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Greetings from the

WEST COAST
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DANCER



WEST COAST ASSOCIATION RENEWAL DANCE

December 8, 1974

North Boulevard Recreation Center, Tampa
Dance 2 to 4 Business Meeting 4 to 5 p.m.

Caller: Jack Harris

Rounds: Don Rand

All club representatives and county-
vice-presidents --- please attend!



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

West Coast's Winter Festival in Lakeland was GREAT, thanks to Don Whitaker, the Fred Leach's and all the nice dancers.

Don't forget our renewal dance on December 8, at North Boulevard with Jack Harris and Don Rand.

Hope everyone had a nice Thanksgiving. **HAPPY HOLIDAYS!**

Ernie & Sally Powell

Recently we carried a few lines about square dancers who would be in the Nashville, Tenn. area calling a number for information on where to go to dance. Two of our well known dancers for our area followed our advice, and the following is the result of one phone call.

We had a wonderful time traveling in our camper this summer, but our most favorite and where we had the most fun with the friendliest people was in Nashville and the surrounding areas. We copied Sue Strauss name and phone number from our West Coast Dancer and called her the first night we arrived in Nashville. That night we danced with the Cross Trailers in Clarksville, next the Shooting Stars in Donelson and then the Barnlofters in Madison. Even after traveling for the next four weeks, we made a detour to return and danced in the area for the next seven days. We danced with the following clubs, Presidents and Ladies in Whitehouse, Nashville Squares, Circle Rights, and even attended a Callers Dance in Murfreesboro. We joined the Music City Round Dance Club with Ron & Vivian Grendell. We enjoyed each and every club, if we hadn't enjoyed ourselves it wouldn't have been the fault of these lovely people. A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all our Nashville friends.

Vance & Miriam Bateman

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

"A Little Christmas Tail"

A few Christmas seasons ago Santa noticed the increase in the requests for 'square dance' presents. Western shirts, bolo ties, jeweled ties, petti-pants?, small hand towels for stocking stuffers, and those slippers! They sure filled up the sleigh, but with all the beautiful colors Santa felt like he was carrying rainbows in December. Last year Santa really looked into this business of a "square dance". And he liked what he saw! There were smiling faces everywhere, hearty handshakes, laughter and music. It would seem that square dancing was really like "Christmas spirit" all year round.

Now Santa is a man of action, so he laid aside his pipe and slippers, bought a 50 basic hand-book, some records, opened a new box of sound equipment and was ready for his first class! His first class?? reindeer of course!! Of necessity some things had to be changed, it was now "does promenade", "bucks star to the right" (what a problem with those antlers!), a do-si-do really caused a lot of confusion at first. And of course the favorite call was "reindeer stroll"!

Finally the lessons were finished, and the first big dance was set! The flyers printed by the elves read...First Annual Icicle Hop-calls by Kris Kringle. Naturally the dance was outdoors, a beautiful frozen lake was the floor. Rudolph provided some extra light, and all Santa's helpers came to watch. The night was filled with the sound of dancing hoofs, and music. Was it a success?? You bet it was! The happy sounds of "Merry Christmas and Yellowrock" echoed everywhere. We thought we heard it and hope you did too. In case you didn't.....

MERRY CHRISTMAS and
YELLOWROCK! ! 1

John & Susie

ROUND DANCE NEWS FOR DECEMBER, 1974

Sun City Round Dance Club-Fred Christopher is calling the rounds the first and third Friday of the month. Starting Nov. 17, he will teach a beginners round dance class.

Ruth Maylath

Roundettes of Lakeland-have been busy, Marty & Byrdie Martin, along with their several classes, had been getting ready for the week at Fontana. We all enjoyed the dancing, wheather and the relaxation and seeing so many of our friends. Marty has been teaching "Till" and "Happy Trumpeter" as well as reviewing many of the new ones recently taught. They called for the Halloween Party for the Yell-O-Rockers, then left for the Round Dance Council in Miami Beach, where Marty became past-president of the Council. Our winter season is fast approaching and with the cold weather many of our former Roundettes are coming south more and more and we welcome them all. Our Thursday night group had a party on the 31st and a good time was had by all. A new reporter will soon take over this column, we enjoyed writing for the past three years. MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR..

Vance & Miriam Bateman

22nd Annual State Convention in Jacksonville, May 23, 24, 25, 1975

Round Dance Leaders are Leverme and Doris Reilly

The Reillys have been active in square and round dancing since 1960. They have been on the staff of many festivals, including the Toronto Conventions, the Labor Day Jamboree, Conneaut Lake June Jamboree, Erie, Pa. Winter Carnival, Mohawk & Central New York Festivals, Grape Festival in Ontario, Toledo Promenader Festival, Arkon Round and Square Dance Festival, the International Fall Festival in Syracuse, are permanent staff with Earl Johnson in Fairlee, Vt.

Included in their list of credits for choregraphy are these: "Remember Me", "Dorilee", "Moon Over Naples", "Pineapple", "Hold Me", "Cab Driver", "Doodlin' Round", and several others.

They are active members of the Western New York Callers and Leaders Association, were chosen Round Dancers of the Month for Sets in Order a wine and in the Round Dancer Magazine of Nov. 1968. They are currently on the board of the N.Y. State Square and Round Dance Federation.

An excellent choice for our '75 Convention, don't miss the opportunity of a very pleasant weekend with these fine leaders.

Mail early registrations to P.O. Box 1575, Jacksonville, Fl. 32201

ROUND DANCE CLASSES

There is currently only one new class in our West Coast area. The Teen Hall in Fort Myers has a beginner class in rounds starting at 6:45 p.m. They are being taught by Earl Kastner.

There will be a new class for beginners, taught by the Lovelaces, sometime in January, in Tampa.

CALLERLAB WORKSHOP MATERIAL

The committee has selected one experimental figure for this quarter. The selected figure is COORDINATE.

COORDINATE is a smooth action figure starting from single file columns, set up by doing a curlique from facing lines, and ending in a two-faced line.

THE SET UP: Heads lead right, circle to a line, curlique

THE ACTION: On the command COORDINATE all will single file circulate one and a half positions. This sets up three pairs with right hands adjacent in a column formation and two men as lonesome ends facing right. (NOTE: When teaching this position, have the dancers circulate one position, then the half more to establish the set-up of three pairs and two lone ends.)

The three pairs turn half by the right, and the center pair made up of two men will step forward individually to the outside of the girls directly in front to become one end of the forming two-faced line. The lonesome man on the end of the set-up will step ahead to become the other end of the two-faced line. The two-faced line will be in normal couples circulate direction with boys on the ends and girls in the center. (NOTE: A good smooth styling assist can be made by the girls in the column. As they turn by the right one-half, the girls who come alongside of the lonesome end men can "pick them up" as they complete the turn and together they form the end of the two-faced line.)

