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Grapevine. For info: <u>thegrapevine@pergrossi.com</u>.

December 1, 2010 – Deadline for submissions to the January 2011 American Square Dance magazine. For info: americansquaredance@gmail.com.

December 1, 2010 - **Deadline for submissions to the USDA News**. For info: <u>usdanews@usda.org</u>.

December 5, 2010 - Deadline for submissions to the January 2011 issue of the *Bow and Swing*. For info: <u>bowandswing@gmail.com</u>

January 15, 2010 – Deadline for Hall of Fame Nominations -

Nominees must have a minimum of 10 years statewide involvement in the Florida Square and Round Dance activity. Their contributions must encompass the entire state of Florida, not just 1 or 2 areas. This should require unselfish dedication of time and labor. Being an area president, Federation president, Caller/Cuer Association president and/or State Convention chairman is not enough. The Hall of Fame is seeking individuals or couples whose efforts have affected the majority of the State of Florida. The fact that one is nominated is a very high honor, whether or not they enter the Hall of Fame. Nominations should be submitted to the board of directors of any of the five area associations, Callers Association or Cuers Association who will then forward them to the Federation. То download the application, on go to http://www.floridasquaredance.com/halloffame/index.html.

February 1, 2011 – Deadline for Extra Mile Award

Nominations – This award is to show appreciation to both Callers and Cuers who go that EXTRA MILE without personal gain, in giving freely of their time and talents to the Square Dance activity. Nominations should be submitted to Charlie and Val Newsome at <u>newsome.charles@comcast.com</u> or 12368 Brady Rd, Jacksonville, FL 32223. To download a copy of the nomination form, go to <u>http://www.floridasquaredance.com/extra-mile.html</u>.

Health & Sympathy

Please be sure to also check the website for updates on dancers!

Pat Fiyalko, cuer in the Tampa Bay area, lost her husband a couple of weeks ago. If you would like to send cards, her address is 2621 Cove Cay Dr, Apt 803. Clearwater, FL 33760-1358.

It was announced at the Fall Fun Fest that **John and Penny Voissem**'s son-in-law fell at a store and was in critical condition. We received an update the Folding Meeting that he passed away. If you would like to send sympathy cards, their address is 6446 – 7th Avenue, St. Petersburg, FL 33710. John and Penny are the West Coast Pinellas County Reps.

I made a trip to **Virginia's Western Wear and Square Dance Shop** in Mascotte over the weekend, and found out from her son that she (**Virginia Hyrons**) passed away on September 18th. He is going to keep the store open because, as he put it, she has quite a legacy there. The store has been open for 30 years. If you would like to send a sympathy card, their address is P. O. Box 516, Mascotte, FL 34753-0516.

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I carry ribbons and flyers for the following dances:

January 20 – 22, 2011 – Florida Winter Festival – Lakeland, FL

January 30, 2011 – 5 Caller Extravaganza and Pizza – Lake Wales, FL

May 27 – 29, 2011 – 57th Florida Square and Round Dance Convention – Lakeland, FL

What's Happening This Week?

Week of November 22, 2010

NOTE: Yellow highlighting is a change from last week's issue.

Monday – *Twilight Twirlers* – Bonita Springs Community Building at Reynolds and Old 41 – Rusty Hinge Workshop 6:30 p.m.; Mainstream 7:00 p.m. – rounds and lines on tape – Caller: Howard Cole. For info: Howard Cole at 239-691-5670 (<u>hwcole@att.net</u>) or Leo Malinowski at 239-775-8111.

Hampton Promenaders – Ariana Beach Club, 321 Ramsgate, Auburndale – ER 7:00 p.m., Squares and Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Art Springer; Cuer: Carl Rod. For info: <u>dmountain@tampabay.rr.com</u> or jgsap988@yahoo.com.

Woodmere Park – 3951 Woodmere Park Blvd. (off Jacaranda Blvd.) - 10 - noon – MS Review/Plus Class; 1:00-3:00 – A-2 Dance; 3:00-5:00 – Plus Workshop. Caller/Instructor: Red Bates. For info: 941-828-0481/ redbates@juno.com.

