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Message

It's really been a whirlwind year. We've had a lot of good things this year such as the State Convention, the most recent Fall Festival and the soon to be New Year's Eve Party.

The Charity dance for the Donna Hicken Breast Cancer Foundation was a great success. You will be happy to know that you raised \$4,606.76 for women and men of Northeast Florida to be helped while recovering from breast cancer. The Board and the current Chairmen of the dance met with Donna Hicken at the TV Studio and she was very surprized and appreciative of what the Square Dancers had done. We had a tour of the studio and were even able to meet Tim Deegan and Ken Amaro.

The Fall Festival was terrific. Charlie & Val Newsome have really outdone themselves with the Harvest Moon Ball. The scarecrows, pumpkins and the big Harvest Moon were just perfect for the dancing this fall. Of course, we need to thank all of our local callers and cuers for their time and efforts on Friday night. Mac McCall and Gene & Jackie Tyre kept us dancing and tapping our toes all Saturday night. The Harvest of Talent was great, and Mac & Jackie even got into the acts with their "other" talents. Mac is a good comedian and Jackie can really enhance a song with her own dancing.

IF YOU GET THIS ISSUE BEFORE THE 31st, we sincerely hope that you are going to join us for the New Year's Eve Party. This dance is a way NEFSARDA has of saying THANK YOU to dancers for their hard work, and promises to be one of the best times you've had this year. There will be a catered dinner, followed by early rounds, then dancing to midnight (and a



little after) to top off the evening. We don't know where else you could go & get that much entertainment for a mere \$5.00. If you didn't get tickets before 12/15/05 for dinner, you can still come & dance for the same price. We've had a little change in our dancing plans & have added Bill Chesnut & Ernie Rollen to the caller lineup. Tim & Nana Eum will still be on Rounds. Join us and ring in the New Year with a toast at midnight.

We're sure you've heard that Charlie & Val have resigned as editors of The Grapevine. We're happy to say Bob & Jane Raymond will be the new editors as of 1/1/06. We know they are already working hard on their new duties. Please remember to say Thank You to them.

A big Congratulations go out to Jack & Kathy McKinney as the new Presidents of the Florida Federation of Square Dancers. Let's support them.

The final big news is that the Delegates have elected to go to 4 meetings a year (1 meeting every 3 months). The thinking is that more people will be able to attend 4, instead of 6, meetings. It's also been proposed to publish The Grapevine 4 times annually to coincide with our meetings. You won't miss any news, it will just be bigger. This will be decided at the January meeting. Please bear with us as we make these changes to try to enhance our dancing pleasure.

Bud & Anita Taylor



From The Editors' Desk..

the job -- especially when you get an issue out and several readers compliment you on it. We've had our "time" --- and are now ready to move on.

That said, we want to **THANK** each advertiser; and each subscriber, whoever and wherever you might be. We also need to say **THANK YOU** to:

This is probably the most difficult article we have ever written. First, because it will be our very **LAST** Editorial for **The Grapevine**. **Secondly**, because it's hard to make sure you **thank** everyone who has helped you along the way, without forgetting someone. But, here goes...!

For about 2 1/2 years we have contemplated "retiring" from the editorship of **The Grapevine**; however, we always managed to talk ourselves out of it for one reason or another. We finally decided that we would like a little more time to do some things that Charlie & Val would like to do without having to consider the responsibility of deadlines to get the publication out. For instance, it was hard to spontaneously decide to go somewhere...when we had to have **The Grapevine** to the printer by a certain date, and then to the Bulk Mail Center by a certain date.

At the same time, we began to realize that it was getting harder and harder to come up with new ideas to make it an interesting and informative publication. So, back in July we announced our intentions to "retire", or "resign" if you would prefer, to the President & Executive Board of NEFSARDA.

Yes, we will miss being the Editors -- of that we are sure. But, we fully believe that it is time for us to move on and let a new Editor step in with fresh ideas. And, at the same time reap some of the rewards that come with

--every Club Reporter who sent in Club News;

--all those people who wrote columns for us;

--the many people who kept us informed of changes - whether in their club or not. (If we heard about it, we could check it out and get it in the next issue);

--everyone who let us know of illnesses or deaths in the square dance family;

--those people & clubs who provided us with pictures;

--the many "letters to the Editor" we received (pro & con);

--our Reporter/Photographers, Jack & Kathy McKinney, for their many photos, articles, and representation somewhere when we could not attend; AND

--to Paul & Nita Walker for talking us into taking this job when they moved to N.C.

We'd also like to thank the **Callers & Cuers, dancers**, and all of our **readers** for your support to **The Grapevine**, as we tried to promote Square Dancing in the Northeast Area. Without everyone's help we could not have accomplished the things we did.

We shall always look back on the past 11 + years as a fantastic time in our lives. We bid you a fond "**Farewell**" and ask that you support your new editors as they begin their career of bringing you the latest news!!

Without further adieu, **THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES!!**

Charlie & Val Newsome

The Grapevine Editors,
August, 1994 — December, 2005



LETTERS, WE GET LETTERS.....

(This column is for YOUR comments. Let us hear from you! Please remember, letters should be in good taste and must be signed. Names will no longer be withheld. If you don't want your name on it - let us know you don't want it published!)

Hi:

Thank You so much for a wonderful magazine all these years, and your dedication to do it RIGHT!

You are really appreciated. Thanks so much!

**Betty & Bud Passwater
and Juanita Pacetti**

Dear Val & Charlie,

Thank You for helping me with my reports from the Moose Promenaders and for publishing them.

When you all go to the dance classes and hand out The Grapevine to the new dancers, it is appreciated. I was one of those dancers and that's when I subscribed to The Grapevine.

Since then, I ask every new dancer we have if they have subscribed. Last week at the Club, Tom Herscha was looking for a subscription blank for The Grapevine and I had one with me.

Val and Charlie, you will be missed as Editors of The Grapevine. God Bless You!

Hazel Clark

Dear Charlie & Val:

The enclosed article is being submitted for the Country Western/Lines/Clogging section of The Grapevine. We'll have more specific information for the next issue.

Thanks for a fantastic Fall Festival and for all of the hard work and devotion you have given to The Grapevine and the community for so many years!

Joe & Pat Seelhoefer

Dear Charlie & Val:

Once again...and for the last time...**THANK YOU** for keeping us on track! I know things are really gonna change. We are REALLY going to miss your professionalism, and personal help! We do think the Raymonds will do a good job, though.

Thanks again for all the memories you have given us through a wonderful publication as The Grapevine! As I tell my little ones..."Good Job!"

Now you are available for soooooooo much more! HaHa!

Here are the items to put in the calendar for Jan - Apr for the Rollaways!

Jack & Kathy McKinney

Dear Charlie & Val:

Thank you both for all your years as The Grapevine Editors!

Gaye Feuer

EDITORS' NOTE: Though the following letter is not to the editor, we thought it worthy of publication. It is from a couple from Bluffton, SC who attended the Fall Festival.

Dear Val & Charlie:

We didn't get a chance to meet personally with you last weekend, but we want to thank you for a wonderful dance experience.

The directions you sent, the choice of hotel, and the dance program were all excellent. You even did a great job on the weather!

Your thoughtfulness means so much-- more than words can ever say. We are looking forward to joining you again next year.

Hedy & Walt Draves

From Your New "Grapevine" Editors...

Bob & Jane Raymond

By now, most folks in the Northeast Florida Square and Round Dance Association have heard through "The Grapevine" that we will be the new editors effective January 1, 2006.

We are aware of what a hard act we have to follow. During the past 11 plus years, Charlie & Val have taken what was a small local newsletter and turned it into an award-winning publication that is the envy of not only other square dance publications within our state, but also throughout the U.S.A.

For this fine Square Dance magazine to maintain it's present status, it will take your continued support plus hard work on our part.

With that said, the Delegates recently approved holding meetings four times annually. There is a proposal to be voted on at the January meeting, which will approve The Grapevine to be published four times annually in line with



the Delegates meetings. **If** it is passed, our first issue will be April (not March) and the new publishing schedule will be April, May & June; July, August & September; October November & December; and then January, February & March. Deadlines would then be March 10th, June 10th, September 10th, and December 10th.

In any event, all future club news, ads, and other inputs should be sent to us at our new email address (nefgrapevine@comcast.net). Our snail mail address is 1846 Alberta Court N., Middleburg, FL 32068, and our home phone is (904) 282-7857.



Circle of Service

By Bob & Jane Raymond

To be the recipients of the prestigious "Circle of Service Award" is a truly humbling experience. But our contributions to Square Dancing pale in comparison to our presenters, Val and Charlie Newsome: Past President of your Association; Grapevine editors eleven plus years; Fall Festival Chairpersons (twice); 2005 Florida State Square & Round Dance General Chairpersons; just to name a few.

However, the Square Dancers who are really deserving of this award are the ones who bring snacks to their club dances, serve as angels to our new dancers, serve as Delegates to your Association, hold positions as club officers, buy raffle tickets and attend not only their club dances, but support the many special dances held yearly.

It is for all of these dancers we will wear this award with pride.



FEATURE ARTICLE

By Val Newsome

"Meet the new Editors of The Grapevine"



On January 1, 2006, The Grapevine will have new editors – they are Bob & Jane Raymond. We thought it would be nice to Feature them in this spot so that you would know a little about them.

Bob graduated from high school in 1949, and attended the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy before going on active duty with the U.S. Navy in January of 1951. His duty stations included Norfolk, VA; Corpus Christi, TX; Moffitt Field, CA; Barbers Point, Hawaii; NAS North Island, San Diego, CA; USS WASP; NATTC Memphis, TN; and NAS Cecil Field, Jacksonville, FL. While stationed at Cecil Field he made a world cruise on board the USS Enterprise with VFP 62, and retired in April of 1970 after 20 years of Naval service.

He has 5 children from a former marriage. His last employment was with the Sea Island Company of St. Simons Island, GA.

