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Message

The dancing activities so far this year have been going at a fast pace. With all the charity and anniversary dances, graduations, and a Presidents Ball, it proves we are all enjoying ourselves and that dancing is alive and well in the Northeast. Our hopes are that this will continue through the balance of the year.

The student dance is near and there is great need to support the students at this dance as they will soon want to be an active member of our square dance community. Support your clubs in their programs and help your callers and cuers in the things they feel is needed to promote dancing. Make sure to let all know that we have fun wherever we dance.

Our thanks to the rural callers for an invitation to their first quarterly meeting. It was a pleasure to note that they had an excellent exchange of ideas and shared information about their clubs and their activities. They have caller clinics planned to help improve their calling skills on April 14th. Also, a dance is planned after this clinic. Thanks again and we feel this is going to help unify the dancers and callers and cuers. Keep up the good work!



Start thinking about recruiting for classes. It does take time! Make a prospect list now, and request help from everyone. This will certainly help to get more people into square dancing. We are so very proud of you in the Northeast! At the recent dances we have witnessed clubs visiting each other. Sometimes as many as three clubs visiting at one time, with 30-40 visitors present (**Along With Their Caller**). Hurrah for you good people here in this wonderful dancing area.

We have found some two letter words that could apply in our recruiting efforts.

**"If it is to be,
it is up to me!"**

See you in a square!

Howard & Jettie Crowe



5TH SATURDAY DANCE

Be sure you see the flyer in this issue announcing the next 5th Saturday Dance. Theme will be **"SPRING FEVER"** and it will be held at Sandalwood High School on **Saturday, March 31st, 2001**. The dance will be hosted by the **Teddy Bear Squares** and **Yellow Rockers Plus**. Callers will be **Eddie Millan** and **Lawton Smith**, and **Larry Dunn** will cue the rounds.

Mark your calendar now! See you there!

The Editors



FROM THE EDITORS DESKS

During the next two or three months all the dancers in the Northeast will be able to visit class

Graduations and really give a big welcome to all the graduating dancers. Why should you do that? Can you remember when you first starting dancing, the feeling you got when an experienced dancer asked you to join your square? Or, even just took a few minutes to stop and chat with you to find out about you and your family?

Check the Calendar of Events and see how many -- or which one(s) -- you might be able to schedule and then mark your calendar so you won't forget.

The next thing we need to do is make sure we don't "push" new dancers into going into PLUS lessons until THEY FEEL THEY ARE READY. Maybe they'd like to always dance Mainstream. Let's don't run them away by suggesting that they need to take more lessons and go up to another level of dancing.

In short, let's put that old saying, "Square Dancing is Fun & Friendship Set to Music", in force. Only by making this hobby a FUN & FELLOWSHIP type of recreation will Square Dancing continue to be the wholesome family activity we have loved for all these years!



One of life's problems
Occurs unrehearsed:
The person who snores
Always falls asleep first!



ON THE ROAD - - AGAIN

The Editors will be traveling to several Graduations and Club Anniversaries, as well as other events, during the next two months. Hope to see you somewhere and maybe join you in a square!

Mar. 3rd	Sophomore Hoedown (GCA)	Jax Heights
Mar. 24th	Shriner's Childrens Hosp. Bene. Dance	River Ramblers
Mar. 29th	Class Graduation	Joy Seas
Mar. 31st	5th Saturday "Spring Fever" Dance	NEFSARDA
Apr. 5th*	Class Graduation	Moose Promenaders
Apr. 5th*	3rd Anniversary Dance	River Ramblers
Apr. 6th	Class Graduation	Silver Fox
Apr. 10th	13th Anniversary Dance & Class Grad	Rollaways
Apr. 12th	11th Anniversary Dance	Moose Promenaders
Apr. 24th	16th Anniversary Dance & Class Grad	Mandarin Marauders
Apr. 28th	GCA Graduation Dance	Sandalwood



There are some really great special theme dances during these two months and we plan to make as many as possible. Give us a call if there is a special dance you'd like us to attend.

KEEP SMILING
YOU NEVER KNOW WHEN THE
GRAPEVINE CAMERA WILL CATCH UP WITH YOU!!



LETTERS, WE GET LETTERS.....

(This column is for YOUR comments. Let us hear from you! Please remember, letters should be in good taste and must be signed. Upon request, names will be withheld from the publication.)

Dear Editors:

There are two kinds of criticism: constructive and destructive. For a while we have been listening to a few square dancers doing the latter, criticizing other dancers as well as the callers. This is unfortunate and must stop if we want to keep square dancing alive.

If some dancers are not performing as expected, we suggest trying to help them by encouraging them to attend the workshops and classes that are offered, as a "refresher" course to improve their skills. Furthermore, we should keep in mind that not everyone has the same skills, mobility and mental alertness to react accordingly to each call. In addition, there are senior dancers that have given their best years to square dancing and they want to stay active. Please don't discourage those dancers by criticizing them because they are not fast enough to react to a call. Keep in mind that WE ALL will be there one day.

If somebody thinks that there is something wrong with the way the caller is calling we would suggest discussing it with the caller instead of going public and making an issue of it. We are sure that the callers are willing to listen and adjust to the requests of the clubs. We are also sure that they appreciate our comments or recommendations for changes but in a

tactful manner. Remember that we live in a pluralistic and free society, where everybody has the right to express his/her ideas. Therefore and by the same token, the callers are free to call in their own style. That is what makes them different, gives us a chance to dance at a somewhat different beat and that is what makes them great! We feel we should encourage our callers and let them know how much we appreciate them.

We think that somehow along the line some square dancers have forgotten what square dancing is all about. The basic theme of square dancing, as we see it, is to have fun, make friends, dance without competition and to have an enjoyable clean social evening out. With this kind of criticism we don't see how we are going to grow our clubs. In fact, it will only diminish them and take the good clean fun that is left in this world and throw it out the window. With this kind of criticism we are not going to bring new dancers to our clubs.

Finally, in the same spirit and letter of the unknown writer and one of our past NEFSARDA presidents wrote in the past issue of The Grapevine, let's stop the criticism, work together and bring people together for the same common purpose.

Manuel & Lillie Irigarry

DEADLINES FOR FUTURE GRAPEVINE ISSUES

April 10th.....	May-June Issue
June 10th.....	July-August Issue
August 10th.....	September-October Issue
October 10th.....	November-December Issue
December 10th.....	January-February Issue
February 10th.....	March-April Issue

FEATURE ARTICLE

"WEDDING BELLS RING OUT"

By Charlie & Val Newsome



This article is really "written" by Cupid because his bow & arrow really hit the mark -- not once, but three times!!!

Three square dancing couples in the Northeast Florida area, all who met while square dancing, felt the sweet sting of

that "love" arrow released by Sir Cupid and "walked down the aisle" during October and November, 2000.

Wedding bells were ringing from Jacksonville to Colorado to Mexico as they repeated their vows. We want to extend our "CONGRATULATIONS" and wish each of you a long and happy life together!



Mr. & Mrs. Lonnie Aldridge

Linda Paulley and Lonnie Aldridge were the first to wed, on October 14th (but kept it secret until December), in the Chapel of the Hills in Golden, CO with her family present. Linda & Lonnie met at Seabreeze Singles in 1994 and have been together since 1995.

Mr. & Mrs. Johnny McCabe

The second wedding took place in Cancun, Mexico on October 27th. Pat Cameron and Johnny McCabe met about 3 years ago, but have just been dating for a few months. They decided to fly to Cancun for a romantic wedding.



Mr. & Mrs. Everett Luke

The third wedding took place in Jacksonville on November 10th, when wedding bells rang out for Bobbie Boyd and Everett Luke. They also met some time ago while square dancing.



"Congratulations!"

Cuer's Corner

By Val Newsome



Several clubs in the Northeast offer Round Dancing along with Square Dancing: Dixie Dancers, Rollaways, Joy Seas, Square Wheels, Jekyll Island, Silver Fox and Plus Fox. (NOTE: IF YOUR CLUB NO LONGER DANCES ROUNDS, PLEASE LET US KNOW.) In addition, there is one Round Dance Club in the Northeast---The First Coast Rounds dance Phase I-Phase III every Wednesday at Ft. Caroline Middle School Cafeteria from 7:45-9:30 PM. Round dance lessons are offered from 7-7:45 PM. First Coast Rounds dance Phase III and up every 1st & 3rd Tuesday at Jax Heights Elementary School, 7:30-9:00 PM. Workshops are offered every week. Larry Dunn is the cuer at both locations.

Aleen Breedlove obtained the 2000-2001 Roundalab Golden Classic List at the Jekyll Island Ball and we have listed Phases II and VI in this issue. Look for Phase III-V in future issues. We also hope to be able to bring you more information on Round Dancing in those issues.

ROUND OF THE QUARTER

"SAN FRANCISCO"

Choreographers: Milo Mollitoris & MaryAnn Callahan

ROUNDS CALENDAR

Mar 9-10	.....Shamrock Swing (CFSARDA).....	Merritt Island, FL
Mar 24	.....Shriner's Childrens Hosp. Bene.....	Palatka, FL
Mar 31	.....5th Saturday Dance (NEFSARDA) ...	Jacksonville, FL
Apr 13	.....PASARDA Charity Ball	Pensacola, FL
May 6	.....Blood Bank Dance (NEFSARDA)	Jacksonville, FL
May 25-27	.....Florida State Square Dance Conv.....	Lakeland, FL
Aug 31-Sep 1	.....Florida Knothead Konvention.....	Lakeland, FL
Sep 13-15	.....Myrtle Beach Ball.....	Myrtle Bch, SC
Oct 18-21	.....State Camp-O-See.....	Okeechobee, FL
Nov 16-17	.....48th Ann.Fall Festival(NEFSARDA)..	Jacksonville, FL

FROM THE BACK PEW....

So this guy prays to God and God actually answers!
The guy asks, "What is a second to you, God?"
God says, "A second to me is like a million years to you."
"Well, then, what's a million dollars like to you?"
"It's like a penny."
"Could I have a penny, God?"
"Yeah," God replies, "in just a second."

Reprinted from January 2001 The Churchmouse

2000-2001 ROUNDALAB GOLDEN CLASSIC LIST

The following dances have the distinction of having been on the ROUNDALAB Classic List for five years and are considered ROUNDALAB Golden Classics since the years listed. The current Phase Ratings of these Golden Classic Dances have been determined by the ROUNDALAB Standardization of Classic Dance Cues Committee.

