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Again - I am asking that all delegates, attend our next NEFSDA meeting, Sunday, March 10, 1974 at 2:30pm. Be sure to have all your clubs views, questions, & etc. ready, and with a pad & pencil to take notes, so that you can have a report to take back to your club. If your club roster is out of date, please bring a new one to the meeting with you. It is important that the NEFSDA has a current roster of each club in the NE area.

Don't forget to attend our 5th Saturday Dance on March 30, 1974, with RON NELSON from Norfolk, Virginia, doing the calling and our own EDITH REISEN cueing the rounds. The place will be Wolfson High School, this time. The address is 7000 Powers Ave. and the time is 8:00pm to 11:00pm. Remember that regardless of who your caller is and how good he is, it is good reasoning to dance to an out of town caller, periodically. This is one way of being sure that if you ever go out of this area to attend a square or round dance (and many of you do), you will not only be able to enjoy yourself, but will also learn what dancing is going on elsewhere. It has always been said, "VARIETY IS THE SPICE OF LIFE". This also pertains to square & round dancing. This is true -- no one ever knows it all. So attend the NEFSDA 5th SATURDAY DANCE and have a good time. I will see you there.

George Ephrem
President NEFSDA, inc.

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MONDAY - WOODSTOCK COMMUNITY CENTER
CALLER - JACK GRIFFITHS
PRESIDENT - RAY MONTEAN - 781-5980

Today was tomorrow's yesterday - now, thats a tongue twister with a lot of thought.

First of all we would like to wish a Happy Birthday to Betty Dickinson, Ray Montean, Scotty Hayes, and Gladys Griffiths - now, you know, they don't look a bit older.

We are planning a covered dish Circus Party on our regular dance March 11th and would like to invite everyone. It seems just the appropriate time when the real Circus has just been in town, but we don't believe we'll give them any real competition.

We certainly enjoyed having Lucille & Frank Sullivan and Bill & Nora Camp dance with us and we hope they will come back many times. We were also delighted to have Ruth & Ray Kingsley from Glens Falls, New York who were visiting their son, stationed here in the Navy. They live in the Adirondack Mountains and said square dancing is really the thing up there all year around. We are also glad Gladys is back.

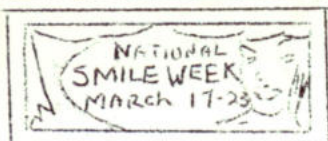
Our banner stealing is going along great - it looks so good to have the Gator Promenaders banner hanging on our wall. We had such a good time visiting with them and hope they'll be back to retrieve it real soon. We are still on the prowl looking for other ones - so you'd better watch out.

Good deeds don't go unnoticed. Last month the Marshes were visiting Florida and danced with us, they could't find a place to spend the night in their travel trailer, so Bob Pooley and Hugh Butner tried in vain to help them, so Hugh & Faith invited them to pull up in their driveway and spend the night, giving them utilities - so you know that the Chamber of Commerce is proud of them, and I know that a good word was carried back up North for square dancers, and our Southern Hospitality.

So until next time, we hope to see you banner stealing, or at our Greatest Show on Earth - Happy dancing !!

Catherine Montean
Reporter

SPRING HAS SPRUNG



STARLITE SHUFFLERS

THURSDAY - JOSEPH LEE CENTER
CALLER - JAMES MAXEY
PRESIDENT - ALLEN & JACKIE BRINKLEY
781-0891

It can't seem possible that another Grapevine deadline is fast approaching. Seems as though I just mailed the last one. But time does fly and here we are again.

With January having a fifth Thursday, we didn't dance, but instead had a business meeting. Plans were made for our O'Leno weekend plus the by-laws were revised. There was a large crowd in attendance for the meeting.

Go! Go! Go! seems to have been the password for the month of January, for the Shufflers. Four squares traveled to Gainesville for the banner stealing over there. Everyone reports a wonderful time of dancing and fellowship. We also confiscated the Ancient City Squares banner and the Dixie Chain Gangs! The campers are also on the go. They have been to St. Augustine, Crooked River, and will go to Waycross, Feb. 8 for the weekend of dancing there. It has been a very active month, but a lot of fun. Seems like I only get to write about it.

Now for February, we hope Bill Thompson and Jackie Whitman live to be 200. We were all invited to the Chiefs Club at NAS, Saturday night, Feb. 2, to celebrate the two birthdays. It was a wonderful evening and everyone had a good time, except Bill, who was home sick in bed. Better luck next time, Bill.

February 21 is Graduation Night at Joseph Lee Center for our class. They are dancing so well until it seems odd to refer to them as the class. So after the 21st we will be looking forward to having them join the ranks with us. We hope they enjoy many years of square dancing fun.

Don't forget our Anniversary Dance in March. It sounds like a heap of fun is in the making. Also, our O'Leno Hoedown in April. See you around.

Bob & Yvonne Hart
Reporter



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BELLES & BEAUX

WEDNESDAY - SOUTHSIDE YOUTH CENTER
CALLERS - 1st & 3rd - EDDIE MILLAN
2nd & 4th - BILL CAMP
PRESIDENT - TONY & ROSALIE FLARIS
731-0714

Our thanks to Sid Callahan, who graciously filled in for me last month.

The big news is the birth of an 8 lb. 4 oz. baby girl, Margaret June, to Ann & Eddie Millan. She checked in January 23rd. The first night Ann was able to attend the dance, the Belles & Beaux presented the happy family, a layette to complete the evening, Eddie made his debut as a round dance instructor; he taught us "The Real McCoy".

Bill Camp's class is scheduled to graduate, April 3rd. A gala celebration is planned; visitors are invited. Lets all show these new dancers how we welcome them.

April 4th will be the beginning of a new class with Eddie Millan as instructor. The time for the new class will be 8 to 10pm. Please tell all your friends and neighbors.

Every 5th Wednesday, we have a guest caller. January 13th, James Maxey called to a good crowd. We welcomed a large delegation of Starlite Shufflers. Also, the Jubileers showed up to steal our banner.

Our welcome mat is always out, so come on out to dance with us.

Rosemary Lloyd Smith
Reporter

CALICO SWINGERS - TEEN CLUB

SUNDAY - 1st & 3rd - 5pm-7pm
JAX HGTS. ELEM. SCHOOL
CALLERS - TOM & MARIANN HIDDING
771-6272

The class will be graduating at our regular club dance on Sunday, March 3. There sure are some fine dancers in this group, they will make a very nice addition to our club. There are 31 students that will receive their diplomas & hats. Then of course we always have our initiation ceremony, and some delicious refreshments.

Note that we will be dancing at a different time, now that the class will be graduated we can start dancing earlier.

We want to thank Mr. Hartley for doing some fine singing calls for us, and also we enjoy dancing with his friends from the Dixie Chain Gang. He is cool!!

Fifth Saturday Dance coming up, hope to see you there.

George Rider
Reporter

FRIENDLY WHIRL-A-WAYS

MONDAY - FT. CAROLINE JR. HIGH SCHOOL
INSTRUCTOR - EDITH & BUD REISEN
PRESIDENT - CARL FAHLBUSH - 829-5869

March, the first month of the Roman year, & the third month of the Gregorian calendar, but who cares about that? We like to think of March Violets, the first breath of Spring, St. Patrick's Day & maybe enough wind to fly a kite. So looking toward the future, things aren't so bad as they seem even in the face of the gas shortage. So many activities are in the offing. The State Convention is right on us, & many other important functions are scheduled through out-the State. Just read the Grapevine, check the list & plan to take advantage of them.