Kings Point Swingers A-2 Dance – 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Squares/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox. If you have danced this level before, you can come at 6:00 p.m. for a rusty hinge workshop. Visitors to Kings Point should tell the gate you are attending a Kings Point Swingers event at the Clubhouse Studio. For info: Sonny 813-634-8212 or George 813-642-0900.

Temple Twirlers – Oak Grove United Methodist Church, 2707 W. Waters Avenue (northeast corner of Habana Avenue), Tampa – ER 7:00 p.m., Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Sharon Short, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace - costumes welcome – finger food. Dancers please use the entrance marked "Gage Hall" on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: wlfloyd@aol.com or gaylepullara@aol.com or flobyington@yahoo.com.

<u>Tuesday</u> – Buttons & Bows of Lakeland Pie Night/Toys for Tots Dance – Magnolia Building, 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland, FL – ER 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Art Springer, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – square dance attire preferred – finger food. For info: jgsapp98@yahoo.com or 863-815-7400.

Ding-a-Lings - Rice Creek RV Resort, 10714 Hwy. 301 South, Riverview – ER 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Ron Reardon, Cuer: Pat Hagen – square dance attire preferred. Any donations would be greatly appreciated. For info: <u>chrounds@capital.net</u>.

R&R Gators – Alligator RV Park, 6400 Taylor Road, Punta Gorda – Plus/Rounds 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon – Caller: Dave Magee, Cuer: Russ Collier. For info: <u>callerdave@comcast.net</u> or 941-235-1611.

Maple Leaf Squares – Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, 2100 Kings Highway (I-75 Exit 170 go SW 1 ½ miles), Queensway Hall – alternating Plus and Mainstream tips 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – caller: Dave Magee. For info: <u>callerdave@comcast.net</u> or 941-235-1611.

J and C Spin-a-Rounds – Pinellas Park Auditorium, 7690 – 59th St. N., Pinellas Park – Phase IV – V 6:30 – 8:15 p.m., Advance – Beginners Mixed Rhythms 8:30 – 10:00 p.m. For info: <u>spinards@tampabay.rr.com</u> or 727-525-7809.

<u>Wednesday</u> – *Strawberry Square C-2 Workshop Dance* – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon – Caller: Art Springer. For info: <u>www.strawberrysquaredancing.com</u> or 813-752-0491.

Strawberry Square Club– Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard,Plant City, FL - Workshop: 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Alternating Mainstream/Easy Plus 7:30 – 9:30 p.m.– Caller:RolandBlanchetteBannerraidswelcome.Forinfo:www.strawberrysquaredancing.comor 813-752-0491.

Kings Point Swingers Round Dance – Kings Point Main Clubhouse Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City Center – A1/A2 workshop 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Advanced Rounds 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. – Cuer: Mike Cox. Visitors please wear your square dance badge and tell the guard at the entrance gate that you are attending the dance at the Clubhouse Studio. For info: 813-634-8212 or 642-0900 or mc8152@verizon.net or 813-649-0754.

Cultural Center Squares – Centennial Hall, 2280 Aaron Street, Pt. Charlotte - 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Mainstream/Plus/Rounds - Caller: Art Miller; Cuers: Jennie Martin and Russ Collier. For info: 941-380-5336, <u>mdow@embarqmail.com</u>, or 863-494-2749.



These clubs may not be dancing on Thanksgiving Day (Thursday). The ones I have been notified about are indicated below. If you are planning to go to a Thursday dance, you may want to contact the club first to see if they will be dancing.

Thursday – *Charlotte Promenaders* – Centennial Hall, 2280 Aaron Street, Pt. Charlotte - 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Mainstream/Plus/Rounds - Caller: Art Miller; Cuers: Jennie Martin and Russ Collier. For info: 941-380-5336, <u>mdow@embarqmail.com</u>, or 863-494-2749.

Pine Ridge Promenaders – **NO DANCE** For info: 863-699-2789.

Pioneer Village - Pioneer Village, 7974 Samville Rd. North Ft. Myers, FL – Mainstream with Rounds – 9:45 a.m. – 12:00 noon - Caller: Len Siegmann; Cuer: Ruth Siegmann - \$3.50 per person. For info: 239-940-6121 or <u>marcy_stwrt@yahoo.com</u>.