Jane graduated from Lee High School in 1956 (along with Marie Johnson and Charlie Newsome).

Jane was employed at Volkswagen Southeast for 10 years and that is where she and Bob met. They were married in April of 1972.

After their marriage they moved to Atlanta where Jane worked for Carnation Company. After her early retirement, she and Bob traveled full time in a 35 ft., 5th Wheel Travel Trailer for about 6 years.

They somehow wound up in Gulfport, Mississippi in 1995 where they learned to square dance with the Star Twirlers. After moving to Brunswick, GA in 1996, they began dancing with the Sweet Art Squares, Jekyll Island Squares, Pogo Squares, and drove all the way to Jacksonville to dance with

the Yellow Rockers Plus. In 2000, they decided there was much more dancing in the Jacksonville area and moved here.

While members of the Yellow Rockers Plus Club they served the club in several capacities, including serving for two years as the Club Delegate to the Northeast Florida Square & Round Dance Association (NEFSARDA). They purchased and kept up a Bulletin Board of upcoming events – this board stood at the entrance to the Club's dance hall for all to see. The board also included birthdays and anniversaries of club members. Bob & Jane were always an active participant in all the Club's projects.

They wasted no time in becoming involved with Association and State movements. They have served NEFSARDA as Treasurer for 3 years and during that time also served as Club Visitation Chairman for 2 years. Since 2003, they have been Delegates to the State Federation.

Bob & Jane were Sew & Save Chairman for the 2005 Florida State Convention. They also were active in the fund raising for the Convention. We all remember all the angels Jane made, and the lovely "Orange Blossom Special" quilt hanging they initiated and completed.

As NEFSARDA Treasurers they were always at the door of the 5th Saturday Dances, NEFSARDA Charity Dances, and the Fall Festivals, collecting entrance fees and selling 50/50 tickets.

The year 2005 marked the end of their Treasurer duties so they started looking for something else to do. They haven't quit serving as they will become The Grapevine editors on January 1, 2006.

At the recent Fall Festival Bob & Jane were awarded the Circle of service

FEATURE ARTICLE (Cont'd)

Bob's 96 year old mother, Ethel, came to live with them in May of 2004 and sometimes accompanies them to a dance or out to eat with some of the dancers.

Jane's hobbies are sewing, quilting and counter cross stitch. Bob is a



Meet Bob & Jane Raymond, Editors of The Grapevine!

volunteer at the P E T Project in Penny Farms and he enjoys Duplicate Bridge. We understand he and his mother make quite a team at Bridge.

Bob & Jane are members of St. Luke's Catholic Church where he serves as a Lector.

Now they have a new hobby - it's called "working like a dog as an Editor, with zero pay" - but with a lot of rewards when you realize the contribution they are making to the promotion and furtherance of Square Dancing! Bob & Jane are to be commended for stepping up to the job as editors and we think they'll do a great job!

If you don't know Bob & Jane, walk up and say hello and introduce yourself - they are Bob & Jane Raymond, Editors of NEFSARDA's publication, The Grapevine!



IN STEP WITH. . . Country Western, Clogging & Line Dancing

By Joe & Pat Seelhoef

As we enter the year 2006, we anticipate a year full of opportunities to continue to enjoy or venture into the areas of

Country Western, Lines and Clogging.

In writing this column, we invite Line dancers, Cloggers, and Country Western dancers to provide us with any news of upcoming dances and events so that they can be shared with The Grapevine community. Our address is 13740 Crashaw Road, Jacksonville, FL 32224, or you can reach us by phone at (904) 223-4101.

The Community Education Program offers some excellent classes in these dance forms. Listings of these classes at various schools are sent through the mail. Many Senior Centers also offer classes in these dance styles.

Country Western, Lines, and Clogging are fun and healthy ways for dancers of all ages to exercise both the body and mind. Many new friends can be met in these activities. Try these dances -- we think that you will love them!

We look forward to receiving and sharing your news. Happy Dancing!!



CALLERS CORNER !!

By Gary Murphy, Secretary GCA

Well, 2005 ended with whirlwind of wonderful dancing. The Harvest Moon Festival was spectacular: kudos one more time to Val and Charlie for a job well done. Then it's a big THANK YOU from the Gateway Callers to all the dancers who came out and made the Beginner Hoedown a huge success. I still don't know a better way to keep new dancers than to make them feel welcome right from the start. From there it was gaining five unwanted pounds by going to some of the best holiday pot luck dances I've ever seen. And then we wrapped up the year in fine style at the New Years Dinner Dance.

So now it's 2006 and we already know there are changes on the way. Some area clubs are going to have to make some tough decisions in the coming months, and there's no doubt that the square dancing scene in the Northeast will be different a year from today. It's going to be a time when both callers and dancers have to be flexible and decide what's best for Square Dancing if we

want our activity to survive.

I am excited about one change. As Bob and Jean Raymond take over as editors-in-chief of the Grapevine, the magazine may be going to a quarterly publication schedule. That means I'll only be late with this column four times a year instead of six times a year. That's a big improvement, and I'm pretty proud of myself! Seriously though, I applaud Bob and Jane for doing it, and I think they'll do a super job!

Looking ahead, don't forget the Sophomore Hop on Saturday February 4th. It's another chance to meet and mingle with our incoming dancers and let them know how excited we are to have them. As always, the dance starts at 7:30 p.m. at Jax Heights Elementary School and will feature the finest talent of the Gateway Caller's Association.

And remember: not all change is bad...even changes that hurt.

DO I JUST BELONG??

- Are you an active member, the kind that would be missed?
- Or are you just content, that your name is on the list?
- Do you attend the meetings, and mingle with the flock?
- Or do you stay home to criticize and knock?
- Do you take an active part to help the work along?
- Or are you satisfied to only just belong?
- Do you work with your committees and get right in and mix,
- Or leave the work to just a few and talk about the "cliques"?
- Think this over, member, you know right from wrong,
- Are you an active member...or do you just belong?

Cuer's Corner

Rounds Of The Quarter 1st Quarter - 2006

Phase 2

ROQ: Let's Go Hoppin' (TS) Shirley & Don Heiny STAR 106A
1st RU: ...Rocking With The Rhythm (TS)Karen & Ed Glloodt..RCA PB-14362

Phase 3

ROQ:.....As You Like (BL) Bill & Martha Buck STAR 130B
1st RU: Tango Fantasia (TG) Desmond & Ruth Cunningham Roper 230A

Phase 4

ROQ: My Heart Will Go On (BL).....Debby & Tim Vog.....Celine Dion CD
Let's Talk About Love
1st RU:..... Carnival (RB) Ron & Ree Rumble.....CD: WEA #19798-2, Tk
#14 'Manana De Carnaval'

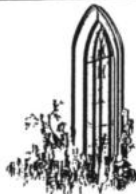
Phase 5

ROQ:.....The Human Thing To Do (FT).....Michael & Diana Sheridan...CD: Casa
Musica CM-CD304
1st RU:.....Au Revoir (FT).....Dick & Karen Fisher.....STAR CD 512

Phase 6

ROQ:.....My Confession (BL).....Ron & Ree Rumble.....CD: 'Closer', Josh Gorban
1st RU:..Sing a Long Mambo(MB)....Curt & Tammy Worlock..CD Calor Latino
Latin Unlimited Tk #17

May you have **Love** enough to share with others,
Friends enough to gladden the heart,
Faith enough to give you peace, and
Hope enough to brighten all the tomorrows of the New Year!



IN MEMORY

John Clinton Carrouthers

12/29/32 - 12/8/05

Jack Carrouthers, age 72, passed away suddenly on December 8, 2005. He was born in Miller Beach, Indiana and resided in Jacksonville for approximately 30 years.

After retirement in 1974 from the U.S. Navy after 20 years of distinguished service, he joined

STC Company in Melbourne, FL as Vice President of Education. He later owned A Sparp Idea (a saw sharpening business) for 10 years.

Jack was preceded in death by his wife of 41 years, Marlene; and a son, Clinton Wayne. Survivors include two daughters, Jayne Bowers (Gary); and Kaye Pittman (Wilson); a son, John Dennis Carrouthers (Donna); two sisters; 12 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

He was an active square dancer in the Jacksonville area for approximately 9 years. Jack was a member of Plus Fox and Seabreeze Singles Square Dance Clubs and enjoyed dancing at the many Festivals and Conventions in the State.

We extend our sincerest sympathy to all of his family and his many friends. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.



Summary of 52nd Annual Fall Festival

Harvest Moon Ball

THANKS

We want to extend our sincere **THANKS** to all our Committee **Chairmen** who worked so hard to make the Harvest Moon Ball a success. We know that some of you did not even get on the dance floor and we appreciate all of you so much!

We also want to thank our **local callers and cuer** who gave so unselfishly of their time and talent on Friday evening so that we would have a great program of dance. We also appreciate seeing some of you return on Saturday evening to dance with us.

Our thanks goes out to our **featured caller and cuer**, Mac & Phyllis McCall and Jackie & Gene Tyre, for coming to Jacksonville and giving us such a great dance -- as well as joining us in our Harvest of Talent.

To the **people** who gave of their "**talent**" in our Harvest of Talent, we say Thanks!

And, to all of you who came to support the 52nd Fall Festival -- **dancers, callers, cuers, guests from other Associations, and from out of state**, we say **Thanks** for coming -- we hope you had a great time, and hope you'll join us again next year!

Charlie & Val Newsome
Chairman

Editors' Note: Narrative and pictures on the "Harvest Moon Ball", the 52nd Annual Fall Festival, appear on the following six pages.



"HARVEST MOON BALL"

NEFSARDA'S 52ND ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL

The "Harvest Moon" came up just in time for a great dancing weekend on November 18th & 19th. While attendance was not up to par, the FUN and GOOD DANCING was way up there!

