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For all updates, additions, changes, Ads and articles for the Dancer.

January / February / March 2015 — December 10, 2014

April / May / June 2015 — March 10, 2015

NEXT WEST COAST ASSOCIATION

BUSINESS MEETING

To be announced

NOTICE! The officers of the West Coast Square and Round Dancers' Association and the editors of the West Coast Dancer do not necessarily agree with all views as presented in the articles: However, they will print any article submitted as long as it is square dance related and tastefully written. The editors reserve the right to edit all articles including Club News. A limit of 150 words or approximately 15 lines (No. 8 font) of Club News is requested. Note that Club News is not a repeat of the club listing or Ad but news of club activities of interest to dancers. Dance Listings are printed at no charge and limited to City (area), Club name. Place and Address, Time, Caller/Cuer, Level/Phase and Contact information. If a more detailed description is desired, such as Themes for future dances, Guest Callers/Cuers, admission fees, and varying schedules, please make use of the Ad schedule on Page 2.



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July 27- Aug 24 – Sept 28 - 1:30pm – Phase 2, 3, 4 – Round Dance ~ **Charlie & Leona Lovelace**
 Aug. 17, 2014 – West Coast Vip Dance ~ **Keith Stevens/Karen Fisher**
 Sept. 21, 2014-West Coast Presidents' Ball ~ **Bob Stern/Charlie Lovelace**
 Review Workshop Phase 2 will begin October 5, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**
 Review Workshop Phase 3 will begin October 5, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**
 2nd Sunday – Phase 3, 4, 5, Dance will begin November 9, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**
 Beginner Round Dance Class will begin Dec 7, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**

Monday

Beginner Square & Plus Square Dance Classes will begin Dec. 1, 2014 ~ **Roland Blanchette**

Tuesday

A-2 Review Workshop & C-1 Class/Workshop will begin November 11, 2014 ~ **Keith Stevens**

Wednesday

C-2 - Dance/Workshop will begin October 22, 2014 ~ **Ben Rubright**
 C-1 Dance/with intro to C-2 will begin October 22, 2014 ~ **Ben Rubright**
 Strawberry Square Club Night – Manstrm & Easy Plus will begin Nov. 5, 2014

Thursday

Intro to C-1 Class will begin January 8, 2015 ~ **Marty Van Wart**
 Phase 2 Round Dance Class will begin October 16, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**
 Phase 4 Round Dance Class will begin October 16, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**
 Phase 3+ Round Dance Class will begin October 16, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**
 Phase 3+ Figure Clinic will begin October 16, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**

Friday

July 4, August 1, Sept. 5 – 7:00 – 9:30pm – Advance/Plus w/Rounds – **Mike Cox**
 July 18, August 15, Sept 19 -7:00 – 9:30pm – Advance/Plus ~ **Keith Stevens**
(Check website for cancellation of these dances)
 C-2 Dance/Workshop will begin November 7, 2014 ~ **Keith Stevens**
 C-3A Dance & Workshop will begin January 2, 2015~ **Keith Stevens**
 A-2 Dance will begin October 24, 2014 ~ **Keith Stevens**

Saturday

Phase 5 Figure Clinic will begin November 1, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**
 Phase 5 Round Dance/Teach will begin November 1, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**
 Phase 4 Figure Clinic will begin November 1, 2014 ~ **Jack & Nell Jenkins**
 Mainstream/Plus Level Dance/w Rds – Oct. 18, 2014 – 7:30 – 10:00pm **FCA Annual Dance**
 Plus Dance w/Rounds will begin Oct 25, 2014 – 7:30 – 9:30pm ~ **Sam Dunn/Jimmy & Carol Griffen**

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Health and Sympathy

Due to poor health, Cuer **Pat Hagen** has retired from cueing in the Tampa Bay area. She has had to stop long distance driving and is only able to walk a short distance. She stated that "I will miss you all but I have 64 great years of memories." If you would like to send her a message, her email address is cuerhagen@gmail.com.

On Aug. 18 Marty Van Wart was our caller and Charlie Lovelace cued. We recognized out birthdays and anniversaries for August.

September means back to Square Dance attire. September 15th was our Western Dance.

On October 27, we will have our Halloween Dance. Roland Blanchette will be calling and Charlie Lovelace will be cueing. We hope to see you in costume.

Please note that on November 3, we will not be dancing because the hall will be set up for elections.

On Nov. 10, we will have our Veterans Day Dance. Art Springer will be calling. Please join us the next week Nov. 17th for Art Springer's retirement Party. Ron Reardon will be calling and perhaps some others as well. We would like to show him how much we have appreciated his many years of service. Our next dance on Nov. 24th will be our Thanksgiving Day Dance. This is a covered dish dance the club furnishes the meat. Sharon Short will be calling and Charlie Lovelace will be cueing. This is also when we recognize our birthdays and anniversaries for the month.

On Dec. 15 we will have our Christmas Party Dance. Ron Reardon will be calling and Charlie Lovelace will be cueing. The next week Dec. 22 will be our Installation of Officers. Sharon Short will be calling and Charlie Lovelace will be cueing.

Our last dance of the year is Dec. 29. This will be our New Years Party Dance. We will also recognize all those with birthdays and anniversaries for December. Ron Reardon will be calling and Charlie Lovelace will be cueing. Wear your party hat and come join us.

We want to wish all a Very Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!!

January 2015 is going to be a fun and exciting year. Come dance with us. We dance at the Oak Grove United Methodist Church at the corner of Waters and Habana Ave in Tampa. We dance from 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM with early rounds at 7 PM.

Yellow Rocks, Kathy Allen

Sign on a mountain trail



2014 - 2015 WCSRDA PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As I write this article, we are two weeks away from our President's Ball where we introduce the new officers for 2015 and we still don't have a full slate of officers! Our elections should have been held at our last meeting in August, but at that time we didn't have a candidate for president or secretary. During the VIP Dance in August, against my better judgment, I volunteered to be the president! This will be my fourth term as president.

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself to those of you who don't know me. I've been square and round dancing since the early 80's. I have held several offices and committee chairmanships over the years. I'm the past president of Gator Promenaders of Lakeland and past and current president of the Buttons & Bows of Lakeland (five terms), past president of the Florida Association of Single Square and Round Dancers (FASSRD) (two or three terms), past chairman of the Florida Square Dance Hall of Fame, co-chairman of the 2014 Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention, and I currently serve as Florida Federation secretary and will be moving up to vice president in November.

I've attended every Florida State Convention since I started dancing, attended numerous FASSRD Single-Ramas, attended two Single Square Dancers USA Conventions, attended numerous Georgia Singles Conventions, and have attended numerous West Coast Association Fall Fun Fests (maybe all of them since I started dancing).

I assist Carl Rod with teaching round dancing in Polk County.

Approximately 11 years ago, I started writing the DANCERgram, a weekly electronic newsletter for the dancers on the West Coast of Florida that reaches approximately 1,000 dancers.

I am currently employed as office manager at the Winter Haven Garden Center, an historical facility and garden that is rented out for parties, weddings, etc.

I am an active member of Lena Vista UMC in Auburndale, serving as Financial Secretary, Worship Leader, and editor of the church newsletter.

I have two daughters, Rachel and Jenny. Rachel lives in Polk City with her husband and two boys - DJ (17) and Trever (14). She works full time, is a full time student at Keyser University working on her Bachelor's in Criminal Justice. Jenny lives with me, works full time, is a student at Florida Southern College in Lakeland working on her Bachelor's in Accounting, and is active in square dancing too.

As you can tell I really enjoy square and round dancing and I hope it will still be around when, and if, I am ever able to retire!

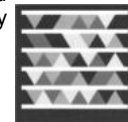
Lance and Rita Baxter and their committee is working hard to have a successful Fall Fun Fest in Bartow November 14th - 15th. Jerry Biggerstaff and Keith Stevens will be calling Mainstream, Plus, and Advance. Karen Fisher will be cueing Phase II - IV Rounds. There will also be workshops during the day on Saturday. Strawberry Square Square Dance Shop will be our vendor for the weekend. Advance ribbons are available now for \$18 per person for the entire weekend; they go up to \$20 per person the first night of the Fall Fun Fest.

The other associations will be having their annual weekends; make plans to attend them. The 40th Roundup will be hosted by the Northwest Association in Valparaiso, FL October 24 - 25; Northeast will be having their Mad Hatters Ball in Jacksonville the weekend after our Fall Fun Fest; Southeast usually has a Snowflake Frolic in January, and Central will be having their Shamrock Swing in March.

We are also promoting the 61st Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention - The Hollywood Scene in 2015. The dates are May 22 - 24, 2015 in Lakeland. Advance tickets are available.

I hope to see you in a square real soon!