PHASE II

All Night (Jaeb, 92/93)	Maple Leaf Rag (Kern, 00/01)
Baby O'Mine (Fryaiko, 93/94)	Maria +1 (Wolcott, 92/93)
Birth Of The Blues +1 (Parrott, 93/94)	Mexicale Rose (Stapleton, 88/89)
Buffy (Metzger, 92/93)	Miss Frenchy Brown (Tetziaff, 91/92)
Could I Have This Dance (Eddins, 90/91)	Mission Bell Waltz (Metzger, 96/97)
Dancing Shadows (Arnfield, 91/92)	My Love +1 (Proctor, 87/88)
Feelin' (Barbee, 91/92)	My Song (Colling, 00/01)
Fiddlestepper Polka (Brown, 99/00)	Neapolitan Waltz (Hardin, 91/92)
Fireman Two Step (Eddins, 96/97)	Patricia +1 (Walkingshaw/Goss, 91/92)
Games That Lovers Play +2 (Wolcott, 92/93)	Pearly Shells (Latta, 92/93)
Good Ol' Girls (Eddins, 91/92)	Piano Roll Waltz (Green, 93/94)
Green Door (Proctor, 87/88)	Roses For Elizabeth (Bliss, 89/90)
Hold Me (Reilly, 87/88)	Sam's Song (Kammerer, 00/01)
Hot Lips (Highburger, 87/88)	Spaghetti Rag (Gniewek, 87/88)
Houston (Smith, 92/93)	St. Louis Blues (Mueller, 94/95)
Jacalyn's Waltz (Wilhoit, 92/93)	Street Fair (Merola, 87/88)
King Of The Road (MacDougal/Cohen, 99/00)	Take One Step (Lehnert, 87/88)
Kon Tiki +1 (Glazier, 92/93)	That Happy Feeling (Tennet, 92/93)
Little White Moon (Wilder, 94/95)	Third Man Theme +1 (Reilly, 92/93)
	Tips Of My Fingers (Palmquist, 89/90)
	Very Smooth +1 (Wiese, 89/90)
	Walk Right Back +1 (May, 88/89)

PHASE VI

Cavatina (Barton, 93/94)	Kiss Me Goodbye (Tullus, 96/97)
	Sam's Song (Shawver, 96/97)

EDITORS NOTE: Thanks, Aleen, for submitting this information on Rounds. Phase III, IV, and V will be listed in future issue(s).

WEB ADDRESS

PLEASE NOTE: My Web address was inadvertently omitted from the ad in the Fall Festival Book. It is:

www.karenelysbethwalsh.com.

The correct e-mail address is as shown,

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Karen Walsh

Caller's Corner

What Is An Individual Square Dancer Worth?

By Patrick Demerath

(Reprinted from *American Square Dance*, February 2001 Issue)

Take any person that comes into your mind. Ask yourself the question: What is he or she worth? It might be correct to assume that a person's worth is measured in how much money they make, or what type of vehicle they drive. Take any Square Dancer that comes into your mind. Ask yourself the same question: What is he or she worth? The worth of a Square Dancer is often measured by which **programs** and how **well** that person dances those programs.

It can be argued that the culture of America as well as that of Square Dancing has lost its perspective of individual dancer worth. This type of Square Dancing commercialism has altered our value system decreasing the worth of a Square Dancer. What square dancing needs are leaders who **unselfishly** strive to make **positive** improvements in the lives of Square Dancers. This must once again become the "**heartbeat**" of square dancing with its central focus on fun, friendship, and fellowship, or square dancing will continue to decline into "Square Dancing Extinctus."

Whether or not Square Dancing makes any difference in the lives of its many enthusiasts, and is seen as a relevant form of leisure and entertainment, and communicates its message of fun, friendship, and fellowship depends on us as dancers, callers, and Square Dance leaders. We must set the 'wheels of cooperation' in motion and jointly contribute our efforts to make the life of each Square Dancer better because each one of them is worth it. Attaining a full appreciation of the worth of an individual Square Dancer is a significant challenge today. If we want Square Dancing to rise up from the red ink of decline, we must believe that we as

callers, dancers, and leaders can and must make a difference and eliminate this "commercialization" of the value of an individual Square Dancer.

Square Dancing must be more than just challenging and mechanical physical activity. It must become once again a combination of "fun, friendship, and fellowship" with dancing as the activity to be enjoyed and loved but not to be the **standard** on the worth of a Square Dancer. Each individual Square Dancer must continually receive a gigantic dose of this "fun, friendship, and fellowship." We too often teach this and in our classes / new dancer dances and expect this concept to go out in the world of square dancing, but it doesn't always happen.

Callers, dancers, and Square Dance leaders must push forward a crusade to honor each individual Square Dancer by emphasizing "fun, friendship, and fellowship" ahead of dancing and calling perfection in order to make Square Dancing once again a relevant part of peoples' leisure lives. When we lose one Square Dancer, we must grieve together and take action to bring them back or at least to prevent future loses of Square Dancers for the same reasons. The American Callers Association is committed to the principle of championing the worth of an Individual Square Dancer, reducing the stress on dancers, and enhancing "fun, friendship, and fellowship" for all Square Dancers. ACA believes that when we focus on the worth of an individual Square Dancer and his or her needs, then we will find our way to stop this tragic loss of dancers. ACA stands ready to work with all Square Dance organizations to reverse this Square Dancer "commercialization of worth," and help restore growth into the Square Dancing Life cycle.

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1/1/01 - 4/30/01

Basic	None
Mainstream	Split Circulate
Plus	3/4 Tag The Line

Mainstream	None
Plus	None
Advanced	Double Down

FOCUS GROUP SURVEYS!

The Foundation for the Preservation and Promotion of Square Dancing conducted a series of Focus Group Surveys in three cities last year. These Focus Groups consisted of non-dancers and former dancers in Charlotte, NC; St. Louis, MO; and Portland, OR. This extensive research work was conducted as part of Phase One of the Foundation's Phoenix Plan. This work will provide helpful information to dance leadership for developing effective marketing programs to revitalize square, round, and traditional dance activities on a global basis.

This is a brief summary of some of the 'findings' from Focus Group studies. A more detailed report of these results, as well as a list of their specific goals and objectives will be available to assist any local, regional, national, or international dance group interested in working with the Foundation to improve their dance programs. These organizations are encouraged to participate in on-going research projects designed to gather data for different geographic areas and individual dance forms.

Non Dancer Groups Findings:

1) The Baby Boomers are pressed for time, stressed with work, and already heavily preoccupied with free time activities. With many options from which to choose leisure entertainment, they are reluctant to get involved with

any activity that requires a long-term commitment. They prefer activities that flex with THEIR needs, and permit a sense of spontaneity.

2) Square dancing makes high demands of its recruits with respect to time, commitment, clothing, and general format. The public sees a relatively monolithic program, which asks them to conform to what it offers, rather than develop programs that flex to their various interests and needs.

3) Square Dancing has a serious image problem within the general public, and especially among those in the targeted Boomer generation. Most people are familiar with SD, but not Modern Western Square Dance (MWSD). Consequently, their image is based on out-of-date concepts not reflecting today's dance experience.

Former Dancer Groups Findings:

1) MWSD has a very low profile, even in those cities where there is an active dance community. As a result, people who might be enticed into the activity have no idea how to get involved.

2) Among those who have participated in SD and subsequently left SD, enjoys a very positive image, despite the negative experiences. These people loved the activity and most would return, if the circumstances leading to their departure were

"Callerlab" (Cont'd)

corrected. They think the activity is wonderful and definitely worth promoting. But without changes, they don't think a promotional program will succeed. This group represents a significant target for recruiting new membership.

3) The SD club culture appears to have two faces. On the one hand, it is friendly and welcoming --- like a second family. However, some ex-dancers experienced the club culture as inflexible, cliquish, and exclusive.

4) Clubs appear to be particularly unable to work with single members, whether they start out as singles or become singles after joining the club. And with the emerging Boomer group showing a near 60% single factor, this limitation could add significantly to recruitment problems.

5) The unavailability of dance pro-

grams at different levels of expertise is a key reason for dropping out of the dance program. The ability for new dancers to have the option to remain at the Mainstream level seems critical to retention. Many of these ex-dancers liked the activity, but would like a place to dance at the level they learned during the first class cycle. They seem to want to consolidate skills, and just have fun.

6) The current club organizational structure is not oriented to marketing the SD activity. There is a need for collaboration on important advertising and public relations programs, as well as on issues of scheduling, and program changes.

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TOYS FOR TOTS

By Val Newsome

The Silver Fox Square Dance Club held a "TOYS FOR TOTS" drive at their Christmas party in December, 2000. (If my memory serves me correctly, they did the same thing in 1999.)

Santa came and danced in the squares with everyone. He looked tired by the time he had been in each square.

This is another worthwhile charity that

the club supports and they are to be commended for their efforts. Not only did everyone have a great time at a super dance, but they felt good about helping children enjoy Christmas just a little more.

The pictures indicate that everyone had lots of fun at this special Christmas Dance.



Above: Ernie gets a charge out of telling Santa what he wanted---wonder if he got it?



Top to bottom: Santa danced in every square. Toys weren't just for Tots...Santa had a package for guest, 90 year old Irene Sewell (Editor's mother). Skip Blymiller and Ernie check out the assortment of toys that were donated by Silver Foxes and their guests.



CONTRA LINES

By Val Newsome

Don Ward
writes the **Contra**
Corners column
for the **American**
SquareDance and
in the **January**
2001 issue he

said..."The longevity of the Contra dance communities is demonstrated by callers and organizers...." "The exhilarating rhythms of Contra music, choreography based on a limited number of movements, will attract new dancers, keep participating dancers coming back for more and even attract second generations of family dancers." He also talks about a 'fail safe dance', "Baby Rose", and gives the movements

I don't know about you, but I think Contra is a very graceful form of dancing. While only trying it once or twice, I thoroughly enjoyed it. The movements were not so fast and stressful on my "old" bones, and it did not take experience to enjoy the dance.

If you haven't tried it yet, Contra is always offered at the O'Leno Hoedown and usually at our Fall Festival. We do have a list of places throughout the State where you can dance Contra. If you are interested, give us a call. If some of our readers have something to add to this column, please let us know.

Hoping we can gather a little more info for you for the next issue.



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For Information Call:

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BOTH DANCES \$3.50 PER PERSON

BLOOD BANK REPORT

By Stephen & Marie Bigelow

Blood Bank contributions for the year 2000 and for January 1-31, 2001 are as indicated below:



CLUB	ACCOUNT #	2000	JAN 1-31,2001
NEFSARDA	1283	8	2
Mandarin Mauraders	1956	59	2
Moose Promenaders	2057	7	0
Plus Fox	2212	21	3
Rollaways	2063	9	0
Seabreeze Singles	2635	0	0
Teddy Bears	2206	3	0
Yellow Rockers Plus	2240	19	2

Please remember each club needs its members to donate blood. Any club member can go to any blood drive and donate blood---just be sure you give your club name and account number so you receive the proper credit. We appreciate each and every one of you. God Bless You.

*****BLOOD BANK DANCE COMING UP*****

Saturday, May 5, 2001 at Jax Heights Elementary School
(See Flyer elsewhere in this issue.)

We need your help:

*To set up, decorate and clean up on the 5th.

*We need donations for the Chinese Auction and the Raffle.

You can call us at 771-7249 to volunteer to help and your donations can either be given to us or to your club representative to bring to a NEFSARDA meeting. You can also help by buying your admission tickets and raffle tickets early.

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Support the new dancers at this dance.
Then, mark your calendar for **April 28th** for the
GCA sponsored **GRADUATION DANCE**
at Sandalwood High School. Watch for Flyers!

NEFSARDA NEWS

At the January 14th Delegate's Meeting, outgoing President Manny Gonzales passes the gavel to incoming Presidents Howard & Jettie Crowe.



