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St. Valentine's Day



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We have faced sad times during the past few weeks and we wish that the festive times would help to blot out the sad but it doesn't work that way.

Most of us, we're sure, have known Dot and Charlie Landiss for many years and their smiling

faces have shown up not only locally but nationally too. They have square dance friends from one end of this country to the other. Their influence on our recreation of square dancing has been felt very much for many years in this area and now Dot suddenly was called for other duties. It is a great sadness to all of us as she will be missed deeply by not only Charlie but their own great club, the ALLEMANDARINS, and a ll of us old timers and new timers in the square dance world. We all express our heart felt sympathy to Charlie who has lost a wonderful and loving partner.

Then we learned that one of our beloved Georgia callers had a heart attack and passed on. Many of you square dancers will not recall Irv Elias but he was one of our most popular Georgia callers in this area during the 1950's and '60's. His great personality and energy drew some great crowds of happy dancers. From Waycross, Georgia his wife Betty and Irv were a familiar couple at many of our club functions throughout Florida and Georgia. He helped many clubs get off their wobbly feet and launch out to become a successful, energetic club. To Betty all of us in our association offer our condolences and we shall miss that familiar, happy husband and caller.

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SUNSHINE TWIRLERS, a festive time.

Thursdays, Eastside Recreation Center,  
Gainesville, Florida  
Caller - Bobby Keefe  
President - Marilyn and Sam Rogers

The past month has been full of happenings for the SUNSHINE TWIRLERS. We all attended a New Year's Eve Dance that began at 9:00 New Year's Eve's Eve and ended after the start of New Year's Eve. Dick Barker was the caller and he certainly did a good job. Of course, at midnight, due to the effort of some industrious members, balloons descended upon our unsuspecting heads. It really went off beautifully and the New Year came in with a bang!

We also had a little celebration for Christmas. After the dance on December 28th our presidents, Marilyn and Sam Rogers, had a Christmas get-together at their home. It was Christmas-y and a lot of fun. Both parties were a great boost at bringing the New Year in right!

And what a New Year it's going to be! In the club three young couples will be getting married soon. Cathy Long and Pat Bock plan on tying the knot in St. Patricks Church in town. Mindy and Melody Beville will also be getting married soon, but it won't be a double wedding. Mindy is marrying Norman Bash, and Melody will soon be Mrs. Bruce Warner. There should be a lot of rice and happiness in our club.

Meanwhile, our dances are continuing as usual on Thursday nights at 8:00 p.m. at the Eastside Gainesville Recreation Center with Bobby Keefe calling. Y'all come!

Dorothy McCawley, corresponding sec'y  
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HICKS AND CHICKS have new dance location in offering.

2nd & 4th Tuesdays, Philips Highway Plaza Callers, Dick Goedert, Frank Clements, James Maxey, Bill Bishop  
President - Gary Maxey (725-4828)  
Teenage Club

We retrieved our banner from the ALLEMANDARINS Friday night, January 13th. This was a very good dance and everyone had a good time.

The HICKS AND CHICKS will be dancing in a new location in a few weeks. We'll let you know the location in the next Grapevine edition.

Joe Thompson, reporter  
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WESTERNAIRES - Hot Pink on the Move.

1st & 3rd Saturday, Jacksonville Heights Elementary School  
Callers - Tom & Mariann Hidding (771-6272)

The WESTERNAIRES have been doing a lot of square dancing the last two months and had a lot of fun over the holidays. Our club is getting so big that it is hard to keep up with everything that is going on, so if I miss anything please forgive me.

Some of our out of town guests lately have

Continued - WESTERNAIRES

been Rita and Orlo Hoadley from Rochester, N.Y., and John Zoller from Norfolk, Va. Some of the clubs that have visited us are the BELLES & BEAUX, PAXON PRANCERS and WESTERN CUTTERS. Sure did enjoy having you at our dance.

The "Hot Pink" has been on the move, too. Our goal is to dance with all the clubs in the local area, sooner or later we will make it. The only problem we have is the clubs that dance the same nights we do will have to do something about that.

Two of our club members recently got married. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Culpepper. We wish you all the happiness in the world. We also had a great time at your wedding party.

Steve and Tish Bluto had a bouncing baby girl. Congratulations, and take care of our new corner.

