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February 1, 2012 – Deadline for Submissions to the April 2012/May 2012 *West Coast Dancer*. For info: evhenning@peoplepc.com.

February 1, 2012 – Deadline for Extra Mile Award

Nominations. For those callers and cuers that go that Extra Mile without personal gain in giving freely of their time and talents to the square dance community. For information and nomination form: <http://floridasquaredance.com/documents/ExtraMileAwards/extra-mile.html>.

February 4, 2012 – Strawberry Square Flea Market

– Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon – Breakfast sandwiches, coffee, drinks, hamburgers, hot dogs, cheeseburgers and chips will be available. Baked goods table – many outside vendors, white elephant table – tools, crafts, clothes – lots of recycled petticoats and dresses. For table rentals, call Pat or Roger at 813-719-2237.

February 5, 2012 – Suncoast Callers and Cuers Association

Meeting – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – time 11:00 a.m. The meeting will be short followed by a presentation by Ed Foote. If you call and/or cue in the west coast area of Florida, please consider joining this association. For membership info: Clyde Stocker at STOCKER38@worldnet.att.net. For meeting info: Carl Rod at carlsqrdrod@yahoo.com.

February 5, 2012 - West Coast Association Scholarship Dance

– Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Early Rounds 1:30 – 2:00 p.m., Squares (alternating Mainstream and Plus) and Rounds 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. – Caller: Sam Dunn; Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – square dance attire preferred. \$5 per person donation. For info: lanceandrita@yahoo.com or 863-326-1741.

February 5, 2012 – Submission deadline for the March issue of

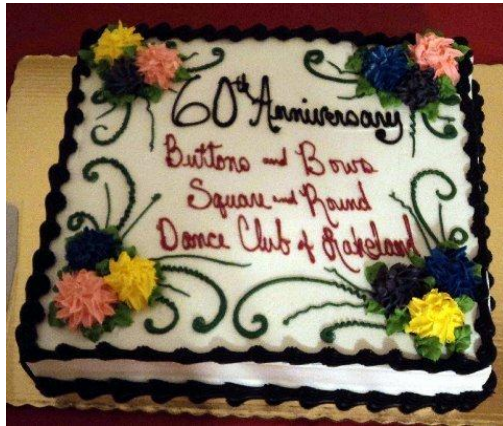
Bow & Swing. For info: bowandswing@gmail.com.

From the Editor...

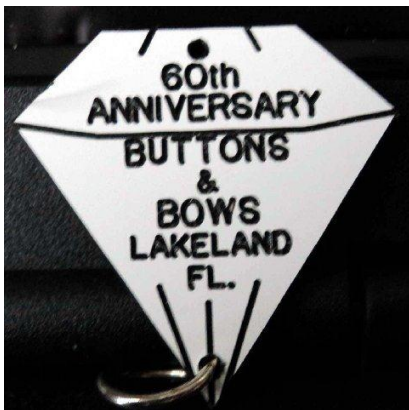


It's been a real struggle but I've finally gotten this issue finished! I can't move my right shoulder (and I'm right handed) and I'm still in a lot of pain from the "half-surgery" so I can't sit for very long. I apologize for any mistakes you may

find; I've tried to correct them all.



Charlie Lovelace, with his wife Leona, Lovelace cued for us Art Springer (with his wife Martha), called for us.



The commemorative dangle that was given to everyone in attendance.



Honorary Lifetime Memberships were presented to: Charlie and Leona Lovelace who have cued for us for over 25 years. Linda and Gary Brown, who was our club caller for several years and has called for many demonstrations; and Martha and Art Springer, who has called for the club for over 35 years. The plaques were presented

by Penny Green, Co-President, and Jim Pier, Co-president.

Two Circle of Service awards were presented by Penny Green, 2001 Circle of Service Recipient.



Beverly Germain receiving her certificate and dangle.



Jim Pier receiving his certificate and dangle. His wife, Sue, was out of town.



