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# ★ From the desk of the President

## WHAT IS A NATIONAL CONVENTION?

By the time you read this article the State Convention will be over and those of us who are planning to make the journey to the National are starting to get excited about it. For those of you who have never attended a National Convention and this one will be your first, let us say right off that you are in for some great fun and excitement.

A National Convention is for all levels of square and round dancing, contra, clogging and workshops. Dancing starts at 9:00AM every day and goes until the after parties end.(1:00AM) The Florida Federation is planning a big after party on fri. (See details elsewhere in GV). It is exhibition dancing. Don't forget the J'Ville Cloggers and Reflections will be performing this year. It is educational seminars, Paul & Nita Walker and Sally Thompson will be serving as panelist. It is a "ShowCase of Ideas" where organizations and clubs may display their publications and ideas for improving square dancing. Florida will have three tables and the Northeast will be well represented. There will be many exhibitors booths catering to the needs of square dancers. The "Parade of States" on Saturday night, and the bid sessions at which states will be bidding for the 1987 Convention. We could go on, but instead we will let you see it for yourself. We can guarantee though, it will be fun, fun, fun!

We would like to stress to all club officers and prospective officers that you take time out to attend some of the leadership seminars that will be conducted. The panels consist of highly experienced square dancers and the average years of experience will range well over 100. We feel that a wealth of knowledge can be gained from these seminars.

See you in Louisville,  
NORM & JOYCE



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## CHRISTMAS IN JULY

The 3rd. annual Christmas in July dance for crippled children will be held at Morocco Temple, 219 Newnan St. Saturday July 23, 1983. Cost is \$3.00 per dancer and \$1.50 for spectators.

Exhibitions by the J'Ville Cloggers, Florida Fun Time Cloggers and Wayne & Barbara Blackford will begin at 7:00 P.M. and the dance will be from 7:30 until 11:00 P.M. There will be mainstream dancing on the ground floor; Plus and rounds on the second floor, and a special area for clogging.

All of your favorite callers from Jacksonville will be participating with mainstream dancing coordinated by Matt Wimpee and Plus dancing and Rounds coordinated by Bobby Keefe. Gene Record of Covington, Ky. will be our special guest caller who will call on both levels.

Christmas in July, co-hosted by the Jubileers and Red Fez Squares is not only a fun dance, it also benefits crippled children...so "Lets Dance So That Others May Walk".

## "HELLO I'M HERMAN"

"Paul, you're never home". We hear this statement all the time. It's true, we are out a lot and usually, right at deadline time we receive a lot of calls for address changes, renewals, or wanting to put in an ad at the last minute.

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Paul(Herman) & Nita

## TO ALL NORTHEAST-THANKS

A big thank you to all our many friends in Northeast Fl. for all the support you have given us during these past months to help us represent Fl. at the National Convention in Louisville, Ky. The Round Dance Demo team started out as just an idea of the NEFSDA's president George Garland, in 1977 to help promote Northeast and Round Dancing. It has since grown from five couples to seventeen representing Leesburg, Ocala, Orange Park, Jax. Beach, St. Augustine and of course Jacksonville.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU to the NEFSDA for their donation as well as Norm & Joyce Farrell, George & Virginia Warren, Mike & Jan Akers, Bobby & Carol Keefe, James & Clarice Maxey and many more to numerous to mention. We hope those of you planning to attend the National will get the opportunity to see "YOUR" R/D Demo team perform.

Wayne & Barbara and  
Members of the Reflections.

## THE REFLECTIONS SCHEDULE IN LOUISVILLE

24th.-6:PM-Main Arena-Coliseum  
24th.-9:PM-East Hall  
24th.-11:PM-East Hall(Indiana)  
25th.-3:PM-Main Areen-Coliseum  
25th. 11:PM-East Hall(Alabama)

## "JEKYLL FUN FEST" JULY 15-16

For the past 12 years Cal Golden has teamed up with Dick Barker to put on the Jekyll Fun Fest.

Cal has retired from calling and Dick has decided to continue the JFF. This year Dick will have as his Special guest caller Don Williamson. Don records with Red Boot Records in Tenn. Wayne & Barbara Will be on the Rounds. Dick is one of our finest callers in our area so mark your calendars now and plan to have "YOUR JUST FOR FUN WEEK-END".

## HOBO DANCE GREAT SUCCESS

WELL THERE WE WERE, FOLKS LOOKED LIKE THEY JUST CAME OUT OF THE HILLS FROM THE MOUNTAIN COUNTRY, STRAW HATS AND BLUE OVERALLS, TENNIS SHOES AND PATCHES,

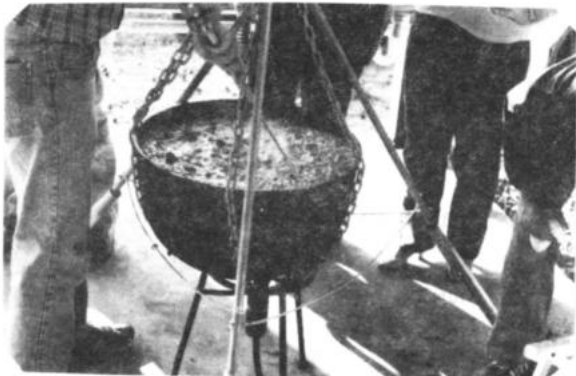


THEY ATE OUT OF TIN CANS AND KEPT COMING BACK FOR SECONDS, ICED TEA, COFFEE BREADS (OF ALL KINDS) AND SWEETS A-PLENTY.

ONCE AGAIN THE HOBO DANCE WAS A GREAT SUCCESS. THE MERRY MAVERICKS STARTED THIS DANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF THEIR MEMBERS HAVING AN OUTING JUST FOR FUN.

IT GREW, ALL AREA DANCERS ARE WELCOME AND AT THE SAME TIME THE FIVE DOLLARS PAID, ACTUALLY PAYS FOR A YEARS SUBSCRIPTION TO THE GRAPE-VINE.

OVER 150 DANCERS JOINED IN THE FUN, JAMES MAXEY WAS AT HIS BEST, AS USUAL, THE WAY THIS DANCE WORKS IS, YOU PAY \$1 FOR THE MEAT AND BRING ONE CAN OF VEGETABLES, YOU EAT OUT OF THE CAN YOU BRING.



