for a fun time.

Someone (Doug) celebrated his 50th birthday - well actually the rest of us celebrated by singing "happy birthday" at least 50 times during the festival. At midnight on Tuesday the choir sang "happy birthday" outside Doug's room.

At the afterparty "THE STICK THAT DOES THE TRICK" did it to Paul and Edgar - next year it will be the "BALL THAT DOES IT ALL"

The "CHOW CROWN" goes to the Turner's (Ed & Joyce). Every meal would find them either first in line or within the first five couples. Ask Ed about that fantastic fried fish.

This three day festival was also educational. I discovered what a "maybe packer" is. A maybe packer is someone who packs thinking maybe I'll need it maybe I won't. Linda Riggs is that type. It's a good thing they have a full sized van - because it was full when they left.

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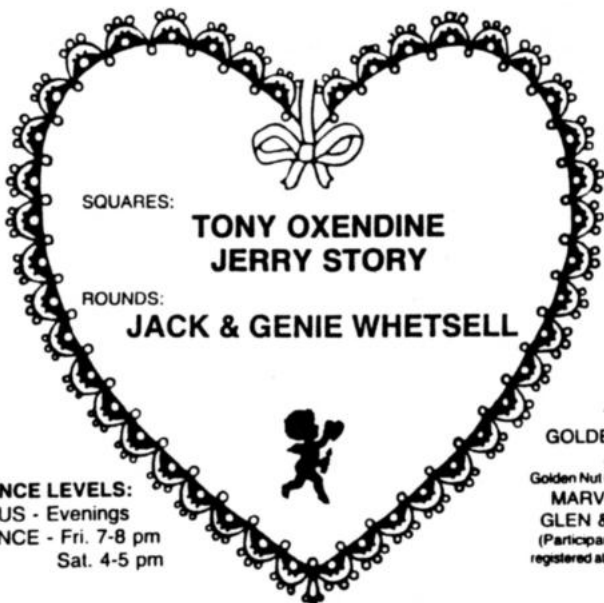
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When you go square dancing the cost is about \$3 (\$6 per couple) for an evening of dancing. Drinks and snacks are usually included in the price. What a bargain for a whole evening of entertainment, exercise, togetherness and fun!

The \$3 pays for the caller's time, the hall rental and some of the snacks. But there is much more that goes into square dancing than just those three things.

If nothing more than that went into a square dance club, that club would dwindle and die pretty soon. New things need to be planned to attract new dancers, and they need to be recruited and taught to dance and need to be encouraged as they go along. Plans need to be made and carried out to put variety and new life into dances. People need to be kept informed via newsletters. Flyers need to be planned, made and distributed. Interchange between clubs needs to be planned and carried out such as stealing and retrieving banners. Special events need to be planned and put on. Halls need to be decorated sometimes, cards or letters need to be sent out. At times phone calls need to be made to all members to inform them about unexpected changes.

All of these things take time and "people power". Unlike ballroom dancing and other types of entertainment, where the workers are salaried, in square dancing we need many volunteers to do a lot of the planning and work behind the scenes.

Yet square dancers seem to feel that their \$3 includes everything and that they owe no more to square dancing. I suppose it is because we get into an entertainment mode of thinking. As in spectator sports do we expect others to do everything for us? Do we feel we don't need to reach out to do things for others unless we get paid for it?

For most of our clubs elections of officers are coming up soon. How about telling your club president or nominating committee that you will take a responsible position? Don't just say that you will be there to help out if you can. Your club, your caller, your president need people they can depend on. Volunteer to be the chairperson of a committee or take some other responsible position and help make square dancing more fun for everyone including your president.