The figure is flowing and the follow-up actions of wheel and deal, couples circulate, or bend the line will dance smoothly.

BASIC DANCING FIGURES:

Heads lead right and circle to a line

Curlique, COORDINATE, bend the line

Star thru, dive thru, square thru $\frac{3}{4}$

Left allemande.....

Heads lead right and circle to a line

Curlique, COORDINATE

Bend the line, pass thru

Bend the line, slide thru

Left allemande.....

ROUND DANCE WORKSHOPSWEDNESDAYS

St. Pete--Fossil Pk. Rec. Cen. 6635 9th St. Leaches
North-Int. Wksp. 1 to 3

THURSDAYS

Clearwater-SPJC/Cldr. Campus-Drew St. EZ to Int. Walthers
Start Oct. 10, 8 to 10

FRIDAYS

Sarasota-Sarasota MH Pk. 7 p.m. Dawson
Largo-Largo Rec. Complex 12:30-3:30 p.m. Leiner & Hay
Largo-Largo Rec. Complex 7:30-10 p.m. Gilberts
Venice-Country Club Estates 1:30 p.m. Dawson

SUNDAYS

Pinellas Pk-Ox-Bow Hall, 8451 49th St. No. Leach
1-2-3 & 5th 2:30-4:30 EZ basics

ROUND DANCE DIRECTORY FOR DECEMBER, 1974MONDAYS

Clearwater Every Monday Clearwater "Y" Ed Mack
pre dn. rds. 7:30-8 p.m.
Holiday Every Monday Beacon Sq. Rec. Center The Hulins
pre dn. rds. 7 p.m.
Pinellas Pk. Every Monday Ox-Bow Hall, 8451 49th St. No. Gilberts
Int. & Adv. 7:30-10 p.m.
Plant City Every Monday Martin House Hi-Int. 7:30 p.m. Martins
Tampa Every Monday North Boulevard Rec. Cen.
Int. & Adv. 7:45-10 p.m. "Rhythm Rds. Clubs" Lovelaces

TUESDAYS

Clearwater Every Tuesday YWCA 7:30-10 p.m. Macks & Toufels
Clearwater Every Tuesday Top of the World (open)
EZ and Int. 2410 Sunset Pt. Rd. 3-5 p.m. Filières
Pinellas Pk. Every Tuesday Ox-Bow Hall 8451 49th St. N. Rands
EZ to Int. 1:30-3:30 Leach
Seminole Pre. Dn. rds. Lake Seminole North DuBois
Tampa Every Tuesday North Boulevard Rec. Center
7:45 to 10 p.m. EZ Rounds

ROUND DANCE DIRECTORY FOR DECEMBER, 1974

WEDNESDAYS

Pinellas Pk.	Every Wed.	Ox-Bow Hall 8451 49th St. No.	Don Rand
	pre dn. rds.	6:30-7:30 p.m.	
Dunedin	2-4 & 5	Dunedin Bch. Campground	Walthers
	pre. dn. rds.	7:30 p.m.	
Holiday	Every Wed.	Beacon Sq. Rec. Hall 7 to 8	Filieres
	pre. dn. rds.		
Largo	Every Wed.	Adv. Recreation Complex	Gilberts
		7:30-10 p.m.	
Plant City	Every Wed.	Dort St. Recreation Cen.	Martins
		Basics for beginners	
Seminole	Every Wed.	Lk. Seminole North	Ed Mack
	pre dn rds.	7:30-8:00 p.m.	

THURSDAYS

Crystal Bch.	Basics	Crystal Bch. Comm. Center	Walters
		N. of Palm Harbor	
Ellenton	1st & 3rd	Tide-vue Estates 7:20-8 p.m.	Russell
	2nd & 4th	Tide-vue Estates 7:20-8 p.m.	Dub Perry
Ft. Myers	Pre. dn. rds.	Seven Lakes Aud. Kriss Kross	Kastners
Lakeland	Every Thurs.	Downtown Rec. Cen. 203 Mass	
		7:30-10:30	Martins
Pinellas Park	Springwood Cond. #2	10550 US 19	Rands
	Pre dn Rds.	7 to 7:30	
Pinellas Pk.	Intermediate	Ox-Bow Hall 8451 49th St. N.	Leaches
Tampa	EZ	Grant Pk. Rec. Cen. 8-10	Lovelaces
Beacon Sq. Intermediate		Beacon Sq. Rec. Cen. 10-12	Hulins
		EZ basic 1-3	

FRIDAYS

Dunedin	Every Fri.	Sterling Hall 730 Broadway	Rand
	pre dn. rds.	7:00-7:30	
Largo	Every Friday	Largo Recreation Complex	Leiner & Hay
		12:20-3:30 p.m. Wksp. with cues	
Largo	Every Friday	Recreation Ceomplex	7:30-10 p.m.
	Wksp. & Adv.	400 N. Highland	Gilberts
Palm Harbor	Every Fri.	Sherwood Forest MH Pk.	Hulins
	Int. - Adv.	1 to 3 p.m.	
Pinellas Pk.	Every Fri.	Ox-Bow Hall 7:30 p.m.	Somers
	Pre. dn. rds.		
Sarasota	Every Fri.	Sarasota MH Pk. Auditoriu,	Dawson
	Wksp. & dance	6:30-8:20 Sarasota Smoothies	

ROUND DANCE DIRECTORY FOR DECEMBER, 1974

Fridays con't

Clearwater	Every Friday	Jay-Cee Tourist Information Center U.S. 19 No.-1 1/2 mi. No. of Sunset Pt. Rd. 7:30-10 p.m.	Stone
Seminole	1-2 & 3 Fri. Pre. dn. rds.	Left Allamanders 7:30 - Seminole Jr. High	1-DuBois 2-Martin 3-Leach
Sun City	EZ & Int.	Sun City Rounders	Chris
Tampa	1st & 3rd. Pre dn. rds.	Grant Pk. Rec. Cent. 7:30 p.m.	Martins
Zephyrhills	Last Friday Pre. dn. rds.	Yell-O-Rockers 7:30 p.m.	Martins

SATURDAY

Clearwater	1 & 3rd	YWCA 7:30-8 p.m.	Pre. dn. rds.	Ed Mack
Lakeland	2nd & 4th only pre dn rds.	Ranchmobile MH Pk. San Lan Campground	Pre. Dn. Rds.	Hulins Martins
Pinellas Pt.	2nd & 4th Cx-Bow Hall pre dn rds.	8451 49th St.		Rands
Tampa	Every Sat. pre. dn. rds.	N. Boulevard Rec. Cen.		DuBois

