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Message

Those of you that attended the State Convention witnessed one of the best conventions that "we" have attended since we arrived here in Florida five years ago. People came up to us with so many positive comments, compliments and thank you's for such a great convention. The credit, of course, goes to Don and Bonnye Bell who chaired the Convention and orchestrated all of the activities and committee chairpersons into a smooth running and entertaining festivity all weekend. Don and Bonnye started working on this convention about four years ago. They chose their committee chairpersons carefully and successfully.

What we witnessed was the tip of the iceberg; what we could not see was the hard work, dedication and loyalty of the "unsung heroes" who made it possible for you to enjoy the weekend. It was a teamwork effort with a lot of communication and coordination to make this happen. In addition to Don and Bonnye, Dave and Shirley Nihart, Vice Chairpersons of the Convention, were constantly visiting all of the activities to ensure everything was running according to plans. Eddie Millan was tasked with the callers and hall arrangements with equipment while Lawton Smith provided us with the opening ceremonies, grand march and singing. Linda Riggs and Gerry Fredrickson put on one of the finest fashion shows East and West of the Pecos. Charlie and Val Newsome stayed inside the registration booth collecting money. Walt & Betty Smith



were responsible for the beautiful (and starry) decorations. Virginia Cook, bless her, designed and made the backdrop for our showcase which looked great. Joe and Barbara Fitzmayer stayed behind locked doors and counted money. Anita Taylor kept busy stitching and sewing in the sewing room. Jack and Kathy McKinney kept everyone laughing for an hour and a half with their arrangement of the after party. In addition to the above, all of those that served or helped in their committees and/ or who helped decorate, sell tickets or acted as host and hostesses, are the Unsung Heroes. They gave of their time so you could enjoy the dance. They did not complain because they received their reward just in knowing that they met the challenge and succeeded - they had their pride and were grateful that this State Convention was a booming success.

Thanks so much to all of you HEROES for allowing all of us to have a wonderful and enjoyable weekend.

- KEEP INFORMED -

SUBSCRIBE TO THE GRAPEVINE

Manny & Sherry Gonzales

NOTICE TO CLUBS AND CALLERS

Square & Round Dance Classes will be listed in the next issue. **Please** get info (time, date beginning, etc.) to us no later than **August 10th**. We will also forward the info to BOW & SWNG. **REMEMBER**, if we don't know about your class, we can't direct prospective students your way.

IN MEMORY Tom Ball



On May 19, 2000 the Moose Promenaders were hit with our second tragedy of 2000. We lost our beloved member Tom Ball. He and Betty were Charter members in the Moose Promenaders. Tom was going to Penn State on the GI Bill when he met his lovely bride. Betty was working there as a secretary.

As members of the square dancing family we have shared many ups and downs with Tom. When Tom missed his first kidney for transplanting, I thought it would be another long wait. A week later he got a chance at a new life when he received a donor kidney. Of course Tom had never lost faith. Betty had complained that Tom was not getting any exercise after his operation. Trying to be sympathetic, I had remarked that Tom had been through a great ordeal. I remarked that it must have been very hard on his body to have his kidney's removed and a new kidney transplanted in there. Betty said that it wasn't as hard as I thought. She said they didn't remove his kidneys. She said they just moved the 2 kidneys around and added a third. I was really surprised and Betty and I got the biggest kick out of seeing what some men would go through just to get out of a little house and yard work. Tom and Betty are two of the the greatest assets any club could ask for. We are hoping to get Betty back to the club with us where she belongs, because we have missed her so much.

He was a member of Advent Lutheran Church, NARFE, Moose Promenaders Square Dance Club, and an Associate Member of Yellow Rockers Plus Square Dance Club.

Tom is survived by his wife of 45 years, Betty, seven sons, three daughters, 26 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. Our thoughts and prayers are with Betty and her family.

The Moose Promenaders would also like to thank all the people for coming to the Memorial Service. As usual the Square Dancers always come thru. GOD BLESS EVERYONE!

(Submitted by Anita & Bud Taylor)

"Dancing Was The Rage at The Florida State Convention in 2000!"

We wish to **THANK** all the dancers who helped make the 46th a great Convention. It was your hard work and dedication to square dancing that made it such a success.



"Way to go Northeast!"

Don & Bonnye

Don & Bonnye Bell
Convention General Chairman

Cuer's Corner!



Several clubs in the Northeast offer Round Dancing along with Square Dancing. Check out the listings in the Center of THE GRAPEVINE. Jacksonville now has two Round Dance Clubs....Touch of Class normally dances on Sundays and Thursdays, and are cued by Jim & Barbara Winter. However, they are closed for the remainder of the summer -- their next dance will be on September 17th. They dance at Peace Presbyterian Church.

The First Coast Rounds, cued by Larry & Aleta Dunn, dance on Wednesdays at the Fort Caroline Middle School.

In addition to the several clubs in the Northeast who offer Round Dancing, check out the information in this column. We welcome any articles on Round Dancing you submit. We will try to include some informative material in each issue.

ROUND DANCERS: This article is for **you!** Send us some information and/or your comments.

ROUNDS CALENDAR FOR ROUND DANCERS

June 21-24.....	National Convention	Bartimore, MD
July 8.....	Christmas In July Benefit Dance	Keystone Hghts,FL
July 29.....	5th Saturday Dance (NEFSARDA)	Jacksonville, FL
Aug. 24-26.....	Jekyll Sq. Dance Jamboree.....	Jekyl Island, GA
Sept. 1-2	Knothead Konvention	Lakeland, FL
Sept. 14-16.....	Myrtle Beach Ball	Myrtle Beach, SC
Sept. 30	5th Saturday Dance (NEFSARDA)	Jacksonville, FL
Nov. 5-6.....	O'Leno Hoedown.....	O'Leno St. Park
Nov. 10-11.....	Fall Fun Fest (West Coast).....	Lakeland, FL
Nov. 17-18.....	Fall Festival (NEFSARDA)	Jacksonville, FL
Dec. 7-9.....	Gatlinburg Christmas Ball	Gatlinburg, TN

FLORIDA ROUNDS OF THE QUARTER

October 1999 - January 2000

Phase II	DREAMAWAY
Phase III-IV	INVISIBLE TEARS
Phase V-VI	SALSA CAFE
Classic.....	AXEL F

We have not been able to find Florida Rounds of the Quarter past January 2000 -- nor any info from ROUNDALAB. If there is a reader out there who can help us get this information on a regular basis, please let us know. **THANK YOU!**

"Helping others do their best gives you a happiness that you cannot find elsewhere."

Thank You!!

Thanks for the concern, visits, calls and cards we received from our dancing friends during Don's recent surgery and hospitalization. He is continuing to improve.

God Bless You !!

Don & Judy Largent

CALLERS CORNER

T I M I N G

By Larry Cole



(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is taken from an article "So You Want to Be A Caller" in the May 2000 issue of the *American Square Dance* magazine.)

Timing is broken into three parts and we've learned that command time is the first of these three. Command time, as we learned, is the amount of time or beats of music that is required for a caller to give or say the name of the call to be danced next.

The second part is lead time. Lead time is the amount of time that you give the call or command before the dancers take the first step of the call. Two beats is the normal lead time given for a call. There are times when more lead time is necessary as in Grand Square. The command Sides Face Grand Square is given on beats 5, 6, 7 and 8 of the musical phrase. This allows the dancers to begin their action on the first beat of the next musical phrase. The dancers experience a smooth and enjoyable Grand Square when the command is given properly. Occasionally more than the normal two beats must be used to accommodate the fact that a nonstandard formation or arrangement may be involved. Extra time is then needed to assure dancer success - dancer success is the name of the game.

The third part of timing is execution

time. Execution time is the number of steps to the music that are required to dance the given call. The steps are measured in beats of music. When a caller clips time he gives the next command before the dancers are ready (based on the number of beats/steps necessary to complete the call). Thus making the dancers feel as though they must run to keep up. When this occurs the caller may feel that he is behind and call more quickly.

Then the dancers run faster and the caller calls faster and the dancers run faster and the - well as you can see this is not a good situation. A caller may allow too much time to execute a call and the dancers must stop and wait for the next call. This is known as stop and go dancing. It is fatiguing for the dancer and not much fun. Good timing for a caller takes a lot of hard work. However, the rewards for the caller and the dancers are gigantic.

(Editor's Note: Larry Cole has been calling for 25 years and calls Basic thru C-1. He's an active member of CALLERLAB and is the current Chairman)

CALLERLAB MOV(ING /ED) TO FLORIDA!

The Home Office transitioned from May 27th thru June 9th. They should be in business now. The 800 line has been transferred to Florida. Their new address is: CALLERLAB, 467 Forrest Ave., STE 118, Cocoa, FL 32922. Tel: (321) 639-0039 - (800) 331-2577 - Fax: (321) 639-0851 - email: CALLERLAB@AOL.COM. Their web site is www.CALLERLAB.ORG

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5th SATURDAY DANCE REPORT

By Howard & Jettie Crowe

The 5th Saturday Dance, "April Showers Bring May Flowers", held on April 29th was a Huge Success! Attendance at the dance was great -- 145 dancers enjoyed the calling of **John Barrett** and **Don Heins**, and the cueing of **Jim Winter**. **Thanks, guys!!** We truly appreciate your talent!

A big **thanks** goes out to our hosts for the evening, **The Friendship Squares** and **The Rollaways!** They did a super job decorating and providing plenty of food for us to eat.

Callers/Cuers attending the dance who were not on the program were Donna Heins, Ernie Rollen, Bill Chesnut, Lawton Smith, Eddie Millan, and Ken Miller. We **THANK YOU** all for coming out and supporting this dance.

During the evening raffle tickets were sold for a \$100.00 Money Tree and a Birdhouse. **Dee Curran** from the Dixie Dancers in Lake City won the Money Tree, and **Mary Chesnut** won the birdhouse! Congratulations to you both.

If you missed this dance, you missed a real FUN time. Mark your calendar now so you won't miss the next 5th Saturday Dance on **July 29th** at Tynes Elementary School, 7:30 PM until 10:00 PM. Callers will be **Art Wilson**, **Bill Chesnut**, and **Ernie Rollen**, and rounds will be cued by **Larry Dunn**. Host Clubs are the **Plus Fox** and **Grand Squares**. **Best of all the dance is FREE!** See you there!!

For planning purposes, you should also mark **September 30th**. More information and flyers will be out later on that 5th Saturday Dance.



Jim, John & Don kept the dancing lively!!



Dee accepts her \$100 Tree from Kathy.



5th SATURDAY DANCE REPORT (cont'd)



Don Bell presents
Bird House to
winner of raffle,
Mary Chesnut.



