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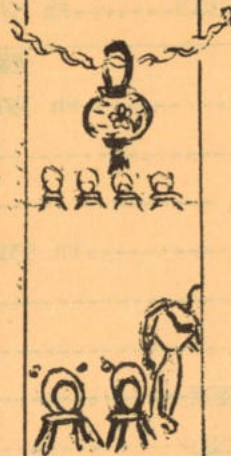
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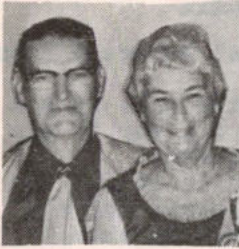
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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



As we sit here in the ivory tower we recall some sad occasions during square dance activities. On one occasion a dancer fell to the floor and expired within minutes of the opening of the first tip. Another time a personal friend collapsed at the state convention. He spent many weeks in a hospital before he could return home. It has occurred to us that in our activity we should try to prepare ourselves to cope with times such as these. Perhaps we could have a session or two before a dance, or at a club meeting, to hear an emergency medic or a fire rescue person tell us how we could help anyone in time like these. And certainly, every caller, every cuer, every club officer should know the location of the nearest telephone, the number to call for emergency service, and other details that it would be necessary in case of an emergency. Square dancers pride themselves on the many things they do for each other and for less fortunate people. So we believe that preparation and education may be the key to survival.

John & Lucille Kelley

THE BLOOD BANK



IT'S LADIES' DAY — and it is befitting that we honor the top lady donors, Marie Pierson and Evelyn Palmer who have contributed to "The Bank" since 1977.

Marie, "Mrs. Bow & Swing", has given ONE GALLON plus two units of blood.

Evelyn, past Treasurer and present Secretary of the West Coast Association, has just become a ONE GALLON donor.

The Honor Roll lists 56 donors and 21 of these are often referred to as "the weaker sex" --- so we extend due thanks to these members of the fair sex for their contribution to humanity and to our security.

Reminder: If you have not paid your 1980 WCA membership dues, you ARE NOT eligible for blood bank benefits. Please mail your dues to-day.

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Balance ----- 188

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West Coast Association Blood Bank. Joe & Ruth Estes...Chairman

TIME MARCHES ON

When you read this, the Florida Sunshine Festival will be past history, the Pirates Ball will happen real soon, the Florida State Convention will be in May, the National Square Dance Convention will be in June. Now the next biggie for Florida Dancers will be the FALL FUN FEST, the West Coast DANCE OF DISTINCTION!!! Our general chairpersons Earle & Betty Williams head up a staff of hard workers who will do their best to make this a great weekend of fun and fellowship. We have two outstanding callers, Johnnie Wykoff & Ron Schneider for your square dancing pleasure with Frank DuBois and the Copelands for rounds, a great staff for a fine weekend of dancing. There will be a hospitality room, skits, and of course a great after party dance under the direction of two great West Coast callers, Ken Cuore and Lefty Tidd. So get your club together, CAR POOL, RENT A BUS, OR RIDE A MULE but don't miss this great weekend of fun. This all takes place in Lakeland. October 18th & 19th 1980. Y'ALL COME!!



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We have been asked to assemble a history of the West Coast Square & Round Dancers Association...

We have all the back issues of the West Coast Dancer which will help a great deal. What we need is information as to who organized it, why it was formed, names of early day callers and round dance leaders, etc.etc.

If you have any information please write it down and send it to us. We want our history to be as complete as possible and would appreciate any and all assistance. Thanks for sending your report to George & Dena Burcham. 4685 15th. Ave. S., St. Petersburg, Fla., 33711.



FLORIDA FEDERATION

On Feb. 2/3 a working weekend was held at the Jamaica Inn in Orlando for all delegates to the Florida Federation of Square Dancers. As participants we are happy to report that everyone attending was high in their praise of the series of meetings as the most worthwhile they have ever attended. Divers subjects were brainstormed by various committees and several very worthwhile resolutions will result as a guide to Florida square dancers. We want to compliment Jack Lascola and Jim Vaccari for organizing this most worthwhile activity.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Many of our readers may not know that the Florida Federation of Square Dancers is the state dancers organization which is responsible for the dancer's interests on the Florida square dance scene. It is composed of delegates from each of the five dancer associations in Florida. Also the Federation, in conjunction with the Florida Callers Association and the Round Dance Council are responsible for the state convention.

DANCEMLERS

Many (32) beautiful people turned up to collate our huge (4000) issue of the West Coast Dancer on Jan. 23. The task was made even greater by the convention insert. Thanks to the following, new and faithful alike, who did a superb job:

Glen & Lorraine Morse
Chuck & Shirley Rowley
John & Evelyn Palmer
Chris & Trudie Nissen
Howard & Marion Ridings
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We are well aware that the space limitations which force us to limit club news to not more than 5 typed lines (approximately 75 words) is frustrating to many club reporters. However with news coming in from about 40 clubs a month, out of a possible 150, this is the absolute maximum amount of space we can afford. Increasing the size (number of pages) of the Dancer is not feasible at this time since any increase would not just be one page but four. (no easy trick to fill) It would mean 4000 additional sheets at \$7 per 1000 plus printing cost, to say nothing of the extra time needed to collate. And paper is in very short supply.

Therefore, dear club reporter, although we love you dearly we must limit your contribution if we are to survive. You are in a better position to know what is important to your club, so please do not force our club news editor to decide what should be printed.

Reminder: DEADLINE FOR ALL MATERIAL IS THE 10TH OF THE MONTH. PLEASE ALLOW SUFFICIENT TIME FOR US TO RECEIVE IT BY THAT DATE.
Editors

KITCHEN KOLUM

by Ginny Walther



KEY LIME BARS

Crust: 1 cup butter or margarine
2 cups flour
1/2 cup powdered sugar
Mix well with electric mixer and put into 13" X 9" pan. Bake 20 min. in 350° oven.

Filling: 2 cups sugar 6 Tblspn. lime juice
1/4 cup flour with 2 drops green
4 eggs slightly beaten cake coloring
1 tsp. baking powder, pinch of salt
Mix well and pour on top of baked crust. Bake 25 min. at 350°. Dust with powdered sugar while warm.

Recipe from Laura Krantz, Dixie Loopers

"Delicious!" says Ginny

LEADERSHIP, EDUCATION AND DANCE SEMINARS

This is the new name by which "Mini-Legacy" will be known. The first meeting of this panel type seminar was held on Saturday, Feb. 9th at Strawberry Squares in Plant City. It was an all day seminar attended by approximately 40 square and round dancers interested in the various leadership phases of the activity. Legacy trustee Walter Stoltz acted as M.C. and moderator for the panel. The morning discussion primarily concerned club officers, their duties, obligations, and expectations. The offices of President & Vice-President was discussed by Legacy trustee Mori Sogolow, Secretaries office by Trustee Jim Whiteman, and Treasurer's office by Legacy trustee Chet Vetter. Other topics included hall & caller contracts budgets for clubs, and club representation to associations.

