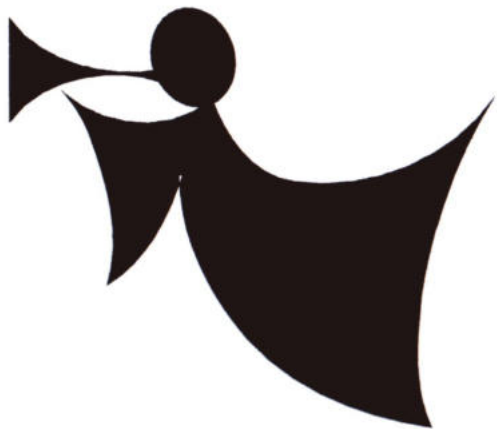


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For all updates, additions, changes, Ads and articles for the Dancer.
Feb. / Mar. 09 - Dec. 31, 2009 April / May 09 - Feb. 28, 2009

PLEASE LIMIT CLUB NEWS TO 150 WORDS (APPOX. 15 LINES)

WEST COAST ASSOC. FOLDING & MEETING

Barksdale Center 1801 N. Lincoln Ave, Tampa, FL
 6 PM Folding the WC Dancer Magazine — Meeting to Follow
WEDNESDAY: JANUARY 21, 2009 & MARCH 25, 2009

FREE DANCE LISTINGS

All dance listings are at no charge and are limited to City (area), Place, Time, Caller/Cuer, Level/Phase and contact information.
 If more detailed description is desired; such as Themes, Guest Callers/Cuers, admission fees, Ads, and varying schedules, please make use of the Ad schedule on Page 2.

~~FLORIDIAN DANCERS ASSOCIATION~~
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NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE

ART MILLER, WES MORRIS & JENNIE MARTIN

CALLERS AND CUER

1647 NE FLORIDIAN CIRCLE, ARCADIA, FLORIDA

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DATE: DECEMBER 31, 2008 TIME: 8 PM TILL ????? MAINSTREAM/PLUS

\$20.00 PER COUPES BRING A DISH TO PASS

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Tickets call Jennie Martin 863-494-2749, Hall 863-993-1288, Macy Dow 941-380-5336

BIRTHDAY PARTY



The square dance family of Dolores "Mom" Mahan is invited to help her celebrate her 90th birthday. The party will be on December 27, 2008 at 5: PM - 10:00 PM, at the Leisure Lake Club House, 2900 8th Ave. W, Palmetto.

RSVP to Ken & Sandy Brasfield by Dec. 12 at 941-722-1491 or email: brassy1012@aol.com

NO GIFTS PLEASE



2008 - 2009
WCSRDA
CO - PRESIDENTS'
MESSAGE

Well, we are off and running in our 2008-2009 year here in the West Coast. We have new officers, new dance schedule, and hopefully with all the classes going on we will have new dancers. Make sure you support these classes with your time as angels, a big smile and a welcoming, friendly attitude.

Our first Association dance of our new year was held at Sun City, Pebble Beach with Van Coble as M.C.. The club, the Sun City Swingers are great hosts and always make you feel welcome. Our next association dance will be in Bonita Springs on Dec. 7th with Howard Cole as M.C., flyers are out with directions on how to get there so pick one up and join us for a great dance.

Lets not forget our Fall Fun Fest in Bartow on November 7 & 8 with Bob Poyner, Art Springer on squares and Charlie and Leona Lovelace on Rounds. It is always a great weekend.

As most of you know the Brasfield's and the Walkers agreed to be co-Presidents this year to keep things going and along with the Haar's, the Baxter's and Dottie Fitchett and Bert we look forward to a good year. We hope you are there and join in the fun.

Ken & Sandy Brasfield and Zurhn & Shirley Walker



IN MEMORY
FRED HLADIK

Fred Hladik passed away this past October 1st. You may recall he was the Caller who was very active at the Bay Area Twirler's Club, danced with all the single or solo ladies and never made a mistake.

We are sure he will be greatly missed by family and friends.

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SHAMROCK SWING 2009

Plans for the 9th Annual Shamrock Swing are underway. The date is March 20 and 21, 2009. Location is in The Villages at the La-Hacienda Center, 1200 Avenida Central. Callers will be: Tony Oxendine and Bob Stern. Round Dance Cuers will be Joanne and Ken Helton. There will be TWO halls featuring Mainstream, Plus, DBD, Advance and Rounds.

Ribbons are \$17 per person in advance. \$19 per person at the door. Daily admission available at the door is \$13 per person all day Saturday. Admission for Friday OR Saturday evening only is \$11 per person.

Be a Booster for the price of \$1. Your name will be entered in the Program Booklet as a supporter of the Shamrock Swing.

The Host Hotel will be Microtel Inn & Suites -- 850 South Hwy 27/441 in Lady Lake, FL 32159. Their phone # is (352) 259-0184. They are approx. (3) three miles south of The Villages.

There are many, many shops in The Villages in both Town Square areas and throughout The Villages as a whole. Also, many restaurants for your dining pleasure.

Every President or Area Rep of the Central Florida Square and Round Dance Association clubs have been given Ribbons and Booster sheets. You may contact them for further information and flyers or contact:

Bob and Jennie Courter

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NEW YEARS EVE PARTY

at

Strawberry Square Dance Center

I-4 to Exit 17 Branch Forbes Rd. South to Beauchamp.

Left on Beauchamp Rd. One mile to Hall.

or

I-4 to Exit 19, Thonotosassa Road, South to right

on Hwy 92 to Whitehurst, right on Whitehurst, to

left on Boot Bay Road. One mile to Hall



Wednesday, December 31, 2008 7:30 p.m - 12:30 a.m

Hot Buffet Dinner 7:30 p.m.

Dancing starts after dinner

Coffee and Snacks all evening.



Caller: Bob & Shirley Barnes

Cuer: Charlie & Leona Lovelace

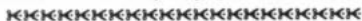
Price \$30.00 per person

RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN

DECEMBER 15, 2008 NO EXCEPTIONS

Motel info: See Website for Strawberry Square discount

Free self-contained dry camping available for Dancers



RESERVATION FORM

Name _____

Phone _____

Address _____

No in party _____

Total amount remitted: _____

Please indicate if you would prefer to sit with a certain group or individual.

Mail Reservations & Checks to Strawberry Square, Inc.

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Receive directly to your Inbox

- > current West Coast (FL) dance information every Monday morning
- > reminders of West Coast membership dances
- > notices of death or sickness of fellow dancers

Stay in touch while you travel

Plan ahead - all the special dances are in chronological order and all listed in one place!

Penny Green, Editor

Email sqdnxfan@aol.com to add your name to the distribution list.

