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President's Message

This is our last message as President. We would like to thank everyone for all the assistance and encouragement you have given to us. We especially thank all the members of our Board. Thank you to all the committee chairmen and to all the past presidents and to you, the dancers. Without your help we could not get the job done. Again, we say thank you!

We ask that you show the new Board the same courtesies and assistance that you have shown us. As an association we all need to work together in harmony in order to promote square dancing.

Also, we would like to see more dancers as visitors to the delegates

meetings every other month. We think they would become more enlightened about the association and therefore be more willing to participate in all of the activities. After all, NEFSARDA is each and every one of us...You, You, and Me!

As we celebrate the holidays ahead, let us be thankful for the opportunity to enjoy this wonderful activity.

It's been a wonderful term and we hope to support square dancing in any way we can!

Happy Holidays and Happy New Year to all and to all a good night!

Jack & Kathy McKinney

HEAR YE! HEAR YE! HEAR YE! IMPORTANT GRAPEVINE PUBLICATION NOTICE

As you may have noticed, this is a **three** month issue!!! The Grapevine will be shifting to an **ODD** month publishing schedule effective with this issue - hence the three months. This will allow the publication issues to coincide with the fiscal year of the Association — January thru December.

Your subscription expiration dates have been adjusted to accommodate this change without sacrificing any issues. Please check your mailing label for your new expiration dates. If you have any questions, please call.

Due dates for article submissions will continue to be the **15th** of the month **prior to the publication dates** — Jan-Feb; Mar-Apr; May-Jun; Jul-Aug; Sep-Oct; Nov-Dec.

See the updated information contained on page two of this issue.

The Editors

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1999



President's Message

We want to thank you for your "vote" of confidence in electing us as your new NEFSARDA President. We are grateful for the opportunity to represent such wonderful dancers of the Northeast Square and Round Dancers Association in our future travels to other cities, local and national conventions.

We will be following in the footsteps of our predecessors, like our past President; Jack and Kathy McKinney, and all of the other past presidents that we have had the wonderful opportunity to meet, work and dance with. It is not our intention to "best" their past performance as your previous presidents, but rather to emulate them in what they did, what they accomplished and what they stood for. We have a new NEFSARDA Board that are team players and have a positive attitude. We are all looking forward to be of service to you dancers. Our goal will be to visit every club at

least twice a year and to be with you when you celebrate your club's anniversary, your student graduations and any special or benefit dances you host.

We need to concentrate on recruiting new dancers and the retention of our present dancers. Let's all become pro active in these goals. Volunteer for committees within your club. Insist in having a voice in the future of Square Dancing.

We welcome any comments or ideas that you might have for the betterment of Square and Round Dancing. This is our dancing community and we all have a voice in what happens in it. So please let us hear from you. We are very interested in your thoughts, your cooperation and, most of all, your support!!

Manny & Sherry Gonzales

THANK YOU!

We want to say THANK YOU to all of you who helped with the decorations at the Fall Festival. The "team effort" really made our job enjoyable. Your time and work made this "Hollywood Nights" Festival a very successful one! Many thanks to each and every one who helped in any way.

Grover & Marcella Jacobsen, Decorating Chairman



FROM THE EDITORS DESKS

This is in response to a letter in the last issue regarding Grapevine sales at clubs with classes.

While we agree that students need to be exposed to this and other aspects of Square Dancing, we don't feel that approaching a new student during classes to **sell** him or her a copy of or a subscription to the Grapevine is desirable. Besides, were we to sell the publication face-to-face, we run into a problem with sales taxes (collecting for a **subscription** is a different story).

We prefer to offer new students a **complimentary** copy of the publication (not necessarily a current issue). So, for the present, we will continue to pass out copies to students at their club's Graduation Dance.

However, we will initiate the practice of furnishing at least ONE sample copy to each club conducting classes so that

students will at least have access to The Grapevine.

We will still need help from club

presidents and/or callers. If you will let us know when your students are graduating and the number of copies required (one copy per couple and/or single), we will be ready for Graduation Nite.

In addition, if clubs will give us enough lead time, we will try to obtain copies of the Bow & Swing, the State publication, for the new students. Bill Boyd, the Editor, has indicated he will try to do this for new graduates. We may also be able to obtain copies of American Square Dancing, the national publication.

We do appreciate the suggestion and we will try to accommodate as many students as possible. Let's try this way this year and see how it goes.

The Editors



We again request that each time your club has a dancer ill or injured or passes away, PLEASE let us know as soon as possible. This also holds true if the club will not be dancing on a particular scheduled date. We need to be able to

get the information to as many readers as possible.

If we don't have the information, we can't print it.

The Editors

KICK-OFF 2000

46th FLORIDA STATE CONVENTION

IF you are going to the State Convention in May...

IF you enjoy being part of the fun...

IF you are proud of Northeast and want to prove it...

JOIN US FOR KICK-OFF 2000!!

You'll need a dress and we still have fabric available.

Contact: Ken & Ginger Miller.....268-4492
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BEGINNER HOEDOWN SQUARE DANCE



SAT. DEC. 5TH 1998

7:30 TILL 10:00 PM

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
AT PARK & McDUFF
CLASS LEVEL MAINSTREAM
ADMISSION \$3.50 PER PERSON

SPONSORED AND CALLED BY
GATEWAY CALLERS ASSOCIATION

THIS DANCE IS DESIGNED AND
CALLED ESPECIALLY FOR STUDENTS

1998 DANCE COUPLE OF THE YEAR

Dee Dee and Bessie Stovall have been selected as NEFSARDA'S "Dance Couple of The Year" for 1998. The Award was presented on Saturday evening at the Fall Festival by Dave & Shirley Nihart, DCOY Chairmen, along with the NEFSARDA Presidents, Jack and Kathey McKinney.



Dee Dee and Bessie have been dancing for years. They are currently members of the Teddy Bear Squares. They have served NEFSARDA as Vice Presidents, Presidents, and have been Chairmen of the Fall Festival. They are currently in their 3rd year of a 5 year commitment to the Florida Federation, serving as Secretary this year. They were Vice Chairmen, Housing for the 46th NSDC and were Housing Chairmen for the 1989, 1994 State Conventions.

Dee Dee and Bessie are most deserving of this award and we thank them for their dedication to and support of the square dance movement. CONGRATULATIONS!

BLOOD BANK REPORT

Howard and Jettie Crowe, Blood Bank Chairmen

<u>ACCT</u>	<u>CLUB</u>	<u>UNITS</u>
1238.....	NEFSARDA.....	10
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2212.....	PLUS FOX.....	9
2064.....	SWEET ART SQUARES.....	0
2240.....	YELLOW ROCKERS.....	27
2206.....	TEDDY BEARS.....	<u>2</u>
		144

These numbers were given to us showing donations of blood for the first ten months of 1998. While, this is good and is very appreciated by us of the northeast IS IT GOOD ENOUGH?

Please, ask your club (and friends) to put more effort in getting more donors. We all know that blood is the gift of life and blood can not be made or bought without you! We need to be sure that it is available for you, our dancers, and our families, when it is needed.

Thanks to those who are donors! **They** are the real heroes of our time! Why don't all of us try to do as "The Mandarin Marauders" do, rally our troops, and get our club members, friends, and neighbors to come to our location of dance and have the blood mobile there. We might just be surprised to see how much more we could help. Thank you!!!!



AFTER THOUGHTS

Walt & Betty Smith, Fall Festival Chairmen

The **45th Annual Fall Festival, HOLLYWOOD NIGHTS**, is now in the history books. It's kinda like when the last kid leaves home..you've looked forward to it for sometime, but, now it's happened and there is an empty space that you may not have expected. No one can say that it wasn't a good deal of work and planning. I've always heard that there are two ways to get something done, "Do it yourself" or better yet, "Get the right people to help you do it." We took the later course. Without a doubt, we had the finest group of Chairmen for the various committees that anyone could want. We met, laid out the plan, discussed how we would do it and then did it — Very simple. Betty and I have expressed our thanks to everyone that was involved, but, we want to say one more time, from the bottom of our hearts, **THANK YOU ONE AND ALL!!!!!!** To date we have not heard one sour note from anyone. Everyone that talked to us at the dance and after has said how much they enjoyed the Hall, the Decorations, the Food, the Callers and The Cuers. Our Round Dance friends have said how much they enjoyed the two Rounds between tips on Saturday and the work shop on Saturday afternoon.

Our local callers and cuers did a wonderful job keeping things moving on Friday evening. Our guest caller and cuers, Art Springer and Jack & Nell Jenkins, showed how a dance should move. The Saturday Work Shop had something for everyone from Phase II thru Phase V Rounds. The awards ceremonies moved along well. We want to offer congratulations to Dee Dee & Bessie Stovall on their selection as Dance Couple of The Year. There are not, in my opinion, two more dedicated dancers than they. And not to be forgotten are the dancers who attended. After all, without dancers, who needs a Festival? For the two nights we had a total of 547 who came through the doors. A little short of the 2500 to 3000 we had in years past but not bad for today's numbers of dancers. The Festival was a financial success as well. After all expenses we will leave in the NEFSARDA account just about \$3000.00.

So, again, thanks for all the help. We love all of you!



See you in a square
somewhere.

Happy Holidays

Bud & Betty Passwater



Hope this season
finds you sharing,
Christmas cheer
with those you love.

Linda & Lonnie



45TH ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL

Well, the 45th Fall Festival is now history. What a history these festivals are producing. Every year they get better. Thanks to all those who worked so hard to present this "happening" to our dancers.

Take a few minutes to reflect and remember those fleeting moments that we've tried to capture in photographs!



Eddie Millan, Caller Coordinator and MC. Good Job Eddie!



Ms Mae West!



Douglas Fairbanks & Greta Garbo!



Some people will do anything for attention! Rex's leg is sure getting some attention from Shirley & Carol!!

The celebrities really came out at "Hollywood Nights"! there was so many good ones, we couldn't get them all in... More will be coming in upcoming issues!



Zorro & his Senorita! Did you get one of Zorro's calling cards? You had to dance with them to qualify!



45th FALL FESTIVAL (CONT'D)



The Grapevine camera caught Bill & JoAnn Boyd at the "Popcorn"! Bill takes so many photos all over the State, we try to get him "in the picture" when we can!



Nell Jenkins is sneaking up on John Wayne? Nell was one of the celebrities of the evening!



Featured caller, Art Springer (left) and featured cuers, Jack & Nell Jenkins!



The "Oscar" Award was presented to Festival Chairmer, Walt & Betty Smith! Super job!



THE INTERNATIONAL
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SQUARE DANCE
CALLERS

Mainstream:	None
Plus:	None
Advanced:	Wind The Bobbin
Contra:	The Belles Of Auburn
Traditional:	Wheel Around

EMPHASIS CALLS

Basic:	Wheel Around
Mainstream:	Cast Off 3/4
Plus:	Trade The Wave



CALLERS GUIDE FOR HANDLING MISTAKES

RESULTING IN LAUGHTER

By Dopn Niva

(reprinted from *American Square Dance*, August '98)

This is a difficult subject to write about. The reason for this difficulty is because I regard myself, (after 40 years), as being, well let's admit it, one really terrific square dance caller. The fact that I'm the only one that feels that way has no bearing on this subject. Naturally when making this claim, writing about mistakes that may start a whole hall full of dancers roaring with laughter at said caller is "difficult."