Photos courtesy of John Occhipinti and Yolanda Trainor

Charlie and Leona did two exhibitions for the crowd.

Health & Sympathy

The entries listed below are for callers, cuers, West Coast Association officers and representatives and other Florida associations and Federation officers and any others who are well known to the Florida square and round dance community. Listings for others can be found on the website (www.dancergram.com – Health & Sympathy).

Don't forget to go to www.dancergram.com for additional information on West Coast dancers!

Kip Moulton, caller from Maine wintering at Strawberry Square, had a second catheterization on Monday, January 30. He has been having heart issues but he did not have a stroke. If you would like to send a card, his address is 1452 Allemande Drive, Plant City, FL 33563

How do I get in touch with....??

This contact list can also be found at

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Your Source...

I carry ribbons and flyers for the following dances:

March 16 – 17, 2012 – **Central Association’s 12th Annual Shamrock Swing** – The Villages

May 25 – 27, 2012 – **58th Florida State Convention** – Lakeland

November 9 – 10, 2012 – **West Coast Association’s 38th Annual Fall Fun Fest** - Bartow

If you see a flyer that has my name and contact information stamped on it, I have ribbons for that dance.

2012 FLORIDA STATE SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CONVENTION



Happy Valentine's Day everyone. Time sure does fly by. It seems just yesterday it was Christmas and then New Years and now here we are less than 4 months away from the State Convention.

Have you completed your plans to attend the state convention? If you don't have your ribbons yet, now is the time to purchase them from you're Association Ways & Means or President at the remarkable low price of \$35.00 person for (3) days of dancing, dancing & more dancing! Can't wait to see your Association representative, then grab a Convention registration form and mail it in. Still having problems getting the Convention registration form? Go to <http://www.floridasquaredance.com/convention/58/registration.html> to print the form and mail it in. Remember the prices increase to \$40.00 per person, if you purchase them at the convention. **Why wouldn't you purchase them now and save?** *We have a money back policy if you tell us you cannot attend prior to the opening of the doors on Friday evening and return your ribbons to us.* We have reduced ribbon prices for YOUTH. Purchase a YOUTH ribbon for half-price before April 30, 2012. Any youth ribbons purchased at the Convention will be full price.

The Host Hotel is the Ramada Hotel & Conference Center of Lakeland (formerly Holiday Inn-North) (863) 688-8080. The room rate is \$65.00 + tax. Be sure to ask for the "Square Dance Rate". Price includes 2 free breakfasts each morning.

For the Campers, Lakeland RV Resort is giving the Square Dancers a special rate for the Convention. Be sure to identify yourself as a "Square Dancer" when you make your reservations. (863) 687-6146

Have you seen a Mardi Gras Mask piñata traveling around your area dances? If you get up real close to it, you will see a small opening in the top center. Do you know what the opening is for? YES, you're right. It is for dropping your change or a green back or two into the piñata. We thank you for your donations. They will be used to fund the convention.

There is a Raffle for a \$500 CASH prize going on now. The \$500 prize will be given away at the State Convention. See your area Ways & Means Chairman for tickets. We previously announced there would be a photographer at the convention. However, we recently received word that they will not be attending.



Please plan to attend the Benefit Dance for the 2013 State Convention on Saturday, February 11, 2012 at the Bartow Civic Center, 2250 S Floral Ave.,

Bartow, Florida 33830. Callers for this evening will be Bob Poyner, Art Springer and Howard Cole and the cuer will be Terri Wilaby.

Happy Dancing.
Garland & Carole McKenzie
General Chairmen

2012 Shamrock Swing

How did your New Year begin?? Hopefully on a healthy note! January is over, and now we can all look forward to the rest of 2012. Of course you're planning what to get, or do for your Sweetie on Valentine's Day.

Don't pass through March too fast. You can't forget St. Patrick's Day. Why not plan to celebrate this holiday with your Square dance friends and acquaintances at the Central Florida Shamrock Swing? We can't say it enough; it's March 16 and 17 at La Hacienda Recreation Center in The Villages. Ribbon sales have been slow, so we thought maybe you forgot about the Shamrock Swing.