WEST COAST SQUARE & ROUND DANCERS' ASSOCIATION

DANCE SCHEDULE FOR 2008 & 2009

PRE – DANCE ROUNDS 1:30 PM – SQUARES 2 – 4 PM
(Free to Association Members – \$5.00 per person for guests)

Dec. 7, 2008	Citrus Pk. Club House	25601 Trust Blvd.	Bonita Spgs.
Jan. 11, 2009	Bahr Mob. Home Pk.	39444 Dancers Lane	Zephyrhills
Feb. 8, 2009	Bartow Civic Center	2250 S. Floral Ave.	Bartow
Mar. 15, 2009	United Church of Christ	3115 Hope Road	Sebring
Apr. 5, 2009	Sun "N" Fun RV Res.	7125 Fruitville Rd.	Sarasota
Aug., 16, 2009	Strawberry Square	4401 Promenade Blvd.	Plant City
Sept. 20, 2009	Strawberry Square	4401 Promenade Blvd.	Plant City

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The West Coast Square and Round Dance Association appreciates the support received from your Chamber of Commerce in helping to promote our activity.

SQUARE DANCES

MONDAY

AUBURNDALE Hampton Promenaders - Hampton Golf Comm. Ctr - 1094 US 92 W (7 mi E of Lakeland) MS/Plus/Rnds 7:30-9:30 PM - PDR at 7 Cuer - Phyllis Hathaway - Info: 863-668-9128 or e-mail: nfas31@aol.com <> Guest callers. See Ad on page 17.

BONITA SPRINGS Twilight Twirlers, Bonita Sps. Com. Ctr. - Crn. Reynolds & Old 41 - Plus W/S 6:30 pm - MS/Rnds 7 - 89 pm Howard Cole / Obee Hobb239-691-5670 - Nov. thru Apr.

DADE CITY Travelers Rest - 29129 Johnston Rd - Plus 7:30-9:30 PM - Bob Bourassa - 352-796-8254, 352-588-4433 Nov. thru Mar.

DADE CITY Dade City Squares, 11222 Blue Bird Dr. - Class & Plus - 6:30 - 9 PM - Marty Van Wart - Mar. thru Oct

FT MYERS BEACH Indian Creek Pk 17340 San Carlos Blvd - Iroquois Hall A-2 7:00 PM - Iroquois Hall Winter - Room 11 Summer. Jerry Fell - 239-826-5388

FT MYERS BEACH Siesta Bay RV Pk., Summerlin Rd. ~ Starts Jan. 5, 2009 DBD Plus Dance ~ 1 - 3 pm - Walt Courtney 859-967-9993

MATLACHA Matlacha Com. Ctr., 4577 Pine Island Rd. N. W. Caller: Wes Morris 7:00 - 9:00 PM ~ Plus Wksp/Dance Call first: 239-282-6322 (Nov. 10 -Mar.) Or j.h.morris@embarqmail.com

PINELLAS PK Aud. - 7690 59th St. N. - C3B Dance/WS 12:30 - 2:30 pm Comp Sqs Mid Sept. - Mid June Art Springer - 813-223-1955 - aspringer1@tampabay.rr.com

SEBRING Harmony Hoedowners - Sebring Cntry Est. Civic Assoc. 3240 Grand Prix Dr. Sq. (Cas. or Sq. Attire) Sam Dunn & Guest Cuers. 1st & 3rd Adv.dnc. Dec-Mar 7:30-9:30 pm DBD/Adv W/S & dnc. Jan-Mar 7:30-9:30 pm 2nd & 4th - MS/Plus/Rnds - 7:30 - 9:30 pm Dec. thru Mar. Plus W/S 6:30-7:30 starts Dec. 9 863-382-6792 / www.samdunn.net

SUN CITY CTR Kings Point Swingers - Kings Pt. Studio Rm in main Clubhouse A-2/Rnds Dance 7:30 - 9:30 PM - Mike Cox Caller - Info: 813-649-0754 - Visitors tell gate you're attending this dance.

TAMPA Temple Twirlers - Barksdale Sr Ctr. 1801 N. Lincoln - PDR 7 PM - Plus 7:30-9:30 PM - Van Coble & Guest callers/ Charlie Lovelace on Rds.-Ph-813-810-5548 or MILEWIS87@tampabay.rr.com or e-mail flobyington@yahoo.com See Ad page 17.

TUESDAY

FT MEADE Ft. Meade Sq. Drs, City MHP, Edgewood Dr. & 2nd St. SE - MS/Plus/Rnds 7:30 - 9:30 pm - 2nd & 4th - Cas. Dress Nov thru Mar - Joy Teagle/PhyllisHathaway Info: 863-285-9962 or 863-285-8628

FT MYERS BEACH Indian Creek Pk. - 17340 San Carlos Blvd. - Rm 11, C1 Dnc / Wksp. 7 - 9 pm Jerry Fell - 239-826-5388

FT MYERS BEACH Indian Creek Pk. - 17340 San Carlos Blvd. - Seminole Hall MS - 7-9 pm - Starts Jan. 6, 2009 Walt Courtney (239) 826-5388 or (239) 245-5946

LAKELAND Buttons & Bows - Magnolia Bldg. - 702 E. Orange St. - PDR 7:30PM, Alt. Ms/Plus/Rnds 8-10 PM - 2nd & 4th Tues. - Info: - 863-533-3447 Note: 2009 schedule is 1/2 hour earlier. Please see Ad on Page 17.

N FT MYERS Horizon Village - 9200 Littleton Rd (S of Shell Factory) - Plus/Rnds 7-9 pm - Len/Ruth Siegmann 239-567-1320 ~ Nov - Mid Apr.

PLANT CITY* Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. --- 813-752-0491
A2 Review 12p - 2:00 pm ~ Marty Van Wart

PORT CHARLOTTE* Maple Leaf Squares, Maple Leaf Golf & C.C., 2100 Kings Hwy. I-75 exit 170, go SW 1-1/2 Mi., Queensway Bldg. ~ Nov. thru Mar. Ph 941-235-1611 or phonemoves@juno.com / Dave Magee 7:30 - 9:30 pm ~ Alt. MS/Plus

PUNTA GORDA* R & R Gators - Alligator RV Park, 6400 Taylor Rd. --- Plus/ Rnds 10 AM - noon --- Dave Magee/Russ Collier ~ phonemoves@juno.com 941-235-1611 - Nov. thru Apr

RIVERVIEW* Ding-A-Lings ~ Rice Creek RV Resort - 10714 Hwy 301 S - MS/Plus/ Rnds --- 813-677-9179 7:30 - 9:30 PM - Allen Snell Nov. - April

VENICE* Woodmere Pk, 3951 Woodmere Pk. Blvd. - (Off Jacaranda Blv.) ~ A2 1 - 3 pm Nov. - May ~ Red Bates 941-828-0481 / redbates@juno.com

ZEPHYRHILLS* Betmar Belles & Beaus - Betmar Clubhouse #3, Rt 54 --- A1- 7-9 PM A2 Tip at 9 PM - Martyn Van Wart - Russ Bunker 813-780-8036 - Jan. thru Mar.