Howard Crowe, Vice President, presents Banners to winners-- Rollaways (Virginia Bomhold); Teddy Bear Squares (Walt & Betty Smith); Friendship Squares (Bill Pennell); and Touch of Class (Barbara Winter). Congratulations!



IN MEMORY **John D. O'Steen**

John D. O'Steen, a long-time member of The Dixie Dancers Square Dance Club of Lake City, FL, passed away on May 26, 2000. He was an avid hunter, horseman and all-around "cowboy", and was well known for the saddles and bullwhips he handcrafted in his shop.

The Dixie Dancers have long shown a deep appreciation to John for his persistent effort in locating, sorting and putting down the hardwood flooring in Teen Town. A plaque on our "stage" commemorates his efforts.

John leaves behind to cherish his memory his wife, Catherine, four daughters, two sons, as well as a host of friends and fellow Square Dancers.

(Submitted by Linda Yocum)

IN MEMORY

Margaret "Polly" Osborn



Polly Osborn passed away, after a lengthy battle with cancer, on Monday, May 22, 2000, at the Hospice Hadlow House. She is survived by her husband, Russell; three daughters, Sharron Walls (Marion), Cathryn Cato (Steve Davis), Geri Kinton (Collin); a step-daughter, Linnie Osborn; one grandson; two sisters; and a number of nieces and nephews. Polly was a member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church, where she served on the "Bell" Choir, the Altar Guild, and as an usher. She was also a member of the Ladies Auxiliary

at Memorial Hospital.

Both Polly and her husband Russ were very active in Square Dancing and had been members of the Rollaways and Classic Plus Square Dance Clubs, and were currently members of the Teddy Bear Squares. She had served, along with her husband, as the NEFSARDA Representative from Teddy Bears. She will truly be missed by the SquareDance community.

Polly was a good wife, mother, grandmother, and friend, who enjoyed giving back to her community.

We extend sincerest sympathy to her husband Russ, her family, and her many friends.

(Submitted by Donna Smith)

Seabreeze Singles Square Dance Club



Caller: Jim Cosman

We dance every Tuesday.

Club Dance: 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Singles, couples, and new dancers are welcome.



*Peace Presbyterian Church
2300 Southside Blvd.
Jacksonville, FL*

*Mainstream....
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**THE RURAL CALLERS ASSN.
and
THE GATEWAY CALLERS ASSN.**

CHRISTMAS IN JULY



**SATURDAY JULY 8, 2000
7:30-10:30 PM**

**KEYSTONE HEIGHTS HIGH SCHOOL
700 Orchid Ave. Keystone Heights, FL**



Keystone Hts. is located at intersection of SR 21 and SR 100, East of Starke. From Ocala area, take 301 North to Starke and take SR 100 East to Keystone Heights. Orchid Ave. is one block south of 100 on 21. Turn west on Orchid (Shell station on corner) and go to blinking light. School is on right.

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For further information, contact your caller or call Mary Chesnut, (352) 374-8582

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Plus Workshop:.....7:00-8:30 PM

Club Dance:.....8:30-10:00 PM

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For Information Call:

Bud & Anita Taylor, 272-6551



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Monday Evenings

Workshop:.....7:00-8:30 PM

Club Dance:.....8:30-10:00 PM

For Information Call:

Debbie Delp, 641-0392 or
Gerry Fredrickson, 269-9717



BOTH DANCES \$3.50 PER PERSON

WELCOME, GRADUATES!

Several clubs in the Northeast graduated "new dancers" during the months of April and May. They are:

JOY SEAS

Jim & Marge Johnson

Only one couple took lessons at the Joy Seas in St. Augustine, FL. The caller, Mike Akers, said if they came, he'd teach! They came all year and he taught all year! This was a lot of time given up by Mike, and a lot of enthusiasm shown by the one couple.

HATS OFF TO MIKE for teaching one couple!...and **CONGRATS to JIM & MARGE** for their dedication to class!

ROLLAWAYS

Earl Brandt

Tim & Connie Clark

Ellen Frazier

Jeff & Zetta Johnson

Richard Lites

Don & Janice Morris

Lisa Noe

Lynda Padrta

Bernice Roberts

Don Smith

Ben Steiner

MOOSE PROMENADERS

Katie Luttrell

Charlet Jackson

Chuck Gordon

Vern Adams

Betty Whitman

Justin Dasher

James Ball

Don & Linda Jenkins

SEABREEZE SINGLES

Katie Luttrell

Sharon King

Walter Kitchen

Sharon Phillips

RIVER RAMBLERS

Earl & Ruth Cunio

Bill & Shirley DeLong

Terry & Marti Long

Frances Mize

Jack & DeeDee Morgan

Joy Mullis

Shirley Rollison

George & Suzanne Tower

(We will include the clubs and names of graduates who will be graduating after this issue goes to press in the September issue.)

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES AND WELCOME TO THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF SQUARE DANCING!



The TOUCH OF CLASS Round Dance Club also welcomed several square dancers into their "circle". They are:

Walt & Betty Smith

John & Mary Burzo

Manuel & Lillie Irizarry

John Browning

Pattie Downs

Helen Cash

Everett Luke

Bill Snider

CONGRATULATIONS to all of you!

Free Dance

Sat. July 29, 2000

APPRECIATION BALL For All Northeast DANCERS

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



Tynes Elementary School
1550 Tynes Boulevard
Middleburg, FL

CALLERS:

BILL CHESNUT
ERNE ROLLEN
ART WILSON

CUER:

LARRY DUNN

HOST CLUBS: Plus Fox
Grand Squares

NEFSARDA thanks these clubs
for hosting this dance!

PLEASE SUPPORT
YOUR DANCE

Camp N' Dance

By Gerry Fredrickson 269-9717

Summer Jamboree is getting close. Many of us are looking forward to a weekend with three of our favorite callers; John Barrett, Bill Chesnut, and Jim Cosman. They will be at Grand Lake RV Resort in Orange Lake on July 21, 22, & 23, 2000. Remember, Grand Lake is better known to most of us as Celebrity. The new owners have really dressed up the place. The casserole potluck at 4:PM Saturday is just one of the activities planned. Both dances allow you to dress casual if you wish. For more details go to the Gypsy web site at <http://members.xoom.com/fredrig> and click on Summer Jamboree. You can also call Dale Fredrickson at 904-269-1917 or Jay Peck at 904-672-8677.

I hope you have October 20, 21, & 22 marked on your calendar. It's FANSDC's 25th anniversary so we're trying to make the camp-o-ree a special event. Call Dale and Gerry (269-9717) for information and ribbons or visit the web site at <http://www.geocities.com/fansdc>.

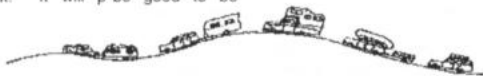
Remember that the Gypsy Squares will be at Grand Lake for their July campout. It will p be good to be back.

Come to both Dance N' Camp weekends at Grand Lake. The Gypsies will be back at Bulow for their August campout on August 4, 5, & 6. We'll enjoy Labor Day Weekend at Recreation Plantation. It is a beautiful facility near Lady Lake. Plan to join John and Mo Barrett for the best dancing around.

The Square Wheels have taken June and July off but will be ready to enjoy August 18, 19, & 20, at Suwannee Valley Campground. Enjoy Bill and Mary Chesnut when you visit the Square Wheels.

The Drift Arounds will be at Bulow RV Resort on September 8, 9, & 10, following their break for June, July, and August. Jim and Margaret Cosman keeps that group in step. Jim Cosman has planned an additional campout for August 18, 19, & 20 at Grand Lake. It sounds like fun too.

There is always plenty to do if you camp and dance. I hope you will take advantage of the opportunities available to all who wish to participate. See you dancing at a campground real soon!



My next house will have no kitchen --- just vending machines and a pay phone.

JUST A NOTE!

Due to illness and other unforeseen problems, Teddy Bear Squares have been a little remiss in visitations. We plan to change that, but we need your help. If you have a Teddy Bear banner, please contact Betty Smith, 260-8266, and let her know! We can then get a group together for a visit and banner retrieval.

Thanks for your help!

Walt & Betty Smith



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JIM COSMAN, CALLER

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WHAT'S COOKING?

By Val Newsome

I have 2 recipes for you this issue. The first one came from Sherry Gonzales. She took this dip to the 5th Saturday Dance in April and she's been sharing the recipe ever since.



MEXICAN DIP

2 cans Frito Lay Bean Dip (you can find it with the chips)

1 large or 2 small containers Albertson's Avocado Dip (you can

find this with the sour cream & other dips--don't use Dean's brand, it is too mushy)

3 tablespoons sour cream and 3 tablespoons mayo mixed together

1 to 2 packages of taco seasoning (depending on how spicy you want it--I use 2)

12 ounces grated monterey jack cheese

12 ounces grated sharp cheddar cheese

1 large jar medium chunky salsa

Just mix it together. It fills a 13 x 9 inch baking dish. Mix together chopped black olives and chopped green onions and scatter on top of the dish.

(Sherry says her family likes it with Tostidos!)

Sue Gregory sent me this recipe. It's not just ordinary cole slaw. I have not had a chance to try it, but plan to soon. It sounds delicious!

COLE SLAW

Mix together...

1 large bag cole slaw mix

4-6 green onions, chopped

1 cup slivered almonds, toasted @ 350 degrees for 1 minute

2 packages Ramen Noodles (chicken flavor) -- you should crunch them while they are still in the package.

For the dressing, you mix together...

2 packages seasonings from Noodles

1 cup olive oil

3-4 tablespoons sugar

6 tablespoons apple cider vinegar.

Pour over first mixture and mix well. DO NOT make this a day ahead.

Thanks to both Sherry and Sue for their contributions to this column. If you have a favorite recipe you'd like to share, please send it to me. Need at least two recipes each month to keep this column going!

THANKS!

My thanks to the many Square Dancers who expressed their love and concern to Polly in so many ways during her recent illness and death. Your tremendous support was very uplifting to both of us.

God Bless You All!

Russ Osborn



In Step With...

Country, Clogging and Line Dancing

By Donna Robbins

I write this post-convention column with mixed emotions. I appreciate the support I was given from my clubs, the "Cloggin' Robins" and "Cross County Cloggers" and I'm proud of their performances, even with the last minute adjustments having to be made because of 'no-shows' (how about that phantom square?); on the other hand, I was disappointed about the lack of support from other cloggers around the state. Of course, that can be attributed to the Clogging Convention being held in Orlando, giving them much more, a full program for their ribbon!

Square Dancers, why didn't you at least give Clogging a try Saturday morning? You would have learned something new, and I promised it would have been fun.