Penny Green, President



**WEST COAST SQUARE & ROUND DANCERS'
ASSOCIATION SPECIAL DANCES for 2014/2015**

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

Oct. 19	King of Peace Church	3150 5th Ave. N.	St. Petersburg
Nov. 14, 15	Fall Fun Fest (See Ad Pg. 13) for info and per person fee.	2250 S. Floral Ave.	Bartow
Dec. 7	Citrus Park Clubhouse	25601 Trost Blvd.	Bonita Springs
Jan. 11	Betmar Club House #2	37137 Lakewood Drive	Zephyrhills
Feb. 15	Lake Ashton Clubhouse	4141 Ashton Club Dr.	Lake Wales
Mar. 9	Palace Promenaders	1627 NE Floridian Cir.	Arcadia

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#018 813-949-5189	Phil & Ursula Bonczek	39th St. Camp-O-Ree Blueberry Hill Res. Bushnell, FL Oct. 16-19, 2014 Nov.21-23 Blueberry Hill RV Res., Bushnell Dec. 13-14 Paradise Oaks RV Resort, Bushnell
#139 863-323-9317	Jack & Betty Davis	39th St. Camp-O-Ree Blueberry Hill Res. Bushnell, FL Oct. 16-19, 2014
# 143 352-347-3363	Roland Minch	Chapters 139 & 143 Campout together:
#153 727-391-3944	Bob Bishop & Sandy Hagen	Oct. 11, 12 Blueberry Hill RV Res, Bushnell 39th St. Camp-O-Ree Blueberry Hill Res. Bushnell, FL Oct. 16-19, 2014

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STRAWBERRY SQUARE - PLANT CITY No Club News



SUN CITY CENTER SWINGERS SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The Club is happy to announce that its unwanted hiatus of Square Dancing for the 2014 summer months of July, August and September is finally over.

The Club's first Dance of the 2014 Fall Season will be held Friday Night October 3, 2014. The Caller for this Dance is Ron Reardon.

Special Event Dances are as follows:

- *October 31 Ron Reardon Happy Halloween Orange Goodies/Punch
- *November 21 Art Springer Turkey Trot Pies & Cobblers/Beverages
- *December 19 Ron Reardon Happy Holidays Hors d'oeuvres/Christmas/Punch

For information call Veanna at 941-776-0477 or Geri at 813-633-9742

SUNCOAST SQUARES—ST. PETERSBURG

Suncoast Squares will host the West Coast Square and Round Dance Association on the 3rd Sunday, October 19, 2014.



Suncoast Squares will be holding our 8th Annual Fly-In, Flip the Flamingo 8 - Take 2, February 13 - 16, 2015. It is a four (4) day event with 20 hours of dancing, five meals, three (3) callers: Todd Felegy (Connecticut), Chris Phillips (Ft Lauderdale) and our club caller, Mike Cox.

We dance on hardwood floors, Friday Night, all day Saturday, and all day Sunday at Bayou Dance Club. On Monday afternoon, we dance at Pavilion 14 on beautiful Ft De Soto Park.

For additional information, please check our website: suncoastsquares.com or contact Joe at 727-443-6242

TEMPLE TWIRLERS - TAMPA



I hope everyone has had an enjoyable summer. We have had good dances all summer. Unfortunately, we did lose one of our faithful members. Edna Haskins passed away. We will surely miss her.

On Aug. 11th we had our Ice Cream Social Dance. We enjoyed lots of ice cream along with some other sweet treats. Allen Snell called for us and Charlie Lovelace cued. The Bay Area Twirlers came to steal our banner. That gave us 5 Squares, so all was not lost. Then we raided the Button & Bows on the 12th and stole their banner.

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Club News

Please note the description of what constitutes NEWS in the Notice on page 3. Note: A repeat of dance listing information, theme dances on regular club nights, regularly scheduled caller/cuer names is not news.



BUTTONS & BOWS — LAKELAND

At this time of year the rest of the country may regret the end of summertime. But not us. We welcome the more moderate temperatures of fall. We have danced here all summer. Now we look forward to our annual meeting in October, when we will rearrange ourselves among our positions of club service. Until then we have little to report to you readers.

Jim Meier

PINE RIDGE PROMENADERS - LAKE PLACID

The Pine Ridge Promenaders will be starting off their 2014-2015 square dance season with a Salute to Veterans dance on November 6, 2014 with Robert Arias calling. We dance every Thursday from November through the first Thursday in April and feature different callers and cuers throughout the season. Many of us took advantage of lone and Wally Wade's expert round dance instruction and are looking forward to some practice time on the floor before classes resume again in January.

Themes for upcoming dances include 50's Sock Hop, Thanksgiving Dance and Christmas dance There will be no dances on Nov. 27, Dec 25 and Jan 1 since the holidays conflict with our normal dance night. We invite everyone to join us. Our club loves visitors and we all look forward to joining you in a square.

Jim and Colleen Mooers

PROMENADE SQUARES - PINELLAS PARK SENIOR CTR.



We are dancing weekly on Thursdays again. Dick DeMeritt is back as our caller and Jimmie Griffin is our cuer. Lessons started September 18th at 6 PM. The first Thursdays in the month Birthdays are celebrated. In October we will eat stew with the hobos and then have a Halloween Party. Our dancers will enjoy a Black Cat Dance on November 13th and then Pie Alamode to celebrate Thanksgiving. December 18th will be our annual Christmas Dinner Dance.

We hope everyone has a very nice holiday. Come dance with us. Information: mblackburn13@tampabay.rr.com or 208-369-6949. Marlene Hughes



BUTTONS & BOWS Of Lakeland



PDR 7:00 pm ~ MS/P/Rd 7:30 pm

Magnolia Building – 702 E. Orange St.

**Caller on 4th Tues.: Art Springer
Cuer at all dances: Charlie Lovelace**

2 nd Tues. callers as follows:

10/14 Ron Reardon

11/11 Bob Stern 12/09 Keith Stevens

MS/PLUS SQUARES AND ROUNDS

863-229-7756

buttonsnbowsquaredancelakeland.weebly.com

Strawberry Square, Inc. Apparel Shop

M – F: 9 – 12

813-752- 0491



*A complete line of garments,
Shoes, jewelry and accessories
for dancers. – gift certificates too.
Open during all dances..*

BAY AREA TWIRLERS

Hillsborough County Parks
& Recreation Dept.
502 Sadie St., Brandon



PDR 7 PM—MS/PL/RDS 7:30 – 9:30 PM

CUER: Charlie & Leona Lovelace

10/11 Art Springer 10/25*a Gary Murphy*

*11/08 D.Wilkerson 11/22*b R. Bargrover*

*12/06 Keith Stevens 12/20*c Sharon Short*

*— = Finger food *51st Anniversary Gala*

**a Bat Cave Gathering *b Thanksgiving Cele.*

Ac Holly & Mistletoe

813-571-7786 or 813-685-3826

The West Coast Square & Round Dance Association

Fall Fun Fest
November 14 & 15,
2014
See Ad on page 13.

TEMPLE TWIRLERS

Oak Grove United Methodist Church
2707 West Waters Ave., Tampa

MONDAYS

PDR 7:00 PM

MS / PLUS 7:30 – 9:30 PM



RON REARDON 1st, 3rd & 5th
Guest Caller 2nd & 4th
CHARLIE & LEONA
LOVELACE Cueing

813-986-2928 BBKJLK@verizon.net

Promenade Squares

Senior Center

7625 59th St. N. – Pinellas Park

Dance every Thursday (Sept. thru May)
(June, July, August: 2nd & 4th Thursday)
6:00 - 7:15 PM Beg. Lessons in Sept.

7:15 - 7:45 PM Pre-Rounds
7:45 – 9:30 PM Ms / Plus Dance

Caller – Dick DeMeritt
Cuers: Jimmy & Carol Griffin
Myrna: 208-369-6949

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SATURDAY NIGHT PLUS DANCING

October 18—Florida Callers Association, Annual Clinic Dance with Mac Letson calling and Fran Keller cueing, 7:30—10:00 pm.

Regular Dance programs: ER—7:00—7:30 pm.

Plus Dance w/Rounds 7:30—9:30 pm.

October 25—Sam Dunn and Jimmy/Carol Griffin.

November 1—Mike Cox and Jimmy/Carol Griffin.

November 8—Keith Stevens and Jack Jenkins.

November 15— HALL CLOSED. Please support West Coast Fall Fun Fest.

November 22—Chris Phillips (squares) and Mike Cox (rounds).

November 29—Mike Cox and Jimmy/Carol Griffin.

December 6—Red Bates and Jimmy/Carol Griffin.

December 13—Sam Dunn and Jack Jenkins.

December 20—Red Bates and Jimmy/Carol Griffin. CHRISTMAS DANCE.

December 27—Sam Dunn (squares) and Mike Cox (rounds).

ART SPRINGER'S

RETIREMENT PARTY

Sunday,

December 7, 2014

1:30—4:00 pm

Rounds w/Charlie & Leona Lovelace

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Welcome in the New Year

“Under the Stars”, Wed. Dec. 31

7:30 pm—12:30 am

(Doors open at 7 pm.)

Caller: Elmer Sheffield

Cuers: Charlie & Leona Lovelace

See our website for more information.