Good wishes go to our new officers. We think they are great. They have taken over like pros, & we plan to support them in every way.

It was our loss when Roger & Donna Fischer found it necessary to move to New Orleans. We shall miss them & wish them the very best of everything.

We welcome back all of you who were on the sick list while the flu bug was going around. Glad to see Don & Bea Smith back. They always add a little spice & pleasure to our round dancing.

Among our new dances on our workshop list is "Candy Floss". Edith, our instructor who is always on her toes, is planning to put us through the ropes during the coming months, so you had better come out every week, else you'll soon be out of date.

Someone has said that "Round Dancing is only moving around in a circle & that it is not sacred to Square Dancers". We disagree, it is a great deal more than that. It is a challenge, & it requires a great deal of practice & concentration & loyalty, of a club member. Then there is the opportunity of making new friends. Many Square Dancers do enjoy it, but why bother, if it isn't a pleasure?

From the Whirl-A-Ways, the Pangles, Fews, Bowies, & Baileys went up to Waycross to the recent Okefenokee Square-Up & enjoyed dancing with the Lovelaces.

February, the Love Month, was busy with Valentine Dances, but there will be others. Watch out for an announcement soon, for a Special event scheduled for April. You'll be hearing more about it shortly. We hope to welcome all of you then.

Mabel Pangle
Reporter

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WESTERN CUTTERS

SATURDAYS - 2nd & 4th
GREGORY DRIVE SCHOOL
CALLER - BOBBY KEEFE
PRESIDENT - ERNIE & SALLY DOERING
264-5122

Many THANKS to Bill & Betty Talbert for their fine reporting during this past year.

Seeme to me that I heard a famous quotation at our dance on Jan. 25th - "why break up a good streak?" Therefor, we are proud to welcome as Cutters, Warren & Sandra Milligan - put your running shoes on kids - you've joined one of the fastest & busiest clubs in Jax!

On Jan. 26th we were glad to see so many visitors, Friendly Frolics, who retrieved their banner - believe it or not, Betty didn't make it first to the refreshment line - better luck next time, Betty!!

Sorry to hear that Bill Talbert's father is in the hospital. We miss Bill & Betty but hope that Bill's dad will be coming home soon. All our sympathy to Connie Baltes on the loss of her father.

After the dance on Jan. 26th, the Cutters ventured to Orange Park & the Doe-rings to suprise one of our newest members with a bridal shower. Nancy Saxton (Helen & Vic Fakes daughter), thought she was going to surprise Sally at a birthday party & we turned the tables & surprised Nancy. She & Doug Pratt will tie the knot on Feb. 14th. All the best to you both & many happy years.

By the time you read this, our class, under the direction of Frank Clements, will be Graduated. We welcome into the Cutters some of the finest dancers in the area. See the list on the Graduation Page, in this issue of the Grapevine.

We will be starting a new class on the 14th of March, Thursday, 8:00pm, Gregory Dr. School, instructor will be Frank Clements.

PLEASE NOTE -- Our March 23rd dance has been cancelled so we can all attend the Ancient City Square Up & the Cutters are really looking forward to a great week-end. If you need Motel reservationa see Kaye & Harvey Gordon.

Our President will be out of touch for a couple of weeks. He's off to Norfolk, Sorry you'll have to miss our next visit to the Chief's Club, Ernie; but we will see that Sally has a good time!!

We all enjoyed a free dance on Feb. 16- this was to welcome all our new members & some of the "old" ones as well.

Check the SPECIAL EVENTS PAGE for some of our Special dances, coming soon.

The area callers do a fine job of teaching & calling our local club dances, but many dancers never have an opportunity to dance to National Callers. Our Association gives us this oppertunity at every 5th Sat. Dance. Many area dancers can not travel to the various festivals, round-ups and conventions around the State & County and these are the dancers who really appreciate the fine job our Association is doing in bringing some of these callers into our area. So a note of THANKS to the NEFSDA, INC. & the tremendous job they do in providing us with some of the Country's best callers. Keep the good work up & plan to attend the 5th Saturday Dance on March 30th at Wolfson High School and hear one of the greatest, Ron Nelson.

See you next month,,

Wayne & Barbara
BLACKFORD
Reporter

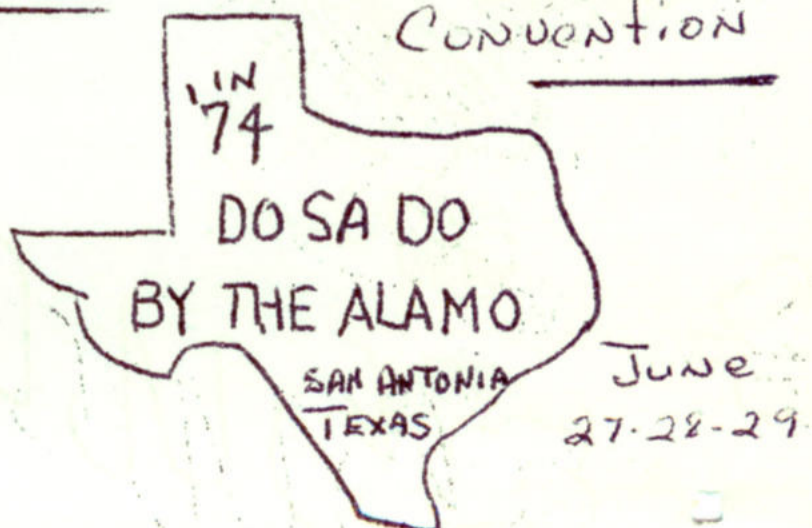
GATEWAY CALLERS ASSOCIATION

Our February Meeting was held in the home of John & Donna Robbins. We had seven area callers present. We discussed recommendations to be presented through a committee meeting between NEFSDA, INC. & GCA. The objective being to promote better relations through a better understanding of the functions of the dance association. The committee appointed was Wayne Thompkins, Rupert Maxwell, John Robbins, along with our Chairman, Dick Goedert. We also discussed various methods of teaching a better level of dancing & we plan to schedule a hi-level dance workshop to begin next month. All active members of GCA will participate on a rotating basis. You will be hearing more about this later.

We did not hold a workshop, in lieu of business this month, but will hold one at our April Meeting to be held at SS Rec. Center. All are welcome to participate.

Donna Robbins
Sec.-Treas. GCA

23rd
NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE
CONVENTION



RHYTHMAIRES - ROUND DANCE CLUB

TUESDAY - SOUTHSIDE COM. CENTER 7:30
INSTRUCTOR - JACK GRIFFITHS
PRESIDENT - FRANK SULLIVAN 389-0612

Well here we are with the first report of 1974, since we didn't meet in December owing to the holidays and other activities, & our club was also cancelled on the night of the Frank Lane Dance, there was nothing to report, however, now we are back again, & our biggest news is on how fast our new class is progressing, although it has only been in progress for five weeks, Jack already has them doing turning two steps & pivots, & also several easy dances. We're all for progress, there's nothing more boring than doing the same old steps week after week, when you are learning.