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### WHAT IT MEANS TO ME TO BE A MEMBER OF CALLERLAB

If ever a single organization has played a major role in the square dance activity, and in my life, it has been CALLERLAB! I remember back not too many years, to a time when there was no International Callers Association, no recognized body-of-knowledge for callers and no universal guidelines for callers and teachers to follow. Area callers' associations had their own lists of basics and their own methods of styling. This was fine, up to a point, but when the dancers we taught in our area went somewhere else to dance and became confused and embarrassed when they couldn't follow the calls, the blame fell squarely on the caller's shoulders.

I can remember back to the time when I would run across some dancers who had, with no previous notice, been left standing when a caller failed to show up for a commitment. As if that wasn't enough, I soon discovered that all callers were being judged by this one caller's thoughtless action. What a relief it is now, to know that all callers who belong to CALLERLAB subscribe to a Code of Ethics that protects us all against such unprofessional behavior.

I'm proud to be a member of an International Organization that, while it is neither a fraternity nor a union, it has brought together some of the finest professional men and women I have ever had the pleasure of knowing, and, as a multi-purpose business organization, CALLERLAB has made it possible for me to realize excellent rates for insurance coverage, to receive up-to-date educational and training material and to obtain music usage licensing among many other advantages.

While CALLERLAB may have been in existence for only the past twenty years, when I look back to the time before it was formed and compare things then with the way they are for the caller today -- I'M DOWNRIGHT PROUD TO BE A MEMBER!!!!

ERNIE KINNEY,  
CALLERLAB Chairman of the Board

## SEW-SEW-ETC

In the last Grapevine I invited all dancers to help with this article. I really do need your help. I hope by the February issue some people will give me some ideas.

I know a lot of you have been sewing for a long time and make many beautiful dresses, skirts, and shirts. I have been personally intrigued by the BORDER PRINT DRESSES. A lady from Louisville Ky., Louise Boston, explained to me how you make these beautiful dresses.

First you will need to purchase 6 yards of border print material. Five yards will be used in the skirt. The extra yard can be used for border print sleeves.

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## DECEMBER

6,7,8...O'Leno Hoedown.....Bill Chesnut  
 7.....Learner's Hoedown.....Gateway Callers  
 13.....Higginbotham Benefit Dance.....Swingin' Saints  
 28,29,30,31...Holiday Round Dance Ball.....Barbara Harrelson  
 31.....New Years Eve Dance.....Smith-Miller  
 31.....New Years Eve Dance.....Walker-Winter

## JANUARY

4.....Jekyll Island Squares-Anniversary Dance.....Don Heins  
 17.....Reverse The Flutter-Box The Gnat Circus.....Silver Fox  
 31.....5th Friday Dance.....Reed-Walker

## FEBRUARY

1.....Heart Fund Benefit Dance.....Seabreeze Singles  
 14.....Sophomore Dance.....Gateway Callers  
 14,15...Jekyll Island Ball.....Barbara Harrelson  
 16.....President's Ball.....Moose Promenaders  
 22.....Nick Hartley (Special Dance).....Teddy Bear Squares  
 29.....5th Saturday(Blood Bank Benefit Dance).....NEFSARDA

## MARCH

13,14...Blarney Stone Stomp.....Maxey-Robbins

## APRIL

4.....10th Annual Beach Bash Dance.....Seaside Stompers  
 10,11...Nashville Tour.....Lawton Smith  
 11.....Graduation Ball.....Gateway Callers

## MAY

22,23,,24,,25...Florida State Convention.....Lakeland  
 30.....5th Saturday Dance.....NEFSARDA

## JUNE

7--12...English Mountain.....Paul Walker  
 25,26,27...National Convention.....Cincinnati

## JULY

31.....5th Friday Dance.....Reed-Walker

## SEPTEMBER

19.....10th Anniversary Dance.....Seaside Stompers

## OCTOBER

18,19,20,21...Kanuga.....Art Wilson

## NOVEMBER

14.....Stan Russell (Special Dance).....Teddy Bear Squares  
 20,21...Fall Festival.....NEFSARDA

## DECEMBER

5.....Learner's Hoedown.....Gateway Callers

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