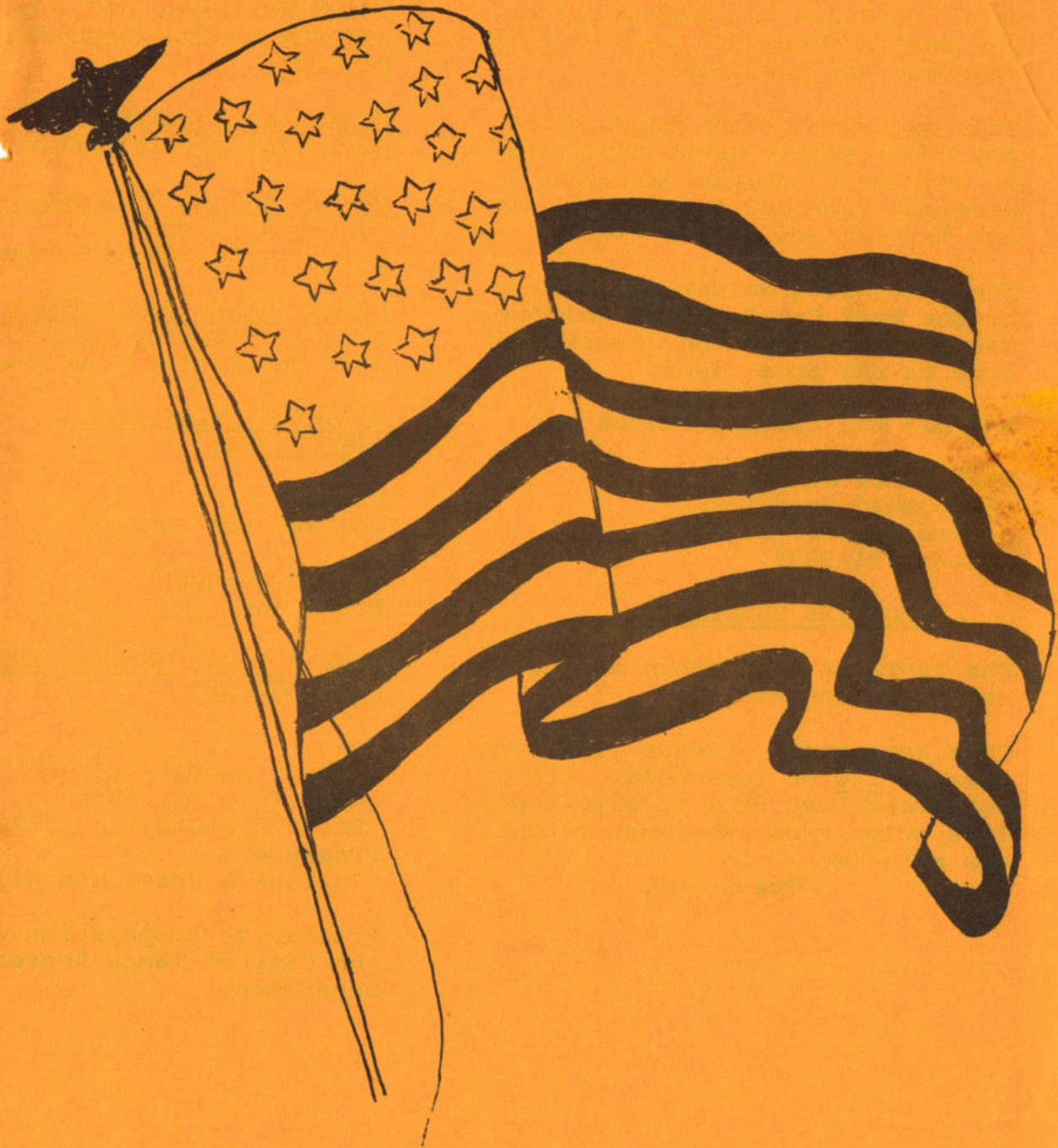


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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We had two excellent Association dances in June and were pleased with the attendance. Our next dance will be Sept 15th at North Blvd. in Tampa, where we will hold nomination of officers. Following that will be the dance in Tampa with Dick Barker on October 19th. This is a special dance arranged by your association, so that your club caller can attend the caller's clinic in Orlando. We would appreciate your support.

Tom & Lee Caviness

A Miracle Happened!

May we take this way of extending our Club's appreciation for the wonderful support from our "Dancer" friends to our Tower Swingers Benefit dance at Bartow Civic Center on Sunday Afternoon May 19th.

Also our many thanks to our caller Roger Chapman and to Marty Martin for the rounds and to the visiting caller Charlie and Marge Carter of Columbus, Ohio for (2) beautiful exhibition rounds.

Our air conditioning in the Parish Hall of the Episcopal Church at Lake Wales, where we have danced for four years every Monday nite, had not been functioning for almost six months. HELP was needed for repair expenses and you ALL helped make it happen-- we are now COOL again. Let us welcome you some Monday evening to enjoy more dancing to our caller Roger Chapman.

George & Grace Kloha

THANK YOU!

Our two West Coast dances in June had a good turn-out, and we appreciate your support. A special thanks to Skeeter Chauvin, Jim Baker, Marty Martin, Bob Walthers and Fred Leach for the excellent job they did on the squares and rounds.

The main topic of conversation on the West Coast is Knothead! The fact that this year it is limited to 1300 dancers has created a very unhappy situation in the area. Because we are the editors of this magazine many people have contacted us and voiced their opinion. We feel we cannot ignore their opinions.

Without exception, the consensus of their opinion is that the Knothead should have been moved to another area, with larger facilities. They feel they have attended Knothead Konventions for years, and even with the adverse conditions that arose last year, (thru no fault of the Knothead) showed their support to the tune of 1,923 dancers. Over the years, Knothead has grown from slightly over 250 to almost 2,000. And the reason is--people like Knothead! It has become one of the highlights of square dancing in this area, and people come yearly from all over the state.