Could it have been June in January; the weather certainly felt like it, in fact so much, that it inspired one of our couples to finally sneak off and tie the knot, yes on January 12th, Jo Beth Pace & Clyde Riggs were married. We at Rhythmaires wish you both much happiness, may you always keep dancing joyfully along the roadway of life together. Sure is good to have Thelma Nelson back with us again after another spell in the hospital. One nice thing was that Thelma was able to be home in time for her birthday & their children made it from Atlanta to celebrate in spite of getting lost & nearly running out of gas.

Having lost our VP & Treasurer last year through illness, Frank Sullivan has been struggling along trying to keep up with all the business, (for which we thank you), however we now have the positions filled, who got elected?, why our newly weds of course, we had to find something for them to do to keep them out of mischief. Clyde is VP & Jo Beth is treasurer, also on KP we have Bill & Mable Pangle(that means in charge of the coffee pot).

With school meetings & PTA, Parry Dee & Gene Wyatt are not able to be with us as much as they'd like; sure wish that things could be different, as we miss you both on the nights you can't dance.

Was good to have Gladys back with us, Gladys has been out of State, staying with her Mother who is still seriously ill. We are also glad to welcome Muriel Lant to our club.

To all who brought refreshments to our dance on the 12th, thanks, that was quite a spread, & a special thanks to our class for participating.

Although our class is officially closed, anyone who has had any of the basics & would like to learn to round

dance is welcome to join us, after all why be just a Square when you could also be a Round...dancer that is.

Rhona Williams
Reporter

WESTERNAIRES

SATURDAY - 1st & 3rd - JAX HGTS. 'ELEM. SCHOOL
CALLERS - TOM & MARIANN HIDDING
771-6272

We would like to welcome into our club, Earl & Glenda Jackson. Glad to have you.

There will be 23 Graduating March 2 at Jax Hgts Elem. School. They will receive a one year subscription to the Grapevine from the Westernaires.

We are going to miss Bill Culpepper who is leaving for 3 months. He has already gone, in fact.

A thrill & pleasure was in store for the remaining dancers at our regular club dance on Feb. 3, Richard Crosby called his first dance. It was very good & everyone enjoyed dancing to him. A future caller is in store, I think. While I am on the subject of calling, I would like to commend and thank Tom & Mariann Hidding. These two people are a real inspiration & do a great deal for square dancing. I think our club has the best teachers & callers around. A lot of work, time & patience goes into what they put out. A lot for the little they receive. I thank you.

We would like to thank Mac & Jannett Diloreto for being our club representatives, while at the same time we welcome George & Betty Rider into that spot. This is for the NEFSDA.

We welcome our new members from the Graduating class. (see Graduating page in this issue).

Our Annual APRIL FOOLS DANCE will be coming up on APRIL 6. Make plans to come.

Til' Then
Jim Martin
Reporter



ALLEMANDARINS

FRIDAY - WOLFSON HIGH SCHOOL
CALLERS - DICK BARKER & BILL BISHOP
ROUNDS - EDITH REISEN - 2-4-5
President - Freda & John Seebacher
724 - 1230

No news last month, which meant I overslept the deadline. No one seems to have noticed, & no one has contributed even one item for this month - HELP!! Call 268-5688, as I love to hear all the gossip. We'll print anything except X-rated.

Sunday, Feb, 3, the Allemandarins had a picnic & business meeting on the Athletic Club grounds. 75% of the club was there. Ideal picnic weather with plenty of pork ribs barbeque & fixings. Under the big oaks - only one case of indigestion, reported.

The club voted to relinquish the 5th Friday dances to the Athletic Club for Building Fund Raising. It was thought that a rotation of host clubs with their callers at the mike would be more interesting & more cut-reaching to area wide dancers. While the Allemandarin callers give freely of their time, and support of the fund raising; a rotation of clubs & callers would let everybody put a shoulder to the wheel. Bill & Dick will be glad to call, others lacking. Something to think about!

Today, Feb. 12, our President was notified that Wolfson Hi would not be available for Friday dance, Feb. 15. A three day notice to try and find another place to dance and get the word to the dancers -- isn't it time for us square dancers to get their foot out of the bucket and build their very own Dance Center??? Oh, I know there are doubting "Thomases" and they sound off loud and clear.

A goodly crowd of Allemandarins, along with a whole bunch of Jax square & round dancers wended their way to Waycross the week-end of Feb. 8-9. The rytham of feet on a wood floor, just makes for happy dancing and the calling of Dick Barker, Art Springer, & Albert Howell; and the cueing of Charlie & Madeline Lovelace was just superb.

Ernest Fulton is nursing a sprained ankle, so he is out of dancing for awhile, but planning a trip to Mexico, I hear.

We were glad to have the Stones and Rogers visit with us. Why not make it a Friday night habit? A big welcome back to Jackie & Sonny; also Joe and Emily - we missed you very much.

Remember, Bill & Edith, 2nd & 4th and Dick on 1st & 3rd at Wolfson High.

Dick is on the guest staff at Fontana

this Spring and don't forget Jekyll Island, July 10-11. Also don't forget the NEFSDA 5th SATURDAY DANCE with Ron Nelson calling - MARCH 30th---

Have Fun
Charlie Landiss
Reporter

FRIENDLY FROLICS

SATURDAY - 1st & 3rd - FT, CAROLINE
CALLER - BILL BISHOP JR. HIGH
PRESIDENT - GEORGE & JEAN EPHREM
724-5243

We have been visiting quite a few clubs, during the past month. We reclaimed our banner from the Western Cutters & picked up the Oceanwaves' banner. Some of our members danced with the Jubileers at their annual Valentines Dance & enjoyed the calling of Elmer Sheffield. Also visited and enjoyed the Oceanwaves Valentine Dance with the great calling of Harry Tucciarone from Trumbull, Conn.

Our Annual Hobo Convention was well attended - visitors from the Oceanwaves, Allemandarins, St. Augustine, & Grapevine Editors, George & Judy Garland with their camera. Even had our caller (Bill Bishop) & Taw (Dessie) dressed as Hobo's. We enjoyed Billy's calling & Edith's cueing. Prizes were won by; Allen & Jean Hairston - best HOBBO couple; Mary Goodwyn - best HOBBO lady; & Harry Williams - best HOBBO man. Judges were Charlie Landiss, Seal McCarty, & Gordon Casey.

We hope and feel sure that our SPECIAL FUN NIGHT DANCE with Wade Driver of Casselberry, Florida, will be a big success.

Don't forget the NEFSDA, INC. 5th SATURDAY DANCE, MARCH 30, 8:00pm, WOLFSON HIGH SCHOOL, RON NELSON - calling.

Come dance with us.

George Ephrem
Sub. Reporter

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ROUNDLEERS - ROUND DANCE CLUB

WEDNESDAY - MARY HAMMOND YOUTH CENTER
PROGRAM - LEN & EDNA KAUFMAN - 771-6396

Club members were wandering during the month. Bill & Ruth Fleshman attended the Florida Round Dance Council Festival in Daytona and Len & Edna Kaufman and Claude & Kathryn Hewitt went North to the Okefenokee Square Up in Waycross. Reports are that everybody had a great time.

The energy crisis is taking its toll in the dancing world. Ken Anderson from New York state, who was booked to call for our Anniversary Dance on March 17, had to cancel his Florida trip and so he will not be with us. Instead, a day of rounds is planned (see flyer) with the Smoyers from Tallahassee, leading the dancing and workshop.