Maple Leaf Squares A2 – Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, 2100 Kings Highway (I-75 Exit 170 go SW 1 ½ miles), Queensway Hall – 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon – caller: Dave Magee. For info: <u>callerdave@comcast.net</u> or 941-235-1611.

Curliques – Estero Woodlands Clubhouse – Estero, FL – Workshop: 6:30 p.m.; Plus dance 7:00 p.m. – Caller: Howard Cole – rounds and lines on tape. For info: Howard Cole at 239-691-5670 or <u>hwcole@att.net</u>.

Promenade Squares – **NO DANCE** For info: <u>lcecce@tampabay.rr.com</u> or 727-799-3068.

Dunedin – Dr. William E. Hale Senior Activity Center, 330 Douglas Avenue, Dunedin – Beginners 6:30 – 7:30 – Squares (all sets) 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. - \$5 per person – Caller: Allen Snell. For info: <u>settarose1@verizon.net</u> or 727-809-3429 or 727-862-4842 or 727-809-3429 or <u>mcox47@mail.emsvillage.net</u>.

Citrus Squares – First United Methodist Church, 21501 W. Highway 40, Dunnellon - 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Caller: Ellis Lindsey. For info: <u>lalecl@aol.com</u>.

These clubs may not be dancing on the Friday after Thanksgiving. The ones I have been notified about are indicated below. If you are planning to go to a Thursday dance, you may want to contact the club first to see if they will be dancing.

Friday – *Strawberry Square C3-A Workshop Dance* – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – 12:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. – Caller: **Red Bates**. For info: <u>www.strawberrysquaredancing.com</u> or 813-752-0491.

Woodmere Park – 3951 Woodmere Boulevard (off Jacaranda Blvd.), Venice - 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon, C-1 Dance – Caller: Red Bates. For info: 941-828-0481/ <u>redbates@juno.com</u>.

Strawberry Square A2 – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491.

Curliques – Estero Woodlands Clubhouse – Estero, FL – Workshop: 6:30 p.m.; Plus dance 7:00 p.m. – Caller: Howard Cole – rounds and lines on tape. For info: Howard Cole at 239-691-5670 or <u>hwcole@att.net</u>.

Spinning Wheels – **NO DANCE** For info: <u>jbarnes73@tampabay.rr.com</u> or <u>helenm720@aol.com</u>.

B&S Flutterwheelers – **NO DANCE** For info: <u>rbourassar@tampabay.rr.com</u>.

Snell's Bo's & Bell's – Largo Community Center, TBA, Largo – 7:30 – 9:45 p.m. – Caller: Allen Snell, Cuer: Pat Fiyalko. For info: <u>settarose1@verizon.net</u> or 727-862-4842 or 727-809-3429 or <u>mcox47@mail.emsvillage.net</u>.

Sun City Swingers - Sun City Center Community Hall, 1910 S. Pebble Beach Blvd., Sun City – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Art Springer, cuer: Pat Hagen. Square dance attire preferred. For info: <u>suzannelynch3@verizon.net</u> or <u>gail3357@gmail.com</u>.

<u>Saturday</u> – *Strawberry Square* <u>Thanksgiving Dance</u> – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – 12:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. – Caller: <u>Sam Dunn</u>, Cuer: Jimmy and/or Carol Griffin. For info: <u>http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com/</u>. Dance Center: 813-752-0491. If you need further information and cannot reach the Dance Center office, you may contact: Don and Barbara Huff 813-752-2278, Linda Lynn 813-659-9040, Mary Lee Van Valkenburg 813-707-1702, Nicki Horne 813-707-8905 or 813-727-6210.

Palace Promenaders – Palace Square Dance Hall, 1647 NE Floridian Street, Arcadia – Mainstream/Plus/Rounds – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller: Art Miller, Cuer: Jennie Martin – casual – park in back of the building - \$8 per couple. For info: Jennie Martin – 863-494-2749; Mary Dow – 863-494-6062/ mdow@embargmail.com.

Sunday – **Pioneer Village** - Pioneer Village, 7974 Samville Rd. North Ft. Myers, FL – Mainstream with Rounds – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. - Caller: Len Siegmann; Cuer: Ruth Siegmann - \$3.50 per person. For info: 239-940-6121 or marcy stwrt@yahoo.com.

