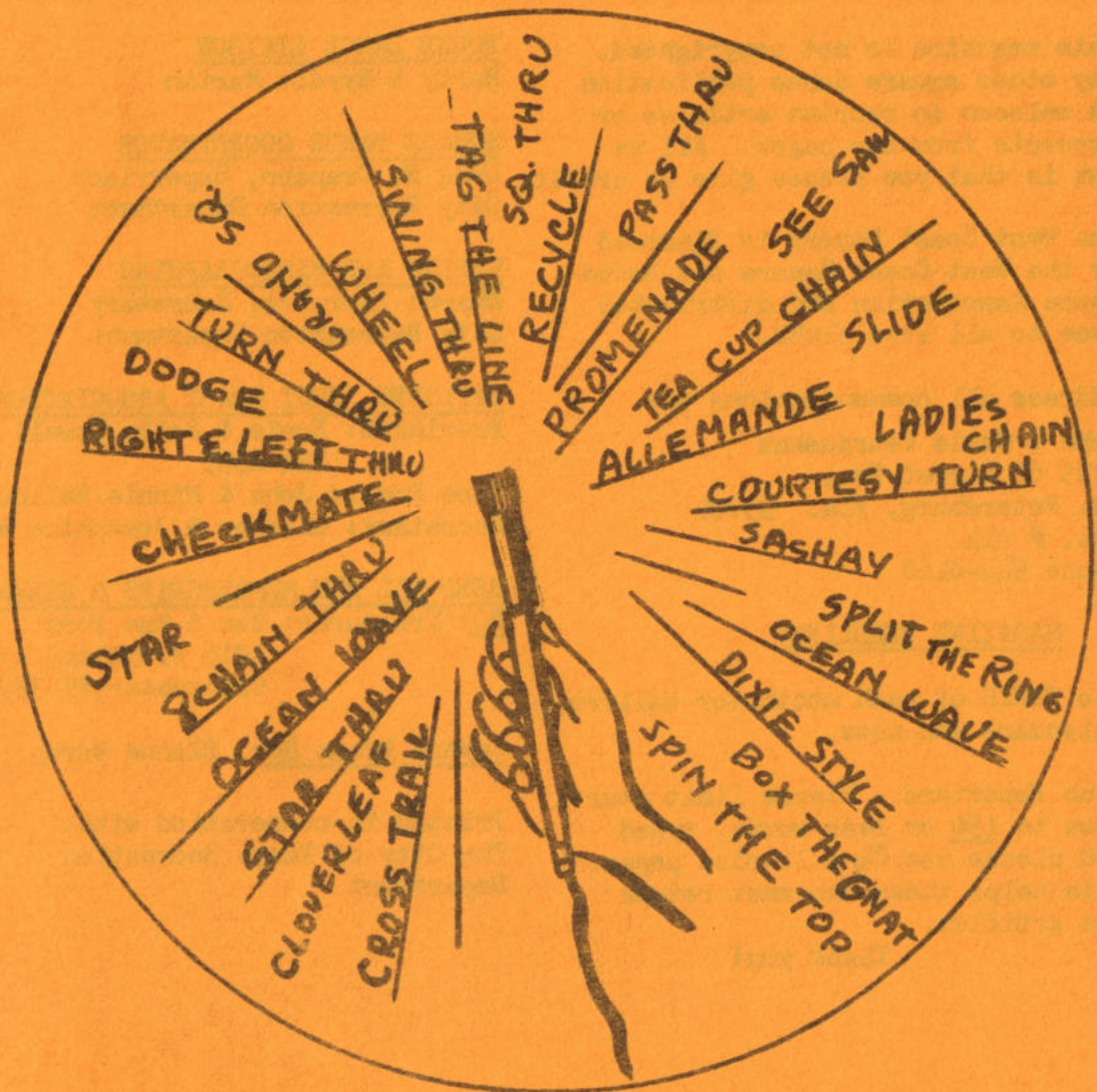


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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

October 1 is renewal time for West Coast members! Please don't put it off, renew your membership today and help your Association with it's 1976 projects. Remember, it is only thru your renewals that we can continue this magazine. A renewal blank is in this magazine.

Remember the Caller's Clinic Dance at North Boulevard in Tampa on October 18th with Bobby Hollis from Georgia on the squares and the Lovelaces on the rounds.

Another BIG date is November 29, 1975 at Lakeland Mirror Lake Civic Center, Jim Baker, Jack Harris and Chuck Kessler on the squares. Frank DuBois and George Stone on the rounds. Please plan to be there.

Ernie & Sally Powell

At the National Convention in San Antonio two years ago, a Japanese caller and his wife were very impressed with the wheel chair dancers, and decided to try something like that in Japan. Te and Take (pronounced Tea & Tahkey) Takeda are their names.

They contacted the callers for the wheel chair dancers and got all the information they could, with the promise of more help when the needed it.

At home they ran into a real problem. There were no handicapped people in wheel chairs. The chairs are very expensive (\$200.00). Also, by tradition the crippled were shunted to the back rooms. The families are ashamed of them.

When the Takedas wrote us about the failure of their project, we decided to do something about it. They need 16 chairs (2 squares) and the cost is \$3,200.00. We will try and raise this money for them.

We have formed the "16 Chair Club". In order to join pay dues of \$1.00 a couple or single, or whatever you feel you can afford. When we have enough for 8 chairs we will send them that amount but will continue with the drive until the total amount is collected.

We hope that all of you who read this will help us. Please!

Steve & Fran Stephens
151 Dryden Drive
San Antonio, Texas 78213

The "Dancer" thanks the dancers of the OX-BOW and the Clearwater "Y" for their donations.

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Knothead was a great success from all accounts. Lots of good dancing, and lots of parties! Saw lots of friends we've been missin' lately.

You think we are not getting older? One of the former Stompin' Stump Jumpers (a teen club) was married Labor Day Weekend. Vick Pierson, daughter of Jack and Marie Pierson of BOW & SWING. Vicky's new husband, a policeman, doesn't square dance...yet! Congratulations to them both, and much happiness.

Good news around Tampa Bay area, Les Gotcher, a real professional, is teaching a class in Tampa. Retired from calling for a few years, Les has over 35 years experience as a teacher and caller. It's good to know his talent is being put to use again.

Speaking of callers, had a nice letter from Ed Fraidenburg of Midland, Michigan. Ed is a staff writer for American Square Dance Magazine, a recording artist and now a full time traveling caller. He is arranging some tours thru the South, and if you would like to talk business with him write, 1916 Poseyville Road, Midland, Mich. 48640.

Don't forget the Caller's Clinic Dance at North Boulevard in Tampa on October 18, 1975. This dance was arranged at the Florida Caller's Association request, so that all local callers could attend the special clinic in Orlando. All proceeds from this dance goes to the callers, to help defray expenses for some callers who would not be able to attend the clinic otherwise.

Lots of news in the magazine this month, please read the special features. This is the biggest magazine we have put together since we have been Editor's. Speaking of Editor's, we are still looking for a replacement for the near future. If interested, please call us.

Our cover this month is dedicated to our callers. We are so lucky here in Florida that our callers are a very marvelous group. They spend many hours unknown to the dancer, practicing, working out new movements, always ready with some extra help if needed, and a smile and hand-shake for everyone.

New classes starting, new clubs and special dances all over our area. Looks like a busy year ahead for the West Coast!

Happy Dancing,

John & Susie

ROUND DANCE NEWS

Tamiami Steppers of Bonita Springs:

Vacation time for our instructors, Earle & Lee Kastner, but no rest for the Tamiami Steppers. We are using the time to practice and iron out our problem areas in some of the dances. Maybe we can surprise the Kastners when they return, who knows?

We have planned a real busy season starting with our Halloween Party in October, and followed by at least one Special Dance each month. Also, we have plans for Bi-Centennial projects in co-operation with our Bonita Springs Council of Clubs, to be climaxed by a 4th of July celebration! Big Things in the making!

It will be a busy year for all the Tamiami Steppers and especially for our instructors, the Kastners. Note their round dance schedule for October. These two should be given full credit for promoting Round dancing in this area, as 99% of the dancers are graduates of the Kastner's Basic or EZ rounds classes.

Treva Pahuski

Starting November 2nd and each Sunday from 6 to 10 P.M. a complete round dance program for all. From 6 to 8 will be easy rounds, and from 8 to 10 will be intermediate. Bob and Ginny Walther will be your hosts. Everyone is welcome. Come round dance at the OXBOW.