A lot of us met at 10:00 am on Friday to get the hall decorated and ready for the festivities. We were back by 6:00 pm to greet the first attendees. The Callers from the Northeast did an excellent job of providing top-notch calling for the dancing that evening and, Lisa Wall was at her usual best as she cued the rounds. The food was plentiful and door prizes were a hit with most everyone.

Two Circle of Service Awards were presented during the evening: to Bob & Jane Raymond and to John & Mary Ann Lawrence. A special award was presented by the Singles to Penny Green, their president. It was to have been presented at the Single-Rama in Sebring, but as we all know the Hurricane canceled that affair.

The 50/50 pot was won by Jerry Wright. Everyone had a great time and looked forward to returning on Saturday.

Saturday at 1:00 pm Joe & Pat Seelhoefer instructed Lines, followed by Rounds by Jackie & Gene Tyre, our featured cuers for the evening.

We took a break then and honored the callers and cuers on the program Friday night, as well as the featured caller and cuer (and all spouses) at a dinner at O'Charley's. While the service left a LOT to be desired, the quality of the food was great. We understand the salmon was fantastic!

The evening began with early rounds, and a round dance exhibition by Jackie & Gene. Next came the Grand March, and then Mac McCall was great on squares as well as Jackie being equally great on rounds.

We broke for some special awards around 9:00 pm. Dancers of The Year

were Shirley White & Smitty Smith! Congratulations to you both!

The president then presented us with a Plaque as Chairman. The Scarecrow on it is adorable! We drew the winning ticket for the Ladies Shawl Raffle - Anita Taylor was the winner! The winner of the \$100.00 Raffle was Ken Brown from West Coast. The 50/50 was won that night by Linda Loubier.

Again, the food was delicious and plentiful, and Susan & Mark kept the popcorn going both evenings. Door prizes again received raves - all prizes were purchased, no one had to bring anything. We think they liked that!

We even heard from next year's Chairman, Leroy & June Blalock, as they asked everyone to "Start their Engines and come on down to the 2006 Fall Festival!"

Both evenings, Sandy's Western Apparel was there for our shopping pleasure. We saw several ladies leaving with several bags.

Everyone was asked to pick up a free dangle and to sign in. Since we had some left, and a lot of spaces left on the sign-in sheet, we know not everyone did.

At 10:30 pm we were all sad to see the dancing end, but looking forward to the Harvest of Talent. Mac McCall and Jackie Tyre joined the list of people displaying talent and a fun time was had by all. Ernie (Elvis) Rollen closed the affair down with his rendition of "Amazing Grace".

If you missed it, you missed a great weekend of fun and fellowship. Make sure you don't miss it 2 years in a row - mark your calendar now for the 17th & 18th of November, 2006

Pictures of the weekend's events are on the following pages.

Charlie & Val Newsome
Chairman

"HARVEST MOON BALL" (Cont'd)



And the winner of
the Friday 50/50 is
... Jerry Wright!



Shirley White and Smitty Smith are presented
their Dancer Of The Year award!



Bob & Jane Raymond are presented
the Circle Of Service award!

"HARVEST MOON BALL" (Cont'd)



And the Winner of Saturday's
50/50 is....Linda Loubier!



Anita Taylor, the winner of the
Ladies Shawl, hand made and
donated by Joan Hogan!



John & Mary Ann Lawrence are presented
the Circle of Service award!



Festival Chairmen Val & Charlie Newsome are
presented the Festival Chairman's Plaque!

"HARVEST MOON BALL" (Cont'd)



A special award is presented to Penny Green, President of the Florida Singles!



Festival Chairmen for 2006, June & Leroy Blalock, invite you all to next years "Races"!!



Even though "Elvis" has been dead for many years, he still draws "them" in!!

"HARVEST MOON BALL" (Cont'd)



Friday night's line -up of callers & cuers!



Staff Coordinator, Gary Murphy,
and "Taw", Berni!



Friday night's cuer, Lisa Wall and
husband, John!

Line Dance cuers Pat
& Joe Seelhofer!



"HARVEST MOON BALL" (Cont'd)



Your Saturday Featured caller, Mac McCall, one of the Red Boot callers, and his wife, Phyllis!



Your Saturday Featured cuer, Jackie and Gene Tyre!



SHAMROCK SWING

Have you bought your tickets yet for the Shamrock Swing? Only two more months remaining before the Central Florida Association hosts our 6th Annual Shamrock Swing. You will want to be there as we kick off the dancing on Friday evening with early rounds at 7:30. Jimmy and Carol Griffin will cue the rounds for both Friday evening and Saturday day and night. Callers for this weekend event are Tony Oxendine and Whit Brown and we will square up at 8:00 P.M.

When and where is this grand event, you ask? March 10 and 11, 2006, and the place is the same as last year: First Presbyterian Church of Maitland, 341 N. Orlando Ave., Maitland, FL. Our chairman, Jim and Jan McConnaha, says we'll have workshops for both square and rounds on Saturday afternoon. (See ad elsewhere in this book) For advance ribbons make your check payable to CFA Shamrock Swing and mail to: Jack & Barbara Hoffman, 550 Captains Row, Merritt Island, FL 32952. Jack and Barbara's phone number is 321-452-3941.

Now our host hotel has changed this year. For those of you wanting to stay over we will be at the La Quinta Inn, 626 Lee Road, Orlando, 407-645-5600. (I've been assured by the McConnahas that we'll have a grand after party at the hotel on Saturday evening.) Make your reservations right away and identify yourself as a square dancer, using code CFA. Price of the room is \$71.36 per night, tax included, and includes two free full breakfasts at the Holiday House Restaurant in the hotel lobby.

Don't delay. For more information, contact Jim and Jan McConnaha, 321-636-6841.

IN MEMORY

JULIAN CLEMENT HALSEMA

1920 — 2005

Julian (Jay) Halsema, 85, a native of Jacksonville, passed away Tuesday, October 25, 2005.

Jay served in the United States Army during World War II and was the recipient of the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart. He was the owner and operator of Halsema Greenhouses. Jay was preceded in death by his son, Hugh K. "Bunky"

Epps, III, and is survived by his wife, Juanita Brinn Halsema; son, Julian Clement Halsema, Jr.; daughters, Linda Halsema Painter, Nancy Anderson and husband, Michael, Julie Gurganus and husband, Cecil, and Rachel E. Knause; ten grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Jay and Juanita were active Square Dancers for a number of years, dancing with many of the area clubs, including the Dixie Chain Gang and Clay Wheel-Arounds.

Sincerest sympathy goes out to Juanita, his family and friends. He will be missed by all who knew him.





NEFSARDA

PRESENTS:

NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER DANCE!



December 31, 2005 - Tynes Elementary School

7:00 PM Dinner

8:30 PM Early Rounds

9:00 PM New Year's Eve Dance



Callers:

Gary Murphy
John Robbins
Lawton Smith
Bill Chesnut
Ernie Rollen

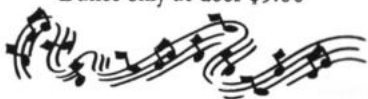
Cuers:

Tim & Nana Eum
(Washington, DC)



Dinner/Dance \$5.00 (Must purchase in Advance)

Dance only at door \$5.00



Mark Your Calendar Now.... Watch for further Details!

National Square Dance Campers Association



Press Release: #49-1

Release Date: As soon as Possible

NSDCA Pull Tabs Tops Goal Again

Members of the National Square Dance Campers Association have been collecting soda can or pop tabs for well over a decade now. Chapters are free to choose whatever project they wish to support thru the recycling of those tabs. At the International Camporee last July, the president of Chapter 118 in Missouri informed all that their chapter had donated 31 pounds and 4 ounces of pull tabs to the local Ronald McDonald House.

This year the International Camporee Committee in Hastings, Nebraska designated one table in their Display area for the collection of Pull Tabs. And soon the table was overflowing with all sorts of bags, boxes and plastic containers from the campers! A couple from Idaho, members of Chapter 001, brought along 82 pounds to add to the NSDCA collection. The International Camporee Chairman, Bill & Jan Beck, and friends took over the responsibility of taking the pull tabs home weighing it and

taking the 239 pounds to the recycling center. The money received was sent to the Girls and Boys Town of Omaha, Nebraska. Question -- If we counted 1440 small tabs in a pound, how many tabs were turned in at the recycle center?

If you or your club have not started saving tabs yet, why not? It's an easy, worthwhile project any club or person can adopt. Any Festival or Convention should be able to generate a goodly number of tabs. Make some signs to ask attendees to save the tabs, then put out containers for collecting and see how many pounds you can get in 2006. If you have no place to recycle them, contact NSDCA website for assistance. The website address is www.NSDCA.org. Our goal is at least 206 pounds in 2006. Maybe you can top the NSDCA members! Keep us posted!

Please let us know if you accept our challenge and how you make out. Happy Collecting!

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January 24thChill Cook-Off

February 14thChocolates For Your Sweetie

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Jacksonville, Florida**

For more information call:

Virginia Bomhold, President -- 744-7181

ON THE ROAD - - AGAIN!

This is a hard column to write, since we can't speak for the new editors. So, we are listing some of the events we plan to attend. We'd suggest you call Bob & Jane if there is somewhere you'd like them to try to attend. We have volunteered to continue reporting for The Grapevine if and when needed.



Dec. 31st	New Year's Eve Dinner Dance	NEFSARDA
Jan. 8th	Delegate's Meeting	NEFSARDA
Jan. 27th.....	Annual Circus Dance (Benefit)	Silver Fox Squares
Feb. 3rd	Grand Finale Florida Sunshine Festival	Lakeland, FL
Feb. 4th	GCA Sophomore Hop	Jax Heights
Feb.10th-11th	Jekyll Island Ball.....	Jekyll Island
Feb. 16th.....	Presidents' Ball.....	Moose Promenaders
Feb. 17th-18th.....	Blue-Gray Weekend.....	Dixie Dancers
Mar.10th-12th	Shamrock Swing/Federation Meeting.....	Maitland, FL
Mar.25th	Square 'Em Up Charity Dance	River Ramblers



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This column had been requested by a number of readers, however, we have received no more inputs for the article and are dropping it for lack of interest.