In my defense let it be stated that I so seldom make a mistake that when I do, it's usually a beauty. As my saucy wife sometimes says, "just opening your mouth is a BIG mistake." Having made that admission of what I call a choreographic mental error, I would like to advise callers of the time-tested methods to handle a hall full of dancers laughing at a ridiculous and obvious caller mistake, which makes said caller feel like a buffoon.

1st.) Use the innocent look. This requires a certain amount of practice in front of a mirror. Eyes wide open, eyebrows raised with mouth agape, manage a surprised innocent look. This

will stop about 10% of the crowd who is basically sympathetic and are not really sure it's the callers' fault.

2nd.) Use the "it's not really my fault" excuse. Practice sounding sincere, let a tear roll down your cheek. Do not, I repeat, do not join in the laughter! Of course this won't stop the laughter but it may slow a few.

3rd.) Confuse with special researched vocabulary memorized and kept for this kind of emergency. Example, "the choreographic complexity of that formation caused an aberration of my general cognitive abilities." This will stop about 5% of the more cerebral dancers as they wonder what that means.

4th.) The outrageous alibi. My favorite, and it's only good once for any one group of people is, "I am not the announced caller, merely a clever impostor named John Smith." This may stop another 10% of the dancers as they begin to look at you with that "he's really weird" expression. Unfortunately, this will restart the dancers who may have stopped laughing and cause others to start pounding each other on the back.

and wiping tears from their eyes.

5th.) The most onerous method, admit mistake. However, extracting a promise can mitigate this from dancers. I use the following scientifically researched method: Announce to all, "okay, I goofed, but one out of three, or two out of five (or whatever the number of calls done correctly), really aren't bad folks." Then ask them to raise their hands and solemnly promise to keep the mistake a secret. Use ample volume as this may engender more hilarity.

Last, but not least, wallow in the sympathy that some more civilized dancers will demonstrate. Examples: "Tee hee, it wasn't that bad!" (hugs accepted graciously). "Ho ho, you are a real clown, you nut you," (Accept as a complement). And lastly "Hawhawhaw, (clap on back). One of these days you might just make it." (Manage a grin and hope your admirer has a short memory)

Just remember, if you don't make any mistakes, wake up, you must be dreaming!

Feliz Navidad



Manny & Sherry Gonzales

DECORATIONS NEEDED!!!

The next 5th Saturday Dance, January 30, 1999, has the theme of "Winter Wonderland" and **we need your help!**

If you use any artificial trees, lights, outdoor animals, wreaths, Christmas flowers, etc. for the holidays and wouldn't mind if we use some of them for the decorations for the dance on January 30th, please contact me or any of the Board members. We would greatly appreciate it and will see that they are returned in good condition. We **DO** need decorations and wouldn't mind some additional help, too!

Thanks!

Phyllis Cody 765-8513

ROUNDALAB ROUNDS OF THE QUARTER



- Phase II Lover's Guitar - Sabala
 Phase III Walkin' & Talkin' - Parker
 Phase IV W.W.Rumba '98 - Loch
 Phase V Moonglow Picnic - Scott
 Phase VI The Blue Tango - Rumble

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 Association of Round
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CUER'S CORNER

By Jim & Barbara Winter



Just a note to wish all our square and round dance friends a wonderful holiday season.

Also, from all the round dancers, we would like to thank the Fall Festival Committee for the special weekend they provided. The entire weekend was a huge success. The wonderful decorations, entertainment, food, and especially the hospitality extended to all was exceptional. It will be a festival long remembered.

FLORIDA ROUNDS OF THE QUARTER

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|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| Phase II | Waltzing Thru The Years - Tirrell |
| Phase III-IV | Doolittle Cha - Goss |
| Phase V-VI | Foxtrot Fever - Anderson |
| Classic | That Happy Feeling - Tennant |

See you A-Round!

**To
 All:
 MERRY
 CHRISTMAS and
 HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

*Jack & Kathy
 McKinney*



**Wishing everyone a
 JOYOUS
 HOLIDAY
 SEASON!**

Jim and Barb



A festive illustration for New Year's Eve featuring a lit firecracker in a box, a lit firecracker, a lollipop, streamers, and confetti.

NEW YEAR'S

EVE DANCE

Thursday, December 31, 1998
9:00 pm - 12 Midnight

Jax Heights Elementary School
7750 S. Tempest Street, Jacksonville



hosted by:
Plus Fox
and Silver Fox Squares

Callers:
Jim Cosman
Sam Atkinson



PARTY TIME

\$3.00 per person

PARTY TIME

YOU SAY YOU'RE TOO TIRED TO GO TO THAT SQUARE DANCE?

By Val & Charlie Newsome, Editors



Cecile Swann, a 100 year
old Square Dancer!

On Monday, October 9th, we attended a party for a fellow Square Dancer who would be turning 100 years old in a few days. It was held at a Square Dance because the celebrant was a **Square Dancer herself**.

Meet Cecile Swann! We met Cecile Swann a few years ago when we were asked to do an article on her for The Grapevine. She was 97 at the time. She is the first and only 100 year old Square Dancer Val & I have met in our many years of traveling.

She is a gracious, sweet lady who apparently learned at an early age how to enjoy life to it's fullest. It was a pleasure meeting her for her life is surely an inspiration to all.

Cecile was born in Luray, Montana in 1898 and married in 1919. Her son, Edward Swan, and his wife, Ann, once Square Danced with the Allemandarins here in Jacksonville before they moved to Ocala.

Cecile and her husband graduated from Square Dance classes in 1959 in Los Angeles, CA and traveled in an Airstream Motor Home for 20 years to various Square Dances all over the country, including at

least one National Convention.

Her husband was an organist for 20 years with the West Coast Theaters before he died in 1982. After his death, she and a lady friend traveled extensively throughout Australia, New Zealand, and Europe for six years. She then moved to a retirement home in Homestead, Florida. However, in 1992, hurricane Andrew 'blew' her up to Jacksonville where she's resided ever since.

She's been actively Square Dancing again for the past three years with the Carriage Club Squares even though both hips have been replaced due to arthritis. She is quick to tell you she still drives, has her own eyes and teeth, but she does wear a hearing aid--so she can hear the calls, of course! Cecile readily admits she is young because she has remained active by travel and Square Dancing and has kept her mind busy on mental activities, such as bridge, etc.

Her caller, John Robbins, and his law, Donna, both say she's been one of their best dancers. We must admit, talking with her and watching her dance made it hard to believe she'll be 100 in a few days.

Cecile and all of her fellow dancers we spoke with expressed their enthusiasm for this hobby called Square Dancing and their LOVE AND APPRECIATION to John and Donna for spending each Monday with them.

Cecile is having to curtail her Square Dancing activities. She fell a couple of months ago and hurt her hip. Even though its mostly healed, her doctor has advised here to curb her dancing lest she fall again.

God speed Cecile! We hope to be at your 101st birthday party!!

YELLOW ROCKER PLUS NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE

WHERE: Trinity Lutheran Church
Corner of Park & McDuff

WHEN: Thursday, Dec. 31, 1998
Dance From 9 - 10 PM

ADMISSION: \$7.00 Per Person

CALLERS: Lawton Smith
Ken Miller



Pancake Breakfast Following The Dance

Bring Finger Food

Mainstream, Plus and
Line Dancing Between Tips

Party Favors & Lots Of Fun!



*Merry Christmas
and
Happy New Year
To All our new
Friends,
Jack and Phyllis*



MERRY CHRISTMAS &
BLESSINGS IN 1999

HELEN FAKE &
BUD SHEPPARD

 An illustration of a large, snow-covered Christmas tree on the left. To the right, a man and a woman are shown in a dancing pose.

Happy Holidays!

Thanks for everyone's support all year. We hope everyone has a beautiful Christmas & New Year to come.

Eddie & Ann



**In the beauty of His
message, may you
find hope...**

**In the beauty of this
season, may
you find joy!**

*Lawton &
Eleanor*





22nd Annual Florida Sunshine Festival



January 21, 22, 23, 1999

Lakeland Center
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Art
Springer



Tony
Oxendine

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Friday, Jan 22 Squares 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. 2:00-4:00 p.m. 8:00-11:00 p.m.
Saturday, Jan 23 Squares 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. 2:00-4:00 p.m. 8:00-11:00 p.m.



Jerry
Story

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United Square Dancers of America (USDA)

HOP TO IT!

SUPPORT OUR YOUTH!

There is a rumble going through this land that is gaining momentum and becoming louder and louder.

No it's not the sounds of gang violence, racism, or drugs. This is a joyous noise! It is the sound of our future, our youth, in increasing numbers adding energy and enthusiasm to Square Dance halls across the country.

Our youth are Square Dancing's most vital asset. We need to make sure that they feel secure as a member of our family. Unfortunately, in some cases, they are made to feel out of place or even unwanted. To help show our youth

that the majority of adult dancers welcome and encourage their participation the HOP TO IT! SUPPORT OUR YOUTH! movement was formed. We ask that adult dancers show their support of our youth by wearing a small green frog sticker on their badge. This identifies you as a YOUTH FRIENDLY dancer.

When a youth dancer sees the frog on your badge, they know they are welcome to join you in a square.

For frog stickers for your club, Contact your NEFSARDA President - stickers are available.



IN MEMORY OF **Jeannette DeBartolomeis**

November 1, 1919 - October 28, 1998

Jeannette passed away October 28th in a local hospital. She was 78.

Jeannette started Square Dancing many years ago with the Seabreeze Singles club. In more recent years she had been a member of the (now defunct) Dixie Chain Gang and the Challengers (now the Classic Plus).

She is survived by her husband, Sam, a daughter, two sons and eight grandchildren.

Sincere sympathy is extended to her family and friends. All who knew her will miss her!

SURPRISE-SURPRISE-SURPRISE

I can't believe that about 100 square dancers were able to keep a secret, but it happened. I want to again thank all the friends who attended my surprise birthday party at the Newsome home on Thursday, November 12th. The last time I had a surprise that came close to this one was when I survived WW2.

To all of those who helped Betty put the party together and for all who attended: Thank You and may each of you have at least one day in your life to remember as I will remember this one.

Love to all of you!

Walt Smith

WINTER WONDERLAND

NEFSARDA 5th Saturday Dance

January 30, 1999

Time: 7:30 Early Rounds -- 8:00 -- 10:00 Dance

SANDALWOOD HIGH SCHOOL
2570 John Prom Blvd - Jacksonville, Fl.

DONATION: \$3.00

Please sign up for all the CLUBS you are a member of.

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MYRTLE BEACH BALL

September 16 - 19, 1998

By Val Newsome

We made our first trip to Myrtle Beach, SC and the Myrtle Beach Ball this past September and had a great time. We stayed in an oceanfront motel (complete with kitchenette and everything one needed) and walked the beach, relaxed in swings overlooking the ocean, and still managed to get in some dancing, too. Barbara Harrelson does an excellent job putting these events together.

The callers were Tony Oxendine, Jerry Story, Tom Miller, and Johnny Preston, with cueing handled by Curt Worlock. There were also several vendors on hand (including Due West) with the very item you were looking for.