The new board poses for its first picture... Front row, L to R, June Blalock, Martha Hardcastle, Jettie Crowe, Phyllis Herpy, and Linda Aldridge. Back row, L to R, Manny Gonzales, Joe Hardcastle, Howard Crowe, Jack Herpy, and Lonnie Aldridge. Absent were Sherry Gonzales and Leroy Blalock.



E-MAIL ADDRESS

PLEASE NOTE: The e-mail address shown in the Fall Festival Book is incorrect. The correct e-mail address for us is **MissJettie@aol.com**.

Howard & Jettie Crowe

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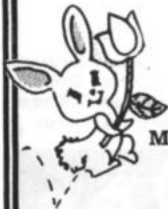
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A DREAM COME TRUE

By Jack McKinney

The Silver Fox Square Dance Club had a dream come true for their club. On Friday night, January 19th, 2001, they dreamed that their Annual Charity Dance would have two great callers, and that the square dancers of Northeast Florida would be there in great numbers, and that everyone would have a great time, and also that they would raise a lot of money for their charity, "Dreams Come True." And their dream came true!

The callers, Ernie Rollen and Ken Perez, called alternating tips of mainstream and plus and had the dancers "clowning" around all over the floor. Between tips they enjoyed hot dogs and refreshments. Also, they were able to bid on items in the Chinese Auction and buy tickets for the picture frame that had one hundred \$1.00 bills framed inside. Ed and Gloria Malin won

the picture frame. Badges were sold as admission to the dance and if you had one of the lucky numbers on your badge you won a door prize.

Presidents Stephen and Dorothy Gilliland, and the rest of the foxes did a super job in decorating and planning a super dance!

When it was over, the club raised \$3,400.00 to help make a dream come true for some deserving child. And, that helped make the Silver Fox dream more satisfying and pleasant than anything they could have hoped and dreamed for!

Editors Note: Due to a personal conflict we could not attend the dance and we thank Jack for providing us with pictures and this article. Silver Fox is to be commended on the great job they do for this worthwhile Charity each year.



Dorothy Gilliland, Silver Fox President, with Representative from "Dreams Come True." A total of \$3400.00 was raised for the charity.



Winners of Circus Attendance Banners were Dixie Dancers, Moose Promenaders, Rollaways, Yellow Rockers, and Plus Fox.



A DREAM COME TRUE (Cont'd)



Club Caller, Ernie Rollen, and Guest Caller, Ken Perez, take a break from calling for a photo shoot!



Clowns, Clowns, and more Clowns....should have been a prize for the funniest clown!



IN MEMORY OF MARJORIE L. FRENCH

Marjorie died peacefully Wednesday, November 1, 2000, at the Earl B. Hadlow Center for Caring, Community Hospice of Northeast, Florida, with her husband, Ray, at her side.

She was a graduate of John Marshall High School, retired from Tinker AFB in Oklahoma City, then moved to Jacksonville, FL. Marjorie attended the First Baptist Church of Jacksonville, where she was active in The Ladies Joy Class.



Marjorie and her husband, Ray, were active in Square Dancing for many years and were members of the Sweet Art Squares Square Dance Club.

Besides her husband, Ray E. French, she is survived by her mother, Dorothy Gillespie, one son, David E. Gillespie, 1 brother, 1 sister-in-law, and many nieces and nephews.

We extend sincere sympathy to her family and many friends.



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NEFSARDA Club Visitation 1999 - 2000

CLUB	NO. OF VISITS	CLUBS VISITED	TIMES VISITED	# CLUBS VISITING
ROLLAWAYS	44	19	10	5
YELLOW ROCKERS +	24	10	15	6
PLUS FOX	24	11	9	5
MOOSE PROMENADERS	21	11	21	6
TEDDY BEARS	12	7	13	5
SEABREEZE SINGLES	9	7	11	6
SILVER FOX	9	5	16	6
DIXIE DANCERS	3	3	4	4
JOY SEAS	2	1	2	1
ANGEL SQUARES *	1	1	1	1
VAGABOND SQUARES	1	1	1	1
FIRST COAST ROUNDS	-	-	2	1
FRIENDSHIP SQUARES	-	-	2	2
GRAND SQUARES	-	-	1	1
GYPSY SQUARES	-	-	7	4
MAINSTREAM SQUARES	-	-	5	1
MANDARIN MARAUDERS	-	-	4	3
RIVER RAMBLERS	-	-	1	1
SQUARE WHEELS	-	-	5	3
CLASSIC PLUS *	-	-	7	4
SWEET ART SQUARES *	-	-	6	5
TOUCH OF CLASS *	-	-	2	1
OTHERS	-	-	5	2
TOTALS	<u>150</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>150</u>	<u>74</u>

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LINE DANCING

CLASS SQUARE DANCING

7:00-8:30 PM
CALLER: KEN MILLER

CLUB DANCE

8:30-10:00 PM
CUER: LARRY DUNN

CLUB DANCING SCHEDULE

Every Tuesday -- Mainstream/Announced Plus

2nd & 4th Tuesday -- Round Dancing

1st & 3rd Tuesday -- Line Dancing

SPECIAL DANCE NIGHT

April 10

GRADUATION/ANNIVERSARY and
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Club Dance 7:00 - 10:00pm

PRESIDENT:

Joe Seelhofer
223-4101

BANNERCHAIRMAN:

Virginia Bomhold
744-7181

News Flash

By Wannette Davis

WOW, it was great! On Monday, January 29, 2001, the Fun 'N Frolics Advanced Square Dance Club had their first Monday night dance where plus clubs could come and retrieve their banners that we had stolen from them. This was a new concept allowing plus clubs to come and dance with us and enjoy our wonderful caller, Art Wilson. The Moose Promenaders, Rollaways and Teddy Bear Squares came and retrieved their banners. We will be back to see them again soon, and look forward to them coming to steal our banner. Again, let us remind all the plus clubs in town that they can come to steal our banner on the fifth Monday. We would love to have all of you! At those fifth Monday night dances we will dance the plus level, with announced Advanced tips.

There are only three fifth Mondays left this year so we will have to make the most of them. Those dates are April 30th, July 30th, and October 29th. Mark these dates on your calendar. Also, look

for the Fun 'N Frolics to come visiting your club to steal your banner!

At the January 29th dance we had over 10 squares of dancers on the floor and everyone had a wonderful time. We saw many of our old friends and we met some new ones. We were especially pleased to see Jim and Barbara Winters. Jim had been laid up for awhile, but we are glad to see he is doing much better. Everyone enjoyed having Eddie and Ann Millan with us and we certainly all enjoyed Eddie calling a tip for us. Eddie still has what it takes. It was great!! We also want to thank the officials from NEFSARDA for coming and supporting this dance.

Look for the Fun 'N Frolics across the square from you!!

Editors' Note: We have heard only positive comments about this dance. **Thanks Fun 'N Frolics** for this new idea for Advanced and Plus clubs to visit with each other!!

With Our Recent Sick

Betty Ball	compression fractures
Madrene Ballard	surgery
Gene Bice	illness
Docky Blake	illness
Emily Brinkley	illness
Jim Cole	foot problems
Norbert Feuer	illness
Joe Fitzmayer	surgery
Elizabeth Hartley	illness
Marian Kegley	illness
James Kindred	surgery
Monica Knierim	hospital/illness
John Lawrence	surgery
Al Lobato	eye surgery
Kate McCaul	surgery
Jim Morgan	illness
Bill Schnippert	illness
Slim Scoggins	hip surgery
Linda Snow	illness
Tom Thornton	illness(pending surgery)



Get Well

Soon!

Cards and prayers are always welcome!

BLOOD BANK BENEFIT DANCE

ANNUAL BLOOD BANK BENEFIT DANCE - Sponsored by NEFSARDA

Saturday, May 5th, 2001

Jacksonville Heights Elementary School
7750 South Tempest Street, Jacksonville, Florida

Callers:

LON LIGON
ART WILSON

Cuer:

LARRY DUNN



Early Rounds

7:30-8:00 PM

Dance

8:00-10:00PM

Admission

\$3.00/in advance

\$3.50/at the door



**ALL PROCEEDS DONATED TO
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The Northeast Florida Square & Round Dance Association encourages you to be a donor participant with the Florida-Georgia Blood Alliance. When a club reaches 25% participation rate, all members of the participating club will be covered for any out of pocket expenses in the event blood is needed. If you have any questions concerning this program, contact your Blood Bank Chairman, Stephen & Marie Bigelow at 904 771-7249, or any NEFSARDA Board Member.

WHAT'S COOKING?

By Val Newsome

Square Dancers all love to eat and even with all the dancing activity we don't seem to get enough exercise to keep our weight down. I started looking around for some good "low-fat" recipes and offer the following for your recipe file. Now, before you say, "It can't be any good if it's low fat," just give it a try. I've had both...and thought they were both delicious!



SPINACH SOUP

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| 1 onion, diced | 1 clove garlic, minced |
| 1 tablespoon olive oil | 2 cups sliced fresh carrots (about 4) |
| 1-2 cans fat-free chicken broth | 2 1/2 cups diced fresh potatoes (about 3) |
| 1 box frozen chopped spinach
(or chopped broccoli) | 1 can Campbell's Condensed 98% Fat Free
Cream of Chicken soup |
- Black pepper to taste

Saute onion and garlic in olive oil. Add the carrots, potatoes, and 1 can chicken broth to cover; simmer 15 minutes. Add the soup (undiluted), spinach (or broccoli), and pepper and simmer for an additional 10 minutes. Add extra chicken broth as necessary for desired consistency.

This will give you approximately 8, 1 cup servings; 0.5 fat grams per serving. Recipe comes from Pawtucket WHI Clinical Center (Women's Health Initiative is a nationwide study being conducted for 5 years). The following recipe comes from the Jacksonville Women's Health Initiative Group and is contributed by Nancy Masser, from Group 112.

GREAT CAKE

- 1 package cake mix * 1 can pie filling * 3/4 cup egg substitute

*Combinations that go well together are:

- (1) Chocolate cake and cherry pie filling (2) Spice cake and apple pie filling
(3) Yellow cake and raspberry or strawberry pie filling

Combine ingredients in large bowl. Mix until well blended. Pour into greased bundt pan. Bake in pre-heated oven @ 350 degrees for 25-30 minutes, or until toothpick comes out clean. Or microwave on high for 14 minutes, till done.

Topping: Confectioners sugar...or a dab of fat-free cool whip.

This will give you approximately 12 servings, 3 fat grams per serving.

The soup I had was made with broccoli. The cake was made with the chocolate cake mix and cherry pie filling with fat-free cool whip. As I said, both were delicious. At only 3 fat grams per slice, you can really have a piece of cake and stay on a low-fat diet! Hope you'll try them both. I know you'll like them.

Becky Burkett shared the following recipe with me. She says it is a very delicious **milk shake**:

- 1 cup frozen blueberries
- 1 cup yogurt
- 1 cup grape juice
- 1 banana

Blend, and Enjoy!! Thanks, Becky, for sharing this with us!

Coming next issue: The most delicious Cocktail Meat Balls you've ever tasted and a scrumptious dish of Apples in puff pastry!!