An indication of the increasing interest in round dancing in Florida (along with the increasing popularity of Charlie & Madeline Lovelace of Tampa) was a huge number of round dancers participating in the recent Americano Festival at Daytona. An estimated 80 couples were on the floor for some of the round dances programed. A total of 28 different round dances were danced during the weekend. With only one & a half hours of workshop time available to the Lovelaces, Charlie & Madeline managed to teach three new dances. GREAT!!! And this was primarily a SQUARE DANCE FESTIVAL.

New dances at the club this month are, "MOONLIGHT MEMORIES" and, coming up, "SUGAR". More new ones later in the month.

Claude Hewitt
Reporter

JUBILEERS

SATURDAY - 2nd & 4th - FT. CAROLINE
JR. HIGH SCHOOL
CALLER - DICK GOEDERT
PRESIDENT - DICK & BEVERLY HARVEY
743-5764

Happy Valentine was the theme for Feb. and the Jubileers made the most of it. We greatly appreciate the support and friendship of all the other square dance clubs who turned out for our annual Valentine Dance on Feb. 2. We had a full house and Elmer Sheffield did his usual fine job of calling. Those who didn't make it missed a great dance. Some of our club also attended the Valentine Dance sponsored by the Oceanwaves on Feb. 14 and had a great time dancing to the "Connecticut Yankee".

We had a very enjoyable time with the Belles & Beaux on Jan. 23, when the Olsons, Johns, Browns, and Weeses along with our caller, stole their banner, for a short period of time. They didn't

allow us to keep it for long, however, as they were back with us on Feb. 9 topick it up. We enjoyed dancing with them and having them with us.

The Weeses & Townsends enjoyed visiting the Oceanwaves on Jan. 24 and hope to get back more often. Jan. 26, saw our caller almost come un-glued, as the club showed up for our regular dance with all the men attired in dresses, and the ladies dressed as men. After about two tips, dancing the opposite position, however, most of us gave up and went back to dancing our proper part. If we'd had a prize for the best dressed lady, it would have had to go to Bill Stevenson - that mop he had on for a wig was certainly outstanding and his dress was very lovely.

We're all very happy to welcome back to the club Morris & Wanita Plyer. They have been ill and have not been with us for over a year. IT'S good to have them back, and helping us with the class, which is coming along great, with two squares of teens as well as the adults.

Keep dancing and come see us when you can.

FRAN & JIM WEESE
Reporter.

JOYS OF BEING AN EDITOR

Getting out a publication is no picnic. If we print jokes, people say we are silly; If we don't, we are too serious. If we stick close to the office, we ought to be around hustling material; If we go out, we should be on the job in the office. If we don't print contributions, we don't appreciate genius; And if we do, the paper is filled with junk! If we edit the other fellow's write-up, we're too critical; If we don't, we're asleep. If we clip items from other papers we are too lazy; If we don't, we've stuck with our own stuff! Now, likely as not, some guy will say we swiped this from another magazine!*

*WE DID!!
(thanks Ethel Rabb)

GETTING TOGETHER IS A BEGINNING
KEEPING TOGETHER IS PROGRESS
WORKING TOGETHER IS SUCESS

(THANKS DENVER)

OCEANWAVES

THURSDAY - JAX BEACH COMM. CENTER
 CALLERS - 1st & 3rd - BILL BISHOP
 2nd & 4th - THE HIDDINGS
 (ADVANCED WORKSHOP)
 PRESIDENT - JIM & MARY JO WRIGHT

246-3412

Our promotion for our first Valentine Dance really had fine results, we welcomed guests from Fun & Frolic, Dixie Chain Gang, Allemandarins, Jubileers, Friendly Frolics, Westernaires, Belles & Beaux, Western Cutters, Gator Promenaders, and Ancient City Squares, as well as Tom & Marianne Hidding, Bill & Dessie Bishop, Wayne & Sanatha Thompkins, and Dick Goedert. Also our NEF SDA President, George Ephrem. Harry Tuccirone of Trumbull, Conn. gave us an evening of calling that was enjoyed by all. Our ladies, bless them, put out a spread of goodies that looked like the Ritz. We had 12 squares on the floor and Harry was indeed a colorful caller and we hope to see more of him in Jax in the future. On behalf of the Oceanwaves, we say "THANKS" to all our Jax friends who helped make this dance a big success.

The Caseys, Landis, & Garlands, took in the Okefenokee Square Up in Waycross and enjoyed the calling of Art Springer, Dick Barker, & Al Howell. Looked like half of Jax there. We were invited to a formal dinner at the country estate of Chef Lukas. Our meal, which was prepared by the world renowned Chef, was a thing of beauty; we all knew him to be a real professional for he is the only one I have ever seen who could hit a plate from 10 feet away with a spoonful of mashed potatoes. All kidding aside, John & Norma were excellent hosts & the meal was a real treat along with their company.

Our first class of the year will Graduate on Feb. 26, and by the time you receive your Grapevine they should be in full swing of activities. Our thanks to the Hiddings' for the time & patience in developing these new dancers. We have another class underway & will graduate them sometime in May.

The first time out for these new dancers will be the Fun Night at Friendly Frolics, then they will really get their feet wet at the NEFSDA 5th SATURDAY DANCE on MARCH 30. Support your NEFSDA and see it grow and you as dancers will reap the benefits.

Being what is considered a new dancer (class of 73), I am never more surprised than when I realize the fine people that square dance. Wherever we go we are greeted with friendship & good dancing; we have made many friends in a short period of time & the more we go the more we know & enjoy dancing. It took my wife two years to get me started & I really appreciate it now,

you see men, they really do some good things.

Glad to see Ray Teetz back with us, we miss our members when they are away.

Happy Birthday to Marie & Judy!!

In closing, I would like to repeat something I heard in the past "WE CAN DISAGREE, BUT WHY BE DISAGREEABLE!" this seems to fit for some reason.

Gordon Casey
 Reporter

DIXIE CHAIN GANG

SATURDAY - 2nd & 4th - SOUTHSIDE
 YOUTH CENTER

CALLER - WAYNE THOMPSON
 PRESIDENT - CHARLES & JOYCE LAMB
 737-7584

My apologies before you start reading this, as it is going to be short, as I have missed most of our dances for the past six weeks.

I understand the Dixie Chain Gang has been blessed with lots of visitors as usual and we have lost banners to the Rock'N Robins & Starlite Shufflers. We have also had a few visitors from the Westernaires & other clubs. You all keep coming as we love visitors.

Bill & Diane Ashmead journeyed way up across the state line to Waycross for the Okefenokee Square Up and had a wonderful time, even though they nearly froze to death.

I understand Wayne is teaching our club some new calls, especially how to "motivate".

Thanks for all the cards and visits during my recent surgery and I will be back dancing before too long. I'm looking forward to getting back and catching up on all the things I have been missing, especially those "yellow rocks".

You all come to our annual St. Patrick's Dance. Check the flyer in this issue of the Grapevine. This is always a fun dance, so don't miss it.

I will try to do better in the next issue as I hope to be better to at least attend the next dances, even if I have to sit a few of them out.

Bill Bell
 Reporter

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ROCKIN' ROBINS

SATURDAY - 1st & 3rd - SOUTHSIDE YOUTH CENTER

CALLER - JOHN ROBBINS - 398-1301

Here we go again - the months fly by like income tax time.