SOME FOLKS SAID THEIR MEAT WAS A LITTLE STRINGY, LATER ON I SAW A DANCER EATING OUT OF A CAN WITH AN ALPO WRAPPER...I'M SURE HE DID'NT...OR DID HE?

MAKE SURE YOU ATTEND NEXT YEARS HOBO DANCE SPONSORED BY THE MERRY MAVERICKS

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2<sup>ND</sup> & 4<sup>TH</sup> FRIDAYS

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Caller: LAWTON SMITH

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How many times have we said that the tough job belongs to the club caller? This is the person who stays home and 50 times a year creates a program that holds the interest of the dancers who join him religiously week after week. Truly this is a challenging responsibility. His material must be fresh, while at the same time providing his followers with enough of their old favorites to keep them happy.

On the other hand, it might be said that the traveling caller who develops one "perfect" program and then calls it every night week after week in a different city each night has a cinch. To be sure, he must adjust the program if the ability or desires of the crowd warrants it, but nevertheless, each night he calls his set program is the same and should improve as he goes along.

Of course, this isn't true for every traveling caller. Some who are on tour will move into an area and call several nights in a row, sometimes in the same hall. On these occasions, he must, of necessity, be able to come up with a different program. For the most part, however, it holds that a traveling caller can stick pretty much to a set program.

-SQUARE DANCING, March '83

LEADERSHIP SEMINARS

The National Square Dance Convention has once again asked LEGACY to conduct a series of Leadership Seminars during the 32nd annual Convention in Louisville, KY. These daily two hour sessions will be of interest to all dancers, but especially to those involved in the actual running of clubs and federations.

On Thursday, June 23, the main theme will be "Building Trust" with Bo and Agnes Smith of Glen Carbon, IL leading a discussion on "Relationships" and Bob and Becky Osgood of Los Angeles, CA another one on "Communications."

Club money management will be the topic for Friday. Peter J. & Jennie Zukauskas of Bel Air, MD, will start out with "Budgets". Ted & Betty Vaile of Peru, IN will continue the discussion with special fund raising projects. This year's seminars will conclude on Saturday with a panel in Club Leadership aptly named "Fun Not Frustration" by its moderator Freddie Kaltenthaler of

To the Kicker

If you accidentally cross the foul line in bowling, your friends will laugh and say "shame, shame." If you insist on doing it on purpose, your friends, who think more of the activity, will probably ask you to leave. Insist on four strikes instead of three next time you are up to bat and see what your friends say. Drive on the wrong side of the road and see if someone doesn't ask you to move over.

Kicking in a square is also dangerous. If you don't believe it, ask my wife and some other people we know who have been injured for life by a kicker in a square. No one puts in something extra without it taking time and someone has to give you that time whether you realize it or not. The other dancers and the caller both have to wait on you. I know, because I have called to you and danced with you for 35 years and every time you are in my square, I have to wait on you to finish your acrobatics.

We have a rule book in square dancing now and it was put together by the most experienced, dedicated and hard working callers in the world, spending their own hard-earned money and time just to put a real meaning to the word "cooperation." It took Callerlab six years and 13 drafts to come up with this rule book. None of us agree 100% with it, but we can all live with it ... so can you. You touch a mighty sore spot when you blatantly say that when it comes to dancing properly that you are a maverick and not ashamed of it.

I don't know if it will help to beg, but I will. Please, please, won't you seek help to find out what good, enthusiastic, fun dancing is all about and then become part of the solution instead of the problem, which I believe is just about the only real problem we have left in this activity we all love so much?

-Vaughn Parrish, Berthoud, CO  
-SQUARE DANCING, March '83

Pocono Pines, PA. Aply assisting her on the panel will be Loren & Bobby Foster of Sun Prairie, WI, Bob & Dot Elgin of Harrison City, PA, and Bob & Janette Kemper of Oak Ridge, TN.

Executive Secretaries:  
Don & Vera Chestnut  
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# YOU'RE A SUCCESSFUL DANCER

BY DAVE JOHNSTON,  
REPRINTED FROM TOPICS.

YOU'RE A SUCCESSFUL DANCER WHEN...

- YOU DANCE TO THE BEAT OF THE MUSIC;
- YOU DANCE TO THE FLOW OF THE SQUARE;
- YOU WORK WITH SEVEN OTHERS TO MAKE IT GO;
- YOU TOUCH HANDS TO MAKE NEAT SETUPS;
- YOU WATCH YOUR OPPOSITE TO HELP OR FOLLOW;
- YOU MAKE MISTAKES BUT CORRECT THEM WITHOUT TAKING DOWN THE WHOLE SQUARE;
- YOU SCRAMBLE(IF NECESSARY)TO FILL IN A HOLE;
- YOU MAKE EYE CONTACT TO HELP YOURSELF OR SOMEONE ELSE;
- YOU "FIX" SOMEONE GENTLY, ESPECIALLY WHEN YOU ARE RIGHT;
- YOU SMILE.

## Coming Events

### JUNE:

23-25 Nat'l Square Dance Conv.

### JULY:

15-16 Jekyll Fun Fest  
23 Christmas In July  
29 5th Fri-Gator Promenaders  
30 5th Sat-NEFSDA Dance

### AUGUST:

27 Easter Seal Dance-A-Thon  
30 5th Tues-Seaside Stompers

### SEPTEMBER:

2-5 Knothead Convention-Tampa  
2-4 Labor Day-Jekyll Island  
30 5th Fri-Allemandarins  
30 5th Fri-Gator Promenaders

### OCTOBER:

29 5th Sat-NEFSDA Dance

### NOVEMBER:

4-5 Camp O'Lena Hoedown  
25 Turkey Hash-Lone Star Swigrs.  
29 5th Tues-Seaside Stompers

### DECEMBER:

31 New Years Eve-Art Wilson  
31 New Years Eve-Jerry Barrett,  
Lawton Smith,Paul Walker

## ROUND DANCE SEMINAR

Don & Pete Hickman, ROUNDLAB Education Chairmen, are proud to announce that ROUNDLAB will conduct a two-hour Round Dance seminar daily at the 32nd National Square Dance Convention in Louisville, Kentucky.

These smeinars are not to be confused with the dancer seminars and clinics presented as a part of the overall general education program of the National convention. The ROUNDLAB seminars, which are more lecture, but with audience participation thru questions, are geared toward teachers, prospective teachers and square dance callers interested in round dancing as a part of the overall square dance activity.