MANDARIN
Jax., Fla.
MARAUDERS

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Caller: Lawton Smith

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50th NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION ANAHEIM, CALIFORNIA JUNE 27, 28, 29, 30, 2001

BIG PLANS FOR THE YOUTH IN 2001

Mike & Kimberlee Streby, the Vice Chairman of Youth have been making plans for the YOUTH to enjoy a fun and safe convention. They are scheduling dances and activities to keep the YOUTH happy and involved. There will be well known callers scheduled throughout the four days of the convention.

There will be two dangle dances each day. One in the afternoon and one in the evening. One of these dangle dances will be a mask dance. The dancers will have a chance to create their mask in the CRAFT AREA which will be supplied with paper,

scissors, tape, glue, glitter and other crafty items. The kids will be given two days to make their masks before the dance.

The kids will also need a break from all the activities and Kim has thought of that also. There will be a BREAK AREA with carpet and throw pillows for them to take a rest, talk and enjoy being with their old and new friends.

There will be door prizes given out throughout the four days. They are planning to have at least one prize per hour of regular dance time. The committee is busy gathering these prizes and they know the kids will enjoy them.

HANDICAPABLE PROGRAM

We have an 8,200 square foot hall on the ground floor that is devoted exclusively to the Handicapable Program. Our directors are working to put together a very complete and entertaining program. We invite all Handicapable dancers to come to Anaheim and be part of "The World's Greatest Square Dance Event."

Special Note: The non-dancing chaperones who accompany the

Handicapable Dancers will be given a special ribbon to admit them to the Convention without paying the normal registration fee. There will be NO CHARGE for this special ribbon. It will not entitle the chaperone to dance, but will admit them to the Convention Center. Please help us spread the word as we know this is very important to the chaperones who accompany the dancers.

NATIONAL RV CLINICS

The 50th National Square Dance Convention is proud to continue the tradition of conducting clinics related to the RV world. RV Clinics are a special area of interest to Square Dancers as the number of attendees who travel to the conventions by motor homes and trailers continues to grow! The RV Clinics have been created to provide travelers and campers with an opportunity to learn techniques that will combine the love of dancing with a

comfortable life on the road. Topics are "Maintaining Your RV", "After Market Performance Products to Enhance the Performance of your RV", and "Chassis Maintenance and Coach Maintenance Basics." Highly respected experts in the RV Industry will present these Clinics.

If you have an RV, or plan to buy one in the future, please be sure to attend all of these informative sessions. You're sure to learn a lot!



**50th NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION
ANAHEIM, CALIFORNIA
JUNE 27, 28, 29, 30, 2001**

"Sew And Save"

With both amateurs and professionals contributing to Sew and Save we will show you the "BEST IN THE WEST"!! As a matter of fact you can help too. Look for the details of the "BEST VEST IN THE WEST" fun. We will be decorating the Sew and Save area with all YOUR vests. Create a vest and bring to the convention. Our dancers will decide which one is the best and present a prize or two.

Now, we have a little story to tell the tale of the Seminars and Mini Clinics. Once upon a time a gal named Susie went to a Square Dance and saw all the pretty outfits the other dancers were wearing. She was dismayed to find she didn't know much about how to create these wonderful looks. Then she heard about the 50th National Square Dance Convention's @ Sew and Save area. She plans to attend the various Seminars and Mini Clinics such as: SKIRT WORKS to gather some interesting designs and shortcuts and then the RUFFLE mini clinic to find out how to use that pesky ruffle attachment. (See Susie has never used hers - have you?) The SH..H..H..Haring secrets SEMINAR will show Susie lots of tricks to help make all these designs.

The HAVE IRON WILL TRAVEL embellishment Mini Clinic offers exciting ideas to finish Susie's designs in the easiest way. The COMPUTER AIDED DESIGN and the INTERNET SEWING

SITES Seminars will help Susie get the most advanced information available. Susie will be amazed at the NEW PRODUCTS Seminar presented by knowledgeable personnel. See, you too, can not only learn lots, but enjoy seeing how Susie is doing. Come join her at the DON'T BE AFRAID OF YOUR SERGER Seminar and demos by Sewing Machine Educators. We can't tell you all of the topics being presented so come and see for yourself.

The Door Prizes will be both big and small. Don't forget to register for them. The "Grand Prize" will be grand. We will provide an area for emergency repairs as well as a lounge where your partner can relax while you explore the Sew and Save areas.

One of the most fun Sew and Save activities is the SHOW AND TELL show featuring Square Dance Clothes re-made to wear in the 21st Century - tricky models?!? and even a magician! Don't miss this one!! Different and fun!! The current schedule has this happening Friday, June 28th, 2001 at 1:00 P.M.

(Will Susie be a model??) Plan to join us (and Susie) for a fun and informative time at the 50th National Square Dance Convention @ in Anaheim, California. Check out our Web site for further information: <http://home.earthlink.net/~zebrow/NSDC50th>

**In springtime we're told to leap forward,
Then in the fall to go back-----
Why can't they leave our time alone?
I feel like a jumping jack!**

SPRING FEVER

5TH SATURDAY DANCE

Sponsored by NEFSARDA

Sandalwood High School
2750 John Prom Blvd.

SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 2001

Early Rounds: 7:30-8:00 PM

Dance: 8:00-10:00 PM

Callers
EDDIE MILLAN
LAWTON SMITH

Cuer
LARRY DUNN



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Admission: \$3.00 per person



2001 CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

CLUB	MONTH	DATE	ANNIV. #
Belles & Beaux			
Dixie Dancers	Sep		23rd
Friendship Squares			
First Coast Rounds			1st
Fun 'N Frolics	Mar		45th
Grand Squares	Jun		26th
Gypsy Squares	Dec	8th	11th
Jekyll Island Squares	Jan		13th
Joy Seas	Apr		10th
Mandarin Marauders	Apr	24th	16th
Moose Promenaders	Apr	12th	11th
Plus Fox	Jan	10th	15th
Pogo Squares			
River Ramblers	Apr	5th	3rd
Rollaways	Apr	10th	13th
Seabreeze Singles	Sep		25th
Silver Fox	Jun	8th	16th
Square Wheels	Sep		20th
Teddy Bears	Jun	9th	17th
Vagabond Squares			
Yellow Rockers +	Sep		10th

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If your club isn't listed above, please let us know the DATE and NUMBER OF YEARS. We'll update this list and run it in each issue.

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2000 CLUB MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY

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M = MAINSTREAM P = PLUS R = ROUNDS L = LINES

All locations are Jacksonville unless shown otherwise.

M O N D A Y

FUN N FROLICS: "A" Every Monday: Class 7 - 8:30 PM Dance 8:30 - 10:00 PM
2839 W. Beaver St. Woodstock Park-Caller: Art Wilson 904 225-5674

FUN N FROLICS: "P/A" Every Fifth Monday: Class 7 - 8:30 PM Dance 8:30
- 10:00 PM 2839 W. Beaver St. Woodstock Park-Caller: Art Wilson 904 225-5674

YELLOW ROCKERS PLUS: "P" Every Monday Class 7:00 - 8:00 PM Dance
8:00 - 10:00 PM - Trinity Lutheran Church - Park & McDuff St -- Caller: Lawton Smith
904 389-3349 -- Contact: Billy Luper 771-7041. **CLASSES START APRIL 2nd**

T U E S D A Y

BELLES & BEAUX: "M/P" Every Tuesday Class 7 - 8:15 PM 8:15 - 10:00 PM
(1st & 3rd - Regular dance -- 2nd & 4th - Workshop) First Presbyterian Church (red
brick building across from Post Office parking lot), Valdosta, GA Caller: Bob
Bennett 912 242-7321

DIXIE DANCERS: "P/R" Every Tues. Class 7 - 8:30 PM Dance 8:30-10:00 PM -
Teen Town - 312 N. 6th St., Lake City -- Caller: Bill Chesnut 352 374-8582: --
Cuer: Maggie Tripp 352 493-0853 OR Ralph Beekman 904 752-2544 Contact:
Ouida Taylor 904 755-7248. **CLASSES BEGIN MARCH 6th.**

FIRST COAST ROUNDS: PHASE III & UP. 1st & 3rd Tuesday 7:30 - 9:00 PM
Jax Heights Elementary School Cuer: Larry Dunn 912 285-4842, Contact Lisa Noe
642-3194. **Workshops every week.**

GRAND SQUARES: "P" Every Tuesday Dance 8:00 - 10:00 PM - 1910 N W
53rd Ave., Gainesville, Union Hall Caller - Lon Ligon Contact: (352) 377-1828

MANDARIN MARAUDERS: "M/P/L" Every Tuesday Class 7 - 8:30 PM Dance
8:30 - 10:00 PM Italian-American Club Westberry Rd.-- Caller: Lawton Smith 904
389-3349 -- Contact: Rob & Jennie Harris 731-0795.

ROLLAWAYS: "M/P/R/L" Every Tuesday Class 7-8:30 PM Club Dance 8:30-10
PM Sandalwood High School -- Caller: Ken Miller 904 268-4492 -- Contact: Virginia
Bomhold 744-7181 Lines - 1st & 3rd Rounds - 2nd & 4th

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

W E D N E S D A Y

PLUS FOX: "P" Every Wednesday 7:30-9:30 PM Jax Heights Elem - 7750 S.
Tempest St.- Caller: Jim Cosman 912 882-4006; Contact: Manuel & Lillie Irizarry
778-9247

FIRST COAST ROUNDS: PHASE II-III. Every Wednesday Class 7:00- 7:45 PM
Club Dance 7:45 - 9:30 PM . Ft. Caroline Middle School Cafeteria, 3787 University
Blvd. Cuer: Larry Dunn 912 285-4842, Contact Lisa Noe 642-3194

**NORTHEAST FLORIDA SQUARE & ROUND DANCERS ASSOCIATION
2000 CLUB MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY**

THURSDAY

FRIENDSHIP SQUARES: "M/P" Every Thursday Class 7 - 8:30 pm Club 8:30-10:00 PM **Keystone Hts.** Hi School, 900 Orchard St., Caller: Bill Chesnut (352) 374-8582 Contact: Sandra Pennell (352) 473-4347. **TEMPORARILY NOT DANCING.**

JOY SEAS: "M/P/L" Every Thursday Class 7 - 8 PM Dance 8:00 - 10:00 PM **St. Augustine Beach** #2 Ocean Trace Blvd. (AIA So to Ocean Trace, go East on Ocean Trace - last bldg on left) Caller: Mike Akers 904 829-1697- Contact John & Mary Burzo - 904 797-7530

MOOSE PROMENADERS: "P/L" Every Thursday Class 7 - 8 PM Dance 8:00 - 10:00 PM 5051 Collins Rd. Moose Lodge Orange Park -- Caller: Art Wilson 904 225-5674--Contact: President Kim Keffer 771-5775 - Banner Chairman Jerry & Faye Wright 904 284-7544

RIVER RAMBLERS: M/P Every Thursday Class 6:30 - 8:00 PM Dance 8 - 10:00 PM 112 Yelvington Rd **East Palatka** (Just off US 17, Approx. 1/2 mile So of SR207) Putnam County Shrine Club Caller: Ernie Rollen 282-2335

VAGABOND SQUARES: "M/P" Every Thursday 7:00-10:00 PM - St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Parish Hall, 1391 SW 11th St. - **Live Oak** - Caller: Ralph Beekman 904 752-2544 - Contact: Pauline & Victor Parker 904 935-2563. **CLASSES BEGIN MARCH 8th.**

FRIDAY

GYPSY SQUARES: "M/P/L" 1st Full Weekend Each Month - **Various Campgrounds** -- Caller: John Barrett 904 767-7775 Contact: Dale & Gerry Frederickson 904 269-9717.