25 of us made the Knothead trip, via car pool, to St. Pete & some of our members made Knothead at the Ox Bow, with John Robbins calling. Everyone agreed the weather was perfect and the water from Tampa to St. Pete side is beautiful. We stayed near where the dance was held and after the dance we journeyed back to the Motel for a fun evening. It was a new Motel and some of our members found out that there was water in the new pool. If you didn't have fun it was 'cause you weren't there.

We had our regular club dance on Feb. 2 and as always we had fun and some beautiful round dance exhibitions by the Ripples. It made you think of that old song, "dancing feet", but then, none of us go back that far, do we? The refreshments were lovely as always served this time by the Starlings and Kim & Eddie Dubray and Kim celebrated her 15th birthday and looked very sweet in her new blouse.

Feb. 9 a group of Dixie Chain Gang, visited with us and had fun dancing to Wayne Thompkins and some other visiting callers. Its always good to be with friendly people.

We have our regular club dance on Feb. 16, 2 days after Valentines Day, still in the spirit of the occasion. We plan a good fellowship evening and hope we danced in a square with you.

I was thinking deep thoughts, and the song "I Want to Teach the World to Sing in Perfect Harmony", came to mind. The worlds a big place, isn't it? Wouldn't it be wonderful if we could just take the square dancers from our little section of the world, who share such close harmony and fellowship and teach the world to sing and dance! Wouldn't it be wonderful!!

Hope to see you at the next dance.

Jack & Edie Mason
Reporters

NEFSDA - MINUTES - JANUARY 13, 1974

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the NEFSDA, INC. was held on Jan. 13, 1974, at the Robert Meyer Hotel. All officers were present. Delegates present were: DIXIE CHAIN GANG, FRIENDLY FROLICS, FUN & FROLICK, FRIENDLY WHIRL-AWAY, HICKS & CHICKS, JUBILEERS, OCEAN WAVES, QUARTERMORES, ROCKIN' ROBINS, ROUNDOLEERS, STARLITE SHUFFLERS, SUNSHINE

TWIRLERS, SWINGING SQUARES, WESTERN-AIRES, & WESTERN CUTTERS.

Minutes of the November meeting were read. Corrections were; 1) George Ephrem read a letter he sent to John Robbins stating that the Callers Clinic Dance was not very well supported.

2) A motion was made & carried that all callers, except callers for the Fall Roundup, pay admission.

3) Fall Roundup dates will be Nov. 22 & 23, 1974.

Klassy Kats & Paxon Prancers were dropped from roll, leaving a total of 24 members.

A motion was made & carried to cancel the 5th Sat. Dance on Nov. 30, 1974.

5th Sat, dances scheduled are, March 30, Ron Nelson; June 29, Johnny Creel, and August 31 will be cancelled, due to Knothead Konvention.

All association clubs, PLEASE SEND AN UP-TO-DATE ROSTER, to the Secretary.

An amendment was made to the by-laws Section IX. Motion was made & carried.

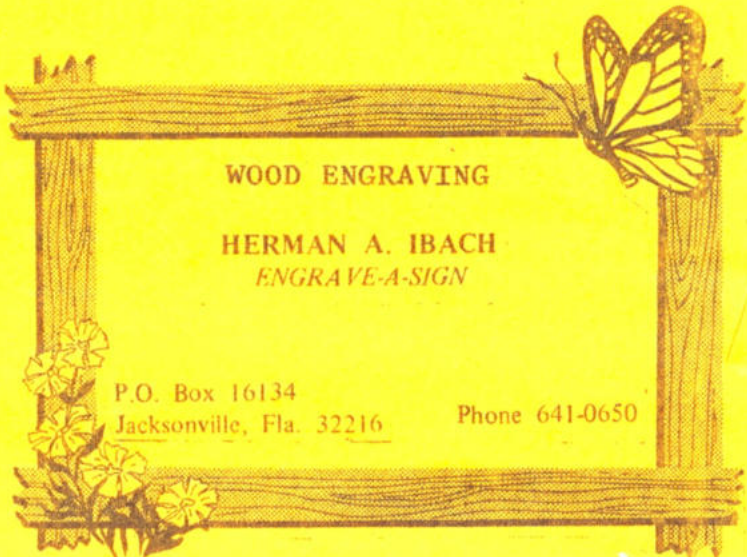
Joseph Smith was appointed as Chairman for the 1974 Fall Roundup.

John Robbins asked for a committee to represent the NEFSDA at the Gateway Callers Association meeting. He stated that this would help improve relations between callers & dancers. The three appointed were Lou Connally, Virgil Green, & George Garland.

Len Kaufman & Joe Smith will be responsible for getting a caller for the Oct. Callers Clinic.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Trudie Patrick
Recording Secretary



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TEXAS STATE FEDERATION OF SQUARE and
ROUND DANCERS - EDUCATIONAL MATERIAL -

Last month we printed a list of reasons why we have a big loss of square & round each year. The following is a continuation of possible solutions:

1. (a) New dancers need to be told by the caller, instructor, or president, to expect a let-down in attention. In addition, old members need to be warned at the same time concerning this problem. They should be encouraged to continue to mix & be attentive to these new dancers. They should make them feel that they really want them.

(b) Expand your hospitality committee from one or two couples to six, eight, or ten couples with outgoing personalities. They may wear large hospitality buttons. Their responsibility is to mingle, watch for trouble spots, greet everyone at the door & keep the crowd happy. Theirs is a tremendous responsibility, but most rewarding.

2. (a) If the caller tries to please those who like challenge dancing, he will drive away those who dislike this type of dancing. What is he to do? The secret is to be as much to as many as possible--find the middle ground. If he can satisfy both, he is exceptional. There are usually clubs in nearly every area for those who want challenge dancing. If different types of dancing is provided there will be a place for all. This should help to slow down the exodus.

(b) If, over a period of time, leaders find a couple dissatisfied with the programming in a particular club, they might suggest, without an apology, that they join a club more suited to their taste. The important thing is to keep them dancing.

3. (a) Try to recognize this trouble spot & help the individual. Treat him with kindness & respect & hope for the best. You may be able to change his attitude by patience & understanding.

4. (a) Instructor should regulate the number of lessons taught according to the size of class, age, length of each lesson, etc. He should make sure that the basics are learned. In order to have his beginners become accustomed to other callers' voices, he should have guest callers before the conclusion of lessons. The instructor may have a plan whereby the beginners graduate to an intermediate class and finally to an advanced class. This would certainly give the dancer a greater feeling of security upon final graduation. A plan which has worked for some clubs is as follows: (1) Teach on same night as club meets. (2) Teach $1\frac{1}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours before club meets for 15 lessons. (3) Have beginners join in with club & continue for an additional 15 lessons. (4) Have graduation at the end of 30 lessons. (5) Graduates should then be expected to help the next class, there-

by giving them that additional practice. Most are real anxious to have the opportunity.

(b) Instructor should know & teach proper styling in order that the dancers will, not only look better, but conserve a lot of energy.

(c) Instructors should attend a "CALLERS COLLEGE" to learn the proper technique of teaching. This could be paid for by the club. He should keep up with new basics.

5. (a) Beginners should be taught the common courtesies of square dancing. They may be given material listing these courtesies. It is a most important & necessary part of beginner classes.