IN MEMORY

Those Members Of Flagler Ocean Waves Whom We Have Only Just Learned Of!

Pete Pida -- Died November 2nd, age 89 of complications after an operation for a stomach growth.

Bob Emery -- Date of death not known. We only "heard" of his passing!

John Morgan -- Died November 28th, age 87, in an accident in his garage. His widow, Meg, is surrounded by her children!

Hank Groit -- Died December 4th, of complications from diabetes, at age 74.

It is always sad to learn of those who have passed on. We can only trust in God for their keeping until we all will meet again.

Our deepest sympathy for their friends, families and loved ones who are left to mourn their passing.

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So use it wisely while you can, there's a lesson you may learn.
Let history record the past, and tomorrow come what may,
Be content to do your best with what you have **today!**

Author Unknown

Joy Seas Square Dance Club

Caller - Mike Akers



Coquina Crossing
St. Augustine

Class: 7:00-8:00 PM

Club: 8:00-9:30 PM

Tuesday Nights

(not dancing on 2nd Tuesday)



Club now dances from 1st Tuesday in November
until after State Convention in May

Mainstream Announced Plus
Rounds when available

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or the gate will be **locked**)

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Mary & John Burzo, President

904 797-7530

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Lisa Wall



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 Rollaways Tuesdays 7:30 to 9:30PM (phase II & III)
 Touch of ClassThursdays 7:30 to 9:30PM (phase III - V)
 Silver Fox Odd Fridays 8:30 to 10:00 PM (phase II & III)
 Teddy Bears Even Saturdays 7:30 to 9:30 (phase II & III)

SPECIAL DANCES--- AS ANNOUNCED

CLASSES: Intermediate (phase 3-4) waltz class begins on
 January 22nd, 6:00 - 7:30 PM

JAN/FEB SCHEDULE

Jan 1..... **NO FIRST COAST ROUNDS**
 Jan 3 **ROLLAWAYS NOT DANCING**
 Jan 5 Touch of Class.....Jan 6..... Silver Fox
 Jan 8..... First Coast Rounds.....Jan 10..... Rollaways
 Jan 12..... Touch of Class.....Jan 14 Teddy Bears
 Jan 15..... First Coast Rounds.....Jan 17..... Rollaways
 Jan 19 Touch of Class.....Jan 20..... Silver Fox
 Jan 22..... First Coast Rounds.....Jan 24..... Rollaways
 Jan 26..... Touch of Class.....Jan 27..... Circus Dance
 Jan 28..... Teddy Bears.....Jan 29..... First Coast Rounds
 Jan 31..... Rollaways.....Feb 2..... Touch of Class
 Feb 3..... Silver Fox.....Feb 4 Sophomore Hoedown
 Feb 5..... First Coast Rounds.....Feb 7..... Rollaways
 Feb 9..... Touch of Class
 Feb 11..... **TEDDY BEARS NOT DANCING**
 Feb 12..... First Coast Rounds.....Feb 14..... Rollaways
 Feb 16 Touch of Class.....
 Feb 17-19. **BLUE/GREY DANCE**
 Feb 17..... **Not Cueing Silver Fox**
 Feb 19..... **No First Coast Rounds**
 Feb 21..... Rollaways.....Feb 23..... Touch of Class
 Feb 25..... Teddy Bears.....Feb 26..... First Coast Rounds
 Feb 28..... Rollaways.....Mar 2..... Touch of Class
 Mar 3..... Silver Fox.....Mar 5..... First Coast Rounds
 Mar 7..... Rollaways.....Mar 9..... Touch of Class

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:
 CALL John or Lisa — (904) 241 0384
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"All Trails Lead to Lakeland"



**52nd Florida State Square &
Round Dance Convention
Lakeland Center, Lakeland, FL
May 26th-28th, 2006**

We have received no new publicity for the 2006 Florida State Convention, but want to take a moment to remind you that time is fast slipping by. Ribbons are for sale at a cost of **\$25.00 per person up through April 30, 2006**. At the door, the price will be **\$27.00 per person**. We do have ribbons for sale!

The Southeast Association is the host for the Convention and we have accepted the job of Hospitality Chairman for them. We will be looking for and counting on a lot of help from the Northeast dancers. You'll hear more about that a little later.

Right now, let's get our friends together, get our motel rooms reserved, purchase our registration ribbons, and be ready to hit the trail for Lakeland and the 52nd Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention on May 26th!

REMEMBER: Call us for your ribbons!

Charlie & Val Newsome

The older you get, the tougher it is to lose weight...
because by then your **body** and your **fat** are really good friends.



IN MEMORY

Thomas Charles Hidding

1924 - 2005

Services for Tom Hidding, age 81, were held on November 9th, 2005.

Mr. Hidding was an avid square dancer and was a member and square dance caller for the Northeast Florida Square Dance Association, and many other square dance clubs and organizations. He was a lifetime member of the Gateway Callers Association.

Tom was previously employed by the Clay County School Board for over 10 years as a painter, and was a member of St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Orange Park.

He was predeceased by his first wife, Mariann Clark, in 1977; and his son, Thomas J. Hidding, in 2005.

Tom is survived by his loving wife of 16 years, Dorothy "Dot" D. Hidding; one daughter, Dorothy Devenburg and her husband, David; one brother; three grandchildren; one step-daughter; two step-grandchildren; and many other loving family members.

He will be missed by the square dance community and his many friends. We extend sincerest sympathy to Dot, his family and his many, many friends.

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The Florida Sunshine Festival is offering the Peg O'Grady Memorial Fund to 1 Club in Florida and 1 Club out of State a Trophy and Certificate along with \$200.00 to use for promoting our activity. The Club that has the most full weekend pre-registration for the 2006 event will be selected at the Friday evening in the Festival Hall at 10:30pm.

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Urgent Information -- Please Read!

1. With the change of editors effective January 1, 2006, please note the telephone number and address of the new editor. All future material and questions should be forwarded to them.

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2. Delegates Meetings have been changed by a vote of Delegates to 4 times annually, and a proposal WILL BE VOTED ON at the January meeting of the Delegates to change the publication of The Grapevine from 6 to 4 times annually. If that proposal passes, CLUB REPORTERS AND/OR CALLERS & CUERS must get the information for the following 3 months to The Grapevine Editor. For instance, by **March 10th** all information for events to happen in **April, May & June** MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE EDITOR. This will include Club News, Ads, and Calendar of Events items.

NOTE: We continue to receive Club News which talks about what a club has done, but with **no info about what will be coming up in the next 2 or 3 months**. If you want visitors to know, you **MUST** include this information in Club News -- not everyone reads the Calendar of Events items.



IN MEMORY **William Milton McNeese** **1945 - 2005**

Bill McNeese, age 60, of Callahan, Fl passed away on Wednesday, October 26, 2005.

He was predeceased by his wife, Patricia McNeese; and is survived by a sister, Debbie (Kevin) Jorrey; a brother, Don (Winnifred); and several nieces and nephews.

We extend our sincere sympathy to his family and friends. A memorial tribute from Leila Lindsey follows. She writes:

Bill & Pat were so special and very much a part of our immediate family, as well as a part of our square dance family. They were part of our children's wedding. Pat & Bill spent many times in our home, just being there to share the joys. We stayed in touch by phone.


We had so much in common beyond dancing...our families and our pets. Pat was a wonderful cook and they loved to eat, so Pat was always fixing something special. Bill loved people and so did Pat. Pat and I had our sewing; Ellis and Bill their music. Bill used to be a music producer.

The reason they bought such a large home when they did was because of our family they said, and our club. They wanted us to bring ALL the kids and dancers to stay with them. They were so proud when they told us they had 4-bedrooms, a family room and den, so we would all have a place to sleep. They even called us and said they had put a pool in so the kids would not be bored.

They were both very special people and we will miss them very much!

Leila Lindsey

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February 18, 2006
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A = ADVANCED B = BASIC C = CHALLENGE
M = MAINSTREAM P = PLUS R = ROUNDS L = LINES
All locations are Jacksonville unless shown otherwise

SUNDAY

FIRST COAST ROUNDS: "R" Every Sunday. Class 6:00 - 7:30 PM Club Phase II & III, 7:30 - 8:30 PM; Club Phase III IV, 8:30 - 9:30 PM. Arlington Congregational Church United Church Of Christ, 431 University Blvd. North - this is one block south of the Arlington Expressway on University Blvd.. Cuer-Instructor: Lisa Wall. Contact: Lisa & John Wall, 904 241-0384.

MONDAY

NO CLUBS CURRENTLY DANCING ON MONDAY NIGHTS

TUESDAY

DIXIE DANCERS: "P/R" Every Tuesday. Dance 7:30 - 9:30 PM. Teen Town, 312 N. 6th St., Lake City. Caller: Bill Chesnut 352 374-8582; Cuer: Maggie Tripp 352 493-0853 OR Ralph Beekman 386 752-2544. Contact: Ouida Taylor 386 752-1469 or Annette Conk 386 935-1548.