WEDNESDAY

FT. MYERS* Palmetto Palms, 19681 Summerlin Blvd. ~ C1 @ 2:30 - 3:30 pm A2 @ 3:30 - 5:30 pm ~ both casual/Jan -Mar New location. Caller Red Bates 941.828.0481/redbates@juno.com PDR 7 PM w/Cuer Dick Chase Plus 7:30 - 9:30 pm w/ Red Bates/Jan - Mar.

PLANT CITY* Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491 C1 ~ 1:00 - 3:00 PM with Art Springer Plus Club Night - 7 - 9:30pm Exc. 12/24, 31 See flyer for Caller Schedule. Dec. 31, NY Eve Buffet & Dance 7:30 - 12:30pm, Bob Barnes & Charlie & Leona Lovelace

PT. CHARLOTTE* Cultural Ctr. Sq. Dance Club - Pt. Charlotte Cult. Ctr. Centennial Hall 2280 Aaron St. 7 - 9:30 PM MS/Plus Info: 041-380-5336 - Guest callers/Jennie Martin <> May 7 - Oct 1, 2008

SPRING HILL* Timber Pines Twirlers ~ Resumes 01/08 ~ Plus/Rnds 7-9 PM Roland Blanchette / Judy Doane For gate access & directions, 352-684-2466

ZEPHYRHILLS* Betmar Belles & Beaus Betmar Clubhouse #2 Rt. 54 ~ Plus/Round 7:00 - 9:30 PM ~ Guest Callers/Cuer: Ella Bettencourt 813-783-7523 Nov. thru Mar.

THURSDAY

Bonita Springs* Snobirds, Citrus Pk. Clubhouse, 25601 Trost Blvd. ~ PDR 7-7:30 MS/Plus 7:30 - 9:30 PM with Howard Cole/ Mike Alexander. Jan thru Apr. 2. Red Bates on Jan., 15. 239-948-2063 or 239-948-7082

DUNNELLON* Citrus Squares - United Methodist Church, 21501 Hwy 40 - MS/ Plus 7:00 - 9:00 PM - Ellis Lindsey - Info call 352-382-2631 or email: lalecl@aol.com or: rhagaman@tampabay.rr.com

LAKE PLACID* Pine Ridge Promenaders Sunshine RV Resort- Rt 70 (1000 Yds E of US 27) 7:30 - 9:30 PM - Guest Callers-MS/ Plus - Call 863-699-9959 Nov thru Apr

LAKE WALES* Shufflin' Sqs. -Lake Ashton Golf Club - 4141 Ashton Club Dr. ~ off Thompson Nursery Rd. - 1st & 3rd Thurs. 7:30 - 9:30pm - MS/Plus, ~ Keith Stevens - cakitts@hotmail.com / 863 - 326 - 1046 Casual or traditional dress all year

PINELLAS PK* Promenade Squares - Sr. Ctr. - 7625 59th St. N - 1 Blk N off Pk Blvd. at RR tracks. 6 - 7:15 Mainstream Class ~ PDR, 7:15 - 7:45 pm 7:45 - 9:45 pm MS/Plus dance Dick DeMeritt / Jimmy & Carol Griffin 727-733-2220 peto1936@yahoo.com See Ad page 17.

PT CHARLOTTE* Charlotte Promenaders Pt. Charlotte Cty. Cultural Ctr., Centennial Hall, 2280 Aaron St. --- PDR 7:00 PM --- Plus 7:30-9:45 PM Guest callers & cuers 941 426-2364 ~ Nov. thru Apr.

SUN CITY CTR* Kings Point Swingers - Kings Pt. Studio Rm, main Clubhouse on Rt. 674 E of I-75 - 813-649-0754 - 7:30 - 9:30 PM - Plus/w Rnds --- Mike Cox

ZEPHYRHILLS* Glen Haven RVP - 37251 Chancy Rd - MS/Plus/Rnds 7-9:30 PM - George Varney/Cuer Ella Bettencourt - 813-782-0885 or Jackie Geisler 813-782-9818 Nov. thru Mar.

FRIDAY

ESTERO* Corkscrew Woodlands Pk - 21500 Corkscrew Rd - I-75 Exit 123 Plus/Rnds, 7 - 9 PM Howard Cole/Taped Rounds Ph: 239-980-0939 / 239-466-7132 Nov. thru Mar.

•HUDSON**Bayonet Pt. Enrichment Ctr.,
12417 Clock Tower Pkwy. PDR 6:30 PM
Plus 7 - 9 PM - A2 Tip at 9
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or bobbourassa@bellsouth.net

•LARGO**Snell's Bo's & Bell's - Com. Ctr.,
4th St. NW & West Bay- Allen Snell or guest
7:30 -9:45 pm MS/Plus/Rnds 727-862-4842
or 727-809-3429

•MATLACHA**Matlacha Com. Ctr., 4577
Pine Island Rd., NW ~ MS/Plus, 7 - 9 PM,
Nov. thru Mid Apr. Wes Morris, 239-282-
6322 or j.h.morris@embarqmail.com
Call for directions

•PALMETTO**Manatee RV Park
PDR: 7:00 - 7:30 PM - Plus 7:30 - 9:30 PM
Adv. tip at 9:30 PM - Caller/Cuer: Mike
Cox - 813-649-0754

•PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square - 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491
C2 Dance & WS 10am - 12n Exc. 12/26 &
01/16, 23 with Gary Brown ~ 01/16 with
Lee Kopman ~ 01/23 with Mike Jacobs
A2 7 - 9:30pm, No Rnds. In Dec.
A2 7 - 9:30pm With Rnds in Jan.
See enclosed flyer for caller/ Cuer schedule.

•SEBRING**Buttonwood Bay Squares But-
tonwood Bay RV Res., 10001 US Rt. 27S. -
1st & 3rd Fri. Nov. thru Mar.
PDR 7 - 7:30pm - Alt MS/Plus/Rnds 7:30 -
9:30pm - Caller Joe Teagle
Cuer Phyllis Hathaway. 863-273-0049

•SUN CITY CTR**SCC Swingers - Comm.
Hall 1910 S. Pebble Bch. Blvd. 1 M So. of
SR 674 - ER 7:00 PM - MS/Plus/Rnds
7:30-9:30 pm-Van Coble / Mary Wiewiora
Info: (813) 633-1297 or 633-8780.