We have a great line up for you, Tim Marriner and Ron Libby doing the Squares, and Jimmy and Carol Griffin on the Rounds. You can't get much better than that.

Ribbons are: For the weekend \$18pp in advance, \$20pp at the door, all day Saturday is \$14pp, and either Friday or Saturday evening only is \$12pp. Daily admissions can only be purchased at the door. To purchase your ribbons, go to www.floridasquaredance.com to pull up the flyer. The registration form is on the back, as well as lodging information.

For further information or to request a registration form: contact Ron and Sharon Paul or Jennie Courter (see below).

We look forward to seeing all of you on the dance floor.

An Irish quote "A silent mouth is sweet to hear".

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(Flyer can be found at www.dancergram.com.)

From a Chicago Area Publication/Email

Whenever people come together for a common goal or cause, a group is formed into a collective organization or club. The length of survival of that purpose is determined solely on the dedication and sacrifice of the individual members.

No club can survive long without people willing to do the work necessary to keep it moving. It requires a dedication of talent and of individual time which often includes a willingness to invest some of one's own money for the good of everyone. The greatest contribution anyone can make to the health of the club is to support by attendance. Paying annual dues and then never or seldom participating does the club no good. It is better to regularly participate as a guest than to donate a small amount once a year and call it paying your dues.

The next most crucial thing for any club is the constant influx of new members. The reality in any organization is that current members quit, move, age and unfortunately die. A constant transition is typical because of the dynamics of life. New members are the lifeblood of any club. Whether they come from a structured learning environment such as a class or whether they come from guests who are made to feel welcome and then wish to become part of the club. Both are sources of new members.

For either source to help increase or even just stabilize membership requires dedication and hard work from the current members. It dictates a sacrifice of time to attend classes and a sacrifice of time to visit with the guests. One must have a sincerity of wanting to continue the club and see it grow. The health of the club depends on individuals willing to commit to it. When the club no longer has individuals willing to come and support classes or willing to mingle and visit with guests, then that organization is dead. Yes, it may still be meeting off of previous support, but not for long.

When apathy is the norm, when a lack of dedication and commitment exists, it is just a matter of time. Those few who do care become frustrated and leave because they are tired of trying all alone, beating their head against the wall with no results. Or even worse, with results that are then driven away by the uncaring. It is at this point a decision must be made. To stay in frustration or to abandon and move on to others who truly care and are willing to help. Help with support, time and talent. Help financial. Help with good citizenship towards guests and new people.

Any individual will seek a place where they are the most comfortable. Does the current group do this; making guests and new people comfortable? Do they "feel" welcome?

Are you doing your part the best that you can? Really, or are you now apathetic about the survival of the club? If, then why did you reach this point? What can you do to change it? Is it even worth changing? It will not change from the outside. It can only change from those individuals on the inside desiring positive change. Are you going to renew your dedication and support to help create this positive change? Or continue the status quo?

Please think this over carefully. Whether the club lives or dies is up to you, yes you, the one and only, single, lone individual. One person can and does make a difference, especially when many ones come together.

This is the crossroad of which we now find ourselves. Which fork will be taken?

Two roads diverged in a yellow wood,
And sorry I could not travel both
And be one traveler, long I stood
And looked down one as far as I could
To where it bent in the undergrowth;
Then took the other, as just as far,
And having perhaps the better claim,
Because it was grassy and wanted wear,
Though as for that the passing there
Had worn them really about the same,
And both that morning equally lay
In leaves no step had trodden black.
Oh, I kept the first for another day!
Yet knowing how way leads on to way,
I doubted if I should ever come back.
I shall be telling this with a sigh
Somewhere ages and ages hence;
Two roads diverged in a wood, and I --
I took the one less traveled by,
And that has made all the difference.
Robert Frost (1874-1963)

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What's Happening This Week?