We might add that Knothead is a private enterprise, and it would seem the Konvention Committee gave considerable thought to their announcement. One thing they may not have considered was public opinion, and what a close affinity people feel for Knothead.

At this late date it would seem no other action can be taken, but it is hoped that better planning next year will result in all Knotheads being together again.

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 A delegation of dancers from Georgia attended our State Convention in Orlando, and also attended the Federation meeting as special guests. They extend an invitation to all Florida dancers to join them for their 2nd State Convention in Macon, Georgia Sept. 20 & 21, 1974. Those from our area who attended their 1st Convention last year, said it was fantastic! And the HOSPITALITY was great. If you are a square dancer who likes to travel, mark this one a MUST!

The format of having two callers for the State Convention was so well received by the dancers, the same format will follow in Jacksonville, where it will be "Dip & Dive in '75". Callers will be Jerry Haig and Johnny Walters will be the state caller. Rounds by The Reilly's from New York.

Round Dance News For July, 1974

The Tuesday Round Dance Class of Don and Dorothy at the Oxbow Hall had graduation recently and are combining with Fred and Emily Leach's Sunday afternoon class with the Leachs and the Rand alternating as teachers and cuers. The Tuesday group will resume Tuesday October 1 with Easy to Intermediate rounds at the Ox-Bow. 1:30 to 3:30. A new beginners class will be started Friday Nov. 1 also at Ox-Bow.

## Don Rand

The Roundettes of Lakeland had a very busy month, with learning new dances and going over those which were being called at the convention. Byrdie & Marty were extra busy with their duties for the convention and they also had as their house guests for a week before, Charlie and Marge Carter, and what a wonderful week it was for them and for us the club members. It was a joy and pleasure to watch them dance. We had almost 100% attendance at the convention of the club members and we enjoyed the teaching of the new dances taught by the Carters. Brydie and Marty held a party on Friday night after the dance in honor of their guests. Our final dance of the month was Party night and we all had a good evening of dancing. Some of the dances taught were Carnival, You're the Reason, Yellow Ribbon, Secret Love and Red Rose Tango. Byrdie and Marty taught a dance at the National and had a wonderful time

## Miriam Bateman

Tamiami Steppers of Bonita Springs-After attending the State Convention, and being "exposed to so many new, enjoyable Rounds, our instructors Earle & Lee Kastner, have been busy teaching some of them to us. We are getting a real "work-out" with some extra workshop nights, which we love. We will be here long enough to celebrate the June Birthdays and Anniversaries, and to welcome some special guests on June 23rd. Then we, and two other Tamiami Stepper couples, will leave for the National at San Antonio, followed by an eleven day trip into Mexico. We are leaving the fate of the Club in the capable hands of our Vice Presidents and instructors, The Kastners, until our return. A few projects, already outlined will keep them hopping! We are having an entry in the Bonita Springs 4th of July Parade, and plans are being finalized for our 4th Anniversary dance on July 23rd.

Treva Pahuski

ROUND DANCE CLASSES

SUNDAYS	Pinellas Park Ox-Bow Hall 8451 49th St. N	Leaches
MONDAYS	Cape Coral Yacht Club 6:15-7:15	Chris
TUESDAYS	Tampa-Webb Recreation Center-5030 Hanley Rd. P.M.	Dubois
	Bradenton-Golf Lake Estates, 6:30 P.M.	Dawson
WEDNESDAYS	Clearwater Bch. Youth Maritime Cen. 9:30a.m.	Hicks & Leaches
	Holiday Dixie Loopers, Beacon Sq. 7-8 P.M.	Filieres
THURSDAYS	Tampa Hunt Center	DuBois
SATURDAYS	Lake Placid Tropical Harbor MH Pk 9:30	Martins
	St. Pete Town Apts. 12P.EZ & Basics 526-4105	Johnson

ROUND DANCE WORKSHOPS

FRIDAY	Sarasota-Sarasota MH Pk. 7 P.M.	Dawson
	Largo-Largo Rec. Hall 12:30-3:30 P.M.	Leiner & Hays
SUNDAY	Venice Country Club Estates 1:30 P.M.	Dawson

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ROUND DANCE DIRECTORY FOR JULY, 1974

MONDAY

Clearwater	No dances in July	Clearwater "Y"	Ed Mack
		Pre dance Rounds 7:30-8 P.M.	
Holiday	Every Monday	Beacon Sq.Rec.Center	Hulins
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	7:00 P.M.	
Pinellas Pk.	Every Monday	Ox Bow Hall 7:30-10	Gilberts
	Int. & Adv.	8451 49th St.North	
Tampa	Every Monday	North Boulevard Center	Lovelaces
	Int. & Adv.	7:45-10 "Rhythm Rds.Club"	
Venice	Every Monday	Civic Center 8:30	Leonards

TUESDAY

Bradenton	Every Tuesday	Golf Lake Estates	Leonards
	Class 6:30	Advanced, 8:00 P.M.	
Clearwater	Every Tuesday	YWCA, 7:30-10 P.M.	Macks & Toufels
Clearwater	Every Tuesday	Top of the World	Filieres
	E-Z Basic	3-5 P.M.	
St.Pete	INVITATIONAL	Town Rounds	Leaches
	Int. 1:30-4	Town Apts., North	
Seminole	Every Tuesday	Lake Seminole, North	Leaches
	Pre.Dn. Rds.		
Tarpon Spgs.	Every Tuesday	Buena Vista-Orange St.	John Hart
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	7:30 P.M.	