A round dance for the benefit of the West Coast Association will be held at the OXBOW HALL on the 5th Saturday night, the 29th of November. The OXBOW staff will donate their services and cue the rounds: Gilbert, Hulin, Leach, Rand & Walther. George Stone would be there but he has been asked to cue the rounds at the Association dance in Lakeland. Dancing will start at 7:30 P.M. \$2.50 per couple. Come to the dance, have fun and help the Association and it's magazine.

ROUND DANCE CLASSES

SUNDAYS

Fort Myers	South Rec. Center	Basics 4:30 P.M.	Heiss
Dunedin	Stirling Hall, 730 Broadway	2 to 4 P.M.	Rands
	Starting Nov. 2		

MONDAYS

Largo	Oakcrest MH Pk.	7:30-9:30 P.M.	Rand
	Beginners class starts Oct. 13		

WEDNESDAYS

Fort Myers	South Rec. Center		Kastner
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THURSDAYS

Lakeland	Downtown Rec. Center, 203 Massachusetts		
	7 to 8:30		Martin

FRIDAYS

Clearwater	Clearwater Campus SPJC	7:30 to 10 P.M.	Walther
Fort Myers	South Rec Center		Kastner

ROUND DANCE CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER, 1975

<u>MONDAYS</u>	Every Mon.	Largo-Hope Presbyterian Church, 1968 Belcher Rd. Merri-Rounders 7:30 P.M.	Walther
	Every Mon.	Venice--Venice Isle MH Pk. 8 to 10 Int.	Neitzels
Clearwater	Every Mon.	Clearwater "Y" pre. dn. rds. 7:30-8 pm	Ed Mack
Holiday	Every Mon.	Beacon Sq. Rec. Center. pre. dn. rds. 7	Hulins
Pinellas Pk.	Every Mon.	Ox-Bow Hall, 8451 49th St. No. Int. & Adv. 7:30-10 p.m.	Gilberts
Tampa	Every Mon.	N. Blvd. Rec. Center. Int & Adv. 7:45-10 p.m. "Rhythm Rds. Clubs"	Lovelaces
<u>TUESDAYS</u>			
Hudson	Every Tues.	Club Wildwood MH Pk. Pre. Dn. Rds.	Hart
Bradenton	Every Tues.	Golf Lake Estates - Oneco Rd. between Hwy. 41 & 301 Basic 6:30-8 Int. 8-10 p.m.	Leonard

ROUND DANCE CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER, 1975

TUESDAYS CONTINUED

Clearwater	Every Tues.	<u>YWCA</u> complete r/d program 7:30	Mack & Martins
Pinellas Pk.	Every Tues.	<u>Ox-Bow Hall</u> , 8451 49th St. N. EZ to Int. 1:30-3:30	Rands
Seminole		Pre. Dn. rds. Lake Seminole N.	Leach
Tampa	Every Tues.	<u>North Blvd. Rec. Ctr.</u> EZ to Int	DuBois
Largo	Every Tues.	<u>Oakcrest MH Pk.</u> 7-7:30 Pre Dn. Rds.	Rand

WEDNESDAYS

St. Petersburg		<u>Fossil Pk. Rec. Center</u> 6635 9th St. N. EZ Rds. 7:30-10 Start Sept. 10	Leach
Ft. Myers		<u>Teen Club - Downtown</u> EZ 8:00 p.m.	Kastner
Largo	Every Wed.	Adv. <u>Rec. Complex</u> 7:30-10	Gilberts
Holiday		<u>Beacon Square Civic Center</u> pre dn. rds. 7:30-8:00 p.m.	Hulins
Seminole	Every Wed.	<u>Lk. Seminole North</u> pre dn. rds. 7:30-8:00 p.m.	Ed Mack
Pinellas Pk.	Every Wed.	<u>Ox-Bow Hall</u> , 8451 49th St. No. pre. dn. rds. 7:30 to 8 p.m.	Rands

THURSDAYS

Clearwater	Every Thurs.	<u>Top of the World</u> , 2410 Sunset Pt. Rd. EZ & Int. 12:30-3 p.m.	Leach
Sarasota		<u>Int. Geo. Potter Bldg.</u> 2900 Ringling Blvd. 8 to 10 p.m.	Leonard
Ft. Myers		Pre. dn. rds. <u>Seven Lakes Aud.</u> Kriss Kross	Kastners
Lakeland	Every Thurs.	<u>Downtown Rec. Center</u> , 203 Mass 7:30 - 10:30	Martins
Pinellas Pk.		Int. <u>Ox-bow Hall</u> 8451 49th St. North.	Leaches
Tampa		EZ <u>Grant Pk. Rec. Center</u> 8-10	Lovelaces
Beacon Sq.		Int. <u>Beacon Sq Rec. Center</u> 10-12 EZ 1-3	Hulins

FRIDAYS

Dunedin	Every Fri.	<u>Stirling Hall</u> , 730 Broadway pre. dn. rds. 7:00-7:30	Rand
Largo	Every Fri.	<u>Largo Rec. Complex</u> 12:30-3:00 Wksp. with cues	Leiner & Franz
Largo	Every Fri.	<u>Recreation Complex</u> 7:30-10 pm 400 N. Highland Wksp. & Adv.	Gilberts

ROUND DANCE CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER, 1975
FRIDAYS, CONTINUED

Palm Harbor	Every Fri. Sherwood Forest MH Pk. Int. - Adv. 1 to 3 p.m.	Hulins
Sarasota	Int. & Adv. Geo. Potter Bldg. 2900 Ringling Blvd. 7 to 10 p.m.	Leonard
St. Pete	Every Friday Ox-Bow Hall 8451 49th St. No. EZ to Int. 7:30 p.m.	Stones
Sarasota	Every Fri. Sarasota MH Pk. Wksp. 7 p.m. Wksp. & Dance 8 p.m. Sarasota Smoothies	Dawson
Seminole	1-2 & 3 Fri. Left Allamanders 7:30 1-DuBois 2- Pre. dn. rds. Seminole Jr. High 3-Leach	Martin
Sun City	1st & 3rd Sun City Round Dancers 7:30-10	Christopher
Tampa	1st & 3rd N. Blvd. Recreation Center Pre. dn. rds. 7:30 p.m.	Martin
Zephyrhills	Last Friday Yell-O-Rockers Pre. dn. rds. 7:30 p.m.	Martin
Brooksville	1st & 3rd High Point Rec. Hall Pre. dn. rds. 7 to 8 p.m.	Hart
Fort Myers	Every Friday - So. Rec. Hall 8-9:45 P.M.	Kastner

SATURDAYS

Dade City	1st & 3rd Dade City Rec. Center pre. dn. rds. 7:30 P.M.	Martins
High Point	Last Sat. High Point Rec. Hall - pre dn rds.	Hart
Clearwater	1st & 3rd YWCA 7:30-8 P.M. - pre dn rds.	Ed Mack
Lakeland	2nd & 4th Mulberry Civic Center 5th & 9th Contact V. Bateman, 858-1254	
Tampa	Every Sat. No. Blvd. Rec. Center	Du Bois
Naples	Every Sat. Sunshine Shufflers - Avalon Sch.	Kastners
Clearwater	2nd & 4th Ranchmobile MH Pk. 7:30 PM	Rands
Pinellas Park	Every Sat. Oxbow Hall, 8451 49th St. No. 1st-Leach 2nd-Hulins 3-Leach or Walther 4th-Leach or Walther 7 to 8 p.m. pre dn. rds.	