Week of January 30, 2012

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

Monday (January 30) – *Fisher's 2012 Phase III – IV Round Dance Party* – Stardust Dance Center, 1405 S. Collins St. (Big Lots Shopping Center), Plant City – 7:45 – 9:30 p.m. –

Cuers: Karen and Dick Fisher. \$12 per couple per session. For info: 936-366-2504 – rffisher@tamu.edu – www.fisherdance.com.

Harmony Hoedowners – **NO DANCE** For info: 863-214-1923 or samdunn@samdunn.com.

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 (hwcole@att.net) or Leo Malinowski at 239-775-8111.

Sun-N-Fun – 7125 Fruitville Road, Woodland Hall, Sarasota – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Plus squares with rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: **Red Bates**; Cuer: **Jack Jenkins**. For info: Bill and Marge Webb at 941-343-9720 or 440-526-7258 or billwebb2@gmail.com or John and Shirley Galik at 941-371-3914.

Sassy Squares – 3240 Grand Prix Drive, Sebring – A-1 – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. - Caller: Sam Dunn. For info: 863-214-1923 or samdunn@samdunn.com.

Kings Point Swingers A-2 Dance – Kings Point Main Clubhouse Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City Center 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 – **NO DANCE** For info: flobyington@yahoo.com.

Heel & Toe – Senior Center Annex, 702 Indiana Avenue, St. Cloud – Caller: UNK; Plus workshop 6:30 – 7:00 p.m., Mainstream dancing 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. \$5 per person. For info: 407-931-1688 or 407-339-1499.

Tuesday (January 31) – Ding-a-Lings Hawaiian Night - 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: **The Hardys**, Cuer: Pat Hagen – square dance attire preferred. For info: chrouds@capital.net.

R&R Gators – **NO DANCE** For info: callerdave@comcast.net or 941-235-1611.

Horizon Village – 9200 Littleton Road, N. Ft. Myers (south of the shell factory and west of US 41) – Plus and Rounds 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller: Len Siegmann, Cuer: Ruth Siegmann. For info: 239-823-7661

Woodmere A2 Dance - 3951 Woodmere Park Blvd. (off Jacaranda Blvd.) – 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates. For info: 941-828-0481 or Venice cell 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

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: callerdave@comcast.net 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: spinards@tampabay.rr.com or 727-525-7809.

Suncoast Squares – MCC King of Peace Church (rear entrance by the parking lot), 3150 Fifth Avenue North, St. Petersburg – These dances are for the GLBT and Straight Communities – all are welcome! Early Rounds 6:30 – 7:30 p.m., Mainstream Squares – 7:30 – 9:00 p.m.; plus Squares 9:00 – 10:00 p.m. - \$2.50 donation for Rounds; \$5 donation for Squares – casual attire. Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox. For info: rritter@ij.net.

Wednesday (February 1) – **Palmetto Palms A-2** – 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers – 2:30 – 4:30 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates. For info: [941-828-0481](tel:941-828-0481)/redbates@juno.com.

Palmetto Palms Plus - 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers – 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates. For info: [941-828-0481](tel:941-828-0481)/redbates@juno.com.

Palmetto Palms C-1 - 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers – 1:30 – 2:20 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates. For info: [941-828-0481](tel:941-828-0481)/redbates@juno.com.

Betmar Bells & Beaus - Betmar MHP, Clubhouse #2, Lakewood Drive, Zephyrhills – Rounds/Squares – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller: George Varney , Cuer: Ella Bettencourt. Casual. For info: 813-783-7523 or tckelly2@aol.com.

Camp Inn Grande Squares - 3455 U.S. Hwy. 27 North, Frostproof – FREE square dance workshop 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. - 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. squares and rounds – Caller: Sam Dunn, Cuer: Carl Rod – casual attire. For info: 863-382-6792 or samdunn@samdunn.net.