On the positive side, which is where I prefer to be, I received several appreciation cards/notes from Square Dance leaders, one in particular from the Stewarts of Orlando, past Convention Chairman and Federation President. To quote their note, "Outstanding; Clogging perfected, costumes gorgeous, routines well done, professional in every way - -". Thank you Mary Stewart - that made it all worth while!

**BE A PART OF THE SOLUTION,
NOT A PART OF THE PROBLEM.**

50th NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION

ANAHEIM, CA

JUNE 27-30, 2000

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conversion process, contact the 50th NSDC Registration and Housing Office at P.O. Box 1237, Lomita, CA, 97017-5237 - Phone (562) 988-2275, Fax (562) 490-3425.

You will receive a registration form and the information you will need to complete it. By converting it, you will also be letting the 50th NSDC know you're coming and what your needs are. We want to be ready for you!

50th NSDC WEB SITE

Want to learn more about the 50th NSDC? Try the 50th NSDC web site. You'll find out all you want to know about the convention and the local area.

We will be continually updating the web site as new information comes up. Most pages will contain music and some have active graphics to help generate interest.



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THANK YOU!!

To the many cherished friends in the Square and Round Dance community for their thoughtful cards, phone calls and prayers. The knee operation went well and rehabilitation is progressing day by day.

Many THANKS!

Jack Herpy

LAURELS AND DARTS!

DARTS AND LAURELS (to copy a local TV station):

LAURELS to Linda Riggs and Gerry & Dale Fredrickson for the best and most entertaining "FASHION SHOW" we've witnessed, and to all who took part in bringing to life some of the history of Square Dancing.

LAURELS to Kathy and Jack McKinney and their workers for a fun after party. Again, the best we've seen.

LAURELS to Betty Smith and Grover & Marcella Jacobsen for the time and effort that went into all of the decorations. It's no small thing to decorate ten rooms and a large arena.

LAURELS to Don & Bonnye Bell and all of their committes and the many callers, each of whom worked so very hard to make this Northeast State Convention a success.

DARTS to the Northeast callers and dancers who wouldn't take the time and effort to support their own State Convention. You don't know what you missed. Maybe in five years!

Walt Smith

A MESSAGE TO ED

Roses are red,

Violets are blue,

*We've been married 50 years,
and I still love you!*



Love, Gloria

COMING SOON!

Special Interest articles on clubs and/or dancers, callers, cuers, etc. Special Interest items not relating to club dances! If you have an appropriate article, we'd love to have it. Call us soon!

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We would like to express our sincere thanks for all of your prayers, flowers, cards, letters, calls, visits and goodies from the Square and Round Dance community of the Northeast. During my surgery, rehab and confinement, your acts of love and kindness show us what wonderful people we have as friends in our dance associations! We love you all! Not one of you can imagine how grateful we feel and how proud we are to be a part of such a rare and special group of people.

It humbles us to realize we are blessed to know you all. One could search the world over to find such caring friends as you "folks" in the Northeast.

We hope to see you in a square very soon so we can THANK YOU in person. Thank you! You are truly God's ambassadors!

Howard & Jettie Crowe

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IN MEMORY

Dottie Wall

Dottie Wall passed away April 28, 2000 after a heroic battle with cancer.

She began dancing in Gaeta, Italy where she and her husband John were founding members of a Square Dance club there.

They danced all over Europe and aboard Navy ships. In Yugoslavia they had to dance on roof tops because it was illegal to draw a crowd, which they certainly did!

From there they went to Hawaii where they were instrumental in starting a youth club with a teen caller. Their own club caller had a young teenage son learning to call. He is Buddy Weaver, our next caller for the Fall Festival.

They went on to Washington, California, and Texas where the whole family (3 children) danced together. They retired in Jacksonville and danced with the Jubileers, Lone Star Swingers, Seaside Stompers, and Pop-A-Rounds. They moved to Virginia for 3 years and then came back to Jacksonville and joined the Rollaways in 1996. She was always a very active member of her clubs. Her first State Convention was in Hawaii and her first National Convention was in Oklahoma City.

Dottie formerly worked for the Ocean State Bank in Neptune Beach. She served her community as a Red Cross volunteer and was a member of St John the Baptist Catholic Church.

She is survived by her husband of 35 years, John; her daughters, Theresa Wall, and Jeannine Morgan (Peter); son, John J. (Terri); five grandchildren; three brothers; and one sister.

We extend our sincere sympathy to her family and friends. We all have lost a friend and we will miss her!

(Submitted by Kathy McKinney)



SEWING'S THE RAGE IN THE NEW AGE

By Anita Taylor

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone SEW much for all the help Bud and I received for the sewing clinic. I would like to especially thank my two Co-Chairpersons Gerry Fredrickson, and Kim Keffer for all their help. I could never have done the sewing room without all the help I received. Some people were wondering who won all the door prizes. So here is the list. The Quillos were won by: Carol Ausmann and after a second drawing,

Bessie Stovall. The dresses were won by Mazelene Dusan, Virginia Grenier, J. Lysobey, B. Rodgers, Jeanette Snyder, and Elaine Voorhis. Congratulations to all these women. The Grand Prize, the Serger valued at \$700.00 and donated by Jon Keels from the Keels Sewing Center, was won by Gerry Fredrickson. Congratulations Gerry! Hourly door prizes were also distributed.

Thanks once again to everyone for making the sewing room a success.

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CONTRA LINES



Dennis Ricker 352-787-9513

"Form On in Long Contra Lines" was a very familiar sound at the 46th Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention. The Contra Hall was active during the

entire festival and many of you took the opportunity to join us. For some this is the only chance to find a Contra dance and for others it was a first experience. We enjoyed dancing with each and every one of you and hope to see you on a Contra dance floor in the future. The eight prompters and workshop teachers did an excellent job and are already gearing up for next year.

I want to take this opportunity to let you know where you can find Contra Dancing in and around Florida. As I pointed out in a recent article in The Grapevine, there are two types of Contra groups dancing in this area. The one we are most familiar with is the CLUB CONTRA which is similar in format and style to a Square Dance club. The other is the LIVE MUSIC CONTRA or New England Contra Dance. This latter is more like the old barn dance where you show up in whatever clothes you are comfortable in and learn to dance that night - no lessons, no outfits, everyone welcome.

The **CLUB CONTRA** Dances that I know of in Florida are:

Every Sunday Nov - May CORAL CONTRAS, Lake Kennedy Senior Center Cape Coral FL - Info: Bill & Irene Bartsch phone 941-731-1063

Every Tuesday Oct - June (may soon change- keep posted for more info)

SUNSHINE CONTRA, Sunshine Hall Wildwood FL - Info: Dennis Ricker & Angela Brown Phone 352-787-9513 EMAIL ContraFla@aol.com

Every Thursday - SCP Contra Spruce Creek Preserve, Dunnellon FL -

352-787-9513
Info: Fred & Judi Minster 352-861-4965
email jlminster@aol.com

1st & 3rd Saturday Sep - April
SPACE COAST CONTRA DANCERS
Cocoa FL Info: George & Onie Senyk
Phone 321-636-2209.

The LIVE MUSIC CONTRA in Florida is listed geographically:

Tallahassee - 2nd & 4th Saturday
info: 904-421-1559 or 904-574-4115
email rhopkins@netitaly.com

Jacksonville - 3rd Friday info: 904-743-1876 or 904-642-5242 email
lwadley@mindspring.com

Gainesville - 3rd Saturday info: 352-373-5701 or 352-495-2243 email
dea@afn.org

Bunnell - 1st Saturday info: 904-672-9989 or 904-437-4174

Deland (Cassadaga) - 2nd Saturday
info: 904-228-3010 or 904-734-6980
email art@bitstorm.net

Maitland (Orlando) 2nd Wednesday
info: 407-331-4034

Casselberry (Orlando) Last Saturday
info: 407-834-7786 or 407-365-5720 email
goffoff@juno.com

Tampa/St. Petersburg 2nd & 4th
Saturday info: 813-582-9150 or 913-935-1276 email tfootd@juno.com

Sarasota 1st Saturday info: 941-351-6056 email
msykes@com1.med.usf.edu

Melbourne 2nd Saturday info: 407-723-1957 or 407-768-9595
email brecofoff@juno.com

Lake Worth 1st Saturday info: 561-622-2312 or 561-968-2255

Palm Beach 1st Saturday info: 561-622-2312

North Miami/Ft Lauderdale 3rd
Saturday info 954-524-8990 or 954-942-9176 email wpollans@encore.com

The days and contact numbers are correct as far as I know. I have not personally verified each one. If some are no longer active I apologize for the inconvenience. You can always get

CONTRA LINES (Cont'd)

current info on the LIVE MUSIC CONTRA on the web at: http://members.aol.com/_ht_a/OrlandoCDC/FloridaDances.html or <http://innet.com/~bdudley/tampadance.html>.

For the latest CLUB CONTRA info go to the CONTRALAB Web Site at: [http://home.att.net/~BARothenberger/ININDEX.HTML](http://home.att.net/~BARothenberger/INDEX.HTML).

There are also several Square Dance Weekends that include Contra in their programs. They are: The Northeast Association FALL FESTIVAL; the Square Wheel's O'LENO HOEDOWN and the

Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention.

For more information contact the sponsors or me at email ContraFla@aol.com or phone 352-787-9513.

There is also a Contra & English Country Dance Weekend at Sebring in early October. Call the sponsors George & Onye Senyk at 321-636-2209 for info on this fun weekend.

Look for a Contra Dance in your area and I hope to be your Contra Corner Soon.



With Our Recent Sick

Madrene Ballard	eye surgery
Norbett Feuer	fractured shoulder
Marjorie French	serious illness
Elizabeth Hartley	surgery
Pat Hernandez	eye surgery
Eunice Johnson	broken leg
Marian Kegley	illness
Frances Kneeburg	eye surgery
Keith Manning	eye surgery
Ernie Mattson	illness
Maxine O'Donnell	broken hip
Linda Patchell	illness
Sandy Pennell	torn ligaments/ankle
Lil Pierson	knee surgery
Mike Rist	serious illness
Bill Schnippert	illness
Dee Stone	surgery
Shirley White	illness
Ed Williams	surgery
Jim Winter	injury/surgery on foot
Reba Woodbridge	illness



Get Well Soon!

We miss all of you!



SINCERE SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO...

Dorothy Dornfeld on the death of her mother, 102 years old, in May.
 Peggy Ligon on the death of her father in May.
 Joyce Brewer on the death of her father in June.

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46th Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention

By Val Newsome

From all we hear, the Convention was enjoyed by the dancers -- and that is really what is important. Not whether or not you make or lose money. We didn't get to see too much -- since we were in the Registration Booth most of the time -- but what we saw we liked!