Following lunch break, afternoon discussions included such topics as decline in international square dance participation and attendance, current emphasis on APD, experimental calls, dance levels, club levels, dancer and caller communication, and caller clubs versus dancer clubs. A composite resume of the West Coast Ass'n was given by Past President Hugh Fultz. The members of the Legacy panel also gave us a working knowledge of the formation and operation of both the "Florida Federation of Square Dancers" and the international "Legacy". The meeting was then opened to discussion, with many of the problems on our local scene being aired. There are future plans for more of this type of meetings for those interested. The panel and those in attendance wish to thank Marty and Byrdie Martin for donating the hall at Strawberry Squares for this seminar, and also Phyllis Sogolow for the many, many dozen home baked goodies enjoyed during the morning and afternoon breaks.

John & Evelyn Palmer



ARCADIA SQUARES hope by now John Kelley, West Coast President, is up and at it again feeling like himself. We sure miss his crazy brand of humor. Had a fun evening Jan. 17, "A Candy Walk", something different for a change. Everyone had a ball at our New Year's Eve dance. Our covered dish dinner on Sat. Feb. 16 was followed by our Valentine Dance. Hope to see you in our square. Keep dancing!

George & Betty Tuttle

BAY AREA TWIRLERS welcomed to membership Ev & Nancy Nuce and Carl & Elsie Redden. We will enjoy getting to know you better. St. Patrick's Day calls for happy dancing! Come square up with our Colleens on March 22 and just blame the Leprechauns if something goes amiss with what Doc Gray calls or you get out of round with the cues of Frank DuBois. We look forward to good dancing with you.

Nancy Sparrow

BRANDON SQUARES have great activities coming up. Our anniversary dance got us off to a good start in 1980. On March 28 before our regular dance, we are having a covered dish supper. Guests are welcome to bring a covered dish and join our feast at 6:30. We are happy to see Sylvia Villreal back after her illness and glad to see Floyd Rose on the sidelines, even though his heart attack prevents him from dancing. Welcome new members Walt & Marge Wancio.

Web & Jean Weber

B-SHARPS had over 9 squares when Ed Foote and taw Marilyn came to Matlacha as guest caller, along with our club caller, Johnny Walter. We were happy to have Johnny's Taw Louise feel well enough to join the festivities. Art & Martha Springer surprised us with several of their galaxies. Another pleasant surprise was the appearance of Rita & Jack Echelson who are recuperating from a serious car accident. Come join us Thursday nights at Tice for an A-2 dance.

Dottie Fry

BUTTONS AND BOWS of Mulberry welcome our new members Ed & Mary Wesling and Wayne & Bernice Holley. Our club has been busy stealing banners from Dade City Square Hoppers and Spinning Wheels of Tampa. Our club members are still keeping in shape with another bike-a-thon and picnic. Come square with us with John Saunders calling the 2nd Saturday and Joe Prystupa the 4th Saturday and Jim Runnels and Wayne Lundberg on rounds. Come join us and have some happy dancing.

Larry & Martha Bradford

CHARLOTTE PROMENADERS - Sure, 'tis no blarney when we say, "Thanks for a job well done," to the Bliss, Bauers, Schutzs, Grimes, Reynolds and Zupas, who were responsible for our extra special New Year's Eve party. Hats off also to caller Chuck Kessler. We have another special dance on March 22 at Peace River School. Al Brundage will call squares. So, don your green and form a square; we'll do the same and meet you there!

Howard & Margaret Wesenberg

CITRUS WOODS...In January it was mentioned that several square dancers were having a wedding anniversary this month, so it was announced that our next dance would be a wedding anniversary after dance dinner party. What started out with just a few wound up with over 50 celebrating this occasion at one of Florida's finest. It could become an annual affair, but would be in February as we do not want to compete with the Super Bowl. In the meantime, come dance with us.

Cris Nissen

COLONIAL SQUARES of Pasco County will have a St. Patrick's Day dance on March 12 at 8 p.m. Our club is progressing nicely, so come out and have a good time with us. Finger food refreshments will be served. This will be the night we can all enjoy being Irish. It will be the wearing of the green at 87 Peacock Drive, New Port Richey. Caller Fred Koning.

Ralph & Millie Jackson

W. C. WILLIE SEZ: "The straight and narrow path wouldn't be so narrow if more people walked it."

ROUNDS WORKSHOPS

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Mon	Cape Coral-Sr Cit Cent-EZ/Inter 12:30 to 4:30	Blythe
	Dade City-Airstream Park-1200 Johnston Rd-Basic 2 pm-EZ 6 pm-Inter 8 pm	Martin
Tue	Cape Coral-Sr Cit Cent-Inter/Adv 7:30 pm	Blythe
	" " " " -Basic 2:30-EZ/Inter 4 pm	Kastner
	Ft Myers-2160 San Carlos Blvd-Inter 2 to 4 pm	Blythe
Thu	Plant City-Strawberry Square-Basic 7 pm-Inter 8:30 pm	Martin
	Tampa-Grant Park-32 Av 54 St-EZ/Inter 8 pm	Lovelace
Fri	Plant City-Strawberry Square-Inter catchup 10 am to noon	Martin
	Dunedin-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway-Inter 12:30 to 2 pm	Kessler
Sat	New Port Richey-Rec Cent-832 Indiana Av-Carousel Club 1 pm	Walther
	Dunedin-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway-Begin Basic-10 am (Started 10/27)	Rand
Mon	Dunedin-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway-EZ 7 pm	Rand
	New Port Richey-Rec Cent-832 Indiana Av-EZ/Inter/Classics 7:30 pm	Walther
Tue	Sarasota-MH Park-2100 E Laurel-Inter-WS 7 pm dance 7:30	Copeland
	Tampa-Carousel Rds-Rec Cent-214 N Blvd-Inter/Adv 8 pm	Lovelace
Wed	Venice-Comm Cent-326 S Nokomis Av-EZ/Inter WS 6 pm-Inter WS & dance 8 pm	Neitzel
	Bradenton-Golf Lakes Est-53 Av (Oneco Rd) E US41-EZ 6:30-Inter 8 pm	B Mitchell
Thu	Pinellas Park-OxBow-8451 49 St N-EZ/Inter 1 pm	Rand
	St Pete-Town Apts Rec Hall-62 Av 19 St N-EZ 1:30 pm	Hicks
Fri	Seminole-Lake Seminole N-10245 110 Av N-EZ 7:30	Hicks
	Tampa-N Tampa Rec Cent-Seward & 11 St-Meri-go-rounders-EZ/Inter 8 pm	Lundberg
Sat	Ft Myers-Tamiami Steppers-Teen Club-All levels-EZ 7 pm-Inter 8:30	Kastner
	Kings Point (Sun City Cent)-Health Room-EZ/Inter 7:30 to 9:30 pm	B Mitchell
Sun	Lake Wales-Womans Club-Basics/EZ 6:30 pm	Runnels
	Largo-Comm Cent-65 4 St NW-Adv/Chal (Incl WS) 7:30 pm	Gilbert
Mon	New Port Richey-Southgate Apts-Inter/Hi inter 1 to 3 pm	Hulin
	Venice-Comm Cent-326 S Nokomis Av-EZ 8 pm	Neitzel
Tue	Dunedin-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway-Inter (Incl WS) 7:15 pm	Regnier & DuBois
	Lakeland-Downtown Rec Cent-203 Mass Av-Basics/EZ 7 pm-Inter 8:30	Runnels
Wed	Plant City-Roundettes-Strawberry Square-Inter 7:30 to 10 pm	Martin
	Sarasota-MH Park-2100 E Laurel Av-EZ 8:30 pm	Copeland
Thu	" -Potter Bldg-2900 Ringling Blvd-Inter/Hi inter 8 pm	B Mitchell
	Venice-Country Club Est-EZ/Inter 8 pm	Neitzel
Fri	Dunedin-Roundoliers-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway-EZ/EZ inter 6:45	Rand
	Largo-Rec Complex 400 Highland Av-Inter/Adv (Incl WS) 7:30 pm	Gilbert
Sat	Sarasota-Potter Bldg-2900 Ringling Blvd-Hi inter/Adv-WS 7 pm dance 8 pm	Copeland
	Sun City-Center Clubhouse-EZ/Inter 7:30 pm (1st, 3rd & 5th)	B Mitchell
Sun	Bonita Springs-Teen & Youth Cent-EZ/Inter 7:30 pm	Mulroy
	Dunedin-Random Rds-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway-EZ/Inter 2:15 pm	Rand
Mon	Ft Myers-Heissteppers-Teen Club-Cleveland Av-Fun level	Heiss
	Largo-Rec Complex-400 Highland Av-Hi inter/Adv (1st only)	Gilbert
Tue	Pinellas Park-OxBow-8451 49 St N-All levels-Ice Cream Sun 2 pm(4th only)	Walther
	Plant City-Strawberry Sun-Strawberry Square-Inter 2 pm (2nd only)	Martin
Wed	Sarasota-Potter Bldg-2900 Ringling Blvd-All levels 2 pm (3rd only)	B Mitchell
	" " " " " -All levels 2:30 pm (4th only)	Copeland
Thu	Venice-Bay Indies MH Park-950 Ridgewood-EZ/Inter 1 pm	Perry