SUNDAYS

Boniva Springs	Every Sun.	Community Cen. EZ 6 to 8 Tamiand Steepers R/D Club 8-10		Kastners
Largo	4th Sunday	Recreation Comple 2-5		Leach
Seminole	1-2-5	Ridgewood Senior Act. Cen. All Rds. cues 1:30-5 p.m.		Leiner & Hay
Venice	Every Sunday	Venice Smoothies R/D Club Country Club Estates		Dawson

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SQUARE DANCE CLASSES

<u>MONDAYS</u>	Palm Harbor--Crystal Bay Tr. Pk. 7:30 to 10 p.m.	Rand
<u>WEDNESDAYS</u>	Ft. Myers--Century 21 MH Pk. Rec. Hall (423-2565)	Butzlaff
<u>SATURDAYS</u>	High Point--Route 50 E. of Weeki Wachee 1 to 3	Swain
<u>SUNDAYS</u>	Sanibel Is.--(Ft. Myers) Comm. Bldg. 7 p.m.-	Butzlaff & Hacking

Square Dance Workshops

<u>MONDAYS</u>		
Clearwater--	YWCA 222 S. Lincoln	Mitchell
Sarasota----	Bar Nothing Hi Level 8-10:30 Agri. Bldg. Ringling Blvd.	Jabbusch
Tampa-----	Temple Crest Rec. Cen. 8-10:30 p.m.	Kessler
<u>TUESDAY</u>	-- Bar Nothing High Level Ox-Bow Hall 8451 49th N. Pinellas Park Largo-Oakcrest MH Pk. 75 Basics	Jabbusch Schmakel
<u>WEDNESDAYS</u>	--Auburndale Municipal Bldg. Wksp-Dance Beacon Square Rec. Center 75 basics & dance Cape Coral-Sportsmen's Club Y & S Sarasota-Agri. Bldg. Bar Nothing Ellenton-Tide-vue Estates 9:30-11:30 a.m. Starts October 23. Hudson-Beacon Woods Golf Club--Adv.	Chapman Cucore Hacking Jabbusch Jabbusch Kessler
<u>THURSDAYS</u>	--Lakeland-Lakeside Swingers 8 p.m. Pinellas Pk.-Springwood Cond. 10550 U.S. 19	Kegley Schmakel
<u>FRIDAYS</u>	----Sun City Center Hi Level 2nd & 4th only -7:30 Dunedin-Sterling Hall 7:30 p.m.	Jabbusch Schmakel

FLORIDA KNOTHEAD NEWS

Past, but not forgotten, the 1974 konvention count comes to 1,831 and by most reports, a good one. This does not mean we pleased everyone, for we did receive many brick-bats, but the many bouquets helped to soften them. Space was not a problem this year, The Clearwater Campus of SPJC, Large, Air Conditioned and good parking space, helped to relieve the crush of last years loss of the Auditorium. The Ft. Harrison Ball room for squares, the Colonial Rooms for teens, and the Crystal Ballroom for rounds, had their share of dancers, as usual. The skits were hilarious. We invite more Florida talent from all parts of the state to appear at skit time. If you have a short skit, about three mins. or so, contact Ed Mack. The callers for the 1975 Konvention are: John Hendron, Framingham, Mass., Barry Medford, Staffort, Texas and Wayne & Norma Wylie of Missouri.

KITCHEN COLUMN

by Edith Peterson

FLUFFY PEANUT BUTTER PIE-from Bunny Gaddis--Yell-O-Rockers

1-3oz. pkg. cream cheese 1 cup confectionery sugar
 1/3 cup peanut butter 9 oz. container whipped topping

Have cream cheese at room temperature, mash and cream with peanut butter. Mix well. Add sugar, a little at a time, mixing well. Fold in whipped topping. Pour into a baked pie shell or graham cracker crust.

CRANBERRY RELISH MOLD SALAD

1 pkg. raw cranberries (or 1 can whole berries)
 2 oranges (quartered and seeded-unpeeled)
 2 apples (quartered and seeded-unpeeled)
 2 ribs celery
 pecans - optional
 1/2 cup sugar
 1 tbsp. lemon juice
 1 pkg. cherry jello
 1 cup hot water
 1 envelope plain gelatin-soak in 1/2 cup cold water

Prepare jello, using the cup of hot water. Add gelatin. Grind fruits and celery in food chopper. Add sugar and lemon juice and add to jello mixture. Pour into ring mold for a nice Holiday Salad-or pour into square baking dish and cut into squares after mixture has set overnight.

Dear Edith: Author is unknown, but thought you'd enjoy this.

Susie

Holiday Dinner Menu

Appetizer

Seasonal greetings
 Wreath of Love, Health & Joy
 Holly berry cocktail

Entree

Steaming cup of Friendship Generous portions of happiness.
 Hearts full of Kindness

Dessert

Assorted Bright Wishes
 Sweet Memories of New Year Delight

Beverage

Served with Warm Wishes of Sparkling Cheer

SQUARE DANCE CALENDAR FOR DECEMBER, 1974

SUNDAYS

Spring Hill Whirlaways Swain &
 Guests
 Sarasota Sing-A-Long Dawson
 Maderia Bch. Aud. Kennedy
 No. Ft. Myers Orphanage Richards
 Kissimmee O-Bar-8-Balls Price

SPECIAL DANCE: December 8, 1974

West Coast Ass. Renewal Dance
 North Blvd. Rec. Cen., Tampa
 Dance 2 to 4 Meeting 4 to 5
 Caller: Jack Harris
 Rounds: Don Rand

MONDAYS

Beacon Square Cucore
 Cape Coral Sqs. Chris
 Gandy Dancers Rich
 Lk. Wales Tower Swingers Chapman
 Orange Harbor Sauls
 Sarasota MH Pk. Dawson
 TWCA-Clearwater Mitchell

TUESDAYS

Cape Coral Caloosa Hacking
 Dunedin Steeple Stompers Higginbotham
 Largo Imperial Pt. Hales
 Lake Seminole Springer
 Largo Oakcrest Swingers Schmakel
 Plant City Strollers Parraish
 Naples Happy Twirlers Richards
 Venice Do-Si-Do Club Dawson
 Sun City Swingers Chris

SPECIAL DANCE: December 10, 1974

Strawberry Strollers-Plant City
 Caller: Tex Brownlee, Fontana, N.C.
 Rounds: The Lovelaces

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY'S

SPECIAL DANCE: December 31, 1974

Dunedin: Sterling Hall-730 Broadway
 CALLERS: Hank Schmakel (447-7836)
 ROUNDS: Don Rand

Pinellas Park-Ox-Bow Hall
 CALLERS: George Wood, Lou Somers, and
 Fred Leach

contact callers for tickets* * * * *

Tampa--No. Blvd. Rec. Cen.