Congratulations to Don & Bonnye Bell, Convention Chairmen, for picking people to get the job done and put on a successful convention. I'm not going to call names, because there were too many people who made the convention what it was, AND, I certainly would not want to leave anyone out. What I would like to say is "A Great Big Atta Boy to EVERYONE who worked on the 46th State Convention." Also, THANK YOU to everyone....dancers, callers, cuers, prompters, instructors, who supported the Convention. Regardless of how hard anyone works, it's the people who come and support the event that really make it all worthwhile!

Registration was down...but dancing is down all over. What we can

say is that those who came had a great time...those who chose not to come, MISSED A VERY GOOD, FUN WEEKEND.

The entertainment was great -- and wasn't it great having the cloggers with us again!! They sure do have a lot of energy. And, didn't it do your heart good to see those young people from the Barn dancing -- and calling!

The Sewing Clinic, the Fashion Show, the After Party, and much more gave the dancers a weekend of fun and dancing they had waited for since last May. And now, we wait again until next year when the **Southeast Association** will answer the task and give us another GREAT WEEKEND OF FUN AND DANCING! We already look forward to it. After all, this event is FLORIDA'S CONVENTION -- it can only be as great as we want it to be!

(EDITOR'S NOTE: One of the dancers from the Northeast furnished us with the few pictures that follow. We hope to have more to share with you in future issues.)

Make Me Laugh!



Chairmen Don & Bonnye Bell were presented gifts at the Saturday Evening After Party.

STATE CONVENTION (Continued)



Registration workers
pause with Assistant
Chairmen Dave and
Shirley Nihart for a
"photo break".



The "square dancers
of tomorrow" board
their spaceship at
the Fashion Show!



Fashion Show Chairman,
Linda Riggs (R) with the
Emcee, John Barrett,
and Fashion Narrator,
Val Newsome.

Great Show, Linda!



STATE CONVENTION (Continued)



The aliens have landed...and it looks as tho they like square dancing. The Southeast's Kick-Off gave us a reason to come back next year!



Henri & Sheila Arsenault's daughter, who is in the U.S. Navy, was the Flag Bearer ending Southeast's spectacular Kick-Off!



FASHION SHOW APPRECIATION

By Chuck & Linda Riggs

We want to take time out to let everybody that helped in the Fashion Show know that we have received nothing but great reviews and praises. This was surely one of the most enjoyed shows of all times. I know it was the highlight of our fun in all the Square Dance committees we served on. And, just in case you did not know, all the praises go to **YOU**, the workers and performers. Without you there would not have been a show for sure---especially such a great one! **Thank You All**, and from deep in our hearts, **Thank You for the time you gave**. From what I hear it was worth it! **YOU** are the best ever!

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BLOOD BANK REPORT

Jack & Phyllis Herpy

Blood Bank contributions from January 1st thru May 30th are list below. Figures are provided by the Florida-Georgia Blood Alliance;

<u>CLUB</u>	<u>ACCOUNT #</u>	<u>UNITS</u>
NEFSARDA	1238	4
MANDARIN MARAUDERS	1956	27
MOOSE PROMENADERS	2057	2
ROLLAWAYS	2063	7
PLUS FOX	2212	8
SWEET ART SQUARES	2064	0
TEDDY BEAR SQUARES	2206	1
YELLOWROCKERS +	2240	8
TOTAL - ALL CLUBS		57

Spring has sprung - summer is in full swing and the need in our community for blood donations is at an all time high. The critical demand and need to fill this supply of the gift-of-life requires action on the part of all who can give, to do so. There is no substitute for this commodity. When the need arises it must be met and only someone like yourself can fill the need! Won't you please? You'll feel better knowing you gave someone in need THE GIFT-OF-LIFE!!

A balanced diet is a cookie in each hand.



IN Loving Memory Of **Daisy Morrell Tramel**

Daisy Morrell Tramel, a native and lifelong resident of Lake City, FL, passed away on May 18, 2000 following a long illness.

Daisy had worked for many years as a Hairstylist, was a member of the Quail Heights Country Club Ladies Golf Association, the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, the First United Methodist Church, as well as a devoted member of the Dixie Dancers Square Dance Club in Lake City where she

served on many committees.

She leaves behind her devoted husband of 51 years, Thomas S. Tramel, Jr.; one son, Thomas (Cindy) Tramel, III; one daughter, Jennie (Jim) Pistole; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Sunday May 21, 2000 in the First United Methodist Church of Lake City, with Rev. Doug Clewis officiating.

Memorials may be directed to Hospice of North Central Florida, 1900 Florida Gateway Boulevard, Lake City, FL 32055.

Daisy will be greatly missed by her family, many friends and her fellow Square D Dancers. Her warmth, kindness, fortitude, pride and faith have been an inspiration to all. She was truly one of God's jewels. We will miss you, Daisy.

(Submitted by Linda Yocum)

TEDDY BEAR SQUARES

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(Salad, Spaghetti, Rolls & Butter, Tea & Coffee, Dessert)



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Club Dance: 8:00 - 10:00 PM

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Gold Coast			1st W/E		
Camping Dancers	080	Fl Lauderdale	Even Months	Eskridge	561 737-5161
Tent-N-Trailers	081	Sarasota	1st W/E	Jabbusch	941 755-5329
			Not In Summer		
Hitch-N-Go	082	Kissimmee	4th W/E	Edminston	407 725-1630
			Usually		
Drift Around			2nd W/E		
Squares	093	Jacksonville	Not In Summer	Moore	904 325-4118
B-Sharp Squares	126	Vero Beach	3rd W/E	VanDette	954 975-6103
			Not In Summer		
Square Wheels	128	Gainesville	3rd W/E	Breedlove	904 246-9545
Limonaders	139	Lakeland	1st W/E	Davis	941 859-6935
			Not In Summer		
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			Not In Summer		
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DANCE PROGRAM CODE :

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

SUNDAY

TOUCH OF CLASS: "R" Every Sunday: - **Class** 6:00- 7:30PM; **Phase III & IV** 7:30-9:30 PM St Marks Lutheran Church 3976 Hendricks Ave.: Cuer Jim & Barbara Winter 904 268-1369.

MONDAY

ANGEL SQUARES: "M/P" Every Monday Class 7:00 - 8:30 PM Dance 8:30-10:00 PM St. James Episcopal Church, 3500 McFarlane Ave - **Lake City** -- Caller: Ralph Beekman 904 752-2544 Contact Walt & Lanie Knudsen 904 752-1250

FUN 'N FROLICS: "A" Every Monday: Class 7 - 8:30 PM Dance 8:30 - 10:00 PM 2839 W. Beaver St. Woodstock Park-Caller: Art Wilson 904 225-5674 **NOT DANCING IN AUGUST**

THUMPER SQUARES: TEMPORARILY NOT DANCING!!

YELLOW ROCKERS PLUS: "P" Every Monday Plus Class 7:00 - 8:00 PM Dance 8:00 - 10:00 PM - Trinity Lutheran Church - Park & McDuff St -- Caller: Lawton Smith 904 389-3349--Contact: Billy Luper 771-7041. **NO DANCE JULY 17**

TUESDAY

BELLES & BEAUX: "M/P" Every Tuesday 8:00 - 10:00 PM (1st & 3rd - Regular dance -- 2nd & 4th - Workshop) First Presbyterian Church (red brick building across from Post Office parking lot), Valdosta, GA Caller: Bob Bennett 912 242-7321

DIXIE DANCERS: "P/R" Every Tues. Dance 8:00-10:00 PM - Teen Town - 312 N. 6th St., **Lake City** -- Caller: Bill Chesnut 352 374-8582: -- Cuer: Maggie Tripp 352 493-0853 **OR** Ralph Beekman 904 752-2544 Contact: Ouida Taylor 904 755-7248 **OR** Linda Yocum (904)752-2970

GRAND SQUARES: "P" Every Tuesday Dance 8:00 - 10:00 PM - 1910 N W 53rd Ave., **Gainesville**, Union Hall Caller - Lon Ligon Contact: (352) 377-1828 **NO DANCE AUGUST 15 OR OCTOBER 17**

MANDARIN MARAUDERS: "M/P/L" Every Tuesday Dance 7:30 - 9:30 PM Italian-American Club Westberry Rd.-- Caller: Lawton Smith 904 389-3349 -- Contact: Rob & Jennie Harris 731-0795.

ROLLAWAYS: "M/P/R/L" Every Tuesday Workshop 7-8:00 PM Club Dance 8:00-10 PM Sandalwood High School -- Caller: Ken Miller 904 268-4492 -- Contact: Virginia Bomhold 744-7181 Lines - 1st & 3rd Rounds - 2 & 4th

SEABREEZE SINGLES: "M/P" Every Tuesday Dance 7:30 - 9:30 PM - Peace Presbyterian Church 2300 Southside Blvd. -- Caller: Jim Cosman 912 882-4006 Contact: Ernie Perrin 645-3938 **OR** Shirley White 388-1463

SWEET ART SQUARES: NO LONGER DANCING Effective 5-30-00

5TH TUESDAYS: 3 Club Dance (Mandarin Marauders, Rollaways, Seabreeze Singles) 7 - 10 PM Various Locations! Next dance **August 29th**, Sandalwood High School.

WEDNESDAY

PLUS FOX: "P" Every Wednesday 7:30-9:30 PM Jax Heights Elem - 7750 S. Tempest St.-- Caller: Jim Cosman 912 882-4006 Contact: Hank & Rita Pelz 721-2214

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W E D N E S D A Y (Cont'd)

FIRST COAST ROUNDS: Every Wednesday 7:30 - 9:00 PM Ft. Caroline Middle School Cafeteria, 3787 University Blvd. Cuer: Larry Dunn 912 285-4842, Contact Lisa Noe 642-3194 **Workshops every week.**

T H U R S D A Y

FRIENDSHIP SQUARES: "M/P" Every Thursday Class 7 - 8:30 pm Club 8:30-10:00 PM **Keystone Hts.** Hi School, 900 Orchard St., Caller: Bill Chesnut (352) 374-8582 Contact: Sandra Pennell (352) 473-4347

JOY SEAS: "M/P/L/R" Every Thursday Dance 8:00 - 10:00 PM **St. Augustine Beach #2** Ocean Trace Blvd. (AIA So to Ocean Trace, go East on Ocean Trace - last bldg on left) Caller: Mike Akers 904 829-1697- Contact Rose Larsen - 904 471-0809.