SUNDAYS

Clearwater	1 & 3rd Top of the World, 2410 Sunset Pt. Rd. 7:30 P.M.	Hart
Bonita Spgs.	Every Sun. Community EZ 6 to 8 Tamiami Steppers R/D Club 8-10	Kastners
Venice	Every Sun. Venice Smoothies R/D Club Country Club Estates	Dawson
Plant City	2nd Sun. Dort St. Recreation Center 2-5 P.M. 752-0491	Martins

ROUND DANCE CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER, 1975SUNDAYS CONTINUED

Sarasota	3rd Sunday	Geo. Potter Bld. Int. & Adv. 2-4:30	Leonards
Seminole	1-2-5	Ridgewood Senior Activity Center	Leiner
		all rds. cued 1:30-5 p.m.	
Dunedin	Every Sun.	Stirling Hall, 730 Broadway -	Rands
		Random Rounds 5 to 7 EZ	

ROUND DANCE WORKSHOPS

<u>MONDAYS</u>	Largo	Hope Presbyterian Church, 1698 Belcher Rd. Int. 7:30 p.m.	Walther
<u>TUESDAYS</u>	St. Pete	Azaela Adult Rec. Center, 22 Ave. N. & 72nd Street. Challenge & Adv. 7:30 pm	Stone
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	Sarasota	Bee Ridge Rec. Center, Wilkenson & S. Lockwood Ridge Rd. 10-12 noon	Leonard
<u>THURSDAY</u>	Sarasota	Sarasota MH Pk. 7 p.m.	Dawson
	Largo	Largo Rec. Complex - 12:30-3:30 p.m.	Leiner & Franz
<u>FRIDAYS</u>	Sarasota	Sarasota MH Pk. 7 p.m.	Dawson
	Largo	Largo Rec. Complex 7:30-10 P.m.	Leiner & Gilberts
	Sarasota	Geo. Potter Bldg., 2900 Ringling Blvd. Int. 7-8:30 Adv. 8:30-10 p.m.	Leonard
<u>SUNDAYS</u>	Venice	Country Club Estates - 1 p.m.	Dawson
	Fort Myers	So. Rec. Center - EZ 8 p.m.	Heiss

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SQUARE DANCE CLASSES

Cape Coral	Yacht Club	Starts Sept. 8	Christopher
Fort Myers	7 Lakes Aud.	6 P.M. Starts Oct. 23	Sauls
High Point	Rec. Hall	1 to 3:30 P.M. Saturdays	Swain
Largo	Oakcrest Sqs.	Starts Nov. 2	Schmakel
Naples	Starting soon-	call 261-4638 or 774-2765	Allison
Spring Hill	Rec. Hall	Sundays 6 to 8	Swain
Tampa	Grant Park Rec. Center..	Sept. 15	Springer
Tampa	Interbay Rec. Center	Oct. 14	Cowan
Tampa	Hunt Community Center	7 P.M. Sept. 2	Gotcher
Mango	Mango Rec. Cen..S.R.	579. Oct 1st	Hurst
		988-3356	
Hudson	Beacon Woods Racquet Club	6 to 8 p.m.	Kessler

SQUARE DANCE WORKSHOPS

MONDAYS

Port Richey...	Hall Workshop Sqs.	4922 Magnolia Lane	Weade
		8 to 10:30 868-4594	
Pinellas Pk...	OxBow Hall	8451 49th St. Int. 1 to 3	Springer
Sarasota.....	TriPar Estates	10 to noon	Norton
Clearwater....	YWCA	222 S. Lincoln 8 to 10:30 p.m.	Mitchell
Sarasota.....	Bar Nothing Hi Level	8 to 10:30 Ag Bldg.	Jabbusch
Tampa.....	Temple Crest Comm. Cen.	Riverhills Rd. & 37th St., 7:30	Hurst

TUESDAYS

Largo.....	Oakcrest MH Pk.	75 basics	Schmakel
Sarasota.....	Tri-Park MH Pk. Int.	10-noon	Norton
Pinellas Park.	Bar Nothing Hi Level..	open..8 p.m.	Jabbusch
		Starts Sept. 9th. First United	
		Methodist Church. 9025 49th St. No.	
Ellenton.....	Tidevue MH Pk.	9:30-11:30 A.M.	Jabbusch

WEDNESDAYS

Hudson.....	Beacon Woods Racquet Club	6 to 8 P.M.	Kessler
Auburndale....	Municipal Bldg. Wksp. & dance		Chapman
Beacon Square Rec. Center	75 basics & dance		Cucore
Sarasota.....	Agri. Bldg. Bar Nothing Int.	8:15 p.m.	Jabbusch

SQUARE DANCE WORKSHOPS CONTINUED

THURSDAYS

Clearwater....YWCA 222 So. Lincoln 7:30-10 p.m. Baker
New Port Richery...Father Felix Social Center 7:30-10:30 p.m. Weade

FRIDAYS

Sun City Center 2nd & 4th only 7:30 p.m. Jabbusch
Dunedin.....Stirling Hall 7:30 p.m. Schmakel

SUNDAYS

Avon Park....American Legion Bldg. Bell St. 7-9 Int.-Adv. Livingston
Dunedin.....Stirling Hall 730 Broadway wksp. & dance 7:30 Schmakel
Sarasota.....Friendly Squares 8 to 10 p.m. EZ Agri. Bldg. Jabbusch

SPECIAL NEWS BULLETIN FROM THE NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION COMMITTEE

Milwaukee, Wisconsin, in 1979, was announced as a future Convention site as an all time high of 22, 052 including dancers from all 50 states, Canada, and several foreign countries attended the 24th National Square Dance Convention in Kansas City. Previous high attendance was in 1970 when 19,542 attended the Louisville Convention. Thirty-one states had 50 or more dancers in Kansas City - and seven states had 1,000 or more -- another high.

FUTURE NATIONALS

- 1976--Anaheim, California
June 24, 25, 26
- 1977--Atlantic City, New Jersey
June 23, 24, 25
- 1978--Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
June 22, 23, 24
- 1979--Milwaukee, Wisconsin
June 28, 29, 30

Art and Martha Springer are tour directors for the Silver Sunshine Express flight to the Nationals in California. If interested contact them. This will leave from Tampa, and covers the West Coast.

SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR OCTOBER, 1975

<u>ARCADIA</u>		
O. Thursday	Arcadia Sqs. American Legion Bldg. 8 p.m.	Livingston
<u>AUBURNDALE</u>		
O. Wednesday	Sunshine Swingers Municipal Bldg.	Chapman
<u>BRANDON</u>		
O. 2nd & 4th Fri.	Brandon Sqs. First Methodist Church	Harris
<u>BRADENTON</u>		
O. Friday	Casa Loma Pk. 111 52 Ave. 1-10:30	Caulkins
<u>CAPE CORAL</u>		
O. Monday	Cape Coral Sqs. Yacht Club 7:30-10:30 p.m. 542-7233 club level	Christopher
O. Wednesday	Sunshine Squares Sportsman's Y & S	Hacking
<u>CLEARWATER</u>		
O. Sunday	Top Of The World 2410 Sunset Pt. Rd. 7:30 P.M.	Hart
O. Thurs.	New Era Squares - Clwr. Bch. Aud. Int.Hi. 7:30	Christopher
O. Sat.	Clearwater YWCA 222 S. Lincoln	Guests
O. Thurs.	Clwr. YWCA..Y-Knots..wksp & dn.	Baker
O. Monday	Clwr. YWCA 222 S. Lincoln wksp & dance	Mitchell
<u>DADE CITY</u>		
O. Sat.	Dade City Square Hoppers - Civic Center	Jerry Smith
O. 1st & 3rd	Downtown, 4th & Meridan Ave.	
<u>DUNEDIN</u>		
O. Tues. Int.	Steeple Stompers - First Pres. Church	Higginbotham
O. Fri.	Stirling Hall - 730 Broadway 447-7836	Schmakel
O. Sat. 1 & 3	Clog-A-Longs--American Legion Hall - Louden St.	Harris or McCarron
<u>EL JOBEAN</u>		
O. Fridays	Comm. Center off Hwy. 771 7:30-10:30 P.M. 629-8515 Glenda Fancher	Brad Cox
<u>ENGLEWOOD</u>		
O. Sat. Int.	Buttons & Bows Lemon Bay School 7:30 p.m contact J. Prairie 426-2315	Guests
<u>ELLENTON</u>		
O. Thurs.	Tidevue Mobile Home Pk. Starts Oct. 16	Guests
<u>FORT MYERS</u>		
O. Thurs.	Kriss Kross Sqs. 7 Lakes Auditorium	Guests
O. Sat.	The Swingers S. Rec. Center Golf Ave.	Sauls
O. Wed. 1-3-5	Royal Palm Sqs. Tourist Cen. Edwards Dr.	Guests

SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR OCTOBER, 1975HOLIDAY

O. Wednesday Dixie Loopers..Beacon Sq. Rec. Cen. 75 plus Wksp Cucore
Louise Gagne 842-3257 or Ellie Polizzi 934-8486

HIGH POINT

O. Fri. 1st & 2nd High Point Rec. Hall 2 mi. E. of Weeki Wachee Hart
O. Last Sat. High Point Rec. Hall 2 mi. E. of Weeki Wachee Guest

HUDSON

O. Tuesday Club Wildwood MH Pk. 2 mi. No. of Bayonet Sq. Hart
O. Wednesday Beacon Woods Racquet Club Rt. 52 East of US19 Kessler
O. Sat. 1st & 3rd Club Wildwood MH Pk. 2 mi. No. of Bayonet Sq. Hart

LAKELAND

O. Sat. 1st & 3rd Imperial Sqs. Women's Club Lake Morton Dr. 8 pm Allard &
Soucy

O. Wednesday San Lan Ranch Campground Hwy. 98 S 7:30-10:30 Christopher
O. Friday Gator Promenaders Garden Center 802 E. Orange Pettus
Street 8 to 11 p.m.