Bay Area Twirlers

CALLERS: Jack Harris & Art Springer

ROUNDS: Frank DuBois - Marty Martin
 Limited to 30 squares, \$8.00 Couple

WEDNESDAYS

Auburndale Sunshine Swingers-Chapman
 Sarasota Jaywalkers Jabbusch
 Holiday Dixie Loopers Cucore
 Lakeland SanJan Chris
 Cape Coral Shufflers Hacking
 Lake Seminole Springer
 Nalcrest Swingers Kegley
 Ox Bow Woodchips Wood
 Sebring Ridge Rollaways Livingston
 Venice C.C. Estates Dawson
 Tampa X-Rds. Sqs. Saunders & Mitchell
 Travelers Rest-Dale City 2 to 4-Mitchell

2ND, 4TH & 5TH Wednesday

Dunedin Bch. Campground Baker

THURSDAYS

Arcadia Squares Livingston
 Clearwater New Era Sqs. Chris
 Sarasota MH Pk. Dawson
 Pinellas Pk-Springwood Cond. Schmakel
 Checker-board Sqs. Mitchell

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ND FLORIDA STATE & DANCE CONVENTION



CALLERS

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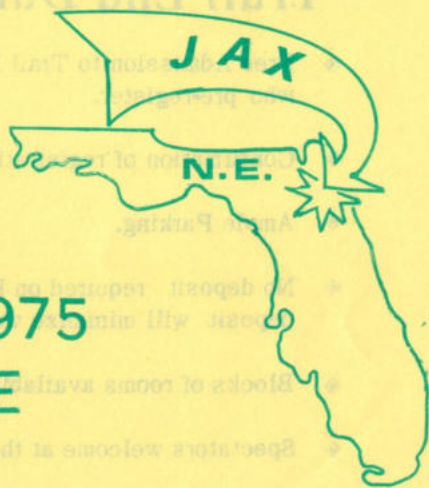
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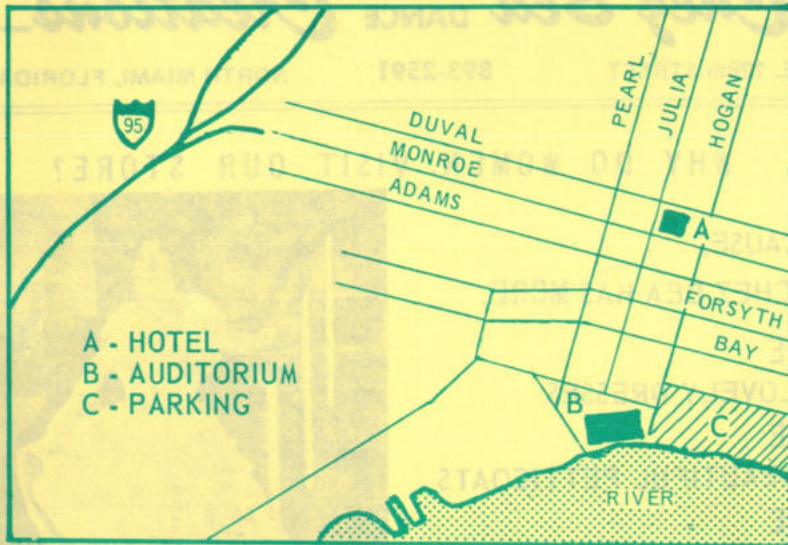
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- ◆ Free Admission to Trail End Dance, May 23rd, 1975 for those who pre-register.
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- ◆ Complete programs will be printed in Bow & Swing and also available at the Convention.
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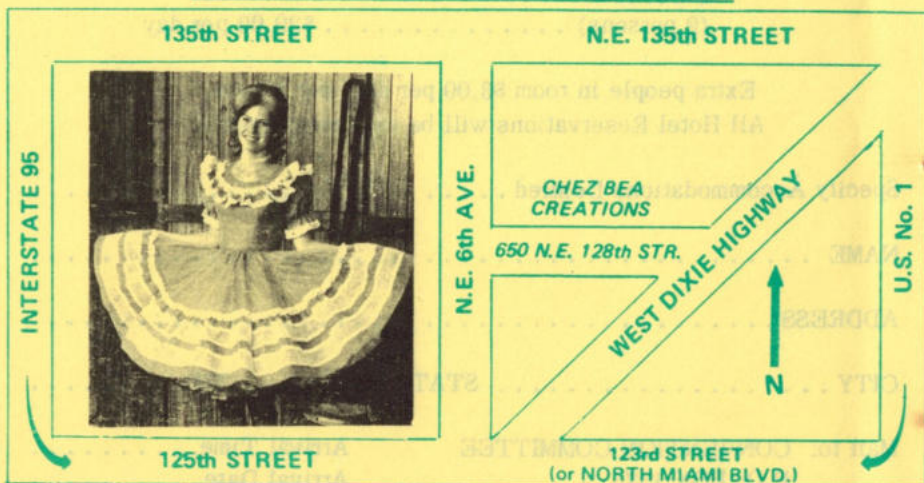
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SQUARE DANCE CALENDAR FOR DECEMBER, 1974THURSDAYS con't

Kriss Kross Sqs. 5 Skeeter
12 Saunders
19 Chapman
26 Harris

Charlotte Promenaders

5 Chapman
12 Bean
19 Kessler
26 No Dance

Ellenton Tide-vue

5 Jabbusch
12 Perry
19 Jabbusch
26 Perry

2nd & 4th Thursdays

Royal Palm Sqs. 12 Robinson
26 Bedell

SPECIAL DANCE: December 19, 1974

Kriss Kross Christmas Dance

7 Lakes Auditorium

Caller: Roger Chapman

Rounds: Earle Kastner

FRIDAYS

Naples Happy Twirlers-Richards
Pinellas Pk Ox-Bow Somers
Zephyrhills Sleepy Hollow-Kegley
Ft. Myers Bayside Twirlers-Butzlaff
Sterling Hall Schmakel
Left Allamanders 6 Harris
13 Kessler
20 Baker

1st & 3rd Friday

Spinning Wheels Springer

2nd & 4th Friday

Brandon Squares Harris
Sun City Swingers Jabbusch
4th Friday Only

Yell-O-Rockers Chapman

SPECIAL DANCE: Dec. 13-14

Mobile Mavericks Camp-O-See

Highland Hammock State Pk.