Abbreviations used in Dance Calendar: PDR=Pre-dance rounds, WS=Workshop. Levels of dancing: B=Basics, EB=Extended basics, MS=Mainstream, QS=Quarterly selections, +1=MS+1, +2=MS+2, A1=Advanced part 1, A2=Adv part 2, C1=Challenge basics, C2=Extended challenge, EXP=Adv & Ch experimentals, APD=All position dancing concept.

W. C. Willie sez, "People are funny! Everyone wants to live a long time, but no one wants to get old."

	Dunedin-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway-A2 1 to 3 pm	S Mitchell
	Hudson-Club Wildwood-US19 2 mi N SR52-Refresher +1 2 pm	Kessler
	Naples-Cambier Park 7:30 pm	Bartsh
	Odessa-Keystone Rec Cent-Gunn Hwy-Brushup & basic rds 7:30 pm	Phillips
Mon	Pinellas Park-OxBow-8451 49 St N-Brushup +1/+2 8:30 pm	Schneider
	Sarasota-Potter Bldg-2900 Ringling Blvd-Bar Nothing-A1/A2 6 pm	Jabbusch
	" -TriPar MH Est-DeSoto Rd-A1/A2 APD EXP 10 am to noon	R Norton
	Tampa-Grant Park-32 Av 54 St-Intro to A1 7 pm to 8:30	Springer
	Venice-Bay Indies MH Park-950 Ridgewood +1/+2 QS EXP 3 pm	Perry
	Bradenton-Sugar Creek Cpgd Resort-3300 26 Av E +1/+2 QS 10 am to noon	Shipman
Tue	Dunedin-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway +1 12 noon-+2 2 pm	Kessler
	Plant City-Strawberry Square-A1/A2 1 pm	Eddy
	Punta Gorda-Char Promenaders-Sally Jones Elem Sch-MS+ QS 8:30 pm	Schneider
	Dade City-Airstream Park-1200 Johnston Rd +1/+2 1 pm	Eddy
	Dunedin-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway +1 1:30 to 3:30 pm	Prior
	" " " " " -Intro to A1/A2 5:30 pm	Springer
	Ellenton-Tidevue Est-US301 +1/+2 QS 9:30 am	Jabbusch
Wed	Hudson-Beacon Woods Racquet Club-SR52 E of US19 +1 5:30	Kessler
	Lehigh-Comm Bldg-MS+ 6 to 8 pm	Shell
	Seminole-Lake Seminole N-10245 110 Av N +1/+2 QS 7:30 pm	Hicks
	Tampa-Oak Park Rec Cent-54 St 14 Av +1/+2 7:30 pm	Hurst
	Tarpon Springs-Rec Cent-Lime St-A1/A2 10 am	Prystupa
	Elfers-Veterans Vill Clubhouse-SR54 2 mi E US19 +2 6 pm-A1 8 pm	Prior
	New Port Richey-Elks Club-US19-MS noon to 2 pm-+2/A1 2 to 4 pm	Barnes
	" " " -Rec Cent-Van Buren St-Rusty Hinge +1 noon to 2 pm	Gray
Thu	Palmetto-Piney Point MH Est-US41 +1/+2 QS 6 to 8 pm	R Norton
	Pinellas Park-OxBow-8451 49 St N-A1/A2 EXP 1:30 to 3:30	Schneider
	Zephyrhills-Bahrs MH Park-SR54 E-MS 8:30 pm	Barnes
Fri	Dunedin-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway-A1/A2 2 to 4 pm	Kessler
Sat	Zephyrhills-Bahrs MH Park-SR54 E +1/+2 2 to 4 pm	Barnes
Sun	Ft Myers-Kriss Kross Sqs-Teen Club-Cleveland Av 2 to 4 pm	Walter
	Sarasota-Friendly Sqs-Potter Bldg-2900 Ringling Blvd +1 7:30	Jabbusch
	Bradenton-Arbor Terr TT Park-405 57 Av W +1/+2 QS +Rds 8 pm	Shipman
	Cape Coral-Cape Coral Sqs-Yacht Club +2-PDR Kastner 7:30	Walter
	Clearwater-Briar Creek Rec Hall-2251 McMullen Booth Rd +1 (WS 8-8:30)	Prystupa
	Ft Myers-Orange Harbor-Palm Beach Blvd +1/+2 8 pm	Sauls
	Lakeland-Woodbrook Grand Sqs-Woodbrook Est-1510 W Ariana-MS QS 7:30	Soucy
	New Port Richey-Orchid Lake TT Park +1 7 pm (3/3 & 17 only)	Prior
Mon	St Pete-Shootin Stars-Cong Ch-6315 Central Av-PDR Hicks 7 pm Sqs 7:30	Baker
	Sarasota-Bar Nothing-Potter Bldg-2900 Ringling Blvd-A1/C1 EXP 8 pm	Jabbusch
	Sun City Center-Kings Point Swingers-Rec Hall-EZ MS 8 pm	Nocera
	Tampa-Gandy Dancers-Interbay Rec Cent +2 (+2/A1 WS) +Rds 7:30 pm	Kessler
	" -McGuire Rec Cent-N Rome +1/+2 8-10:30 pm (WS A1)	Gray
	Wauchula-Valley Swingers-Pioneer Park 7:30 pm	Livingston
	Cape Coral-Calooosa Sqs-Sportsmans Club-1401 47 St +2 PDR P Hacking 7:30	A Hacking
	Dade City-Airstream Park-1200 Johnston Rd-MS QS WS 8 pm dance 8:30	Eddy
	Dunedin-Squrcles-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway +1/+2-PDR Rand 7:30	S Mitchell
	Englewood-Holiday Travel Park-8 pm	Livingston
	Lakeland-Sanlan Ranch Cpgd-WS 7:30 +1 dance 8 pm	Barnes
Tue	Lake Wales-Ridge Sqs-Depot 7:30	Dillenbeck
	Largo-Oakcrest MH Park-1001 Ulmerton Rd-WS 7 pm-PDR Ayrtton 7:45-MS dance 8	Steele
	New Port Richey-Dixie Loopers-Gulf Harbors-PDR Walther 7 to 8 pm	Gray or Prystupa
	Odessa-Teacuppers-Keystone Rec Cent-Gunn Hwy +1 7:30	Phillips
	Pinellas Park-Springers Swingers-OxBow +2-PDR Marsh 7:30 (3/18 W Schultz)	Springer
	Plant City-Strawberry Strollers-Dort St Rec Cent-PDR 7:30	Hart or Pettus