On Thursday, June 23, Herb Egender of Aurora, CO, will moderate a panel on "Leadership and Round Dancing." Panelists will include Ted and Barbara May, Harvey, LA, and Pete Hickman, San Antonio, TX. Harmon and Betty Jorritsma of Garden Grove, CA, will explain the ROUNDLAB Phases of Teaching Progression at the Friday session. The series will conclude on Saturday with Irv and Better Easterday, of Boonboro, MD, discussing "Let's Learn to Teach Round Dances". These ROUNDLAB seminars will be held during the afternoon hours. We suggest dancers consult their program books for the exact hour and location.

-Doc & Peg Tirrell  
Publicity Chairman  
3 Churchill Road  
Cresskill, NJ 07626

## NEW PLUS CLUB

Another club has been formed for your dancing pleasure. The name of this new PLUS club will be the DAMES & DUDES and their caller is John Robbins. Dancing will be 8-10PM every Wed. evening at Pacetti's.

## NEW DANCE LOCATIONS

CRAZY EIGHTS DANCE THE 2nd. & 4th. Fridays and are now dancing at Hyde Park Masonic Lodge on McMullin St.

ALLEMANDARINS will dance at the San Jose Episcopal Church during the months of June, July and August.

## SPECIAL NOTICE

Associational dues for Club Membership in the Northeast Fl. Square Dancers Assoc. are due this July. Dues are \$10.00 per club, please be prompt.

# 'KNOTHEAD TRIP'

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INTERESTED DANCERS: IF ENOUGH DANCERS SHOW AN INTEREST THEN WE WILL ARRANGE FOR THE DANCE. WE NEED TO KNOW HOW MANY WOULD LIKE TO GO SO WE CAN ARRANGE FOR A HALL LARGE ENOUGH.

TRANSPORTATION: A BUS WOULD COST BETWEEN \$10 - \$12 PER PERSON.

DEADLINE....DEADLINE....FOR A SHOW OF INTEREST: "JUNE 25TH"



THIS DANCE WILL BE AT THE MAINSTREAM LEVEL WITH ANNOUNCED PLUS TIPS.

PS: THOSE OF YOU WHO ARE KNOTHEADS AND JUST WANT TO JOIN IN ON THE FUN....COME ON! GIVE US A CALL.

- CUT ALONG THIS LINE & MAIL TO US -

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Would You RATHER GO To: WAYCROSS  or ORLANDO

Would You BE WILLING To PAY \$10-12 FOR A BUS- PER PERSON: YES  NO

COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS WELCOMED: \_\_\_\_\_

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DEADLINE: JUNE 25<sup>TH</sup>

KNOTHEAD TRIP RESPONSE

## CLUB NEWS

### ALLEMANDARINS

NOTICE!! We are going to be dancing at San Jose Episcopal Parish Hall (corner of San Jose Blvd. & St. Augustine Rd.) instead of Wolfson for June, July and August.

It was great to see everyone at our 5th. Friday Dance with Roger Chapman. A great time was had by all.

We are dancing June 10, July 8, July 22 and August 12.

Come join us on the above dates at our new hall for a great dance and good fellowship.

Sue Jeffreys-733-0376

### CALICO SQUARES

Our Easter Egg hunt on Mar. 31 was great fun. As the Sea-Land Stars had come to steal our banner, they too joined in the search. For finding the golden egg in John Robbin's pocket, Gene and Linda Lamie won the prize basket filled with square dance trinkets—a directory of clubs, belt buckle, necklace and earring set. George & Shirley Regan, with the help of their son Tony, found the most eggs and won a "Calico Square" tie and garter.

We graduated a group of 14 new dancers on April 7. They were such good sports as they danced in shoe boxes with balloons between their legs, danced blindfolded and barefooted trying to avoid the "raw eggs" that had been placed in their square and changed roles dressing and dancing the part of their partner. We welcome these new additions to our club and thank the visitors who came to make their graduation such a huge success.

Julie Hess 1-845-2175

### CLAY WHEEL AROUNDS

We are happy to announce that recent graduates have joined the club and are enjoying their new found hobby.

Thanks to all those folks who attended the fish fry at Pacetti's and don't forget the next fish fry in October.

Come see us!

### CRAZY EIGHTS

388-5509

We are now dancing at a new home. Our dances are held the 2nd & 4th Fridays, 8-10:30P.M. at the Hyde Park Lodge, 6744 McMullin St.

Our first dance in our new home was held May 13th. We had an excellent turn out. Our thanks to all our visitors. We invite all square dancers to come and visit with us. We recently graduated 21 new dancers and have a total of 24 new members.

Bonnie Taylor

### DAMES AND DUDES

On April 13, 1983 a new Plus Club was formed. The slate of officers is: Pres: Walter Smith, V.Pres: Dave Edgell, Treas: Stuart Craig, and Sec: Gert Russell.

Our caller is John Robbins who has been our teacher since the class was first formed in November. The Dames and Dudes class hope to graduate in the early fall. The Plus dance night is every Wed. from 8-10 at Pacetti's Marina on State Rd. 13.

If you know Plus level come on down and join the group. Charter membership will close on May 31.

For further information on the Dames and Dudes Club contact Walter Smith at 797-3344 or Gert Russell 284-0897.

### DRIFT AROUND SQUARES

FOOD, FOOD, FOOD!!! Good covered dish, good ice cream and good pancakes. We had it all at our April campout in Salt Spg. The campout was enjoyed by 21 member campers and 3 visitors. We welcome as new members Danny and Billie Danson.

Our next 3 campouts will be at Pacetti's on May 20, 21, & 22, June 24, 25 & 26; & July 22, 23 & 24. Visitors are always welcome to camp and/or dance.

Our caller, Ken Perez is doing a super good job of calling the dances lately.

Wally & Jean Miller-771-4166

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JUNE 22-----WALNUT MEADOWS CAMPGROUND, BERA, KY.  
JUNE 23-26----NATIONAL CONVENTION,LOUISVILLE,KY.  
(STOP BY PRAIRIE/MOUNTAIN RECORD  
BOOTH IN LOUISVILLE AND SAY HI!)  
THE STORE WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY, JULY 15TH.&16TH  
WE WILL HAVE OUR STORE ITEMS AT THE  
JEKYLL ISLAND FUN FEST THESE TWO DAYS

*Ann & Eddie*  
ANN & EDDIE

## CLUB NEWS

### DIXIE CHAIN GANG

Our club would like to thank all of the members of the Lone Star Swingers for their cooperation and support of the Shamrock Shuffle. As you know it was a great success and a great dance weekend. We are already making plans for the 84 Shuffle.