LAKE PLACID

Every Sat. Masonic Hall, N. Main St. 8 to 10:30 P.M. Tom Bean

LAKE WALES

O. Monday Tower Swingers - Church of Good Shepherd Chapman

LARGO

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

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

MANGO

O. 1st & 3rd Sat. Mango Recreation Cen. State Rd 579 at Clay
Pit Rd., 8 to 11 p.m. Swingin' Yell-O-Rockers Hurst

MADEIRA BEACH

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

MULBERRY

O. 2-4 Sat. Buttons & Bows - Civic Center 5th & 9th
contact Bateman 858-1254 Guests

NAPLES

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

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

NEW PORT RITCHEY

O. Thurs. Father Felix Social Center 705 Washington St.
7:30-10 p.m. Starting Sept. 18, 934-0717 Weade

PALMETTO

O. Thurs. Piney Pt. MH Pk. 8 to 10 p.m. Norton
Every Mon. Colonial Mobile Manor 7:30-10. No. 301
1/2 mile E. Palmetto. Caulkins

SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR OCTOBER, 1975PLANT CITY

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

PINELLAS PARK

O. Sun. Ox-Bow Wood-Chips 8451 49th St. No. 7:30 P.M. G. Wood
O. Sat. Ox-Bow Hall 8451 49th St. No. Guests

PORT CHARLOTTE

O. Tuesdays Pt. Charlotte MH Village Int. 8-10 p.m. Livingston
O. Thurs. Pt. Charlotte Promenaders, Peace River Elem. Guests
School, off Hwy 441 7:30-10 P.M.

SARASOTA

O. Monday Satasota MH Pk., E. Laurel Dawson
O. Wednesdays Jaywalkers - Ag. Bldg. 2900 Bldg. Jabbusch
O. Saturdays Grand Sqs. - Ag. Bldg. 2900 Ringling 8 P.M. Guests
O. Thursdays Satasota MH Pk. El. Laurel 8 p.m. Dawson
O. Saturday Tri-Par Estates 7:30-10:30 p.m. Norton
O. Sunday Friendly Squares-Ag. Bldg. 2900 Ringling Blvd. Jabbusch

ST. PETERSBURG

O. Thurs. Azaela Adult Rec. Cen. 22 Ave.No. & 72 St. MacDonald
O. Mons. 1st Shootin' Stars - Lealman Comm. Hall Harris
4 Mons. 4255 56th Ave. No. Fun Level

SEMINOLE

O. Tues. Int. Lake Seminole Hall - 110 Ave., at the Lake Springer
O. Wednesday Springer Swingers 110 at the Lake Springer
O. 1-2-3 Fri. Left Allmanders-Seminole Jr. Hi., School Guests
8701 131st St., North 8-10:45 P.M.

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 Club level 7:30-10:30 p.m. Christopher
Friday 2 & 4 Swingers - Town Hall

TAMPA

Every Wed. Crossroads Sqs. No. Blvd. Rec. Center Saunders &
Guests
O. Fri. 1 & 3 Spinning Wheels - No. Blvd. Rec. Cen. Springer
(contact Chuck Todd 621-3194)
O. Sat. 2 & 4 Bay Area Twirlers - N. Blvd. Rec. Center Harris
O. Sat. 1 & 3 Curlif Q's Squares - 214 N. Blvd. 8-10:45 Kessler
O. Every Mon. Interbay Rec. Center - Gandy Dancers Kessler

SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY FOR OCTOBER, 1975VENICE

O. Tuesday Do Si Do-Country Club Estates Adv. Dawson

O. Wednesday Country Club Est. Plateau A easy Dawson

ZEPHYRILLS

Last Friday Yell-0-Rockers Mun. Bldg. 7:30-11 P.M. Guests

Thursdays 1st & 3rd Mun. Bldg. 8 to 10:30 P.M. "Zephyr-Hill-Billies - Mitchell

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SHOOTIN'STARS OF ST. PETERSBURG...Our treasurer Jeanne Harris is back from vacation and husband Dick should have had a "ticket" for slamming the car door on Jeanne's finger so they didn't get any square dancing in. Jack Harris and Maureen are also back. Jack in new shirt, pants, and hair do. Whatever you did to his Maureen it looks mighty good. By George, George won again at 50-50, not once but twice again. He says it's because he lives right but we think it's because of his good luck charm Dena. Our Knotheads came dragging back from the convention but they all enjoyed every minute of it except Bob Whitney. He didn't enjoy it when he hurt his back. We sure hope you are better by now Bob. At our Labor Day night Dance we saw Al and Ruth Marsh sitting down quite a lot and Tom Edick walked around with partly closed eyes but wife Gladys was holding up well with a new dress, so all is well that ends well. See you every Monday.

Amy Vogter

VALENTINE SQUARES OF CLUB WILDWOOD...What a pleasure dancing at the larger recreation hall on our Tuesday night dances, so much more elbow room and cooler for sure. We visited the Spinning Wheels and stole their banner, enjoyed dancing with you nice folks. A big applause to the Bay Area Twirlers and the Shootin' Stars of St. Pete, we were pleased you came to dance with us. The Bay Area Twirlers came to retrieve their banner, and the Shootin Stars came to steal our banner. We look forward to visiting both clubs again soon. More Anniversaries gave us the idea to celebrate so a group dined at the Baumgardner's Restaurant, enjoyed a delicious meal and a chance to visit with our square dance fiends.

Hattie Enright

LEFT ALLAMANDERS OF ST. PETERSBURG...club reporter has a broken arm, so no news this month..maybe next month???

FOUND

The Yell-0-Rockers of Zephyrhills have several "LOST" items left at their dances. One is a ladies crocheted pink shoulder cape, left some months ago. Second, a man's raincoat left at our last dance, and lastly a set of keys in a boot keycase given at our Anniversary dance. The keys were left a local vegetable stand in Zephyrhills and turned over to the club.

SQUARE DANCE CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER, 1975

SUNDAYS

Medin Stirling Hall Schmakel
 Madeira Bch. Aud. Kennedy
 Spring Hill Whirlaways Swain
 Sarasota Friendly Sqs. Jabbusch
 X-BOW Woodchips Wood
 Top Of The World Hart

SPECIAL DANCE: October 26, 1975

-Bar 8 Balls Halloween Ball,
 -Bar Hall, Kissimmee
 Caller: Fred Christopher
 Rounds: Clarence Steinhoff

MONDAYS

Wales Tower Swingers Chapman
 Pete Shootin Stars Harris
 Beacon Square Cucore
 Sarasota MH Pk. Dawson
 Cape Coral Squares Christopher
 Colonial Sqs. Caulkins
 Sandy Dancers Kessler
 WCA-Clearwater Mitchell

TUESDAYS

Medin Steeple Stompers Higginbotham
 In City Swingers Christopher
 Ft. Char. Village Sqs. Livingston
 Apples Happy Twirlers Richards
 Plant City Strollers Parrish
 Venice Do-Si-Do Club Dawson
 Largo Oakcrest Sqs. Schmakel
 Palentine Sqs. Hudson Hart
 Lake Seminole Springer

WEDNESDAYS

Auburndale Sunshine Swingers - Chapman
 Holiday Dixie Loopers Cucore
 Beacon Woods Sqs. Kessler
 Venice Country Club Est. Dawson
 Sarasota Jaywalkers Jabbusch
 Lakeland SanLan Christopher
 Cape Coral Sunshine Hacking
 Springer's Swingers Springer
 Cross-Roads of Tampa Guests

1st, 3rd & 5th Wednesday

Ft. Myers Royal Palm Sqs. Guests

SPECIAL DANCE: October 15, 1975

Cross-Roads of Tampa
 North Blvd. Recreation Hall
 Caller: C. O. Guest of Texas
 Rounds: Charlie Lovelace