(b) Older dancers need to be reminded from time to time concerning these courtesies. It may be in the form of "HELPFUL HINTS" printed & handed out to members of the club or a discussion at a club meeting. If an Association publishes a Newsletter, this would also be a good place to list these courtesies.

6. (a) The important thing here is to caution him on the consequences of "hyper-dancing". Usually each person will set his own pace, if warned. He will then be with us a long time. Once he gets his own pattern set, there will be little danger of "burning out". This timeless advice to him could give him food for thought--"BE NOT TOO ZEALOUS; MODERATION IS THE BEST IN ALL THINGS", --EVEN IN SQUARE DANCING.

7. (a) Give him an opportunity to see how a club operates. Have them serve on a committee in order to learn the job well. Those who are inclined to be leaders will soon show their ability. Most dancers will then be able to serve their clubs & associations in their respective capacities.

8. (a) Be cautious about these past differences. Don't spread it around. People, as a rule, do not like to become involved in unpleasant occurrences of the past. If an old dancer sees a new dancer getting involved in something which could cause trouble, caution him against it.

9. (a) This can be solved by allowing each club to make his own decision. Let each dancer set his own pace. Don't crowd a person & each will seek that which he desires.

10. (a) It is most important to take time during the instructional period or as soon as a person graduates to give him information on these specific topics: (a) Ladies of the club should assist beginners with dresses, petticoats & Pettipants. Give information on how to obtain appropriate square dance clothes. Help with ideas & patterns; also suitable material. (b) Encourage dancers to subscribe to a

square dance magazine. Have sample copies for them to read & possibly to check out for a time. (c) At meetings explain the function & importance of local & state organizations. (d) Encourage dancers to make out-of-town trips. (e) Encourage attendance at Festivals.

It is hoped that the recommendations given in this educational material will be used by each association. Dancers & leaders need to create & preserve proper attitudes as well as environment. If it is used properly it should lessen the exodus of square dancers and more will remain on the active roll of all clubs.

THANK YOU, TEXAS STATE FEDERATION OF SQUARE & ROUND DANCERS !!!!!

MINORITIES

The cliché 'can't see the forest for the trees' frequently applies to people being worried & badgered by minority groups. It is sometimes difficult to derive a proper perspective when being harrassed by minority groups. This article does not concern itself with minorities of the 'loyal opposition' type who openly oppose the current leadership, openly vote against the programs they oppose, yet support these leaders & the organization after the majority opinion is decided.

Minorities are important. They are the critics that show our leaders the areas to consider for change & improvement. The minority's views & opinions must be considered by the organization and its leaders whether their reason for dissent is concern for the organization or petty or personal jealousies. Minorities must be bound by the same rules of conduct & honesty as the majority if the majority is to give full credence to their views & opinions.

Minorities have certain advantages over the majority. Their advantage lies in their ability to better organize their small group. Their zeal for change sometimes develops into an obsession, overshadowing reason. A well organized minority can sound off with a voice that is heard more prominently than the majority. It is often difficult to realize that the majority of an organization does not agree with this vocal minority. It is a sad fact of life that contented people do not shout of their contentment, but the dissatisfied people will always shout of their discontent. Those satisfied with a status quo are not prone to become enthusiastic about keeping the status quo. The majority's desire for a status quo works to the advantage of the minority and causes the majority to give more consideration to the de-

sires of the minority than should be required by the minority's numbers. One of the tough jobs of an executive is to resist the urge to satisfy a noisy minority and thus incur the displeasure of the majority.

A fact about square dancing that is the hidden strength of many of its longtime leaders: "When square dancers are informed of all the facts in any situation, they will decide for the good of square dancing". The education problem of getting all the facts to all the dancers can be a very difficult one. When bigotry and malice are obvious, square dancers can be very brutal. This has been demonstrated many times in the past. Square dancers are very proud of their organization and will become very ruthless toward anyone attempting to destroy it.

Square dancers, in general, love and support their organization because it is the basis of all that we have in square dancing.

(The above article was taken from an article, written by Chet Ferguson, for a Denver Area Square Dance Council & Callers Association, Training Seminar.) Thanks to Denver & Chet..

THE CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE Birthday October 22, 1972

Think about this for a minute, after twenty years of the Florida Callers programming the State Convention this year a BIG change & no hassle. This didn't just happen, a group of callers Round dance leaders & square dancers (the co-ordinating committee) did a lot of work on their own free time & at their own expense to bring this about. The results of this was a package approved 5 to 1 by the callers & wholeheartedly by the dancers. The first part was the area dances during the callers clinic & the second will be the national & state caller at the state convention.

The name of the game was communication and above all a freewheeling give & take with the members recognizing the needs & desires of each group. No problem that a bit of compromising could not overcome.

The committee is set up to be a continuing body with one member from the callers & dancers of each area & the round dancers as they desire. It is autonomous with no by-laws or officers and as such is free to operate as it needs with 2 scheduled meetings a year. One caller & one dancer will be replaced each year. Those working so hard the first year were Colin Walton, Cliff Hendricks, Vern Johnson, & John Robbins as callers. The

dancers were Len Levitt, Jack Tucker, Jim Whiteman, & Tom Caviness. Round dancers Bill Fleshman, Chuck Heiss, Marty Martin & Carl Boardman were involved at various times.

FROM YOUR ROVING EDITORS

February has been a very busy & fast month for us. We attended the State Federation Winter meeting in Orlando, topped off by a great dance with Johnny Roth calling. We have never seen a smoother dance than this one. Hope to dance to Johnny again sometime and by the way, his wife, Gloria Roth will be calling for the Friendly Whirl-A-Ways, on April 22, so don't miss this one!

We had a ball at the Okefenokee Square Up at Waycross. Dick Barker, Art Springer, Al Howell, & Charlie & Madeline Lovelace did a great job keeping everyone moving and with a WOOD floor, the dancing is great. (WE SURE HOPE TO HAVE ONE IN JAX IN THE NEAR FUTURE--THINK POSITIVE--).

Harry Tucciarone did a fine job of calling for the Oceanwaves Valentine Dance, to more than 12 squares. A real fun night. (if you have trouble pronouncing Harry's last name, he just says to say, TOUCH-YOUR-OWN-KNEE---

Made it to the Annual Hobo Convention at the Friendly Frolics, with our own Billy Bishop calling to a big & ugly bunch of "bums". It was a lot of fun & we have some pictures to prove it!!

Another great dance, called by Wade Driver (MR. RHYTHM), was "scoper". Wade is one great caller from Casselberry, Florida; who, by the way will be calling at Camp O'Leno, Easter weekend. He will be back to Jax to call for the MIS FRIENDLY FROLICS BEAUTY PAGEANT on April 6, 1974. This is always great fun with all the "beauties"!!!

The highlite of the month for us was to see and attend the Graduations of three clubs with more to come next month. First was the Western Cutters & Starlite Shufflers (both on the same night). We didn't get to both, but the graduates all got their FREE Grapevines and a congratulations folder from the NEFSDA, INC. Next was the combined class of Friendly Frolics & Allemandarins, which was taught by Billy Bishop. A great bunch with quite a few teens. Next was our own HOME CLUB, THE Oceanwaves, with three squares graduating. This was the Oceanwaves largest class since the club started 3 years ago, & we might add, THE BEST!! Of course the instructors were Tom & Mariann Hidding, And we think they were quite proud of these new dancers.