Congratulations to our new slate of offices for 83-84. Pres: Donald & Bootsie Helmly, V.Pres: Buddy & Maxine Boman, Treas: Smokey & Nancy Gordon and Sec: Sam & Jeanette DeBartolomeis. We want to thank the out going officers for a job well done.

Perhaps you have heard that we are now a mainstream club- we would like to see all of you mainstream dancers at our club dances.

Our fall beginners classes will start the First Tuesday in September and will be held at Spring Park Elementary School Call Sam for further info.

The members that went to Fontana last month had a blast. we are already looking forward to next years trip.

Don't forget to support your Blood Bank.

God Bless, Sam----724-1855

### GOLDEN ISLE SWINGERS MS/QS

The Swingers' special guests on May 7th. were the Seaside Stompers of Jax. Beaches. We were so pleased that 18 couples came up to dance with us. And what fun we had!! Please come again soon...and often.

On May 30th. we graduated 25 enthusiastic new dancers who are a credit to their instructors and to themselves. We welcome them into the club. Dick Barker calls our regular dances on the 2nd. & 4th. Sat. but to give these new graduates an opportunity to dance more often, we will have a mainstream dance each Monday night starting June 6th. David Drake, Don Heins and Myron Crider will alternate calling.

Come see us soon!

Eunice Elliott-262-0024

### GATOR PROMENADERS

It looked like Round-Up time at the O.K. Corral for our anniversary party. Emily & Joe Brinkley did a super job on all the western decorations and even had Art "fenced in".

Was nice to have a group of Sea-Land Stars come down to retrieve their banner or should I say shirt.

April 17 we all gathered at The Jordan's lovely country home for a picnic, covered dish dinner, and games. The highlight of the day was Lucille & Art cutting the cake as we celebrated their 25th anniversary.

April 21 our class and club members traveled up to St. Marys Ga. for a joint graduation with the Sea-land Stars. We are proud to welcome our graduates. At their first club dance they surprised Art with a Belly dancer.

The April 5th. dance was well attended and a good time was had by all, dancing to (Frogman) Jerry Barrett and Stew Chacklette from Ky.

Happy to know that John Forbes is recovering nicely after open heart surgery.

Gators will not be dancing : during the month of August. We will resume our regular schedule Sept. 9. Next 5th. friday All Singing Call Dance will be July 29th. See you all then.

Milton & Barbara Peterson

### DIXIE GRANDS

A special thank you for a job well done to our outgoing Pres. Ed & Jeanne Parrish. On May 6 our new officers were installed. Pres: Dennis & Nancy Yavorsky, V.Pres: Ron & Linda Petrey, and Sec.-Treas: Mike & Ann Hynes.

Dennis and Nancy bring a lot of enthusiasm to the club. We will be out stealing banners soon. Plan on visiting the friendliest club in town. First and third Fridays at the Jax. Hights Elementary School off of 103rd St. Eddie Millan calls an exciting plus level dance.

## CLUB NEWS

### COUNTRY KORNERS

Our new schedule is well under way now, with dancing at Twin Hills Civic Center every Friday evening of the month except the 4th. Class is from 7:30-8:30 and Mainstream Club dancing 8:30-10:30P.M.

Club members under VP Dave Sweeney have been active in banner stealing, and we recently had those of Kountree Kuzzins, Seaside Stompers, and Jubileers all displayed at the same time! On May 11 we are due at the Merry Mavericks.

All Square Dancers are invited to our grand Picnic and Fish Fry on July 16. It will be an all day affair at Pacettis. Plan to come, eat and dance with us then, or any other time on Fridays.

Bill Wood-269-3315

### LAMPLIGHTERS

The Lamplighter's home at Pacetti's has a new look! Last month a drop-ceiling was installed in the recreation hall. Many volunteers came out to help install the ceiling, even Lena Pullen did her share.

On May 3rd. we installed new officers. Pres: Dick Farr, VP-Haynes Grant, Treas. Betty Mitchell and Sec. Gert Russell.

Our class graduated on April 12 and it is so nice to have them join our club. Many visitors joined us to help in their graduation.

A new class was formed April 19th.

On May 10th. the Lamplighters celebrated their first anniv. with a large cake and icecream. The door prize, a dinner for 2 at Corky Bell's Seafood Restaurant was won by Al Malitz.

It was nice to see Carl Zinn back in our midst and hope to see him back on the floor soon.

On May 13th. over a square of us visited the Swinging Saints and retrieved the banner. Our visit with them was enjoyed by all.

Gert Russell-284-0897

### RED FEZ SQUARES

Remember the Christmas in July Dance at Morocco Temple July 23. All proceeds from this event go to the Crippled Childrens and Burn Hospital Fund. Everyone has always enjoyed these dances.

The Ladys of Red Fez raffled a quilt which brought in over \$400.00 for the fund. The lucky winner was the Seebachers who dance with the Seaside Stompers.

Congratulations, our class will graduate May 23rd. Also we are planning a car caravan to Lakeland for the Convention.

Paul & Helen Fry-743-7960



FRANK WILSON AT  
THE PALATKA PARADE

### MERRY MAVERICKS

A large group of paupers calling themselves "Hobos" gathered in April and after much peeling, chopping and stirring ate stew straight out of cans and later there was a great turn out for an exciting dance in true Maxey style. You missed a good time if you didn't attend.

Paul & Freeda Rudd are doing a fantastic job on the Club scrapbook. They are keeping wonderful pictorial records with those great photographs and its such fun perusing this book. Be sure to look at it when you attend the dance.

Mark your calendar of events to include the Fl. Knothead Konvention on Sept. 2-4 in Tampa.

Happy Dancing! Doris Kasnias



## **32nd NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION® AFTER PARTIES**

THURSDAY, JUNE 23—11:00 P.M.-1:00 A.M.