GRAND SQUARES: "P" Every Tuesday. Dance 7:30 - 9:30 PM. 1910 N W 53rd Ave., Gainesville, (Union Hall). Caller : Lon Ligon 352 377-1828

JOY SEAS: "M/P/L/R" Every Monday. Class 7:00 - 8:00 PM Club Dance 8:00-9:30 PM. St. Augustine - Coquina Crossing , 195 S, exit 94, West on SR207, 1 mile, on the left. You **MUST** be thru the gate prior to 8:00 PM or you **WON'T** get in!! **NO DANCE EVERY 2nd TUESDAY**

ROLLAWAYS: "M/P/R/L" Every Tuesday. Class 7:00 - 8:30 PM Club Dance 8:30-10:00 PM. Sandalwood High School. 2750 John Prom Blvd. Caller: Ken Miller 904 268-4492. Contact: Virginia Bornhold....904 744-7181

SEABREEZE SINGLES: "M/P" Every Tuesday Class 7:00 - 8:30 PM Club 8:30 - 10:00 PM Arlington Presbyterian Church 1300 Sprinkle Dr, Caller: Jim Cosman 912 882-4006. Contact: Shirley White, President, 904 388-1463 Banner Chmn, Jerry Kangas, 272-6729

WEDNESDAY

FUN N FROLICS: "A" 2nd & 4th Wednesday Dance 7:00 - 9:00 PM Jax Heights Elementary School, 7750 S Tempest St. Caller: Jim Cosman 912 882-4006 Contact Russell & Carolyn Ueber 904 223-9347 or Dale & Gerry Fredrickson, 904 269-9717 **No Banner Stealing Please!**

PLUS FOX: "P" 1st & 3rd Wednesday. Club Dance 7:30-9:30 PM. Jax Heights Elementary School, 7750 S. Tempest St. Caller: Gary Murphy 904 739-1474. Contact: Stephen & Marie Bigelow 771-7249

THURSDAY

MANDARIN MARAUDERS: "M/P/L" Every Thursday. Class 7:00 - 8:30 PM Club 8:30 - 10:00 PM, First Christian Church, 11924 San Jose Blvd. in Mandarin. Caller: Lawton Smith 904 389-3349. Contact: Fran & Debbie LIPira 904 287-9904 or Ron & Judy Rodriguez 904 287-8762

**NORTHEAST FLORIDA SQUARE & ROUND DANCERS ASSOCIATION
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T H U R S D A Y (Cont'd)

MOOSE PROMENADERS: "P/L" Every Thursday. Class 7:00- 8:30 PM, Club Dance 8:30-10:00 PM. 5051 Collins Rd., Moose Lodge, Orange Park. Caller: Bill Chesnut 352 374-8582. Contact: Jackie Hamlin (731-9181) and Jerry Kangas (272-6729), President Banner Chmn. Janette Sparrow 904 278-7855

RIVER RAMBLERS: "MP" Every Thursday. Club 7:00 - 8:30 PM. club dance 8:30 - 10:00 PM 112 Yelvington Rd., East Palatka (Just off US 17, Approx. 1/2 mile So of SR207) (Putnam County Shrine Club). Caller: Ernie Rollen 904 282-2335 - President: Chuck & Betty Willis 352 476-3886 - Banner Chmn: Tom & Jean Moore 386 325-4118

VAGABOND SQUARES: "M/P/R" (Recorded) Every Thursday. Club Dance 8:00-10:00 PM. St. Lukes Episcopal Church, Parish Hall, 1391 SW 11th St. - Live Oak, FL. Caller: Ralph Beekman 386 752-2544. Contact: Pat Sandifer 386 658-1129.

TOUCH OF CLASS: "R" Phase III-V Club 7:30 - 9:30 PM. Sandalwood Hi School 2750 John Prom Blvd. Cuer: Lisa Wall 904 241-0384. Contact: John or Lisa Wall 904 241-0384

F R I D A Y

FLAGLER OCEAN WAVES: "MP/R" every Friday Class 6:30 - 8:00 PM Club 8:00 - 10:00 PM Wickline Center - Council on Aging, Flagler Beach (Flagler Ave.) Caller: R J Hogan (352) 376-2428 Contact Jack and Gen Conn, 386-740-1642 Cuer: Irene Knapp 386-409-3399

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SILVER FOX SQUARES: "P/R" Every Friday. Class 7:00 - 8:30 PM Club Dance 8:30 - 10:00 PM. Jax Heights Elem. School. Caller: Ernie Rollen 904 282-2335. Contact: Skip & Carolyn Blymiller 904 777-0251

S A T U R D A Y

TEDDY BEAR SQUARES: "P/R" 2nd & 4th Saturday. Club 7:30 - 9:30 PM. St Matthews Lutheran Church 6801 Merrill Rd. Caller: Gary Murphy 904 739-1474. Cuer: Lisa Wall 904 241-0384 Contact: Bud & Diane German 904 781-1532.

NO DANCE December 24th.

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

WHICH END ?

(Reprinted from the *USDA News* pamphlet The Volunteer Leader.)

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Don't Forget...

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Check the Calendar of Events in The
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Pink Cadillac Dance

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For Info call :

Jackie Hamlin - 731-9181 or Jerry Kangas - 272-6729

GCA BEGINNERS HOEDOWN

By Val Newsome

The GCA Beginners Hoedown was held on Saturday evening, December 3rd. We did not attend due to a previous commitment, but hear it was a great dance for all our class students. Pictures of those attending were given to us by someone and we have included them for your information.

Don't forget that the Sophomore Hop is coming up. It will be at Jax Heights on Saturday evening, February 4th. Hope to see you there!

The Gateway Callers Association sponsors these dances for all the people in classes -- make sure you encourage them to attend!



Dancers at the GCA Beginners Hoedown pose for the camera. Some of them must have paid twice - - - they are in two pictures (?!!!)



Come Dance with the



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WHAT'S COOKING?

By Val Newsome

I'll use as many of the recipes we have in this issue, and give the remainder of them to the new editor for their use in future issues of The Grapevine. Please support them by continuing to send in your favorite recipes.



BEEF BARLEY SOUP (Peg Begley)

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| 1 lb lean hamburger, brown & break up. | 2 qts. beef broth (or more until right consistency.) |
| 1 cup quick cooking barley | |
| 1-1/2 cups dried baby lima beans (soak overnight to reduce cooking time) | 3 stalks celery, sliced |
| 1 small onion (chopped) | 1 large carrot, sliced |
| | 2 cloves garlic, minced |

In a large, heavy pot brown the beef and onion. Add rest of ingredients, except the barley. Bring to a boil and reduce heat. Cover pot and simmer 1-1/2 to 2 hours or until beans are tender. Add more broth if needed Add barley last 10 minutes or whatever the recommended cooking time is on the box.

BACON WRAPS (Gerry Jesk)

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| 1 pkg bacon (I use Gwatneys 40% low fat or Turkey Bacon) | 2 cans of whole water chestnuts (if they are big, I cut them in half) |
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Wrap each chestnut in bacon, cut the bacon, (sometimes you get 2 or 3 wraps off of one slice of bacon.) Secure in place with a toothpick and place on cookie sheet or baking pan. Place in oven and bake @325 degrees for 45 minutes. If you use turkey bacon, use 300 degrees and maybe only 20 minutes baking time. SAUCE: 1/2 cup catsup; 1/2 cup sugar (can use sugar substitute); 1/4 cup water. Mix in saucepan and bri boil and then pour over bacon wraps after they come out of oven. Backe another 20-30 minutes with sauce on them. Make these ahead of time and just pour sauce over wraps and let them set in sauce until you are ready to use then bake 30 minutes at 325 degrees or more if needed.

BETTER THAN SEX CAKE (Jean Lee)

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| 1 box yellow cake mix | 1- 20 oz can crushed pineapple |
| 1 cup sugar | 1- 5 5/8 oz box instant vanilla pudding |
| 1 cup sour cream (or 8 oz cream cheese) | 1-12 oz container cool whip |
| 1 teaspoon vanilla flavoring | Coconut & chopped nuts, if desired |

Prepare cake mix in 13x9 pan. Combine undrained pineapple and sugar and heat until mixture comes to a boil. Boil about 2 minutes. When cake is done, remove from oven and puncture all over with a fork. Pour pineapple over hot cake. Make pudding according to package directions; fold in sour cream (or cream cheese). Spread over cool cake. Top with cool whip and sprinkle with nuts and coconut if desired. Keep refrigerated.

That's about all I have room for. Hope you enjoy all of them!

5TH SATURDAY DANCE

The Northeast's next 5th Saturday Dance is not until **April 29th, 2006**. Mark your calendar now and watch for flyers and more information in the next issue of The Grapevine.

STITCHIN' TIME

By Val Newsome



We are using our last article from the "Sew Finer In Carolina" Sewing Book from the 47th National Square

that look best on them. To determine what yours are, hold color swatches against your face and see which colors brighten your complexion and which ones make you look sallow and "washed out."

Dance Convention which was held in Charlotte, NC in June, 1998. One-Half of the new Editor team sews, so she will be bringing you some informative help for your sewing projects.

It is best to purchase a washable, wrinkle-resistant fabric (unless you enjoy ironing ruffles), and wash and dry the material before you cut out your garment.

TIPS ON BUYING MATERIAL AND TRIMS (Part I)

Be sure to buy enough material! Sometimes a piece of material will not be cut straight, or the need to match a pattern might require extra fabric, or a little extra material might be needed for additional fullness to the garment. Also, extra material (1/4 - 1/2 yards) is sometimes needed when designing variations in a pattern. It never hurts to have a little extra material in case the garment "shrinks in the closet" and an extra gusset or two needs to be added.

It is nice to build a good pattern supply so that, as one becomes more confident in sewing and designing skills, pattern pieces can be interchanged for many different looks.

Since lace and other types of trimmings can sometimes become a very expensive part of the garment, it pays to purchase these items whenever they are found on sale, even though an immediate use might not be evident at the time. Expensive fabrics are another item to shop for during sales.

Always have a piece of the fabric along when purchasing thread, zippers, trims, etc. When purchasing trim always consider the texture and weight of the material and choose it to enhance rather than distract from the garment.

Expensive fabrics often require expensive trims. Plain cotton or calico usually lend themselves to the less expensive lace or trims. Be sure that the trims are compatible with the type of material that is to be used. If the fabric is washable, make sure that the trim is also.

When figuring the amount needed, 8 - 10 yards will easily trim most square dance garments. If using multiple rows of trim as much as 15 - 16 yards might be needed. When purchasing lace, it is much cheaper to use flat lace than pre-gathered. (When edging ruffles always use flat lace.) If gathered lace is desired, gather it using the shirring foot attachment on the sewing machine. Lace will gather much tighter than fabric so use a lower number on the tension dial. (Figure a two to one ratio when gathering -- 2x the lace to 1x the fabric.)