FRIDAY

DADE CITY*Blue Jay pk. 38511 Wilds Rd. Hall on Pelican Dr.
Beg waltz 1- 2 PM
Phase 2 Workshop 2-3 PM
Begin Phase 3, Rh & Cha 3 - 4 PM
Jan - Mar only
Sandy Burke, Cuer. 813-355-3638
petsan.burke495@gmail.com

FT. MYERS BCH*Indian Creek Pk. 17340 San Carlos Blvd. – Jan. thru Mar. Rm.11
Ph III - III+ 12:00 - 1:30 pm
Ph IV - IV+ 1:30 - 3:00 pm
Joyce & Mike Alexander
E-mail: JTA440@msn.com

SATURDAY

SEBRING*Buttonwood Bay Squares Buttonwood Bay RV Pk, 10001 US Rt. 27S.
Nov. thru Mar. 2009 - 2010 ~ 1 - 2:20 PM
Phase II+ Phyllis Hathaway 863-655-2634

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square – 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491
Ph 5 Figure Clinic 10:00 - 11:00am
Ph 5 Dance./Teach 11:00 - 1:00pm
Ph 4 Figure clinic 2:00 - 4:00pm
Ea. Wk. in Nov., Dec. w/Jack & Nell Jenkins

SUNDAY

ARCADIA**Palace Promenaders - Sq. Dnc. Hall - 1627 NE Floridian Cir. Off Rt 17 N ~ 2:00 - 5:00 pm Phase II I- IV Round dance Cuers to be announced Nov. 16, 2014; Jan. 18, 2015; Feb.15, 2015; Mar. 15, 2015

PINELLAS PK.*Pinellas Pk. Aud. 7690 59th St. N— Next to Police Sta. — “Third Sun. Rnds” Party – Ph. III – IV-V ~1-4:00 PM Jimmy & Carol Griffin 727-525-7809 web: www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square – 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491
Ph 2 - 4; 2 - 4pm, Oct 26, Nov 23, Dec. 28 Classic Rnds Nov. 30: 2pm w/pot luck Charlie & Leona Lovelace
Ph 2 Wks/Rev.6 - 7:30pm Ea wk. Oct & Nov
Ph 3 Wks/Rev 7 - 9pm Ea wk in Oct & Nov
Ph 3, 4, 5 Dnc party: Nov 9, Dec 14 @ 2pm Jack & Nell Jenkins
Nov 2, Hope Children Benefit See Ad Pg. 8

COUNTRY / WESTERN / LINE DANCE

TUESDAY

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



If you visit a Florida Welcome Station look for the WCA Flyer promoting square dancing in our area. You will see this photo on the front.

BEGINNER ROUND DANCE LESSONS

MONDAY

AUBURNDALE**321 Ramsgate, 6- 7:30pm
Cuer/Instructor - Carl Rod 863-293-9369

PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square – 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491
6:30 - 8pm Ea wk Dec. Roland Blanchette

TUESDAY

ST. PETERSBURG**Suncoast Squares—
King of Peace MCC Ch., 3150 5th Ave N.
GLBT club but all welcome. 6:30 - 7:30pm
No partner req'd. Mike Cox 727.599.1440
www.suncoastsquares.com

WEDNESDAY

Bonita Springs** Citrus Pk. Rec. Hall,
25501 Trost Blvd. ~ Jan. thur Mar., 2014
3:00 - 4:00pm Joyce & Mike Alexander
239.992.0207

FRIDAY

FT. MYERS BCH**Indian Creek Pk. 17340
San Carlos Blvd. – Jan. thru Mar. Rm.11
10:30 am -11:30am Joyce & Mike Alexander
Email: JTA440@msn.com 239.992,0207

PUNTA GORDA** So. County Regional
Park, 670 Cooper St.
10:00 am—n ~ Nov. - Mar.
Wally & Ione Wade, Instr.
941.505.1979 ionewade@centurylink.net

SUNDAY

PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square – 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491 Class
6:30 - 8:30pm each Sun in Dec
Jack & Nell Jenkins

ROUND DANCES & WORKSHOPS

MONDAY

PUNTA GORDA**So. County Regional Pk.
670 Cooper St., 1:00 - 3:00 pm, PH III & IV
Wksp. Nov.– Mar. Russ & Wilma Collier
941-505-0960 / 941-661-1920
Email: russcollier1@gmail.com

SUN CITY CTR**Kings Point Swingers –
Kings Pt . Main Clubhouse Studio Rm. 1902
Clubhouse Rd. Advance Rnds 5 - 7pm
Mike Cox 813-634-8212 or 813-642-0900 or
mc8152@verizon.net or 813.649-0754
Wear your badge & tell guard you are attending
the dance at the Clubhouse Studio.

TUESDAY

PINELLAS PK*J & C Spin-A-Rounds –
Pinellas Park Auditorium – 7690 59th St N
6:30 – 8:15 PM — Ph III – IV - V
Jimmy & Carol Griffin 727-525-7809
Web: www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin

WEDNESDAY

BONITA SPRINGS*Citrus Pk. Rec Hall,
25501 Trost Blvd. ~ Jan thru Mar.
Advance - 1:00 pm
Intermediate - 2:00 pm
Mike & Joyce Alexander 239-992-0207
joceda162@aol.com

PUNTA GORDA*So. County Regional
Park, 670 Cooper St. (Should be dancing
PH2 and some Ph3) 10:00 am - n ~ Nov. -
Mar. Wally & Ione Wade, Instr.
941.505.1979 ionewade@centurylink.net
ZEPHYRHILLS*Betmar Clubhouse #2, Rt
54, 37137 Lakewood Dr.~ Dec. thru Mar.
Ph II & III 7.00 – 9.00pm 2nd & 4th Wed.
Charlie & Leona Lovelace
1st & 3rd Wed. Sandy & Peter Burke
813.782.9818 or 813. 312.3954c
jcgiesler1@yahoo.com

THURSDAY

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

PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square – 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491
Ph2 Workshop class 12n – 2pm
Ph4 Teach 2:30 - 4pm
Ph3+ Figure Clinic 6:30-7:15pm
Ph3+ Dance Class 7:15-9:00pm
All Ea. Wk. exc. Oct 2, 9: Nov 27: Dec 25
Jack & Nell Jenkins

WAUCHULA*Crystal Lake Sqs. - Crystal
Lake Vill. - 237 Maxwell Rd (on RT 17 - 2 mi
N of Wau.) Wksp PH II & III 1:00 PM –
Phyllis Hathaway — Info: 863-773-6110.
Nov. thru Mar.

ZEPHYRHILLS*Gem Estates (On North
Avenue) Hall is at 3945 Elgin Dr.
Beg two step 3 - 4 PM
Phase 2 workshop 4 - 5 PM
Starts January Jan - Mar only
Sandy Burke, Cuer. 813-355-3638
petrsan.burke495@gmail.com

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ROUND DANCING

Phase 2-3-4 w/Charlie &

Leona Lovelace

**Sunday Oct. 26, Nov. 23, Dec.
28, 2:00 pm**

Classic Sunday w/Lovelaces

Sunday, Nov. 30, 2:00 pm

Phase 3-4-5 w/Jack & Nell

Jenkins

Sunday, Nov. 9 & Dec. 14,

2:00 pm

Details on website.

ADVANCED DANCING

Every Friday evening beg.

October 24, 7:00—9:30 pm

Oct. 24—Mike Cox

Oct. 31—Keith Stevens

Nov. 7—Mike Cox

**Nov. 14—Hall Closed for Fall Fun
Fest**

(Schedule continues on next page.)

CHALLENGE DANCING

C-1 Dance/Intro to C-2 Star Tip

Caller: Ross Howell

Every Wednesday beg Oct. 22

1:00—3:30 pm

C-2 Dance/Workshop

w/C-3A Star Tip

Caller: Ross Howell

Every Wednesday beg. Oct. 22

10:00 am—12:00 noon

No Dancing Dec. 24 and 31.

C-2 Dance/Workshop

Caller: Keith Stevens

Every Friday beg. Nov. 7

10:00 am—12:00 noon

No class Dec. 26.



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ADVANCED DANCING (Cont)

Nov. 21—Chris Phillips

Nov. 28—Ross Howell

Dec. 5—Keith Stevens

Dec. 12—Ross Howell

Dec. 19—Ross Howell

Christmas Party

Dec. 26—Keith Stevens

HOPE CHILDREN'S HOME

BENEFIT DANCE

Early Rnds 1:30 pm
w/Mike Cox

Squares 2:00—4:00 pm
w/Art Springer & Sam Dunn

ROUND DANCE CLASSES

w/Jack & Nell Jenkins

Every Sunday beg. Dec. 7, 6:30—8:30 p

BEGINNER ROUNDS

Sundays, Oct. 5—Nov. 30,

6:00—7:30 pm, Phase 2 Rds Review

7:30—9 pm, Phase 3 Rds Review

Thursdays, Oct. 16—Dec. 18

12:00 noon—2:00 pm, Phase 2 Wkshp

2:30—4:30 pm, Phase 4 Rds Teach

6:30—9:00 pm, Phase 3+ Figure Clinic

Followed by Phase 3+ Rds Teach

(No classes Nov. 27 and Dec. 25)

ADVANCED DANCING WORK- SHOP

w/Keith Stevens

Every Tuesday beg Nov. 11

10:00 am—12:00 noon

(No class December 30.)