Caller: Chuck Leamon

FRIDAYS con'tSpecial Dance: Dec. 20, 1974Spinning Wheels "Toys for Needy
Children"

Grant Pk. Tampa

Caller: Art Springer

Rounds: The Martins

SPECIAL DANCE: Dec. 27-29, 1974NSDCA Camp-O-See Holiday Travel Pk.,
Fort Myers Beach

Caller: George Jabbusch

SATURDAYS

Leigh Acres - Livingston

Naples Sunshine Shufflers - Guests

Ft. Myers Bch. Women's Club-Richards

Ft. Myers Swingers - Sauls

Lk. Placid Trop. Har. - Bean

Englewood Buttons & Bows - Guests

Pinellas Pk Ox Bow-7-Sheffield-

14-Baker-21-Springer-28-Coppinger-

Sarasota Grand Sqs.-7-Springer-

14-Jabbusch-21-Lasry-31-New Years Eve

Venice Isle Promenaders 7-Harris

14-Reisinger-21-Mitchell-28-Kessler

1st & 3rd Saturday Only

Clearwater "Y" 7-Bedell-21-Saunders

2nd & 4th Saturdays

Bay Area Twirlers Harris

Clearwater Ranchmobile Chris

Lakeland Buttons & Bows 14-Hinkle

28-Springer

SPECIAL DANCE: December 14, 1974

Mobile Mavericks Camp-O-See-Leamon

SPECIAL DANCE: December 28, 1974

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SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR DECEMBER, 1974

ARCADIA

O. Thursdays Arcadia Sqs.-Old Armory Hwy 17-8 p.m. Livingston

AUBURNDALE

O. Wednesday Sunshine Swingers - Municipal Bldg. Chapman

BRANDON

O. 2nd & 4th Fri.-First Methodist Church-Brandon Sq. Harris

CAPE CORAL

Mon. Club Level Cape Coral Sqs. - Yacht Club Chris

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O.I. Tuesday Caloosa Squares Sportmen's Y & S Club Hacking

O. F. Wednesday Sunshine Squares-Sportsman Y & S Club Hacking

CLEARWATER

O. Thurs. Int.Hi-New Era Sqs.-City Civic Center Chris

O. Sat. 1st. & 3rd.- Clearwater YWCA 222 S. Lincoln Guests

O. Sat. 2nd & 4th - Ranchmobile MH Pk. U.S. 19 S. of Chris

E. Bay Drive

O. Monday YWCA 222 S. Lincoln - wksp & Dn. Mitchell

DADE CITY

O. Every Wed. Traveler's Rest Airstream Pk. Johnson Rd.,
off #577 Wksp. & Dn. 2 to 4 p.m. Mitchell

DUNEDIN

O. Wed. 2,4 & 5th Dunedin Bch. Campground Baker

O. Tues. Int. Steeple Stompers-First Pres. Church Higginbotham

O. Fri. club level Sterling Hall-730 Broadway 447-7836 Schmakel

ELLENTON

O. Thurs. Tidevue Mobile Home Park Jabbusch & Perry

ENGLEWOOD

O. Wed. Int. Englewood Rec. Center-Orange St.
7:00-9:30

O. Int. Saturday Buttons & Bows-Lemon Bay School
Rds. 7:30 Contact J. Prairie 426-2315 Guests

FT. MYERS

O. Saturday The Swingers-S. Rec. Center Golf Ave. Sauls

O. Thursday Kriss Kross Sqs.-Lk. Auditorium Guests

O. Sat. Every Ft. Myers Bch. Womens Club-Workshop Richards
8:00-8:30 - 8:30-10:00

O. Thurs. 2nd & 4th Royal Palm Sqs.-Tourist Center Adv. Robinson &
(481-3280) Guests

O. Friday Bayside Twirlers-2160 San Carlos Blvd.

75 Basics plus 50 423-2565

O. Monday Orange Harbor 7:30 p.m. Butzlaff

Sauls

SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR DECEMBER, 1974HOLIDAY

O. Wednesday Dixie Loopers-Beacon Square Rec. Center Cucore
75 Basics plus wksp. contact Thornton
842-5369 or Kranz 937-0929

KISSIMMEE

Every Sun. O-Bar 8 Balls, O-Bar Mobile Court 3 miles Bill Price
south of Kissimmee on 531-Pot-Luck 2-5

LAKELAND

O. 2-4 Sat. Buttons & Bows-SanLan Ranch Campground Guests
(contact V. Bateman 858-1254)

C. Wednesday San Lan Ranch Campground Hwy. 98, East Chris

LAKE PLACID

Every Sat. Tropical Harbor MH Pk. 8-10:30 p.m. Open Tom Bean

LAKE WALES

O. Monday Tower Swingers-Church of Good Shepherd Chapman

O. Wednesday Nalcrest Swingers-Nalcrest Auditorium Kegley

LARGO

O. Tues.-7:30 Oakcrest Squares-Oakcrest MH Rec. Hall Schmakel

O. Tues.-7:30 Largo Imperials-Imperial Point Hales

O. Thursday Holiday Ranch MH Pk. Hart

LEHIGH ACRES LeHigh Sqs.-Community Bldg. 8 p.m. Livingston

MADEIRA BEACH

O. Sun Int. Madeira Beach Auditorium 150th Ave. 8-10 Kennedy

NAPLES

O. Tuesday The Happy Twirlers-Seagate School 7:30-10 Richards
(Relaxed level dancing)

O. Saturday Sunshine Shufflers-Avalon School Guests
Contact Bob Coe 642-5906

NEW PORT RICHEY

O. Int. to Adv. Checkerboard Squares-7 Springs Golf & Mitchell
Every Thurs. Country Club-State Rd. 54

PINELLAS PARK

O. Thursday Springwood Cond. 10550 US 19 Schmakel

PLANT CITY

O. Tuesday Strawberry Strollers-Dort St. Rec. Center Parrish

PORT CHARLOTTE

O. Sunday 7:30 p.m. Port Charlotte U-Sr. Lounge
O. Thursdays Peace River School Guests

SARASOTA

O. Sunday Sing A Long--Ag. Bldg. 2900 Ringling 8-10 Dawson

O. Monday Sarasota MH Pk., E. Laurel Dawson

O. Wednesday Jaywalkers-Ag. Bldg. 2900 Bldg. Jabbusch

O. Saturday Grand Squares-Ag. Bldg. 2900 Ringling 8 p.m. Guests

O. Thursdays Sarasota MH Pk. E. Laurel 8 p.m. Dawson

SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR DECEMBER, 1974ST. PETERSBURG