Clover Leaf Leprechauns - 900 North Broad Street (U.S. 41 N.), Brooksville, FL – ER 1:30 – 2:00 p.m., Plus/Rounds 2:00 – 4:00 p.m., A-1 tip 4:15 p.m. – Caller: Bob Bourassa, Cuer: Judy Doane – finger foods. For info: 352-270-8469 or http://www.geocities.com/leprechaun34601. *B&S Flutterwheelers* – NO DANCE For info: rbourassar@tampabay.rr.com.

Huggables - King of Kings Church, 10337 U.S. 19 (between SR 52 and Ranch Road), Port Richey - casual dress – Mainstream/Plus 2:30 – 4:30 p.m. - Caller/Cuer: Allen Snell. For info: 727-809-3429 or 727-809-0323 or <u>settarose1@verizon.net</u> or <u>mcox47@mail.emsvillage.net</u>.

Orange Blossom Squares – La Hacienda Center, The Villages 352-259-6040 – Plus/Rounds 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Ron Libby, Cuer: Joanne Helton. For info: hal.baumann1959@gmail.com or 352-259-6552.

West Coast Classes and Workshops and National Caller and Cuer Colleges

Please provide start date, start and ending time, level (beginner, Mainstream, Plus, etc.) exact address (with city) where class and/or workshop will be held, instructor's name, contact name, email address and phone number.

Please keep in mind that this information needs to be communicated out to new dancers! It's not a secret!

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November 9, 2010 – **Strawberry Square C-1 Class Workshop** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. – Caller: Keith Stevens. For info: <u>www.strawberrysquaredancing.com</u> or 813-752-0491.

November 9, 2010 – **Strawberry Square A-2 Review/Workshop** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon – Caller: Keith Stevens. For info: <u>www.strawberrysquaredancing.com</u> or 813-752-0491.

November 10, 2010 – **Herons Glen Beginner Square Dance Lessons** – Herons Glen Clubhouse, US-41 and Charlotte County Line, N. Fort Myers – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Dave Magee - \$3 per person per week. For info: <u>callerdave@comcast.net</u> or 941-235-1611.

November 11, 2010 – **Maple Leaf Squares A1 Lessons** – Maple Leaf Squares, 2100 Kings Highway (I75 exit 170, go southwest 1 ½ miles), Port Charlotte – 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. – Caller/Instructor: Dave Magee - \$3 per person per session. For info: <u>callerdave@comcast.net</u> or 941-235-1611.

November 12, 2010 – **Dixie Grande Squares Beginning Square Dance Class** – Grace Lutheran Church, 327 Avenue C, SE, Winter Haven – 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Caller: Carl Rod. For info: 863-293-9369 or <u>carlsqrdrod@yahoo.com</u>.

November 12, 2010 – **Dixie Grande Squares Plus Workshop** – Grace Lutheran Church, 327 Avenue C SE, Winter Haven - 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller: Carl Rod. For info: 863-293-9369 or <u>carlsqrdrod@yahoo.com</u>.

November 12, 2010 – **Maple Leaf Squares Beginner Square Dance Lessons** – Maple Leaf Golf and Country Club, 2100 Kings Highway (I-75 exit 170 go southwest 1 ½ miles), Queensway Hall, Port Charlotte – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. - Caller/Instructor: Dave Magee - \$3 per person per week. For info: <u>callerdave@comcast.net</u> or 941-235-1611.

November 12, 2010 – **Maple Leaf Squares Plus Workshop** – Maple Leaf Golf and Country Club, 2100 King Highway (I75 exit 170, go southwest 1 ½ miles), Port Charlotte – 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Dave Magee - \$3 per person per workshop. For info: <u>callerdave@comcast.net</u> or 941-235-1611.

November 16, 2010 – Lake Ashton Advanced Workshop – Lake Ashton Health and Fitness Center, 7900 SR 653, Winter Haven – 2:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Keith Stevens – casual attire For info: <u>keithuns@yahoo.com</u> or 863-326-9774.

November 16, 2010 - **Sun City Swingers New Beginners' Class Open House** – Sun City Center Community Hall, 1910 S. Pebble Beach Blvd., Sun City – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Van Coble. Classes begin November 23, 2010 in room 3 at 7:00 p.m. For info: <u>gail3357@gmail.com</u> or 813-633-1297 (Gail) or 813-633-8780 (Sue).