Remember that cotton lace will shrink some when washed so purchase extra yardage to allow for this. When sewing the trim onto the garment use a slightly longer stitch than for normal sewing. This will also help to offset any shrinkage that may occur.

It is easier to attach the trim to the edges of ruffles, the bottoms of sleeves and skirts, etc., before sewing the garment together.

NOTE: Save the material/trim scraps for making accessory items such as belts, earrings, and/or pins.

When purchasing fabric consider your best colors. Everyone has colors

(Part 2, next issue)

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For more information, please call:

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2006 CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations

CLUB	MONTH	DATE OBSERVED	ANNIV. #
Dixie Dancers	Sep		28th
First Coast Rounds	Jun		5th
Flagler Ocean Waves	Apr		30th
Fun 'N Frolics	Mar		50th
Grand Squares	Jun		31st
Gypsy Squares	Dec	2	16th
Joy Seas	Apr		15th
Mandarin Marauders	Apr		21st
Moose Promenaders	Apr		16th
Plus Fox	Jan		20th
River Ramblers	Apr		8th
Rollaways	Apr	11	18th
Seabreeze Singles	Sep		30th
Silver Fox	Jun	9	21st
Square Wheels	Sep	16	25th
Teddy Bears	Jun	10	22nd
Touch Of Class			
Vagabond Squares	Nov		12th

EDITORS' NOTE: Please report dates not listed--or corrections--to us immediately. Thanks!

With Our Recent Sick

Earl Brandt	stroke
Lou Cartwright	lung surgery/recuperation
Monica David	needs kidney transplant
Luther Delp	illness
Mike Dutton	heart surgery
Margaret Edlin	surgery
Jerry Guard	illness
Jackie Hamlin	broken wrist
Bill Hernandez	recuperation
Bob Kielbasa	illness
Woody Mays	leg problems
Patsy Peay	chemo/stem cell transplant
Ray Reedy	back problem
Marvin Simpson	heart surgery
Lawton Smith	illness
Hank Spaulding	illness
Bessie Stovall	chemo treatments
Oudra Thomas	recuperation
Tom Tripp	illness
Marion Whiting	continued recuperation
Ed Williams	foot surgery
Helen Williams	chemo treatments
Sergei Zelenkov	chemo/radiation complete-recuperation



Get Well Soon! We Miss You!

The Grapevine sends sincerest sympathy to . . .



Dot Hidding, on the death of her husband, Tom.

Carrouters family, on the death of Jack.

McNeese family, on the death of Bill.

"Toots" Halsema, on the death of Jay.

Cards and Prayers are always welcome.

WHY IS A BIG SOCIAL OCCASION CALLED A SHINDIG?

A shindig is an event, party or occasion that draws a crowd. There are two theories about its origin. One holds that it's derived from an old slang word, "shindy," now obsolete, meaning a lot of noise, a disturbance. The more colorful theory has it originating in areas where Square Dancing was popular. In fact, this kick-up-your-heels word does have a western or southern sound to it. Some people at

Square Dances were not so light on their feet, or so this theory goes. In fact, they weren't so light on other people's feet, either. Spend an evening on the dance floor and there was a good chance that one of those wayward feet would dig into your shin, making the evening a shindig.

(From: *Why You Say It** by Webb Garrison)



VALENTINE'S DAY

(Reprinted from TRAVEL ON, December '99)

Valentine's Day, as you and I know it, originated from the ancient belief that birds (particularly lovebirds) began to mate on February 14th.

The fourteenth was also a designated feast day (until 1969, when it was dropped from the Roman Catholic calendar) to honor two Christian saints (at least one names Saint Valentine) martyred by the Roman Emperor Claudius II Gothicus. There is a little bit of love stuff in this part -- the reason Saint Valentine was killed (beheaded, actually) was that he continued to marry young couples even though Claudius forbade it. Apparently, Claudius thought that married soldiers weren't as good as single soldiers.

On top of all that, in ancient Rome, February 15 was the fertility festival (Lupercalia) in honor of the pastoral god Lupercus.

Through the centuries it all merged together, and the modern Saint Valentine's Day is a day dedicated to lovers, a time to exchange sentimental greeting cards and mushy words of never-ending adoration.



PUT PREVENTION INTO PRACTICE

Reprinted from The Pulse, Fall 2001

Did you know that if the health effects of exercise could be made into a pill, it would be the most widely prescribed medication in the world? Unfortunately an "exercise pill" does not exist, but you can still reap the benefits through your own regular exercise routine. Consider the many positive effects of physical activity:

1. Reduces risk of heart disease
2. Helps lift mood.
3. Lowers blood pressure.
4. Protects against some cancers.
5. Bolsters the immune system.
6. Helps relieve stress.
7. Helps maintain bones and joints.
8. Reduces risk of developing diabetes.
9. Helps weight loss.
10. It's fun!



Exercise can be fun! Select activities that you like to do, such as tennis, walking your dog, swimming, gardening, **dancing**, etc. Aim for at least 20 minutes of exercise 3 to 5 times per week. Perhaps you'd enjoy exercising with a friend or family member, making it more of a social event. Or be adventurous -- do a variety of exercises so you don't get bored, and occasionally try a new activity on a weekend.

Editors' Note: Square Dancing is a good form of exercise! So, GO DANCING!!

DONNA HICKEN BREAST CANCER FOUNDATION

Members of the NEFSARDA Board, along with the Chairman of the Benefit Dance and The Grapevine editors, presented Donna Hicken with a check for \$4,606.76 at the TV Station. Donna is a charming, gracious lady, and was most appreciative of the donation. After the presentation, Donna gave us a brief tour of the news studio, and we had a chance to meet Tim Deegan and Ken Amaro.



President Anita & Bud Taylor present the check to Donna Hicken!

Members of the "Presentation Committee" look on as Donna receives the check!



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THANK YOU !!

Even though it is late, I want to thank all of you square and round dancers for your outpouring of sympathy on the death of my husband Norb.

It didn't end with the cards and initial expressions of concern, but continued on and I am grateful beyond words for the support you all gave me, in helping me get through this difficult time.

Gaye



Silver Fox Squares Annual Circus Dance!

January 27, 2006

7:30 - 10:00 P.M.

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\$4.00 per person in Advanced

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Club News!

DIXIE DANCERS

Ouida Taylor 386-752-1469

We started a new class on November 7, 2005 and are very excited about the progress the new dancers have made. They stay after the class is over to watch the club dance.

On December 6, 2005 it was our honor to do a demo for The Christian Service Center's volunteer appreciation dinner which was held at Parkview Baptist Church in Lake City. The event was well attended and everyone seemed to enjoy the demo. The audience was invited to participate and many who did participate seemed very interested in learning more about square dancing. It was an enjoyable evening for everyone.

Plans are being made to start a round dance class on Monday night. The class will be for beginners and intermediate dancers. This class will be taught by Ralph Beekman.

On January 10th we start our theme dances with our famous Hobo Stew. This is symbolic that we are all broke after Christmas. Those who wish may dress as a hobo, however, that is not a requirement.

February is super busy starting with our Sweet Heart Dance on February 14th. The Square Wheels Camping Club sponsors The Trails End Dance on Friday February 17th at Teen Town in conjunction with The Olustee Festival. The Dixie Dancers sponsor a street dance in downtown Lake City on Saturday afternoon, February 18, followed by our BIG annual Blue/Grey Dance Saturday night with the Grand March starting at 7:45 PM at The American Legion in Lake City. The caller for this dance is Danny Robinson with Rounds between tips cued by Maggie Tripp and Ralph Beekman. There will be many door prizes and a silent auction. We look forward to seeing you at this dance.

On March 14th we will celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

We dance on Tuesday night and invite you to come dance with us. Our caller is Bill Chesnut with rounds between tips cued by Ralph Beekman.

THANK YOU!!

What a surprise to have been chosen as Square Dancers of the Year for 2005 !

Thank you so much!

Smitty Smith

Shirley White

NOTICE!!

In our never ending quest to satisfy ALL of our readers, we have strategically placed errors and typos within the confines of this publication for those who are always looking for them! If only one person finds a "goof" -- then we have accomplished our task.

The Editors

FLAGLER OCEAN WAVES

By Sharon Hepburn 386 446-1597

To start on a positive note, we have one enthusiastic couple who is enjoying learning to dance. Perhaps in January we will have another open house and try to entice some others to join Tess and Tom Mitchell.

Ken Perez came to fill in for R.J. while he was on his annual Gatlinburg outing. Ken loves to play jokes on R.J. so he told us to do "Tea Cup Chain" if R.J. called Grand Square and vice versa. R.J. laughed when he saw us messing up his call because he knew that Ken had put us up to it.

Halloween came and so did a pirate, a mermaid and a witch. It took some dancers awhile to discover the tricky identities under the costumes. Popcorn, candy corn and goodies provided the treats for a Happy Halloween. Of course, we had to have a mixer dance, so cards with half a witch were passed to the girls and they had to find the other half of the witch, held by a guy. Then all the witches, cats, spiders, ghosts formed into squares. R.J., once again, managed to call a good dance despite our efforts to confuse him.

On November 4th, the club celebrated life with a special party for Patsy Peay, who is battling cancer. She has undergone Chemotherapy and stem cell transplant. Patsy is a seamstress, who has made countless items that our dancers enjoy wearing. So, we brought her a Happy Peay Day cake and we all wore our "Made especially for you by Patsy Peay" clothes. The club is so glad that she is feeling better.

Our Litter Pick Up crew always deserve our recognition. Those keeping A1A looking spiffy for the

Holiday Season were Nancy Bixon, our marvelous leader, Joyce and Dick Mangsen, Ann and Felder Phillips and John Palatini. Thank you all for that effort.