THURSDAYS

Port Char. Promenaders 2.Springer
 9.Bean
 16.Kessler
 23.Norton
 30.Harris
 Clearwater Bch.
 New Era Squares - Christopher
 Ft. Myers Kriss Cross Guests
 Palmetto Piney Pt.
 MH Pk. - Norton
 Arcadia Squares Livingston
 Clwr. YWCA-Y-KNOTS Baker
 Ellenton Tidevue 16.Perry
 23.Kessler
 30. Open

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Gator Promenaders Pettus
 Naples Happy Twirlers Richards
 Stirling Catch All 8's Schmakel
 El Jobean Yellow-Rocks Cox
 Left Allamanders 3. Harris
 10. Springer
 17. Kessler

1st & 2nd Fridays

Highpoint Friendly Sqs. Hart

1st & 3rd Fridays

Spinning Wheels 3. Saunders
 17. Cancelled
 for caller's clinic

2nd & 4th Fridays

Brandon Squares Harris

LAST FRIDAY

Zephyrhills Yell-O-Rockers -
 Bob Bennett

SPECIAL DANCE: October 3, 1975

Spinning Wheels Halloween Dance

Caller: John Saunders

Rounds: The Martins

SPECIAL DANCE: October 10, 1975

Round Dance Dinner Party

Princess Martha Hotel, St. Pete

Rounds: Fred Leach & C. Lovelace

SPECIAL DANCE: October 10, 1975

NSDCA TNT 081 Camp-O-Ree

Winterset, Palmetto

SPECIAL DANCE: October 31, 1975

Zephyrhills Yellow-Rockers

Caller: Bob Bennett

SATURDAYS

Lake Placid Flutterwheels Bean
 Ft. Myers Swingers Sauls
 LeHigh Acres Livingston
 Englewood Buttons & Bows Guests
 Sarasota Grand Squares Guests
 Sarasota Tri-Par Est. Norton
 Naples Sunshine Shufflers Guests
 Mango Swingin' Yell-O-Rockers Hurst
 Pinellas Pk. Oxbow 4. Springer
 11. Cucore
 18. Crosby
 25. Deeter

1st & 3rd Saturdays

Dunedin Clog-A-Longs Harris
 or McCarron

Club Wildwood Hart

Tampa Curli Q's Kessler

Clwr. YWCA Guests

Dade City Square Hoppers Smith

2nd & 4th Saturdays

Mulberry Buttons & Bows Guests

Bay Area Twirlers Harris

Last Saturday

Club Wildwood Springer

SPECIAL DANCE October 4, 1975

Square Hoppers Octoberfest

Caller: Danny Robinson

Rounds: The Martins

SPECIAL DANCE: October 18, 1975

Caller's Clinic Dance

Caller: Bobby Hollis, Georgia

Rounds: The Lovelaces

SPECIAL DANCE: October 25, 1975

Bay Area Twirlers Hobo Dance

Caller: Jack Harris

Rounds: Frank DuBois

SPECIAL DANCE: October 11, 1975

Mobile Mavericks Camporee

Highland Hammock State Pk., Sebring

Caller: Jim Baker

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YELL-O-ROCKERS OF ZEPHYRHILLS...will have their Annual Hallowe'en Dance on the Fifth Friday, October 31st, with Bob Bennett, from Valdosta, Ga. calling the squares and Marty Martin calling the rounds, with early rounds beginning at 7:30 P.M. Tom & Lee Caviness will be hosts for the refreshment perios. We invite you all to come and share this "Spook Night" with us. Jim and Sandra Couch will host the club's business meeting at their Auburndale home with a pot-luck supper proceeding the meeting. All club members are urged to attend this meeting. The Yell-O-Rockers have been busy visiting clubs, attending conventions and Jamborees and exhibitions dancing for benefits and Bar-b-ques in the Zephyrhills area. Also, encouraging the spectators to take square dance lessons and join the fun of square dancing. We want to thank Chuck Kessler and Jim Baker for helping us with their outstanding calling and encouraging remarks to those watching. Looking forward to seeing you at the Hallowe'en Dance.

Edith Peterson

ROYAL PALM SQUARES OF FORT MYERS...will be dancing on the 1st, 3rd, & 5th Wednesdays this season at the Hall of 50 States in the Fort Myers Tourist Center, on Edwards Drive (across form the yacht basin.) We will open our season on the last Wednesday of October (the 29th) with ever popular SAM ALLISON calling. Agnes and Allen Ginger have recovered from their automobile accident of last spring, and Agnes will be "Q-ing" our rounds again. Looking forward, our first dance in November (the 5th) will be called by CHUCK KESSLER of Tampa. Chuck made a big hit with our dancers in his appearance last year, and we are pleased to announce that he will be calling all of our first Wednesday dances this season. We welcome our newest members, Mary & Ralph Martin of Lehigh Acres. Also congratulations go to all the new members of Cape Coral Squares - Fred Christopher really had a big class. We sincerely hope you had a good summer and we look forward to the gradual return of our friends from the different areas within these great United States. Come and dance with us.

Etchen Hart

OXBOW NEWS... Fall has arrived at the OXBOW HALL and our friends are arriving from the North have enjoyed the new look. For our square dance friends, Saturday nights have been full of fun and fellowship. For our round dancing friends, a New Year's Eve dance party is being planned. Tickets are available now and are limited to 40 couples. Plan to attend this event for an evening of fun, food and lots of good dancing. Tickets may be purchased at the OXBOW HALL or by calling Bob & Ginny Walther at 447-1677. Happy Dancing!

Mary Fasnacht

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SPINNING WHEELS OF TAMPA...We extend a warm welcome to one and all ..its always nice to see a new face in the crowd. Thank you from all of us to all of you who helped make our luau a success. We will be having some fine callers in the immediate future..October 3, John Saunders at our Horn O Plenty dance. Let's try and fill the horn with "Plenty" and give it to those that need it. October 17th cancelled - caller's convention. On November 7th a surprise caller..clue..he would be great in the Swiss Alps. November 21st none other than Dick Barker from the great State of Georgia Also mark your calendar we will be hosting a New Years Eve Dance. Our sympathys to the Hollens, Turner, Cabeza families on the loss of their loved ones. Keep smiling and keep dancing.

Joyce Todd

CROSS-ROADS OF TAMPA..Knothead was fantastic! Great to see so many old friends...even people who are not dancing come to Knothead..they wouldn't miss it! Troy Harre is on our inactive list, hope he's back soon. Max & Fran Hoyle are back from North Carolina to stay..guess they missed those cues of Charlie Lovelace. For any reason...it's good to have them back. If you want a great evening of dancing..be here October 16th, the great C. O. Guest from Texas, owner of Kalox Records will be our guest caller. Should be a great night. Our sincere sympathy to Virginia Hollen and Susie Petrauskas on the loss of their mothers. Come visit us.

Mori Sogolow

ELLENTON TIDEVUE SQUARES...The Fall season for Tidevue Dancers will open Wednesday morning 9:30 to 11:30 with a work-shop. George Jabbusch will conduct the workshop, reviewing old basics, with a sleeve full of new figures. We will alternate callers every other Thursday nights but George will instruct every Wednesday morning. You all come as it is very good level dancing.

Gayle Baldwin

NEWS FROM NSDCA TNT 081...The August Camp-O-Ree was held at Sherwood Forest Camp Ground near Disney World. A most enjoyable dance weekend although several members were on vacation. Johnny Walter called a wonderful dance Friday night. Thanks Johnny. Workshop and Sat. night dance was called by George Jabbusch, his usual great job. The pot luck supper was a real winner! Mulligan stew! The teen's took charge of the skits after the Saturday dance. Our thanks to John Lovelace, who did the after dance cooking while Red Eckels was in the hospital. Also want to thank the other visitors. Our next Camp-O-Ree will be Oct. 17-19 at Winterset.

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STRAWBERRY STROLLERS OF PLANT CITY...sent six couples over to the Gandy Dancers, Tampa to recapture our flag. I understand they had a great time with those Gandy people. We also enjoyed the company this month of the Brandon Squares, Yell-O-Rockers and the Gatton Promanaders. We certainly hope that you all come back and visit us again soon. We didn't have a dance on Sept. 2nd, there were too many suffering from "Knothead Legs". Wed. the 10th was the kick off for a new class. Anyone interested might check and see if they can get in this class. Hope to see you each Tuesday at the Dort Street Planteen.