- O. Wednesday Woodchips Ox-Bow Hall, 7:30-10:30 Wood
 O. 1-2-3 Fri. Left Allmanders-Seminole Jr. Hi, School-Guests
 8701 131st St., North, 8-10:45
 O. Friday Square around Ox Box Hall Workshop & Somers
 Dance
 O. Every Sat. Ox Bow Hall 8451 49th St., North Guests

SEBRING

- O. Wednesday Ridge Rollaway City Pier AC, 7:30 Livingston

SEMINOLE

- O. Tues. Int: Lake Seminole Hall-110 Ave. & Lake Springer
 O. Wednesday Lake Seminole Hall Springer

SPRING HILL

- O. Sunday The Whirlways-Spring Hill Rec. Center Swain &
 8 miles North of Hudson, 7:30 p.m. Guest

SUN CITY CENTER

- Tuesday Swingers - Town Hall Chris
 Friday 2 & 4 Swingers - Town Hall Jabbusch

TAMPA

- Every Wed. Crossroads Sq. No. Blvd. Rec. Center Saunders &
 Mitchell
 O. Fri. 1 & 3 Spinning Wheels-Grant Pk. Rec. Center Springer
 (contact Chuck Todd 621-3194)

- O. Sat. 2 & 4 Bay Area Twirlers-W. Blvd. Rec. Center Harris
 O. Sat. 1 & 3 Curli Q's Squares-214 N. Blvd. 8-10:45 Kessler
 O. Every Mon. Interbay Rec. Center - Gandy Dancers Rich

VENICE

- O. Tues. Adv. Do So Do Club Country Cl. Est. Plateau C. Dawson
 O. Wednesday Country Club Estates-Plateau A-easy Dawson
 Every Saturday Venice Isles Promenaders-new club house Guests
 7:30 p.m.

ZEPHYRHILLS

- Last Friday Yell-O-Rockers Mun. Bldg. 7:30-11 p.m. Guests
 Every Friday Sleepy Hollow Swingers-Sleepy Hollow MH Kegley
 Park (8:00-10:00 p.m.)

SQUARE DANCE NEWS FOR DECEMBER, 1974

Strawberry Strollers of Plant City-- On December 10, 1974 we will hold a special "ticket dance". Our guest caller will be Tex Brownlee from Fontana N.C. and the guest round dance leader will be Charles Lovelace and his wife, Madeline. Our large class of beginners have been progressing very well. Everyone seems to have a great deal of enthusiasm and it shouldn't be too long until we have a great new bunch of square dancers. We celebrated Halloween with a special party during our October 29th dance. I didn't see any ghosts, but there were a lot of "Goblins" eating all the goodies. We were pleased to have several guests from out of state and other Florida clubs dance with us this past month. We want to extend a sincere invitation to each of you to come visit us during one of our weekly Tuesday night dances at the 'Planteen' at 8 p.m.

Don & Pat McKenzie

Bay Area Twirlers of Tampa--We were glad to see so many out to our Hobo Dance the last of October. The costumes were great! We hardly knew some of our own members. Keith & Eva Kays were voted as best dressed Hobos. Happy Birthdays this month to Donna Pia, Donna Cabeza, Marshall Hensley, Florence Cahoon, Sally Powell, Claire Feinman, Jeff Carolan. Happy Anniversary to Lee & Ruth Frost. Tickets are on sale for our New Years Eve Dance. See members for one! We will be having election of officers in December. This is our last article for the year. It has been pleasure serving the Club as secretary. We wish the new ones the very best of luck the coming year.

Keith & Eva Kays

Brandon Squares--had a Halloween party with a covered dish supper at the home of Joyce and Bob Harre for members. It was a great success! We are looking forward to two special dances coming up: Christmas Dance, December 13th with lots of Christmas presents from our tree as door prizes. Come, you may be one of the lucky ones! Then we will have our anniversary dance January 24th, and we would like many of our square dance friends to help us celebrate. For both dances we will have our own Jack Harris as caller. Don't forget our beginners class starting in January--day and time to be announced later. Watch for flyers or contact the Edenfields 689-5823 or the Haiglers 685-1575 after six.

Betty & Charles Haigler

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SQUARE DANCE NEWS FOR DECEMBER, 1974

Spinning Wheels of Tampa--are proud of all the new dancers who, like all of us, have finally survived and are now able to say "We are square dancers". We would like to extend a hearty welcome to one and all. We continue to grow and are gratified to all who ask to be a Spinning Wheel. We welcome two new couples, Bob & Carol Campbell, & Don & Betty Hepburn and they are already Campers. Two squares retrieved our banner from the Buttons & Bows in Lakeland. Thanks to all who could make it. Our thoughts are with those who are having troubles with virus and other ailments..... we miss you. Don't forget our benefit dance for Christmas toys for needy children. Keep dancing and keep smiling! Looks good!

Joyce Todd

Naples Sunshine Shufflers--Happiness is being a square dancer with so much fun our way and many more plans for special events. Be sure to keep in mind, Saturday, February 15, 1975, to come to our fantastic annual costume ball. A full day of dancing, food and entertainment and once attended, you will be sure to never miss another. There will also be an after party for 'die hards! Our beginners class is well on its way and caller Sam Allison forsees many good enthusiastic future square dancers. Louise Davis is a great organizer and many of us know there is hardly a person in this area, she hasn't tried to get into this class. Prosser Speers has one of those singing, laughing and dancing bus trips planned for us and with his games and ideas, its really worth waiting for. Come pay us a visit, we have a "danced in Naples" badge for you. HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON TO ALL.

Jean Van Dezey

Diele Loopers of Holiday--November was a busy month and no doubt you all had a Happy Thanksgiving. All of our group did, in spite of adding on a few pounds from all that good eating. We are happy to welcome Nims Goering back among us. Nims was hospitalized and is well enough to do some of the rounds and we all hope he will be squaring soon. The City of New Port Richey celebrated its 50th Anniversary and a delegation of Diele Loopers attended the Square and Round Dance held at the Recreation Center on Saturday night. Most of the men wore arm bands and the women wore lacy garters made purposely for the celebration and sold by the Jaycees. We all had such fun, which we usually do when we get together. Right here and now--we extend an invitation to all square dancers to join us on Wednesday nights.