•TAMPA**Spinning Wheels, Barksdale Rec.
Ctr 1801, N. Lincoln . - PDR - 7 pm - Plus/
Rnds - 7:30-9:30 pm - Callers: Art Springer,
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•VENICE**Woodmere Pk, 3951 Woodmere
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•ARCADIA**Palace Promenaders - Square
Dance Hall - 1647 NE Floridian Cir. Off Rt
17 N - Plus 7 - 9 PM - Art Miller/Jennie
Martin - Oct.-Mid Apr. 863-494-2749

•BRANDON**Bay Area Twirlers - Brandon
Rec. Center - 502 Sadie St. - PDR 7:00 -
Plus/ Rnds 7:30 - 9:30 PM - 2nd & 4th
Sat. <- Guest Callers and Cuers 813-685-
3826 or 813-659-2434 See Ad page 17.

•FT MYERS BCH**Indian Creek Pk. 17340
San Carlos Blvd. PDR-7PM - Plus/Rnds
7:00 PDR ~ Plus/Rnds 7:30 -9:30pm - Jerry
Fell / Dick Chase - Summer, Rm 11 - Nov.
thru Mar., Iroquois Hall - 239-826-5388

•RUSKIN**Hawaiian Isle - MS 5-7 pm -
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Caller/Cuer - 813-649-0754 - Nov. thru Apr.

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Rec. Dept. - 6630 Van Buren St. ~ Allen
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Plus WS 1:30 - 2:00 pm & Plus 2 - 4 pm
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•PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square - 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491 PDR 7 pm
7:30 - 9:30 pm Plus / Rounds ~
See Flyer for dates & Caller/Cuer Schedule.

•VENICE**Buttons & Bows - Woodmere Pk.
3951 Woodmere Pk. Blvd. (Off Jacaranda
Blvd) - PDR 7PM- Plus/Rnds 3:00 - 5:00 pm
941-484-8543 or 941-496-8516 Nov. ~ Mar.

SUNDAY

•BROOKSVILLE**Cloverleaf Leprechauns
Cloverleaf Farms Heather House, 900 N
Broad St - Rt 41N - PH 352-666-7433 or
352-596-0885 - Nov. thru April
PDR 1:30 - 2 PM - Plus 2 - 4:00 PM
(4 - 4:15 PM A-1 Tip) ~ Bob Bourassa &
Guest Callers / Cuers Judy & Jake Doane

•HUDSON**B & S Flutter Wheelers -
Bayonet Pt. Enrichment Ctr., 12417 Clock
Tower Pkwy. 6:00 - 8:00 PM - A2 Dance
Caller: Bob Bourassa or Guests - (352)796-
8254 - bobbourassa@bellsouth.net

•NAPLES**Happy Promenaders - Hitching
Post, S. Tamiami Tr. - Nov. thru Apr.
PDR 7 PM - Plus 7:30 - 9:30 PM
Bob Silva / Mike Alexander
Info: 239-530-0675 or 239-793-8769

•PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square - 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491
C1 w/C2 star tips, Jan. 18 ~ 10am-12:30pm
And 1:30pm - 4:00 pm with Lee Kopman
C2 weekend 9 - 11am with Mike Jacobs

PT. RICHEYThe Huggables, King of Kings Church, 10337 US 19 Allen Snell
2:30 - 4:30 pm MS/P dance 727-809-3429
or after 12:30 pm 727-809-0323

WAUCHULACrystal Lake Sqs - Crystal Lake Vil. - 237 Maxwell Rd. (on RT 17 - 2 mi N of Wauchula) Ms/Plus w/ Rds 7-9 PM
Guest Callers / Rnds: Phyllis Hathaway.
863-773-2026. ~ Sched. Varies, call ahead.

BEGINNER SQUARE DANCE LESSONS

MONDAY

DADE CITY*Travelers Rest - 29129
Johnston Rd ~ 4:30 - 6 PM - Bob Bourassa
352-796-8254, 352-588-4433 Nov thru Mar

LARGOCom. Ctr., 4th St. NW & West Bay - Beg. Combined w/ plus WS - 7:30 - 9:30 pm - (727) 862-4842 or 809-3429
Allen Snell ~ starts Oct. 20.

TAMPABarksdale Rec. Ctr. 1801 N. Lincoln Ave., — 7 - 9 PM Art Springer
aspringer1@tampabay.rr.com
Sponsored by the Spinning Wheels

ZEPHYRHILLSGlenhaven RV Pk - 37251 Chancey Rd - Beg Class 1-3:00 PM - George Varney - 813-782-0885 - Jackie Geisler - 813-782-9818 Nov. thru Mar.

TUESDAY

LEHIGH ACRESSenior Ctr., Plaza Drive 9 - 11 am ~ Starts Jan 6, 2009 ~ Walt Courtney Calling ~ 859-967-9993

ST. PETERSBURGSuncoast Squares - Metro Center 3170 3rd Av. N. A gay/lesbian/bisexual/transgender Club but all dancers welcome. 727-343-8466 - 7:30 - 9 PM Beg. Lessons, Plus class follows. Instructor Mike Cox

SUN CITY CTRSCC Sq. dance Club - Com. Hall - 1910 S. Pebble Bch. Blvd. 1 M So. of SR 674. 10/7 Open house 7 - 9 PM
Class starts 10/14 7 - 8:30 PM Van Coble, Instructor ~ Info: gail3357@gmail.com

WEDNESDAY

SUN CITY CTRKings Point Swingers - Kings Pt. Studio Rm in main Clubhouse
Info: 813-649-0754 — 5 - 6:30 pm - Mike Cox

THURSDAY

PINELLAS PK.Promenade Squares - Senior Ctr. - 7625 59th St. N. - 1 Blk N off Park Blvd. at RR tracks: Started Sept. 18 at 6:00 PM - Dick DeMerritt, instructor
727-733-2220 / peto1936@yahoo.com

FRIDAY

FT MYERS BCHIndian Creek Pk. 17340 San Carlos Blvd - Seminole Hall
9 — 11am ~ Walt Courtney 239-826-5388 or 239-246-5946 ~ Starts Jan. 2, 2009

PORT CHARLOTTEMaple Leaf Squares, Maple Leaf Golf & C.C. 2100 Kings Hwy. 1-75 exit 170, go SW 1-1/2 Mi. Queensway Bldg. — Ph 941-235-1611 or E-mail: phonemoves@juno.com — Nov. thru Mar. 1 - 3 PM <> Dave Magee

SATURDAY

LUTZJazzercise location, 19012 SW 1st Ave., Caller: Roland Blanchette
4:45—6:45 PM ~ flobyington@yahoo.com or 813-810-5548

SUNDAY

AUBURNDALEHampton Promenaders - Hampton Golf Com. Ctr - 1094 US 92 W (7 mi E of Lakeland) 1:30 - 3:30 pm ~ Starts Oct. 26, 2008. Instructor Danny Miller
Info: chraller56@aol.com