There was dancing on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, then all day and again in the evenings on Friday

and Saturday. The weekend also included a fashion show and after party. Quite a few dancers from the Jacksonville area were there. See if you can pick them out in the pictures that follow.

I might add, there's not only dancing and the beach, the shopping is excellent, there are many restaurants offering a variety of food (yes, we tried as many as we could), and many shows throughout the area just waiting to entertain you.

If it's good dancing, fun, and relaxation, combined with great shopping and recreation, consider the MYRTLE BEACH BALLS in April or September of 1999.



Congratulations to Barbara Harrelson & crew. Their hard work was evident at the Myrtle Beach Ball!



↑ Dance floor photos caught several Jacksonville dancers at the Myrtle beach Ball!
▼



See anyone you know in the "senior citizen" section?



NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CAMPERS ASSOCIATION PULL FOR KIDS



Question: When you open a drink can, what do you do with that little opening

TAB? Do you throw it away? Do you leave it on the can for recycling? Or do you save the tab?

If you are a member of a chapter in the National Square Dance Campers Association, chances are that you carefully save the tabs and bring them to the International Camporee. Saving tabs does not interfere with any local community's recycling effort. They get the rest of the can. For a number of years NSDCA chapters have been quietly collecting tabs and donating the monies received to various charities.

Dancers with the late Dalt Young of Chapter #165 in Pennsylvania used to donate to the Kidney Foundation. Dancers with Dick Wheaton of chapter #173 in Michigan have collected the tabs for the "Pull for Kids" program sponsored by the American Legion - for purchasing medical equipment for children units at local hospitals. Chapter #044 in Illinois

not only saves the tabs but Glenn Johnson, who snowbirds in Arizona, turns in the tabs in AZ where he gets a better price with all the proceeds going to Ronald McDonald House. As other chapters learned about their efforts, thru articles in the NSDCA quarterly publication "NSDCA TIMES, members began to save their tabs and bring them to the annual International Camporee.

Question #2 - "How many tabs in a pound?" Answer: Depending on tab size, approximately 550.

Each year the poundage received at the International Camporee has been increasing. This year in Midland, MI, Dick Wheaton reported he received 108 pounds of tabs the campers had pulled which he turned in at the recycling center! The Children's Ward at the local Hospital was the grateful recipient!

Should you care to save the tabs and have no place for recycling, please contact NSDCA TIMES, PO Box 18, Lower Waterford, VT 05848-0018 for more information. Thank you.

Merry Christmas
and a
Prosperous
New Year



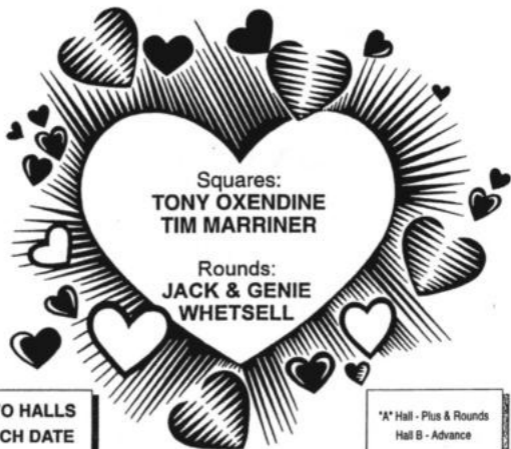
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1999 FASHION SHOW**

Lights, cameras, scenery, music, models, action! Yes, we are getting ready for the Fashion Show to be held in the Indianapolis Convention Center on June 26, 1999 at 1:00 p.m. Models from over 20 states will take center stage and transport the audience on a dreamy experience of fashions you will not want to miss! It will be a humorous skit pulling together fashion, Music and friends.

Model appreciation gifts, which carry out the theme of the show, will be given to the models as they check in on Thursday afternoon.

Our committee realizes that deciding to participate in a National Square Dance Convention Fashion Show is quite a time

commitment on the part of the models. To help models feel comfortable and to make sure all their needs are met, we will assign Model Coordinators to groups of modeling couples. These coordinators will make themselves available to the models at check-in time on Thursday and all day on Saturday.

Lighting and sound will be contracted with professionals to make sure the Fashion Show Committee will not have to worry about those important areas of putting on the show.

Be Sure to Include the Fashion Show in Your Convention Plans !!

RACE TO INDY IN 1999

48th NSDC WEB PAGE

For those utilizing the World Wide Internet, the 48th has a Web Page at :
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**THINGS TO SEE AND DO AROUND
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the memories at the Historic Military Armor Museum, and weather permitting, take a tank ride. Visit the Merchant Marine Museum and see all the memorabilia or watch a video depicting life on the high seas during WW II. See the future and learn how we can coexist with Mother Nature at the "Giant" Earth Home, a monument to nature. Step back in time at the Gruenewald House or tour an 1892 Victorian home, The Plum Retreat. Watch skilled craftsmen create beautiful glass pieces at the Elwood House of Glass, or at Tom St. Clair Studio Glass. You have a variety of unique attractions to see and you can shop 'til you drop at our incredible selection of quaint gift and antique shops.

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WITH OUR RECENT SICK

Phyllis Cody.....Illness
 Luther Delp.....Hand
 Granville Diffie.....Surgery
 Bob Gillette.....Illness
 Virgil Green.....Illness
 Millie Hutto.....Accident
 Joe Lyons.....Back
 Sharon Lyons.....Back
 Woody Mays.....Surgery
 Rex McCaul.....Leg
 Bill McNeese.....Heart
 Eddie Millan.....Foot
 Hank Snow.....Surgery
 Bud Tatum.....Back



Linda Tatum.....Surgery
 Larry Waller.....Illness
 Byron Walker.....Back
 John Wilder.....Surgery
 Ed Williams.....Foot

SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:

Diane German on the death of her two brothers within 30 days;
 Ed Forhan on the death of his mother.



(Cards and prayers are always welcome)

EDITORS NOTE: We try to list everyone who has been in the hospital, shut-in, or had surgery or lost a loved one. However, we don't always get the word. If you know of someone who is ill, etc., please call and let us know. Thanks!

WISHING ONE & ALL
 A MERRY CHRISTMAS
 &
 HEALTH & HAPPINESS
 IN 1998
 GROVER & MARCELLA



**Have A Happy
 Square Dancing
 Holiday!**



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*Happy
 Holidays!*



Donna Smith

Merry Christmas
 and
 Happy Dancing
from Polly & Russ
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 Base of
 Christmas





"Race to Indy in 1999"



48TH NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION

CAMPGROUND UPDATE

As noted on the Registration Form, electricity and water are available on each site. Showers and flush toilets are located near camping areas. Dump stations are available on site for use at any time without any additional fee.

The use of extensive roadway and paved parking area will give almost unlimited space to queue up arriving RV's, thereby causing minimal back-up in the check-in area.

CHECK-IN: Signs will be posted near the Fairgrounds directing campers to the main entrance and on to the parking lot where they will enter the "check-in area." Campers will be checked in without the driver leaving the RV.

PRE-REGISTERED: Badges, packets with items pre-ordered, plus an information sheet, trash bags and a site number card (to be placed in the windshield) will be issued. The parking attendants will then lead the camper to the respective site. Each camper will be asked to fill out and return an emergency contact information card.

NON-REGISTERED CAMPERS: The camper will be issued a site number card and parked. The camper then will be issued a one way bus pass to the Convention Center to REGISTER. They will have to purchase a bus pass to return to the campground. Upon return, the balance of the items (information

sheet, emergency information card and trash bags will be issued).

All campers will be parked on a first come, first served basis. As stated on the Registration form, "Dancers planning to camp together must arrive together."

TRANSPORTATION: Buses to the Convention Center are planned to be "EXPRESS" rather than stopping at hotels/motels en route. The schedule will be adjusted according to the number of campers. Buses will pick-up and drop-off at designated bus stops in each camping area.

HOSPITALITY: The Hospitality Area will have an information center and refreshment table for the campers. This will include a map of services and shopping in the area.

ACTIVITIES: Activities will be based on the number of campers and developed as we get closer to the convention.

TRASH: Each camper will be issued trash bags and trash containers will be located conveniently throughout the campgrounds.

EMERGENCY COVERAGE: Plans are still being developed. Emergency Facilities are available nearby for all emergency needs. We will have a file system with emergency contacts at the RV office.

RACE TO INDY IN 1999

CAMPGROUND CHECK IN

JUNE 20.....	SUNDAY.....	2PM- 6 PM (By Appointment Only)
JUNE 21.....	MONDAY.....	8 AM - 7 PM
JUNE 22.....	TUESDAY.....	8 AM - 7 PM
JUNE 23.....	WEDNESDAY.....	8 AM - 7 PM
JUNE 24.....	THURSDAY.....	8 AM - 7 PM
JUNE 25.....	FRIDAY.....	8 AM - 7 PM
JUNE 26.....	SATURDAY.....	8 AM - 7 PM
JUNE 27.....	SUNDAY.....	8 AM - 2 PM

ALL campers must vacate by 2 PM on Sunday, June 27th.

Have a safe trip home!!

Camp N' Dance

Gerry Fredrickson 269-9717

During the next three months there are several square dances that you can add a little vacation time to in addition to camping and dancing. The Gypsy Squares are celebrating their 8th year the first weekend of December. They will be camping at the Ocala/Silver Springs KOA. The famous Silver Springs Park heads up Ocala's vacation sites. Wet and Wild seems to interest the younger set. This is a new campground for the Gypsies and they are looking forward to the fine facilities there. Perhaps some of the dancers from the western part of our area will join them for the dance. They dance casual on Friday, and wear full square dance attire on Saturday. Both dances are at 8:00 PM.

In January the Gypsy Squares will be camping nearby at Pacetti's Marina and Campground. Their weekend starts on New Years Day so come on down and camp/dance with them. They enjoy the visitors that attend their dance. The current new attraction is Pacetti's Landmark. You probably already have heard about how good the food is there. The newly expanded facility boasts of Greek, Italian, and Seafood entrées. The desserts are out of this world and can be especially enjoyed out on the

patio. You might try the Yo-Jo, which is Joe Pacetti's favorite steak.

The Square Wheels are taking December off but watch for them on January 15 - 16 at Suwannee Valley campground in White Springs. You can visit the Stephen Foster Memorial, which is very near the campground. The Gypsies will be at Suwannee Valley Campground in White Springs the first weekend in February also.

The Square Wheels will be at Casey Jones campground in Lake City on Feb. 19 - 20. That is the annual Blue Grey Dance weekend. That's an interesting festival in Lake City with the Civil War Reenactment at the Olustee Battlefield east of town.

There are all of these nearby opportunities but don't forget that you can reach out a little further and camp in Lakeland for the Sunshine Festival in January. Jekyll Island has a lovely campground on the island, which is a favorite spot for camping square dancers that attend the Valentine Ball featuring Tony Oxindene and Tim Marriner. What a great way to celebrate with your sweat heart!

Happy Camping!



May the Joy of
Christmas be with
you all thru the
year.