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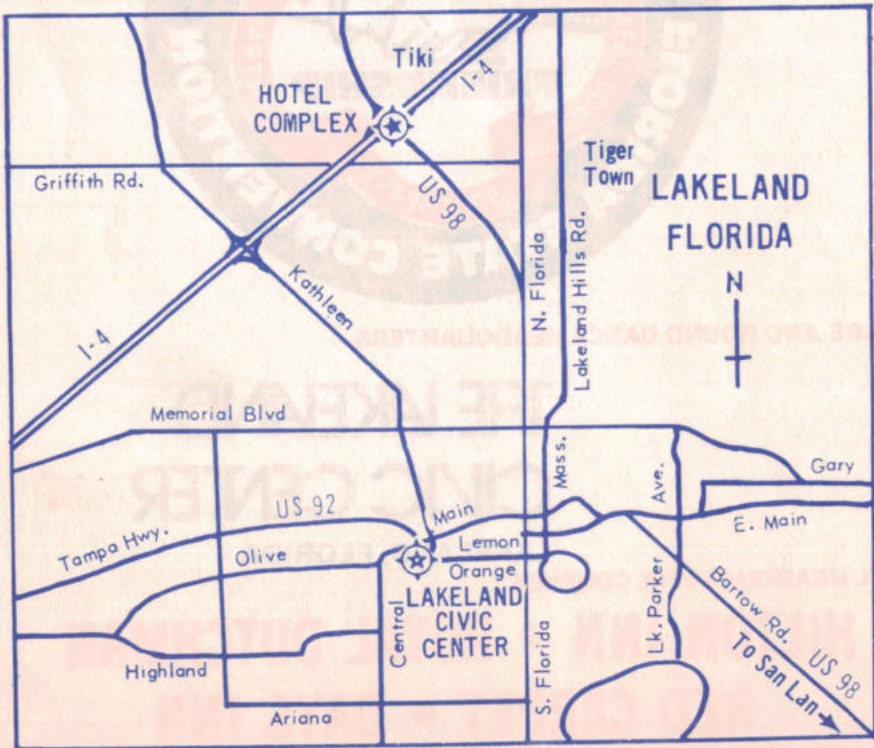
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	Port Richey-Oak Springs TT Park-Off US19 1 mi S SR52 +2 8 pm	3-A Prior
	St Pete-Suncoast Promenaders-Fossil Pk-6635 9 St N-EE/MS 7:30	Stewart
Tue	Sarasota-MH Park-Laurel Av-Tuesday Trippers-MS 8 pm	Jabbusch
	Sebring-Ridge Rookies-The Pier-MS +WS 7:30	Tidd
	Venice (Nokomis)-Spanish Lakes MH Park-1340 N Trail +1/+2 +Rds 8 pm	Shipman
	Auburndale-Sunshine Swingers-Municipal Bldg 7:30	Chapman
	Cape Coral-Sunshine Sqs-Sportsman Club-MS (WS +1/+2) 7:30	A Hacking
	Clearwater-Merrymakers-Bays End MH Park-3432 SR580 +1/+2 QS +Rds 7:30	Hart
	Dunedin-Galaxies-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway-A1/A2 EXP 8 pm	Springer
	Ellenton-Tidevue Est-US301 +1 QS PDR 7:30-Dance 8 pm (3/5 & 19 only)	Shipman
	Ft Myers-B Sharpes-Russell Park Comm Bldg-Mirmar Rd-A2 7 pm	Walter
	Hudson-Beacon Woods Racquet Club-SR52 E of US19 +2 7:30	Kessler
	Lehigh-Sea Shell Sqs-Comm Bldg +2 QS +Rds Foreman 8 pm	Shell
	New Port Richey-Colonial Sqs-Col Hills Rec Hall-87 Peacock Dr-MS+ 8 pm	Koning
Wed	Pinellas Park-The Gamblers-OxBow-8451 49 St N +2 PDR Rand 7:30	S Mitchell
	" " -Thunderbirds-OxBow-8451 49 St N-A1/A2 +Rds Rand 1pmWS C1 S	Mitchell
	Plant City-Strawberry Square +2 QS-PDR Martin 7:30 (WS 8-8:30)	Prystupa
	Sarasota-Bee Sharpes-Potter Bldg +1/+2 QS WS 7 pm-Dance 8 pm	Jabbusch
	Sebring-Ridge Rollaways-Co Ag Civ Cent-US27 S +1/+2 +Rds Heuring-WS 7:30	Tidd
	Tampa-Katydid-Kate Jackson Rec Cent-Rome & Morrison-EB 8 pm	Cowan
	" -United Dancers-214 N Blvd-A1 EXP +Rds DuBois-WS 7:30-Dance 8 pm	Schneider
	Venice-Country Club Estates-A1/A2 +Rds Marsh-WS 7:15-Dance 8 pm	Cucore
	Venice Gardens-Shamrock Sqs-Club House-430 Shamrock Blvd-Fun level 8 pm	Livingston
	Zephyrhills-Hillbillies-Bahrs MH Park-SR54 E +2/A1 PDR Lundberg 7:30	Barnes
	Arcadia-Arcadia Sqs-American Legion Bldg 8 pm	Livingston
	Brooksville-Brookridge Rec Hall +1 QS +taped rds 8 pm	Koning
	Dade City-Airstream Park-1200 Johnston Rd +1/+2 8 pm (3/13 Risky)	Eddy
	Ellenton-Tidevue Est-US301-PDR 7:30-Dance 8 pm	Schneider or Dillenbeck
	Ft Myers-Kriss Kross Sqs-Moose Hall-Park Meadows Dr +2/A2-PDR Kastner 7:30	
	3/6 Springer, 3/13 S Mitchell, 3/20 Chapman, 3/27 Prystupa	
Thu	Hudson-Jolly Mixers-Club Wildwood-US19 2 mi N SR52 +2-PDR Rand 7:30	Springer
	(3/6 S Mitchell)	
	Palmetto-Piney Point MH Park-US41 +2 QS +Rds J Norton 8 pm	R Norton
	Pinellas Park-OxBow-8451 49 St N-Rusty Hinge +1 QS +Rds Leach 7:30	Steele
	Port Charlotte-Charlotte Promenaders-Peace River Sch-MS+ 7:30 3/6 Chapman,	
	3/13 & 27 Schneider, 3/20 Williamson	
	St Pete-Azalea Rec Cent-1600 72 St N-MS (WS +1/+2 QS) 7:30	MacDonald
	" -Village Green-2001 83 Ave N +1 QS-PDR 7 pm Sqs 7:30 (1,2,4&5)	Hicks
	Tampa-Love Bug Singles-McGuire Rec Cent-N Rome +2 8 pm	Faw
	Valrico-Featherockers-River Bay MH Park-Clairmel-EZ MS 8 pm	Nocera
	Bonita Springs-Bonita Sqs & Rds-Comm Cent-Old US41 +Rds Kastner 7:30	Shell
	Bradenton-Sugar Creek Cpgd Resort-3300 26 Av E +2 QS +Rds 8 pm	Shipman
	Brandon-Brandon Sqs-1st United Meth Ch-PDR Lundberg 7:30 (2 & 4)	
	3/14 Kessler, 3/28 Gray	
	Brooksville-Brookridge Manor-3rd only	Barnes
	High Point-Rec Cent-SR50 1 1/2 mi E Weekiwachee +1/+2 Friendly Sqs(1,2,4&5)	Barnes
	Holiday-Welcome Sqs-Holiday Lake Est-PDR Hulin 7 pm-Dance 8 pm	
	3/7 Cucore, 3/14 S Mitchell, 3/28 Prior, 3/21 no dance	
Fri	Lakeland-Gator Promenaders-Rec Cent-203 Mass Av 8 pm	Pettus
	Pinellas Park-Left Allamanders-OxBow-8451 49 St N +1 QS (1, 2 & 3)	