The Chinese Auction for a needy family is usually lots of fun, in addition to raising money for others. This year, tickets were put into the bags in hopes of winning the gifts to give to another needy family being helped by another group. Are you confused? So am I, trying to keep track of who is getting what. We were proud to announce that we had over \$200. What could be more special at this time of year!

Rumor has it that the FOW Players are planning a snowman theme at our Christmas Dinner. We will let you know of the success of our skit, "The Abdominal Snowman". Look for us off Broadway!

Looking ahead to 2006, our first dance on January 6, will be a black and white theme for the New Year. Maybe some of us will come all duded up. Wonder if Wendy will wear her tiara? On the 20th of January, we are having Chocolate Night. Maybe someone will receive one of those new Chocolate fountains and bring it to share with us. Wouldn't that be decadent?

It is with heavy hearts that our club pays its respect to the memory of Charlie Blletsch, Bob Emory, John Morgan, Hank Groit and and Pete Pida. The total passed for 2005 is now at five of our dancers. All will be missed and we wish their families well.

Please, all who read this, stay safe, healthy and have a wonderful Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, and a Joyous New Year.

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new?



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FUN 'N FROLICS

By Carolyn Ueber 904 223-9347

The Fun 'N Frolics Advanced Square Dance Club continues to have a great time dancing to Jim Cosman. We dance the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the month. We dance from 7:00 - 9:00 PM at Jax Heights Elementary School located at 7750 S. Tempest St.

Jim is a really good and interesting caller and puts a lot of effort into his calling in order to keep everything interesting. Jim knows how to keep us on our toes and really makes the evening lots of fun.

At our November dance, "Dutch" Stormes made a special effort to come to the dance and let us know that he and Mikki won't be dancing "A" with us anymore. We will really miss them. It has been a pleasure and an honor to dance with these two very special people, and we all wish them the best.

We also had Gene Lam visiting us that evening - it was a treat to see him again. We want to also welcome Gail Pflaster who joined the Fun 'n Frolics that evening - we're all looking forward to dancing with her for the seven months of the year that she's here in northeast Florida.

I have to write this before our December dance, but we expect to have a special holiday dance and enjoy the punch and finger foods that our members bring.

Ray Reedy continues to have back pain and we hope he'll soon be feeling better so that he and Eleanor can come back and dance with us. We hope that all Advanced dancers will be able to join us to keep the only advanced club in town dancing. Hope to see you soon.

GRAND SQUARES

By Ma Craig 352 528-2238

Our Hobo Stew night in October attracted only a couple square dancers but the hall was overflowing with hobos of all descriptions. Not only did they gobble up the stew, but they danced too.

Among the attendees at our Halloween dance on November 1st, were pumpkin-head scarecrows, Sherlock Holmes, dance hall girls, cowboys, a doctor, a witch, a Marine (who can still wear his fatigue jacket), a Hawaiian tourist, a spirit, a headless horseman holding his "bleeding" head., a weird short legged pot bellied "man" named Sue, and a pumpkin-head child robot who greeted with open arms everyone who came near him/her.

About three squares of club members and students attended the Harvest Moon arts and crafts festival dance and demo in Alachua on November 18th.

Our holiday pot luck supper and dance began at 6 pm December 13th.

We have a Holiday mail holder for exchanging Christmas cards. Donations are always welcomed for the homeless at St. Francis House, our club charity.

Some club members attended the Christmas Dance at Top of the World in Ocala on the 10th and their New Year's Eve dance on the 30th. Several attended the New Year's Eve dinner and dance at Dancing Shadows in Belleview and a couple went to the NEFSARDA New Years Eve dinner and dance in Middleburg on the 31st.

Pat Miller, our party chairman, is planning a Valentine dance on February 14th and a St. Patrick's Day party on March 14th.

We dance every Tuesday evening from 7:30 until 9:30 PM. with a workshop at 7. For more information, see the club listings or check out our web page by going to lonligon.com. Lonnie can also be reached at 352/377-1828.

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Charlie & Val,

Another big Thank You for a great Fall Festival!

Shirley & Smitty

MOOSE PROMENADERS

Hazel Clark 904 778-0134

The Promenaders Annual Christmas Dinner Dance was held on December 15th. We had lots of good food and dancing with Bill Chesnut calling. Our class members attended, as did many of the area dancers.

By the time you read this, the New Year's Eve Dinner Dance presented by NEFSARDA will probably be history. Sure hope you were one of the ones who attended this night of fun, food and dancing.

The month of January we'll be back to normal - no special events. The club will be having the regular dance class

with plus dancing after the class.

The Presidents Ball will be held February 16th and is in honor of our NEFSARDA Club Presidents. We appreciate our Club Presidents and all they do to support the clubs. Come to the Ball and show your support for your Club President.

We hope you had a wonderful Holiday Season with family and friends. Now, come join us on Thursday nights at the Moose Lodge on Collins Road and dance to the great calling of our caller, Bill Chesnut.

PLUS FOX

Gaye Feuer 904 743-1087

Plus Fox Square Dancers invite you to dance with us to the inspired calling of Gary Murphy, assisted by his law Bernie. We square up at Jax Heights Elementary School on Tempest St. (a few blocks off 103rd St.), on the First and Third Wednesdays of the month (excluding holidays). Our next dance is

January 4, 2006.

Gary also cues Rounds! Those of us who Round dance get an extra benefit.

We hope everyone had happy holidays.

Please join us in a square in 2006!

RIVER RAMBLERS

Cecilia Hodges 904-692-2136

Well, here it is 2006 already. The holidays have been and gone. I love these cool mornings, sure beats the heat of summer.

We're having a good time here in Palatka; Ernie is doing a great job with the class and calling a fantastic dance for the rest of us.

On October 13th we held a recycle night and had tons of things to choose from. Ladies left with an outfit or two.

Some of the money went for the victims of Hurricane Katrina.

We had a really spooky Halloween costume party contest on the 27th. There were clowns and devils, and the Durango Kid made sure all the Pioneers and Buccaneers treat Lady of the Roaring "20" with the respect she deserved. First place went to the Clown from Hell, AKA Don Burton; second place went to class member Slyetiana Bychigcuan as

RIVER RAMBLERS (Cont'd)

the Vampire Witch.

On the 28th we celebrated Halloween again as we retrieved a banner from Flagler Ocean Waves. All of us thank them for a wonderful night and R.J.Hogan for a fun dance.

November was our Food Drive Month and thanks to all we had a very nice basket to give to a needy family. Hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving.

On the 17th of November we had our Thanksgiving Dinner and the ladies outdid themselves with all the good cooking. Special thanks goes to Hazel Burton for the great turkey, and Sandy Jones for the delicious ham; and to everyone else for all the great veggies, pies, and cakes.

On November 10th, we had two squares put on a demo for the AFC Association (A Home for Handicapped Citizens), and it was a pleasure doing this and putting a smile on their faces. We had a great time showing everyone what we do and helping them do a few movements. With a group of about 75 in attendance they were showing us more pleasure than we were giving them. Many thanks goes to Bob Izzard for setting things up and music and calling. A special thanks goes to all those dancers that gave of their time to help put smiles on a lot of faces. Those giving of themselves were

Don & Hazel Burton; Bob & Ruth Izzard; Chuck & Kitty Willis; Jim & Audrey Phinney; Dick & Sandy Jones; Tom & Jean Moore; Buck & Dovie McDonald; and Cecilia Hodges.

Sure - hope everyone went to the Harvest Moon Ball -- If not, you missed a good time. Congratulations to all the committees who worked so hard to make it a wonderful dance.

On November 25th we had the pleasure of being in the Palatka Christmas Parade. It was a lot of fun making the float. This year Jeff and myself had the honor of coming up with an idea and putting it together. We'd like to thank Don Burton for the use of his trailer and Bob Izzard for the use of his generator. A special thanks to all who came out and participated and danced on the float. The entire club would like to give a special thanks to our clarinet, Ernie Rollen, and his gracious wife, Frances, for coming to call for us. As always, Ernie had a good selection of Christmas music for the occasion and he looked sharp in his green suede jacket; and Frances was helping in all the decorations. We took 2nd Place in our division!

Hope all of you went to the NEFSARDA New Year's Eve Dance.

See you next year!!*



Club members at the "Harvest Moon Ball" in November!

RIVER RAMBLERS (Cont'd)



The club took second place in the Palatka Christmas Parade.
Way to go, gang!!

ROLLAWAYS

Mary Hamilton 904 744-2083

The Rollaways have enjoyed an active Holiday Dance season this year. Halloween was full of costume surprises and fun for all.

The Thanksgiving dinner dance on November 22nd was lovely and a time to count our many blessings.

The Christmas Dance on December 13th did a cookie exchange to get into the spirit of things and collect donations for our annual Christmas service project.

On December 16th, the club visited nursing homes to deliver those items and spend some special time with the residents.

Square dance lessons are progressing nicely, with the class really beginning to enjoy themselves as they learn to put it all together. It's nice to see so many new faces and the club applauds all their efforts. We are glad you are here!

The club is also enjoying the smile and laughter of MaryLou Morton as we welcome her home to the Rollaways.

As we begin this New Year 2006, let's keep the Lively Spirit of Square Dancing alive at each and every Club dance.

SEABREEZE SINGLES

By Mary Lou Pelz 904 733-1869

Many of the Singles attended the Fall Festival in November. Congratulations to Shirley White and Smitty Smith for being selected as the Dancer Of The Year. We are so proud to have them as members and they certainly deserved this award!

Seabreeze Singles ended 2005 with a very busy December. It started off with the Mayor's Annual Christmas Party for seniors. Then a number of us attended the Southside Baptist Church Singing Christmas Tree Program. One of our members, Anne Buchanan, sings in the

choir. It was a wonderful program and puts one in the Christmas mood.

Congratulations to Seabreeze members Erv Oermann and Jan Laster who married on December 17. We wish them many many years of happiness.