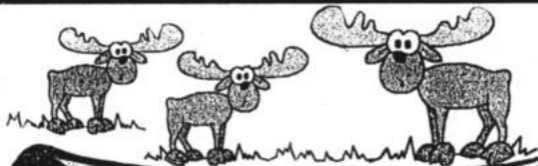


*Ed & Helen
Williams*



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7:30 - 10pm

\$10. advance per couple

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Tony Oxendine

Rounds

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(Lodge Membership NOT required)

Pres - Bud & Anita Taylor - 272-6551

Banner - Betty & Tom Ball - 272-6979

IN STEP WITH...

Country, Clogging and Line Dancing

By Donna Robbins



In 1985 I wrote an article on clogging for the **American Square Dance Magazine**. It went like this --

"My first exposure to clogging was during a square dance festival in Gatlinburg, TN several years ago. The "Tennessee Mountain Cloggers" danced square dance figures while clogging, to rhythmic hoedown music. It certainly added lively entertainment to the square dance program that was enjoyed by all! Now, as an instructor, my students learn to clog to "hoedown" records and most of the routines that my cloggers dance are written to square dance records.

I have found also that square dancers make the best cloggers since

they are already into the rhythm and timing, and taking directions. We sometimes use the traditional mountain figures as well as modern square dance movements for our choreography.

The best public exhibitions incorporate square dancing alternating with clogging - of course, the most fun for a clogger is doing both, i.e., clogging while square dancing! So, since you are already into the fun and fellowship of square dancing, pick up your feet and try clogging!"

Beginner clogging classes start January 6th at 6:30 pm at Joseph Stillwell Middle School.

An easy, popular line dance follows.

Happy Dancin' & Happy Holidays!

NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Start L ft, moving forward.

<u>Step</u>	<u>Kick</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Kick</u>
L	R	L	R

<u>Step</u>	<u>Kick</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Kick</u>
L	R	L	R

(Grapevine - Repeat Four Times)

<u>Step</u>	<u>Cross Behind</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Kick</u>
L	R	L	R

Turn 1/4 right

<u>Step</u>	<u>Close</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Touch</u>
L	R	L	R

<u>Step</u>	<u>Close</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Touch</u>
R	L	R	L

Turn 1/2 L to face opposite Wall ↗

Moving back on steps

<u>Step</u>	<u>Close</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Touch</u>
R	L	R	L

<u>Step</u>	<u>Close</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Touch</u>
L	R	L	R

<u>Step</u>	<u>Close</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Touch</u>
R	L	R	L

Turn 1/4 R to face front

<u>Step</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Step</u>
L	R	L	R

<u>Step</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Step</u>
R	L	R	L

Start over - repeat until music ends!

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

IF YOUR MIND GOES BLANK,
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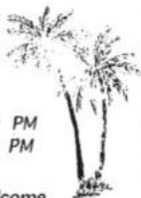


At the last Florida Federation meeting in October, Don Bell, **formerly** of the US Postal Service, let it be known that he would soon be retiring. Not being ones to let "opportunity" pass them by, the Northeast Delegates "roasted" **MR.** Bell at the after party on Saturday night. Many "GOTCHAS" were redeemed that night as different ones paid **MR.** Bell back for past "revelries" **he** indulged in. What you see is only the "visual" results!!

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**Banner Chairman:
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Rodon
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THE STORY OF THE CANDY MAKER WHO LOVED JESUS

There was a man who loved Jesus so much that he decided to do something special for Jesus's birthday. Since he was a candy maker, he decided to use his talents to make special candy to honor Jesus, so he designed the first candy cane.

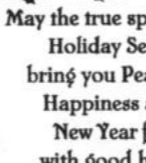
If the candy cane is held upright, it is the shape of a shepherd's staff which the shepherd uses as he watches over his sheep. Jesus is our shepherd. If the candy cane is turned upside down, it becomes the letter "J" for Jesus.

The scriptures tell us that by Jesus' stripes we are healed. Jesus was beaten and stripes were put upon His

back when He was crucified in payment for our sins and makes us pure and white as snow. One bold stripe represents our belief on one God who is the Father of us all. The three fine stripes represent the Trinity; one God who has revealed himself to us in three ways: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

There are a lot of candy canes in stores today made with different colors but they are not true candy canes unless they are red and white and have one bold stripe and three fine stripes. True candy canes are Christian candy because they tell the story of Jesus.

(Author unknown)



May the true spirit of the
Holiday Season
bring you Peace and
Happiness and a
New Year filled
with good health.

Charlie & Val Newsome

*Merry Christmas
And
Happy New Year!
Dave & Shirley
Nihart*



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--- NEWS FLASH ---

Square Dancers Really Do Have Fun!

By Ed Johnson

We got Mike Akers Vest! The Forgetful One paid dearly (but good-naturedly) when the Rollaways' raiding party struck his Joy Seas and demanded a banner...which he'd plumb forgot to bring. So, humming a few bars of The Stripper, Mike divested himself of his vest, pinned his Knothead pin on it (what else?) for ID and forked it over. It'll be hanging on the Rollaways banner rack for all to see! A 'scalp' we can be proud of!

Mike got his revenge by lining everyone up in double-square formation and putting us through a Kaleidoscope maneuver. Earlier, he'd surprised us with a new Dive Thru in which the Ends

make the arch and the Centers dive.

This all took place on November 5th at the Joy Seas new plush-lined hangout, The Beach Club in St. Augustine Beach. Virginia Bornhold, the Rollaways raid leader, and Ruth Harper surprised everyone when Mike called "Ladies Rollaway" and they threw up their hands, rolled, and screamed: "Rollaways! Rollaways! Rollaways!" That, as all good Rollaways know, is the club signature call.

The Rollaways are the only NEFSARDA club that has a signature call, and we're throwing out an open challenge to any club that can come up with one better than ours?

*Merry Christmas
to all our corners*



**HAPPY
HOLIDAYS !**
Keith & Ann
Yellow Rockers



*Happy
Chanukah
from
Jack +
K!*

*Remember the reason
for the
season*



*Happy
Holidays*
Aaron & Erma Fry

45th O'Leno Hoedown

November 6 - 7, 1998

By Val Newsome

This weekend event sponsored by The Square Wheels again proved to be a relaxing, fun time for us.

Bill Chesnut was joined by Bob Poyner on squares, Audrey Phillips cued rounds and Dennis Ricker prompted Contra. It seemed we were always in the big hall eating...we had breakfast (Yummy!) on Saturday, Hamburgers and hot dogs for lunch, then an excellent grilled dinner of chicken and ribs with all the trimmings. No wonder so many dancers find time to walk the nature trails -- they are trying to walk off that weight put on while eating all the good food.

In case you haven't heard, Bill & Mary Chesnut helped Charlie with a couple of surprises. Since it was my birthday on Sunday, after dinner on Saturday night I received a huge, beautiful & delicious cake...which we promptly cut and devoured. Then during the first tip of the evening, Bill announced someone had lost a ring....when he asked me to

come up, he gave me the "lost" ring (Charlie had again enlisted their help to surprise me!) And, was I surprised...Yes! Charlie had earlier told me he'd left my birthday gift in Jacksonville. You just can't trust a man! Thanks, Mary and Bill, for all your help in making this a night to remember!

O'Leno is a great place to eat, relax, enjoy old friendships and make new ones, and then get a bonus of great dancing! The wildlife in the forest, especially the deer, are highly visible. We hear they will come right up to the campsites. Not being campers, we chose to stay 5 miles away in a motel, but managed to see deer every time we came into the camp. For those who love to shop, there's also plenty of antique shops nearby.

You might want to mark November 5, 6, 1999 on your calendar...and you, too, can enjoy this truly great dancing weekend! (pictures follow)

O'LENO HOEDOWN STAFF



Caller Bill & Mary Chesnut (above) and Cuer Audrey & Tom Phillips!



Caller Bob & Ann Poyner (above) and Contra Promptor Dennis Ricker & Angela Brown!



THERE WERE LOTS OF WINNERS AT O'LENO



Ann Barr - Two tickets to the State Convention!



Wendell & Doris Spears - Quilt! The quilt was hand made by the ladies of the Square Wheels!



Jack McKinney won the 50/50!



Peggy Ligon - Money Tree



Chuck & Aleen Breedlove and Billy & Pat Hernandez camp next to each other so they can share this nice screened dining area!



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THE DIXIE DANCERS

VISITATION REPORT NOV. 8, 1998

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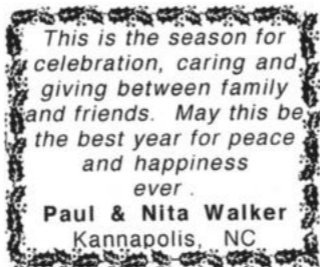
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HAPPY HOLIDAYS

DEE DEE & BESSIE



*Peace
Love
and Joy*

*Kim Keffer and
Tom Thornton*

K-A-N-U-G-A

By John & Mary Ann Lawrence

K-A-N-U-G-A, according to the available books, an Indian name for "scratching place". For the happy group of Square Dancers that attended the annual Kanuga get-together, the only thing we "scratched" was our itch for good dancing and good fellowship.

Art and Lucille Wilson did an excellent job in setting-up and coordinating the whole affair. I'm sure from their viewpoint there were some headaches and glitches, but from mine, as an attending dancer, 'twas smooth as silk and I thank them for a fine time.

Art was ably backed on the podium by the renowned John Saunders, and 'tween the two of them we had some great dancing. The weather cooperated, not as cool as past years (according to the veterans), but bright, sunny days, and delightful cool (not cold) evenings. The accommodations were very good with the plus (?) of no phones or TV's in the rooms. The visit to the apple orchard was a very nice change of scenery, and we had the customary dance around the apple trees. I don't think many of us failed to gather a

few apples from the trees (they were delicious) and most even bought some from the owners. Some of our apples didn't get past Atlanta on the way home; Mary Ann had to make an Apple pie for our kids/grandkids.

The schedule is already set for next year, and many of us have already signed-up, so if you have any intentions of going to the beautiful mountains of Carolina with us next year, better call Art or Lucille quickly. There is only a limited number of accommodations available.

The Kanuga/Hendersonville area of North Carolina, just SE of Asheville, is a beautiful area to visit, with many interesting side trips to make during the days. And, Art and John do the classes in the morning, so you have about six hours each day to wander before dinner time. So for three days of excellent square dancing, good food, and a chance to spend some quality time with you friends, better get on the list soon.



Art was joined by John Saunders!



Look at the fire!! Everyone gathers here for coffee before breakfast!



The dining hall provided excellent meals and lots of socializing!



K-A-N-U-G-A (CONT'D)

THERE'S MORE



The cabins are "rustic" and peaceful!



A group of dancers took a trip up to the apple orchard for the "annual dance in the apple orchard"!

ON THE ROAD - - AGAIN

We missed one of our scheduled events, but visited at several other dances during the last two months. Scheduled events for December - February are:

Dec	Christmas Dances Whenever Possible
Dec 4-5	Gypsy Sq. Anniv. Dance
Jan 9	Jekyll Island Anniv. Dance
Jan 29	Circus Dance
Jan 30	5th Sat. Dance
Feb 12-13	Blue-Grey Dance
Feb 27-28	FL Fed. Working Weekend



Various locations
Ocala/Silver Spgs.
Brunswick, GA
Silver Fox
NEFSARDA
Lake City
Lakeland

Remember, while we can't possibly make every dance, if your club has a special dance or event, call us. If we can make it, the GRAPEVINE ROVING REPORTERS will be on their way!