November 18 - 22, 2010 - **San Antonio Caller College** - Atrium Inn, IH 35 exit 175, Schertz, TX - Strictly for NEW callers (zero to two years calling experience). Instructor: *Nasser Shukayr* (CallerLab Accredited Caller Coach). Full Callerlab curriculum. Focused on how to get started as a caller: How to scare up a group of people to call for; How to teach them to dance; How to

keep them dancing; How to book and call a square dance party. Enrollment limited to ensure adequate Mike Time -- register today! Questions? Phone Nasser Shukayr 956-622-0557 or email <u>NShukayr@gmail.com</u>. Flyer and application: <u>http://www.nshukayr.com/sacc2010.pdf</u>.

January 5, 2011 – Estero Intermediate Level Square Dance Workshop – Park Clubhouse – 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. – this class is for last year's class members – Caller: Howard Cole. For info: Dale Anders 239-560-2572.

January 7, 2011 – **Woodmere Park Beginning Square Dance Class** – 3951 Wood Park Boulevard (off Jacaranda Boulevard) – Venice - 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates. For info: 941-828-0481/<u>redbates@juno.com</u>.

January 8, 2011 – **Strawberry Square Phase 4-5 Dance Workshop** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – time TBA – Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. For info: <u>www.strawberrysquaredancing.com</u> or 813-752-0491.

January 23, 2010 – **Suncoast Callers and Cuers Association Clinic** – Lake Ashton Golf Club, 4141 Ashton Club Drive, Lake Wales, FL – 2:00 – 7:00 p.m. – Clinician: Ken Ritucci. Program will include Insight into Modern Choreography, New Ways to Use Old Calls, Add Fun and Spice to Your Presentation, and Improve Your Calling Techniques. Directions: 20 miles south of I-4 on US Rte. 27 and 1.5 miles west of US Rte. 27 on Thompson Nursery Rd. (at the entrance to the Eagle Ridge Mall). \$25 per person which includes clinic, sandwich and beverage. Limited space available. Reservations required. Contact Keith Stevens 863-326-9774 or email keith@keithstevens.com.

June 22 – 25, 2011 – **Grand Square International 5th Annual Caller School** – 60th Annual National Square Dance Convention, Detroit, MI – Caller Coaches: Tony Oxendine, Jerry Story, Vernon Jones and Ken Ritucci. Covers all experience levels. Full CALLERLAB curriculum. Modules – Singing Call Techniques – Sight Calling – Showmanship and Much More. You must be registered for the 60th NSDC to attend. Register early! Limited to first 50 callers. For info: Tony Oxendine at tony@tonyoxendine.com or 803-840-0746.

August 18-22, 2011 – **Norcal Callers School** - Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church. Sunnyvale, California – Callers: Ken Ritucci (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach), Randy Dougherty (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach), and Scot Byars. Programs for Beginning and Experienced Callers Cost: \$325.00 per caller. For reservations, a \$100 deposit is required. No charge for accompanying spouse/partner. Food and lodging not included Program: Starts Thursday, August 18th at 7:00 p.m. Ends Monday, August 22nd at 12 noon. For more Info contact Ken Ritucci, 132 Autumn Road, West Springfield, Massachusetts 01089. Phone: (413) 734-0591 Email: kenritucci@aol.com.

October 6 – 10, 2011 – Northeast Callers School – Mill-a-Round Dance Center, off Route 1293, Manchester, NH – two levels of programs: beginner and experienced. Topics of Discussion: Mechanics of Choreography, Timing, Voice/Delivery, Smooth Dancing/Body Flow, Programming, Teaching, Music/Rhythm, Choreographic Management, and Ethics/Leadership. Callers: Ken Ritucci, Norm Poisson, Saundra Bryant, Mike Sikorsky and Keith Stevens. \$350 per caller (\$100 deposit). For info: 413-734-0591 or kenritucci@aol.com or www.northeastcallerschool.com.



December 12, 2010 - **Heel & Toe Special Christmas Dance** – St. Cloud Senior Center, 3101 – 17th Street, St. Cloud, FL – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller: Bill Boyd - Mainstream/Plus. More fun than you can imagine!!! <u>www.floridasquaredance.com/heelandtoe</u>. For info: 407-339-1499 or <u>minimercury@cfl.rr.com</u>.