FT MEADEFt. Meade Sq. Dancers, Ft. Meade City MHP, Edgewood Dr. & 2nd St. SE - 2-3:30 pm, Jan thru Mar. - Joy Teagle Caller - Info: 863-285-9962 or 863-285-8756

SQUARE DANCE LESSONS (MS-PL-A-C)

MONDAY

PLANT CITYStrawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. — 813-752-0491
MS Started Nov. 3 ~ 6:30 - 8:00 PM
Plus Started Nov. 3 ~ 8:00 - 9:30 PM
Roland Blanchette
Beginning A1, 12n - 2:00 pm, Starts Jan. 5.
Beginning A2, 2:00 - 4:00 pm, Starts Jan. 5.
Marty Van Wart

TUESDAY

PLANT CITYStrawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. — 813-752-0491
Beginning C1, 2:00 - 4:00 pm Starts Jan. 6.
Keith Stevens

ST. PETERSBURG*Suncoast Squares - Metro Center 3170 3rd Av. N. A gay/lesbian/bisexual/transgender club but all dancers welcome. - Plus - 9 - 10 pm - Mike Cox Calling 727-343-8466/suncoastsquares@yahoo.com

SUN CITY CENTER*SCC Swingers, Comm. Hall, 1910 S. Pebble Bch Blvd. (1 Mi. S of 674) MS Class 7 - 8:30 pm <> Plus Class 8:30 - 9:30 pm - Van Coble, teaching (813)-633-1297 or 633-8780

VENICE*Woodmere Pk, 3951 Woodmere Pk. Blvd. - (Off Jacaranda Blv.) MS Class 10 - noon - Nov. - May ~ Caller, Red Bates 941-828-0481 / redbates@juno.com

WEDNESDAY

SUN CITY CTR*Kings Point Swingers - Kings Pt. Health Rm in main Clubhouse 813-649-0754 - 5 - 6:30 pm - Mike Cox
WAUCHULA*Crystal Lake Sqs. - Crystal Lake Vill. - 237 Maxwell Rd. (on RT 17 - 2 mi. N. of Wauchula) - Sam Dunn: Caller Plus: 12N - MS: 1:30 PM - Basic: 3 pm Jan., Feb. & Mar. - 863-773-6110

THURSDAY

BRANDON*Bay Area Twirlers - Brandon Rec. Center - 502 Sadie St. Continuing MS & Plus 8:30 - 9:45 PM Van Coble teaching. See Ad Page 7. Info: 813-643-8289 or 813-653-9514

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491 Beginner C1. Continued from 2008 9:30 - 11:30 am ~ Jan. Exc. 01/01. Marty Van Wart.

SUN CITY CTR*Kings Point Swingers - Kings Pt. Studio Rm in main Clubhouse 5:45 - 7:30 pm, plus class, Mike Cox, caller Info: Sonny 813-649-0754

FRIDAY

FT MYERS BCH*Indian Creek Pk. 17340 San Carlos Blvd - Seminole Hall - Jan-Mar MS 1:00 - 3:00 PM ~ Plus 3:00 - 5:00 PM Walt Courtney (239)454-1517 or 826-5388

SUNDAY

FT MEADE*Ft. Meade Sq. Dancers, City MHP, Edgewood Dr. & 2nd St. SE - MS/ Plus - Jan thru Mar 3:30-5 pm - Joy Teagle, Caller - Info 863-285-9962 Or 863-285-8756

SPINNING WHEELS of TAMPA

**EARLY ROUNDS 7:00 - 7:30 PM
MS, PLS, RNDS 7:30 - 9:30 PM**

CUER:

CHARLIE & LEONA LOVELACE

**CALLERS: (FRIDAYS)
ART SPRINGER 1, 3, 5
MIKE COX 2, 4**

**BARKSDALE CTR.
1801 N. LINCOLN, TAMPA
PH: 813-689-8987 or 813-935-1580**

SQUARE DANCE WORKSHOPS

MONDAY

DADE CITY*Travelers Rest - 29129 Johnston Rd - 6 - 7:30 PM - Plus - Bob Bourassa - 352-796-8254, 352-588-4433 Nov. thru Mar.

TUESDAY

VENICE*Woodmere Pk. 3951 Woodmere Pk Blvd (Off Jacaranda Blvd) - Nov. - May - 3:00 - 5:00 pm - Plus W/S - Red Bates 941-828-0481 / redbates@juno.com

ZEPHYRHILLS*Betmar Clubhouse #3 - Plus Wksp 1-3 PM - Marty Van Wart - Info: 813-780-8036 - Nov. thru Mar.

WEDNESDAY

BEVERLY HILLS*Hillbillies - Civic Ctr Club House - Plus Wksp 7-8PM - Lon Ligon 813-746-4882 or 746-3028

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491 C2 ~ 10:00 AM - noon ~ Art Springer Except Dec. 24 & 31.

WAUCHULA*Crystal Lake Sqs. - Crystal Lake Vill. age - 237 Maxwell Rd (on RT 17 - 2 mi. N. of Wauchula) - Joy Teagle, Caller Nov. & Dec. only. MS 1 PM, Basic 2:30 PM Plus 4 PM - 863-773-6523

THURSDAY

FT. MYERS BCH*Indian Creek Pk. 17340 San Carlos Blvd. - Rm 11 ~ A2 2:45 - 4:45 pm Jerry Fell 239-826-5388

PORT CHARLOTTE*Maple Leaf Golf & C.C. 2100 Kings Hwy. I-75 exit 170, go SW 1-1/2 Mi., Nov. thru Mar...
A1: 9 - 10:30 am **A2:** 10:30 am - 12n
Dave Magee 941-235-1611 or e-mail
phonemoves@juno.com

FRIDAY

FT MYERS BCH*Indian Creek Pk. 17340 San Carlos Blvd - Seminole Hall
1 - 3 pm Mainstream Wksp / Lessons
3 - 5 pm Plus Workshop / Lessons
~~ Walt Courtney ~ Starts Jan. 2, 2009
239-826-5388 or 239-246-5946

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491
C3 Ea. Wk. 12:45 - 2:45pm ~ Keith Stevens

PORT CHARLOTTE*Maple Leaf Golf & C.C. 2100 Kings Hwy. I-75 exit 170, go SW 1-1/2 Mi., Nov. thru Mar. ~ **Plus**
3 - 5 PM ~ Dave Magee 941-235-1611 or
phonemoves@juno.com

SATURDAY

DADE CITY*Travelers Rest - 29129 Johnston Rd - Plus Rev. 7:30 PM - Dale Eddy - Nov. thru Mar.