It seems like the WESTERNAIRES are trying to support the medical profession lately. We have four of our WESTERNAIRES out of the hospital now and one going in. The Joys were out dancing the other night and look great. Curt Dahl, take care of yourself, old buddy, and get back dancing with us, we miss you. Jean Miller is dancing up a storm, looks good. L.D. Skinner you take care of yourself and watch those nurses. We will be looking forward to seeing you out and well in the near future.

The WESTERNAIRES wish to extend their condolences to the Rider family due to the loss of George's mother.

The WESTERNAIRES held a "cake walk" to help raise money for the Oakcrest Methodist Church and it came off real good.

Looking back on 1972, the WESTERNAIRES had a very good year. Due to the hard work of our callers and club members we now have a good size club. We can have a square dance any night and have a good crowd. I think the WESTERNAIRES deserve a well done for 1972. Well done, WESTERNAIRES.

What can we do in '73 to top what we did in '72? First, let's support the club. Second, since most of our club is made up of fairly new square dancers, let's step out into the world of square dancing by dancing with as many clubs and different callers as we can. If we do this we will be much better square dancers and will be rewarded many times over. Try it, you will like it.

Our class is really doing great and will graduate March 17th. That's all for now, come square up with us.

John Reese, reporter

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OCEAN WAVES have gala installation dinner.

Thursdays, 7:30 p.m., Jacksonville Beach  
Community Center

Caller - Guest Callers

President - Allen & Jean Hairston(246-7712)

Now that holiday festivities are done, plans are in full swing for the new year. The OCEAN WAVES are off to a good start with its election of officers as follows: President, Allen and Jean Hairston; Vice President, Jim and Mary Jo Wright; Secretary, Rick and Betty King; Treasurer, Mary Goodwyn (the last two continuing for a second term). An installation dinner was held January 6th at "90 by the Sea" and a very enjoyable evening was had by all who attended. Speeches were short and gifts were presented to outgoing officers, and appreciation expressed to all who have served as officers and committee chairmen. Our club seems to be blessed with good people who serve when asked and often more than one term. Reta and Dick Landis, for example, are refreshment chairmen again. This is a double job as they handle both club and class nights and the goodies always appear without fail. You make a good cup of coffee, Dick!

On December 21st a Christmas party was held at the Community Center for club members and class members. Gifts were exchanged, refreshments were delicious and Tom and Mariann Hidding called a fun dance. We are very proud of our class and very grateful to the Hiddings for the fine job they are doing. Their time, effort and patience is greatly appreciated by all of us. There is about another month of class sessions with graduation set for March 1st. Over 20 have already ordered club badges so we're delighted.

The Garlands had a Christmas party at their home on December 23rd. Then on Jan. 14th the Wrights had an "After Super Bowl" affair. A business meeting was held to discuss future plans and revision of by-laws.

The OCEAN WAVES would like to say a special "thank you" to all our guest callers for the last couple of months; Frank Clements, John Robbins, Bill Bishop, Eddie Millan. We have thoroughly enjoyed all our dances and wish more visitors would come out and join us each Thursday night. Haven't heard about any banner stealing going on lately?

Our schedule of callers for next month is: Feb. 1 - Don Miller; Feb. 8 - Bill Bishop; Feb. 15 - Rupert Maxwell; Feb. 22 - Eddie Millan. So it sounds like another great month.

Please come out and square up with us any Thursday night!

Gloria Gregg, reporter

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CALICO S'INGERS planning a big expansion!

Sundays, Jacksonville Heights Elementary  
School cafeteria, 6 to 8:30 p.m.  
Callers - Tom and Mariann Hidding (771-6272)

February will be a big important month for the CALICO S'INGERS. The class is going to graduate on Sunday, February 11th. This will add forty new members to the club. We are also going to have a Valentine party on the same date, two parties at the same time, we sure do not want to miss that one.

After graduation we will go back to dancing twice a month, the first and third Sundays, same time, same place.

Come dance with us. You may find a square with three generations in it! Have fun and keep smilin'.

George Rider, reporter

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DIXIE CHAIN GANG - Class going great!

2nd & 4th Saturdays, Where???