	PDR DuBois or Marsh 7:30-3/7 Gray, 3/14 Springer, 3/21 Cucore	
	Plant City-Strawberry Square-PDR Martin 7:30-3/7 Schultz, 3/14 Brundage,	3/28 Zeno
	St Pete-Spares 'N Pairs-1600 72 St N +1 PDR 7 pm Sqs 7:30	Hicks
	St Pete Beach-Comm Cent-7701 Boca Ciega Dr-MS (+1 WS) 7:30	MacDonald
	Sun City-Swingers-Rec Cent-MS 8 pm (2 & 4)	Jabbusch
	Tampa-Spinning Wheels-214 N Blvd-PDR Lovelace 7:30 (1 & 3)	Springer
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4-A	Tampa-Taggers WS Club-214 N Blvd +2 PDR 7:30 (2, 4 & 5)	Kessler
Fri	Tarpon Springs-Steeple Stompers-St Ignatius Ch +2 (WS 8-8:30-3/14&21 cancel)	Koning
	Venice-Gulfside Sqs-Comm Cent-326 S Nokomis Av +2 +Rds Neitzel 8 pm	Prystupa
	Bradenton-Golf Lakes Est-5050 5 St E +1 QS +Rds 8 pm	Perry
	Brandon-Melody Sqs-Rec Cent +1 WS 7:30-Dance 8 pm (2 & 4)	Nocera
	Clearwater-Country Cuzzins-YWCA-222 S Lincoln 8 pm (1 & 3)	Dowell
	" -Flutterwheels-YWCA-222 S Lincoln-WS 7:30-Dance 8 pm (2 & 4)	Faw
	Dade City-Square Hoppers-Civ Cent-4th & Meridian-PDR Lundberg 7:30 (1 & 3) guests	S Mitchell
	Dunedin-Gator 8's-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway +2 PDR Rand 7:30	guests
	Englewood-Buttons & Bows-Lemon Bay Hi Sch +2 PDR Beard or Barnes 7:30	Sauls
	Ft Myers-Swingers-Teen Club +1/+2 8 pm	Kessler
	Hudson-Club Wildwood-US19 2 mi N SR52-MS (2 & 4)	
	Inglis-Tri County Sqs-Comm Cent-MS 8 pm (1 & 3) 3/1 Rust, 3/15 Stowell	
	Lake Wales-Merrimixers-Womens Club +2 +Rds-WS 7:30-Dance 8 pm	Dillenbeck
	Largo-Ranchero Sqs-7601 Ulmerton Rd +1 QS PDR Ayrton 7 pm-Sqs 7:30	MacDonald
	Lehigh-Lehigh Sqs-Comm Cent-PDR Foreman 7 pm	guests
	Mango-Swingin' Yell"o"Rockers-Rec Cent +Rds (1 & 3)	Hurst
Sat	Mulberry-Buttons & Bows-Civ Cent-5th St 9th Av NE (2 & 4) PDR Runnels 7:30	
	3/8 Saunders, 3/22 Prystupa	
	Naples-Sunshine Shufflers-Naples Hi Sch-PDR Mulroy 7:30-Sqs 3/1 Shell,	
	3/8 Walter, 3/15 Bartsch, 3/22 Allison, 3/29 Baker	
	Pinellas Park-Queen Bees-All girls tape club-OxBow-8451 49 St N-10 am	
	" " -OxBow-8451 49 St N +2 PDR 7:30-3/1 Gray/DuBois, 3/8 Springer/Marsh,	
	3/15 Gray/DuBois, 3/22 Stowell/Marsh, 3/29 Prior/Lundberg	
	Plant City-Strawberry Square-PDR Martin 7:30-Sqs 3/1 & 29 Springer,	
	3/8 Chapman, 3/15 Coppinger, 3/22 Hinkel	
	Sarasota-TriPar Est MH Park +2/A1 EXP APD +Rds J Norton 8 pm	R Norton
	" -Potter Bldg-Motivators-A1/C1 EXP-WS 7:30-Dance 8 pm (2 & 4)	Jabbusch
	Tampa-Bay Area Twirlers-214 N Blvd-PDR DuBois 7:30 (2 & 4)	Gray
	" -Villa Curli Q's-214 N Blvd +1-PDR 7:30 (1 & 3)	Kessler
	Wauchula-Valley Swingers-Pioneer Park 7:30	guests
	Zephyrhills-Bahrs MH Park-SR54 E-PDR 7:30 3/8 Stowell, 3/22 Pettus, 3/29 Gray	
	Crystal River-Crystal Twirlers-St Benedicts Ch +Rds Walther 2 pm (1 & 3)	
	3/2 Hatfield, 3/16 Bruce Williamson, Altoona, Pa.	
	Dunedin-Diamond Sqs-Stirling Hall-730 Broadway +1 7 pm	Koning or Kessler
	Ft Myers-Palm City Sqs-South Rec Hall-1801 Golfview Av-MS 7:30	Williams
	Hudson-Sun Country Swingers-Pointe West-SR52 5 mi E US19-MS 5:30 to 7:30	Barnes
	" " " " " " " " PDR 7:30 +2/A1 8 pm	Barnes
	" " " " " " " " PDR Runnels 2 pm (1 & 3)	Dillenbeck
Sun	Lakeland-Citrus Woods Est-1610 Reynolds Rd +1 PDR Runnels 2 pm (1 & 3)	Walter
	Matlacha-B Sharpes-A1/C1-6 to 9 pm	Steele
	Pinellas Park-Flamingo Sqs-OxBow-8451 49 St N +1 +Rds Hicks 7:30	Livingston
	Port Charlotte-YMCA Cent-Harbor Rd-Club level dance & WS-4 to 6 pm	Shell
	Punta Gorda-Windmill Sqs-Windmill Vill Clubhouse +1/+2 8 pm	Nocera
	Tampa-Family Sqs-Nuccio Rec Cent-4805 E Sligh +1 QS-7:30	Perry
	Venice-Bay Indies MH Park-950 Ridgewood-EZ MS 3 to 5 pm	
	" " " " " " " " +1/+2 QS-PDR 7 pm-WS 7:30-Sqs 8 pm Perry	