MOOSE PROMENADERS: "P/L" Every Thursday Dance 8:00 - 10:00 PM 5051 Collins Rd. Moose Lodge Orange Park -- Caller: Art Wilson 904 225-5674--Contact: President Bud & Anita Taylor 272-6551 - Banner Chairman Jerry & Faye Wright 904 284-7544 **NOT DANCING IN AUGUST**

RIVER RAMBLERS: M/P Every Thursday Plus Workshop 7 - 7:30 PM Dance 7:30 - 9:30 PM 112 Yelvington Rd **East Palatka** (Just off US 17, Approx. 1/2 mile So of SR207) Putnam County Shrine Club Caller: Ernie Rollen 282-2335

TOUCH OF CLASS: "R" Ph. IV&V Every Thursday 7:30-9:30 Peace Presbyterian Church - 2300 Southside Blvd: Cuer: Jim & Barbara Winter 268-1369.

VAGABOND SQUARES: "M/P" Every Thursday 7:00-10:00 PM - St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Parish Hall, 1391 SW 11th St. - **Live Oak** - Caller: Ralph Beekman 904 752-2544 - Contact: Pauline & Victor Parker 904 935-2563.

F R I D A Y

GYPSY SQUARES: "M/P/L" 1st Full Weekend Each Month - **Various Campgrounds** -- Caller: John Barrett 904 767-7775 Contact: Gene & Wanda Tanner 904 782-3229 or Luther & Debbie Delp 905 642-0392

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JEKYLL ISLAND SQUARES: "M/P/R" 2nd, 4th Friday 8:00 - 10:00 PM - Jane Macon Middle School - **Brunswick, GA** Caller: Don Heins 912 265-1504 Cuer: Donna Heins.

POGO SQUARES: "M/P/R/L" 2nd & 4th Friday 8-10:30 PM - Wacoma School, U.S. 1 N. **Waycross, GA.**-- Caller: David Drake -- Cuer Larry Dunn Contact: Bob Farnham 912 283-9107 or Arthur Murray 912 283-8886

SILVER FOX SQUARES: "P/R" Every Friday Club Dance 8:00 - 10 PM Rounds every 1st & 3rd Fridays Jax Heights Elementary School-- Caller: Ernie Rollen 282-2335 Contact: Gene & Ann Bice 783-6522

S A T U R D A Y

TEDDY BEAR SQUARES: "P/R" 2nd & 4th Saturday Early Rounds 7:30 - 8:00 PM Dance 8-10 PM - Peace Presbyterian Church - 2300 Southside Blvd -- Caller: Eddie Millan 904 765-0296 -- Cuer: Jim Winter Contact: Walt & Betty Smith 904 260-8266 **NO DANCING IN JULY OR AUGUST.** Next dance September 9th.

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STITCHIN' TIME

By Janett Verwey 352 373-9776

Anita and Bud Taylor and their committee did an outstanding job in presenting "Sewing's the Rage in the New Age" for the Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention last month in Lakeland. These sewing clinics

require many many hours of planning work prior to the convention and then working in the clinic during the entire convention. The sewing booklet was outstanding!! Congratulations Anita, Bud, Gerry, Kim, and their committee for a great sewing clinic.

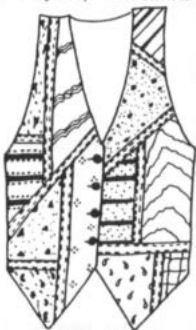
One of the articles in the sewing booklet was for a tiered skirt. Of course, you will have scraps of fabric left over from your tiered skirt. Here's an idea to use those skirt scraps plus some living in your sewing room or closet. Why not also make one for your dance partner!!!

PATCHWORK VEST

MATERIALS - Assorted pieces of scrap fabric - Any simple standard vest pattern.
- Muslin (one yard, 45" width) - Lightweight iron-on interfacing
- Ribbon (3 to 5 yards of 5/8" width) - Trim or cording (3 to 5 yards) - Vest back and lining fabric (see pattern for yardage)

PROCEDURE:

- Preshrink all fabrics and trim.
- Cut front vest pattern from muslin and interfacing.
- Fuse interfacing to muslin.
- Start with one of the larger swatches and place it near the center of the vest. Then work your way out as you place the remaining swatches. As you add pieces, make sure that the raw edges butt.
- Be sure to balance the design between the right and left sides.
- Also, check your balance, distribution of color, and the nature of the print of the swatches before finalizing the design.
- If you are going to add buttons on one side, you would do well to keep the stronger colors and prints on the other side (girls button right to left; boys button left to right..).



Patchwork Vest

- Pin or baste swatches in place making sure raw edges butt together.
- Zig zag butted edges. - Sew trim or ribbon to cover zig zagged edges by centering over each intersection and edge stitching.
- For a touch of emphasis, sew a trim or cord down the center of the ribbon.
- Working from the reverse side, trim excess patchwork along the cut edge of the vest.
- Cut and sew the vest back and lining according to pattern directions.

COMMENTS: I was recently asked if you can dye petticoats. I have successfully dyed several nylon chiffon and organza petticoats, but do NOT recommend trying it on the crystal fabric. The dye requires HOT water, and CRYSTAL petticoats need to be washed in COLD water. I'm not aware of a cold water dye.

Another question ... how do you laundry the rayon blend crinkled skirts? I have a rayon blend prairie skirt and wash it on the gentle cycle. Because of the rayon

STITCHIN' TIME (Cont'd)

blend I was afraid of shrinkage if dried in the dryer. First, gather the waistband and have someone hold while you gather the skirt and twist very tight down to the hem. Wrap string or cord around your "sausage", and pull by the waistband into the leg of an old pair of pantyhose. I put

my "sausage" on top of the washer and turned it a couple times a day to dry which took about 3 days. I was very pleased with the results. Caution: If your laundry room is not air conditioned, be careful of mildew in this heat and humidity.

Welcome the "just graduated dancer" to square dancing by inviting them to dance in your square!

GRADUATION BALL

Sponsored by Gateway Callers Association

By Val Newsome

The GCA held their Graduation Ball for students finishing their square dance lessons on Saturday, April 8th, at Sandalwood High School. While the number of graduates attending was not great, the enthusiasm certainly was!

Donna Robbins became "treasurer" when Jim Morgan was late getting to the dance. He made it in time to finish collecting the money and call a tip. Donna was also in charge of refreshments for the evening, so she was kept hopping! Thanks, Donna!!

Callers John Robbins (President of GCA), Lawton Smith, Ken Miller, and Jim kept the dancing lively. It was disappointing to see the small turnout, especially in experienced dancers not

supporting this dance. Remember -- you, too, were once a beginner and excited about entering a new activity. Let's all try to support next year's class--if we are lucky enough to have one.

Everyone knows we need to get more students into class this September, but "how"? Even personal one on one doesn't always help. Let's all keep trying to interest new people in taking lessons so that at next year's Graduation Ball the floor will be full!

The Gateway Callers Association sponsor a Beginner's Hoedown, Sophomore Hoedown, and the Graduation Ball each year. **Thanks** to all of them for their continued support of the square dance activity.



Lawton, Ken & John with some of the graduates for the year 2000.

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ANNUAL PIRATES BALL

By Jack McKinney

The Sweet Art pirate ship docked at Fernandina Beach on Friday April 14th and delivered a lot of much needed rain for us landlubbers. Captain Art Wilson and Captain John Saunders waded ashore with their wives Lucille and Linda and rowed a boat to the Fernandina Beach Recreation Center to call a Square Dance for the landlubbers. After the dance on Friday they had some dancers walk the plank. This was the Captains way of having some fun.

On Saturday the weather cleared and more landlubbers attended. They began the night's activities with a grand march and then a welcome speech by a Fernandina official. Both nights were filled with some great dancing and calling and everyone dancing got a chance to do the "Fernandina Shuffle". As usual, the Sweet Arts had lots of good food and fellowship. The decorations by Bill and

Connie Schnippert were great. The program book was put together by Dican Pope (she has done this book for the past 14 years).

After the dance on Saturday night the Sweet Arts, led by emcee, Linda Blake, did some skits. Phyllis Cody and her brother had some trouble with a bucket that had a hole in it. Lucille Wilson did a song telling all about the people who attended the Harper Valley PTA. Wendell Spears and Mark Ballard had a discussion about Wendell's problems down on the farm. A fashion show followed with some imported models who looked like they may have come from the pirate ship. Art Wilson started and ended the show singing two wonderful songs.

This was the Sweet Art Square's 24th Annual Pirates Ball and it was another good one!



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PUBLICITY - DEMO'S

By Val Newsome

May 5, 6, and 7 NEFSARDA dancers provided entertainment in the USA section of the World of Nations Celebration held at Metro Park in Jacksonville. Callers Art Wilson, Ken Miller and Lawton Smith participated, along with numerous dancers from several clubs.



We danced on the grass and tried to stay cool when we were on break. We had a group dance on Friday at 6 PM, Saturday at 7:30 PM and Sunday at 3 PM.



"Uncle Sam" (L) talks with Troy Winn (R), Special Events Coordinator for the City of Jacksonville...while "Ms Liberty" gets a lesson in square dancing.



Manny & Sherry Gonzales even decided to spend their Anniversary at the demo. (We think they went out for dinner later, tho!)

STATE CONVENTION (Continued)



Let us entertain you! And they did...the young dancers from the Barn and the Cloggers were just GREAT! Thanks!!



The Grand Prize in the Sewing Clinic was a serger.....Gerry Frederickson was the lucky lady who took it home.



Club News!

FUN 'N FROLIC

Luther & Debbie Delp 641-0392

We just celebrated 44 years of Square Dancing. We had a delightful turn out. As always we had a marvelous dance and plenty of good food. Thanks to all that made it a special dance. Don't think there is any club that's been around this many years and still dancing. We have a wonderful caller, Art Wilson, and if you have not danced to Art, you can on any Monday or Thursday night.

We had our Easter Bonnet Parade with our own Easter Bunny leading it. The hall was decorated beautifully — Thank you Elaine W. Wow, the bonnets were cute. We had both Men and women wearing bonnets. There were three winners — Linda & Docky Blake and Barbara. Guess what Art's bonnet had on it? CHICKEN and EGGS!! It was cute! We had lots of fun and a wonderful group.

Thanks to the ones who participated in the demo at Metro Park. We had good support from our club. We also supported

the Sweet Art Squares at the Pirate's Ball. Thanks to all that came and for being a part of the festivities. The Sweet Arts did a marvelous job and the after party was great. Hope you did not miss seeing Lucille and the fashion show

We have several couples and their families that are sick or have had illness. We sure do miss you and pray you all will be back to good health and back in a square soon!

Don't forget to mark your calendar for our special dance each month. July 24th is our ice cream social. July 31st is our last dance for the summer. We will not dance in August. We will be out visiting other clubs. This is a time for our caller and his darling wife to take a vacation. We will start class in September so you good plus dancers get ready for Advance classes with Art and the Fun 'N Frolic on Monday nights.