WEDNESDAY

Belleair	Every Wed.	Belleair Civic Ctr.	7 P.M. Rands
	Pre.Dn.Rds.		
Dunedin	2-4 & 5th	Dunedin Bch.Campground	Walthers
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	7:30 P.M.	
Ft.Myers	Basics	7 Lakes Auditorium	Kastners
	6:30-8 P.M.	Easy 8:15-10:15 P.M.	Ph:992-4751
Largo	Every Wed.Adv.	Recreation Comp.	Gilberts
		7:30-10 P.M.	
Holiday	Every Wed.	Beacon Sq.Rec.Hall	Dixie
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	Loopers 7 to 8 P.M.	Filieres
Plant City	Every Wed.	Dert St., Rec.Center	Martins
		Basics	
Sarasota	Every Wed.	Windmill Village 8 P.M.	Leonards
	Wksp. Dance	4000 North Tuttle	
Seminole	Every Wed.	Seminole, North	Ed Mack
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	7:30-8:00 P.M.	

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ROUND DANCE DIRECTORY FOR JULY, 1974

THURSDAYS

Clearwater	INV. ONLY	Top of the World	1:00-3:00pm	Leaches
Crystal Bch	Basics	Crystal Bch. Comm. Center		Walthers
		N. of Palm Harbor		
Ft. Myers	Every Thurs.	Kriss Kross Squares		Kastners
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	7 Lakes Auditorium	7:30-8:00	
Lakeland	3rd & 4th	Downtown Rec. Center		Martins
	only	203 Mass. Ave.	7:30-10:30	
Pinellas Pk	Intermediate	Ox Bow Hall	7:30-10:30 P.M.	Leaches
Sarasota	Every Thurs	Agriculture Building		Leonards
	Int. Wksp. 6:30	Int. Rounds	8:00 P.M.	
Tampa	Open-Easy	Grant Park Rec. Center	8-10 P.M.	Lovelaces

FRIDAYS

Dunedin	Every Friday	Dunedin Rec. Center		Hulins
	Adv. 9:30-12am	Michigan Avenue		
Ellenton	Intermediates	Tidevue Estates	7:30 P.M.	Russell
	Pre.Dn.Rds.			
Largo	Every Friday	Recreation Complex		Leiner &
	12:30-3 P.M.	Wksp. with cues		Hay
Largo	Every Friday	Recreation Complex (open)		Gilberts
	Easy & Int.	400 N. Highland	7:30-10:30	
Sarasota	1-2-3 & 4th	Agriculture Building		Leonards
	Beginner 7p.m.	Intermediate	8:30 P.M.	
Sarasota	Wksp & Dn.	Sarasota MH Park Auditorium		Dawsons
	6:30-8:20 P.M.	"Sarasota Smoothies"		
Seminole	1-2 & 3 Fri.	Left Allamanders	7:30-10:30	1-DuBois
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	Seminole Jr. High School		2-Martin 3-Leach
Sun City	O, EZ & Int.	Sun City Rounders		Chris
Pinellas	Every Friday	Ox Bow Reviews & New		Somers
Park	Pre.Dn.Rds.		7:30 P.M.	

ROUND DANCE DIRECTORY FOR JULY, 1974

FRIDAYS

Tampa	1st & 3rd	Spinning Wheels-Grant Park	Martins
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	7:30 P.M.	
Zephyrhills	Last Friday	Yell-O-Rockers	Martins
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	Municipal Building 7:30 P.M.	

SATURDAY

Belleair	Sat After-noon	Civic Aud., Pre.Dn.Rds.	2 P.M.	Rand
Clearwater	Every Sat.	YWCA 7:30-8	Pre.Dn.Rds	Ed Mack
	2-4 & 5th	Ranchmobile Home Park		Hulins
	Pre.Dn.Rds.	7:30 P.M.		
Pinellas Pk	Every Sat.	Ox Bow Hall-Pre.Dn.Rds.		Leaches
Sarasota	Bog.6:30	Sarasota MH Pk.Int.	8:30	Dawson
Tampa	2nd & 4th	Bay Area Twirlers-N.Blvd.		DuBois
Lake Placid	Every Sat.	Tropical Harbor MH Pk.Basics		
		9:30-12 Lunch break, easy rds.	1:30-3:30	
Lakeland	2nd & 4th only	Buttons & Bows Pre.Dn.Rds.		Martin
		San Lan Campground		

SUNDAY

Bonita Spgs	Every Sunday	Community Center 7:30=10		Kastners
		Intermediate Tamiami Steppers		
Largo	4th Sunday	Recreation Complex 2-5 P.M.		Leaches
Sarasota	3rd Sun 2:00	Agricultural Building		Leonards
		P.M.		
Seminole	1-2 & 5	Ridgewood Senior Act.Center		Leiner &
	1:30-5 P.M.	Everything cued		Hay
Venice	Every Sunday	Venice Smoothies Round Dance		Dawsons
	3 - 5 P.M.	Club Country Club Estates		

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SQUARE DANCE CLASSES

<u>SUNDAYS</u>	Cape Coral-Sportsmen's Y&S Club 7:30-10:00	Hacking
<u>MONDAYS</u>	Largo-Oakcrest Rec.Hall 7:30 P.M.	Schmakel
	Punta Gorda-River Forest MH Pk.4300 River-side	Livingston
	Zephyrhills-Spanish Trails MH Pk 8-10 P.M.	Kegley
<u>TUESDAYS</u>	Clearwater SPJC Clwr.Campus 7 P.M.	Cucore
<u>WEDNESDAYS</u>	St.Pete-Pine Bay MH Pk. 54 Ave & 77th St.	McDonald
<u>THURSDAYS</u>	Ft.Myers-Cypress Lake Sch Contact 2-5612	Sauls
<u>FRIDAYS</u>	Clearwater-Embassy MH Pk 7:30 P.M.	Wentwo