So look for all these new dancers and

WELCOME them in your "square".

Don't forget the Westernaires graduation on March 2 and the Calico Swingers on March 3; Fun & Frolics Circus Party, covered dish, on March 11; Dixie Chain Gang St. Pattys Dance on March 9; Starlite Shufflers Anniversary Dance on March 9; Western Cutters beginners class, starting March 14; Roundoleers Anniversary Dance on March 17; and the NEFSDA 5th SATURDAY DANCE with Ron Nelson on March 30.

Please take note: The Grapevine will not accept flyers, from anyone, which have been printed on paper, other than SUB 20-#7400-8 1/2 x 14. Please contact the editors before printing your own flyers. Also there is a change in price of flyers & ads. Phone or write for prices, before sending a check.

Happy dancing to all of you and be kind to all our "new" graduates.

George & Judy

WE WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO LOIS LITGEN FOR THE PASSING OF HER HUSBAND, A.J. LITGEN. HE WAS ONE OF THE NICEST AND MOST LOYAL SQUARE DANCER IN OUR CLUB. HE WILL BE MISSED BY ALL HIS FRIENDS.

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- MARCH 8 - Beginners Round dance class (see flyer)
- MARCH 9 - Bill Bishop - Sponsored by Western Cutters
- MARCH 9 - Bob Rust - Sponsored by 441 Club, Gainesville
- MARCH 9 - Dixie Chain Gang - St. Pattys' Dance (see flyer)
- MARCH 9 - Starlite Shufflers Anniversary Dance (see flyer)
- MARCH 14 - Beginners Class - Sponsored by Western Cutters
- MARCH 15 - Les Chewing - Sponsored by Challengers (invitation only)
- MARCH 17 - Roundleers Anniversary Dance (see flyer)
- MARCH 23 - Johnny Walter - Sponsored by 441 Club, Gainesville
- MARCH 22,23 - Ancient City Square Up
- MARCH 30 - N.E.F.S.D.A.,INC. 5TH SATURDAY DANCE (see flyer)
- MARCH 30 - Spring Thing (see flyer)
- APRIL 5 - Skeeter Chauvin - Sponsored by Challengers (invitation only)
- APRIL 6 - Mis Friendly Frolic Beauty Pageant (see flyer)
- APRIL 13 - Spring Fling - Gainesville
- APRIL 13,14 - Camp O'Leno -Sponsored by Starlite Shufflers (see flyer)
- APRIL 22 - Friendly Whirl-A-Ways - Gloria Roth Dance (see flyer)
- APRIL 27 - OCTOBER 13 - Fontana Village, Square & Round Dance Vacations
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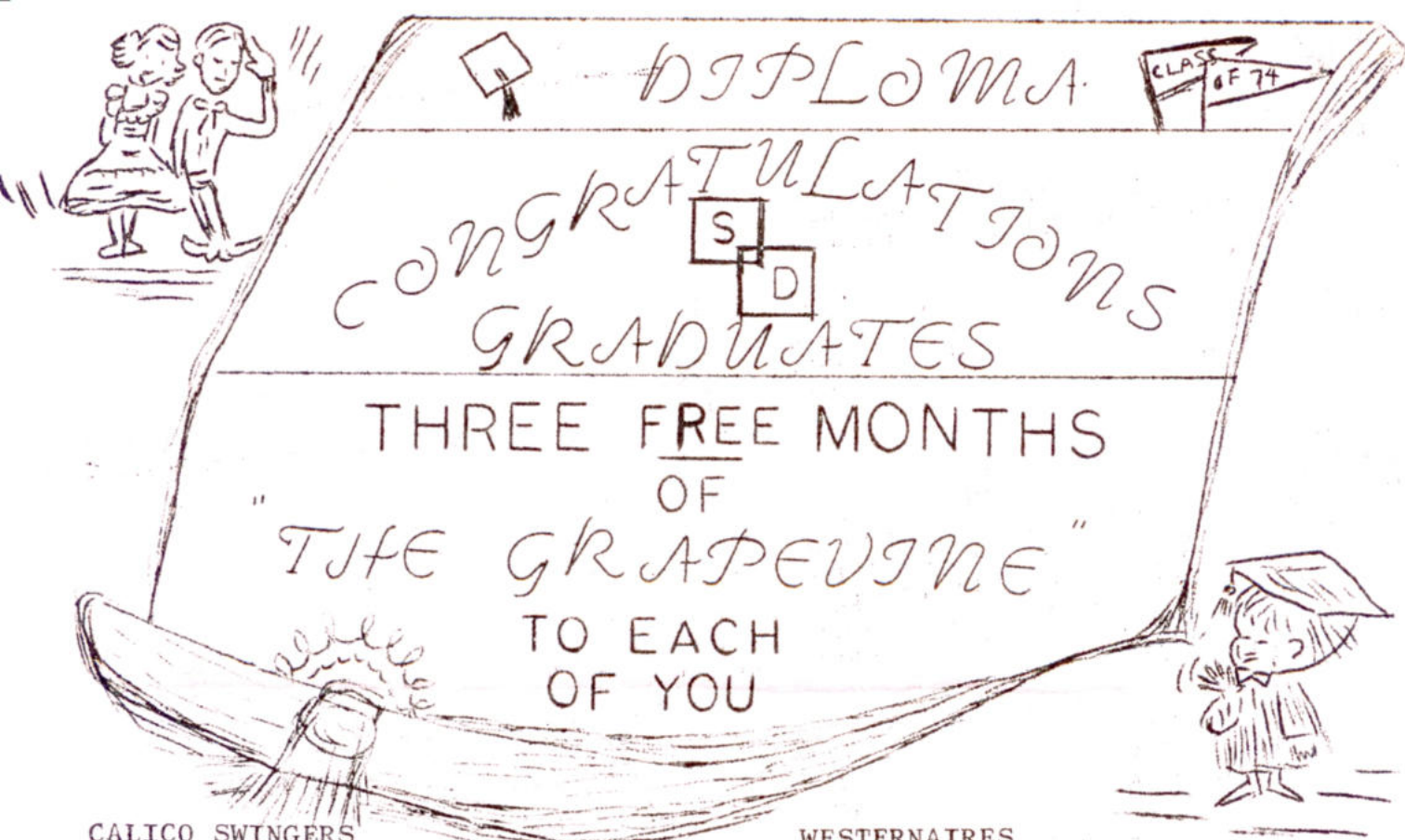
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THE SQUARE FAIR SHOP

HOURS

MON. 1pm - 9pm

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13TH ANNUAL "MJS"
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BEAUTY PAGEANT DANCE

CALLER

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EDITH

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ROUNDS"



CONTESTANTS
FROM ALL CLUBS
INVITED

ENTERTAINMENT
FOR ALL

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1974

8:00 - 11:00

\$2.50 PER COUPLE

FORT CAROLINE JR. HIGH
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

O'LENO HOEDOWN

Sponsored By: STARLITE SHUFFLERS JAX, FLA.
CLUB CALLER

JAMES MAXEY

Scenic Camp Oleno

Highway 41 - 2.0 miles south Lake City
8 miles north of High Springs

GUEST CALLERS * * * DICK BARKER * * *

* * * JACK "TAMBOURINE MAN" HARRIS * * *

* * * WADE "MR. RHYTHM" DRIVER * * *

April 13 & 14, 1974
20th O'LENO HOEDOWN

WELCOME ALL SQUARE DANCERS

* * * CABINS * * *

\$5.00 First Two Persons--\$1.00 each
Additional Person

BRING YOUR OWN LINEN AND PILLOW
(ALSO, BLANKETS - Brrrr)

CHECK IN ANYTIME AFTER 2 PM SATURDAY

ADVANCE RESERVATIONS ARE NECESSARY FOR
CABINS AND MEALS. CAMPERS PLEASE MAKE
ADVANCE MEAL RESERVATIONS.