COLISEUM—Indiana 35th National Square Dance Convention®  
BROADBENT ARENA—South Carolina Square Dance Federation  
WEST WING—Youth, Maryland  
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WEST WING—Mississippi Square Dance Association  
WEST WING—Youth  
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WEST WING—Clogging  
WEST HALL—Maryland 33rd National Square Dance Convention® (Challenge)  
EAST HALL—Contra, Lloyd Shaw Foundation.  
SOLO HALL—Bachelors & Bachelorettes International

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There will be three (3) First Aid stations open from 9:00 a.m. 'til 11:00 p.m. each day. They will be staffed at all times by trained personnel. The rooms will be located adjacent to the main Coliseum, and in the East and West Lobbies. In addition, many of the security people we have contracted are also trained in First Aid. Hope nobody has to use these facilities, but in the event it's necessary, we want to take good care of you.

## LOST AND FOUND DEPARTMENT WILL BE CENTRALLY LOCATED

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How many square- and round-dance publications are there in the world? Who knows? We know there are more than 225, and when you attend the 32nd National Square Dance Convention® June 23-25 in Louisville, each and every one of them will be yours to look at, examine and read through to see what the rest of the country is doing. The books and magazines range from two-page mimeographed newsletters which cover small clubs or associations, to some of the slickest professional magazines you can imagine.

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P.O.P. - A-ROUNDS

32 students graduated on 4/19. They danced all evening with a full house of guests. Thanks go to many for so much good food and to all the members and guests who made it an evening of fun dancing. Special thanks to caller Mike, Taw Jan, and President Juanita for the success of the dance. A special thanks to Paul and all the Stompers who attended.

Our special Rita and Harley Fisk has taught us to enjoy the Grand Teton Stomp.

The members "appreciation" dinner and fun night on May 21 was a huge success.

Mike Akers, at a recent dance, surprised all the class angels by presenting them with his COMPA (One of Mike's Prized Angels) banjo badge.

The banner thief has kept club members busy stealing and retrieving banners (Dixie Chain Gang, Jubileers, Sweet-Art Sqrs Swinging Saints), so other clubs be on the lookout for us, we're gonna come P.O.P.Around.

New officers will be taking office June 1, Pres: Elva Braisted, V.Pres: George Ligus Sec: Doug Williams, Treas: Betty North. Appreciation and thanks to all the outgoing officers for another successful and fun year.

Club membership is now at 81. We dance 2nd & 4th Thursdays at Peace Presbyterian Church, 2300 Southside Blvd. A warm thanks to Al Cook for always having the facilities sparkling and comfortable. Y'all come, join us for FUN, DANCE (MS & QS) TETON STOMP AND POP-AROUND

Doug Williams-246-1867

RIVERSIDE RAMBLERS MS/QS

We are having our 2nd. Annual Benefit Dance for the Riverside Baptist Church on the 29th. of July at Lee High School. Four dollars per couple-all proceeds to the church. Good refreshments and expert calling by Frank Clements. Plan on a good time with us. Starts at 8PM.

**CLUB NEWS**

During the last few months we have been busy stealing and retrieving banners. We still have banners from the Dixie Chain Gang and from the Alle-mandarins. Visitors are always welcome!!!

Kelly Turner

SEABREEZE SINGLES

Our plus class has just completed its fourth week of learning, with 8 more weeks to follow. Graduation should be about July 18th or 25th. Under the able instructing of Mike Akers, the class is progressing super good. MEN- The class always need more men, please come and help.

It's not to early to begin talking up our beginner class, starting the first part of September, our club caller, Eddie Millan, will teach this class. Everyone is elegeble to join the class, singles, married, children, ya'll come. This is an excellent opportunity for those persons who have been absent from square dancing for a time, to get a refresher course, in order to get active again.

We love our visitors.

Waldo Cross-786-4203

YELLOW ROCKERS

Thanks to those who helped make our graduation night a success. We are proud to have graduated 21 square dancers. The Yellow Rockers are growing!!

Watch out! Our new banner Chairman is a real "go getter" The gang will be out to see you real soon.

New officers: Pres: Leah Kelly V.Pres: Linda Petrey Sec: Lois Poole Treas: Cecil Poole Kitchen: Jackie Seiple & Betty Cason and Historian: Carol Jenkins

# MATT WIMPEE



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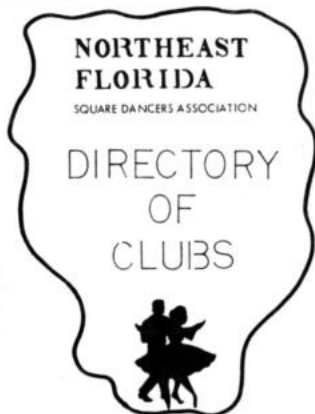
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FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS WE HAVE PUBLISHED A NORTHEAST "CLUB DIRECTORY" AND INCLUDED THIS DIRECTORY WITH THE OCTOBER-NOVEMBER ISSUE OF THE GRAPEVINE. WE HOPE TO DO THE SAME THIS YEAR.

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- o NAME OF CALLER OR INSTRUCTOR
- o DANCE NIGHT AND TIME
- o DANCE PLACE (ADDRESS)
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DEADLINE FOR THIS ISSUE OF THE DIRECTORY WILL BE AUGUST 15TH. WE RECEIVED NUMEROUS CALLS LAST YEAR, AFTER THE DIRECTORY WAS PRINTED, FROM PEOPLE WHO SAID THEY WISHED THEY HAD KNOWN ABOUT THIS DIRECTORY BECAUSE THEY WOULD HAVE PUT IN AN ADVERTISEMENT ABOUT THEIR CLUB, SPECIAL DANCE, ETC, SO NOW IS YOUR CHANCE !

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## CLUB NEWS

### DICK BARKER'S OCEANWAVES

The oceanwaves have been listening when dancers say that they would love to dance the Plus program with Dick Barker, but that Sundays are just not a convenient day for them. In the summer, yard chores make Sundays even more inconvenient.

We will dance Sunday June 5, at Kickers, as usual. Then we will take a summer hiatus until September, when we will change to 1st. & 3rd. Saturday nights. That's right folks, Dick has put us on schedule for SATURDAY NIGHTS! You all come and dance with us on June 5th. to help us bow out on Sundays. That way, you will be on hand to hear all our Fall news.

Many of you did the "Fernandina Shuffle" at the 7th. annual Spring Festival put on by the Sweet-Art Squares. Plaudits to them for a very well coordinated weekend that took many hours of cooperation and work to put together. We never saw so many doorprizes, many of them items that took hours of handwork. Dick & Art together again--great!