SQUARE WHEELS: "M/P/R" Every 3rd Friday & Saturday --**Various Cmpgnds** Caller: Bill Chesnut 352 374-8582 Contact Chuck & Aleen Breedlove 246-9545

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NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE

CAMPERS ASSOCIATION



The 44th National
Square Dance Campers
International Camporee

will meet at the Clay County Fairgrounds in Spencer, Iowa this coming July 10 thru 12, 2001.

While officially the Camporee is a three day midweek event, arrangements are always made so that NSDCA members may come in and set up Sunday afternoon. Many members take advantage of this opportunity to arrive early, get settled and then tour the area. It also gives the attendees more time to resume friendships with dancers they may see once a year! Callers and cuers who come in early will often participate in impromptu Trail In dances Sunday and Monday evening.

The Camporee officially begins on Tuesday with mornings devoted to various sports, games and crafts. Square and Round dance workshops are scheduled during afternoons. Traditionally the Tuesday evening program begins with a Grand Parade of all the chapters in their chapter outfits.

After a short welcoming program everyone disperses to the various halls for a full program of dancing. All three evenings always conclude with everyone gathering in one hall for an after party with

skills by various chapters.

Since the International Camporee is family oriented, members often bring along their children and/or grandchildren who participate in a separate, full program of youth activities. Besides square dancing, these include their own games, crafts, sports, water fun plus some extra special activities. Thursday evening before the evening dance program gets underway, the youth always put on a special performance of skills acquired during their activities.

A daily newspaper, the "Snooper", keeps all informed on schedule changes, door prizes, camper news, and other happenings. Mid afternoon on Thursday is always set aside for the NSDCA official Business Meeting. Even though it is an overflowing three days, members always find time to make new friends, renew old acquaintances and share some wonderful pot luck meals.

If you camp AND square dance, we invite you to become a member of the National Square Dance Campers Association and join in its fun and fellowship. For more information or a membership application, please write: NSDCA PO Box 224, Little Chute, WI 54240-0224. We'll see you around the square campfire.



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Camp N' Dance

By Gerry Fredrickson 269-9717

I'd like to give you heads up on this year's Summer Jamboree. It will be on June 15, 16, & 17, 2001, at Grand Lake RV Resort in Orange Lake, Florida. This is the second year of this event, and we expect it to be even better than last year. Hopefully it won't start with a thunderstorm and a power outage! This event was conceived as a way for the three Northeast camping clubs to be able to camp together. It is so hard to visit each other very often as we all have our commitments to our own club. Now we can enjoy all three callers and our friends from the other clubs at this jamboree. Yes, John Barrett, Bill Chesnut, and Jim Cosman will all be there again this year. Of course we love to have visitors from the other chapters of the Florida Association of National Square Dance Campers, too. But you don't have to be an FANSDC to come. If you camp and dance, join us for the weekend. It's a great way to meet all of us and have a fantastic time. Some dancers that don't camp, take advantage of the rental units or just drive down for the evening. No excuses. Be there!

Also there is a National Camp-o-ree on July 10, 11, & 12, 2001, in Spencer Iowa. This is the yearly event held by the

National Square Dance Campers. You do need to be a member of NSDCA to attend this event. If you are not a member, give us a call and we'll see that you get the information you need to become a member.

The Gypsy Squares will enjoy their March campout at Wild Frontier in Ocala on March 2, 3, & 4. April 6, 7, & 8 we'll be at Suwannee Valley in White Springs. They would love for you to join for any of their campouts. John and Mo Barrett can't be beat. Keep up to date with the Gypsy Squares schedule and monthly details at:

<http://members.nbc.com/fredrig>.

The Square Wheels will be at Eagles Roost Campground in Lake Park Georgia on March 16, 17, & 18. On April 20, 21, 22, they will be at Colby Woods Campground in Silver Springs. Bill and Mary Chesnut keep this group on their toes.

The Drift Arounds will enjoy a campout at Suwannee Valley in White Springs on March 9, 10, & 11 followed by April's campout at Lake Ocklawaha in Fort McCoy. Jim and Margaret Cosman enjoy calling for this club.

See you dancing at a campground real soon!





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STITCHIN' TIME

By Janett Verwey 352 3373-9776

FLORIDA STATE SQUARE DANCE OUTFIT

The outfit was designed by Elsa Huddleston (954) 484-4553, Southeast Association, and is colors of the rainbow. The ladies skirt is a pleated 8 gore, with a peasant blouse. The man's outfit consists of a white shirt with rainbow yoke,

and pants can be either white or pastel blue, green, pink or yellow.

Fabric: 4-1/3 yards - White - Polished Pearl or similar weight

1 1/4 yards **each** pastel blue and green broadcloth

1-1/3 yards **each** pastel pink and yellow broadcloth

Note: Yardage is based upon a size 12 pattern and is for both outfits. Currently, JoAnn Fabrics has the pastel broad-cloth. A heavier white fabric should be used so that the colors of the pleats will not show through the white.

Skirt Pattern: White Outside

Gores: Use your favorite 8 gore pattern which has an elastic waist. Be sure the pattern does **NOT** have a bottom ruffle. This skirt does not have a bottom ruffle. Therefore, if the pattern has a bottom ruffle, lengthen the gore by the length of the ruffle. Cut 8 gores of the white fabric.

Pastel Inside Gores which make the Pleats: To make the pattern for the inside gores, fold both long edges of the outside gore pattern towards each other until the top is about 3 inches across and the bottom hemline edge angles out to about 11 inches across. If the pattern has an allowance for an elastic casing, it is suggested you reduce this allowance in half. This will eliminate extra buldge around the waist. Trace this onto paper, and label it as the inside gore pattern. Using your new inside gore pattern, cut **two gores each** of the blue, pink, yellow and green fabric.

Sewing Skirt: (Note: if your pattern was one with allowance for an elastic

casing, your colored panels will be short by the amount of the reduction at the top of the panel. Therefore, pin the gores together starting at the bottom rather than top of panel.) Using a 1/2" seam, stitch the gores together in the following order: yellow, white, blue, white, pink, white, green and white. Repeat in the same order with the remaining gore panels. You will end with a complete circle of alternating colors with white panels. Press seams open.

With skirt wrong side out, measure down 9" the seam line which connects a yellow and white panel. Mark this point. Hold the two yellow/white seams together (yellow/white seam to yellow/white seam), pin together to the marked 9" inch point. Make sure the seams are even. Starting slightly left of the seam line, stitch together down to the 9" marked point. (Back stitch a few stitches to reinforce.) This forms the pleat. Repeat procedure at all colored/white seams. You will now have 8 pleats.

Press pleats flat making sure outside gores meet and hide the colored pleat. Baste 1/4" across top raw edge to hold pressed panels flat. If your pattern had an elastic casing, fold down, stitch, and insert the elastic. If the pattern used a waistband, stitch band to top of skirt, and insert elastic. Measure and hem bottom of skirt.

Bows: Tiny colored bows are sewn (or pinned) at the juncture of each pleat (the 9" mark). Each bow is the same color as the pleat below it. To make the bows: Cut two strips 1-1/4" x 14- 1/2" of each color on the bias. Fold strips with right

STITCHIN' TIME

FLORIDA STATE SQUARE DANCE OUTFIT (Cont'd)

sides together lengthwise, and stitch using a 1/4" seam allowance. Trim seam. Turn. Press. Knot ends. Attach to skirt.

BLOUSE: The material for blouse is included in above yardage. Use a peasant blouse pattern to cut the front and back of the blouse from the Polished Pearl or similar type **white** fabric. Cut two strips of 17-1/2" x 7" from the **pastel blue** fabric to make the neck ruffle. (Or, use the neck ruffle in your pattern.) The capped sleeves are **yellow and green**. The yellow (shorter) cap is the top of the sleeve, and separates the blue (longer) cap from the blue ruffle. Make a pink bow, and place in the center of the blouse on the top of the ruffle. This will pick up the pink of the hidden pleat in the skirt. Be sure the pink is center front.

MAN'S SHIRT: For a purchased shirt, trace the yoke of a white shirt to make a pattern. Measure the widest point of the back yoke, divide by four (the four

pastel colors). Add seam allowance, and cut four strips of colored fabric. Sew together. Cut a yoke from the pattern you just traced. For size 16 shirt, the back strips are 4-1/4".

Front Yokes: Repeat the same process as for the back yoke with the exception of putting only two colors on each side. One side will have pink/blue, the other side green/yellow, or whatever combination you choose. Stitch front and back yokes together at shoulder seams, press. Turn under seam allowances on outside of yoke and stitch to shirt.

MAN'S PANTS: White or pastel. (Some men refuse to wear white pants. Some refuse to wear white pants with a white shirt, saying they don't want to look like Mr. Clean or the Pillsbury Dough Boy. Check the the Recycle sales.)

MAN'S TIE: Solid pastel, or a design using pastels.

NOTE: There is not an "official" design for a prairie skirt (to my knowledge).

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Club News! FUN 'N FROLICS

Morris & Wannette Davis 772-1397

We are happy to announce a new concept for Fun 'N Frolics. Since we are the only advance club in Jacksonville, we have been unable to join in the Banner Stealing and Retrieving Program. So we have decided to set aside every fifth Monday of the year for Plus Clubs to come and visit with us to either steal our banner or retrieve their banner that we have stolen. The first dance was held January 29th (see special article elsewhere in this issue). The dates for the remainder of the year are April 30th, July 30th, and October 29th. We will dance plus these nights with announced Advance tips. We feel

like this is a good way for everyone to realize that we love Square Dancing and love to have visitors.

We have been busy stealing banners from the Rollaways, Moose Promenaders, and Teddy Bear Squares. We all had a wonderful time at these clubs and really appreciated the way we were welcomed!

We want to send get well greetings to Linda Snow, Emily Brinkley, and Docky Blake. Hope to see you all dancing real soon.

Everyone enjoyed our Valentine's Dance on February 12th. The remainder of our special theme dances for 2001 are listed in the Calendar of Events in the Grapevine. Come dance with us real soon!!

GRAND SQUARES

Scoop Jesk 352 493-2842

The Grand Squares did the holidays up in the usual bang up style, having a Dinner Christmas Party for everyone including students and we raised approximately \$250.00 in monies and goods (canned good, blankets, soap etc) for St. Frances house for Christmas. Colleen Rogal our club liaison ,thanked everyone for their donations and said how well it was received and appreciated.

We know with the severe cold we have been having it probably would be a good idea to continue to send things to them, such as cash, canned good and blankets. "There are a lot of homeless people".