C-1 Class/Workshop

w/Keith Stevens

Every Tuesday beg Nov. 11

1:00—3:00 pm

(No class December 30.)



ST. PETERSBURG*Suncoast Squares - King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Ave. N. A GLBT club but all are welcome. A1-A2 have begun & are from 6:30 - 8:30pm C1 starts Nov. 6, 8:30 - 9:30pm (dancers must have completed A2) Mike Cox Info: 727-443-6242 / ianai@mail.com www.suncoastsquares.com and suncoastsquares@gmail.com

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

FRIDAY

PT. CHARLOTTE*Maple Leaf Squares, Maple Leaf Golf & CC, 2100 Kings Hwy, I-75, Exit 170, go "SW 1-1/2 Mi. Queensway Hall—Plus ~ 3 - 5 pm Dave Magee 941.235.1611 or callerdave@comcast.net
VENICE*Woodmere Pk, 3951 Woodmere Pk. Blvd. - (Off Jacaranda Blv.) MS 1:00 - 3:00 pm Nov. - Mar. Plus review 3:00 - 5:00 pm Nov - Feb.21 Caller: Red Bates 941-828-0481 / redbates@juno.com

SATURDAY

NOKOMIS*Royal Coachman Resort 1070 Laurel Ave. ~ Recreational Center Mainstream Class, noon -2:00pm Jan, - Mar. Caller: Red Bates 941.223-0987/redbates@juno.com

SQUARE DANCE WORKSHOPS

MONDAY

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

TUESDAY

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491 A2 10am - N, Nov. 11, 18, 25 and Dec. 2, 9, 16, 23 Keith Stevens C1 1 - 3pm, Nov. 11, 18, 25 and Dec. 2, 9, 23 Keith Stevens

SEBRING*Buttonwood Bay Squares Buttonwood Bay RV Pk, 10001 US Rt 27S 3 - 4:30 PM Plus Wksp 863-655-2634

VENICE*Woodmere Pk, 3951 Woodmere Pk. Blvd - (Off Jacaranda Blv.) Plus w/DBD 3 - 5 pm Dec.. - Apr. ~ Caller, Red Bates 941-223-0987 / redbates@juno.com

ZEPHYRHILLS*Betmar Clubhouse #3 - Plus Wksp 1-3 PM - Marty Van Wart -Info: 813.780.8036 - Nov. thru Mar. 813.788.2004

WEDNESDAY

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

WAUCHULA*Crystal Lake Sqs. - Crystal Lake Vil.,237 Maxwell Rd (on RT 17 - 2 mi. N. of Wauchula) ~Plus 1 - 2:30pm ~ Ms 2:30 - 4 PM Mike Gormley 419.3760557 or mike@mike-gormley.com starts 01/7/15

THURSDAY

FT. MYERS BCH*Indian Creek Pk. 17340 San Carlos Blvd. - Rm 11 ~ Advance 2:45 - 4:45 pm Jerry Fell 5170603-6657

SEBRING*Buttonwood Bay Squares Buttonwood Bay RV Pk, 10001 US Rt. 27S. Nov. thru Mar. ~ 863-655-2634 1 - 2:30 PM Mainstream. Wksp 2:30 - 4 PM Beginners Wksp.

FRIDAY

FT MYERS BCH*Indian Creek Pk. 17340 San Carlos Blvd - Muskoegon Hall 1 - 3 pm Mainstream Wksp / Lessons 3 - 5 pm Plus Workshop / Lessons Walt Courtney 859-967-9993 Tootscourtney@yahoo.com

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491 C3A Teach/Wksp Starts Jan. 2, 2015 with Keith Stevens

VENICE**Woodmere Pk, 3951 Woodmere Pk. Blvd - (Off Jacaranda Blv.) Red Bates Plus Review & teach Dec - Mar 1 - 3pm 941.223-0987/redbates@juno.com

WINTER HAVEN*Dixie Grande Squares Grace Lutheran Church Gym. 327 Ave. C SE Plus 6:30pm ~ 1st, 3rd, 5th Fri. Caller/Instructor - Carl Rod 863-293-9369

SUNDAY

HUDSON**The Huggables, Care's Enrichment Ctr., 12417 Clock Tower Pky. 2- 4 pm MS/P workshop with Allen Snell 727-809-3429

WEDNESDAY

N. FT. MYERS**Heron's Glen, on US 41 at the Lee/Charlotte Cty. Line ~ Clubhouse Dave Magee, callerdave@comcast.net 941.235.1611 ~ 7 - 9pm, Nov. 5 thru Mar. No lessons Dec. 21 thru Jan. 2.

WAUCHULA**Crystal Lake Sqs—Crystal Lake Vil. ,237 Maxwell Rd. (on RT 17 - 2 mi N of Wauchula) Starts 01/7/15 ~ 4 - 5:30pm Mike Gormley 419.376.0557 or mike@mike-gormley.com Check start time

THURSDAY

BRANDON**Bay Area Twirlers - Brandon Rec. Center - 502 E. Sadie St.: 7:00 PM ~ Instructors: Dan Wilkerson & Bob Ormsbee 813-571-7786 or 813-685-3826

PINELLAS PK**Promenade Squares -- Sr. Ctr. - 7625 59th St. N - 1 Blk N off Pk Blvd. at RR tracks. Beg. Lessons: 6 - 7:15pm Will begin in September. Instr. Dick DeMeritt ~ Info: 727-826-0086

TAMPA** Temple Twirlers, Lakeshore Villa Clubhs. 15401 Lakeshore Villa Blvd., 6:30 - 8:30 pm w/plus wksp. Ron Reardon: Inst. Info: Ben Kirkland BBKJLK@verizon.net PH: 813-986-2928

ZEPHYRHILLS*Gem Estates (On North Ave) Hall is at 3945 Elgin Dr. 2 - 4 pm. Marty Van Wart 813-788-2004 mav19@myfairapoint.net

FRIDAY

FT MYERS BEACH*Indian Creek Pk. 17340 San Carlos Blvd - Muskoegon Hall 9:00 - 11:00am 959-967-09993 Tootscourtney@yahoo.com

PT. CHARLOTTE*Maple Leaf Squares, Maple Leaf Golf & CC, 2100 Kings Hwy, I-75, Exit 170, go "SW 1-1/2 Mi. Queensway Hall—Starts Nov.: 2 ~ 1-3pm Dave Magee 941.235.1611 or callerdave@comcast.net No lessons Dec. 21 thru Jan. 2.

WINTER HAVEN*Dixie Grande Squares Grace Lutheran Ch., 327 Ave. C SE 6:00 pm ~ Caller/Instructor - Carl Rod 863-967-5004

SQ. DNC. LESSONS (MS - Plus - A - C)

MONDAY

MOORE HAVEN*,Sportsman's Village Condo Association, 1159 Daniels Road ,S.E. Clubhouse, **Plus**, 1 - 2:30pm, Learn by definition. Mike Gormley **MS**, 2:30 - 4pm, Learn by definition 419-36-0057 Each session Jan. thru Mar. Mike@Mike-Gormley.com C-419-376-0557

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491 **Plus** 8-9:30pm Each week in December Roland Blanchette

TUESDAY

ST. PETERSBURG*Suncoast Squares - King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Ave. N. GLBT club but all are welcome. **Ms** 7:30 - 9pm ~ **Plus** - 9 - 10 pm Info: 727-443-6242 / ianai@mail.com www.suncoastsquares.com and suncoastsquares@gmail.com Caller: Mike Cox

ZEPHYRHILLS*Betmar Club House #3 On Rt. 54 ~Intro to Plus ~ 1 - 2:30 pm Marty Van Wart 813-788-2004

WEDNESDAY

ESTERO*Corkscrew Woodlands Pk - 21798 Corkscrew Woodlands Blvd. — I-75 Exit 123 ~ Plus at 12:30pm ~ MS at 1:30pm 239-691-5670 / 239-560-2572 Jan thru Mar

THURSDAY

DUNEDIN*Hale Senior Activity Ctr. 330 Douglas Ave. Ms class, 6:30 - 7:30 pm Ms dance 7:30 - 9:00pm 727.298.3299 Allen Snell 727.809.3428 or 727.809.0323

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square - 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813-752-0491 **Intro C1** will begin January 8, 2015 Marty Van Wart

PT. CHARLOTTE*Maple Leaf Squares, Maple Leaf Golf & CC, 2100 Kings Hwy, I-75, Exit 170, go "SW 1-1/2 Mi, CanAm Clubhouse - A1, 9am -11. MS Rusty Hinge rev. 11am - 1pm Dave Magee 941.235.1611 or callerdave@comcast.net

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BEGINNER SQUARE DANCE CLASS

Begins Monday, December 1, 2014

6:30—8:00 pm

PLUS SQUARE DANCE CLASS

8:00—9:30 pm

w/Caller Roland Blanchette

STRAWBERRY SQUARE CLUB NIGHT

Begins Wednesday, November 5, 2014

Mainstream and Easy Plus Tips 7:30—9:30 pm

Mainstream/Easy Plus Workshop 7:00—7:30 pm

Nov. 5—Roland Blanchette

Nov. 12—Sharon Short

Nov. 19—Ron Reardon

Nov. 26—Mike Cox (Thanksgiving Dance)

Dec. 3— Roland Blanchette

Dec. 10—Sharon Short

Dec. 17— Bob Ellis (Christmas Party)

(No Regular Dances Dec. 24 or Dec. 31.)