Don & Pat McKenzie

BEACON WOODS SQUARES have been dancing every Wednesday thru the summer. Our caller, Chuck Kessler, will conduct beginners' square dance lessons each Wednesday, starting at 6 P.M. Intermediate level dancing will be from 8 to 10:30 P.M. Twenty couples recently went by bus on a Knothead trip to South Orlando Squares. Bill Stinson of the South Orlando Squares conducted the new Knotheads through the ceremony and he did a great job.

Fred Martin

CHARLOTTE PROMENADERS OF PORT CHARLOTTE...Once again we are all "reved up" and anxious to get our Fall Season into full swing, with such fine callers as Art Springer, Bob Norton, Roger Chapman, Chuck Kessler, Jack Harris, Tom Bean, Frank Bedell and Jack Cloe. We will again be dancing in the AC hall at the Peace River Elementary School just off Hwy 41 in Charlotte Harbor, Thursdays beginning October 2nd from 7:30 to 10:00 P.M. Two "Specials" have been planned, first, a Turkey Trot, Saturday, November 22, 1975 with Jack Lasry calling, held in the Gym of the Port Charlotte Junior High. Second, a Sweetheart Ball, Saturday, February 14, 1976. Same place. More about these later but keep them in mind! Many of us who have been "stay at homes" this summer greatly enjoyed dancing with our good neighbors. Now we are looking forward to getting our "Promenaders" swinging again. Ya'all come and have fun with us.

Jessie Reynolds

DADE CITY SQUARE HOPPERS...The club at their August membership meeting voted to commence bi-monthly dances in September. So mark your calendars for the first and third Saturdays to attend a really fun dance with a very enthusiastic and friendly club who are by now well known for setting a "great table". The club is also sponsoring their First Annual "Octoberfest" featuring Danny Robinson and Marty and Byrdie Martin Oct. 4th at McDonald Ctr. at St. Leo College. All area clubs were scheduled for a visitation during Sept. for distribution of flyers. For fun, food, friendliness and a fantastic dance, plan to go.

Frank Newman

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ARCADIA SQUARES...a square dance class sponsored by the Arcadia Country Club, was graduated in late August with (a lucky thirteen students) lining up for graduation hats and diplomas. Students were welcomed into the Arcadia Squares by the club president, Paul Whitlock and club caller, Jack Livingston. Games, gimmicks and eats in addition to the dancing made it a fun filled evening. To show their appreciation for the help of the Arcadia Squares, the new graduates planned a supper party and barbecue at the home of Jay & Milli Hall. Helping to host this party at the Hall's Ranch were Mike & Edie Lotz, Mack & Margaret Lundy, Larry & Lou Triay, Dick & Marie Crowe and Hortense Lundquist. Liz and Norman Lewis were unable to attend. All area square dancers are invited to visit and dance with us, each Thurs. evening at the American Legion Hall in Arcadia. Our fall series of lessons will be starting soon and all interested are invited to stop by and get acquainted. We are now planning our annual New Years party, also our Halloween and Thanksgiving parties. There's always something doing at the Arcadia Squares! We have a club banner and a couple of Stealin' banners. You all come!

Grace Livingston

DIXIE LOOPERS OF HOLIDAY...WELCOME to our members back from the North and to Sue Taylor after eye surgery. Enjoyed dancing with Evelyn & Dick Porter's daughter and husband from Connecticut. Jerry Smith of Tampa called for vacationing Ken Cucore..great job, Jerry..June and Bud Shuster did a terrific job on our Bi-Centennial Party...cake, hall and members all in red, white and blue. Ken was transformed into Uncle Sam by Leslie, Michelle & Brad Oyler...Rena & Fran Brideau's grandchildren. They led the grand march assisted by Candy Kasprzyk, Miss Baby Spring Hill 1975. Many members spent an enjoyable evening slides of the Jamison's Orient trip..Party held for that marvelous pair, Elsie and Crick Filiere..hate to lose them. However, all is not lost..we have been successful in getting Mildred and Dan Hulin to take over the rounds on Wednesdays. Join us for our costumed Halloween Party the 28th.

Louise Gagne

VILLA CURLI-Q'S OF TAMPA...There will be a first anniversary dance on November to celebrate our club's first birthday. It will be held in our cool, air conditioned, wooden flored North Boulevard Recreation Hall. Our club's teacher and memtor, Chuck Kessler, will call the squares and Frank DuBois the rounds. A great evening is in the making and we hope to see all who read this there, including all of our "snow-birds" who have been "summering" up North.

Anne & Russ McIntyre

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OAK CREST SQUARES OF LARGO...Don & Dorothy have returned stateside from Hawaii and then attended the square dance school at Kirkwood, Mo. before coming back to "partly cloudy with rain" Florida. Frank and Elnors Webber who come to Florida each summer have returned to school duties in Kalamazoo, Michigan. The Frank Buckleys have returned from a vacation in Spain. While there they taught square dancing in their hotel lobby each evening. Staff Sgt. Karen Woody from the Air Force base at Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, had been visiting her parents, Ray and Hazel Pardee. Our attendance has been increasing from a July low of 5 squares. The air conditioner is repaired and we are back in the swing. A beginner's class will begin Nov. 2 with a free dance and exhibition by experienced square dancers.

John & Berneice Anderson

FRIENDLY SQUARES OF HIGHPOINT...We are sorry to have Louise LaSpina & Jim Pacetti out on the sick list, hope to have you both back real soon. Glad to have the Frank Bieners back after their vacation. It has been decided to have our Friendly Squares dance the first and second Fridays giving us a few free Friday nights to visit clubs who dance on this night. We will have a guest caller on the 4th Saturday of each month, the first one will be on October 25th, Art Springer on the squares and John Hart on the rounds. Hope you will come dance with us real soon.

Dottie Merrill

GANDY DANCERS OF TAMPA...The stork has been particularly active in regard to our President Frank Wolf and former president Ken Dettling. Their daughters presented each one of them a grandchild, one in July, one in Aug. If that is not enough Bill and Dee Murphy are expecting an addition to their family. A suggestion has been made to rename our organization "The Stork Club". Our dancers have branched out in various directions. Three squares performed an exhibition of square dancing for the Manhattan Nursing Home and the same group exhibited for a retirement home. So far one square has signed up for the square dancing at Disney World. Attendance at our dances has been real good considering we are in the summer months (7 to 9 squares).

Ernest & Mary Replogle

BRANDON SQUARES...We enjoyed our club party in September, with nine squares present for fried chicken and all the trimmings. A special treat was the dessert made by Lydia Gupton!! We have been happy to see so many friends at our dances and we have enjoyed visiting other clubs too. We will be announcing our new officers very soon. Our new members will be visiting so look for them. They have been told what a friendly group we have in the Tampa Bay Area. We are looking forward to all the exciting dances coming up. Have a super Oct. and we'll see you somewhere.

Charles & Betty Haigler

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THE SQUARE-EM-UP SAMS...local chapter of the Good Sams held their monthly meeting Aug. 15-17, 1975 at the Indian Creek Park Campground on San Carlos Blvd. There was an informal get together on Friday night of games & dancing. On Saturday, there was a business meeting in the morning. In the afternoon there was a workshop for round-dancing and square dancing. The wives of the campers supplied a luscious pot luck dinner after which there were squares and rounds and an informal after-party. On Sunday morning a Continental breakfast was provided by the Wagon Masters. We broke camp before noon after another happy weekend. Future meetings will be held on the third weekend of each month. Anyone interested in attending the camp-outs or who wish to become members of the group contact Mrs. Mildred Roberts..542-1824.

Leeroy Corcoran

BAY AREA TWIRLERS OF TAMPA...The BATS have been busy trying to get some banners. Our own is out all the time. We went to retrieve our banner from John Hart's Valentine Squares. It was a good time and a friendly club. We had our business meeting and pot luck supper. Everyone had a good time, and we all gained at least 5 pounds. That's one thing about the BATS, they sure like to eat. Hope everyone enjoyed the Hospitality Room at the Knothead. We enjoyed putting it on. We will be having one of our "special" dances coming up this month, October 25th.. our Hobo Dance..this is one of the big ones for us. We just love to see everyone on their costumes. We have some of the biggest hams in the Bay Area!! We wish our friends Happy Birthdays and also Happy Anniversaries. Come and dance with us on the 2nd & 4th Saturdays, at North Boulevard Rec. Hall. Jack Harris on the squares, Frank DuBois on the rounds are two of the best. See you in a square!