NECROLOGY

It is with a deep sense of loss that we extend our sympathy to Nina Murill upon the passing of her husband Frank.

We also extend sympathy to Mary Martin upon the death of her husband Seth.

COUNTRY CUZZINS ended another great year of fun and dancing with their second anniversary dance. Fun, food and prizes were enjoyed by all. Thanks to everyone who worked so hard to make it a success. The new officers invite each and every one of you to come dance with us the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month. Our Banner Bandits are Bill & Peggy Willis, so keep a close eye on your banner or the little guy will have it gone.

Edie & Carl Badgett

CRYSTAL TWIRLERS welcome new member Arthur Larimer, and best wishes go to him and Helen Betz on their recent marriage. Colds and flu have passed our area and all members were at the dance February 3. Easy intermediate round dancing workshop is from 1 to 2 p.m. every Sunday. We dance the 1st and 3rd Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m., so come join us for lots of fun and enjoyable refreshments.

Oral & Freda Highfield

DIAMOND SQUARES of Dunedin extend their sympathies to Mary Martin on the loss of her husband, Seth. The Martins were charter members of our club. We will be having our St. Patrick's party from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Sunday, March 16. We welcome all square dancers who enjoy plus one calls.

Gertrude & Seth K. Walworth

DIXIE LOOPERS of New Port Richey dance on Tuesday evening at Gulf Harbor Civic Center beginning at 7:00 with Ginny and Bob Walther on rounds, and what a fantastic job they do. Squares at 8:00 called alternately by Doc Gray and Joe Prystupa. Their dance is so great one hates to have the evening end. Come visit us and laugh and dance the night away.

Monica Reberg

FAMILY SQUARES are off the ground and dancing. Our group graduated the last weekend in 1979 and started our club. We dance one tip and workshop the next. Yes, most of us are related to one another, and we'd love to take you in and make you part of the Family. We are also getting our wings by helping the new class (108) learn to dance. We plan to take a Knothead trip the first weekend in March. If you would like to come along call Granypop Buz Nocera 689-7285.

Buz Nocera

FLAMINGO SQUARES of St. Petersburg have been swinging internationally, having given demonstration for the Irish-American Club and German-American Club. Groups of Flamingo banner stealers have been hitting various clubs in the Bay area and have amassed a wall full of colorful banners. We've been delighted to see so many of our annual winter dancers back again this year. We hope to give all guests a warm Flamingo welcome Sunday night at the OxBow.

Maureen & Rich Anderson

GANDY DANCERS of Tampa will have a St. Patrick's Day dance March 17. Come out wearing your green and enjoy goodies with us. We will have a 5th Monday potluck on the 31st - EAT at 7 p.m. - Chuck Kessler continues to call an excellent pre-dance and advance workshop weekly to which all are welcomed. So happy to have Bill & Toni Overstreet as new members.

Colie & Willena Gruber

GULFSIDE SQUARES of Venice thoroughly enjoy the West Coast Dancer and eagerly await each publication. Congratulations to all who contribute so much for our information and pleasure. Come dance with 'Happy Hal' and 'Disco Joe' - we're having a great season, averaging 25 squares every Friday. We now boast 184 members. Joe, Carol, Curtis & Hal have that special personal magnetism you find contagious for a delightful evening as they warmly welcome each dancer. "Come try us; you'll like us."

Elsa & Connie Chedister

KATYDIDS of Tampa had a new slate of officers installed by our caller Coy Cowan at the Jan. 30 meeting as follows: Lou Ott, President; Eva Atkinson, Vice President; Fred Atkinson, Secretary-Treasurer. Our dance hours will now be from 8 to 10 p.m. and we would like to obtain new members if possible. Come and enjoy a pleasant evening of dancing by Winnie and Coy Cowan, our genial hosts.

Fred Atkinson

KRISS KROSS SQUARES of Ft. Myers enjoyed a Sweetheart dance with Singin' Sam Mitchell and the Kastners. The table was beautifully decorated by our faithful little Minnie who never fails us even when Otto is unable to help her. Hurry and get well, Otto - we all miss you. Our annual Pageant of Light dance was a delightful success, thanks to Earle & Lee Kastner who have managed this royal affair for several years, always having super callers and a dance that all can enjoy.

Irene McKown

LEFT ALLAMANDERS...From President Gene Ehrlich and the entire club, many thanks to friends, neighboring clubs and to all who helped make our recent Snowbird dance such a tremendous success. Thanks also to Jim Baker for your backup. It was much appreciated. And to Giny Haller for that beautiful banner and "Sniffles" the Snowbird. We were so sorry that Joe had to be hospitalized, for we know you both looked forward to this dance. We're proud of our Norm Clark, a 2-gallon blood donor. Welcome to new members, Steve & Evon Dodd - so glad to have you both with us.

Pat Fiyalko

LEHIGH SQUARES will hold their Spring Festival dance March 18 in the auditorium at Lehigh Acres. We have a beautiful hall with a hard wood floor, set in rubber, that is so easy to dance on. Come join the fun and help us celebrate our BIG dance of the year. Aleene Foreman will cue rounds 7:30 to 8:00 and Art Springer, a great caller, will call squares from 8 to 10:30. For more information call 813-369-5192.