SQUARE DANCE WORKSHOPS

<u>MONDAYS</u>	St.Pete-Village Green MH Pk 2001 83rd Ave N. 75 Basics	MacDonald
	Sarasota-Bar Nothing-Hi Level 8-10:30 (Agriculture Blvd.-Ringling Blvd.)	Jabbusch
	Tampa Temple Crest Rec Center Int 8-10:30	Kessler
	Tampa Grant Pk Rec Rusty Hinge 8-10 P.M.	Springer
<u>TUESDAYS</u>	Alva Oak MH Pk 8-10 P.M.	Livingston
	Largo-Imperial Point-75 basics	Hales
	Largo-Oakcrest MH Pk 75 basics	Schmakel
	Pinellas Park Ox Bow Hall Bar Nothing	Jabbusch
<u>WEDNESDAYS</u>	Auburndale Municipal Bldg.Wksp.Dance	Chapman
	Clearwater Holiday Ranch MH Pk 2300 E.Bay	Hart
	Englewood Rec Dept Orange St.Basics 7:30	Winter
	Beacon Square Rec Cen 75 basics & dance	Cucore
	Holiday Beacon Woods Golf Club House Adv.	Kessler
	Cape Coral Sportsmen's Y&S Club	Hacking
	Sarasota Agric.Bldg.Bar Nothing	Jabbusch
<u>THURSDAYS</u>	Brandon First Meth.Church Rusty Hinge (1st & 3rd only)	Harris
	Lakeland Lakeside Swingers 8 P.M.	Kegley
<u>FRIDAYS</u>	LeHigh Acres LeHigh Sqs. 5-7 p.m.	Livingston
	Sun City Center Hi Level 2nd & 4th only 7:30	Jabbusch
<u>SUNDAYS</u>	Alva Oak MH Pk. Inter 5-7 P.M.	Livingston
	Pinellas Park Ox-Bow Hall 8451 49th St.N.	
	Rusty Hinge	Wood

KITCHEN COLUMN

BY EDITH PETERSON

TEXAS HASH - serves 6

- 1 lb. ground meat
- 3 large onions sliced thin
- 1 large green pepper, minced
- 2 cups cooked tomatoes (#1 tall can)
- 1 cup uncooked rice (or 2 cups uncooked noodles)
- 1 tsp. chili powder
- 2 tsp. salt - 1/8 tsp/pepper

Cook onions and green pepper in 3 tbsp. margarine, until onions are yellow. Add ground meat and fry until mixture falls apart. Stir in remaining ingredients gently and pour into greased 2 qt casserole. Cover and bake in 350° oven one hour, removing cover last 15 mins.

DANISH PUDDING

- 1 pk Knox gelatin
- 1/4 cup cold water
- 4 egg yolks
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup orange juice (or 2 squares melted chocolate)
- 1/2 pint whipping cream

Melt gelatin in cold water for 5 mins., then place over hot water until well dissolved. Beat eggs and sugar until lemony yellow. Add fruit juice to gelatin, let cool. Then add to egg mixture gradually --spooning over gently. When thoroughly mixed add the WHIPPED cream, gently folding over. Set in refrigerator until firm (several hours.). Serve in dessert dishes topped with whip

cream.

WEDNESDAYS

ESDCA CAMP-O-REE  
July 19 - Bradenton

Englewood Rec Center  
Auburngate Sunshine Shufflers

Venice C.C. Estates  
Searing Ridge Rollways Livingston  
Bellair S/C Friendships Hendricks  
Holiday Dixie Loopers Cucore  
Ox-Bow Woodchips Wood

SQUARE DANCE CALENDAR FOR JULY, 1974

SUNDAYS

Spring Hill Whirlaways Swain &

Guests

Sarasota Sing-A-Long Dawson

Madeira Bch. Aud. Kennedy

N. Ft. Myers Carters

Orphanage Richards

Kissimmee O-Bar-8- Price

Balls

SPECIAL DANCE:

Spinning Wheels at Temple Terr.,

Tampa-July 28, 1974

Caller: Barry Medford-Texas

MONDAYS

Sarasota MH Pk Dawson

Lk. Wales Tower Swingers Chapman

Cape Coral Squares Chris

Embassy MH Pk. Wentworth

Beacon Square Cucore

TUESDAYS

Arcadia New Armory Livingston

Cape Coral Caloosa Hacking

Largo Imperial Point Hales

Plant City Strollers Parraish

Tarpon Springs Buena Skeeter

Vista

Venice Bay Indies Winter

Venice Do-Si-Do Club Dawson

Naples Happy Twirlers Richards

Lake Seminole Springer

Dunedin Steeple Stompers

Higginbotham

Largo Oakcrest Squares Schmakel

Sun City Swingers (INV ONLY)

Chris

WEDNESDAYS

Englewood Rec Center Winter

Auburndale Sunshine Shufflers

Chapman

Venice C.C. Estates Dawson

Sebring Ridge Rollaways Livingston

Belleair S/C Friendships Hendricks

Holiday Dixie Loopers Cucore

Ox-Bow Woodchips

Wood

WEDNESDAYS CON'T

Cape Coral Jaywalkers Jabbusch

Cape Coral Sunshine Hacking

Squares

Lakeland SanLan Chris

Nalcrest Swingers Kegley

Lake Seminole Springer

Tampa X-Roads Sqs. Saunder

2nd & 4th Wednesday 7/10-7/24

Dunedin Bch. Campground Baker

SPECIAL DANCE:

Belleair Civic Auditorium

July 17, 1974

Caller: Jack May Toledo, Ohio

THURSDAYS

Arcadia Sqs. Livingston

Sarasota MH Pk Dawson

Clearwater New Era Chris

Squares

Ft. Myers KrissKross 4-Harris

11- Skeeter

18- Chapman

25- Harris

FRIDAYS

Naples Happy Twirlers Richards

Pinellas Pk Ox-Bow Somers

LeHigh Acres Livingston

Ellenton Tide-vue Guests

SPECIAL DANCE:

Exhibition Hall--Fort Myers

July 4, 1974

Caller: Jack Harris

Left Allamanders 5 Harris

12 Kessler

19 Bob McCar

NSDCA CAMP-O-REE Harris

July 19 - Bradenton

SQUARE DANCE CALENDAR FOR JULY, 1974

FRIDAYS CON'T

Zephrhills Sleepy Hollow Kegley  
 Swinging Eights (INV.ONLY) Cucore  
1st & 3rd Fridays 7/5-7/19  
 Spinning Wheels Springer  
2nd & 4th Fridays 7/12-7/26  
 Brandon Squares Harris  
 Sun City Swingers (INV ONLY) Jabbusch

LAST FRIDAY 7/26

Zephyrhills Yell-O-Rockers  
 Chuck Leamon

SPECIAL DANCE: July 5, 1974

Spinning Wheels Watermelon  
 Festival-Art Springer

Summer Fling-Clwr. Campus  
 Caller: Cal Golden

Rounds: The Hulins  
 July 19, 1974

Zephrhills Yell-O-Rockers  
 Gay 90's Party-costumes optional

Caller: Chuck Leamon  
 Rounds: The Martins  
 July 26, 1974

SATURDAYS

Naples Sunshine Shufflers Guests  
 Ft. Myers Bch Womens Club Richards  
 Lake Placid Trop. Har. Bean

Englewood Buttons & Bows Guests  
 Inellas Pk Ox-Bow 6 -Springer  
 13 -Deeter  
 20 -Allison  
 27- Baker

Sarasota Grand Squares

6- Cucore  
 13-Jabbusch  
 20-Springer  
 27-Pres.Choice

Venice Isles Promenaders

6-Harris  
 13-No Dance  
 20-Rich

SATURDAY'S CON'T

1st & 3rd Saturday 7/6-7/20  
 Lakeland Lakeside Swingers  
 Kegley  
 N. Blvd Open Dance Kessler  
 Clwr "Y" Open 6 -Bedell  
 20- Guest  
 Ramada Camp Inn-Weeki Wachee  
 Dick Bishop

THIRD SATURDAY ONLY

NSDCA Camp-O-Ree-Bradenton  
 Harris

2nd & 4th Saturday 7/13-7/27

Lakeland Buttons & Bows  
 13- Hinkle  
 27- Springer

Bay Area Twirl 13-Harris  
 ers

27-Jack Lasry  
 Clearwater 2x4's (INV ONLY)  
 Chapman

2nd, 4th & 5th Saturday  
 Clearwater Ranchmobile Chris

Special Dance  
 Citrus Land - Lakeland  
 July 19-20, 1974

Saunders, Chapman, Lackey  
 Lovelaces on rounds

## SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR JULY, 1974

ALVA

O.Tues.Int. &amp; Wksp Oak MH Park 8 to 10 p.m. Livingston

ARCADIA

O.Thursday Arcadia Squares-New Armory Livingston

AUBURNDALE

O.Wednesday Sunshine Shufflers-Municipal Bldg Chapman

BELLEAIRWed & Sat Suncoast Cardinals & Friendship  
Sqs. Belleair Civic Center HendricBRANDONO.2nd & 4th Fri Brandon Squares-First Methodist  
Church HarrisCAPE CORALMon.Club Level Cape Coral Squares-Yacht Club Chris  
Knothead groups invited Ph: 542-7233O.I. Tuesday Caloosa Squares Sportmen's Y&S  
Club HackingO.F.Wednesday Sunshine Squares-Sportsman Y&S  
Club HackingCLEARWATER

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

Fri.INVITATIONAL Swinging Eights Int.Hi Ph: 531-1684/784-3294  
Chris  
Cucore &  
Guests

O.Sat. 1st &amp; 3rd Clearwater YWCA 222 South Lincoln Guests

O.Sat. Int. Hi Ranchmobile MH Pk. US 19 S. of E. Chris  
Bay Drive

Monday-Open Embassy MH Pk 2096 U.S.19 Wentworth

Saturday Inv. Only 2x4's 222 South Lincoln Chapman

DUNEDINO.Tues.Int. Steeple Stompers-First Pres Chruch Higgin-  
bothamELLENTON

O.Friday Tidevue Mobile Home Park Guests

ENGLEWOODO.Wednesday Int Englewood Rec Center-Orange St. Winter  
7 - 9:30O.Int.Saturday Buttons & Bows-Lemon Bay School Guests  
Rds. 7:30 Contact J. Prairie 426-2315FT. MYERS

O.Saturday Closed during July-resume in August Sauls

O.Thursday Kriss Kross Squares-Lake Auditorium Guests

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

SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR JULY, 1974

HOLIDAY

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

LAKE LAND

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

O. Wednesday SanLan Ranch Campground Hwy. 98, East Chris

LAKE PLACID

Every Sat. Tropical Harbor MH Pk-8 to 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

LEHIGH ACRES

O. Friday LeHigh Squares-Auditorium-AC, WF, 8 p.m. Livingsto

MADEIRA BEACH

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

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

O. Saturday Sunshine Shufflers-Avalon School Guests

PLANT CITY

O. Tuesday Strawberry Strollers-Dort St Rec Center Parrish

PORT CHARLOTTE

O. Sunday 7:30 P.M. Port Charlotte U-Sr. Lounge  
Aaron Street Winter

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 Ringling Jabbusch

O. Saturday Grand Squares-Ag Bldg. 2900 Ringling 8 P.M. Guests

O. Thursdays Sarasota MH Pk E. Laurel 8 P.M. Dawson

(8:00-10:00 P.M.)