KEEP SMILING
YOU NEVER KNOW WHEN THE
GRAPEVINE CAMERA WILL CATCH UP TO YOU!!



MARDI GRAS TIME IN '99

LOOKIE - LOOKIE HALLS, CALLERS AND CUERS ASSIGNED

The 45th Florida State Convention Announces Program

Mardi Gras Time In '99 has selected and assigned Halls for dancing. The Florida Callers Association has given their sanction to our Caller Coordinators, John & Linda Saunders and John & Mo Barrett. The Florida Round Dance Council has granted program assigning to our Cuer Coordinators Phyllis & K.O. Williams and Audrey & Tom Phillips. Contra Coordinators Bob & Jessie Parkhurst have completed programming of the Contra Hall, while Country/Western Coordinators Jerry & Kathy Opela have lined up the very best in C/W and Line Dancing. Folks, we know you are going to enjoy the best 'crop' of dance leaders Florida has to offer, who will bring you hours of pleasure.

A Hall is programmed for ALL Plus Singing Calls in the Arena with Country/Western between each tip. This will be something new that many of our Florida Dancers have asked about. At the same time there will be another regular Plus Hall with Rounds between tips. The committee felt this arrangement will give every Plus Dancer a 'choice' and even permit dancers to move from hall to hall, enjoying some of each. Round Dancing will have a large hall and will be programmed for all levels, with the best of Cuers for your enjoyment. There will be an additional hall made available on Saturday morning for a program of "Introduction To Rounds". Bring your best 'bib and tucker' and dance, dance, dance.

A special hall has been assigned and dedicated to Contra. This hall will operate throughout the convention and will offer a wonderful opportunity for those who want to observe Contra and will invite you to 'step' into the dance. If you know Mainstream,

then Contra is 'learnable'. You're going to find this an enjoyable way to dance.

Advance Dancing will take place in TWO halls, one each for Advance I and Advance II. Don't miss the opportunity on Saturday morning to take part in the 'Intro program'. Also in the Advanced area, those of you who partake of the Challenge program, will find a Hall dedicated to the dance program you enjoy.

A Special Hall has been programmed for the SINGLES on Friday evening. We heard your request and acted to bring you that special something to make your weekend a 'happy time'.

Not to be overlooked ---- Those new dancers will find a hall assigned to BASIC, with Callers who are experts at giving enjoyment, fun and happiness to our new friends.

Last, but not least, there will be a hall dedicated to the dance of dances in this "Square World" MAINSTREAM. This group will be active throughout the 45th and we know there will be much laughter coming from 'within'.

Finally, so that NO ONE is left out There will be "Introduction to the next level" workshops in All Halls on Saturday morning. An excellent opportunity to 'look at the next level'.

Mardi Gras Time In '99 IS programmed to give EVERY dancer FUN, FUN, FUN. Add this programming to The Sewing Clinic (which will run each day of the 45th) and a Madri Gras Fashion Show on Sunday and Vendors all the while, who could ask for anything more??

MARDI GRAS TIME IN '99

A PLACE TO R.O.N. THAT RV AT THE 45TH FLORIDA STATE CONVENTION

John and Millie Sewell, RV Chairman for the 1999 Florida State Convention, have worked on the solution and now come forth with the answers for those who will attend the Lakeland Convention site in their motorhome or camper. There are two locations arranged to accommodate you and awaiting your selection.

Lakeland RV Resort, located one mile off I-4 (exit 19) on Old Combee Road, is extending a warm welcome to those RV'er who will utilize their facilities. Good paved interior roads, 230 sites (75 are pull throughs). ALL 230 have FULL hookups, 30/50 amp electric service, city water and restrooms with showers and laundry facilities. There is also a heated pool, shuffle board and other recreation facilities **AND A Special Square Dance rate of \$15.00 per night** (which includes all amenities). Telephone (941) 6X7-6146 to make your reservations. Be sure to tell them you will be attending the Square Dance Convention, in order to get this Special Rate. Arriving early and/or staying late is another option within the quoted rate.

The second location is on the

Lakeland Convention Center grounds. Fees have been established at \$ 10.00 per night and there are several requirements for utilization of these facilities. All RV's and Campers **MUST BE self contained** (bring your own water and septic system) and generators must not be run after 11 PM. (You bring your own amenities). No reservations required, first come, first served (parked).

Mardi Gras Time In '99 Committee members are now making visitations to clubs and festivals all over the state. Their plan is to give each and every dancer in Florida a registration form and the opportunity to purchase ribbons ahead of price increases. If you see them in their colorful Mardi Gras outfits, say hello and take an extra registration form along for your friends.

If your club or festival has not been 'visited' by the crazy 'French Quarters Bunch' call Jim & Jan McConnaha, General Chairman (407) 452-2679 or write 'em at 1075 Molaki Drive, Merritt Island, Florida 32953, and arrange for a visitation.



Happy

Holidays!

*Bob + Reba
Woodbridge*

**Happy Holidays
to all our Square
Dance Friends!**

*Rex & Kate
McPaul*

12-25-'98



38th Annual Okefenokee Square-Up



Wacona School
US 1
Waycross, Georgia



Friday, Feb. 12, 1999

Caller:

David Drake
Brunswick, GA

Saturday, Feb. 13, 1999

Callers:

Bill Prather, Augusta, GA
David Drake, Brunswick, GA

Rounds & Lines:

Larry Dunn, Waycross, GA

FRIDAY

8:00-10:30 p.m.

Squares, Rounds & Lines

Donation Per Person

\$2.50 Friday Night Only
\$5.00 Saturday Night Only
\$2.00 Workshop

SATURDAY

11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Rounds Workshop

2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Squares Workshop

7:45 p.m. - Grand March

8:00 p.m.-10:30 p.m.
Squares, Rounds & Lines



Club News

THE ANGEL SQUARES

Leesa Adcock 904-755-7015

The Angel Squares at St. James Episcopal Church, meet in Lake City every Monday night. We enter our second year as the Angel Squares with a new class and 17 new students. We are so happy to welcome them. All of our angels are learning their names.

The Angel Squares combined with the Vagabond Squares of Live Oak, to give a big send off to fellow Square Dancers, Betty & Don Peterson. It was a huge

crowd, as former members of the Village Squares also joined us to honor our departing friends. They have defected to Connecticut, but we promise to keep their passports valid. All clubs will sorely miss Betty & Don as loyal members, Past Presidents and the angels at St. James will miss them at church. I'll miss them extra as they were our "pew buddies" at St. James.

CLASSIC PLUS

Carolyn & Russ Ueber 223-9347

As I have mentioned in previous articles, our President, Bob Gillette is fighting a cancerous brain tumor. An MRI in October showed that the tumor is growing and Cathy (his wife) says that his right side is getting weaker. Cathy is beginning to feel the need for respite help about once a week so that she can get out to run errands, etc. If you would like to help in this capacity, please call me, Carolyn Ueber at 223-9347.

A great big thank you to Pat Rist and Bob Hinkle for filling in for me this fall as we did some travelling. They've reported that the club had a great time dancing to Reath Blickenderfer of Bradenton, Lon Ligon from Gainesville, Whit Brown from Orlando, and Skip Smith from Titusville who brought his lovely wife, Pauline. We want to especially thank Lon Ligon who filled in for us when Doc Gray couldn't call the dance because he had suffered a heart attack. We send best wishes to Doc for a speedy recovery, and hope to see him at a dance soon - either ours or elsewhere.

Jim and Barb Winter cued the round dances between the tips, except for one dance when he was also out of town. Barb used Jim's tapes and the round dancers still had a great time.

Pat Rist is doing an excellent job of arranging our banner raids and it's been fun to visit the other clubs. On Nov. 6th, the Rollaways came with a large group and retrieved their banner. We've also had visitors from Plus Fox, Rollaways, Sweet Art Squares, Teddy Bears, Touch of Class, and Yellow Rockers. Thanks for coming to our dances - you're great dancers and add so much fun to our evenings together.

If you enjoy dancing with a club that features guest callers from out of town, we hope you'll come by and dance with us on the first and third Fridays of each month at 8 pm at Peace Presbyterian Church, with early rounds from 7:30 - 8:00. See you soon!

**MAY ALL YOUR
CHRISTMAS WISHES
COME TRUE!**



Dixie Dancers

NO REPORT RECEIVED!

Editors Note: A group of Jacksonville dancers travelled over to Lake City on September 29th to attend the Dixie Dancers 20th Anniversary Dance. Bill Chesnut now calls for the Club, with Maggie Tripp and Ralph Beekman sharing the cuer responsibilities. We had a great time visiting, dancing, and EATING. While there we learned that R. J. Hogan was the club's first caller, followed by James Maxey, then Bill Chesnut, who has been calling for the club for the last 10 years. Before the club was formed as the Dixie Dancers, some of the dancers had danced with Bill Camp and the Lake City Squares. After they folded, the Dixie Dancers came into being and are still going strong after 20 years.

CONGRATULATIONS DIXIE DANCERS! and THANKS FOR BEING SUCH GRACIOUS HOSTS!

It took three pictures for all of the Dixie Dancers to have photos made at their 20th Anniversary Dance!



TEDDY BEAR SQUARES

**Eddie
Millan,
Caller**



**Jim
Winter,
Cuer**

2nd & 4th Saturdays
Peace Presbyterian Church
2300 Southside Blvd.

**PLUS LEVEL WITH ROUNDS
8:00 - 10:00 PM**

**"CHRISTMAS DINNER DANCE"
DECEMBER 12, 1998**

--Meat will be furnished--
Bring a covered dish and join us
for our Festive Dinner Dance!

Dinner.....6:30 p.m.
Dance.....8:00 p.m.
Christmas Music -- Door Prizes



COMING EVENTS

December 26	Cancelled Due to Holidays
January 9	Teddy Bear Tee Shirt Night
January 23	Regular Dance
February 13	Hearts and Chocolate Night
February 27	Regular Dance
March 13	Wearing of the Green (St. Patty's Dance)
March 27	Regular Dance

The Teddy Bear Squares extend a special invitation for you to visit us at any time and enjoy an evening of Plus dancing and Rounds.

For more information, call Eddie or Ann Millan at 765-0296.

FRIENDSHIP SQUARES NO REPORT RECEIVED!

FUN N' FROLIC NO REPORT RECEIVED!

GRAND SQUARES NO REPORT RECEIVED!

GYPSY SQUARES NO REPORT RECEIVED!

JEKYLL ISLAND SQ. NO REPORT RECEIVED!

JOY SEAS

Ruth Harper 285-5361

The Joy Seas have added lots of joy and seas. We are now dancing (Thursdays) at a seaside resort, The Beach Club, in a plush-lined club room complete with snazzy bar (soft drinks & snacks free), comfortable easy-chairs & lounges and a big-screen TV. But that's not the joy. The joy is that we've added nine new students and also get some drop-in dancers who are visiting the resort. Mike Akers teaches 7 to 8 pm and calls Mainstream and Plus 'til 10.

Even better news is that Earl Wagner is back off the injured list and leading rounds with his fine collection of round-dance records. And Dennis Clark is back all the way from Ireland and is teaching line dances again.