ADVANCED ROUND DANCE CLASSES/DANCES

w/Jack & Nell Jenkins

Phase 4 Figure Clinic—Saturday Afternoon, 2:30—4:30 pm

Phase 5 Figure Clinic—Saturday Morning, 10:00—11:00 am

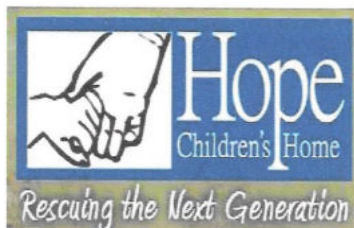
Phase 5 Dance/Teach—Sat Midday, 11:00 am—1:00 pm

ALL OF THESE CLASSES BEGIN NOVEMBER 1, 2014.

"GIVE A LITTLE HOPE"

Square Dance Fundraiser for the

Hope Children's Home



Hope International Ministries

11415 Hope Int'l Dr; Tampa, FL 33625 (813) 961.1214

<http://www.hopechildrenshome.org/>

**Sunday
November 2, 2014**

**Strawberry Square
4401 Promenade Blvd.
Plant City, Florida 33563
(813) 752-0491**

Callers:

**> Sam Dunn
> Art Springer**

Cuer:

> Mike Cox

Early Rounds @ 1:30 pm

Mainstream & Plus Square Dance 2:00-4:00

Ribbons / Admission \$6 - Donations Welcomed



Information:

**Flo Byington (813) 810-5548
Email: flobyington@yahoo.com**



FT MYERS BEACH**Indian Creek Pk
17340 San Carlos Blvd – Iroquois Hall Rnds
7:00pm, Plus 7:30pm – Jerry Fell 517-403-
6657, Tootscourtney@yahoo.com

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square – 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491.

Plus w/ER 7-9:30pm Oct. 25, 2014 Sam
Dunn/Jimmy & /Carol Griffin

Each week in Nov. Dec. /w guest caller/cuer
Ms/Plus/Rnds FCA Annual Dance Oct. 18
Mac Letson, Alabama /Fran Keller, Pensaco-
la. 7:30 - 10pm

VENICE*Buttons & Bows - Woodmere Pk.
3951 Woodmere Pk. Blvd. (Off Jacaranda
Blvd) - Plus/Rnds 3:00 - 5:00 pm. No ER
941-484-8543 or 941-496-8516 Dec.- Mar.
Guest caller/Cuers:

03/14/15 Anniversary Dance

03/28/15 Fairwell Dance from 7 - 9pm.

ZEPHYRHILLS* Valley Dale Club House,
Valley Dale Squares Jan. thru Mar.
7 - 9:30pm; Alt. Ms/Plus follows brief class
Walter Lougee 352-437-4796

SUNDAY

BROOKSVILLE*Cloverleaf Leprechauns
Cloverleaf Farms Heather House, 900 N
Broad St - Rt 41N – Ph: 352-799-8625 or
315-720-3355 ~Nov. thru Apr.~ ER 1:30 - 2pm,
Plus 2 – 4:00 pm Guest Callers / Cuers
Judy & Jake Doane

NAPLES*Happy Promenaders – Hitching
Post, S. Tamiami Tr. - Just E. of the Hitching
Post Mall. Nov. thru Mar. sched: 1 in Nov. &
Dec.; 2 or 3 in Jan., Feb., Mar.
PDR 7 PM ----- MS/P/Rns 7:30 – 9:30 PM
Guest Callers / Mike Alexander
Info: 239-642-8612

PLANT CITY*Strawberry Square – 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491

West Coast VIP Dance August 17, 2014
1:30-4pm with Keith Stevens & Karen Fisher
1:30-4pm with Bob Stern/ Charlie Lovelace.

PT. RICHEY*The Huggables, 10337 US
19, between Regency and Jasmine. 1 - 2pm
Class, 2 - 4pm Ms/Plus/Rnds.
2- 4 pm MS/P ~ Allen Snell 727-809-3429

ST. PETERSBURG*Suncoast Squares—
King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Ave.
N. GLBTclub but all welcome. (2nd Sunday
full level dance) Ms, P, A @ 4 - 6:30pm
Info: 727-443-6242 / ianai@mail.com
www.suncoastsquares.com and
suncoastsquares@gmail.com
Caller: Mike Cox

WAUCHULA**Crystal Lake Sqs - Crystal
Lake Vil. - 237 Maxwell Rd. (on RT 17 - 2 mi
N of Wauchula) Ms/Plus/easy Rds 7 - 9 pm
2015 Sched. 01/11, 25; 02/8, 22; 03/08, 22
Caller/Cuer: Mike Gormley
mike@mike-gormley.com Dress optional
Info: 863.773.9903 or ron.storms@gmail.com

BEGINNER SQUARE DANCE LESSONS

MONDAY

MOORE HAVEN*Sportsman's Village Con-
do Association, 1159 Daniels Road ,S.E.
Clubhouse, 4 - 5:30pm, Learn by definition.
Mike Gormley 419-36-0057
Mike@Mike-Gormley.com Jan.7 thru Mar.

NOKOMIS*Royal Coachman Resort 1070
Laurel Ave. - Pavilion 2 - 4pm Jan. - Mar.
Caller: Red Bates
941.223-0987/redbates@juno.com

PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square – 4401
Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491
Beg. Sq. Dance lessons begin Dec. 1, 2014

ZEPHYRHILLS*Glenhaven RV Pk – 37251
Chancey Rd – 1-3:00pm George Varney –
813-782-0885 or call Vivian Jordan
813-782-8079 Nov. thru Mar.

TUESDAY

ST. PETERSBURG**Suncoast Squares –
King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th
Ave. N.: GLBT Club but all welcome.
Beg. Lessons 7:30 – 9 PM,
Info: 727-443-6242 / ianai@mail.com
www.suncoastsquares.com and
suncoastsquares@gmail.com

ZEPHYRHILLS** Valley Dale Club House,
Valley Dale Squares
6:30 to 8:30 Pm Walter Lougee, teaching
Contact 352- 437- 4796 or Email flagu-
sa@myfairpoint.net

DUNEDIN*Dr. William E. Hale Sr. Ctr., 330 Douglas Ave. Workshop 6:30—7:30 PM 7:30—9 PM ~ Ms/Plus/Rnds ~ Allen Snell settarose1@verizon.net Rosie: 727-809-0323 ~ Allen: 727-809-3429

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

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

LAKE WALESShufflin' Sqs. - Lake Ashton Golf Club – 4141 Ashton Club Dr. ~ off Thompson Nursery Rd. ~1st & 3rd Thurs. ER 7-7:30pm ~ 7:30–9:30pm – MS/Plus/Rds Keith Stevens/Carl Rod or guests easchwartz@tampabay.rr.com Dress opt.

PINELLAS PKPromenade Squares -- Sr. Ctr. – 7625 59th St. N – 1 Blk N off Pk Blvd. at RR tracks. 6 - 7:15 Reg. Les. ~ PDR 7:15 – 7:45pm ~ 7:45 - 9:30pm Ms/Plus/Rns Dick DeMeritt / Jimmy & Carol Griffin Myrna: 208-369-6949 See Ad Pg 7 Sched. June, July, Aug. 2nd & 4th Thursday

PT CHARLOTTECharlotte Promenaders Pt. Charlotte Bch. Rec Ctr., 4500 Harbor Blvd. - PDR 7:00 PM — Plus 7:30 - 9:30 PM Guest callers & cuers 941.429.1311 or 941.575.8392 ~ Jan . thru Apr.

ST. PETERSBURGSuncoast Squares— King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Ave N GLBTclub but all are welcome. A1-A2 Class in progress 6:30 - 8:30 PM Info: 727-443-6242 / ianai@mail.com www.suncoastsquares.com and suncoastsquares@gmail.com Caller Mike Cox

VENICE Jacaranda Trace, 3600 William Penn Way, A2, 2 - 4 pm, Mike Cox 941-408-2627

ZEPHYRHILLSGlen Haven RVP – 37251 Chancy Rd – MS/Plus/Rnds 7-9:00 PM ~ George Varney/Cuer Ella Bettencourt – 813-782-0885 or - 813-779-7457 Nov. thru Mar.