We had a lovely Sunday afternoon at Diane Stewart's home in Kingsland GA. We ate, exchanged gifts, and sang carols. The following Tuesday we had our club Christmas party. We enjoyed some delicious food followed by a fun dance.

Rather than cancel for the holidays,

SEABREEZE SINGLES Cont'd)

we decided we needed to work off some calories. So we danced on the Tuesday between Christmas and New Years and ordered pizza for everyone there. (Well, I guess we didn't work off too many calories after all that pizza!)

A good way to end 2005 and welcome in 2006 was the New Year's Eve Dance. Our thanks go to all who worked so

hard planning this event.

Finally, every square dancer owes a great deal of gratitude and thanks to Charlie and Val Newsome who for so many years have published THE GRAPEVINE. The Northeast is very fortunate to have them. They deserve a rest and we wish them happy travels.

Happy New Year to all!!

SILVER FOX

Lillie & Manuel Irizarry 904 266-1083

We hope that your Holidays were pleasant, peaceful and merry/happy and that you were able to share and enjoy with friends, relatives, your loved ones. At the end, that's all that counts.

Our Christmas Potluck Dinner and Toys for Tots event was celebrated on December 9th. We had plenty to eat, including the sweet goodies. It was a lot of fun and we collected plenty of toys for the kids of "Toys for Tots".

Our new dancers are mastering the classes like pros. Of course, with Ernie and Frances at the helm, it should not be

so difficult. No doubt that he is a great teacher and certainly, a great caller. Period!

Our annual Circus Dance for 2006, for the Dreams Come True benefit, will be celebrated on January 27th. Please join us for a night of fun dancing. At the same time you will be helping a good cause, by helping an ill child to make his/her dream come true. Let us join efforts and help the less fortunate.

Have a safe and fun spring and remember, yellow rock your partner!!!



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SPECIAL FUN DANCES

- Jan. 27th.....Annual Circus Dance
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Feb. 10th.....Chocolate, Chocolate, Chocolate Dance
Mar. 17th.....St. Patty's Day Dance (wear green)
Mar. 31st.....Fifth Friday Dance (All Singing Calls)

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SQUARE WHEELS

Martha Zimmerman 352 336-5311

The O'Leno Hoedown was a great success. The weather was beautiful and we had over 200 dancers in attendance. The food was delicious (great cooks!). Thanks to all of you for helping make this weekend the best ever!

On December 2-4, we camped out with the Gypsy Squares and had our Christmas Dinner and party together. We camped at the Ocala Ranch RV Park, just south of Ocala. Friday dinner was on our own and dress for the dance was casual. Saturday dinner was at 5:00 PM...with turkey, ham and potatoes being provided. We all brought a covered dish or dessert to share. Right after dinner we started our party off by singing songs and then had the gift exchange. Gifts were to be for \$10 or less and marked as man, woman or generic. It was a lot of fun and we always look forward to it. We then danced from 8:00 - 10:00 pm. The

Gypsies provided breakfast before we all left for home.

Our January campout will be the weekend of January 20-22, 2006 and will be at Suwannee Valley Campground in White Springs, FL.

In February we will camp on the weekend of 17th-19th at Oaks N Pines RV Park in Lake City. This camp out is always held in conjunction with the Blue-Grey Festival. Remember the Square Wheels will sponsor the Friday evening dance at Teen Town Rec. Center. We hope you'll join us for the Friday evening dance as well as the Saturday Blue-Grey Dance sponsored by Dixie Dancers. This is always one of the great dance weekends around the area.

Our recouping members are Oudra Thomas and Marian Whiting. Please keep them in your prayers.

We wish everyone a very Happy and Prosperous New Year!!

TEDDY BEARS

Gaye Feuer 904 743-1087

Teddy Bear Squares invite you to dance plus with us at our First Beach Party of 2006, January 14th. Hint: Wear beach attire, bring your snorkel gear.

We'll be squaring up at St. Matthews Lutheran Church, 6801 Merrill Road, on

the Second and Fourth Saturdays of each month. Enjoy the calling of Gary Murphy and chat with jaw Bernie.

Round Dance classes in the waltz continue with lessons by cuer Lisa Wall at 7 PM. prior to our dance from 7:30 to 9:30 PM.

YELLOW ROCKERS PLUS

Lawton & Eleanor Smith 904 389-3349

Due to the declining attendance at our Monday night dances, the fact that Trinity Lutheran Church will be renovating the fellowship hall/kitchen area after the first of the year and the fact that Lawton is having some health concerns, we have decided to **close** the Yellow Rockers Plus Club. Our last dance was December 19th, 2005.

We are truly grateful to all of you who have so faithfully supported us

through these many years. You have been more than just square dancers to us. You have been friends and extended family and we hope we will continue to be a part of your lives.

It's always a sad time when an era comes to a close but change has come and we must accept that.

We wish you all well with your future endeavors.

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CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

JANUARY 2006 Planning For The Future!!!

06	Black & White Dance.....(Wear black & white).....	Flagler Ocean Waves
6-8	Pacettis' Marina.....	Gypsy Squares
08	Delegates Meeting.....	NEFSARDA
10	HoBo Stew Night.....(Dress accordingly).....	Dixie Dancers
14	1st Beach Party (wear beach "stuff").....	Teddy Bears
20	Chocolate Night.....	Flagler Ocean Waves
21	Snowflake Frolic.....(SESARDA).....	Boynton Beach, FL
20-22	Suwannee Valley Campground...White Springs.....	Square Wheels
24	Chill Cook-off.....	Rollaways
27	Annual Circus Dance.....	Silver Fox

FEBRUARY 2006

2-4	Florida Sunshine Festival.....	Lakeland, FL
3-5	Lake Oklawaha RV Resort, Ft McCoy.....	Gypsy Squares
04	GCA Sophomore Hop.....Jax Hts Elementary School.....	GCA
10	Chocolate, Chocolate, Chocolate Dance.....	Silver Fox
10-11	Jekyll Island Ball.....	Jekyll Island, GA
11	Valentines Sweetheart Ball.....	Teddy Bears
14	Sweet Heart Dance.....	Dixie Dancers
14	Valentine Dance.....	Grand Squares
14	Chocolates For Your Sweetie.....	Rollaways
16	Presidents' Ball.....	Moose Promenaders
17	Trails End Dance.....Teen Town.....	Dixie Dancers
17-18	Oaks N Pines Campground - Lake City.....	Square Wheels
18	Blue Grey Dance.....American Legion.....	Dixie Dancers

MARCH 2006

3-4	Turning Wheel, Ocala FL.....	Gypsy Squares
10-11	Shamrock Swing...Central FL Asociation.....	Maitland, FL
11-12	FL Federation Working Weekend.....	Maitland, FL
14	St Patricks Day Dance.....	Dixie Dancers
14	St Patricks Day Party /Dance.....	Grand Squares
14	Irish "Jig" Dance.....	Rollaways
17	St Patty's Day Dance.....wear green.....	Silver Fox
17-19	Okefenokee-Folkston Ga (Just off 301 North of Jax):.....	Square Wheels
25	Shriners Benefit Dance.....	River Ramblers
25	Irish Stew Night.....	Teddy Bears
31	Fifth Friday Dance.....All Singing Calls.....	Silver Fox

APRIL 2006

7-9	Suwannee Valley Campground - White Spgs.....	Gypsy Squares
08	Tax Man Cometh Night.....	Teddy Bears
11	Graduation/Anniversary (18) Dance.....	Rollaways
21-23	Oaks N Pines RV Park.....	Square Wheels
29	Fifth Saturday Dance.....	NEFSARDA

MAY 2006

5-7	Ocala Ranch RV Park.....	Square Wheels
5-7	Ocala Ranch RV Park.....	Gypsy Squares
12	Ernie's Anniversary -Sha Na Na Dance ..(50's/60's.dress)	Silver Fox
13	Mother's Day Dance.....	Teddy Bears
26-28	52nd Florida State Convention Southeast Assn.....	Lakeland
28	Florida Federation Meeting.....	Lakeland

CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

Planning For The Future!!!

JUNE 2006

- 2-4.....Chiefland RV Park...(Watermelon Festival)..... Square Wheels
3-4.....Watermelon Festival.....Chiefland Fl
7-9.....Pacetti's Marina.....Gypsy Squares
09.....Anniversary Dance (21).....(Luau - bring a dish).....Silver Fox
10.....Anniversary Dance (22).....Teddy Bears

JULY 2006

- 7-9.....Ocala RV Park...Ocala FL.....Gypsy Squares
22.....All American Dance.... (wear a ball cap & enjoy Hot Dogs).... Teddy Bears

AUGUST 2006

- 4-6.....Turning Wheel, Ocala FL.....Gypsy Squares
4-25.....Bring School Supplies All Month.....Silver Fox
12.....Back To School Dance.....(Bring school supplies)..... Teddy Bears
18-20... Ocala Ranch RV Park.....Square Wheels

SEPTEMBER 2006

- 1-3.....Recreation Plantation, Lady Lake.....Gypsy Squares
15-17... Anniversary Dance (25).....Pacetti's Marina.....Square Wheels
23.....First Day Of Fall Funfest..... Teddy Bears

OCTOBER 2006

- 6-8.....Turning Wheel, Ocala, FL.....Gypsy Squares
28.....Ghost & Goblins Dance.....(wear costumes).....Teddy Bears

NOVEMBER 2006

- 3-5.....Lake Okalawaha RV Resort.....Gypsy Squares
3-5.....Oleno State Park...Oleno Hoedown..... Square Wheels
11.....Salute To Veterans Dance.....(bring pictures)..... Teddy Bears
25.....Leftovers Pot Luck Dinner Dance..... Teddy Bears

DECEMBER 2006

- 1-3.....Ocala Ranch RV Park, Ocala, FL.....Gypsy Squares
09.....Christmas Pot Luck Dinner Dance..... Teddy Bears

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