Our club welcomes visitors with open arms and with the tight-money situation over, the donation is again back to \$3.

Come down early and enjoy the beautiful ocean view or tour the shops and historic sites of St. Augustine. Wear leather-sole shoes because we're dancing on a carpeted floor! Sneakers and gumsoles do okay for squares and line but leather slides smoother for rounds. From Jax you just slide down to St. Augustine, slip across the old lions' bridge and boogie on down south along A1A about 8 miles, turn east (left) toward the beach at the Oasis restaurant (at stoplight) and follow Ocean Trace Road to the last building on the left, The Beach Club. There's ample parking and you should hear our music when you enter the lobby but the door is to the right.

So come on down. Enjoy Mike's calling and afterward cool off with a moonlight beach stroll.

MANDARIN MARAUDERS

Don & Bonnye Bell 268-2313

What a beautiful fall season and our dancers are out in full swing.

The new class is going nicely with lots of dancers practicing their do-sa-dos etc. and laughing all the while. Lawton is in top form putting everyone through their paces.

Lots of poodle skirts were on the dance floor at our 50's night. Highlight of the evening was our hula hoop contest. And the winner was Dee Kennedy! She sure kept that hoop moving. (She had

some good competition too.)

We had three mystery dances. At each dance Lawton would give a clue and the object was to guess what he was talking about. Most of us couldn't even remember the clue he gave for the evening. And to make things worse, or perhaps better, Jack Yonge added a few clues of his own. Something about a one eye dog ... I think he was trying to throw us off track. On Halloween, Marge Wofford, Bob Wofford and Sharon

MANDARIN MARAUDERS (Cont'd)

Don & Bonnye Bell 268-2313

Stoops guessed the mystery correctly. A triple tie. Good going.

Halloween was fun. Quite a few dancers came in costume. We didn't have a contest but it was unanimous that Karen Sullivan made a terrific witch - green face and all.

We had lots of goodies when we celebrated Don Bell's retirement. He had been counting down the days for such a long time and just wanted to share his happiness with everyone. Thanks to Violet and Riley Finley and all the others who helped make this time special for Don.

Mandarin donated blood in November. To date fifty-one people have volunteered to give the gift of life. This is a busy time for the blood bank with all the disasters that are happening and we are proud to

help.

It is time to retrieve our banners from the River City Squares, The Teddy Bears, and The Yellow Rockers. Barbara and Tony Rodon enjoy their job as Banner Chairman, they are great go-getters and love to get us moving! We love having visitors. The more the merrier and it makes each dance more fun. Nothing quite like a Yellow Rock!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM THE MARAUDERS! Come join us on December 15th at our Sock Tree and Cookie Exchange Night. All the socks will go to the I M Sulzbacher Center for the Homeless. The Cookies we get to eat.

See you in a square!!

MAVERICKS

NO REPORT RECEIVED!

MOOSE PROMENADERS

Terry & Carol Schoenekase Presidents, 287-7660

This will be the last article we will co-author as Presidents of the Moose Promenaders. The club held its bi-annual elections of officers at its November meeting and the new officers take over with the first dance in December. The new officers will be: Bud & Anita Taylor, Presidents; Mark & Madrene Ballard, Vice-Presidents; Frank & Barbara Meyers, Secretaries; and Thelma Beach, Treasurer.

We would like to thank our great supporting staff for the past two years: Wendell & Doris Spears, Vice-Presidents; Dale & Patti Mercer, Secretaries; Jerry & Faye Wright, Treasurers; and the committee chairpersons: Bud & Anita Taylor, NEFSARDA; Tom & Betty Ball, Banners; Le & Sandy Kasting, Publicity & Activities; Ed Moody & Lil Pierson, Dangles; Ernie & Ruth Mattson, Sunshine; Joyce Steel, Historian; and the entire club membership for the refreshments they brought to the dances.

A special thanks goes to our caller, Art

Wilson, his wife, Lucille, and to the many dancers from other clubs that have come to visit and make our dances so much fun.

As information, the Promenaders will not dance on November 26, Thanksgiving. Our only dances in December will be on the 3rd and 10th so mark your calendar accordingly. There will not be a dance on the 17th.

Our annual President's Day Dance will be held on February 11, 1999. Tickets will be available from club members or at our dances after the first of the year. This has always been a big dance so get your tickets early.

Remember the Promenaders dance on Thursday evenings at the Moose Lodge on Collins Road. We have a beginners class from 7:00 to 8:30 and the club dance goes until 10:00pm. Moose membership is not required to attend our dances. See you soon.

CHARITY BALL

All Proceeds To Benefit The **City Rescue Mission**

Hosted By: SEABREEZE SINGLES

Saturday, March 6, 1999

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS HALL

1501 Hendricks Avenue
Jacksonville, FL

Dance 7:30 - 10:00 PM

CALLERS :

Jim Cosman & Lawton Smith

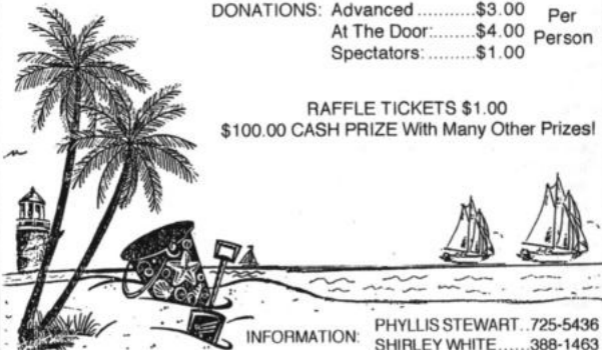
Mainstream With Announced Plus

ROUNDS BY :

Jim & Barbara Winter

DONATIONS: Advanced\$3.00 Per
At The Door:.....\$4.00 Person
Spectators:.....\$1.00

RAFFLE TICKETS \$1.00
\$100.00 CASH PRIZE With Many Other Prizes!



INFORMATION: PHYLLIS STEWART..725-5436
SHIRLEY WHITE.....388-1463

PLUS FOX

Rex & Kate McCaul 744-3187

Fall is in the air and several of our club went to Kanuga, N. C. to dance with Art Wilson and John Saunders. That is such a beautiful place and everyone had a good time. The Mattson's (Ruth & Ernie) got ill and had to cancel at the last minute. We sure did miss them.

Our club, along with the Silver Fox Squares, are working on the New Years Eve Dance to be held at Jax Heights Elementary School. We hope you will come and dance with us - lots of snack food and good dancing to Jim Cosman and Sam Atkinson.

We have had some accidents in our

group - Millie Hutto had an automobile accident and some broken ribs - Rex fell and broke his leg while on vacation - Jack is still mending from heart surgery - Elaine is not up to 100% from her back surgery - Hank Snow is recovering from neck surgery - and Larry Waller has been undergoing some treatments.

We are saddened that Ed Forhan's mother passed away. They had to go north but are back and dancing again.

We welcome our newest members - Pat Cameron; Hank & Linda Snow and Gale Young - glad you joined us.

Please come and dance with us!

POGO SQUARES

NO REPORT RECEIVED!

RIVER CITY SQUARES

NO REPORT RECEIVED!

Rollaways

Eileen Loncle 642-2404

We finally had a Picnic in the Park (Part II) on a bright sunny day. We had fun eating, joking around, and dancing, too. Our own caller, Ken Miller, was coaxed into dancing with us to some tapes that Harvey Morton thoughtfully brought along. Harvey and MaryLou generously bought and donated an open canopy (tarp) for the club to use at future picnics. At least we'll never again have to endure soggy cooks or food.

Ken has started a Plus class which is well-attended. Our club members participated in two Demos and enjoyed showing everyone there the fun we have. We visited a retirement home and danced with the members of their own Square Dance club. They really enjoy our visits and it is always a pleasure for us as well. One of their dancers will be celebrating her 100th birthday very soon and we have been invited to share in the festivities.

Several club members went to the Central Florida Fall Dance and a square went to the Northwest Fall Festival as well. Those lucky enough to go reported that

these were outstanding dances and that they enjoyed themselves very much.

Our club has taken on the responsibility for landscaping Sandalwood High School's front entrance as part of the school's beautification program. Next time you are there, you'll be able to see how lovely it looks, thanks to the hard work of some of our club members.

Our Halloween Dance on October 27 was ghoulishly spooky and lots of fun. There were hamburgers and all the fixin's, as well as a Trick or Treat table for the youngsters. We enjoyed bobbing for apples. The costume contest was won by the 'Grinch' better known as Virginia Bornhold. There was a Tunnel of Terror for the bravehearted to walk through. The sign at the entrance said, "Enter at Your Own Risk." There are still some people who have not been accounted for. Who can say what befell them

Rollaways (Cont'd)

Eileen Loncle 642-2404

Many Rollaways attended the Fall Festival. It was a great success. TWO fun-filled nights of dancing to our terrific local callers as well as our wonderful guest caller, Mr. Art Springer. Those of our Round Dancers raved about the cuers, Jack & Nell Jenkins, as well as about our own Jim and Barbara Winter. The decorations were beautiful and it was quite a thrill to dance with so many famous celebrities. The festival came to a close with a very enter-

taining After Party professionally coordinated by Harvey and MaryLou Morton. MaryLou shined as the Emcee while Harvey glowed in his Memphis Jacket. The acts were excellent and everyone enjoyed them very much.

By the time this is published the holidays will be close at hand. We wish everyone a happy and healthy holiday season and hope to dance with you soon!

SEABREEZE SINGLES

Linda Paulley 387-2239

This is certainly a busy time of the year and the fall weather is just beautiful. The Seabreeze Singles had their first State Fair and many members participated with homemade items for decorations and EVERYONE got a First Prize Ribbon. The homemade specialties were really tasty. Thirty two of us went to the Alhambra for a Saturday matinee to see Camelot. What great fellowship, food and entertainment. Thanks to Shirley White for making the reservations.

Then for our Hobo Stew night, a gigantic pot of great stew was made by yours truly. Everyone enjoyed it and some even took a bit home!

Our Halloween dance was well attended by angels, cowboys and indians, clowns and a couple visiting "from Hawaii". Bill Moritz came dressed in his wig and mumu and Margie came with a mustache ..needless to say they won a prize as did our Angel Ester and Clown Mary Lynn.

Sixteen of the singles went to Melbourne and had a good time. They all agreed the callers were great.

Several of our members have been on vacation. Betty French went to Pennsylvania and Tennessee, Ann Allen went to Capè Cod to see the leaves change, Mary Lou Pelz went to Ohio to see

her Mother and Ernie Perrin went to pick his sister up from out of state and his van engine blew up. Expensive trip when you have to buy a new vehicle to get back home. Glad everyone came back safe and sound.

Didn't we have a great time at the Hollywood Nights???? A fantastic job was done by Walt and Betty Smith and their committees and helpers. We know next year will be a great dance also.

On November 3 we had the opportunity to visit the Rollaways since our church hall was used for voting. We always have a fun time whenever we get a chance to visit them.

We have our Thanksgiving and Christmas dances coming up, hope you can join us. We are also planning a big western night on January 19th. with BarBQ sandwiches and all the trimmings. Of course Seabreeze and Sweet Arts are planning the 5th Saturday dance end of January ...Winter Wonderland. Please plan on attending.