Caller - Frank Clements  
President - Fred Mills (246-2849)

News has been sort of short on account of the holidays, but will try and catch up on a few goings on. Our class has started out with a bang, and Frank is really giving them the works as well as members, to new steps and square dance records. Frank has some new singing calls that really keep them skipping and moving around that old floor. We are now holding classes at Hogan-Spring Glen school (in the rear) every Friday night, and as always, we welcome you in DIXIE CHAIN GANG fashion. I talked to a couple from the JUBILEERS at our last dance, as we always seem to be happy and always have such a gay time. No tinner words were ever spoken, and we thank you again for making us feel that all our activities are thought of as such.

Our prison domain was so happy to have the following visitors at our last dance: WEST-ERAIRES, FRIENDLY FROLICS, JUBILEERS, and Mr. Rupert and Marlene Maxwell from the TRADEWIND SQUARES in Guam. They are now planning to reside in Jacksonville. Happy to have them and looking forward to seeing them often. By the way, sup

lous job. Also, Dick Goedert from the JUBILEERS graced our halls with his calling. At the end of the dance they all really gave us a great hoedown, and I am sure many of you have had this opportunity to really swing it, so as in the end, it's hard to catch your breath.

Well, as a great many know by now, we have to find a new place to dance. We no longer will be at Philips Highway Community Hall in the Mall. Our president and various club members are on the prowl looking, looking, looking. So as soon as we find out, we'll get the word around. We don't want to miss you and we don't want you all to miss us. So keep your ears peeled. We are having a meeting at Charles and Joyce Lamb's house Jan. 21st and a good time I know will be had by all.

We are all looking toward the new year with great anticipation with all clubs, as well as ours. Let's keep square dancing alive with activities and lots of new members this coming year. Let's really back our callers, as they are the greatest in moreways than just calling. Remember - home is where the heart is anywhere. See ya in the square.

Tommy Emond, reporter

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ROUND DANCE NEWSROUNDLEERS - Workshops keep us sharp.

Wednesdays, Woodstock Community Center  
Instructor - Helen Huis  
President - Claude Hewitt

Well, hitch me to a fishtail scissors -- if it isn't GRAPEVINE time again! ROUNDLEERS started off the new year with most of its members back, many having suffered maladies ranging from varicose veins to vertigo in addition to holiday trauma, but all rarin' to twinkle, cut and swivel to Helen's cueing. You'd think some of us had never even seen some of the dances programmed.

The big news this month was the Sunday afternoon workshop on January 28 by Frank and Phyl Lehnert, an outstanding dance couple from Toledo, Ohio and nationally known choreographers. Their latest dance is DIXIE MELODY, taught by Manning and Nita Smith at the Fall Roundup and recently selected as Florida's intermediate Round-of-the-month for February. A covered dish luncheon preceded the workshop, and you food-lovers who consumed too many goodies have only yourselves to blame if you were too full to dance. Thanks go to Helen and Buzz for making the arrangements.

ROUNDLEERS have had two previous workshops by guest teaching couples: by Chuck and Kathy Hoiss of Bonita Springs, and by LeVerne and Doris Reilly of North Tonawanda, New York. These workshops are a real sho-in-the-arm for round dancing, and all round dancers in the area should avail themselves of these opportunities.

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ROUNDLEERS' basics class got off to an exceedingly wet blast-off on the stormiest, nastiest night of the year. We appreciate the efforts of those who did come out, and hope that more will join them before the class closes on January 24th.

The Fleshmans, reporters  
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RHYTHMAIRES - Cold halls - fast feet.

Tuesdays, Southside Community Center  
Class - 7:30, Dance - 9 - 10:30  
Instructor - Helen Ruis  
President - Vic Fake (772-7361)


Having survived the many activities of Christmas and New Years, we are settling down to regular club dancing again. One nice way to start off this New Year is by having Thelma Nelson back dancing with us, don't let's get sick anymore, uh! Now if only the Doc would let Helen Fake return, we'd be really happy, we really do miss you, Helen and Vic, anyway keep up those exercises Helen, so you can both be back again soon.

We have been working on two dances this month, "Coffee Break" which is done to the old "Java" tune, and "Shaking". "Dixie Melody" is still popular and these are good dances for this time of year.

Seems like our visitors have been getting a rather cold welcome lately, we didn't plan this, and are truly sorry, seems like this big bold city's recreation department didn't have any fuel when the cold weather arrived. Result, no heat in our hall. Comes summer and it will be the reverse, then we'll be complaining of the heat when the air-conditioning isn't working. Actually Helen was in the worst position - she could keep us moving, so we wouldn't turn into icicles, but she had to remain in one spot, and no winter woollies, Burr!