Don't forget the dinner dance. at Douglas, Ga. on July 2, with Dick calling. And the Just for Fun Weekend at Jekyll Island is just around the corner. Come to our June 5 dance and buy your ribbons.

Marie Reed-246-4050

## Break Time . .

*Farmer Thomas' barn had just gone up in smoke, and his insurance agent was trying to explain that he couldn't collect cash for it. "Read the policy," he insisted. "All our company engages to do is build you another barn exactly like the one that's been destroyed."*

*Farmer Thomas, apoplectic with rage, thundered, "If that's the way you varmints do business, cancel the policy on my wife before it's too late."*

### SEASIDE STOMPERS

The Seaside Stompers "Class of 83" graduated April 21. It was touch and go and do si do as the prospective graduates were tested in various dancing skills. They were required to dance with their feet in shoe boxes for one tip, paper sacks on their hands a 2nd tip, eggs on the floor and the girls blindfolded the 3rd tip and the men were required to pull a piece of clothing from a sack placed in the center of the square and don it (while they were circling left!) the 4th tip. They looked great in ruffled petticoats, wrap around skirts and jeans that only came up to their knees.

A candlelight ceremony was held and Joe & Bette Bracewell, presented the students their well earned diplomas. New members were presented their badges and welcomed to the Wonderful World of Square Dancing.

The class presented "Teddy Bear" and "Honey Bear" tickets to the Alhambra Dinner Theatre. Caller Paul (Teddy Bear) wore his blonde curly wig with Teddy Bear ears which added to the fun and memorable evening.

Jody Thomason-246-3716

### SWEET-ART SQUARES

We miss Art & Lucille as they have gone to Pontana, but are enjoying dancing to the calls of Dick Barker, and visiting with his lovely wife, Betty.

The Calico Squares came to steal a banner in April.

Our class had another young visitor, Keith Allen Stapleton born March 24th. Keith was only 5 days old when his mom & dad Pam & Danny, brought him to the dance. Hubert & Jency Farris are the grandparents.

The Archambo's were hosts for all club members at a Chili party at their home in Nassauville on a Friday night in Apr. Lou & Al Celsner helped decorate with flowers in basket hats and palm trees made from fresh vegetables. The chili was hot and if that didn't warm us' up the bonfire did.

Pat & Don Piper-225-5603

## DEMONSTRATIONS

### from PROMENADER

Members of your club are going to dance at the county fair, local shopping center, or other places where the non-square dancing public will be watching. From your club's viewpoint, you are doing this not just to entertain, but to try to recruit new class members. How you present yourselves will determine if they will say it looks like fun, or it looks too complicated and too much like work. Some callers are excellent at this and others are not. To prevent dancer embarrassment and giving your audience the wrong impression, the caller and dancers should get together before the event and agree on what will be done.

The More the Merrier. Unless there is a space restriction, two squares are better than one. In fact, have extra dancers so they can mingle with the audience and pass out literature which you have prepared in advance.

Proper Attire. All participants should be tastefully costumed. Street clothes are an absolute no-no. Above all, be sure to wear your best smile when you are dancing. You can't convince others they'll have fun if you don't look like you are.

Tell the Caller "KISS". The codeword for Keep It Simple, Stupid. Complicated patterns and choreography which causes dancers to break down have no place at your demo. The caller that does this impresses no one and makes the dancers look foolish. Have an agreement with the caller ahead of time to keep the Plus II stuff at the club dance and to use pretty, flowing patterns that involve stars, circles, lines, etc. A patter call need only be done once at the beginning of your demo. A good selection of singing calls is far more impressive to your audience.

Tell the Dancers, "KISS". Keep out the funny bumps, twirls and swings unless you all do them as a group. Your show will look more prepared if you are all doing the same thing at the same time.

#### Watch Out for Subtle Turn-offs.

Ask the caller to omit "yellow-rocks" or same sex set-ups. You accept these as a normal part of your dancing, but others may not. Your potential class member may balk at the idea that someone else may hug his wife, or he may have to touch another man's hand.

Audience Participation. If possible, include the onlookers in a portion of your dance. This works best if the caller does a singing call and then immediately has the dancers split up and ask members of the audience to join them in a square. After the tip is over, don't just let them go, talk to them.

#### Have a Planned Entrance & Exit.

This is most effective if your audience is a captive one and is seated waiting for a show. A nice entrance gives you a little more showmanship and adds to the spirit of your presentation.

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### On Charging Callers

Recently five carloads of us, including our club caller, visited another club's regular dance night. We all headed for the table to pay our money and I introduced our caller to the person in charge. The lady said, "Hello, that will be \$3.00." None of us could believe it - charging a caller and his wife to attend a regular club dance! We said nothing at the dance, but on the way home we did talk and we were all furious. We voted to give our caller an extra \$3.00 the next week to make up for what he had to pay and I was "elected" to write this open letter.

During the many years that I've been square dancing, none of the clubs I've belonged to have ever charged a caller and his wife to dance with us. At a special dance, yes, but NEVER at a regular dance. These dedicated people work hard to promote square dancing and to provide a good time for the dancers. Considering the work they do, the cost of their records today and the time they spend preparing, they are sorrowfully underpaid. We are not saying that callers are gods with microphones. We are saying that we owe them a little something extra once in a while.

If your club charges callers and their wives to dance with you at regular club dances, I ask you to consider reversing that policy. Try a "no charge policy" for a while and see if your club doesn't gain much more than it loses.