Come visit with us we love to have you and it makes Jim extra happy!!

SEABREEZE SINGLES (Cont'd)

Linda Paulley 387-2239



Seabreeze Singles get together to plan their "celebrity" parade for the Fall Festival.



Club members went to the Alhambra to see "Camelot" and enjoy the scrumptuous buffet.

Silver Fox Squares

Rikki Jameson 771-4492

The last few months sure have been busy for the Silver Foxes! We had a picnic at Roscoe Gootee's house in October. Of course, it poured that day. Bud German drove his new 'cycle' and got soaked. Paul & I got lost going from the West side to lower Middleburg! I almost hate to admit just how long it took us to make that 30 minute drive! Ask me when next we meet! It was a real interesting trip! We definitely saw the sights!

Eight couples made the journey to English Mountain, Tennessee the weekend of October 23rd. It was a glorious weekend! The trip was a sellout! Nine full squares in attendance! Sam Atkinson and George Lavendar were the callers. The weather was wonderful; the dancing exciting and the food delicious! The view from on top of that mountain was absolutely breathtaking! Mark you calendars for next year, same time, same place! But you

better hurry! I hear that several couples have already paid their deposits!

We have several events coming up soon. Our Christmas dance is December 18th. We are having a catered dinner. Tickets are \$4.50 in advance (so we can order enough food!). We are also planning a marvelous New Years Eve dance in conjunction with the Plus Foxes. When? New Years Eve, of course! The dance will be from 9pm until 12 midnight. It is not too early to think about the Circus Dance. That is slated to take place on Jan. 29th. Pick up your buttons the next time you visit us!

Mark your calendars for we will be dark the following Friday's: After Thanksgiving, November 27th, Christmas Day, December 25th and New Years Day, January 1st.





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Myrtle Beach
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MYRTLE BEACH, SOUTH CAROLINA

APRIL 16 & 17, 1999 and SEPTEMBER 15, 16, 17, & 18, 1999

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MIKE HOOSE
and
ROY & JEAN GREEN**

SQUARES: MAINSTREAM, PLUS, PLUS DBD, A-2 & C-1

ROUNDS: ALL PHASES

LINE DANCING & TEXAS TWO-STEP: NELSON JARVIS

September 16, 17, & 18, 1999

**TONY OXENDINE, JERRY STORY,
JOHNNY PRESTON & JERRY JUNCK
and
JERRY & BARBARA PIERCE**

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ROUNDS: ALL PHASES

LINE DANCING & TEXAS TWO-STEP: NELSON JARVIS

Also AFTER PARTY - CALLERS "RAP" SESSION, CALLERAMA
FASHION SHOW (Sept.), and SEWING CLINIC (Sept.)

FOR TICKETS & INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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**Merry Christmas
and A Happy New Year!
From Our House
to Your House!**

Howard and Jettie Crowe



SQUARE WHEELS

Chuck & Aleen Breedlove - 246-9545

We danced at Pacetti's campground in September. The great dance floor and clam chowder made by M.L., along with other good food Saturday night, made up for the rainy weekend. And ducks - there were ducks all over. Saturday night we had visitors from several area clubs (six squares in all). The Jacksonville Rollaways Club visited us and stole our banner. About two weeks later Ray Kutchman, Chuck & Aleen Breedlove, Billy & Pat Hernandez, Jerry & Faye Wright, Norma & Joe Elliott and Hank & Rita Pelz went to the Rollaways to retrieve our banner.

October found us at the State Camporee in Claremont. Lots of good dancing, good food, fun and fellowship.

The O'Leno Hoedown in November is now history. The weather was perfect and everyone enjoyed the multitude of deer visiting our campsites. We had a great time despite all the hard work Square Wheels had to do to put on this size dance. Everyone seemed to enjoy our breakfast, lunch and dinner Saturday. We had about 16 to 18 squares Friday and Saturday night. Jacksonville folks, Doris & Wendell

Spears, won the handmade quilt made by Square Wheels members - "Lucky" Jack McKinney won the half & half Saturday. Peggy Ligon won the money tree and Bob & Kathy Ball of Lake City won the two state convention ribbons. We also had second hand square dance clothes and shoes brought by members for sale that turned out to be a successful venture. If we don't run out of clothes we will probably do it again next year.

We will be at Casey Jones Campground in Lake City November 20-22 for our annual Thanksgiving dinner. Our club will furnish the meat so come visit us with your favorite dish. We are looking forward to meeting in the new hall.

Our Christmas party will be held Saturday, December 19th at Grace Presbyterian Church in Gainesville and will be hosted by Bill & Mary Chesnut. There will be a covered dish dinner, gift exchange, dancing and fellowship.

Come join us anytime!



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SWEET ART SQUARES

Linda Riggs 225-8084

Our club has been working and striving to keep our club busy.

In October we celebrated several birthdays and anniversaries. Sixteen of us went to the Alhambra to celebrate the 25 years of marriage of Randy & Joyce Brewer. We had a real good evening not to mention good entertainment and food. We are planning another night at the Alhambra in December to see "A Christmas Carol". We visited several clubs. The Teddy Bears came to retrieve their banner and to everyone's surprise, we had **two** of their banners. Several of us visited Jekyll Island Squares and there were dancers there from Hilton Head, S.C. If you missed our Halloween dance you missed some ghoulish spooks. We even had 'DRACULA' call our dance and his fangs were in perfect tune.

Then we all dressed up to go 'Hollywood' and meet some stars and some even shopped at Rodeo Drive of Beverly Hills, known to some as "Gerals of Due West". We had a great time and if you didn't get your favorite food, you must have been too busy dancing. Congratulations to Dee Dee and Bessie Stovall for their hard working achievement to have earned "Dance Couple of the Year".

There's some talk in our club of a weiner roast, probably after the holidays. Sounds like fun with a big fire and marshmallows.

Did you get to Kanuga this year? What a good time you missed. The Sweet Art Squares went in a group and had a real good time.

Be sure to come visit us for our Thanks-

giving covered dish dinner. We eat at 7pm and we dance 8 - 10pm.

Let's not forget the Christmas Dance, December 15th 7:30-9:30. We'll be glad to share presents with you. Bring a gift and you get a gift. Hey, be sure to make it a homemade gift. It won't be a covered dish but we will have plenty of food, we just want to dance and eat and dance and eat and.... Why break a good tradition?

The Sweet Art squares welcome the new NEFSARDA board members and applaud our outgoing volunteers that have done a swell job.

We want to remind dancers that the Sweet Art Squares will not be dancing on December 22nd and 29th, but we will be waiting to see you in a square beginning Jan. 5th.

Remember the 5th Saturday Dance, at Sandalwood High School. The Seabreeze Singles and Sweet Art Squares will be your hosts.

All the Sweet Art Squares wish you many happy returns for the holidays and hope your NEW YEAR is the best yet to come as we face the new MILLINIUM.

We are glad to see Bud & Linda Tatum doing better and we can't wait to see Linda up and walking. We all miss them. We are also glad to see Phyllis Cody at it again. She is an inspiration to us all.

See you in a square soon. Join us 7:30 - 9:30 every Tuesday at the Yulee Lions Club, US 17 just north of A1A.



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Dec 31New Years Eve Dance
Jan 29Circus Dance

PRESIDENT:

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Teddy Bear Squares

Aaron & Erma Fry 721-2167

Our first dance in October was a bar and cookie night, all those goodies and not a calorie in any of them, yeah, right - Just had to diet for a week.

Laurels to our own Walt and Betty Smith who chaired the Fall Festival and to all who worked on the committee to make it a success. It was great.

At the Fall Festival, Dee Dee and Bessie Stovall received the Dance Couple of the Year Award, a most deserving couple.

Betty Smith didn't have it easy planning a surprise birthday for Walt. Seems as every time she was on the phone, Walt was there or listening in the next room. Betty said there certainly isn't anything wrong with his hearing. She final had to send an SOS to Val Newsome who helped her while they were at lunch away from Walt. The party which was held at the Newsomes' was a surprise. As Carolyn Ueber said, "Happy Birthday 60th Birthday Walt. Even though you are 75, you don't look it and you don't act it.

At our November dance Teddy Bears filled a wicker laundry basket to overflowing with food and thanks to Val Newsome who obtained a generous donation from Publix Super Market, all for some needy families for Thanksgiving.

Silver Fox and Plus Fox came to retrieve their banners and Classic Plus stole ours. Teddy Bears have several visits lined up, trying to go for the GOLD.

Ed and Gloria Malin danced 8 nights in a row, does that qualify them for a idiots badge or a purple heart for wounded feet?

Bessie Stovall didn't have such a fun time when she went to Kanuga for she spent most of the time in the hospital. Glad to see she is fine, now. Rex McCaul fell while visiting his brother in Pennsylvania and broke his ankle, he was at the Fall Festival in a wheelchair but is sporting a walking cast now.

We don't want to leave Eddie off the injured list. He broke his foot and blames it on Ann. Seems Ann was the architect who designed their house with a step down into the garage. Eddie hasn't gotten use to the step down. Give him time, they have only been living there 24 years.

Teddy Bears canceled for the Rollaways benefit dance the 28th of November.

Come join us for our Christmas dance, December 12th. There is a dinner at 6:30, meat will be provided so bring a covered dish.

Jim Winter returned home at 3:00 PM and made it to the November dance; Barbara just had too much cruise so she stayed home to rest. We missed you, Barbara.

The club will be silent the day after Christmas as most of us will either be out of town or, as in our case, have company.

On behalf of Ann and Eddie and the rest of the Teddy Bears we would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Peaceful New Year.



Teddy Bear Squares performed a demonstration at a Senior Citizens luncheon at Ed & Gloria Malin's church. Eddie had to work so he provided a tape of his calling.

THUMPER SQUARES

NO REPORT RECEIVED!

TOUCH OF CLASS

NO REPORT RECEIVED!

VAGABOND SQUARES

Leesa Adcock 904-755-7015

The Vagabonds roll into a new phase with new officers installed. We danced a demonstration at the Octoberfest of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Live Oak. It is a yearly "do" and we thoroughly enjoy it.

On Thursday, November 12th, the

Vagabonds hosted their annual Anniversary Dance. It was a "reunion dance" with many former Vagabonds joining us for food, fun, fellowship and great dancing! A great time was had by all who attended.

Come dance with us soon!!

YELLOW ROCKER PLUS

Eleanor Smith

Our Yellow Rockers had a wonderful "Meet N' Eat" gathering at Bill & Norma Smith's home in the Lake Asbury area on October 10th. These Yellow Rockers are some good cooks and after we ate our fill, we had a meeting & voted to support a "New Year's Eve Dance, Thursday, December 31st at Trinity Lutheran Church. Note the flyer in this issue. This new group of Yellow Rockers is "sumpin else". They said "Let's have a pancake breakfast after the dance". So, here we go - - full steam ahead.

Our Anniversary Dance was well attended and we do appreciate the participation of so many good people. Square Dancers really are a family.

October 26th, some of the club got a treat and some had to perform a trick for our Trick or Treat Dance. I'm sure glad we have good sports in our club when I come up with some of these weird ideas.

Wasn't the Fall Festival great? those folks who worked so hard for nearly a year to make it possible deserve a BIG THANK YOU! If you missed seeing some very important Hollywood Celebrities, I'm sure pictures will show up at the various clubs. The talent among us is amazing.