Our class is still progressing and they are now learning several dances, and so are getting to enjoy round dancing, that is, all except one guy, now we have heard of many different excuses men can make to get out of dancing, but break an ankle, well Johnnie Robbins, guess you aren't going to get out of it that easy. At least, not if Donna knows anything about it.

Rhona Williams, reporter  
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FRIENDLY WHIRL-A-WAYS have new home.

Mondays, Woodland Acres School  
Instructors - Edith and Bud Reisen  
President - Seal McCarty (724-5698)

If you think there's something different in the heading of this column this month, you're absolutely right! First, we're no longer dancing at Philips Highway Plaza. Woodland Acres School is on Hare Avenue in the Arlington area. If you're coming out Atlantic Blvd from town, turn left on Arlington Road, right at the 7-11 store and its about 3 blocks down. Real easy to find so we'll be expecting you.

Also, different in the heading is our President. At our January business meeting, the 1972 officers relinquished the helm to the newly elected President, Seals McCarty; Secretary, Bettye Smith; and Treasurer, Irene Armstrong. We hope they enjoy their work as much as we outgoing officers have.

Our FUN NIGHT turned out to be exactly that! We had a nice turnout, round dancing, mixers, and square dancing, not to mention the delicious snacks. We even had three square dance callers. Besides Bill Bishop and James Maxey, we were honored to have Rupert Maxwell from Guam, M.I., who is making his home in Jacksonville and who, by the way, did a wonderful job in calling a tip for us. We'd like to thank all three of you and, of course, Edith and Bud, who cued our rounds and mixers as well as hosted the lively evening. We were very glad to have all our visitors and look forward to seeing you next Tuesday night in the beginning of Edith's new class of basic rounds. We guarantee you'll enjoy it.

This month we've worked on DIXIE MELODY and CALL ME DARLING. They've been fun and not too hard to pick up.

Next month your new Reporter, Bettye Smith, will be writing for FRIENDLY WHIRL-A-WAYS. I've really enjoyed my year of reporting and hope you've enjoyed reading our news.

Ruth Brandt, reporter

GATEWAY CALLERS ASSOCIATION

The GATEWAY CALLERS ASSOCIATION meeting was held on December 17th. There were 8 callers present and Billy Bishop was elected new Chairman, Donna Robbins was appointed Secretary. The Toys for Tots Dance sponsored by the NEPSDA in conjunction with the GATEWAY CALLERS ASSOCIATION was proclaimed a rousing success! There were more than 25 squares and hundreds of toys donated.

John Robbins committee member for the planning of State square dance conventions, reported on plans for hiring National Round dance leaders as well as National Callers with one state Caller for the Convention of '74 in Orlando.

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Plans are in the making for a workshop and dance to be held by the Callers sometime during the year - Watch for date!

Donna Robbins, secretary.

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PAXON PRANCERS - New combo coming?  
New Year = New Opportunities Center

Thursdays, Mary Hammond Community Center  
Caller - Bob Rust  
Rounds - Helen Ruis  
President - Lester & Patricia Coval(786-0455)

At this time our new president is busy with his organizational plans. He has all of his committees functioning and they are ready to go.

Don and Norma Smith, outgoing presidents, rounded out the old year with a New Year's Eve breakfast in their beautiful new home in Orange Park. This is an annual event which we always look forward to. The men had such a good time they could hardly tear themselves away from the new pool table which Santa Claus had brought. They delayed our breakfast and by the time we were ready to leave they were all behind the eight ball.

A business meeting is planned for the 20th at the Bonanza Steak House. After the dinner the club is to go on to FRIENDLY FROLICS to retrieve our banner.

We always appreciate our visitors and former members and say "welcome back" to Emily and Joe Johns, who have been absent for some time. Also, Dot and Cal Howlett, we hope they are back for good, since Cal is now on a different shift.