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But the house that was "home" was far far away.  
We settled in and I went to my job,  
She shined the door knocker and polished the knob.  
We did all the things that needed done,  
But we missed our family and times that were fun.  
Then one night, that was sort of by chance,  
We got invited to a Lone Star Square Dance.  
We met lots of people who seemed like nice folks,  
and in a short while were exchanging some jokes.  
We danced a little and we ate a lot,  
We danced when it was cool and when it was not.  
Little by little we learned a few names,  
It wasn't too long til "home" was the same.  
The people we met and felt that we knew,  
Were really not strangers, but your partner and you.  
You took us in and made us feel good,  
and helped us in every way that you could.  
We shared some problems, though they were few,  
The months rolled by, they fairly flew.  
We really don't know where this last year went,  
But it sure has been time very well spent.  
Now we must go back to our other home,  
The choice was not easy and we want that known.  
The new roots we planted were starting to grow,  
And the love for "Yaall" was starting to show.  
We'll go back to that home far far away,  
But a piece of the Graftons is here to stay.  
We'll go back to our work and familiar faces,  
But our hearts must now share a few other places.  
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Should you happen to wander through our Keystone State,  
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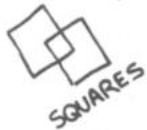
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2nd Annual Easter Seal  
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The 2nd Annual Easter Seal SQUARE DANCE-A-THON is scheduled to be held on Saturday, August 27th at the Thunderbird Hotel, Grand Ballroom. Easter Seals is planning a bigger and better event especially since they gained all the experience from last year. The Gateway Caller's Association have once again committed their support and hope to have the support of the Clubs as well.

The event will be run pretty much the same way as last year except possibly not having as long of tips with more rest periods. Many spectators came to the SQUARE DANCE-A-THON and from that new Square Dancers started classes last fall. We again, hope to attract new dancers for fall classes.

A new area of involvement we hope to attract this year is trying to schedule Knot-Head Trips to Jacksonville for the Square Dance-A-Thon. The timing is right, just before Knothead Convention.

Prizes will be as good if not better than last year with the first place prize being a trip for two. Door prizes last year included many dinners for two, gift certificates and deep sea fishing tickets. This year Easter Seals is gearing up early to make this year's SQUARE DANCE-A-THON more inviting than ever.

Start now getting your sponsors early. Sponsor sheets are available at the Easter Seal office and will be distributed to the Clubs. Anyone interested in helping organize or promote this event please call Easter Seals at 396-6123. All ideas on improving or expanding the event will be most appreciated. Remember last year all the dancers needed to do the day of the event was go and have a good time. No one was asked to donate their time the day of the event and plans for this year remain the same.

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# "PAT" SQUARES

## AN EDITORIAL

Back in 1910 John Bossidy made this memorable quote:

"And this is good old Boston,  
The home of the bean and the  
cod,  
Where the Lowells talk to the  
Cabots,  
And the Cabots talk only to God."

This was aimed at snobbery. Are some square dancers becoming Lowells and Cabots? Skill snobbery seems to be rearing its ugly head, especially with the new popularity of more advanced forms of square dancing.

When we were taking our basic lessons, we were urged (or should have been urged) by our caller to "mix and mingle." This is where the camaraderie starts that makes square dancing such an enjoyable activity. You suddenly find you have an enormous circle of friends, all struggling to achieve the goal of becoming accomplished Mainstream Dancers. This "mixing and mingling" also helps keep the entire class near the same level of accomplishment.

Sometimes at Plus Workshops - and this gets more pronounced at the Advanced level where more than one club may be involved - a square of dancers from one club, or one area, may decide to attend a Workshop together. To be charitable, we might say they are too shy to square up with strangers in the new environment. In some cases, however, these people do not wish to square up with others for fear the others may not be apt learners, and they might not be getting their "money's worth." This group then becomes a little clique, and even in their home club, they may continue with their "pat square." They may even go so far as to keep their eyes open to find other dancers they think might be "eligible" for the "honor" of being asked to join them should one of their couples be ill or on vacation.

Maybe they are getting their "money's worth." Maybe they are having fun. But they miss one of the best advantages of square dancing - friendship. Their circle of friends becomes very limited. Sometimes other dancers will shun them for their lack of club spirit. Some, when asked if they will square up with a "pat square" in the next tip, will even politely decline and say they do not believe in planning squares in advance.

We note some callers resort to passing out numbers to couples as they enter, and make up random squares to discourage this practice. This is more prevalent in the Advanced and Challenge groups. These callers are to be commended. They not only help ALL the dancers to have fun, but theirs are the clubs that are more apt to grow and prosper. These clubs also have more visitors, because they are made to feel welcome even if they do not have the skills of the best dancers in the club they are visiting.

**DANCERS** - If you are guilty of planning your squares in advance, you may think yourselves to be the best square on the floor, but you not only miss out on the friendship and love available through square dancing, but on another benefit. There is nothing more pleasing than the feeling you get when you have a "weak" couple in your square, and though it's a struggle, still manage to get everyone to their corner when that all important "Left Allemande" is called. You feel good - and the "weak" couple feels great! It can be the best tip of the night.

**CALLERS** - Keep your eyes open for "pat squares" sneaking into your club. Do something about it - for the sake of square dancing - for your club's sake - for the dancers' sake - and for your sake - for goodness' sake.

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### VIEW POINT .....

If you are satisfied with the size of your club - go on to the next page.

For those of us who are not, read on. Still with me? Good! Did you hear the latest - George quit. No longer can we depend on "George doing it". We need to be involved and working in our club.

There are several clubs who have reported large classes. These same clubs are the ones that "went out" and worked to bring in students. Posters, demonstrations, personal invitations, newspaper articles - they all played a part in spreading the word.

There is a whole community out there waiting to be introduced to our hobby.

## CLUB NEWS

### SWINGING SAINTS

MS/QS

The Mad Hatter's Dance & our picnic the next day were enjoyed by all.

We gave Evelyn Stinson a surprise bridal shower. She & Jiggs Bunker are to married on June 4th. Best Wishes.

And now the sad part. Jess & Fay Baker will be leaving us. He has been transferred. They have been very loyal members & worked hard as Banner Stealing Chairmen. Good luck to both of you.

There were 6 squares at our dance friday the 13th.(among them 13 Lamplighters) who earned their BLACK CAT badges.

We have enjoyed our terms of office & will miss working together. But we are happy to have this excellent slate to carry on the work.Pres: Tom & Carolyn Mulrie, V.P: Jack & Katherine Wright, Treas: Barbara Sylvester and Sec: Paul & Lois Adams.

SPECIAL NOTICE: Our June 17 dance is cancelled. ALSO We go back to the 1st. & 3rd. fridays beginning June 3rd.

Vi Allen-266-4597

### WINDSONGS

The Windsongs are still enjoying plus level dancing with Jerry Barrett on 2nd & 4th. Monday evenings at Northshore Methodist Church.

We have started a new Plus class on Wednesday evenings and our dancers are progressing well.