January 28 – 29, 2011 – **36th Annual South Carolina Square and Round Dance Convention** – Springmaid Beach Resort and Convention Center, Myrtle Beach, SC.

April 8 – 10, 2011 – **51st California State Square Dance Convention** – Balboa Park, San Diego, CA. for info: 619-222-0445 or gamewardens@squaredance.org.

April 29 – 30, 2011 – **59th North Dakota Square and Round Convention** – Sons of Norway, 722 2nd Avenue North, Fargo, ND. For info: <u>www.prairiesquares.com</u> or Chair Roger and Bernadette McNeill at 701-293-6620 or mcneil@ideaone.net.

May 6 – 7, 2011 – **51st Ohio Dance Convention** – Dayton Convention Center, 22 E. Fifth Street, Dayton, OH. For info: 937-233-7180; <u>steve@haydeninc.com</u> or <u>www.festivefun2011.com</u>.

May 13 – 14, 2011 – **Utah State Square Dance Festival.** For info: <u>danceutah2010@yahoo.com</u> or 801-529-4128.

May 19 – 21, 2011 – **23rd State Virginia Square Dance and Round Dance Convention** – Hampton, VA. For info: 540-636-2323 or <u>ncapozio@yahoo.com</u>.

May 22 – 25, 2011 – **64th New Mexico Square and Round Dance Festival** – Ruidoso Middle School, Ruidoso, NM. For info: <u>www.festival.nmsrda.org</u>.

June 3 – 4, 2011 – **59th Kansas State Square Dance Convention** – Bicentennial Center, Salina, KS. For info: <u>www.kansassquaredance.com</u>.

Links

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For statewide dance information

http://www.squaredancesites.com/florida2011/. (57th Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention)

Associations/Organizations

http://www.you2candance.com (square dance marketing)

http://sccafl.com. (Suncoast Callers and Cuers Association)

http://www.flCallersassoc.org/ (Florida Callers Association)

http://www.usda.org/ (United Square Dancers of America)

www.iagsdc.org (International Assn. of Gay Square Dance Clubs)

http://www.floridasquaredance.com/fassrd/index/html (Florida Singles)

http://sccafl.com/ Cuers Association) (Suncoast Callers and

http://floridasquaredance.com/

http://www.Callerlab.org (CALLERLAB)

http://www.americanCallers.com (American Callers Assn.)

http://www.roundalab.org/ (ROUNDALAB)

http://ssdusa.org (Single Square Dancers USA[®])

http://www.nsdca.org (National Square Dance Campers)

http://www.arts-dance.org (Alliance of Round, Traditional and Square Dance [ARTS])

http://www.59thnsdc.com 59th National Square Dance Convention - Louisville, KY

http://www.60thnsdc.com 60th National Square Dance Convention - Detroit, MI

<u>http://www.nsddirectory.com/</u> (National Square Dance Directory - information and contacts for clubs in the U.S., Canada and around the world)

Vendors

www.travelinghoedowners.com (Square Dance DVDs – Both Instructional and Dance)

www.swskirts.com (Jan Southwest Style Skirts & Pat's Tees)

www.suzieqcreations.com (Suzie Q Creations)

<u>www.Bobsengraving.com</u> (division of Suzie Q Creations – covering southwest Florida)

http://www.aronssquaredanceshopandpatterns.com/ (Aron's Square Dance and Western Wear Shop)

<u>http://www.calyco.com/</u> (CaLyCo Crossing - a full line square dance shop)

http://www.tictactoes.com/ (Tic Tac Toes - shoe vendor)

www.sheplers.com (Sheplers - the world's largest western stores and catalog)

www.PerfectPetticoats.com (Perfect Petticoats)

<u>http://www.grandsquare07.com</u> (Grande Square.com – square dance clothes and accessories)

Square Dance Halls

www.Strawberrysquaredancing.com (Strawberry Square)

Callers/Cuers

http://www.mike-gormley.com (Mike Gormley)

http://www.samdunn.net/ (Sam Dunn)

http://home.rr.com/jcspin (Jimmy and Carol Griffin)

www.2fwd2.com (Lisa Wall)

www.keithstevens.com (Keith Stevens)

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