Al Bowie should never forget to "Spin the Top" or do the "Grand Square". At the Frank Lane dance Al's square developed trouble on these two basics and Frank, without an interruption in calling, stepped down from the stage and untangled Al's square. Speaking of the Frank Lane dance, it was disappointing that more area dancers did not take advantage of this rare opportunity to hear and dance to one of the TOP callers in the nation. These callers just don't "chance" to be here. It takes work and planning on someone's part to get them and unless we dancers support them with our attendance we are going to be left by the wayside in the next few years.

What's this we hear about Theron Smith and Bob Rust forming a new Combo? We understand they have been doing some intensive practicing lately with guitars and things?

There has been some illness in our club during the past few months. Margaret Thompson, former reporter for PAXON, has made her second trip back to the hospital but came home last Thursday. We miss both Margaret and Curtis and hope they will be back soon.

Mabel Pangle, reporter

WESTERN CUTTERS - Great Events all planned.

2nd & 4th Saturday, Gregory Drive School  
Callers - Chuck Durant and John Robbins  
President - Sally & Ernie Doering (264-5122)

At our last covered dish business meeting, the CUTTERS planned a terrific program for the months to come! Just to give you some idea of the good times in store, our Valentine Dance will be February 10th, St. Patrick's Day dance, March 10th, Easter parade and dance, April 14th and our always great Roaring 20's dance and club birthday on May 12th. Mark your calendar now and plan to join us for the fun.

Sprinkled in between these events are parties, picnics, etc. for the CUTTERS. We're making plans for another Knothead week-end at Cocoa. Will let you know more later about this as you won't want to miss it. Anyone who was there last year will tell you it was the most fun-ever!

Come join us in our new location. John Robbins will be calling both dances in January and Chuck Durant will call both dances in February. Of course, Helen Ruis will be with us on the rounds for all dances.

Betty Talbert, reporter

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ALLEMANDARINS lose a beloved member.

Fridays, 8 to 10:30, Wolfson High School  
Callers - Dick Barker and Bill Bishop  
Rounds - Edith Reisen, 2nd, 4th & 5th  
President - Carolyn and Hilton Lay(733-7597)

The ALLEMANDARINS are starting a real good year of square and round dancing with visitors from nearly every existing club in the area, 14 to be exact. January 12th the HICKS & CHICKS came to retrieve their banner while the STARLITE SHUFFLERS came and made off with our banner.

Our class is doing great and we enjoy dancing with them.

We welcome two former ALLEMANDARINS - Connie and Luther Shelton as members of our club. They have transferred back from Orange, Texas.

Tannie Walker is still confined to the bed - we understand to keep her leg propped up for four more weeks. We surely miss her as well as John. Hurry and get well. Jim Scott is back in the square after being on the sick list for about a month. Welcome back Jim.

We know that by now most everyone knows that our beloved Dot Landiss died very suddenly. To Charlie all of us offer our condolences and we want him to know our thoughts and prayers are with him constantly.

Hilton Lay, guest reporter

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STARLITE SHUFFLERS classes now starting Jan. 31

Thursdays, Joseph Lee Youth Center  
Caller - James Maxey  
President - Bob & Mary Pamer (733-0714)

First, forget about January 10 being the date we are going to start our square dance classes and put a big red circle around Wednesday, January 31, which will be the date of the first class. We are still going to hold the classes at the Women's Club of Jacksonville, 861 Riverside Avenue, and encourage all of you to bring your friends and relatives who want to learn about square dancing to the classes.

While I'm writing this my family is getting everything ready to join other STARLITE SHUFFLERS who are going down to Salt Springs and join in the fun with the National Square Dance Campers Association, Inc.

Check the Special Coming Events page. On March 15, Don Belvin "The Hat Man" from Manchester, Tennessee will be calling at the Joseph Lee Community Center. We have our dates for our annual spring and fall Camp O'Leno week-ends of fun and foot-stompin'. Make your plans now for April 28 and 29, and October 28 and 29th.

We've had a couple of guys (the women seem to be holding their own) who have been in and now out of the hospital. Stan Zelusky was first with a punctured lung which healed enough for him to come out long enough to prepare for a gall bladder operation - no fooling, for some people when it rains it pours. Next was Ray Lewis, he had calcium removed from his elbows and is feeling so much better he thinks he'll soon be able to give Irene a fat lip when she needs it. It sure is good to see both of these guys in circulation again - they're our top joke tellers.