Campers Make Own Arrangements for
Camping and Pay Camp Fee at Gate.

* * * DANCING * * *

Caller's Choice - 3 PM to 5:30 PM,
\$1.50 couple
Saturday Evening - 8 PM to 11 PM,
\$4.00 couple

SKITS

After Evening - 12 Midnight to 2 AM
Sunday Morning - 9 AM to 11:30 AM,
\$1.50 couple

* * * MEALS * * *

ALL NEW MENUS

Supper - 6 PM (12 yrs. old & over) \$2 each
Breakfast - 8 AM \$1 each
Sunday Lunch - 12 Noon \$1.50 ea
(Children under 12, 1/2 price)



EASTER
SUNRISE
SERVICE
7 AM



CELEBRATING
10 YEARS OF
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EASTER
EGG
HUNT
10:30 AM



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Jacksonville, FL 32210
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(Travel the farthest and win a prize)

NAME	Cabin	DANCING			MEALS			AMOUNT
		CC	SE	SM	S	B	L	

If planning to share a cabin with another family, give other family's name and total amount of persons sleeping in cabin.



SQUARES



ROUNDS



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EDOTIF REISSON - ROUNDS

MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1974

8:00 - 11:00

\$ 3.00 PER COUPLE

FORT CAROLINE JR. HIGH SCHOOL
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FONTANA DAM, NORTH CAROLINA 28733



NINE DANCE VACATIONS ANNUALLY

STAFF AND GUEST STAFF, SQUARE DANCE FESTIVALS, 1974

SWAP SHOP: April 27-May 5, & Sept. 28-Oct. 6, 1974

STAFF

RAY & LOUISE BOHN	Louisville, Kentucky
AL & JEAN BROWNLEE	Fontana Dam, N. C.
JEANETTE CAMP	East Point, Georgia
JIM & BRENDA COPPINGER	Memphis, Tenn.
FRED & SHORTY GOODNER	Athens, Tennessee
TOM & LIB HUBBARD	Atlanta, Ga. (Rounds)
RUTH JEWELL	Raleigh, N. C. (Rounds)
FRANK & PHYL LEHNERT	Toledo, Ohio (Rounds) (on leave)
PAUL & HELEN PATE	Anderson, S. C.

GUEST STAFF

BOB & AMELIA AUGUSTIN	New Orleans, La. (S)
JOHN & MAXINE AYRES	Jackson, Mich. (F) Rds.
MARVIN & EMILY BOATWRIGHT	Rome Ga. (F)
REX & JO COATS	Andrews, Tex. (S)
JOHNNY & JANIE CREEL	Metairie, La. (F)
TOMMY HOLLEMAN & JESSIE TAYLOR	Durham, N.C. (S) Rds.
HAROLD & TINK KELLEY	Riverdale, Ga. (S)
MAC & LOU LETSON	Muscle Shoals, Ala. (S)
LONNIE & DOROTHY SESHER	Memphis, Tenn. (F)
BILL & DIXIE WILSON	Aiken, S. C. (F)

REBEL ROUNDUP: May 5-12, & Sept. 15-22, 1974

STAFF

BOB & WILLIE BAKER	Oak Ridge, Tenn.
AL & JEAN BROWNLEE	Fontana Dam, N. C.
JACK & GRACE LIVINGSTON	Port Charlotte, Fla.
TED & LOIS MACK	Miramar, Fla. (Rounds)
BILL & BETTY VOLNER	Sikeston, Mo.
JACK & KAREN WATTS	Fairborn, Ohio

GUEST STAFF

FRANK & CONNIE BEDELL	Miramar, Fla. (F)
FRED & MARGARET KELLER	Lexington, N. C. (S)
KEGGIE & MARGUERITE KNIPFER	Fayetteville, N.C. (S)
BOB & DOT KUNDE	Hialeah, Fla. (F) Rds.
"SINGING SAM" & BETTY MITCHELL	Holiday, Fla. (S) May 7-8
CHUCK & BOBBIE MYERS	Dayton, Ohio (S)
MIKE & DONNA PHILLIPS	Middletown, Ohio (S) Rds.
HENRY & JAUNELLE THOMPSON	Houston, Tex. (S)
TOM TRAINOR	Taylors, S. C. (F)
BOB & SHIRLEY WICKERS	Manchester, Mo. (F)

ACCENT ON ROUNDS: May 19-26, & Sept. 8-15, 1974

STAFF

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JOHN & VIC LAVERTY	Venice, Fla
CARL & PAT SMITH	North Canton, Ohio

GUEST STAFF

JERRY & BARBARA PIERCE	Birmingham, Ala. (S)
GEORGE & BOBBIE STONE	Huntsville, Ala. (F)

FUN FEST: May 25-June 2, & Aug. 31-Sept. 8, 1974

STAFF

AL & MILLIE BOEHRINGER	Dayton, Ohio (Rounds)
AL & JEAN BROWNLEE	Fontana Dam, N. C.
CHARLES & MARGE CARTER	Columbus, Ohio (Rounds)
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A.B. & PAULINE COLEMAN	Kingsport, Tennessee
HARRY & CLARA LACKEY	Greensboro, N. C.
CHARLES & MADELINE LOVELACE	Tampa, Fla. (Spring)
JAMIE & MYRA NEWTON	Decatur, Georgia
JOHN & LINDA SAUNDERS	Altamonte Springs, Fla. (on leave)
ALLEN & JOANN TIPTON	Knoxville, Tennessee

GUEST STAFF

GEORGE & MADY D'ALOISO	Bellbrook, Ohio (F) Rds.
MEL & JEAN ESTES	Tuscaloosa, Ala. (S)
JON & SHIRLEY JONES	Arlington, Tex. (F)
ELMER & MARGIE SHEFFIELD	Tallahassee, Fla. (F)
MIKE & RITA STOKES	Memphis, Tenn. (S)
DICK & BETTY BARKER	Waycross, Ga. (S)

FALL JUBILEE: Oct. 6-13, 1974

STAFF

GORDON & EDNA BLAUM	Miami, Fla.
EARL & EDNA BROWN	Birmingham, Ala.
AL & JEAN BROWNLEE	Fontana Dam, N. C.
STAN & CATHY BURDICK	Huron, Ohio
CARL & JENNIE CRIDER	Corbin, Ky.
CHUCK & CAROLE LEAMON	Pompano Beach, Fla.
PAUL & ELSIE MARCUM	Nashville, Tenn.
MARTY & BYRDIE MARTIN	Plant City, Fla. Rds.
JERRY & BARBARA PIERCE	Birmingham, Ala. Rds.
BOB & NORMA VINYARD	Bridgetown, Mo.
DON & MILDRED WILLIAMSON	Greenville, Tenn. (on leave)
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