SUNDAY

PT. RICHEY*King of Kings Ch., 10337 US 19. — 1 - 2:30 pm MS/Plus W/S with Allen Snell 727-862-4842

BEGINNER ROUND DANCE LESSONS

TUESDAY

Bonita Springs* Citrus Pk. Rec. Hall, 25181 Trost Blvd. ~ Jan. - Apr. ~ 11 - 12 N
Mike & Joyce Alexander ~ 239-992-0207

WAUCHULA*Crystal Lake Sqs. - Crystal Lake Vill. age - 237 Maxwell Rd (on RT 17 - 2 mi. N. of Wauchula) — 1 - 2:15 PM
Info: 863-773-6523 — Cuer: Phyllis Hathaway — Nov. thru Mar.

WEDNESDAY

VENICE*Woodmere Pk., 3951 Woodmere Park Blvd. (Off Jacaranda Blvd.)
Nov. thru Apr. Beg. Basics 10 - 11:30 am —
Jeanette & Gene Bowles 941-505-0103

THURSDAY

BONITA SPRINGS*Citrus Pk. Rec. Hall, 25601 Trost Blvd. - 11:00 - 12 noon
Jan. to Apr. - Michael Alexander
239-948-2918 or 239-498-8833

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491 Beginners
Ea. Wk. exc. 12/25 & 01/01 - 12:30 - 2 pm
Charlie & Leona Lovelace

FRIDAY

ZEPHYRHILLS*Betmar Bells & Beaus - Clubhouse #3 -Betmar MHP - Beg. 3- 4:30 PM
Eila Bettencourt - Nov. thru Mar.

ROUND DANCES & WORKSHOPS

MONDAY

PLANT CITY*Stardust Dance Center
Plant City Plaza - 1405 S Collins St.
1:00 - 3:30 PM Ph VI Teach
6:00 - 8:30 PM Ph V - VI Teach
Curt & Tammy Worlock - 813-759-8313

TUESDAY

Bonita Springs* Citrus Pk. Rec. Hall, 25181 Trost Blvd. ~ Jan. - Apr.
PH IV WS, 8:00 - 9:00 AM
PH III Lessons, 9:00 - 10:00 AM
PH II Lessons, 10:00 - 11:00 AM
Mike & Joyce Alexander 239-992-0207

PINELLAS PK*J & C Spin-A-Rounds - Pinellas Park Auditorium - 7690 59th St N - 6:00 - 7:45 PM — Ph III - IV
8:00-9:30 PM Ph III Wksp
Jimmy & Carol Griffin 727-525-7809
Web: <http://web.tampabay.rr.com/jcspin>

PLANT CITY*Stardust Dnc Center
Plant City Plaza - 1405 S. Collins St.
6:00 - 7:00 PM Rhythmn clinic
7:00 - 9:00 PM Phase IV - V teach
Curt & Tammy Worlock - 813-759-8313

SEBRING*First United Methodist Ch. 105 S. Pine St. — 7 - 9 pm Mark & Shelly Hilburn - Nov. - May — Ph II/III -
Individual Instruction Available
863-655-2774 — mehilburn@earthlink.net

WAUCHULA*Crystal Lake Sqs. - Crystal Lake Vill. - 237 Maxwell Rd (on RT 17 - 2 mi N of Wau.) Wksp PH II & III 2:15-3:30 PM — Phyllis Hathaway — Info: 863-773-6110. Nov. thru Mar.

WEDNESDAY

SUN CITY CTR*Kings Point Swingers - Kings Pt. Studio Rm in main Clubhouse
8 - 9:30 PM - Ph III & IV — Mike Cox
Info: 813-649-0754

*VENICE**Woodmere Pk. 3951 Woodmere Pk Blvd. (Off Jacaranda Blvd.) Nov thru Apr
Ph II & III Workshop 12 noon - 2 PM
Jeanette & Gene Bowles 941-505-0103

THURSDAY

*BROOKSVILLE**Pot O' Gold Rd. Dancers
Cloverleaf Farms Heather House, 900 N
Broad St - Rt 41N ----- Nov. Thru April
9 AM Ph II, III some IV, 10 AM Basic I & II
Judy & Jake Doane ---- 351-797-5557

*NAPLES**Hitching Post, S.Tamiami
Trail, Ph II intro: Ph III @ 1pm, Ph III & IV
2:30pm - Norma & Bob Silva 941-732-
5471 Nov. - Apr.

*PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square - 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491
PH - III Intro to IV, 2:30 - 4:30 pm exc.
12/25 & 01/01 PH: II Intro to III 7:00 - 9:00
PM exc. 11/25 & 01/01
All with Charlie & Leona Lovelace.

*PLANT CITY**Stardust Dance Ctr - Plant
City Plaza - 1405 S Collins St.
PH VI Review 1:00 - 3:30 PM - Curt &
Tammy Worlock ---- 813-759-8313

*SARASOTA**Sun 'n Fun RV Park - 7125
Fruitville Rd - PH II - III ~ 10:30 AM -12:
noon - Mike Cox - Nov thru Apr. ---- 813-
649-0754

FRIDAY

*FT. MYERS BCH**Indian Creek Pk. 17340
San Carlos Blvd. - Nov. ~ Apr. Rm.11
Ph III - III+ 12:00 - 1:30 pm
Ph IV - IV+ 1:30 - 3:00 pm
Ph V - V+ 3:00 - 4:30 pm
Social dance lessons 4:30 - 6:00 pm
Dick & Darlene Chase 239-656-0626
E-mail : jddchase@embarqmail.com

*ZEPHYRHILLS**Betmar Bells & Beaus -
Betmar Club Hse #3, Rt 54 - PH III & IV
12 - 1:30PM ~ Beg. 1:30 - 3PM - Ella
Bettancourt ~Nov thru Mar~ 813.780.7012

SATURDAY

*PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square - 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491 Ea. Sat.
Exc. 12/24 & 01/24 ~ 10:30am -12:30pm -
Ph V Charlie & Leona Lovelace

SUNDAY

*PINELLAS PK.**Pinellas Pk. Aud. 7690
59th St. N- Next to Police Sta. - Third
Sun. Rnds" Party - Phase II-IV-1:00-4:00
PM Jimmy & Carol Griffin 727-525-7809
web: <http://web.tampabay.rr.com/jcspn>

*PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square - 4401
Promenade Blvd. ---- 813-752-0491
PH IV ~ 6:30 - 8:30 pm except Dec. 28
PH II - IV Rnd Party 2 - 5pm ~ on 12/28
PH II - IV Rnd Party 2 - 5 pm ~ on Jan. 11
Charlie & Leona Lovelace

COUNTRY/WESTERN / LINE DANCES

TUESDAY

*ARCADIA**Palace Square Dance Hall -
1627 NE Floridian Circle - Off Hwy 17 N.
Lines 7-9 PM Jennie Martin 863-494-2749

THURSDAY

*CLEARWATER**Dancers Rendezvous
4445 E. Bay Dr. Line Dance - 7:30 9:30 pm
Arline Winerman - 727-551-0062

SOCIAL BALLROOM DANCING

*FT. MYERS BCH.**Indian Creek Pk.
17340 San Carlos Blvd., Year Rnd, Rm. 11
Begs. 1:30-3pm, New class every 8 wks.
Intern. 3-4:30pm, New rhythm every 8 wks.
Dick & Darlene Chase 239-770-5257
Email jddchase@embarqmail.com

A Happy New Year For All



ROCK AND ROLL TIME IN 2009

May 22nd, 23rd and 24th

It is getting closer and closer, the time of your life...a time to swing your partner to good old Rock and Roll Rhythm in Lakeland at the Florida State Convention. If you have never attended before, or only on occasion, this is one convention you won't want to miss. The best time to buy your tickets is NOW....\$27.00 per person is a real bargain. The price goes up to \$30.00 at the door and taking the time to purchase them could very well cut into your dancing time. We are anticipating long, long, long ticket lines!!!