We also had a wonderful New Years

Eve celebration with Lonnie Ligon, our caller, and guest callers Bill Chesnut, Ellis Lindsey, and R. J. Hogan; with some cueing by Bill. The food was, as always, GREAT!

At our party nite January 9 we had the return of many missing faces , some due to recent surgery and some of our Snowbird friends have returned for the winter so again we had a big time, lots of food and lots of dancing. So come on out and join us !

We have been having a wonderful winter season with all of our Northern Friends back with us.

The Monday Mainstreamers (new dancers) are doing just Great. We have had a wonderful Valentines Party and Banner Retrieval and look out you may be next!

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GYPSY SQUARES

Dale and Gerry Fredrickson 269-9717

A Gigantic THANK YOU goes out from the Gypsy Squares to all of the visitors that joined us for our January Dance at Pacetti's. We enjoy all of you that travel to be with us when we are close to the area. We thank John Barrett for calling a superb dance. We hope that you all will join us again soon.

Our January campout was hosted by John & Mary Burzo and Jack & Cheryl Gano. They led us in some fun games on Friday evening and wine and cheese after the dance on Saturday. Connie Schnippert helped us make decoupage boxes. We've also been working on learning the "Salty Dog Rag" for the last several campouts. We've enjoyed John and Mo's performance of this dance on several occasions during the past and are pleased to be able to add it to our favorite dances. We also brought back the Foot Bogie, a line dance that we had learned previously but not had the music to until now. These are just a few more examples of the Gypsies having fun.

You could have found us at Ocklawaha the first weekend in February. Carl & Doris Raines and Ouida & Ernie Weeks were our hosts. John and Christine Wilder also were there to add a helping hand. We have begun to expect a fantastic fish fry from this group and this was no exception.

We brought desserts to share and had our fill of fish. It was great. Be sure to watch for next year so you can join us for this weekend. Valentines was not forgotten as we crowned our King and Queen of Hearts.

We also have a group that enjoys four wheeling when we are at Ocklawaha. They seem to ride at all hours and the day and night. The entire Blake family joined Linda and Dockey, which made it a special campout for them. We enjoy having friends and family attend the campout even if they are not square dancers.

We're now looking forward to the March and April campouts. Dee Casteel, Maxine Thomas, and Bill Luper host the March campout at Wild Frontier in Ocala. They always plan fun activities so we're looking forward to that weekend. Dale & Gerry Fredrickson and John & Sandy Humble are planning the April campout at Suwannee Valley. That is a lovely campground just outside of White Springs. We don't have our final plans ready but you can probably count on a walk to breakfast in town. Check our website at:

<http://members.nbci.com/fredrig>
for details when it gets close to time and I have more details.

JOY SEAS

John and Mary Burzo 904-797 7530

We had a good two months. The Snow Birds have flown in and we are happy to see them. They are great people and return every year just like the Swallows at Capistrano.

We are going to do the Easter Parade this year, so I'll be looking for volunteers. We have got to get out there and show ourselves or we'll never get bigger.

We are going to have a Picky Eater

Night Thursday March 15th so come on down. If you have a picky eater of your own bring them with you and see if there will be anything they would like. I know most of us will have no trouble.

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MAINSTREAM SQUARES

Harvey & Marylou Morton 221-9519

Well, it's time to fish, or cut bait! In the event you haven't already turned to the next page, we will continue.

The latest nationwide craze in square dancing seems to be the continuous "jaw-boning" about the many reasons why square dancing is going downhill at a record pace. Of course, we are all experts on this subject and we will become very defensive if someone shows any doubt that our reasons are correct. Many of us are quick to share our wisdom on this subject with others. However, not many of us are willing to listen to the many theories, take a definite stand on what we truly believe, and then make a genuine commitment to help solve the problems, one at a time, beginning with problems in our own area. Yes, it requires the type of leadership that's not afraid to fail. Sure, you run the risk of failure, but you also have a chance of being a success. To put it crudely - it takes guts! And so the phrase, "Let's do something, even if it's wrong" was born. We know someone who did something - his name is John Wall! What did he do? He started a new square dance club in spite of what the "Monday Morning Quarterbacks" might be thinking.

The "Mainstream Squares" square dance club was admitted as a member of the Northeast Florida Square and Round Dancers Association on November 12th. The club's first dance was held on September 15, 2000. There were over six squares at the first dance.

John Wall started square dancing in Italy in 1971. He has attended clinics for the development of new Square Dance Callers in Hawaii. Some of his classmates were Cal Golden, "Singing Sam" Mitchell, and Buddy Weaver. His first professional calling job was in Hawaii in 1975. He is a retired U. S. Naval Officer and is a member in good standing with Callerlab, Gateway Caller's

Association, and the American Callers Association. His new club is properly licensed and insured. The Mainstream Squares dance at the Basic and Mainstream levels only. There are no plans to dance above the Mainstream dance level at any time in the future. Special emphasis is being placed on providing various dance programs that will appeal to the majority of the club members and students. Some examples are: square dance classes and workshops, dance mixers, line dancing with instructions, round dancing to records (with cues) and frequent Mainstream level dances called by well-known Guest Callers. Consideration will also be given to the possibility of including other activities, such as picnics, theme dances, pot luck dinners, day trips and theater nights.

John is completely convinced that there is a need for a Mainstream club in this area. His main objective is to provide a club in which the dancers are (1) under no stress to meet deadline dates (2) not embarrassed about their ability to square dance, (3) not competing with anyone, and (4) having fun and really enjoying square dancing as it should be. We agree with his philosophy.

Lon Ligon called the entire dance at the Mainstream level on January 26th. He added a little cajun, rhumba, and contra dancing, and the five squares of dancers loved it. A little line and round dancing were thrown in for good measure.

We dance every Friday night at Peace Presbyterian Church. Consult your "GRAPEVINE" for details.

Our next Guest Caller, Bob Poyner, will call the entire Mainstream level dance on March 9th, followed by Guest Caller Bill Chesnut on April 6th.

As we end this article, we urge our square and round dance friends to do

MAINSTREAM SQUARES Cont'd)

something. Let's support the new clubs and at least give them a chance to survive. We can't solve the whole nationwide dance problem, but we can

start to solve some of our local ones.

As we said at the beginning of this article -- It's time to fish, or cut bait!

For a FUN time, come visit us soon!

MANDARIN MARAUDERS

Joe and Barbara Fitzmayer 268-8221

The Marauders have been moving at a snail's pace lately. During the cold month of January, many of our members found the warmth of the fireplace irresistible, which resulted in fewer dancers coming to the club. We have also had several members who were ill or injured and some of them will not be able to dance for some time. Among those recovering from surgery are James Kindred and Joe Fitzmayer.

We have had a few social activities, which included visiting the Yellow Rockers in January, and thirty-six of our

members turned out for an evening at Tony Romas in February. The food was good, and by the time we were all served, it did take up the entire evening. The Marauders surprised Carmen Tedrahn with a cake and balloons to celebrate her birthday. Carmen is our hostess who arranges our "dining out" activities. Both Carmen and her husband, Jack, believe in getting us out to enjoy activities in addition to dancing.

Now that spring is here, we hope to visit more of our fellow dancers. Hope to see you in a square.

MOOSE PROMENADERS

Kim Keffer & Tom Thornton 771-5775

What a way to start off the New Year an absolutely wonderful President's Ball III. This dance has been in existence for 29 years and each year, one of our NEFSARDA Presidents is selected as President of the Year. This year's honoree was Joe Seelhofer and congratulations are in order. Joe is President of the Rollaways and is very deserving of the honor as it takes a lot of dedication, time and effort to make this club the success that it is. We had 130 dancers in attendance, all have fun dancing to the great calling of Tony Oxendine and our own Art Wilson.

The round dancers were treated to the cueing of Margaret Tripp. Thanks to the "exhausting" efforts of our club members - it takes a lot of work to put those tables up on the stage - the decorations and hall looked spectacular. Special thanks to those members of our club and other clubs that stayed to help us break down. You are appreciated.

We hope that Madrene Ballard's knee surgery is a success. We have missed

her smiling face at the dances. Betty Ball and Tom Thornton are both on the ailing list with similar back problems and though the healing is a slow process, we want you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers and can't wait to have you back in a square.

We have an ambitious program lined up for April. Our Class Graduation will be on April 5th, our 11th Anniversary Dance on the 12th and plus classes starting on the 26th. Please come join us and help us celebrate these events.

The Moose has taken over the annual Pirates Ball. This has traditionally been the first big weekend that our new graduates could attend and although, this year, the event will be a one night affair, we hope that the new graduates will come join us on May 10th. With Gerry Fredrickson as Chair this is bound to be a fun dance.

Come dance with us on Thursday evenings at the Moose Lodge on Collins Road. Class is at 7 PM and the dance at 8.30PM. We hope to see you in a square!

MOOSE PROMENADERS Cont'd)



Art is wearing a pair of Moose Antlers at their Christmas Dance. Looks like some "apparition" rising behind him - hungry for some Square Dancing!



Moose Promenaders President, Kim Keffer, presents this year's "President Of The Year", Joe Seelhoefer, with this year's plaque.

➔
Callers Art Wilson and Tony Oxendine, along with cuer Maggie Tripp, kept the floor busy at this year's Annual President's Ball!



PLUS FOX

Lillie Brugh-Irizarry 266-1083

We had a wonderful turnout for our first dance of the New Year. On January 10th, our 15th Anniversary Dance, we were visited by the new members of the NEFSARDA board along with caller Lawton Smith. We had four charter members of the Plus Fox Club present: Millard & Applean Brown and Fred & Charlean Brinson. Lawton also called a tip for us that night. The Yellow Rockers also came for a banner.

Also during January, the Moose Promenaders; their caller Art Wilson and his wife, Lucille, visited us. Art called a tip for us and the Moose Promenaders came for a banner.

Most of our fellow club members went on a cruise at the end of January including our caller, Jim and his lovely bride, Margaret. During Jim's absence we were treated to the wonderful calling of Bill Chesnut. Thanks Bill! The Silver

Fox Squares came to retrieve their banner on February 7th.

We also did some banner raiding of our own. We raided the Gypsy Squares on January 6th and Teddy Bears on January 13th. We had a great time on both occasions. Thanks to both clubs for making us feel most welcome.

Thanks to all of our visitors and guest callers during the past two months. Let's keep it up during the rest of the year. Also, our caller, Jim Cosman, is doing a great job calling and has taken on the added responsibility of cueing. Keep up the good work Jim. We love to have visitors so come on out and join us.

Please keep the Largents, Norbert Feuer and Kate McCaul in your prayers as they recover from their illnesses and/or surgery.

Until next time - remember to "Yellow Rock" your partner daily.

Silver Fox Squares



Invite you to come dance with us
any Friday evening.

CALLER: ERNIE ROLLEN

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Come visit us soon!*



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March 16th.....Luck of The Irish

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March 30th.....5th Friday, Spring Fling

Singing Calls by Ernie, Rounds by Larry Dunn.

April 13th.....Good Friday, We will be dark.

April 20th.....April Showers

Bring a travel size personal care item for homeless.