Bill Doebring

LOVE BUGS of Tampa were glad to see all our old friends and all the guests, many from local clubs at our party night. The Spinning Wheels got their banner back, but not for long!! We made several banner raids and enjoyed dancing to Bob Rust in Dade City. Dorothy (Delgado) Stahl has resigned as secretary due to personal commitments. Pres. Karl Curewitz is recovering nicely from surgery on his hand. WE NEED ALL YOU SINGLES OUT THERE. Everyone, single or not, is welcome to join us each Thursday night.

Gayle Adams

MELODY SQUARES started the year very well with 8 squares to start the night. Good food and fun dancers. We are planning a trip to who knows where. Join us and find out.

Melody Man

MERRI-MIXERS invite you to join us for a special occasion - our first anniversary dance March 1 at 7:30 at the Bartow Civic Center. Our Christmas dance was a lot of fun with Santa calling a tip. We had to really listen to Santa and ignore Chuck! Ridge Rollaways stole Eileen's petti-pants and Buttons and Bows have our banner. Now that the holidays are over, we plan to bring them home. Eileen's freezing.

Gene & Ann McElroy

PALM CITY SQUARES of Ft. Myers were just going good again after their caller had a bout with flu when a freak accident landed him back in the hospital. He tumbled down a flight of stairs and suffered broken ribs and a collapsed lung. Hope I didn't put a jinx on him by telling him I wanted him at our Pageant of Light dance to help and not to break a leg before then. We are wishing you a quick recovery, Maurice. Thanks to Ken Logan for offering his help. We'll be back

Irene McKown

QUEEN BEES...Our all girl square dance club tried their wings and swarmed on Elmer Hicks' Village Green Squares this past month. We were warmly welcomed and the ladies did very well, plus we had so much fun. We are planning other "flights" and hope all single, married, and/or teen ladies will join us. Call Lorraine Bond 585-8820 or Jessie Hill 544-1591.

SANLAN SQUARES were happy to welcome Bob & Dee back from their cruise, and from all reports, those who accompanied them had a wonderful time. But then, those of us back here at the Ranch had fun too, as we do every Tuesday night. March 4 will be party night with lots of good food and congratulations to all those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this month. Until April - happy dancing!

Dutch & Hazel Cripps

SEA SHELL SQUARES are getting so large we are bursting at the walls. Bill Shell has a great workshop on Wed. at Lehigh and Friday at Bonita Springs. And wow! What a wonderful dance he called at the WCA renewal dance. It was a well arranged program that all could do and we thank you Bill for a job well done. And thanks to Peg for the rounds. Last, but not least, our great thanks to all those wonderful hard workers who came miles to help make it a success - even Willie.

Irene McKown

SHOOTIN' STARS are enjoying the 80's with Jim Baker and Elmer Hicks. Our members enjoyed the Left Allamanders' Snowbird dance and the after party at the lovely home of Dewey & Betty Jennings. We all look forward to the garage sale to be held Feb. 23 & 24 at the home of Bob & Marge Lewis at 10 a.m. The fish fry will be March 31 and our 5th anniversary dance will be held at the Gulfport Civic Center April 25. Please come and enjoy life with the Shootin' Stars. We would love to have you.

Josie Hale

SPINNING WHEELS of Tampa are sorry we had to cancel the Pirates dance. The Cassers from Orlando couldn't come due to the gas situation. March 21 will be the "Wearing of the Green" for our St. Patrick's dance. It's always an enjoyable evening dancing to the rhyme of Art Springer's calling with smooth rounds by Charlie Lovelace. Glad Chuck Todd is out of the hospital, and we wish Travis Hoover, who is having knee surgery, a speedy recovery. Come join us.

Frankie Hawsey

SPARES 'N' PAIRS congratulate the decorating & refreshment committees for a job well done for our 3rd anniversary dance. It was an event that will be long remembered. Our new year, under newly reelected Pres. Carma Dix, promises more social events, theme dances. March will host "Eric Day" (is that the same as "Erin" Day?) and a Bunny Hop is scheduled for April. (Has Playboy been invited?) To learn answers to the parenthetical questions attend our dances each Friday evening.

Ross Alexander

STEEPLE STOMPERS of Tarpon Springs welcome back their presidents, Stella & Jerry Baranski. We are a fun-loving, crazy group of square dancers (perhaps it's because we have a crazy-mixed-up president who goes north in the winter). Join us at St. Ignatius Church on Friday nights with workshop starting at 8 p.m. There will be no dance March 14 due to Fun 'N' Sun Square Dance, and no dance March 21.

Jim & Ethelmae Sloan

STRAWBERRY SQUARE had 3 bus loads of happy enthusiastic dancers on January 12 in spite of the severe weather conditions and hazardous driving. They thoroughly enjoyed a night of excellent calling by Roger Chapman and Marty Martin cued an excellent selection of early rounds and between tips. Two bus loads of mystery dancers were from Clearwater and Tampa and one bus load of singles from Orlando. A very delicious assortment of finger foods were provided and served by Byrdie Martin.

SUNSHINE SHUFFLERS of Naples had a great 20th anniversary dance honoring past presidents Homer & Aldred Jones, Jo & Frank Conway, Rosemary & Bill Joseph and Marcella Coe, and charter members Georgette Atkins and Bob Coe. We will have a St. Patrick's Hop March 15 with Bill Bartsch as the caller. An Easter Bonnet Parade will be April 5 with Jim Baker calling. Peg Mulroy will be on rounds. Thanks to all dancers who participated in the demonstration dance at the Old Naples Depot Feb. 24 and the Greater Naples Nursing Home Feb. 9.

Rosemary Joseph

SUNSHINE STATE CHAPTER 018 NSDCA had 52 units attending the first camporee in 1980. We welcome new members Tom & Brenda Owings, Bill & Chris Egan, Carl & Jeanne Johnson, Bob & JoAnn East, Ivan & Clara Allard, Louis & Dorothy Bechtel, Ray & Lo Martineau and Glenn & Louise Rifenberg. New officers are Erm & Adele Kolar, Warren & Rita Raver, Andy & Audrey Ziegler. This is my last report as Publicity Chairman and I want to thank all the membership for all their help. See you at our March camporee at Camp-A-Wyle March 14, 15 & 16.

Adele Kolar

SWINGERS of Ft. Myers have had visitors and visiting callers from all over Canada, New York and North Carolina. It's always fun to dance with a new caller and a pleasure to see our caller having fun at other dances. He was at the West Coast dance at Naples that, by the way, was another boomerang dance. Thanks to Jack & Alice Newsom who sponsored the dance thru the Sunshine Shufflers and our wonderful West Coast officers. So much fun and a lovely time!

Irene McKown

TEACUPPERS of Odessa are very busy folks these days, sponsoring a refresher course for square dancers and basic rounds taught by Phil Phillips. Our own Cliff Earle had a bike accident and has a fracture of the left foot, so he is out of circulation for awhile. Gram really misses her partner so we won't see much of her. Our St. Patrick's Day dance will be March 18. Come out and join us for a fun evening.