FRIDAY

ESTEROCorkscrew Curiques, Corkscrew Woodlands Pk., 21798 Corkscrew Woodlands Blvd. I-75 exit 123, Wks 6:30pm Ms, Plus, Rnds 7-9pm Wes Morris, Recorded Rnds. Nov. 7, 2014 thru Mar. 27, 2015 239-560-2572 or 239-282-6322

LARGOSnell's Bo's & Bell's – Largo Com. Ctr., 400 ALT KEENE ROAD– Allen Snell, ER 7pm, Plus/Rnds, 7:30 - 9:30 pm 727-809-3429

PLANT CITYStrawberry Square – 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491 Adv/plus/w Rnds 7-9:30pm 10/02, Mike Cox 7 - 9:30pm, 10/17 Keith Stevens A2 Dance 7 - 9:30pm, 10/24 Mike Cox 7 - 9:30pm 10/31 Keith Stevens C2 Dnc/Wks 10am –12n Nov. Each week & Dec 5, 12, 19 Keith Stevens A2 Dance 7-9:30pm Nov 7, 21, 28 & Each Week in Dec. Various Callers

SEBRING Buttonwood Sqs., Buttonwood Bay RV Resort, 10001 US 27 So.: Dancing MS/Plus,1st & 3rd Fri.s Dec. thru Mar. Pres. Tim: 586-610-8370

SUN CITY CTRSCC Swingers - Comm. Hall 1910 S. Pebble Bch. Blvd. 1 M So. of SR 674 — Ph: (813) 633-9742 or 633-3986 ER 7:00 PM – MS/Plus/Rnds 7:30-9:30pm Bob Ellis / Pat Hagen 1st, 3rd & 5th Fri. Art Springer / Pat Hagen 2nd & 4th Fri.

VENICEWoodmere Pk, 3951 Woodmere Pk. Blvd. – (Off Jacaranda Blv.) ~ C1 (Cas.) 10 AM – noon ~ w/C2 tip ~ Dec. – Mar. Caller: Red Bates Casual attire. 941-223-0987 / redbates@juno.com

SATURDAY

ARCADIAPalace Promenaders - Sq. Dnc. Hall - 1627 NE Floridian Cir. Off Rt 17 N ~ MS / Plus & Rounds 7 – 9 pm Robert Arias May thru Sept. /Jennie Martin Sam Dunn will Call at announced dances. 863.494.2749 or 941.380.5336 Call for dates. **Jan. 31, Cincinnati chili night. 6-9pm, eat at 7pm. Feb. 7– regular dance.**

BRANDONBay Area Twirlers - Brandon Rec. Center – 502 E. Sadie St. - PDR 7:00 - MS/Plus/ Rnds 7:30 – 9:30 PM — 2nd & 4th Sat. <> Guest Callers, Club Cuer: Charlie & Leona Lovelace 813.571.7786 / 813.685.3826 See Ad pg 7.



WCSRDA
Fall Fun Fest
November 14th & 15th, 2014
2250 S. Floral Ave, Bartow, FL



Caller:
Jerry Biggerstaff



Caller:
Keith Stevens



Cuer:
Karen Fisher

Host Hotel:
Stay Inn & Suites
1035 N. Broadway Ave,
Bartow, FL
(863) 533-0711 or
(800) 424-0711

Request Square Dance Rate
\$60.00 +tax

Additional Hotel:
Holiday Inn Express
1565 N. Broadway Ave,
Bartow, FL
(863) 533-8070
\$89.00 +tax w/full Breakfast
Ask for Fall Fun Fest Rate

Ribbon Prices Per Person:
Advance: \$18.00
At door - Fri. & Sat.: \$20.00
Split Fri. or Sat. after 6 p.m.: \$10.00
Saturday all day: \$15.00



Square dance attire suggested at Saturday evening dance.

For more information
lanceandrita@yahoo.com
863-326-1741

Camping:
Limited Free Dry Camping at the Bartow Civic Center
(10 only on a First Come First Serve)
Full-Service Camping:
Sanlan Ranch Campground (863) 665-1726

Fall Fun Fest Registration

Name _____
(His) (Hers) (Last)

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Club _____ Phone _____

Make Checks payable to WCSRDA, and send to: Dick & Betty Stevens, 905 Helena Dr, Brandon, FL 33511

Registration Form
**61st Florida State
 Square and Round Dance Convention**



**May 22, 23, & 24, 2015
 Lakeland Center
 Lakeland, FL**

**Sponsored by:
 Florida Federation of Square Dancers
 Florida Callers Association
 Round Dance Council of Florida**

**Hosted by:
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 Square and Round Dancers**



SQUARE DANCES

MONDAY

FT MYERS BEACH*Indian Creek Pk 17340 San Carlos Blvd – A-2 7:00 PM – Iroquois Hall Winter - Room 11 Summer. Jerry Fell ~ 517-403-6657.

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

SUN CITY CTR*Kings Point Swingers – Kings Pt. Main Clubhouse Studio Rm. 1902 Clubhouse Rd. ER 7 - 7:30pm. ~ A2 7:30 - 9:30pm. Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox: 813-649-0754 or George: 813-642-0900
 Visitors tell gate you're attending this dance.

TAMPA*Temple Twirlers - Oak Grove United Methodist Church, 2707 W. Waters Ave. - PDR 7 PM - MS / Plus 7:30-9:30 PM Ron Reardon / 1st, 3rd & 5th Mon. & Guest callers/Charlie Lovelace on Rds. - Ph: 813-986-2928 / BBKJLK@verizon.net: See Ad page 7.

TUESDAY

LAKELAND*Buttons & Bows - Magnolia Bldg.– 702 E. Orange St. — PDR 7:00PM, Alt. Ms/Plus/Rnds 7:30 - 9:30 PM - 2nd & 4th Tues. - Info: -- 863-229-7756 All year

N. FT. MYERS*Horizon Village – 9200 Littleton Rd (S of Shell Factory) - Plus/Rnds 7-9 pm Wes Morris / Russ Collier 239-282-6322 ~ Nov. 11, 2014 thru Apr.14, 2015 J.h.morris@embarqmail.com

PORT CHARLOTTE*Maple Leaf Squares, Maple Leaf Golf & C.C., 2100 Kings Hwy. I-75 exit 170, go SW 1-1/2 Mi., Queensway Hall ~ Nov. thru Mar. Ph 941-235-1611 callerdave@comcast.com 7: – 9:30 pm ~ MS/Announced Plus

PUNTA GORDA*R & R Gators – Alligator RV Park, 6400 Taylor Rd. — Plus/ Rnds 10 AM – noon — Dave Magee/Russ Collier 941-235-1611 - Nov. - Mar. Or callerdave@comcast.net

ST. PETERSBURG**Suncoast Squares— King of Peace MCC Ch., 3150 5th Ave N. GLBT club but all welcome. ER 6:30-7:30pm MS 7:30 - 9pm, Plus Wksp. 9 – 10pm.~ Info: 727-443-6242 / ianai@mail.com www.suncoastsquares.com and suncoastsquares@gmail.com Caller: Mike Cox

VENICE**Woodmere Pk, 3951 Woodmere Pk. Blvd. – (Off Jacaranda Blv.) ~ A2 1 – 3 pm ~ Dec. – Apr. ~ Red Bates (Cas.) 941-223 -0987 / redbates@juno.com

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

WEDNESDAY

FT. MYERS**Palmetto Palms, 19681 Summerlin Blvd. ~ C1 1:30–2:20 pm and A2 @ 2:30 - 4:30pm ~ Jan -Mar Caller Red Bates 941.223-0987/redbates@juno.com (Casial attire.) **7:00—7:30pm** PDR w/Cuer Dick Chase **Plus / Rnds** 7:30 - 9:30 pm w/ Red Bates/ Dick Chase Jan - Mar. Contact as above.

PLANT CITY**Strawberry Square – 4401 Promenade Blvd. 813.752.0491 **C2** Dance & Wks. Oct. 22, 29 & ea/ week in Nov., & Dec. 3, 10, 17, 24 (w/ C3 Star tip) 10am - 12n w/ Ross Howell **C1** ~ 1 - 3pm Oct. 22, 29: ea wk in Nov. & Dec. 3, 10, 17. w/ Ross Howell **Club Night**~7– 7:30pm Ms/easy Plus Wks. 7:30 - 9:30pm Alternating Ms / easy Plus Begins Nov,5, 2014. Guest Callers

PT. CHARLOTTE*Cultural Ctr. Sq. Dance Club – Pt. Char. Cult. Ctr. Centennial Hall 2280 Aaron St. 7-9:00 pm ~ MS/Plus/Rnds Caller: Robert Arias ~ May thru September Caller: Art Miller ~ October thru April Cuer: Jennie Martin & Russ collier 941-380-5336 or 863-494-2749

ZEPHYRHILLS**Betmar Belles & Beaus Betmar Clubhouse #2 Rt. 54: Plus/Rounds 7 - 9:30pm: Guest callers/Ella Bettencourt 813-783-7523 Nov. thru Mar.

THURSDAY

BONITA SPRINGS**Snobirds, Citrus Pk. Clubhouse, 25601 Trost Blvd ~ Free Sq. dance lessons 6-7pm, PDR 7:00-7:30: MS/ Plus 7:30 - 9:30 PM ~ Guest Callers/Cuers 239-948-8652 or 239.992.0207

**The Florida Federation of Square & Round Dancers
invites all dancers to**



RICK SCOTT
GOVERNOR

September 1, 2014



Dear Friends:

To all of the members of the Florida Federation of Square Dancers, thank you for your efforts to provide opportunities for Floridians to gather together and share their love of square dance. I wish you and your organization all the best as you observe Square Dance Month throughout the month of September.