Just a friendly reminder to help keep happy families in the STARLITE SHUFFLE S -- if you men don't know what to get your sweeties for Valentines Day - take a look at Shirley Sever's fingers - especially the one that is giving her the nickname of "Diamond Lil".

Again, January 31, introduce square dancing into someones life and make a friend forever.

Jackie Brinkley, reporter  
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GOLDEN ISLES SWINGERS having fun visiting and keeping the club strong.

2nd, 3rd, 4th Saturday, Recreation Bldg.,  
Brunswick, Georgia  
Caller - Dick Barker  
President - Tom Courson (265-4936)

The dancing schedule since our last report has been on the light side. Only one in Brunswick but three fine ones which our club participated in.

four clubs which Dick calls for attracted a large group. James Maxey and Dick provided a full evening of activity for every interest. According to prior agreement the club with the largest number of dancers present captured the club banner of each other club. Jesup won over Brunswick by one person.

On the first Saturday night in January Dick called to eleven squares at Jesup and we recovered our banner, only to have Jesup grab it again on the second Saturday in January.

Dick will be with us on Jan. 20 then head north for his Jan. 27 weekend at French Lick, Indiana. We will have a guest caller during Dick's absence. Don't know yet who it will be, but it doesn't matter, does it? When we get together for square dancing the caller is just about what we (the dancers) will allow him to be, right?

Sometime in February Charley Major will graduate another class and we will have some more fine people to share our Saturday night fellowship. Feb. 26 will be our barbecue and dance. Workshop in the afternoon, barbecue meal, dancing at night. Hope we will have a large turnout for this one.

Many of our sick are well and back in circulation and we are grateful for their recovery and most pleased to have them back. We still have a few on the sick list, including Faustelle Banks and Sallie Williams. Faustelle underwent surgery Tuesday Jan. 16. Sallie is scheduled for surgery Jan. 29. Both will be out for several weeks, but will be back going strong after that.

Square dancers over the entire Georgia-Florida area have been shocked and saddened over the passing of Dot Landiss and Irv Elias during the holidays. Our deepest sympathy is expressed to the family and loved ones of each. There are some who will remember that it was Irv Elias and Dick Barker who brought the GOLDEN ISLES SWINGERS into being back in 1963. All of us will long have a deep sense of loss.

Our next special dance in the area will be the Okefenokee Square Up at Waycross on Feb. 9 and 10. Hope all of you will be on hand to help make it a big weekend.

Gene Williams, reporter  
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ANCIENT CITY SQUARES - Game playing "Squares"

Fridays, Welcome Center, St. Augustine, Fla.  
Caller - Bobby Keefe  
President - Jack and Doris Shuler

Everyone has all their new year resolutions squared away by now or more like - forgotten possibly!

Just about all is square - for St. Augustine

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McCarty's invited everyone to their after party which was a super swingin' game playin' affair. Sure wish I'd made the scene. 'Tis said our Barbara Taylor was flying high 'til she made a crash landing in the clouds of pillows. And husband Bernie a flight engineer, tsk! tsk!

Unfortunaely for us the Taylors have now moved to Dayton, Ohio. We really hated to see them go. They were just the nicest little dancers anyone could ever square up with. Barb had us all over to a Christmas party that was just delightful -- has anyone played the game of "How to find your wife's foot in a crowd while blind folded?" Try it - you might like it! It's amazing how many fellows get the wrong foot.

We regret to say one of our members, Woody Baker, has had serious surgery. Wishing her all our best we hope she'll eventually be back in the squares with us.

The Jack Shuler's took a holiday trip up to Atlanta Underground. They made it home just in time to miss Atlanta's big freeze and power failure and catch the London flu in 'ole St. Augustine.

Now that square dancing has made it to "Abby's" column there's just no telling how far we will go - guess we all better wear our deodorants for sure. I know it must be very hard to dance your best, holding your nose as you star through. A sight to behold, indeed!

Liz Franke, secretary  
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JUBILEERS elect new officers.

1st & 3rd Saturday, Justina Elementary School  
Caller - Dick Goedert  
President - Elton & Doris Turner

The JUBILEERS held an election of officers Jan. 21st and returned the gavel to Elton and Doris Turner in spirited balloting. Other officers named, after the club enjoyed a covered dish dinner, were Dick and Beverly Harvey, vice president; Quentin and Ethel Bustetter, secretary and Bill and Dorothy Humphrey, treasurer. The retiring chief jubilator is Roger and Donna Fischer. Elton and Doris were president a year ago. Good luck to all of the new officers.