Granny

T-N-T SQUARES, CHAPTER 081 NSDCA had several guests from area clubs in January at Lake Bonnet Village near Sebring. We always welcome visitors. Our next camporee will be March 14-15 at the Royal Coachman Campground just north of Venice, East off U.S. 41 on Laurel Road. See you there.

Marge Jabbusch

TRAVELERS TWIRLERS of the Airstream Park west of Dade City dance mainstream plus quarterly movements on Tuesday nights and mainstream plus 1 & 2 and quarterly movements on Thursdays at 8 to 10:30 each night. Rip Risky of Haslett, Michigan will be the guest caller March 13. Visitors are welcome - come and join in the fun.

Glenn & Eva Freeman

VALLEY SWINGERS of Wauchula are happy to have Mamie & Meadows McKinney visiting us, as well as Smith & Lössie Thompson and a fine caller and Taw, John & Polly Calhoun - all of Alabama! Plans for Pioneer Days include a Thursday night dance for the class at the basics level, and Friday and Saturday dances at mainstream plus one level. Lefty Tidd calls Friday and Jack Livingston Saturday. John Calhoun may call some basic and extended basic dances to give our class much appreciated experience and fun.

Virginia Metheny

VILLA CURLI Q'S extend a special invitation to our northern visitors and all other square dancers to get into the swing by dancing on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays at North Boulevard Recreation Center to the calling of our beloved Chuck Kessler. Everyone enjoyed our Valentine dance. We welcome our new members Forrest & Madaline McVean, Donald & Edith McKeen, Marilyn Sipes and Bill & Toni Overstreet.

Jim & Ida Topakian

WELCOME SQUARES of Holiday Lake Estates are very happy to announce our new Chair Persons, Val & Mary Faller. Under their leadership we look forward to a banner year! March 14 will be our St. Patrick's Day dance, and we hope you will all come and enjoy with us the "Wearing of the Green." January free dance winners were Jim & Hazel Hughes, Esadale & Herman Geering, Earl & Violet Broeffle, and Lila Conklin.

Ethel Iannucci

Y SQUARES, one of the newer clubs in the Port Charlotte area, is off to a good start in 1980. Our first special event is a covered dish potluck dinner on Sunday March 16 at 6 p.m. following the weekly club dance. All area & visiting square dancers are invited to bring your covered dish and table service and join us. Coffee and iced tea will be furnished. This will be at the Family YMCA Center, 111 N.W. Colleen St., Port Charlotte Beach. Do plan to visit us soon.

Grace Livingston

W. C. WILLIE SEZ: "Nothing makes a man and wife feel closer these days than a joint tax return."

SPECIAL EVENTS

St Patricks Day dances-usual sites & callers: 3/12 - New Port Richey-Colonial Sqs, 3/14 - Holiday-Welcome Sqs, 3/15 - Naples-Sunshine Shufflers, 3/16 - Dunedin-Diamond Sqs, 3/17 - Tampa-Gandy Dancers, 3/18 - Odessa-Teacuppers, 3/21 - Tampa-Spinning Wheels, 3/22 - Tampa-Bay Area Twirlers.

Feb 29-Mar 1 Plant City-Strawberry Square 1st Anniv Weekend-Rds Martin-Sqs 2/29 Bennett, 3/1 Springer WS 2:30 to 4:30, Dance 8 pm

- Mar 1 Bartow-Merrimixers 1st Anniv Dance-Civic Cent-7:30-Sqs Dillenbeck
- " 1 Tampa-Love Bugs Sadie Hawkins Day Dance-Forest Hills Rec Cent-Box supper 6 pm
- " 1 Zephyrhills-Bahrs MH Park-SR54 E-Rusty Hinge & Class level dance 7:30 Barnes
- " 2 Pinellas Park-Suncoast Callers Assoc Freshman Frolic-OxBow-3 pm-SCA callers
- " 10 Elfers-Veterans Village Rec Cent-Beginners Party Dance-7 pm Sqs Prior
- 14-15 Venice-Chap 081 NSDCA-TNT Sqs-Royal Coachman Cpgd-Laurel Rd 1 mi E US41 Sqs Jabbusch & Allison
- " 14-16 Brooksville-Sunshine State Chap 018 NSDCA-Camp A Wyle Lake Resort-US19 N Week 1 W
- " 15 Tampa-3rd Annual St Patricks Sq up-Egypt Temple-Rds Rand WS 1 to 2:30, PDR 7:30 Sqs Springer WS 2:30 to 4:30, dance 8 to 10:30
- " 16 Palmetto-WEST COAST ASSOC Membership Dance-Piney Point MH Park-US41 N PDR Copeland 2 pm, Sqs Jabbusch & Norton-1980 Members free
- " 16 Tampa-Suncoast Callers Assoc Freshman Frolic-214 N Blvd-3 pm SCA callers
- " 18 Lehigh Resort-Lehigh Sqs Spring Festival-Auditorium-PDR Foreman 7:30, Sqs Springer
- " 21-23 Lakeland-Round Dance Council of Fla Spring Festival-Lake Mirror Auditorium
- " 22 Port Charlotte-Char Promenaders Special-Peace River Sch-7:30 Sqs Brundage
- " 28 Pinellas Park-4th Fri Special-OxBow-8451 49 St N-PDR Marsh 7:30 Sqs Schneider
- " 28-29 Lake Wales-River Ranch Resort Bonanza Weekend-SR60 E-Rds Martin, Sqs Hinkel, Skip Smith & J Walter
- " 28-30 Lehigh Resort-Golden Nut Weekend-Rds Jaynes Sqs S Mitchell & Saunders
- " 29 Clearwater-Steeple Stompers Fun Nite-Clw Cent Cath Hi Sch-8 pm Sqs Koning
- " 29 Tampa-WEST COAST ASSOC Membership Dance-214 N Blvd-PDR Marsh 7:30 Sqs Schneider 1980 Members free
- " 30 Plant City-Strawberry Square Special-PDR 2 pm Rds & Sqs Prior 2:30
- " 30-Apr 4 Lehigh Resort-2nd Annual Dance A Rama Week-Volner, Mo., Pereiras, Mich.
- " 31 St Pete-Shootin Stars Annual Fish Fry-Cong Ch-6315 Central Av-Dinner 6 pm-Dance 7:30-Rds Hicks Sqs Baker
- " 31 Tampa-Gandy Dancers Potluck & Dance-Interbay Rec Cent-Eat 7 pm-Dance 8 pm
- Apr 25 St Pete-Shootin Stars Anniv Dance-Gulfport Comm Cent-PDR Hicks 7:30-Sqs Robinson
- May 23-25 Lakeland-27th Annual Fla Sq & Rd Dance-Convention-Civic Center-Sqs & Rds by Florida Callers & Cuers



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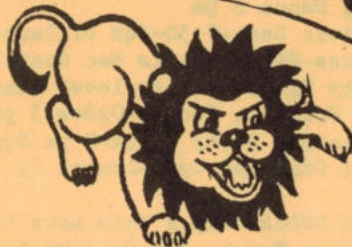
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