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 SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR JULY, 1974

ST. 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 Bow 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 Livingstone

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. Guests

SUN CITY CENTER

Tuesday Swingers - Town Hall INV. ONLY Chris  
 Friday 2 & 4 Swingers - Town Hall INV. ONLY Jabbusch

TAMPA

Every Wed. Crossroads Sqs.No.Blvd.Rec.Center -Saunders & Mitch  
 O.Fri. 1 & 3 Spinning Wheels-Grant Park Rec.Center Springer  
 (contact Chuck Todd 621-3194)  
 O.Sat. 2 & 4 Bay Area Twirlers-N. Blvd.Rec. Center Harris  
 O.Sat. 1 & 3 Open Square Dance -214 N.Blvd. 8-10:45 Kessler

VENICE

O.Tues.Adv Do So Do Club Country Cl.Est.Plateau C Dawson  
 O.Wed. Country Club Estates-Plateau A-easy Dawson  
 Every Tues Bay Indies-Ridgewood Ave. off 41 by-pass Winter  
 7:30-10:00  
 every Sat Venice Isles Promenaders-new club house Guests  
 7:30 P.M.

ZEPHYRHILLS

Last Fri. Yell-O-Rockers Mun.Bldg. 7:30-11 P.M. Guests  
 Every Fri. Sleepy Hollow Swingers-Sleepy Hollow MH Pk Kegley  
 (8:00-10:00 P.M.)

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The Yell-O-Rockers of Zephyrhills find it necessary to raise their dance fee to \$3.00 per couple due to the increase in caller's fees and other expenses. Since we like to have top notch callers at our once-a-month party nights, with early rounds to start off the evening, we find this raise necessary as are many other clubs throughout the state. We are planning a Gay 90's Party for our July dance when Chuck Leamon from Pompano Beach will be calling. Get out your straw toppers, sleeve bands and high topped shoes, maybe an old fashioned bathing suit or fashionable dress from that forgotten trunk in the attic and come and join the fun. A lot of preparation and planning is being done by Willard and Joan Barrentine. The Martins will cue rounds. A lot of us attended the State Convention and vote it an outstanding event from the camping arrangements, special dance after party skits through to the final farewells! It will be hard to beat. Now you'all come to Zephyrhills for some fun dancing, friendly fellowship, and good food. Bring someone with you.

Edith Peterson

Cape Coral Squares are all pleased that our Directors have voted to continue our regular club level dancing each Monday evening during the summer months (rumors to the contrary are unfounded). Our beginners class in round dancing is progressing nicely; many of the class members now join the club members in selected portions of the early rounds. The Club and the class thank Chris and his taw, "Butch" for their fine work with this new group. Commencing the later part of September the Club will sponsor and Chris will teach a beginners class in square dancing; lessons will be given from 6 to 7:30 Monday evenings at the Yacht and Racquet Club, Cape Coral. We were saddened by the news of the recent death of one of our newer Club members, Joe Geruntho, who came to us from the Grand Squares, Whippany, N.J. Joe's ready smile and friendly, gracious manner will be missed by our members and all others who knew him, on or off the floor.

Bill Hart

Spinning Wheels of Tampa really stood out at the State Convention. The red check outfits were fantastic! Wasn't the convention great? Hope everyone enjoyed the convention as much as we did. Also the National! We have a special dance July 28th with Barry Medford, an out of State caller, Ya'll come! Happy Birthday Donna, Chuck, Helen.

Evelyn Stoll

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Charlotte Promenaders- are sponsoring at Venice Isles new clubhouse beginning on Saturday, June 1, starting at 7:30 P.M. These dances will continue throughout the summer at that location and plans are underway for a series of winter dances there. Dancers at this Saturday night dance will be called V.I.P.s--not only very important people but Venice Isle Promenaders. The facilities of this beautiful and spacious new clubhouse and the calling of Chuck Kessler, Jack Harris and Don Rich will combine to assure dancers of much dancing pleasure throughout the summer months. We had a great time at the State Convention.

Helen B. King

Sunshine State Chapter 018-NSDCA--Our chapter is growing so fast that its hard to find a hall big enough to hold us! We had 66 units registered at our May Camp-O-Ree at SanLan Ranch (Lakeland) with 11 new couples joining; Bud & Lou Prew, Donald & Lucille Randolph, Chuck & Helen Hunt, Bert & Alma Nyden, Ray & Va. Hall, Al & Barbara DeFeo, Vance & Miriam Bateman, Tom & Lee Caviness, John & Marge Mackey, Jim & Arline MacDonald, Floyd & Mary Jo McHenry. Also John and Thelma Hooper transferred from Chapter 025 (Illinois) and Bill & Dot Boekenkamp transferred from 047 (Pennsylvania). We had our usual round and square workshops, craft classes, campfire, etc., and one group gathered in the Echol's trailer to be inducted into the Order of the Turtle. At the Sat. dance we had 5 callers present in addition to our camp-o-ree caller Jack Harris. Before the dance was over Byrdie & Marty Martin brought Charlie and Marge Carter (National Round Dance Instructors) to dance to Frank DuBois' cueing. Prizes for the hat contest were awarded to Sue Echols ("most original"), Marge Russell ("prettiest") and Josephine Wilson ("funniest"). We elected the Lovelaces as delegates to the National Camp-o-Ree in Kentucky with the Nesmiths as alternates. Our July Camp-o-Ree will be at Arbor Terrace (Bradenton) with an ice cream social after the Saturday dance--bring your freezers.

Mary Steele

Crossroads Squares of Tampa--Most of us attended the State Convention, then many of us traveled to Texas for the Nationals. The West Coast will be represented by many dancers. John Saunders will be our caller for every Wednesday in July, with the popular Lovelaces on the rounds, Come and have a great evening of dancing with us.