Louise Gagne

SQUARE DANCE NEWS FOR DECEMBER, 1974

Buttons & Bows of Lakeland-We started off by attending many of the dances in the area. On the 12th we danced to the delightful calling of Danny Robinson and for the first time in our area, our rounds were cued by Fred & Emily Leach and we all had a wonderful time. Several door prizes were won by our guest dancers. After the dance we held a short business meeting and elected new officers, Jim Jernigan, President; Albert DeFeo, Vice Pres.; Myrt Knutson, Secretary; and Duchess Kuruscz, Tres.; they will all take office in November. On the 26th, we held our annual Hobo Dance and you should have seen the attires including our callers, Art & Martha Springer, & Fred & Emily Leach were dressed for the occasion. We served hot dogs, beans and slaw & coffee & ice tea for our refreshments. We also enjoyed the speech by our ~~Honorable~~ ~~President~~ who introduced our out-going Presidents and presented them with a gift from the entire club and thanked them for their untiring efforts to make this past year one we all will remember for many years to come. The dance ended with many members adjourning to the pancake house for a relaxing hour before going home. Our December callers will be George Hinkle on the 14th; Art Springer on the 28th. We will have our annual Christmas Dinner sometime during the month. There will be a new reporter in the near future and we wish them the best. Happy Holidays! Vance & Miriam Bateman

Lakeside Swingers-are back in action again. Lessons began on October 24, for beginners. The program also includes a workshop for dancers. We dance every Thursday and the caller is Freeman Pettus. Come learn with us.

Linda Pettus

Mobile Mavericks-will be camping and square dancing to guest caller Chuck Seamon on Dec. 13th & 14th at Highland Hammock State Pk. near Sebring. We will celebrate our 2nd Anniversary. Come help us celebrate!

Gladys Broe

Royal Palm Squares-started its first season with Danny Robinson calling a well selected advance square dance program to a floor of experienced dancers. Everyone was enthusiastic about the dance, surroundings, wood floor and a surprise visit-the Biltotts, Eleanor & Carl, formerly from Ft. Myers, now residents of Tucson, Arizona. At our next dance, guest caller, Chuck Kessler of Tampa was a solid hit with our dancers and to add to our enjoyment, Chuck cued the cake by cue-ing the rounds. We sincerely hope he has discovered his stolen car. December schedule-Danny Robinson (on the 12th) and the great Frank Bedell on the 26th. Join us for dancing, as it should be done, with style, grace, fun and laughter. Last, but not least, our sincere thanks to Henry Wright for the beautiful banner, the cooperation of all members, the chance to welcome all visitors, and to Fred Christopher for his permission to use the round dance tapes cued by him, at our dances whenever necessary. Happy Holidays To All! ! !

Etchen Hart

SQUARE DANCE NEWS FOR DECEMBER, 1974

Yell-O-Rockers of Zephyrhills-have been having some outstanding themes and callers for their dances the past months. As usual, our own Willard and Joan Barrentine did an outstanding job of decorating our hall with the assistance of some members for the Halloween dance. Dancers entered thru a "black lighted" dungeon with eerie sound effects and a "ghoul" to take their money. George Hinkle was the caller for the squares and the Martins on the rounds. Roger Chapman will call for our After Thanksgiving dance with the Leaches on the rounds. Our Holiday Special in December will have Jim Coppinger as caller. We are looking forward to all of our good friends, new and old to attend. We are missing many of you-remember the Yell-O-Rockers motto of Fun, Fellowship and Food. The club held a picnic and business meeting at Hillsborough State Pk. with the D.C. Taylors as host. They provided high piles of bar-be-que chickens and the members brought the extra fixin's.

Edith Peterson

Left Allamanders-hope you had a happy Thanksgiving and we wish you a very Merry Christmas. Don't miss our Christmas dance Dec. 20th. That Liz Kirkman (our entertainment chairman) is full of nice surprises. A big welcome to our new members Hugh & Jean Fultz, Joe and Ruth Estesand, Ray & Sue Melara. We are happy to have you join us! The Bay Area Twirlers retrieved their banner in November and the Woodchips stole ours (the same night). We are happy to see the Wingo's and Ellis's back dancing. We had been missing them. John & Emily Plankey have a beautiful little girl! Congradulations to them and the proud grandparents Joe & Ruth Plankey. Again we want to say its fun dancing with the Left Allamanders!

Mildred Thomas

West Coast Chapter of N S D C A completed organizational plans at a camp-o-ree at Indian Creek Pk, Ft. Myers Beach on Oct. 26. Approximately seventeen couples signed up as charter members. The new chapter will be known as T-N-T (Tent n Trailer) Squares. The officers elected were George & Large Jabbusch, Presidents; Red & Sue Eckels, Vice-Pres.; Russ & Marion Leavey, Treasurer; & Paul & Jean Williams, Secretary. Plans were made to meet the fourth weekend of every other month beginning with Oct. Next meeting will be at Holiday Travel Pk, Ft. Myers Beach (St. Rd. 865) Dec. 27-29, 1974. On Friday, Oct. 25, Ed Newton called to a group of eager leavers and on Sat. afternoon a workshop was conducted by George Jabbusch. After a delicious pot luck supper and a short business meeting, George called the evening dance. An invitation is cordially extended to all square dance campers to meet with the T-N-T Squares in December at the Holiday Travel Park.

Paul & Jean Williams

SQUARE DANCE NEWS FOR DECEMBER, 1974

Woodchips of Pinellas Park--The "Woodchips" are still "kwvetching" at the Ox-Bow; maybe that is why there has been so little news of late. On Sept. 29th sixty-seven graduates attended a party and dance complete with valedictory remarks by Sandy Tennian and Susan Marthinson. Something new has been added to the Wednesday night workshop; Don Rand is teaching beginning rounds from 6:30 to 7:30. George and Don share the spotlight the rest of the evening. On Sunday afternoon, October 27th, Don & George had a relaxing time of square and round dancing. Those that chose to do so stayed for a delicious pot luck supper. A few die-hards even stayed in the evening to be angels in George's new beginners class that started Oct. 6th. Halloween was a night to remember with silly costumes and the special call of Sam Mitchell. Doing anything New Year's Eve? Come join the Woodchips at the Ox-Bow for a great party with George Wood, Lou Somers, and Elmer Hicks. We will have TV available New Year's Eve so we can keep track of the Florida - Nebraska game between tips.

Norm & Betsy Clark

Stompin' Stump Jumpers--We wish to thank everyone who came to our Teen Jamboree. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves and we're glad of that. It was a nice surprise to meet the new Mrs. Don Miller. We wish them both lots of happiness. A special thanks to those who provided the door prizes. Bow & Swing, Circle W Western Shop of Pinellas Pk, and the Kapok Tree. The clogging by all seemed to make a bit hit, even the small fry got into the act. Special thanks to the callers for the fine day, and to the kind gentlemen who gave up his Sunday afternoon to provide tapes for the round dancers.