We have had several of our members out with surgery - - Granville Diffie, John Wilder and Hank Snow (yes, we have our own "Hank Snow"). We miss these guys but

389-3349

Granville was able to come back recently and it was good to see him & Pat. Our Millie broke some ribs in a car accident and we hope she will be back soon.

Our Thanksgiving Dinner & Dance will be Monday, November 23rd, at 7 PM. We will eat at 7:00 and dance 'till 10:00 Each person bring a covered dish and the turkey will be furnished.

Our Silver Bells Dance will be



Maxine and Billy perform the Tango at the club's Talent Nite!

YELLOW ROCKER PLUS (Cont'd)

Eleanor Smith 389-3349

December 14th. We will be bringing canned goods every Monday in December for the Food Bank.

January 18th will be our "Chill Nite". If it's chilly, Chili will be delightful.

LITTLE BIT OF WISDOM: "If you want to test your memory, try to remember what you were worrying about one year ago today"

Come for a YELLOWROCK!!



←
The Yellow Rockers Plus Club "sit" for their 7th Anniversary photo session at their celebration dance! It took two "sittings" to get them all in!! (Note the "ham" in BOTH 'sittings')



THE WAY TO A HAPPY NEW YEAR

To leave the old with a burst of song;
To recall the right and forgive the wrong;
To forget the things that bind you fast
To the vain regrets of the year that's past;
To have the strength to let go yur hold
Of the not worthwhile of the days grown old;
To dare go forth with a purpose true
To the unknown task of the year that's new;
To help your brother along the road
To do his work and lift his load;
To add your gift to the world's good cheer
Is to have and give a

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

DELEGATES MEETING MINUTES

November 8, 1998

The President called the meeting to order with the invocation and the salute to the flag. New delegates and visitors were recognized.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Beginning Bal = \$4953.67: Income = \$2854.00: Expenses = \$3072.69: Smith Barney Acct. = \$7266.92: Balance = (A/O 10/31/98) \$12001.90.

MINUTES: Approved as written.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

5TH SATURDAY DANCE: See flyer elsewhere in this issue. No dance in May due to State Convention.

BLOOD BANK REPORT: See report elsewhere in this issue.

GRAPEVINE: Deadline is November 15th. See item on editorial page. Visit the Grapevine and NEFSARDA web pages. See report elsewhere in this issue.

FALL FESTIVAL: See report elsewhere in this issue.

SOS: No report.

EDUCATION & CLASSES: Pamphlets promoting Square Dancing are available from the President.

HISTORIAN: No report.

BY-LAWS: No Report.

CLUB VISITATION: See report elsewhere in this issue.

PUBLICITY REPORT: See report elsewhere in this issue.

INSURANCE REPORT: Dues are due. \$2.45 per person.

DANCE COUPLE OF THE YEAR: See report elsewhere in this issue.

FLORIDA FEDERATION: Next meeting, Lakeland, FL., February 27-28th. State expects to bid on a National Convention for the year 2007.

STATE CONVENTION: Next meeting in January. Ken Miller still needs volunteers for the Kickoff.

GATEWAY CALLERS ASSOCIATION: Beginners Hoedown, December 5th; Sophomore Hoedown, February 20th; Graduation Ball, April 17th; all at Trinity Lutheran Church.

RURAL CALLERS ASSOCIATION: No report.

OLD BUSINESS:

ELECTION OF OFFICERS: There being no nominations from the floor, the slate presented was approved as presented: President - Manny & Sherry Gonzales; Vice President - Howard & Jettie Crowe; Recording Secretary - Linda Paulley & Lonnie Aldridge; Corresponding Secretary - Joe & Martha Hardcastle; Treasurer - Ruth Harper & Ed Johnson.

COOK BOOK: Cookbooks are being readied. They will be \$13.00 per book. Orders are being taken. - see your club delegate. There is only 200 being printed at this time so get your order in soon!

NEW BUSINESS: Yellow Rockers & Joy Seas to host July 5th Saturday Dance; Teddy Bears & Angel Squares for October. Suggestion made for NEFSARDA to coordinate a City wide New Year's Eve Dance - looking at 1999.

NEXT MEETING: January 10, 1999, Piccadilly Cafeteria, 3 PM.

MEETING ADJOURNED!

PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE!!!

CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

DECEMBER 1998

- 05.... Beginners Hoedown(Trinity Lutheran Ch)..... Gateway Caller's Assoc
 10-12. Gatlinburg Christmas Ball Gatlinburg, TN
 12.... Christmas Dinner DanceTeddy Bears
 14.... Silver Bells Dance (Bring Canned Goods for Luth. Soc. Svcs.) .. Yellow Rockers
 15.... Sock Tree & Cookie Exchange Dance Mandarin Marauders
 15.... Christmas In Dixie Dance Rollaways
 15.... Christmas Dinner & Dance Seabreeze Singles
 15.... Christmas Dance Sweet Art Squares
 16.... Christmas Dance Plus Fox
 18.... Christmas Dance Silver Fox
 19.... River City Christmas Dance River City Squares
 19.... Christmas Dance Square Wheels
 22.... Christmas Dinner Dance(White Elephant Game)..... Mandarin Marauders
 31.... New Year's Eve DanceAtkinson/Cosman..... Plus Fox/Silver Fox
 31.... New Year's Eve Dance Yellow Rockers +

JANUARY 1999

- 05.... New Years Resolution Dance Seabreeze Singles
 09.... **11th Anniversary Dance** Jekyll Island Squares
 09.... Teddy Bear T-Shirt NiteTeddy Bears
 12.... Desert Madness Rollaways
 16.... Snow Flake Frolic.....(Boynton Bch (561)965-5584)..... SESARDA
 18.... Chili Night Yellow Rockers +
 19.... Starry Wintery Night Mandarin Marauders
 19.... Western Night (Bar B Q Sandwiches) Seabreeze Singles
 21-23. FL Sunshine FestivalCivic CenterLakeland, FL
 29.... Annual Circus Dance Silver Fox
 30.... Fifth Saturday Dance(Sandalwood Hi Sch)..... NEFSARDA

FEBRUARY 1999

- 03.... Ground Hog Dance Plus Fox
 09.... Love Boat Sails Again Rollaways
 09.... Valentine's Dance Seabreeze Singles
 09.... Sweetheart Dance Mandarin Marauders
 10.... Valentine Dance Plus Fox
 11.... President's ball Moose Promenaders
 12-13. Okefenokee Square Up(Waycross GA.)..... Pogo Squares
 12-13. Jekyll Island Ball Jekyll Island, GA
 13.... Annual Blue Grey dance.....(Lake City - Mac McCall)..... Dixie Dancers
 13.... Hearts & Chocolate Night Teddy Bears
 15.... Sweetheart Dance Yellow Rockers +
 20.... Sophomore Dance(Trinity Lutheran Ch)..... Gateway Caller's Assoc
 23.... Western Night Mandarin Marauders
 23.... Washington's B'Day Dance Seabreeze Singles
 27-28. FL Federation Working Weekend Lakeland

MARCH 1999

- 06.... Annual Charity Dance Seabreeze Singles
 08.... March Hare's Mad Hatter Dance Yellow Rockers +
 13.... St Patrick's Day Dance (Wear Green) Teddy Bears

PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE!!!

CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

MARCH 1999 (Cont'd)

- 16... Leprechaun DanceMandarin Marauders
 16... St. Patrick's Day Dance Seabreeze Singles
 17... St Patrick's Dance (Wear Green) Plus Fox
 30... All Singing Calls DanceMandarin Marauders

APRIL 1999

- 06... Easter Bonnet Dance Seabreeze Singles
 07... Easter Dance Plus Fox
 10... IRS Dance(Have you filed your tax?)Teddy Bears
 13... Class Graduation DanceMandarin Marauders
 17... Graduation Ball(Trinity Lutheran Ch)..... Gateway Caller's Assoc
 15... Bunny Hop Dance Yellow Rockers +
 20... Strawberry festival Seabreeze Singles
 24... Meet N' Eat Yellow Rockers +
 27... 14th Anniversary DanceMandarin Marauders

MAY 1999

- 03... Tres De Mayo (Cinco de Mayo) Yellow Rockers +
 04... Mothers' Day DanceMandarin Marauders
 05... Mother's Day Dance Plus Fox
 08... Mother's Day Dance (Men bring lunch)Teddy Bears
 11... Mother's Day Dance Seabreeze Singles
 18... Hawaiian LuauMandarin Marauders
 25... Dalmatian Night (Wear pol;ka dots) Seabreeze Singles
 29... Fifth Saturday Dance(To be announced).....NEFSARDA

JUNE 1999

- 08... Ice Cream Sundae Seabreeze Singles
 12... Father's Day DanceTeddy Bears
 14... Stars & Stripes Dance (Flag day) Yellow Rockers +
 16... Father's Day Dance Plus Fox
 22... Father's Day Dance Seabreeze Singles
 26... 15th Anniversary DanceTeddy Bears

JULY 1999

- 05... American Pie Dance Yellow Rockers +
 06... Red, White & Blue Dance Seabreeze Singles
 07... Red, White & Blue Dance Plus Fox
 10... Red, White & Blue DanceTeddy Bears
 21... Dangle Dance Plus Fox
 20... Watermelon Night Seabreeze Singles

AUGUST 1999

- 10... Jaguars Night (wear your colors) Seabreeze Singles
 11... Ice Cream Dance Plus Fox
 14... Sundaes on SaturdayTeddy Bears
 16... Watermelon Crawl Yellow Rockers +
 24... Ice Cream/Root Beer Float Dance Seabreeze Singles

SEPTEMBER 1999

- 07... Open House/Hot Dog Night Seabreeze Singles
 08... Crazy T-Shirt Dance Plus Fox
 11... 3rd Annual Spaghetti DinnerTeddy Bears

PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE!!!
CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 1999 (Cont'd)

- 13.... 8th Anniversary Dance Yellow Rockers +
 17-18.19th Anniversary(Pacetti's)..... Square Wheels
 21.... Annual Garage Sale Seabreeze Singles

OCTOBER 1999

- 05.... Sock Hop Seabreeze Singles
 16.... Meet N' Eat Yellow Rockers +
 23.... Halloween Dance Teddy Bears
 25.... Pumpkin Dance Yellow Rockers +
 26.... Halloween Dance Seabreeze Singles
 27.... Halloween Dance Plus Fox

NOVEMBER 1999

- 5-7... Oleno Square Wheels
 12-13. Fall Festival NEFSARDA
 15.... Scarecrow Dance Yellow Rockers +
 16.... Chili Night Seabreeze Singles
 24.... Thanksgiving Dance Plus Fox
 27.... Turkey Hash Dance Teddy Bears

DECEMBER 1999

- 11.... Christmas Dinner Dance Teddy Bears
 13.... Frosty The Snowflake Dance Yellow Rockers +
 20.... Christmas Dance Plus Fox

***** When planning for your special dances - - plan ahead and check this Calendar Of Events in order to avoid conflicting dates - - - Thanks!! - N E F S A R D A. We would like to publish all club's special/theme dances. HOWEVER - if we don't receive a listing, we don't know what to print!!**

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