Mori Sogolow

Left Allmanders-We had a good representation from our club at the State Convention. Nothing but favorable comments from the dancers. All had a great time. We have voted in three more couples: Joan & Paul Messenger, Jim & Ann Shroyer, and Marge & Bill Schmalzriedt. Welcome! Very happy to have you join us. May was another good month of dancing. Fine attendance in both rounds and squares. Another VIP couple in our midst. Earl & Betty Williams named to Vice President of Pinellas County West Coast Association. The Amstruds

Woodchips of Pinellas Park-Two and a half squares of members are still reveling over the joyful time provided by the Wagon Wheels of St. Cloud when we traveled there on May 17th to qualify for Knothead. There were several fun games, delicious refreshments and each Woodchip was presented with a ribbon and a hand carved and inscribed wooden wheel on a rope to hang around the neck. The biggest chip (George Wood) had difficulty standing straight holding up his thirty pound wheel. A pot luck, with men doing the cooking, is scheduled prior to the dancing on June 5th. At this time we shall honor the approaching marriage of two members who met at our classes, Bob Lescher and Catherine Ziegler. (Another one of the many fringe benefits of square dancing.) On this same evening we shall regretfully say "Adios" to Hugh & Jan O'Dell who are moving to "almost heaven". (West Virginia) They shall become cattle ranchers. We shall miss them and their delightful children Erin & Shawn, who are progressing rapidly in our new class. The class of ten squares is holding up well on Sunday evenings and their many angels are such a help and certainly make it easier for students to follow the caller's instructions. It is most gratifying to see three graduations having so much fun together.

Lee Wood

Dixie Loopers of Holiday-Although many of our members have gone North for the summer, we still have a large attendance at our dances on Wed. nites. We welcome all our new club members, many of which were in Ken's last class. They are good dancers and help to make our dances fun. Elsie & Crick Filiere start the evening at 7:15 with rounds and Ken takes over the squares at 8:00 with rounds between each tip. The club regretfully accepted Gen Thornton's resignation as president. She did a great job in bringing our club to its present level. Ted Krantz is our new President and we wish him success. We welcome guests, come join us.

Louise Gagne

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The Strawberry Strollers-took two squares of new dancers to Sattelite Beach for their Knothead badges. They are a very enthusiastic group and are making plans to attend the Knothead Konvention. They are dancing with the Strollers now and having a workshop on Wednesday also. All new dancers are invited to come dance with us. We hope to get another class started on Wednesday night later in the summer. Anyone interested please contact the Strawberry Strollers. We are sorry to give up our early rounds and the Martins who cued rounds for us during the dances. However, we hope to get them started again in the fall. We regret to report that Kurt Petzold had a heart attack in May and passed away. He and Mary are well loved members of the Strollers and we will miss him very much.

C. Capps

Buttons & Bows of Lakeland-The State Convention was the icing on the cake for a wonderful month of dancing. Our club was well represented and it was so good to see all the friends from all over the state, we did miss our Georgia friends. Many from our club were campers and we want to thank Edith & Jim Ewer for a job which took many hours of hard work to accomplish. They were still at the campground, saying good-buy to every one as they left. I hope the '75 Convention at Jacksonville will have the same type of accomodations for the campers, we had over 1000 people camping and next year we may have many more. Thanks again for a job well done. Our caller for our May 11th dance was George Hinkle and as always, was one of our best dances. For July, our callers will be George Hinkle on the 13th, and on the 27th we will have Art Springer. If you want to go camping on one of the above week ends and dance too, come to SanLan for camping and dance with our club.

Vance & Miriam Bateman'

The Brandon Squares-were well represented at the State Convention in Orlando last month-among those attending were: the Arnol Kleins, Dombrowskis, Olivers, Guptons, Haiglers, Noceras, Bryans, and the Bob Williams, and of course, our caller, Jack Harris and wife Maureen. Jack did his usual great job of calling-we still think he's one of the best, in spite of all the others we've seen. Anyway, we really enjoyed the Convention, and look forward to next year in Jacksonville. Our workshop continues, and we are coming along well with our "brush-up" courses. We were all saddened by the loss of Kurt Petzold, our fellow dancer, who passed away tragically on May 12. Come on out and see us in Brandon.

Will & Jimmie Bryan

The Imperials of Largo enjoyed a relaxing month in June. With the Convention behind us and our vacationing square back from Fontana, we are again at full strength. Visitors played a major part of our June activities and they are always welcome and we enjoyed dancing with them. The "Imperials" did a lot of visiting. The Wednesday Special at Ox-Bow was super as is all the regular Saturday nite dances that George and Lee Wood arrange. A great gang of callers you parade before us George, thanks! Singin' Sam at the Clearwater YWCA gets our attention on Mon. evenings and you can always find some Imperials "casting a shadow" to the great calling of Fred Christopher at Clearwater Beach on Thursday evenings. The Left Allamanders on Friday, to most of our gang, is like their second club. Golly - we have a great selection of super dances in Pinellas County. Now we are looking forward to the SUMMER FLING on Friday, July 19th, at the Clearwater Campus, SPJC, with Cal Golden calling. We don't see how the square dance community can afford to miss this one. Dan & Mildred Hulin on the rounds is the icing on the cake. The IMPERIALS expect to see just about all their friends there. "Ain't" West Coast dancing great???

K. Weller

Bay Area Twirlers of Tampa-We want to thank all those who were on the Committee for the Luau Dance on June 8. It was a great dance, good food and lots of fun. Happy birthday in July to Mar Cooper (her July 6 birthday is also their anniversary) Barbara Dowy, Coy Cowan, Harold Bon, Steve Dombrowski (his is July 4th-- hows that for a date to be for) Helen DuBois, Sylvia Givens, Hollis Jones, Ron VonValkenburg. Happy Anniversary--to Glen and June Cook, Dan and Donna Pia. If I miss anyone we wish you the same happiness. On our sick list lately has been Bertha Local. We have been missing you, and hope that we see you real soon. We will be having Jack Lasry from Miami at our July 27th Dance, with Frank DuBois on the rounds. Hope to see many dancers then.

Keith & Eva Kays

Stompin' Stump Jumpers of Seminole-we wish to thank Mrs. Dempse and Mrs. Fass for being chaperones for our cloggers at the State Convention. Thanks to them, we had a ball! There has been a lot of interested people inquiring about a clogging class, and we will try to set one up in the near future. The Left Allamanders held a graduation for their class where many of us helped out a angels. Everyone had a good time, we wish them lots of happy dancing days. Plans are under way for our THIRD TEEN JAMBOREE! More later!