Secret Reporter

CAPE CORAL SQUARES...began their 1975-1976 year on August 25 with Bi-Centennial red-white-and blue adorning dinner tables and waving from flag-festooned ropes across the ceiling of the Cape Coral Yacht and Racquet Club. At this gala occasion--a pot luck dinner with fried chicken-officers were installed after outgoing President Lillian West had thanked all who had helped during the preceding year. She then turned over the chair to Richard Cahill, who installed the previously elected members as follows: president, Benny & Jessie Crossno; vice-president, Bill & Sally Hopkins; secretary-treasurer, Cliff & Mabel Smith; board of directors Lillian West, immediate past president; Art & Alma Kremis; George & Sara McKinney; and Jack & Carrie Newsom. Henry Wright presented Lillian with a handsome trophy in appreciation of her enthusiasm and interest during her term as president. With membership continuing to increase and a new class starting with "Chris" Christopher as caller, 1975-1976 should be a banner year for the Cape Coral Squares. Edith Juhel

KITCHEN COLUMN

by Edith Peterson

RICE OLE' CASSEROLE

1 lb. ground beef	$\frac{1}{4}$ cup tomato paste
$\frac{3}{4}$ cup chopped onions	$1\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. salt
1 tblsp. margarine or meat drippings	$\frac{1}{8}$ tsp. pepper
$\frac{1}{2}$ cup uncooked rice	1 tsp. chili powder
$2\frac{1}{4}$ cups water	$\frac{1}{2}$ lb. cheddar cheese, cubed
1 beef bouillon cube	

Brown meat and onions in margarine, stirring to break meat apart. Stir in rice, water, bouillon cube and tomato paste. Add seasonings. Heat to boiling, stirring well, cover and simmer for 25 minutes. Add cheese cubes and toss lightly. Serve at once. Makes 6 servings.

Country Kitchen Piggies

1 12 oz. pkg. sausage links
 $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups cooked rice
 $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups cream style yellow corn
 3 tblsp. chopped whole canned pimientos
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup milk

Fry sausage as per package directions until brown on all sides - cooked through. Drain off fat. Add rice, corn, pimientos and milk. Simmer, stirring occasionally, until heated through and milk is absorbed. Serve in shallow vegetable dish garnished with pimiento strips. Serves 6.

MEXICAN AVOCADO DIP - submitted by Fran Schmakel

1 or 2 Avocados (cut up)	small tomato (cut up)
Couple of shakes of tobasco sauce	salt & pepper
small onion (cut up)	lemon juice or Real Lemon

Put in blender and grate. Very good with chips.

CALLERLAB

Callerlab...The International Association of Square Dance Callers, is still young but already it has accomplished or is in the process of accomplishing numerous forward steps for the square dance activity.

Among its most significant accomplishments to date is the establishment of a special clearing house to screen all new movements. The clearinghouse researches and recommends, on a quarterly basis, any two (or one, or no) movements that it feels are worthy of being used in Mainstream dancing. The Committee, headed by Jack Lasry, Miami, Florida, and made up of a group of responsible caller/leaders, tests hundreds of movements each year before making its selections. The goal of the Committee has been to cut down significantly on the overabundance of new, often awkward or non-descriptive movements that have been flooding the square dance activity in recent years. Apparently the project is accomplishing its goals for dancers in many parts of the world have expressed their relief that such a significant step has been taken.

Callerlab has 17 active committees. One of the new ones, headed by Lee Kopman of Wantagh, New York, is setting out to determine a workable system of identifying the various levels of square dancing. Because the terms "fun" level, "low" level, "high" level, "intermediate" level, etc., means different things to different people, it's almost impossible for traveling dancers to find a dance in a strange city that features the type of program in which they feel qualified to participate. Traveling callers, coming into an area new to them, may be told to call a "difficult" dance only to find that the area is inexperienced square dancewise, and "difficult" to them would be considered "mid-level" in most other regions of the country. And so it is that this Committee hopes to develop a method that can be adopted universally. With such a system the annual Square Dance Convention, as an example, can label its various halls in such a way that every dancer and every caller attending knows exactly what to expect. It's a much needed program and hopefully a solution is not too far off.

THE QUARTERLY MOVEMENTS

The committee has announced that two movements have been selected for the Mainstream Workshops and Dances for October, November and Dec. The movements are:

1. Pass the Ocean
2. Ferris Wheel

The committee feels that the selections should prove popular as both figures have been high on the pulse polls of various square dance magazines and were strong in the voting by the committee. In addition to these two, the Committee suggests continued usage of its last selection, Transfer the Column.

THE 25TH NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION

WHAT TO SEE AND DO WHILE ATTENDING ANAHEIM CONVENTION

By now you surely have made two minor decisions--how to get to Anaheim and where to stay. Next you must make the major decisions of when to dance and when to sightsee. And just as important, where to do, because within a one hundred mile radius of Anaheim there are literally hundreds of sights to see and things to do.

A must for first time visitors to California is Disneyland, which is located just across the street from Anaheim Convention Center. Most dancers will get an opportunity to see Disney land at night during the Saturday night after party--midnight to dawn.

Most scheduled tours will begin on Tuesday before the Convention. One you won't want to miss is the popular tour through Universal Studios. On the tram tour you will see behind the scenes, and guides will explain many facets of television and movie production.

The Queen Mary tour is also well worth the visit. You will be able to see the bridge, the engine room, the staterooms, promenade deck shops and Jacques Cousteau's Living Sea are all included.

The tour of NBC Studios and Farmers Market first makes a stop at the market where produce, delicious pastries, beautiful flowers and exotic gifts come from all over the world.

Shuttle buses will operate every half hour from the Convention Center Tour desk to Knott's Berry Farm and Movieland Wax Museum. Both are excellent family attractions and only 15 minutes from the Convention Center.

For the shoppers in the group two MUST tours are the Shop and Show Day to the coastal cities and to Tijuana, Mexico. The Shop and Show tour goes to the coastal cities of Newport Beach and Laguna Beach. Laguna Beach is "arty" with small picturesque shops and art studios. Newport Beach is the fashionable home of larger stores, chic boutiques, and fine mens stores. Lunch at one of the large department stores and a fashion show are included.

Sea World in San Diego and Lion Country Safari are also fun for all ages. Lion Country includes a tour to the beautiful San Juan Capistrano Mission.

A Tuesday evening tour features a tour on the Riverboat Pavilion Queen, Queen, with a buffet dinner, then dance music until 11 P.M. On Wednesday a dinner tour is scheduled at the El Adobe in San Juan Capistrano. All of the little shops will be open, with special music and entertainment.

Our party in Mexico on Sunday afternoon and evening includes dinner at El Fuente Restaurant.

Send your reservations now to: Advance Registration Director
P. O.Box 1141, Merced, Cal. 95340

\$6.00 per person for three days in advance. Make checks payable to 25th National Square Dance Convention.

The following article was printed in the May, 1973 issue of the West Coast Dancer. We think it bears repeating.

DIET DANCING DEATH

There are many reasons why square dancing and round dancing have achieved such nationwide popularity. The wonderful association between people of similar interests is in itself enough to attract people. The obvious entertainment we enjoy helps us keep happy and entertained and interested in life. Perhaps the most important reason is the healthful exercise we receive. The chance to maintain a healthy and mobile body as we grow older is a matter foremost in all our minds. The energy we burn dancing helps to keep us young and active physically and the obvious need to be attentive to calls keep us mentally alert. With all of these good points in favor of dancing one might assume that there are no problems associated with square dancing and round dancing. There are many minor dangers inherent in our dance, but there is one which may lead to a dance of death. This I wish to discuss.

Several circumstances are common to most square dancers. First and foremost is the fact that most are over the age of 45. Secondly, we dance mostly at night, after a full day of activity. And lastly, we usually dance after eating dinner. It is this last fact that can be the "straw that breaks the camel's back". How? Let me explain. Most of us are already in the "coronary age"; most of us lead active daily lives and are proud and happy to be able to be active; and most of us enjoy eating. Coronaries and heart attacks occur when there is an inadequate blood supply to all or part of the heart muscles. This may come about in many ways but I want you to be aware of one particular way. Everything we do each day adds to the load on the heart. Mild coronary artery insufficiency is a condition of which a person is usually unaware. Now you take this person and a particularly active day and add to that a large meal, high in fat and starch and then put him or her on the dance floor and you will watch in horror as this person literally dances to his death.