Thank you for your commitment to providing opportunities for Floridians to take part in an enjoyable cultural activity while also experiencing the health benefits of increased physical activity. In many ways, the well-being of the Sunshine State is connected to the success of organizations like the Florida Federation of Square Dancers. So that each member can succeed here in the Sunshine State, I am focused on three goals for our state: make Florida the No. 1 place for businesses to succeed, keep the cost of living low for families and businesses, and make sure our schools prepare students for the career or college of their dreams. As a result, Florida is creating an opportunity economy where dynamic, growing industries create jobs and careers for generations to come.

Thank you again for enriching your community and helping make our state the best place to live, work, and raise a family.

Sincerely,



Rick Scott
Governor

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THE CAPITOL
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32399 • (850) 488-2272

www.FLGov.com

A dancer who is not an Association Member will be a Provisional Member of the Florida Federation of Square Dancers for the duration of the Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention after acceptance of the registration form. The application for registration signifies that the dancer will abide by the rules of the Convention, local Regulations and Laws. Donations to the Florida Federation, the Florida Callers Association, the Round Dance Council of Florida or their Conventions are not tax deductible for income tax purposes.

Square Dance Attire requested at all Evening Sessions

61st Convention Executive Board

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Advanced Registration

May 26, 2014 thru May 21, 2015 \$27.00 pp.
 Convention Box Office \$30.00 pp.
 Per Person-Includes Tax Cash or Check only

NO CREDIT CARDS

SPECIAL RATES FOR YOUTH

Those youth that have not reached their 16th birthday by June 1st, 2015 will be admitted at HALF PRICE when pre-registering for the full program on or before the May 21st cutoff date

Please indicate "YOUTH" by the name on your registration form!

Please Note

Mail in registrations received after May 10, 2015; ribbons must be picked up at the convention center box office
 Service Charge for NSF or returned checks: \$30.00
 Cancellation Policy: Refunds will be cheerfully made until the doors open at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 22, 2015
 1 day ribbons sold at the Box Office
 Spectator Ribbon – Free, Pick up at Box Office

Make checks payable to: 61stFSDC and mail to:

Carol Poole Phone: 386-734-5295
 1541 Lakeside Dr. e-mail: cpoole19@cfl.rr.com
 Deland, FL 32720 rpoole19@cfl.rr.com

May 22, 23, 24, 2015

61st Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention Registration Form

Last Name: _____
 (Please Print)

First Name _____
 (His) (Hers)

Address _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

County _____ Phone: (____) _____

E-mail: _____

Primary Dance Club _____

For Registration Only: Ribbon # _____ Ribbon # _____

Northwest Florida Square & Round Dance Association

40th Annual Round Up

October 24 & 25, 2014

Addie R. Lewis Middle School
 281 Mississippi Avenue, Valparaiso, FL 32580



Northwest Caller:
 Dave Muller, Enterprise, AL



Featured Caller:
 Tom Miller, Chest Springs, PA



Featured Cuers:
 Susan Snider & Mark Fetzer,
 Jacksonville, FL

HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST

Dance Schedule

Friday Evening:

Halloween Costume Contest!
 7:00 - 7:45 pm Early Rounds & Fun Level Squares
 8:00 - 10:00 pm Squares w/Rounds between tips
 Squares dance levels: Mainstream/Plus/DBD/A1-A2
 10:00 - 10:30 "Musical Highlights"
 PIZZA SERVED!

Saturday Morning & Afternoon:

NWFSRDA Meeting 9:45am

Afternoon Workshops:

Rounds Workshop 1:30 - 3:30 pm
 Squares Workshop 1:30 - 3:30 pm
 Mainstream/Plus/DBD/Intro. A1-A/2

Saturday Evenings

7:00 - 7:30 pm Early Rounds & Fun Level Squares
 8:00 - 10:00 pm Squares & Rounds between tips
 Dance Levels Mainstream/Plus/DBD/A1-A2 Squares
 10:00 - 10:30 pm "Musical Highlights"

Enjoy 2 dance halls all weekend!

Weekend - \$10.00 Per Person NWFSRDA Member / \$20.00 Non-Member
 Split Ticket-Non Member Friday Night \$10.00 Per person / Saturday Workshop & Dance \$15.00 Per Person

Information contacts: Steve or Marla (970) 515-9857 Email: marlahodgell@gmail.com
 Alec & Kay Schmidt (850) 678-8711 Email: aschmidtmd@aol.com
 Hotel & Campground Accommodations on back of flyer.

Purchase "Advance Ribbons", Fill out & mail to: NWFSRDA, ATTN: Dave Henn, Treasurer, 31 Redwood Circle, Pensacola, FL 32506-6603
 Name: _____ Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Number of Ribbons # _____ Member per person \$10.00 Non Member per person \$20.00 Check enclosed: \$ _____
 Request of Pre-Register ribbons received after: October 10, 2014 will be held at the door for pickup. Thank you for your support!



**NEFSARDA
FALL FESTIVAL**

MAD HATTERS BALL

November 21 & 22, 2014
Palms Presbyterian Church, 3410-3rd Street S., Jacksonville Beach, Fl. 32250



CALLER

DEBORAH CARROLL-JONES



CUER

LISA WALL

HOST HOTEL:
Hampton Inn Ocean Front
1515 1st Street North
Jacksonville Beach, Fl.
904-241-2311 (Ask for Square Dance Special)
AFTER PARTY BOTH NIGHTS AT THE HAMPTON INN

HOST CAMPGROUND: Hanna Park, Jacksonville Beach
hannapark@coj.net

Chairman: Paul & Marilyn Scott
mjanescott@bellsouth.net
904-264-9392
Co Chairman: Tom & Pat Herschal

EARLY REGISTRATION: \$15.00 before 11/1/14
Mall \$15.00 per ribbon, check payable to NEFSARDA. Send to Paul & Marilyn Scott, 731 Creighton Rd, Fleming Island, FL 32003

FRIDAY: 7-8 p.m. Early Rounds.....Lisa Wall
8-8:05 Welcome.....Paul & Marilyn Scott
Invocation & Pledge.....Bill Chesnut
8:05-10:00 Square & Round Dancing
Deborah Carroll-Jones & Lisa Wall

SATURDAY:
10-12 p.m. Round Dance Workshop.....Lisa Wall
1-4 Square Dancing w/ NE Callers w/ advanced
7-7:45 Early Rounds.....Lisa Wall
7:45-8..... Welcome, Invocation, Pledge, Grand March
8-9:30 Square & Round Dancing
Deborah Carroll-Jones & Lisa Wall
9:30-9:45 Award Ceremony
9:45-10 Last Dance

OR \$20.00 AT THE DOOR: ONE NIGHT \$10.00

MOTELS FOR THE 2015 STATE CONVENTION

THE FOLLOWING HOTELS, MOTELS & CAMPGROUND SUPPORTED
THE 2014 CONVENTION WITH ADS

The Host Hotel for 2015 is:

Ramada Lakeland Hotel

3260 US Hwy 98 North
Lakeland, Florida 33805
(863) 688-8080

\$65.00 + tax Ask for Square Dance Rate
(Price includes 2 free breakfasts each morning)

Comfort Inn & Suites 863-595-4500

Holiday Inn Express & Suites 863-859-0100

Holiday Inn Express – Bartow 863-533-8070

Stay Inn & Suites – Bartow 863-533-0711

Travelodge – Hwy 98 N 863-858-4481

Lakeland Carefree RV Resorts 863-687-6146

Trail-End Dance

Strawberry Squares Hall
4401 Promenade Blvd
Plant City, FL 33563

Thursday, May 21, 2015

Early Rounds 7:00 pm – 7:30 pm

Squares 7:30 pm – 9:30 pm

**FLORIDA FEDERATION OF SQUARE DANCERS PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE
ON SEPTEMBER 2014**

September is "Square Dance" month thanks to Florida Governor Rick Scott who signed our Proclamation.

Here is a little history for dancers new & old. Resolution HCR 740, a concurrent resolution designating the Square Dance the "American Folk Dance of the State of Florida", was presented to the Florida State House of Representatives on May 14, 1986 and the State Senate on May 20, 1986. Both passed the resolution in unanimous decisions.

On September 22, 1986 Florida Governor Bob Graham presented our organizations the signed resolution at the Sunrise Musical Theater in Sunrise, Florida. The special event was hosted by Southeast Association Presidents, Jim & Rosemary Davis. Southeast Association dancers put on a square dance exhibition with 7 squares (all the small stage would hold), with Florida Caller Association representative Dennis Humphreys, Florida Clogging Council Chris Rawls contributed to the exhibition with the Magic City Cloggers from Miami; 2000 people in the audience kept time clapping to the beat of the music. Phil & Dot Carey represented the Round Dance Council of Florida, however, due to the time schedule did not get to participate. Frank & Nan Habersberger worked very hard to get our state to recognize the recreational activities; Square, Round, Clogging, Line, Contra and Heritage dancing. The whole campaign took only 6 months and this speedy victory was attributed to the keen interest, support and cooperation of all Florida state organizations, their regional member associations, the state square dance publication Bow & Swing and all five area association publications. Everybody worked together and everybody won. Our tradition has continued and we can only remember what we have done in the past and continue to work to the future!