Melissa Petrauskas

20 KNOTHEAD NEWS--just to keep you informed.

Registration for our 18th Annual Knothead Konvention are coming in. As of June 11, they have reached 1,004 mark.

Protests from members and clubs on the limitations are also reaching us-(by mail, telephone, and word of mouth)and because of this we'd like to say a few words again, regarding our stand.

At the time when a final decision had to be made without further delay, we were faced with the gasoline shortages and curtailment of energy sources, which would include air conditioning and lighting facilities. We HAD to settle for a controlled and limited registration. Be assured we've searched the Clearwater area since the closing of the auditorium since our last Konvention, and were it not for the energy and gasoline crisis, we might have had it made. One such a possibility, the St. Petersburg Junior College, Clearwater Campus, closed its large cafeteria on weekends, to conserve labor and energy, THEIR WORDS, not ours.

We thank all Knotheads for their understanding last year. But we can't expect the same understanding this year, if something has not been done about over-crowding, therefore, the limited registrations.

There is concern by those of you who are working toward your year pins or bars. Because of the limit on registration a provision will be made to count the year of 1974 as a year that will not break a sequence, but only, if you register the following year for the Konvention. Fair enough??

The Ft. Harrison Room and the Crystal Ballroom are ample for our evening dances and R/D Balls, with the imposed registration. All S/D workshops will be in the Fort Harrison Room, and all R/D workshops in the Crystal Ballroom. Only change of halls will be for the evening R/D Ball which will be held at the Clearwater Y with another room at the Y for the overflow. Again this year, as last year, the Teens will have their own hall and caller on the same floor as the Ft. Harrison Room.

We hope members of the Florida Knothead Inc. will understand and bear with us, a hall, miraculeously, might open up, SOMETHING might come up. One other item. If you write for information, PLEASE include your address, otherwise I can't mail answers. Thank you. See you at the Konvention.

Kay Mack, secretary

For reservation: Helen Galloway  
330 20 Mile Level Rd, Lutz, Fla. 33549

by Irene McKown

Here we go again! Back from the State and on to the National! There are groups here and there buzzing about "good times" at the State. Every one went "all out" to see that a "good time" was had by all. What a hit you made "Mary Jane" with your "creations". The dress with the inter-change skirt was "superb" (and matching panties). I surely hated to miss this year, but things came up that kept me from going --but I surely hope to be with you next year --(Just save a place for me).

Kriss Kross has lots of "good dancing" planned - June 13th, Aug. 11, and Sept. 12th we will have Singin' Sam Mitchell. Put those dates down to remember, lets all swing out. (Whether you dance or not come hear him sing!!)

Bang! Bang!! Fourth of July dance on the patio at the Exhibition Hall in downtown Fort Myers is being sponsored by the Kriss Kross squares. Jack Harris will be our caller. And Lee and Earle Kastner the rounds. Come one! Come all! Lets have a barrel of fun!

Minnie Goldner has some clever ideas with her "Fourth of July" decorations, (she always does a wonderful job, we are so fortunate to have someone who is always so willing). Thank you, Minnie.

Its the "Good Old Summertime" Rains! At last! But this does not keep our dancers away. The Shufflers down Naples way -- The Cape Coral Squares with Christopher and Art Hacking on Tuesday and Wednesday at the Sportsmens Club--Jack Livingston at LeHigh on Friday, Harold Sauls with the Swingers on Saturday nite will not be dancing during July--resume in August. Lee and Earle Kastner have rounds every Sunday nite at Bonita Springs--So Dancers there is still a lotta dancing going on--Come join us! See you! around

Have a Big Time at the National "Alice, Kathryn, Dottie, Kay" and all you lucky people!!

SPECIAL EVENTS

July 4, 1974  
Fort Myers Exhibition Hall  
Caller: Jack Harris  
Rounds: The Kastners

July 5, 1974  
Spinning Wheels Watermelon  
Festival  
Caller: Art Springer  
Rounds: The Martins

July 17, 1974  
Bellair Civic Aud.  
Caller: Jack May, Toledo  
Rounds: The Rands

July 19, 1974  
SPJC\*Clwr. Campus  
Caller: Cal Golden  
Rounds: The Hulins

August 11, 1974  
Kriss Kross Sqs. Fort Myers  
Caller: Singin' Sam Mitchell  
Rounds: The Kastners

August 19, 1974  
Spinning Wheels Shipwreck Dance  
Caller: Art Springer

August 30, 1974  
Florida Knothead Konvention-Clwr.  
Callers: Bob Page-Ken Anderson

Sept 15, 1974  
West Coast Assn Dance--Free  
Nomination of officers  
Caller: Fred Christopher

July 19-20, 1974  
NSDCA-Camp-O-Ree  
Arbor Terrace, Bradenton  
Caller: Jack Harris

July 19-20, 1974  
Lakeland Civic Center  
Callers: Saunders, Chapman,  
Lackey  
Rounds: The Lovelaces

July 27, 1974  
Bay Area Twirlers, Tampa  
Caller: Jack Lasry, Miami  
Rounds: The DeBois

July 28, 1974  
Temple Terrace Rec. Cen.-Tampa  
Caller: Barry Medford, Texas  
Rounds: The Martins

COMING EVENTS

Sept 20-21, 1974  
2nd Georgia State Convention  
Macon, Georgia

October 19, 1974  
Caller's Clinic Dance  
N. Blvd. - Tampa  
Caller: Dick Barker

October 25-27, 1974  
Round Dance Fall Festival  
Delido Hotel, Miami

Nov. 22-23, 1974  
21st Fall Round-up-Jacksonville  
Callers: Dick Jones--Ken Bower

Nov. 30, 1974  
West Coast Winter Festival  
Lakeland Civic Center  
Don Whitaker, Oklahoma