Guess why Art is wearing THIS hat?



Presidents of Fun 'N Frolic, Luther & Debbie Delp.



The "ladies" of Fun 'N Frolic show off their Easter Bonnets.

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GRAND SQUARES

Gerry & Herb Jesk

Well Hi again! We just came back from the Florida State Convention and had 21 Members in attendance, including several new members. We had a great time. We particularly enjoyed the education and information as well as the fashions in the Fashion Show. A lot of hard work went into this convention. Also the kick off shows. Old and New members learned a lot.

Put your thinking caps on now, do you Remember "Sue McRorie"? Well she lives in Lakeland. Was involved in Square and Round Dancing some 35 years. Her husband, Tom, cued and she was teacher. Four of our members went to visit her and Sue said as we reminisced "Dancing was for the fun of it and not too complicated". Also, when she hears the music she still can Round and Square Dance in her mind. She is due for some knee surgery in early June which she will have had by the time you read this. She will be 92 on June 24, 2000. Isn't that great! Congratulations SUE.

We also survived an eight hour canoe

trip down the Santa Fe River with only three mishaps — one tipped over, one fell UP an embankment and one turned an ankle. There were nine canoes with 18 members and some were armed with water pistols. A cool fun time.

Grand Squares, now in their 25th Year, will be Graduating two squares on July 11th, which is the second Tuesday of the month and "Party Night".

The Grand Squares and Teddy Bears of Jacksonville will be hosting NEFSARDA's Fifth Saturday Dance on July 29, 2000, 7:30 pm at Tynes Elementary School in Middleburg. Mark your Calendars.

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE FOLLOWING DATES!! WE WILL NOT BE DANCING AUGUST 15th AND OCTOBER 17, 2000.

Lonnie & Peggy want to thank the Grand Squares and all the many Square Dancers for all their support and concerns during the time of Peggy's Dad's Death. It meant so much to us and our Family.

GYPSY SQUARES

Gerry & Dale Fredrickson 269-9717

Thanks go to Maxine Thomas, Billy Luper, and Dee Casteel for hosting our May campout at the KOA in Ocala. We feasted on a casserole potluck in which all the ladies shared their favorite casserole. We cooled off after the dance with ice cream floats on Saturday evening. Dee and Billy served breakfast Sunday morning. Ask Maxine where she spends her time on Sunday morning.

Loud applause goes to Mary and John Burzo for hosting a wonderful weekend at Bulow RV Resort in Flagler Beach. We celebrated Thanksgiving in June! Does that mean that Christmas in July is right around the corner? Actually, no, not for us anyway. But, we did have a good time singing old songs and eating pumpkin pie! The pool wasn't bad either. We welcomed lots of guests from the Daytona area as

the Granada Squares and the Dixie Squares raided our Saturday evening dance.

After breakfast on Sunday we elected the following officers: President -Jay & Teri Peck; Vice President - Carl & Doris Raines; Secretary - Dave & Paula Guildford; Treasurer - Dale & Gerry Fredrickson; and FANSDC Rep - Stan & Alice Brittingham

The July campout will be at Grand Lake. We are excited about returning to this particular campground as it used to be our most frequented resort. The new owners have upgraded all the sites and facilities. We're looking forward to it and hope you will consider visiting us. Check our web page at

<http://members.xoom.com/fredrig>
for details or call any member. The

GYPSY SQUARES (Cont'd)

specifics are usually posted around the middle of the month. The August campout will be at Bulow. As it is located an easy distance from Jacksonville, we would love to have you come and visit us. Just take I-95 south to exit 91, travel east 200 feet on SR 100 to Kings Rd. (CR-

200) Turn south and go 3 miles. The Resort is on the left.

We always camp the first full weekend of every month. We would love to have you visit us often. See you in a square real soon.

JOY SEAS

Ron & Rose Larsen 904-471-6117

Thank you NEFSARDA for making our 9th Anniversary Dance on April 13th an event to remember. With Flagler Ocean Waves also there to retrieve their banner, the Beach Club was full to the limit.

The Easter Parade was a real success and the support from everyone was so great it almost made me cry. If we can work out some kinks we might continue this every year.

The 5th Saturday Dance on April 29th was wonderful as usual. We took two couples -- one who was a student

couple, and it really opened their eyes in amazement as they saw how much fun Square Dancing really is.

The State Convention in Lakeland was sooooo much fun! We really had a great time. If you missed it this year...hope to see you there next year.

We dance every Thursday night at the Beach Club in St. Augustine...right on the ocean. Check The Grapevine Directory for directions and come join us anytime. Hope to square up with you soon!



▼ Joy Seas members pose for their 9th Anniversary pictures. ▲



Juanita & Frank Hodges from Hendersonville, NC, celebrated their 54th Anniversary at the Joy Seas!



Joy Seas charter members help the club celebrate their 9th Anniversary!

JOY SEAS (Cont'd)



Members of the Joy Seas, along with other various club's members, march in the April 16th Easter Parade in St. Augustine FL.



On May 14th, we attended the club's graduation. While there was only one couple, their enthusiasm made it seem like a whole square! CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

MANDARIN MARAUDERS



Club's charter members at their 15th Anniversary Dance on April 25th.

MANDARIN MARAUDERS (Cont'd)



↑
Club members
at their 15th
Anniversary
Dance.



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Bob King, Marauder's outgoing President, and Jerry Sullivan newly elected President, perform the traditional "passing of the gavel" to symbolize the start of the new officers' regime.

MOOSE PROMENADERS

Bud & Anita Taylor 904-272-6551

The Promenaders lost another of their members with the passing of Tom Ball on May 19. Tom and his wife, Betty, were always there to support the activities of the Promenaders. He will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Betty for her great loss. Our club also wishes to thank its members and those dancers from other clubs throughout the Northeast who attended Tom's Memorial Service on May 23rd.

On a positive note, the club graduated nine dancers on April 27th., with a candlelight ceremony. Many guests attended and helped to make the graduation a success.

On June 8th, the Club had an Ice Cream Social Dance. It was great fun with lots of ice cream and your favorite topping. If you missed this dance, you missed a real treat to the taste buds.

Saturday, June 10th, the Promenaders

MOOSE PROMENADERS (Cont'd)

put on their aprons and did the cooking for the Moose Lodge Saturday night dinner dance. Filet mignon with the appropriate trimmings were prepared and served to the Lodge members and the guests that attended this dance.

Thursday, July 27, we will have the Pink Cadillac Dance. This year we will feature a real treat. The dance will be a dinner dance with fried chicken and all the fixin's. Cost will be \$3.50 per person for the dance and donations will be accepted for the dinner. For reservations call Bud & Anita Taylor at 272-6551 or Dale & Gerry Fredrickson at 269-9717.

During June & July the club dances in casual attire. We will take the month of August off and resume dancing on Thursday, September 7th. Open house

for the purpose of starting a Mainstream class will be on September 14th & 21st. If you know anyone interested in learning to Square Dance send them to us on either date. The open houses are free to new dancers and they will find our caller, Art Wilson, to be an excellent teacher.

We will once again sell the Entertainment Books. At this time the cost of the books for this year is unknown. However we shall have them at the club when classes resume September 7th.

Remember we dance on Thursday evenings at the Moose Lodge on Collins Road. From now until the end of July we have a Plus level workshop from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm. You do not need to be a Moose member to come and join in on all the fun. **See you soon!**



Moose Promenaders' Graduates' graduation night.
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On Wednesday, July 19th, Bill Chesnut will be calling and cueing. Jim will be at all other dances. Come dance with us, we love visitors.

We welcome as new members Grover & Marcella Jacobsen plus Lillie Brugh & Manuel Irizaary.

We're glad to have Don & Judy Largent back! We missed them and they missed us!

Our condolences to the Ball Family and the Osborn Family. Tom and Polly will be missed.

Hope you all got to Baltimore and had as wonderful a time as we did. See you across the square.

RIVER RAMBLERS

Jean Lee 904 649-5327

We are really happy to announce that we graduated 13 new dancers on May 18th. They are Frances Mize, Joy Mullis, Shirley Rollison, Earl and Ruth Cunio, Bill and Shirley DeLong, Terry and Marti Long, Jack and Dee Dee Morgan, George and Suzanne Tower. Congratulations to all of you. We had fun dancing with paper grocery bags on our feet, balloons under our arms, and slices of lemon in our mouths. What a night! The graduates enjoyed the traditional "mummy" wrap and to even make it better, the Board of Directors of NEFSARDA came to dance with us and to share in our celebration.

Since graduation we have banner raided the Granada Squares. We took

our River Boat and about two squares to Granada and had a wonderful evening. Some of us were able to go together in our motor home and we had a traveling after-party on the way home. What fun and friendship!

Many of our "old" and new dancers went to the state convention and needless to say, we had a great time. Many thanks to NEFSARDA for the after party and the entertainment. You guys did great!!!!!!!

During the summer months we will be dancing 7 - 9:30 pm and we will be workshopping the Plus movements. Hope all of you can stop by and have fun with us.

Congratulations



River Ramblers class members on graduation night with caller Ernie Rollen. CONGRATULATIONS!

RIVER RAMBLERS (Cont'd)



Seems nothing would do but the graduating class had to earn their "mummy" dangle. They managed to get him blindfolded with the "wrap"

Then, to add insult to injury, "someone" decided to leave Ernie calling to an empty floor. It sure was strange to hear a caller belting it out in a hall with no dancers (of course we were all on the other side of the hall doors).

When the tip was over, Ernie called out "You all can come back in, now." Did we fool you at all, Ernie?



Blessed are they who laugh at themselves for they shall never cease to Be amused.

THANK YOU!!

To our Square Dance friends, we send a very sincere **THANK YOU** for your cards, flowers, phone calls, food, thoughts and prayers during Dottie's illness and death!

John Wall

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ROLLAWAYS

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Most of our members who were on the recent sick list have returned. We welcome them back.

The 46th Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention is now history. It was a real eye-opener to see the outstanding results of all the time, hard work, and dedication contributed by so many enthusiastic people. They did more than merely provide recreation and entertainment for a lot of people. They set a good example for all of us and enhanced many lives in ways that they do not yet realize.

Some of our Rollaways members teamed up with four local square dance clubs, along with Caller Ken Miller, to put on a square dance demonstration at the Alhambra Dinner Theatre on May 25th. We danced outdoors on the asphalt driveway just before sunset. It was hot-hot-hot!