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THE GRAPEVINE PICTURE ALBUM



A large group of dancers ↓
from the Northeast
attended the New Years Eve Dance sponsored by
the Pirates Club in Apopka. The Club Caller is
Ron Libby

←
who sang a medley of songs at the party that
night. At the bottom of the page, the "Old" man
(2000) looks tired, but the "new" Baby (2001) is
ready to go! We understand it was a great dance!



RIVER RAMBLERS

Earl Cunio

We are putting the finishing touches on the charity dance for March 24, 2001. This is to benefit the Shrine Children's Hospital in Tampa, Florida.

Our ten guest callers will be Jack Herpy, John Robbins, Mike Akers, Tom Hidding, Lon Ligon, R. J. Hogan, Bill Chesnut, Ramsey Hammers, Ellis Lindsey, and Rick Yates. The cuer will be Larry Dunn. Line dancing, with instruction, will be by Frances Rollen.

We will have a live auction, Chinese auction and a silent auction. This dance will be held at the Shrine Club, at 112 Yelvington Road, in East Palatka, starting at 7PM.

We are looking for a big crowd to support this worthy cause. For those of you not familiar with the Shriner's mission, they support 22 Children's Hospitals in the USA, Canada and Mexico. The hospitals offer free medical service to any child, under 18 years of age, regardless of race, religion or creed. For those of you with access to the web,

you can learn more about this service at www.shrinershq.org/.

In January, while dancing out of town, one of our dancers fell and hit her head. She needed to be taken to the hospital emergency room. She is OK now, but was unable to dance for a couple of weeks. This brought up a very important subject for all square dancers. As members of your club, you are covered by accident insurance. You should carry your insurance card with you to all dances. The accident report needs the name of the caller and someone from the local club who was a witness. I know this does not happen often but you should be prepared.

Upcoming dances include our 3rd Anniversary Dance on April 5th and Class Graduation on May 24th. Check the Calendar of Events for other special dances.

Hope to see you on March 24th at our Benefit Dance!

ROLLAWAYS

Harvey & Marylou Morton 221-9519

They can run, but they can't hide from us! The Gypsy Squares recently slipped into Jacksonville and stole our banner. Bring the clever bunch we are, we let a little time go by and then we caught them off guard. There they were, camped in all their glory at Pacetti's Marina on January 6th. They were dancing, laughing, and carrying on like you wouldn't believe when 23 Rollaways swooped down upon them out of the darkness. It wasn't long until it was all over. When the yelling and screaming stopped, we had retrieved our banner and that band of Gypsies knew they had been taught a lesson; which was, we hope you steal our banner again soon so we can come visit you again!

If you want to get a good ol' boy from the South really fired up, just tell him they make the best chili (or barbecue) in Brooklyn, or Chicago. Remarks like that

were usually settled in the past by a "walk down" in the street in front of the local saloon. We are not allowed to do that anymore. There was a lot of bragging going on around lately about who could make the best chili. We settled that question without a shot being fired at the Rollaways big chili cook-off on January 9th. The food tables were already loaded with crackers, chopped onions, shredded cheese, veggies, and desserts when the first of fifteen entries was lovingly placed on the tables to be judged. By the time that the fifteenth entry was set in place, the fragrant aroma of chili was so strong in the dance hall that our Caller just gave up on the square dance and joined the group of chili judges. When the slurping, gargling, sniffing, and licking was over, it was decided that the Rollaways "Chili Super

ROLLAWAYS (Cont'd)

Chef" was Patrick Vriesenga, one of our eleven year old student dancers. We had 85 judges and we are not planning to recount the votes! We have it on good authority that Patrick received no help and, No, he didn't buy his chili from Wendy's! Our compliments and thanks go to all who participated in this historic event. How was the dance? We don't know. No one seemed to really care! Us trouble makers like to keep things stirred up. We wonder who makes the best barbecue?

At the January Delegates Meeting the Rollaways received another Annual "Gold Medal" Award from NEFSARDA for making 44 visits to other clubs in the Northeast area during the year 2000. We want to remind our friends at the other clubs the roads go in both directions. In case you didn't catch that subtle reminder -- COME AND VISIT US SOMETIME!

Our energetic, hard working Banner Chairman, "The Bomb," reported the Rollaways sent 24 club members and 8 students to the Silver Fox Annual Benefit Circus Dance on January 19th. Good

show, Virginia!!

We enrolled two new members in our club in January. We are glad to have you, Don and Sharon King.

As we close this article with another "good news--bad news" true story, you will again see why we are so proud of our whole square and round dance family. Two of our former club members left Jacksonville about a year ago to return to their home state of Rhode Island to continue their lives with their relatives and old friends. During the process of getting re-established, they recently had a major fire at their home and no fire insurance. It didn't take long for "two anonymous square dancers" to start a movement to help. The good news is that within a few days, the sum of \$1,000.00 was collected at a Rollaways dance to help our two former members. Who said Santa Claus had gone back to the North Pole? Thanks everyone, give yourselves a big hand. You deserve it! The "two anonymous square dancers" are to be commended for their efforts. We are proud to be their friends!



The Rollaways gave a party and EVERYONE CAME! Club members hosted a Christmas party for a local nursing home. This is becoming an annual affair. The residents love it!!



Florida Federation President, Dee Dee Stovall, presents his wish list for 2001!

"Please help me make it to 2002 and I want 2000 dancers at this year's State Convention (and don't forget my 'rubber duckie')."

SEABREEZE SINGLES

Jackie Hamlin 731-9181

Spring is in the air, sun is shining and let's all get out our dancing shoes and have a fun time.

Our Club, along with two others, visited the advanced level Fun 'N Frolics on the fifth Monday night in January. A grand time was had by all with food, food, food! They have returned the visit to our Club.

Many of our dancers attended the Circus Dance, as well as the Presidents' Ball.

Our Charity Ball, with all proceeds

going to the City Rescue Mission, was held on February 24th. We hope you were there to help support this worthwhile charity.

Remember the State Convention is in May...plan to attend. If you haven't registered, do it now.

We welcome all dancers to come and dance with us any Tuesday. Our caller is Jim Cosman, and we dance from 7:30-9:30 PM.

Remember---"A good Conscience Makes a Soft Pillow."

SILVER FOX

Dorothy Gilliland 264-3248

Every year Silver Fox Squares puts a lot of work into our benefit dance for an organization called Dreams Come True. Dreams Come True uses this donation for children with life-threatening illness to fulfill their dreams. What a wonderful opportunity for all of us to give of ourselves to a child. A special thanks to all who assisted and supported us in the production of our tremendously successful Annual Circus Dance. Our visiting caller Ken Perez and our own club caller Ernie Rollen gave us the topping on the cake with their calls. We had a wonderful turnout of about 150 dancers, with a fabulous variety of clowns. One even brought his bike to clown around with. There were 46 items in the silent auctions and there were two lucky people who won 50/50. The food was free and delicious especially those hotdogs that were donated. And can you believe the same person that won the \$100 picture frame last year won again this year. That is real luck. Again, we can't thank all of you enough for this opportunity and

the wonderful time we had square dancing with all our guests.

Our "Death By Chocolate" Dance on February 9th was just in time for Valentine's Day. It was a great dance, but I think everyone ate too much chocolate!

March 10th we will have the Luck of the Irish Dance. Hope all will come and experience our Irish stew and goodies.

We will have a fifth Friday dance March 30th called Spring Fling with our club caller Ernie Rollen doing all singing calls and, tentatively, Larry Dunn will cue for us.

April 6th we look forward to graduating our class.

For your information, on May 4th we will start "Learn Plus with Us". It will be at 7 till 8 PM every Friday before our regular dance at 8 PM. Please come and freshen up on plus calls with us. May 25th we will be dark to support the State Convention.

Until next time, see you at the dances.



NEFSARDA DELEGATES MEETING

January 14, 2001

Meeting called to order at 3:00PM
Outgoing President, Manny Gonzales, presented Howard & Jettie with an engraved gavel to make them the "official Presidents". Howard thanked the outgoing Board members **and** the new Board members. Howard then welcomed the delegates and visitors.

Minutes of last delegates meeting approved.

Treasurers report approved as presented.

Committee Reports

5th Saturday Dance: Jack Herpy announced dances for 2001. Callers & cuers info to follow. Year-end dance planned for 5th Saturday in December.

Blood Bank: New Chairman, Stephen & Marie Bigelow. Dance to be held at Jax Heights Elementary on May 5th with Lawton Smith, Lon Ligon and Larry Dunn.

Grapevine: Deadline for next issue, February 10th. New Feature Article doing well. Several articles have been picked up by other publications.

Fall Festival: Final report shows 22 squares on Friday & 36 on Saturday. There were 126 ads sold, 37 camping rigs present and 375 program books printed. New chairman is Bud & Anita Taylor with Manny & Sherry Gonzales as Assistant Chairman. Caller for 2001 will be Dee Dee Dougherty.

SOS: Clubs are asked to call for help - don't wait until the last minute.

Education & Classes: Mainstream Squares conducting classes. Class will be free for current students.

Historian: No report.

Bylaws: Volunteers needed.

Club Visitation: Final report for 2000. One Gold, two Silver and two Bronze awards were earned. Clubs

reminded to TURN IN YOUR VISITATION CARDS!

Insurance: For Demos, notify chairman six weeks in advance for coverage. Some clubs still not paid for this period.

Dance Couple of the Year: Howard & Jettie Crowe were selected DCOY.

Florida Federation: Dee Dee Stovall announced working weekend February 24th & 25th.

Showcase: Herpys will get into at the working weekend meeting in Feb.

Gateway Callers: Sophomore Dance March 3rd, Jax Heights ELM and Graduation Ball April 28th, Sandalwood HS.

Rural Callers: No report.

Old Business: Discussion about monies used for Square Dance Promotion. All money specifically **given** to NEFSARDA for such has been used. Motion made and passed to continue monetary rewards to Clubs graduating or starting classes in 2001.

New Business: Discussion held regarding tickets for Blood Bank Dance. Blood Bank can no longer release names of donors. Motion made and passed, EVERYONE pays at the door since the dances objective is to raise funds for the Blood Alliance. Motion also made & passed for NEFSARDA to provide \$100.00 for a door prize.

Discussion on raise in guaranteed price for callers & cuers at 5th Saturday Dances. Tabled until next meeting.

Subject of "Couple of the Month" briefly discussed.

Visitation program to continue.

Next Meeting: March 14, 2001, Piccadilly.

Meeting adjourned. at 5:10 PM.



SQUARE WHEELS

Martha Zimmerman 352 336-5311

January 19th-21st we camped out at Suwannee Valley Campground, White Springs, FL. It was cold, but we had lots of fun with some good dancing. We held our meeting on Saturday night after the dinner ... in the church to keep warm. We had 13 rigs and a visitor from Canada. Also visiting was Maxine and Billy from the Gypsy Squares.

By the time you read this, the Blue-Grey Festival sponsored by the Dixie Dancers will have taken place. Tom Roper was the featured caller and it was a super dance.

The Square Wheels sponsored the dance on Friday night, February 16th, at Teen Town Recreation Center. Hope you were there -- it was a fun week end.