On Saturday May 7th. the Windsongs co-sponsored the 2nd. Annual Fish Fry with the Clay Wheelarounds, Yellow Rockers and the Lamplighters at Pacettis. Jerry and Lawton did an excellent job calling. There were over 17 squares, enjoying the food and fellowship.

On May 31st. we will be having a covered dish dinner and will be saying farewell to Fay & Jesse Baker as they will be moving on to another assignment in the Methodist Church. This will be a great loss to the Windsongs as Jesse was instrumental in providing us with a place to dance. We wish them much success in their new assignment.

Once again, we invite you to join the Windsongs on the 2nd and 4th. Mondays for a pleasant evening of plus dancing.

Kim & Red Keffer

### BLOOD BANK REPORT

I had the pleasure of representing the NEFSDA at the Jax. Blood Bank's annual awards banquet on April 20. It was an honor to be among a gathering of such fine people and I enjoyed it greatly.

Not much blood has been donated to our account these past two months, but better still, none at all has been released according to the bank's records.

Thank you to the following people who gave a part of themselves since our last report: D.M. Mimms, F.G. Cowart, J.M. Gray, P.C. Walker, H.V. Pelz and G.M. Dube. It's good to see a few new names on the list. Balance as of 5/10/83...150 units.

Hank Pelz

### OOPS-WE GOOFED! CORRECTION

In our last issue we announced that the Country Cousins from St. Augustine joined the NEFSDA. Well they did but they don't spell their club name that way. The correct spelling is COUNTRREE CUZINZ.

### GRAPEVINE HELPERS

Our normal schedule to mail the Grapevine is the 1st. month of even months. The April-May issue hit us on Easter Week-end. So instead of pulling anyone away from their families we decided to use our weekend to put the GV together. Instead of the usual pot-luck dinner. Paul got to take his family out for dinner after the work was completed.

# THE BEACH BASH

It was the night of the "Beach Bash" and all through the hall

The square dancers were ready to have a ball  
Decorations of seashells were hung with great care  
A pelican, palm trees and ocean waves were there.

The Seaside Stompers in costume and their wonderful guests

had just settled in squares to dance their best

when out in the lobby there rose such a clatter

we sprang to the door to see what was the matter.

Away to the lobby we flew like a flash

Dore open the door that said "Refreshments--Beach Bash"

The food on the table was something to see

An array of "oodies" and it was all FREE.

When what to our wandering eyes should appear

but three real live "callers" and their wives (they were dear)

Those little ole callers so lively and quick

we knew in a moment they knew every trick.

More rapid than eagles the dancers squared up

and they began calling--we all flared up

"Now circle, now swing

Alemande, weave the ring

Load the boat, form a star

Not a call did one of them bar.

There were 26 Squares--from wall to wall

We danced away, danced away and had a Ball!

To Clay County Canary" Smith we say "WOW"!!!

You helped make the Beach Bash a regular "POW-WOW"!!!

To Jerry "Frogman" Barrett we say "NICE"

You helped make the Beach Bash better than "HOLIDAY ON ICE"!!!

To our own Paul Walker who we call "TEDDY BEAR"

We Love You, We Love You-----even WITHOUT HAIR!!!

Jody Thomason

## CALLERLAB REPORT

### LEVELS OUT-PROGRAMS IN!

Callerlab passed a resolution during it's recent meeting in Philadelphia that the word "level" be dropped when describing Callerlab call groupings. "Level" is to be changed to "Programs".

MAINSTREAM QUARTERLIES--Hinge and Flutter was dropped from the quarterly selection. The following movements will remain: Chain down the line, Dixie Derby, Grand Spin, Linear Cycle, Red Hot and Divide to a Column.

PLUS QUARTERLIES--Zing and Track to a Diamond have been dropped from the Plus Quarterly Section. The Plus Quarterly selection for April will be Track and Anything.

## MAKE THE "NATIONAL DANCE"

### PERMANENT

As most of you are aware President Reagan, on June 1, 1982 signed the Bill designating Square Dance as the National Folk Dance of the USA for 82-83. Bill HR1706 has been introduced to make this permanent. This Bill has 41 co-sponsors. We need 218 sponsors to get the Bill out of committee to the House floor for a vote.

So let's get busy and write our congressmen and request that they co-sponsor HR1706. If you want more information on this effort write to: SQUARE DANCER, P.O. Box 5775, San Jose, Calif. 95130.

## LOST AND FOUND

Found at the Seaside Stompers Beach Bash: Beige Umbrella, If yours call Joe & Bette Bracewell 249-7139.



# The Sets in Order AMERICAN SQUARE DANCE SOCIETY

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## SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE? -- THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE!

When we started putting together the first issue of Sets in Order (that's what it was called in the beginning) in the summer of 1948, we figured we'd be lucky if we could turn out a magazine that would garner a couple of thousand subscribers and last for perhaps a year. Today, 35 years later and with a circulation that bounces right up around 25,000 per issue (on the basis of three readers per copy, that figures out to be about 75,000 square dance readers each month), our concern is to find enough space to include all of the interesting news on this continually growing activity.

We set out to be a service publication providing the means of communication to a baby activity and we grew over the years into a service organization known as the Sets in Order American Square Dance Society and changed our name as the official publication to SQUARE DANCING.

In an activity that has grown in so many directions with the readers involved in all the programs from Basic through Mainstream and beyond, with some dancers, others teachers and callers and some as cuers, the challenge for us has been to provide a monthly magazine that includes something for everyone. With a heavy emphasis on how-to-do photographs with a growing use of four color photography with first-person accounts of square dancing around the world, with tips for clubs, helps for dancers wishing to become more adept at the activity, with specials for callers and teachers, with an on-going Textbook, we like to think we have reached our goal.

Along with the magazine, have been a number of projects that have grown in significance over the years. The Society sponsors the Square Dance Hall of Fame, with oil paintings of more than 30 recipients lining the headquarters office in Los Angeles. The Silver Spur Award has been made to unselfish individuals who have devoted much of their lives to the perpetuation, promotion and preservation of American Square Dancing. Scholarships are given each year to those individuals who need financial assistance in attending a Callers' or Teachers' school. Among this organization's proudest achievements has been the part we have played in the formation of Callerlab and Legacy and the on-going three times yearly institutes at Asilomar on the Monterey, California Peninsula. All of these things have kept us busy and have made us feel we have played a part in the birth and growth of contemporary American Square Dancing.

Fondest regards,

Bob Osgood



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