Also, raffle tickets are now being sold by CFA members and the convention committee at the low price of \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. Your chances to win the Hewlett Packard Laptop Computer are as 'good' as anyone's, so snap up the tickets often. (you know the more you buy, your chances are 'better' than anyone's)!!

There are many ways you can help promote the convention. Visiting other clubs with brochures in hand, reminding the callers and cuers to urge the dancers to attend. We certainly want new dancers to be aware and feel welcome. The State Convention is a good place for them to get a chance to dance to many different callers and get a lot of floor time. Everyone can benefit from the workshops during the day. Those of us with the convention attire, wear it frequently....it is a definite way to advertise...not only to the dancers, but to remind the callers and cuers to point it out as advertising. Don't let those poodle skirts get dusty!

Carol and Randy as well as all the committee members are making an effort to get around the state to promote our convention. If you see us at a dance come say "Hi" and let's "square up".

Joanne Engum, Publicity Chairman

HAMPTON PROMENADERS

SQUARE and ROUND DANCE CLUB
1094 US 92W – Auburndale, FL
PDR 7pm, MS/PL/Rnds 7:30 – 9:30 pm
Cuer – Phyllis Hathaway

12/01 Clyde Stocker 1/05 Clyde Stocker
12/08 Danny Miller 1/12 Art Springer
12/15* Clyde Stocker 1/19 Allen Snell
12/22, 29 No Dance 1/26 Clyde Stocker

863-668-9128 or email: nfas31@aol.com

BUTTONS & BOWS Of Lakeland



Dec. only. PDR 7:30pm-MS/P 8pm

Note: 2009 sched. is 1/2 hour earlier.
Magnolia Building – 702 E. Orange St.

12/09 -- Clyde Stocker/Charlie Lovelace
12/23* ---- Art Springer/Charlie Lovelace
01/13 ----- Danny Miller/Charlie Lovelace
01/27** ---- Art Springer/Charlie Lovelace
*Christmas dance **Anniversary dance

SQUARES AND ROUNDS ALL YEAR

Strawberry Square, Inc. Apparel Shop

M – F: 9 – 12

813-752-0491

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for dancers. – gift certificates too.
Open during all dances..*



TEMPLE TWIRLERS



New Barksdale Senior Ctr.
1801 N. Lincoln, Tampa

PDR 7:00 PM
PLUS 7:30 – 9:30 PM
Mondays

VAN COBLE or Guest Caller

CHARLIE & LEONA
LOVELACE Cueing

BAY AREA TWIRLERS



Brandon Community Center
502 Sadie St., Brandon

PDR 7 PM—Plus/Rnds 7:30 – 9:30 PM

12/13 ----- Doc Gray/Charlie Lovelace
12/27 ----- HALL CLOSED
01/10 - Marty Van Wart/ Charlie Lovelace
01/24 ----- Gary Brown / Pat Hagen

813-754-8366 or 813-659-2434

Promenade Squares

Senior Center
7625 59th St. N. – Pinellas Park
Dance Every Thursday

6:00 - 7:15 PM Mainstream class
7:15 - 7:45 PM Pre-Rounds
7:45 – 9:45 PM MS / Plus Dance

Caller – Dick DeMeritt
Cuers: Jimmy & Carol Griffin

FUTURE NATIONAL CONVENTIONS

JUNE 24 – 27, 2009 58th – LONG BEACH, CA
JUNE 23 – 26, 2010 59th – LOUISVILLE, KY
JUNE 22 - 25, 2011 60th - DETROIT, MI

SPECIAL EVENTS

December 7, 2008

WCSRDA Dance at
Citrus RV Park Club House
25601 Trust Blvd.
Bonita Springs
PDR 1:30 PM
Squares 2:00 - 4:00 PM

January 11, 2009

WCSRDA Dance at
Bahr Mobile Home Park
3944 Dancers Lane
Zephyrhills
PDR 1:30 PM
Squares 2:00 - 4:00 PM

February 28, 2009

2010 Fl. St. Convention
Benefit Dance Stardust
Dance Center, 1405 S.
Collins St., Plant City, FL
Cost: Donation at Door
Rnds: 7:00 - 7:45 pm
Sqs: 8:00 - 10:15 pm



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Coin-Op Laundry
1617 Edgewood Dr.
Lakeland FL
863-686-2550

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'taint enough of it!!

BLOOD BANK

The West Coast Square & Round Dance Association has blood bank accounts in Hillsborough, Pinellas and Polk Counties.

If you are in good health you can donate every two months. At this time in history blood is in great demand.

Take time to donate blood. It could save a life.

ACCOUNT #

HILLSBOROUGH: 03151 <> PINELLAS: 06547 <> POLK: WCSR

CLUB NEWS

BAY AREA TWIRLERS – BRANDON



Well here it is December again. The year is almost gone. Hope everyone enjoyed the Fall Fun Fest and had a blessed Thanksgiving.

Our nominating committee has been working on getting members to step forward to serve as officers for next year. The new officers will be installed at our annual Christmas party on Dec 14th.

Our new classes are doing very well with 11 new students. We have two squares with angels. Van Coble is teaching.

We were all saddened by the passing of Fred Hladik in October. Fred would have been 99 years old. He was a true friend to all the BATS and will be missed very much.

Our condolences go out to Carol Wagner on the passing of her father in October. Our prayers are with her.

Tom Wells is doing well after his heart surgery. He is walking on a treadmill every day to get his strength back. Trish says he's feeling pretty strong but is still taking it easy. Keep them in your prayers.

We continue to have wonderful dances with lots of visiting clubs. We have a large facility in which to dance and a great time is had by everyone. Come join us!

Best wishes for a happy holiday season from the Bay Area Twirlers. BAT GIRL

BUTTONS & BOWS – LAKELAND

GREETINGS from Buttons & Bows, going strong into the Holiday Season, and hoping one of its highlights will be seeing you soon at one of our dances.