We cannot blame anyone of these factors as the major cause because they each play their part. We can, however, do one thing to help break this possibly fatal chain of events. This is in the choice of what we eat prior to dancing and when we eat. I am sure you have never heard of a swimmer, or football player or any other athlete who consumed a large, hard to digest meal, just prior to his event. He would make sure that his meal was low in calories, high in protein, but low in fat..food such as beef, fish, fowl, or cheese and prepared by broiling, boiling, or baking rather than frying. A low calorie vegetable, a minimum of bread and starch, and plenty of water plus coffee or tea if desired.

We all want to enjoy dancing, don't inadvertently bring disaster to the dance floor. Be active, be happy but sensible. Dr. T. S. Pennington
Bradenton

ARE YOU DRESSING PROPERLY FOR SQUARE DANCING??

Square dancers are recognized instantly by non-dancers by their costumes. It's an important part of our activity, and we like it!

At any National Convention proper attire on the dance floor is a MUST! It should be at every open function. At the recent Knothead and at the State Convention, there were far too many people on the dance floor who looked like they were dressed for anything but square dancing. A picnic on the beach, a tennis game, or an evening at home with a good book, but not Square dancing.

Proper attire for a new dancer need not be an expensive thing. For the men the only MUST is a long sleeved shirt. For the ladies the problem may be a little more complex, but not insurmountable.

If you are not a seamstress, talk to your club president's wife, or the caller's wife. They will be glad to offer any assistance they can. They may know of someone who has some dresses they would be glad to sell for a reasonable price, or of someone who could help you make an outfit. A full skirt is desirable, they look so pretty when you swing..and if you are handy at sewing some slip companies will sell pre-cut tiers, in all colors for you to make a slip. At half of the cost! Petti-pants are a MUST.. a shorty pajama pattern or a tennis outfit have just what is needed to make your own petti-pants. A pair of low shoes, most stores sell a little dance type slipper for a very reasonable price.

The above are hints for new dancers...but if you are an experienced dancer who has been dancing for some time, the lack of proper attire is not your problem. Would you attend a tennis match in a sequined evening dress? Or a formal dinner party in slacks and sport shirt? Of course you know you wouldn't, so please don't go to a square dance unless you are properly dressed, unless you go as a spectator.

Club president's and callers should request that everyone dress in the proper manner. Ours is a permissive society, but there has to be a line drawn somewhere.

The Overseas Dancer Association held their 13th Annual Convention in Las Vegas, Nevada and over 100 members attended. The 14th Annual Reunion will take place in Washington, D. C., August 11-14, 1976. Denton, Texas was selected for 1977.

If you are interested in joining this group contact Steve and Fran Stephens, 151 Dryden Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78213 for mor information.

FLORIDA'S 23RD STATE CONVENTION FOR SQUARE AND ROUND DANCERS

PLACE.....MIAMI BEACH Convention Center

WHEN.....May 28, 29, 30, 1976

CALLERS: BOB FISK, California and JOHN HENDRON, Massachusetts

ROUNDS: ANITA & LEROY STARK, Arizona

The Convention Committee have great plans underway for this Convention! On the agenda TWO grand marches, one night for clubs, the second night for areas. A skit on the history of square dancing is in the planning stages. This is only part of the BIG weekend the Committee is planning for YOU. Headquarters hotel is the beautiful Deauville Hotel, so make your plans EARLY...Dance Registration is \$6.00 per person. Send your early registration first thing TOMORROW!

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Report From The Fall Fun Fest Committee

What is the Fall Fun Fest?? A great week-end of dancing being planned for you, not this year, but next year in October 22-23, 1976. A little early to make plans? Not if you want the best week-end of dancing in the state! And that's shat's in store for you...squares or rounds.

First, this dance will take place at the NEW Lakeland Civic Center, the finest facility in the State of Florida of its kind.

Second, a National caller, Ken Bower of California, will do the squares, and two fantastic round dance leaders who hardly need an introduction to the dancers of Florida, Marty and Byrdie Martin, and Charles and Madeline Lovelace.

Third, a planned after party, with THREE popular West Coast callers Jim Baker, Jack Harris and Chuck Kessler sharing the mike.

Flyers will be out soon, but mark this date now!

All profits form this dance will be given to support The West Coast Dancer Magazine.

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Can you imagine it?? Summer has gone and here it is fall! The greatest season of them all with all our anticipations. What's in store for us? The little squirrels (Joe & Earle) have been busy all summer storing up a lotta surprises for we dancers. Watch our ads in both Bow & Swing and the West Coast Dancer. We don't want you to miss anything, but greater dancing is in store for all of you.

Kriss Kross will not be dancing "Thanksgiving Day"..Nov. 27th. That is a "Family Get Together Day"..Seven Lakes will be using the auditorium for their Thanksgiving Dinner.

Our boat trip on the "Sun Coaster" (arrangements made by Joe & Flora Trapp) was a most perfect evening..No Rain!..a beautiful moonlight night! Our cruise left the docks at six with smooth sailing all the way, past the locks that control the water in Lake Okeechobee..a most interesting and educational trip. Food on board was catered by Sweden House and what food!! Singing on board by the group, led by Minnie and Lillian and many others & the "Great Master" on his guitar, Warren Marshall, never gave out of songs, many of yesteryear! and todays rock & Roll!! It was a great evening, voted for another one real soon. We had 79 on board and the Suncoaster holds 115, so our next trip should be "over-flowing". Our many thanks to Joe and Flora for planning such a wonderful trip for us all.

Square dance classes are starting up again, Harold Sauls will be starting one at Seven Lakes at six o'clock Thursday, October 23rd. Art Hacking will be starting real soon (date not set yet). Christopher at Cape Coral has already started one and Jack Livingston at Lehigh has one started.

Earle and Lee will be starting their basic rounds at South Rec. Center Friday, October 3rd and easy rounds Wednesday, October 8th. Intermediate rounds October 5th (Sunday) at Bonita Springs.

So all of you who would like to square or round, there will be many places for you to start.

It's great to be a square dancer, and round dancer. (I've been one for many years and love it more and more as the years go by.)

Will be seeing you,

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SPECIAL EVENTS

October 3, 1975

Spinning Wheels Masquerade

Caller: John Saunders

Rounds by: The Martins

Dade City Square Hoppers

"Octoberfest"

Caller: Danny Robinson

Rounds: The Martins

October 4 & 5, 1975

1st Annual Oct. Beachcomber

Jacksonville Bc. Aud.

Callers: Bobby Keefe, Dick Barker
& John Saunders

Rounds: Wayne & Barbara Blackford

October 10, 1975

Round Dance Dinner Dance

Princess Martha Hotel, St. Pete

Rounds: Fred Leach - C. Lovelace

October 10-11, 1975

Mobile Mavericks Camp-O-Ree

Highland Hammock State Pil, Sebring

Caller: Jim Baker

October 15, 1975

Cross-Roads Squares of Tampa

Caller: C. O. Guest, Texas

Rounds: Charlie Lovelace

October 17, 1975

NSDCA TNT 081 Camp-O-Ree

Winterset Tr. Pk., Palmetto

October 18, 1975

CALLER'S CLINIC DANCE

N. Blvd. Rec. Cen., Tampa

Caller: Bobby Hollis, Georgia

Rounds: The Lovelaces

October 24, 25, 1975

16th Annual Fall Festival of Rounds

Di Lido Hotel, Miami Beach

October 25, 1975

Bay Area Twirlers Hobo Dance

Caller: Jack Harris

Rounds: Frank DuBois

October 26, 1975

O-Bar 8 Balls Halloween Ball

O-Bar Rec. Hall, Kissimmee

Caller: Fred Christopher

Rounds: Clarence Stienhoff

October 31, 1975

Zephyrhills Yell-O-Rockers

Halloween Dance

Caller: Bob Bennett, Georgia

Rounds: The Martins

November 7 & 8, 1975

22nd Annual Fall Roundup

Jacksonville, Fla.

Callers: Marshall Flippo

Gary Shoemake

Rounds: Irv & Betty Easterday

Nov. 21, 1975

City Hall Annex, Clwr.

Swingin' 8's Fall Fling

Caller: Bob Augustin, New Orleans

Rounds: The Hulins

Nov. 22, 1975

Port Charlotte Prom. Turkey Trot

Caller: Jack Lasry

Rounds: Hal & Lou Neitzel

Nov. 29, 1975

Lakeland Civic Center, Lakeland

WEST COAST ASSOCIATION DANCE