Melissa Petrauskas

Cross-roads Squares of Tampa--We have been having good crowds, with a lot of out of state visitors. We do like company! Our sick list is back on the up-swing we are sorry to relate, John Lozan and Hal Porter are both in the hospital, and Carl Waller is recovering from open heart surgery. Our sincere sympathy to Bob and Odessa George on the death of their son-in-law and to Gussie Johnson, a member of the staff at N. Blvd, on the death of her son. Bring your winter visitors to dance with us some Wednesday, John Saunders and Sam Mitchell on alternate Wednesdays. Perry Bergh from South Dakota will be our fifth Wednesday caller in January. Don't miss him! A wish for a Happy Holiday from all of us to you.

Mori Sogolow

December 11, 1974
Round: 14 back

24th NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION

The news releases of the Convention Committee show every promise of the Kansas City, Mo. convention being a great one. Round dancing will be in two beautiful ballrooms of the Hotel Muehlebach. Three after parties for round dancers are also being planned, plus a trail-in dance.

Some of the exciting places to see are Crown Center, a 200 million dollar community, developed by Hallmark Cards, just 12 blocks from the down-town area. There is a new 730 room hotel there, with a four story waterfall in the lobby. A Seven-In-One Cafe offers, Italian, Mexican, Oriental Cuisine, plus American Broiler, Bar-B-Q Chicken, New York Style Deli, and a seafood restaurant. All clustered around a central dining arcade.

World's of Fun, a 20 million dollar family entertainment center is 10 minutes from down-town. The River Quay, a charming "old town", the site of the first settlement that became Kansas City is within walking distance.

Abilene, Kansas is the near-by site of the Dwight D. Eisenhower boyhood home, Eisenhower Museum, Eisenhower Presidential Library and the final resting place of President Eisenhower.

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This month we had to cut the mail right on the 10th, due to the holiday coming. I received four letters on the 11th, and have tried to fit it in, except for club news. There was no room. However under "Special Events" the following should appear:

Tex Brownlee Special
 Lake Seminole North Pac. Hall
 December 11, 1974
 Rounds: Ed Mack

ODDS AND ENDS

by Irene McKown

Welcome back "Snowbirds"! Good to see you. We hear its mighty cold back North. Goodie! You are back in time to attend our "Holiday Parties". We will be kicking off with a pre-Christmas dance Thursday evening Dec. 19, at Seven Lakes. Roger Chapman will be calling. So get your jingle bells and come and lets have a "Merry" time and start the spirit of Christmas.

Thats not all!! We will be ending the Holidays with a "Gala Affair" at the Exhibition Hall, with none other than Frankie Lane of Estes Park, Colorado. This is Thursday, Jan. 2, 1975. Lee & Earle Kastner will have early rounds at 7:30 and squares at 8. Tickets are now on sale, in advance \$4.00 or at the door \$5.00. They can be purchased at the Thursday night dances or from Earle or Irene. Come! Lets all be there, can hardly wait! Wonderful, beautiful place to dance-lots of room-lets fill the hall!

Best regards to Otto Goldner and Ben Pahuski, we have missed you both. You are both "too nice" to be sick. (Both your wives, Minnie & Treva worked very hard for the Halloween parties-thanks to you both, girls.)

Dances will be starting at Orange Harbor on Monday Dec. 2nd with Harold Sauls calling-that too is a beautiful place to dance-wonderful floor.

Lee and Earle have started their Easy Rounds at the Teen Club on Wednesday night. They are also starting a new beginners class. Have you see what they have done with round dancing? What a joy it is to see "two circles" of round dancers, I can well remember when there were only a few couples on the floor.

Christopher has done a great job with his new class. They are just about to graduate I hear. Thats what keeps square dancing going, new dancers coming in.

Art and Harold had another one of their "super" dances at Seven Lakes Sunday afternoon Nov. 17. They are always such a happy crowd and have so much fun.

It was great having Martha come with Art. She was the "Belle of the Ball" didn't miss a single dance. You caller's wives should do this more often.

Merry Christmas everyone! Start the New Year making new friends. And keeping your old friends too.

See you at the Frankie Lane dance!!!!

SPECIAL EVENTS

December 8, 1974

West Coast Assn. Renewal Dance
North Blvd., Tampa
Caller: Jack Harris
Rounds: Don Rand

December 10, 1974

Strawberry Strollers, Plant City
Dort. St. Recreation Center
Caller: Tex Brownlee, N. Carolina
Rounds: The Lovelaces

December 13, 14, 1974

Mobile Mavericks Camp-O-Ree
Highland Hammock State Pk, Sebring
Caller: Chuck Leamon

December 19, 1974

Kriss Kross Christmas Dance
7 Lakes Aud., Ft. Myers
Caller: Roger Chapman
Rounds: Earle Kastner

December 20, 1974

Spinning Wheels Toys for Needy
Children, Grant Park, Tampa
Caller: Art Springer
Rounds: The Martins
Toys for boys or girls, wrapped

December 27-29, 1974

NSDCA Camp-O-Ree TNT Chapter
Holiday Travel Pk., Ft. Myers
Caller: George Jabbusch

December 29, 1974

West Coast Round Dance Teachers Assn.,
Largo Recreation Complex, Largo
Christmas Round Dance Party 2 to 5 p.m.

December 31, 1974 New Year's Eve

Ox-Bow Hall, Pinellas Park
Callers: George Wood, Lou Somers,
Elmer Hicks, Fred Leach

Dunedin-Sterling Hall-730 Broadway

Caller: Hank Schmakel
Rounds: Don Rand

Bay Area Twirlers

N. Blvd. Rec. Center, Tampa
Callers: Jack Harris, Art Springer
Rounds: Frank DuBois, Marty Martin

Sarasota Grand Squares

Agriculture Building, Ringling Blvd.
Guest Callers

COMING EVENTS

January 2, 1975

Kriss Kross Squares, Ft. Myers
Caller: Frank Lane-Estes Pk., Colo.
Rounds: The Kastners

January 4, 1975

Lake Mirror Civic Center
Lakeland
Caller: Frank Lane from Colorado
Rounds: Martins

January 31, 1975

Yell-O-Rockers 8th Anniversary
Municipal Bldg., Zephyrhills
Caller: Jack Cloe-Missouri
Rounds: The Martins

February 7 to 9, 1975

Round Dance Council's Spring Workshop
Americano Lodge, Daytona Beach

February 15, 1975

Sunshine Shufflers Costume Ball
Callers: Johnny Walters, Chuck Leamon
Rounds: The Kastners