One of the Rollaways' best kept secrets is that we have two licensed square dance callers. They are Ken Miller and John Wall. John felt so bad about the burnt feet and red necks (careful--those are fighting words!) that he took a few of us to one of his evening square dance demo's at the Moose Lodge on Southside Boulevard on June

3rd. This time we danced in an air-conditioned hall. They treated us like kin folks. John does a great job of getting people from the audience to get up and try square dancing. It is always a lot of fun and is also a good way to meet prospects for our next Mainstream Class. Maybe we'll get lucky and pick up a few more members!

At this writing, plans are being made for our "Picnic in the Park" on June 17th. We will have food, drink, games, music, story telling, and other good things. We might not be the world's greatest dancers, but we are no slouches when it is time to eat. One of our distinguished members even has a laser-guided, spring-loaded extension fork that enables him to eat from two dinner plates at the same time. His effective operating range is close to 8 feet.

Plans are also being made for other fun activities. Some of them are listed in the Calendar of Coming Special Events at the end of THE GRAPEVINE.

On a somber note, we are sad to report that our new Co-Treasurer, Dottie Wall (1/2 of the team of John and Dottie Wall), entered Eternal Rest on April 28th. She was truly a special lady and a good friend. We will miss her.



Club members (+) perform outside the Alhambra Dinner Theater while waiting for the show to start!

SEABREEZE SINGLES

Linda Paulley 387-2239

Hello again fellow dancers . . . Hope you enjoyed the State Convention and your summer is off to a good start. Many of our dancers went to the State Convention and had a great time. I understand hats off to Linda Riggs and Anita Taylor. Both did a wonderful job. Mazalene won the door prize dress. For excitement I guess the Jacobsen's van being stolen and Bobble, Ester and Doris being mugged was enough. We had gone to Lonnie's 45th H.S. reunion that weekend but later in the wee hours were hosing the house and garage down since we had a fire two houses away. Never a dull moment.

We were dark the night Sweet Arts

had their last dance. Such a shame the club had to close but we hope all their dancers will find another place to dance and we can still enjoy Art on Thursdays.

We've had some great dances and visitors. We had a special dance for Jim's work retirement. No he's not retiring from calling. In fact he's going to do that full time now.

Our upcoming dances are Root Beer Float night, sock hop and crazy T shirts. Please plan on coming and visiting us one night, we love visitors.

Be sure and circle the last Tuesday in August as our next 5th Tuesday dance. This one will be every bit as great as the last one.



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Club president Shirley White and Ernie Perrin present a check for \$1,500.00 from the proceeds of the Annual Charity Ball to the City Rescue Mission representative.



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AD SIZES

Several months ago at the Delegates Meeting we distributed samples of ad sizes to be used. We continue to receive ads much larger than we can use. If you are submitting an ad and do not have a sample of the proper size, please call us.

In order to continue to keep the cost of ads down, we must eliminate the time spent on reformatting, cutting & pasting, and reducing at a copy service the ads received. Thank You for your cooperation.

The Editors

UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA

Great news! The directors of USDA have approved a plan to share the proceeds from the Credit Card Program with affiliate members.

Distribution of these funds will be made at the USDA meeting in Baltimore, MD on June 21st, 2000. The funds will be shared at a rate of \$100.00 per voting right by all affiliate members in good standing as of December 31, 1999 with the understanding that the affiliates will use the funds in the promotion of Square Dancing.

This is the second sharing of surplus funds by affiliates from the

USDA Credit Card Program, the first being in the early nineties.

These funds have been earned by you - the dancer - with the Square Dancer's Credit Card. What a super way - an easy way - to provide funds to help support our great activity. Our sincere thanks to all who have the Square Dancer's Credit Card.

For further information on the Credit Card Program, contact: Joe & Joy Vaccari, USDA Credit card Program Chairman, 227 Hughes St. NE, Ft. Walton Beach, FL 32548, (850) 243-9484, E-mail: javajoy@fwbnet.com.

SILVER FOX

Jim Cole 278-9268

Greetings to all from the Silver Fox Squares. We are proud to announce our new club caller, Ernie Rollen. We welcome Ernie and his lovely wife Frances to the Fox Den. We have been having some super dances.

The Nifty Fifty Dance was well attended. Everyone had a great time. All that greased down hair and poodle skirts brought some strange looks from the school personnel passing through, but it was a blast from the past.

Our 15th Anniversary Dance on June 9th began with a pot luck dinner. We all had a great time looking at the collection of Silver Fox memorabilia. On July 7th we will have our Ice Cream Social and hope you can join us.

A special Hello to three Silver Fox ladies: Dee Stone who is recovering

nicely after shoulder surgery; Maxine O'Donnell is rehabing from a broken hip; and Elizabeth Hartley is also recovering from surgery.

Congratulations to our high school graduate Travis Young, Class of 2000. We are proud of you Travis.

Larry Dunn will cue Rounds on June 30th, July 7th and 21st, and August 4th and 18th. Come on by for some great rounds.

Several couples, including our caller, will be making the trip to Baltimore for the National Square Dance Convention. We are looking forward to some great dancing and making some new friends.

COME ON OUT AND JOIN US ON FRIDAY NIGHT. WE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU DANCE WITH US.



Silver Fox club members present at their 15th Anniversary Dance!



Silver Fox charter members Millard & Applean Brown. Fred & Charlean Brinson and Maxine O'Donnell were unable to attend. Boy, 15 years with the same club - Congratulations!!



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NEFSARDA'S 47TH FALL FESTIVAL

SWEET ART SQUARES

Martha Schirg 904 277-4930

"Should old acquaintance be forgot
and never brought to mind"

As we reflect on the past, we are sad to end an era as the Sweet Art Squares. Our Square Dance group had their last dance after a fun filled 25 years. On May 30th, we held our final dance. An ice cream social was our way to celebrate the occasion. Approximately 80 friends enjoyed the ice cream, the dance, and the celebration. We could never name all the friends who have swung through our lives, but the memories will last until our final tip.

What went wrong? We feel that it was out of our control. Square Dancers are still the happiest and friendliest people you will ever meet. The many demands on the modern family's time has relegated

Square Dancing to a lower priority.

Let us ponder not on the sadness we feel, but on the knowledge that we will enjoy life to it's fullest. We will see all our friends in other dance groups. Art Wilson with his mellow voice will still be heard in the NEFSARDA area.

Art has asked us to thank everyone who has ever been associated with the Sweet Arts for all the hard work that they graciously performed.

We are sure to see you in Jacksonville for the 4th of July parade and other things that we as a group can join. We are not stopping Square Dancing but joining others for sure. The place to be may not be Yulee but we will bring our Yulee friends and see you in your squares.



Sweet Art Squares at their final dance, May 30, 2000, after 25 years of Square Dancing!

(Editors Note: We attended the Sweet Arts last dance and enjoyed the fellowship and the ice cream. We have visited the club on many occasions throughout the years and always had a great time. It is always sad to see a club close, especially after 25 years. We hope the dancers will soon join other clubs in the area and remain in the Square Dance family. hope to see you in a square soon, Sweet Arts!)

THANK YOU

Our sincere thanks to all our friends for the cards, phone calls, flowers, and visits following Barbara's injury, the death of Barbara's father, and Jim's injury and surgery. Your thoughts, prayers and concern meant a lot to us during these frustrating and difficult times.

Jim & Barbara Winter

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TEDDY BEAR SQUARES

Dave & Shirley Nihart 642-5218

Nineteen Teddy Bears went to Wolfson Park on May 19th to see The Famous Chicken and also the baseball game. The Chicken has some new acts this year and our own Virginia Cook was on the field dancing with him. A lot of dancers saw her on TV when the game highlights were aired on the 11:00 PM news. Needless to say the game was not great as the Suns lost, but the fireworks after the game made up for it.

Many of the Teddy Bears attended the State Convention, participating in a lot of the jobs needed to host the convention. Congratulations go to Linda Riggs and Gerry Fredrickson (Moose) on the Fashion Show. It had a new approach and was great. Jack and Kathy McKinney with their after party, had us all in stitches. The decorations were beautiful and shining, done with the help of Betty and Walt Smith and their assistants, Marcella and Grover Jacobsen. Also, congratulations to Anita & Bud Taylor and Gerry & Dale Fredrickson (both couples from the Moose) who ran the Sewing Clinic. It is wonderful how these people come up with new ideas year after year. Our final thanks to Don and Bonnye Bell, Chairman, who put on a great convention. To everyone else who helped, thank you for a job well done.

On May 30th six couples of Teddy Bears visited the Sweet Art Squares for their final dance. It was a great dance and we especially enjoyed the ice cream.

Our 16th anniversary dance was held on June 10th and we want to thank everyone that came out and made this an especially good time. We had a covered

dish dinner attended by 44 dancers and the food was, as always, just delicious. Ten squares were on the dance floor consisting of the Rollaways, Mandarin Marauders, Moose Promenaders, Yellow Rockers, Plus Fox, Fun N Frolics, Gypsy Squares and the Dixie Dancers, who came a long way. Also couples from the NEFSARDA board who came to retrieve their 5th Saturday Banner. Lawton & Eleanor Smith also attended and Lawton called a tip. Lawton and Eddie have some new pictures, you might want to ask to see them. They are quite nice. The Bears appreciate your attendance and hope that everyone had as much fun as we did.

It was also nice to have Russ Osborn and John Wall back with us. Also Jettie Crowe was there without her crutch. It is great to see her doing so well. Get well wishes go out to Ed Williams on his recent surgery, Reba Woodbridge who is ill and Norbert Feuer who injured his shoulder. Hope they will be back with us soon.

Our condolences go to Russ Osborn on the death of his wife, Polly.

It seems that something is always happening in the Winter household. Now Jim has had a serious accident. He has cut the tendons in his foot and will be laid up for a good while. The Bears hope that he will soon be better and back to his old self.

The Teddy Bears will not be dancing in July and August so Eddie & Ann and Jim & Barbara can have a much needed vacation. We will be back dancing on September 9th also with a spaghetti dinner. See you in September and hope all of you have a nice summer.

Teddy Bears celebrate their 16th anniversary and the last dance until September.



TEDDY BEAR SQUARES (Cont'd)



More of the Teddy Bears on their 16th anniversary
plus the only charter members present, Dee
Dee & Bessie Stovall

TOUCH OF CLASS

Barbara Winter 268-1369

Due to Jim's injury which occurred on Graduation Day, this year's Round Dance Class Graduation did not occur. Following his accident, Jim had surgery on his foot and is still on crutches. He must keep his foot elevated at all times and can only work from home. Hopefully, we will get to complete Graduation at a later date. Meanwhile, keep practicing and dancing!!

Yea! The Touch of Class won a NEFSARDA Banner at the 5th Saturday Dance on April 29th! We thank all the

members who came out for this fun event. Look for the Touch of Class at the FREE 5th Saturday Dance on July 29th. We just might repeat our attendance record!