The graduation of the latest class of high-stepping JUBILEERS will be held February 24 with a covered dish dinner, installation of officers and program.

The 14th Annual Valentine's Day Dance sponsored by the JUBILEERS will be held at Wolfson High School Saturday, February 10 with Doug Jeregen as the caller. Hope you have your tickets now, but if not check in with a member of the JUBILEERS. We're looking forward to a great dance with Bud and Edith Reisen doing the round dance calls. Wilton and Jenevieve Fipps

are ticket chairmen and Bob and Irene Armstrong will lead the decorating crew.

Bill Stevenson's membership team will do the serving of Jack Shaffer's group after losing the contest of obtaining new members.

The JUBILEERS three squares strong had a great time with the DIXIE CHAIN GANG Jan. 13. With the calling of Frank Clements of the host club, Dick Goedert of the JUBILEERS and Jim Maxwell, recently returned from Guam, the dancers were kept busy.

Bill Humphrey, reporter  
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On the flyer note the dates spring and fall of the Swap Shop, Rebel Roundup, Accent on Rounds and Squares, and Fun Fest and then in the Fall the Fontana Fall Jubilee. For more information and cost of these vacations write to Fontana Village Resort, Reservations Clerk, Fontana Dam, North Carolina 28733.

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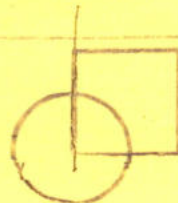
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SPECIAL COMING EVENTS

- Feb. 9-10 .. 12th Annual Okfeenokee Square-Up, City Auditorium, Waycross, Georgia
- Feb. 10 .. Jubileers Valentine Day Dance with Doug Jeregen, Wolfson High School.
- Feb. 8 .. Paxon Prancers class registration, Mary Hammond Center (See flyer)
- Feb. 10 .. Ron Schneider sponsored by 441 Club of Gainesville.
- Feb. 16 .. Georgia Wray sponsored by the Challengers.
- Feb. 17 .. ALLEMANDARINS at Crooked River State Park (See flyer)
- Feb. 24 .. Danny Robinson sponsored by the 441 Club.
- Mar. 2 .. Roger Chapman sponsored by the Challengers.
- Mar. 10 .. St. Patricks Day Dance sponsored by the Western Cutters.
- Mar. 10 .. Frank Bedell sponsored by the 441 Club of Gainesville.
- Mar. 14 .. Roundoleers 9th Anniversary Dance (See flyer)
- Mar. 15 .. Don Belvin from Manchester, Tenn. sponsored by Starlite Shufflers.
- Mar. 16 .. Don Belvin sponsored by the Challengers.
- Mar. 24 .. Gene Webster sponsored by the 441 Club.
- Mar. 31 .. NEPSDA Fifth Saturday Dance with Webb Witter calling, Forrest High School
- Apr. 14 .. Easter Parade sponsored by the Western Cutters.
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 PAUL & VENICE McNUTT  
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**REBEL ROUNDUP: May 6-13, & Sept. 16-23, 1973**

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 HANK & BETTY THOMPSON  
 BILL & DIXIE WILSON  
 FRANCIS & JULIA ZELLER

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 Metairie, La. (S)  
 Greenville, S. C. (F)  
 Hialeah, Fla. (S)  
 Hagerstown, Ind. (F)  
 Houston, Texas (S)  
 Aiken, S. C. (F)  
 McCracken, Kan. (S)

**ACCENT ON ROUNDS: May 20-27, Sept. 9-16, 1973**

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 ROGER & MARY JANE CHAPMAN  
 A.B. & PAULINE COLEMAN  
 HARRY & CLARA LACKEY  
 CHARLES & MADELINE LOVELACE  
 JAMIE & MYRA NEWTON  
 JOHN & LINDA SAUNDERS  
 ALLEN & JOANN TIPTON

Dayton, Ohio (Rounds)  
 Fontana Dam, N. C.  
 Columbus, Ohio (Rounds)  
 Winter Haven, Fla.  
 Kingsport, Tennessee  
 Greensboro, N. C.  
 Tampa, Fla. (Rounds)  
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 Altamonte Springs, Fla.  
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