During the Blue - Grey Festival we

camped at Casey Jones Campground so we would be close to the Festival.

Ribbons and flyers for the Camp-O-Free are available. The Camp-O-Free will be in Okeechobee on October 19th-21st, 2001. Call me if you need further information.

We have 60 registered members in our club. A nominating committee of Jim McCann and Ray Kutchman was appointed to present a slate of officers for next year. Please be willing to serve your club.

We will be camping at Eagles Roost Campground in Lake Park, Georgia on March 16th - 18th, and we will be at Colby Woods in Silver Springs, April 20th-22nd.

Come join us!



▲ Club President, Chuck Breedlove, checks to make sure everyone has enough to eat at their Christmas Dinner party. From the looks of the serving table (next page), there's more than enough for all! ▼



SQUARE WHEELS (Cont.d)



Ummmmm
mmmmm..
Good!!!

→
Bill & Mary Chesnut, club caller & 'taw', are presented with a Christmas "token of appreciation" for their hard work during the year!



YELLOW ROCKERS PLUS

Karen Elysbeth Walsh 733 2921

Hello one and all! Yes, it's me, new kid on the block filling you in on all our fun club happenings.

Lawton continues to keep us on our toes, not letting us get too comfortable before making us think about our feet again. Lots of trips out and about these last few weeks, thanks to our irreplaceable banner chair, Billy Luper. Where does he find that energy and enthusiasm that he so willingly shares? (Whatever he takes, I want some.) Great to have most of our friends back with us after visits away and winter sickness, Eleanor is good at letting us know who we need to send out thoughts and prayers

to. We dance on Mondays from 8-10 PM with no extra charge for the joke of the week! Our students are a credit to us and will be graduating soon.

On April 2nd, please join us for our next plus class - 7-8 PM. Book your space now! Don't forget to join us on March 12th for our Luck-o-the-Irish dance. Dress, as usual will be purple - only kidding. Also, on April 9th, Peter Cottontail will bob along to dance with us, so come along and make his acquaintance - please wear appropriate clothing so that he doesn't feel out of place.

Enough for now, Yellow Rocks to all!

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CALLER — JOHN WALL

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TEDDY BEAR SQUARES

Dave & Shirley Nihart 641-5218

The Teddy Bears welcomed six couples from the Moose who retrieved their banner to the tune of "Jingle Bells", and eight couples from Plus Fox who stole the Bears" banner to another Christmas song at our first dance in January. Guess Eddie forgot to put away the Christmas music, but it really worked out great with all the dancers marching to the familiar carols.

The Bears were happy to hear that they had managed to attain a bronze medal for visitation last year. Hopefully, we can do better this year. We want to congratulate all the clubs who won medals...they did a super job!

At the Circus Dance in January the door prize was won again by Gloria Malin. This is her second year in a row to win this. May be we should all get Gloria to buy our tickets next year.

Wetny-four Bears attended the Fifth Monday Dance held by the Fun 'N Frolics on January 29th. It was a real fun dance and we are all looking forward to the next one. The refreshments were especially good as there was something to

please everyone.

The Bears had seventeen dancers at the Presidents' Ball and a good time was had by all.

We held our Valentine's Day Dance on February 10th, with ten couples from the Rollaways stealing our banner. The hall was decorated so nice, and the refreshments were wonderful! Ann Millan, our caller's law, made the ladies the prettiest corsages consisting of flowers and candy kisses on a red heart. Thank you, Ann! They were beautiful and it was such a thoughtful idea.

Get well wishes go to Norbert Feuer and Kate McCaul. We hope they both will soon be back dancing with us.

We did not dance on February 24th so that our members could attend the Charity Ball. Also, many of our "Bears" were at a the Florida Federation Meeting that weekend.

We hope you will come join us at our next dance -- which will be our "Wearing Of The Green" St. Patricks Day Dance on March 10th! **See you there!**

→
"Queen" Jettie and "King"
Joe at the Valentine Dance
on February 9th!



**I think the senior years are great,
But they could be somewhat better
If I could somehow train my recaller
To be as sharp as my forgetter!**

Planning For The Future!!!

CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

MARCH 2001

03...	Sophomore Hoedown	Jax Heights Elementary	GCA
06...	Mardi Gras Dance.....		Dixie Dancers
09...	"March Madness"	W/Bob Poyner.....	Mainstream Squares
9-10..	CFSARDA Shamrock Swing	(call .407 869-5075)	Merritt Island, FL
10...	"Wearing of The Green"		Teddy Bears
12...	St Patrick's Dance		Fun 'N Frolic
12...	"Luck O' the Irish Jig"		Yellow Rocker Plus
13...	St Patrick's Dance.....		Dixie Dancers
13...	St Patrick's Dance	Wear Green	Seabreeze Singles
14...	St Patricks Day Dance		Plus Fox
15...	Picky Eater Night		Joy Seas
16...	Luck of The Irish Dance		Silver Fox
20...	Spring Dance	Wear Spring things	Seabreeze Singles
22...	Club Color Nite		River Ramblers
24...	Shriner's Children's Hospital Benefit Dance		River Ramblers
29...	Class Graduation		Joy Seas
30...	5th Friday-Spring Fling ..(Singing Calls).....		Silver Fox
31...	5th Saturday Dance "Spring Fever"		NEFSARDA

APRIL 2001

02...	Plus Classes Begin		Yellow Rockers +
03...	April Fool's dance	Dress like burns	Seabreeze Singles
04...	April Fools Dance .. (Dress Foolish)		Plus Fox
05...	Class Graduation		Moose Promenaders
05...	Anniversary Dance (3rd)		River Ramblers
06...	April Showers Dance.....	W/Bill Chesnut.....	Mainstream Squares
06...	Class Graduation.....		Silver Fox
09...	"Here Comes Peter Cotton Tail"		Yellow Rocker Plus
10...	Anniversary Dance (13th) & Class Graduation		Rollaways
11...	Easter Dance		Plus Fox
12...	Anniversary Dance (11th)		Moose Promenaders
13...	PASARDA Charity Ball ..(Northwest -Call 850 492-1757).....		Pensacola, FL
17...	Easter Dance	Wear Easter Hat	Seabreeze Singles
19...	Mexican Dance		River Ramblers
20...	April Showers Dance (bring travel size personal care items for homeless)SF SQ		
24...	Anniversary Dance (16) / Class Graduation.....		Mandarin Marauders
26...	Plus Classes Begin		Moose Promenaders
28...	Graduation Ball.....	Sandalwood HS	GCA
30...	Fifth Monday Spring Dance		Fun 'N Frolic

MAY 2001

03...	Ice Cream Social		River Ramblers
04...	Plus Classes Start		Silver Fox
05...	Annual Blood Bank Dance	Jax Hts Elem.....	NEFSARDA
07...	May Dance		Fun 'N Frolic
08...	Mother's Day Dance		Seabreeze Singles
09...	Mothers Day Dance		Plus Fox

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CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

MAY 2001 (Cont'd)

- 10.... Pirates BallMoose Promenaders
14.... "Somewhere Over The Rainbow" Yellow Rocker Plus
18.... "Ernie's 1st Anniversary" DanceSilver Fox
18-20.. Derby City FestivalLouisville, KY
24.... Class Graduation.....River Ramblers
25-27.. FL State Convention (47th).....Lakeland
29.... Memorial DanceWear Red, White & Blue Seabreeze Singles
30.... Memorial Day dance Plus Fox

JUNE 2001

- 04.... Dairy MonthFun 'N Frolic
05.... Ice Cream SocialSeabreeze Singles
07.... Recycle DanceRiver Ramblers
08.... **Sweet 16th Anniversary Dance**...(Potluck Dinner)Silver Fox
09.... **Anniversary Dance (17th)**.....Teddy Bears
11.... Flower Dance Yellow Rocker Plus
15.... Father's Day DanceGiftsSeabreeze Singles
13.... Fathers Day Dance/Flag Day Dance Plus Fox
15-17.. Summer Jamboree (3 Camping Clubs)Grand Lake C/Ground
30.... 5th Saturday DanceNEFSARDA

JULY 2001

- 02.... Red/White/Blue Dance Yellow Rocker Plus
03.... 4th of July Dance.....Wear ColorsSeabreeze Singles
04.... Independence Day Dance Plus Fox
14.... Christmas in July DanceFriendship Squares
20.... Hot Diggity Dog DanceSilver Fox
24.... Crazy T-Shirt Dance.....PrizesSeabreeze Singles
30.... Fifth Monday Ice Cream SocialFun 'N Frolic

AUGUST 2001

- ?.... Knot Head/Mystery TripSilver Fox
01.... Dangle DancePlus Fox
06.... Tacky Dance Yellow Rocker Plus
14.... Root Beer Float NiteSeabreeze Singles
22.... Ice Cream Social Plus Fox
28.... Jaguars NiteWear ColorsSeabreeze Singles
31.... Knothead Konvention.....Lakeland

SEPTEMBER 2001

- 01.... Knothead Konvention (Cont'd).....Lakeland
04.... Hot Dog NiteOpen HouseSeabreeze Singles
07.... Mexican Fiesta NightSilver Fox
10.... Advanced Lessons beginFun 'N Frolic
10.... **Anniversary Dance (10th)** Yellow Rocker Plus
12.... Watermelon Dance Plus Fox
13-15.. Myrtle Beach BallMyrtle Beach, SC
29.... 5th Saturday Dance.....NEFSARDA

OCTOBER 2001

- 02.... Soup NiteBring CrackersSeabreeze Singles

Planning For The Future!!!

CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

OCTOBER 2001 (Cont'd)

12....	Columbus Day Dance	Silver Fox
18-21.	State Camp-O-Ree ...Okeechobee, FL	FI Campers
23....	Goblins Nite .....Prizes	Seabreeze Singles
29....	5th Monday Halloween Dance	Fun 'N Frolic
29....	Trick or Treat Dance	Yellow Rocker Plus
31....	Halloween Dance	Plus Fox

NOVEMBER 2001

2-4...	O'Leno Hoedown	O'Leno State Park	Square Wheels
06...	Chill Nite.....		Seabreeze Singles
10-11..	Fall Fun Fest	West Coast Association	Lakeland
14....	Thanksgiving Dance		Plus Fox
16-17..	Fall Festival.....		NEFSARDA
16....	Turkey Trot Dance		Silver Fox
19....	Turkey In The Straw Dance		Fun 'N Frolic
19....	Pilgrim/Indian Thanksgiving Dinner Dance		Yellow Rocker Plus
20....	Happy Thanksgiving	Bring food for needy.....	Seabreeze Singles
27....	Fall of The Year	Wear Colors.....	Seabreeze Singles

DECEMBER 2001

6-8...	Gatlinburg Christmas Ball		Gatlinburg, TN
14....	Christmas Dance (Toys For Tots)		Silver Fox
17....	Christmas Dance		Fun 'N Frolic
17....	Winter Wonderland Dance		Yellow Rocker Plus
18....	Christmas dance		Seabreeze Singles
19....	Christmas Dance		Plus Fox
29....	5th Saturday / Year End Dance.....		NEFSARDA
31....	New Year's Eve Dance.....		Yellow Rockers

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

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Thanks, *The Editors*

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