*The official House Concurrent Resolution No. 740 (General Acts Resolutions and Memorials, adopted by the Ninth Legislature of Florida under the Constitution as revised in 1968; Volume I, Part Two):
A concurrent resolution designating the square dance as the American Folk Dance of the State of Florida.*

WHEREAS, love of state and professions is enhanced by the traditions that have become a part of our way of life and the customs of the American people, and

WHEREAS, we have distinctive and meaningful symbols of our ideals in our state's flag and in many cultural endeavors, but no official designation of a state folk dance and

WHEREAS, the square dance, which was first associated with the American people and recorded in history since 1651, has consistently been the one dance traditionally recognized by the American people as a dignified and enjoyable expression of American folk dancing, and

WHEREAS, square dancing is the American folk dance which is called,

**CASTING CALL #4
CAMPERS**

For all you campers or wanna-be campers, here is some great information from Vinnie & Lorraine Picora, our Directors of Camping.

And I quote from their email: "There are 2 campgrounds not far from the Lakeland Convention Center. One is the Carefree Lakeland RV Resort. It is not part of the Carefree RV Resorts which is a nationwide company. They are in the midst of some upgrading to their pool and the main clubhouse which will not affect your stay with them. They have given us a "special" convention rate again this year for only \$20.00 per night. (Their normal rate starts at \$38.00 per night.) This includes full hookups with 30 and 50 Amps. They have 231 sites plus cabins and rental units, many of which are tree shaded and they can accommodate even some super sized rigs. They do not include cable for short term stays. They do have WiFi. For more info www.carefreervresorts.com/rv-parks/florida/lakeland for more complete information. This resort is about 6 to 7 miles from the Convention Center. They are also a Passport America Park.

The second park is Sanlan RV Resort. This is a larger campground with over 500 sites but very little shade. They do include cable and WiFi but charge extra per night for each pet. Their rates start at about \$38.00 per night but they do not offer any discount for the convention goers or for Passport America members. They are about 5 miles from the Convention Center. See www.sanlan.com for more information. Although this park is more modern than the Lakeland RV Resort, the upgrades being done at Lakeland RV Resort will make it comparable to the Sanlan, in my opinion,

Overall we get a much better deal at the Lakeland RV Resort." (Unquote)

Here is a phone number for the Lakeland Carefree RV Resort for you to make advance reservations: 863-687-6146. Or you can call Vinnie & Lorraine Picora at 386-427-0174 or email spiceyandspicier@cfl.rr.com for more detailed information.

Judy Anderson
Director of Publicity



THE HOLLYWOOD SCENE

IN 2015



61ST FLORIDA STATE CONVENTION

MAY 22-25-2014

CASTING CALL #3 HOST HOTEL

Of course if you want to participate in any of our "Casting Calls" you must have a place to stay. We have chosen a few of the best places in the Lakeland area for you to consider. Here are a few of our suggestions, all are within a 4 to 6 mile radius of the Convention Center and all have great accommodations plus they offer a free breakfast buffet.

We recommend, though, using our Host Hotel – THE RAMADA LAKELAND HOTEL. It is right off the I-4 Highway to the left on Highway 98 then almost an immediate right into its driveway. This Host Hotel is offering us Square Dancers a "SPECIAL RATE" again this year. The rate is \$65.00 plus taxes, of course, gotta have them taxes. Randy has been able to block off 75 rooms so don't delay in making reservation call this number: 863-688-8080, be sure you ask for the "square dancers rate".

This hotel has really been accommodating to us for our State Conventions in the past in that they allow us to use their conference room as well as their banquet room for our famous after parties of ice cream one night with pizza and beer (the root kind, of course) another night. Then on the third party night the banquet room will be opened for a "Thanks for the Memories" Party given by the Directors of this year's convention. This is when there is much fun with skits and food and award giving and food etc.

Here are other wonderful hotels in Lakeland with their phone numbers:

Comfort Inn & Suites – 863-595-4500
Holiday Inn Express & Suites – 863-533-8070
Travelodge – Highway 98, N – 863-858-4481

Or check out the others listed on the back of the Registration Form.

cued, or prompted to the dancers, and includes squares, rounds, clogging, line and heritage dances, and

WHEREAS, official recognition of the square dance will enhance the cultural stature of Florida both nationally and internationally, and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the square dance be added to the array of symbols of our state character and pride, NOW THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida, the Senate Concurring:

That the dance known as the square dance is hereby designated the American folk dance of the State of Florida. Filed in Office Secretary of State May 29, 1986.

What a history lesson! Now we will look to our future, we hope classes are continuing and new dancers will be invited to our upcoming 61st Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention "The Hollywood Scene in 2015". Have you gotten your Ribbons for this event? Rumor has it we will have many Florida Celebrities attending this event.

Have you seen the upcoming raffle item for the 61st Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention? The Florida State Convention history is beautifully displayed on the Quilt sewn by Terri Little; tickets are on sale for 7 for \$5.00. Each Association has a photo flyer for the quilt raffle. You can also see the quilt on the Federation website. Check it out! You do not need to be present to win it. Each of the Associations have tickets you can purchase. Email us and we will be happy to direct you to the potential WINNING TICKET!

Remember the upcoming Florida Federation meeting will be hosted by the Northwest Association at their 40th Annual Round Up, on October 24th-26th. Wear a costume for our Friday evening dance and enter the "Costume Contest". Look for the flyer on the Florida Federation website www.floridasquaredance.com. The Federation meeting is welcome to all dancers. It will be held at the Northwest's host hotel in Niceville, FL at the Comfort Suites, on Sunday October 26, 2014. The meeting will be held at 8:30 AM to assist with our many out of town delegates who will be attending the meeting (we'll be able to get you on the road that much faster). We've had a reduction in the hotel rate for the hotel hosting this event, the price will be \$72.10 + tax/per night. Please make your reservations ASAP. The hotel is 850-279-6547. For campers book your campsite at www.floridastatepark.org/rockybayou, all Florida residents receive a discount.

Paul & Cheryl Miller, Presidents

Contact us: pe.miller@mchsi.com or (850) 939-6688

<http://www.floridasquaredance.com>



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4 Seasons

Six Day Tour

Many tours are offered for the convention. The most spectacular tour is the five nights/ six day New England Adventure Tour Sunday, June 28 to July 3, 2015. One neat recently added event to this tour is Paul Cote. Paul, who began his calling career in New England, is planning to be on the coach and will call a tip in each state. Those of you working on your USDA Travelers' badge can pick up 6 states in one week. Those of you who do not know about the Travelers' badge should download the form from USDA.org. Six states are halfway to your first bar! Some of the places you will visit on the tour.

Essex Steam Train & Riverboat - RI
Breaker Mansion Tour - RI
Plymouth Rock and the Mayflower
JFK Presidential Library & Museum
Warren's Seacoast Eatery, ME
Portland, Maine tour of waterfront,
Casco Bay, Longfellow's boyhood
home
North Conway, NH Outlet Shopping
Indian Head Resort
Cannon Mountain Tram

Morse Farm Maple Sugar - VT
Ben & Jerry's Factory Tour - VT
Dinner Cruise - Lake Champlain, VT
Vermont Teddy Bear Factory Tour
Lincoln Family Summer Home - VT
Norman Rockwell Museum - VT

Camping: We will be camping at Eastern States Exposition Fairground. We have a contract for 100 sites and have been promised more if we need them. All sites are 16 feet wide, lengths vary somewhat. The fairground is updating the electric to 30 amp this year and say that all work will be completed before next year. There will be very few 50 amp sites. They are being reserved for campers with medical needs and will require approval from the General Chairman, Len Houle. The campsites we will be using are at the eastern end of the fairground near the pond. You can find a map on the website www.thebige.com. The convention will be at the Marriott & Sheraton and MassMutual Center about 1.5 miles away. The Transportation Vice-Chairman has promised frequent buses, however I haven't received any schedule yet.

We do want to address a question we keep getting asked while we travel around about camping. **THERE WILL BE 30 AMP SERVICE** at the Campground and a bus exclusively for dancers parked at the Big E to and from the convention

Airport: It is easiest to fly into Bradley International Airport in Hartford, CT. Boston is an option, although it is further.

Twitter: We now have a twitter account! @http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mtM3nMkMvFA&feature=player_embedded#t=0
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December 31, 2014 7:30pm - 12:30am

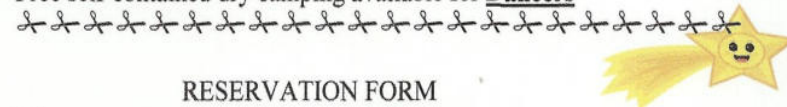
Dinner 7:30 p.m.
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