Especially let us call your attention to the fact that as of January 2009, our dances will begin and end a half hour earlier, in response to an expressed need for folks to be able to get home earlier, conforming to a trend we have noted in other local clubs. Therefore our Early Rounds will commence at 7 PM, Squares at 8, and we will all tear ourselves away at 9:30, each second and fourth Tuesday in Lakeland. We do appreciate the faithful visitors who sometimes drive a long way, and hope the change will make it a little easier.

Our Annual Halloween Hobo Dance was great fun; the attendees were varied and strange, so that our Competent, Experienced Judge must have found it difficult to choose the prizewinners. And we all agreed the Stew seems to get better every year.

Our Christmas Dance falls on December 23, in the middle of a very busy week for everyone. It will make it Special if we see YOU coming thru our doors. We will be featuring Art and Charlie, with our best Holiday Season wishes for you all. L&D for B&B



CLOVERLEAF LEPRECHAUNS No Club News this issue.

KINGS POINT SWINGERS – SUN CITY CENTER No Club News this issue.

PROMENADE SQUARES – PINELLAS PARK



Our dancers have been busy raiding back and forth. We brought in canned food to add to several picnic baskets along with a turkey and the fixings to provide a happy Thanksgiving for some needy families. Spinning Wheels club helped collect food for us also. With money so scarce, these baskets are greatly appreciated.

Our Toys for Tots Dance will be held on December 4th and we hope to have a good variety of toys for children who may not get anything else.

On December 18th will be our annual Christmas Party. There will be no dances Christmas or New Years.

Bring out your cowboy hats for the first dance of the new year on January 8th, Western Days. That ought to be fun. Come join us.

For information, call Shirley at 727-733-2220.

SNELL'S BO'S & BELL'S – LARGO No Club News this issue.



SPINNING WHEELS – TAMPA

A reminder of our toys for tots December 12th Christmas benefit dance. The dance is free when you bring a toy amounting to our admission price, or the admission, for anyone not bringing a toy.

We raided the Temple Twirlers October 12th and had a fun time.

Chapter 08 campers invited us to their Thanksgiving dinner dance and we hope to attend.

We were asked to help Promenade Squares supply food for the Needy Gift Basket. You can bring any food to our dance or theirs and we will get it to them.

The Ghost

STRAWBERRY SQUARE – PLANT CITY

We are happy that most Snowbirds have returned to Florida. We have started our full dance schedule of Square and Round dancing, all levels of each with a variety of callers and cuers.

We started Beginner Square and Round dance lessons in November and the students are enjoying the classes.

Our New Year's Eve Dance this year will have a hot buffet with Bob Barnes calling Square dancing and Charlie and Leona Lovelace doing the cueing to Rounds. We will dance the old year away and welcome the New Year! Be sure to make your reservations to this fun event at Strawberry Square.

Looking forward to dancing with you-all again this year.

B. Huff



SUN CITY CENTER SWINGERS SQUARE DANCE CLUB



If the activity the Club as seen in Oct. and Nov. of this year is any indication of things to come – then there is absolutely no worry for 2009. It truly has been a wonderful year for our Club.

October and November we held the following events:

Open House Oct. 3: Good turnout. We expect the new Dancers that attended will continue the lessons and eventually become members of the Club.

40th Anniversary Dance Oct. 10. The Club celebrated with a Gala Dance on Oct. 10. Past Presidents were recognized. Over 10 Squares enjoyed the Calling of Van Cobe, guest Callers Bob Barnes and George Varney: the Cueing of Mary Wiewiora and Cuer Pat Hagen. West Coast Officers and the

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Temple Twirlers were present. There were Door Prizes and refreshments.

West Coast Dance The Club sponsored the Oct. 19 West Coast Dance. Over 12 Squares enjoyed the calling of Van Coble, Bob Barnes, and George Varney. Mary Wiewiora and Pat Hagen did the Cueing. Refreshments were served.

A Special Halloween Dance was held on Oct. 31. Members provided Black and Orange Snacks. The Club provided Cider/Apple Juice.

Welcome Back Snow Birds Dance Nov. 21. The Snow Birds came in droves not only to dance the night away but also to feast on the Finger Food and Punch.

Special events coming up are as follows:

December

* Christmas Holly Dance - Punch, Eggnog, Hors d'oeuvres

* Annual Christmas Gift Collection. Members donate Christmas Presents to the abused women and children of the Mary & Martha House, Ruskin.

After a very successful and wonderful 2008 we are looking forward to an even better 2009 Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all.

SUNCOAST SQUARES – ST. PETERSBURG No Club News this issue.

SUN-N-FUN – SARASOTA No Club News this issue.

TEMPLE TWIRLERS - TAMPA No Club News this issue.

***2010 Florida State Square &
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Saturday - February 28, 2009

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**Dance to be held in conjunction with the Florida Federation of Square
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Cost: Donation at Door

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Squares: 8:00 -- 10:15 PM

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58th NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION

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Ceremonies at the 58th NSDC

The premier ceremony at the 58th, and the one you don't want to miss, is the Parade of States and Closing Ceremony, which is scheduled for Saturday night in the Arena. This ceremony will feature a colorful and impressive parade of dancers marching into the Arena by state or country. As the dancers enter, each state or country will be recognized for its contribution to the success of the 58th National Square Dance Convention®. The Closing Ceremony will follow the Parade and will include the hotly-anticipated drawings for the grand prizes, which include a 2009 Chevrolet HHR vehicle, a Panama Canal Cruise, a 58-inch flat panel HD television and a digital camera and accessories. (Be sure to buy at least one ticket!!) The Closing Ceremony will then culminate with the announcement of the winner of the bid to host the 62nd National Square Dance Convention® in 2013, an exciting and emotional part of every convention's closing. Make your plans now to join us on Saturday in the Arena.

Contra Dancing at the 58th NSDC

We hope you are planning on attending the 58th National Square Dance Convention® in Long Beach. We are planning a full program of Contra with dancing, seminars and clinics. We will have our "Energizer" dance on Tuesday night before the Convention and a Trail-End dance on Wednesday with more information to follow. After-Parties are planned for each evening after the dance on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. We will be dancing in one hall. Each dance is walked through to familiarize the dancers with the moves so that anyone can participate, so come on down.

Country-Western Dancing at the 58th NSDC

Please join us in the Country-Western Hall, where we will be offering classes, workshops and clinics in line, couple and partner dancing. Our experienced staff of instructors will offer beginning and intermediate classes in Two-Step, Waltz and East Coast swing. Even if you have never danced Country-Western, we invite you to join us, as we will teach lots of easy beginning line dances and partner dances. Each evening we will have an after-party with open line and partner dancing.

Emergency Phone Number at the 58th NSDC

We have received the emergency telephone number for the convention. The number has been issued but will not be active until Monday, June 22, 2009. The telephone number is: (562) 628-8400

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