Touch of Class will not be dancing again until **SEPTEMBER 17th** -- mark your calendar now so you won't forget the date. We hope all of you have a great fun-filled summer and that we will see you back "in the rounds" in September at Peace Presbyterian Church.

ON THE ROAD - - AGAIN

The Editors have scheduled the following "road trips" for July and August. Remember, if you have a special dance or event you would like us to attend, please let us know. We'll do our best.

The Editors

July 8.....	Christmas in July Benefit Dance	Friendship Squares
July 21--22.....	Summer Jamboree(3 camping clubs)	Grand Lake Resort
July 27	Pink Caddy - Dinner Dance	Moose
July 29	5th Saturday Dance (Tynes Elem).....	NEFSARDA
Aug 25.....	Jekyll Island Jamboree(Comfort Inn)	Jekyll Island,GA
August 29	5th Tuesday Dance(3 Clubs)	Sandalwood High



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YELLOW ROCKER PLUS

Eleanor Smith 389-3349

WOW! What a great convention! Everyone knew what they had to do -- and they did it! That's called cooperation, which is what square dancers are known for. One association president said it was the best convention he had attended since coming to Florida several years ago. Don and Bonnye Bell had worked on this for at least two years and there were many others who helped complete the team that made it such an outstanding event. Wasn't that Fashion Show something? Do you suppose there really will be square dancing in the next millennium?

Well, I started backwards, but that's how it goes when you're my age.

You should have seen the Easter bonnets concocted by each table at our Easter Bonnet Dance. I couldn't believe what they did with paper plates, scraps of ribbon, flowers, tape, magic markers, etc. Then one lucky lady at each table got to model the hat in our Easter Parade. They were outstanding!

Someone suggested we have a Maypole dance on May 1st, so Lawton got busy and made a neat Maypole and we danced around it.

I'm not going to tell WHO, but we had three lovely mothers who were over 75 years of age at our Mother's Day Dance. They surely didn't look it! See, that proves that square dancing and smiling a lot keeps you younger and healthier.

June 12th we celebrated anniversaries at our "Bride & Groom Dance". Marrying Sam even showed up in case someone wanted to get "hitched"!

We will not dance on July 17th

because the church is housing a group from Habitat for Humanity who are coming to Jacksonville to help our group build homes. What a great service to our community.

We are so proud of our club members who turn out on Monday nights and I know it isn't always an easy night to dance, but we've had good crowds and invite you to come & visit with us.

Can you imagine anyone driving 150 miles round trip to dance on a Monday night? Our newest members, Bob and Jane Raymond do just that. They are a great addition to our club because they always wear their happy faces.

We were all saddened when our good friend and member, Tom Ball, passed away. He had truly "fought a good fight, finished his course, kept the faith, and I know there was a crown of righteousness that awaited him when he entered Heaven. Tom and Betty were always very upbeat and smiling and determined to keep going. They were an inspiration to me and she and her family will remain in our prayers.

We are so glad to have Bronze and Virginia back dancing with us after their accident several weeks ago.

"On the road again!" Soon our travelers will be taking off for all parts of the country and beyond, but we always pray for their safe return. Hope to see them all back at the end of the summer.

We invite YOU to come dance with us this summer. In fact, I forgot to mention that July 10th is our Luau Dance. Come in your best Hawaiian outfit and we'll do the hula!

THANKS!

...for your timely articles - and your pictures! Keep them coming. Pictures should relate to your article or club news, and/or be a very recent happening. If you attend a dance or event, particularly if out-of-area, and would like to write an article, please contact us. We can't be everywhere and we welcome "reporters' views"!

GRAPEVINE PICTURE ALBUM



Tom Roper was asked to stand next to Bill Chesnut for a photo -- Tom casually walked over and planted a kiss on Bill...who kept right on calling. You never know what to expect when Tom & Bill get together. By the way, IT WAS A GREAT DANCE!



Maxine Thomas and Billy Luper just love to dance....squares, rounds, lines, and they clogged in the exhibition at State, then, as shown here, danced in the Quadrille segment of the Fashion Show! They are always on the dance floor -- maybe that's why they are such smooth dancers!

NEFSARDA DELEGATES MEETING MAY 7, 2000

Meeting called to order at 3:25 PM.

President welcomed new delegates from First Coast Rounds, Rollaways, and Mandarin Marauders. Also Present were callers Mike Akers from St Augustine and Bob Bennett from Belles and Beaux of Valdosta GA.

President reminded everyone that students are the lifeblood of Square Dancing and we need to support the student dances as well as our 5th Saturday Dances.

Minutes of last delegates meeting approved.

Treasurers report approved as presented.

Committee Reports

5th Saturday Dance: Next dance July 29, will be a FREE dance held at Tynes Elementary School, hosted by Plus Fox & Grand Squares. September dance to be held at one of the outlying areas. More later.

Blood Bank: See report elsewhere in this issue.

Grapevine: New deadline for Grapevine input will be 10th of the month preceding month of issue - articles and pictures.

Fall Festival: Location had to be changed to Christ The King Church on Arlington Expressway. No dinner on Saturday. Niharts are Ad Chairmen. Tickets will be available at next meeting.

SOS: We are in danger of losing more clubs. Clubs are reminded not to wait until the last minute to seek help.

Education & Classes: Start now preparing for September classes. If help is needed, call McKinneys.

Bylaws: No report.

Club Visitation: Receive 32 cards from 4 clubs. Clubs need to get more

active.

Publicity: See demo article(s) in this issue.

Insurance: Need three copies of club's updated roster each quarter.

Dance Couple of the Year: No report.

Florida Federation: Charlie & Val Newsome are new Federation Representatives to USDA.

Showcase: Virginia Cook making backdrop..

State Convention: Don & Bonnye Bell report 953 preregistered., including two from France. New graduates are to be encouraged to attend. Linda Riggs thanked those helping in the Fashion Show.

Gateway Callers: Lawton Smith reported on demos held at Metro Park.

Old Business: (1) Mike Akers thanked everyone for helping with the Easter Parade in St Augustine. (2) Charlie Newsome reported on delegate's notebooks. Motion made and passed to purchase books for all delegates. Books to be given to active delegates first and others reserved until needed by other delegates. (3) Determined that TV advertising too expensive.

New Business: (1) Advisory Committee met with Board - meeting to be with callers first. Meeting with club presidents will be scheduled by personal invitation. (2) Nominating Committee to be announced at July meeting. (3) Delegates Thank You Picnic will be September 17. - flyers to be at July meeting. (4) Idea of an A-1 class for the Southside to be brought up to callers.

Next Meeting: July 9th, 3 PM, Piccadilly.

Meeting adjourned. at 5:30 PM.

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CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

JULY 2000

05....	4th Of July Dance	Plus Fox
07....	Ice Cream Social	Silver Fox
08....	Christmas In July Benefit Dance	Friendship Squares
10....	Luau Dance	Yellow Rockers +
11....	Ice Cream Social	Dixie Dancers
11....	Hot Pepper/Fireworks Dance	Seabreeze Singles
19....	Guest Caller(Bill Chesnut)	Plus Fox
21-23.	Summer Jamboree ...3 Callers.....Grand Lake RV Resort.....	Orange Lake, FL
24....	Ice Cream Social Dance	Fun N' Frolic
25....	Crazy T-Shirt Dance(Prize).....	Seabreeze Singles
26....	Dangle Dance	Plus Fox
27....	Pink Cadillac Dance	Moose Promenaders
29....	5th Saturday Dance	Tynes Elem. School..... NEFSARDA

AUGUST 2000

08....	Root Beer Float	Seabreeze Singles
15....	Crazy Hat Dance	Dixie Dancers
15....	Dog Days Of Summer	Rollaways
14....	WHEW!!	Yellow Rockers +
22....	Jaguars Night(Wear colors)	Seabreeze Singles
23....	Ice Cream Social	Plus Fox
24-26.	Jekyll Island Jamboree	Comfort InnJekyll Island, GA
29....	Three Clubs Dance	T B A

SEPTEMBER 2000

1-2.	Florida Knothead Konvention	Civic Center..... Lakeland
05....	Hot Dog Night / Open House	Seabreeze Singles
07....	Open House	Moose Promenaders
09....	Annual Spaghetti Dinner	Teddy Bears
11....	Anniversary Dance (9th)	Yellow Rockers
12....	Football Kickoff Dance	Dixie Dancers
13....	Watermelon Dance	Plus Fox
14....	Classes Start	Moose Promenaders
14-16.	Myrtle Beach Ball	Myrtle Beach, SC
18....	Sock Hop (Prizes)	Seabreeze Singles
23....	Wear Favorite Team Colors	Teddy Bears
26....	Talent Night	Rollaways
29....	Pappy Shaw Dance (with dangle)	Silver Fox
30....	5th Saturday Dance	NEFSARDA

OCTOBER 2000

03....	Soup Nite	Seabreeze Singles
13....	Black Cat Dance	Silver Fox
24....	Goblins Nite Out (Prizes)	Seabreeze Singles
25....	Halloween Dance	Plus Fox
27....	Costume Dance	Silver Fox
30....	Hobo Dance (Hobo stew)	Yellow Rockers +
31....	4 Clubs Dance	TBA

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CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

NOVEMBER 2000

03....	Month Long Food Drive Begins	Silver Fox	
07....	Chili Nite	Seabreeze Singles	
10-11.	Fall Fun Fest	Civic Center	Lakeland
10-11.	Carolina Blue Heaven Dance	West End, NC	
10....	Veteran's Day Dance	Silver Fox	
17-18.	47th Annual Fall Festival	NEFSARDA	
20....	Thanksgiving Dinner Dance	Yellow Rockers +	
21....	Thanksgiving Dinner Dance	Rollaways	
21....	Oh Great Pumpkin Nite ... (Bring food for rescue Mission)....	Seabreeze Singles	
22....	Thanksgiving Dance	Plus Fox	

DECEMBER 2000

1-2...	Anniversary Dance (10th)	Gypsy Squares
7 - 9..	Gatlinburg Christmas Ball	Gatlinburg, TN
12....	Candlelight Christmas Dinner Dance	Rollaways
15....	Christmas Dinner Dance & Toys For Tots	Silver Fox
18....	Silver Bells Dance	Yellow Rockers +
19....	Candy Cane Dance	Seabreeze Singles
20....	Christmas Dance	Plus Fox

JANUARY 2001

09....	Hobo Stew Dance	Dixie Dancers
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FEBRUARY 2001

13....	Sweetheart Dance	Dixie Dancers
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MARCH 2001

06....	Mardi Gras Dance	Dixie Dancers
13....	St Patrick's Dance	Dixie Dancers

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

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