Strawberry Square C-2 Dance and Workshop - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. Caller: Art Springer. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Don and Barbara Huff 813-752-2278, Gayle Sterling 207-649-0432 or Dan and Thelma Ogilvie 813-752-1350.

Strawberry Square Club - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. Mainstream/Easy Plus. Caller: **Sam Dunn**. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Linda Lynn 813-659-9040 or Gayle Sterling 207-649-0432.

Timber Pines – 6872 Timber Pines Boulevard, Spring Hill – Early Rounds 6:30 – 7:00 p.m. - Plus/Rounds 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – caller: Bob Bourassa – cuer: John Ayers - square dance attire optional – for gate access and directions call 352-666-1546.

Strawberry Square C-1 Workshop and Dance - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Caller: Art Springer. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Don and Barbara Huff 813-752-2278, Gayle Sterling 207-649-0432 or Dan and Thelma Ogilvie 813-752-1350.

Kings Point Swingers Advanced Round Dance – Kings Point Main Clubhouse Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City Center – 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, Port Charlotte, FL. Callers: Art Miller; Cuers: Jennie Martin and Russ Collier. 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. alternating tips. For info: Mary 941-380-5336 or Jennie 863-494-2749.

Thursday (February 2) – **Shufflin' Squares** - Lake Ashton Golf Club, 4141 Ashton Club Drive, Lake Wales, FL – ER 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., alternating tips (Mainstream/Plus) 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. advanced tip 9:30 p.m.. Caller: Sam Dunn; Cuer: Carl Rod – square dance attire optional. For info: [easchwartz@tampabay.rr.com](mailto: easchwartz@tampabay.rr.com).

Charlotte Promenaders – Port Charlotte Beach Recreation Center, 4500 Harbor Boulevard, Port Charlotte – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m., Plus 7:30 – 9:45 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates, Cuer: Dick Chase. For info: 941-426-2364 or 941-429-8271 or [sqdbird@aol.com](mailto: sqdbird@aol.com).

Glen Haven – Glen Haven RVP, 37251 Chancy Road, Zephyrhills – MS/Plus/Rounds 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller: George Varney, Cuer: Ella Bettencourt. For info: 813-782-8079.

Snobirds – Citrus Park, 25601 Trost Boulevard (Clubhouse), Bonita Springs – ER 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Howard Cole, Cuer: Mike Alexander. Clothing sale. For info: [blingley@gmail.com](mailto: blingley@gmail.com).

Pine Ridge Promenaders Pizza Night – Sunshine RV Resort, Rt. 70 (1,000 yards east of Hwy. 27, Lake Placid - Mainstream/Plus 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Mike Doughty; Cuer: TBA. For info: 863-699-2789.

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: [settarose1@verizon.net](mailto: settarose1@verizon.net) or 727-809-3429 or 727-862-4842 or 727-809-3429 or [mcox47@mail.emsvillage.net](mailto: mcox47@mail.emsvillage.net).

Jacaranda Trace – 3600 William Penn Way, Venice - A-2 - 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Caller: Mike Cox. For info: 941-408-2627.

Suncoast Squares – MCC King of Peace Church (rear entrance by the parking lot), 3150 Fifth Avenue North, St. Petersburg – These dances are for the GLBT and Straight Communities – all are welcome! A-2 – 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. - \$7 – casual attire. Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox. For info: [rritter@ij.net](mailto: rritter@ij.net).

Promenade Squares – Senior Center, 7625 - 59th St. N., Pinellas Park – Beginners Class 6:00 p.m., ER 7:15 - 7:45 p.m. Mainstream with announced Plus 7:30 - 9:15 p.m. - caller: Dick Demerit, cuers: Jimmy Griffin. For info: [walkey1a@yahoo.com](mailto: walkey1a@yahoo.com) or 727-789-3836.

Citrus Squares – First United Methodist Church, 21501 W. Highway 40, Dunnellon – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller: Ellis Lindsey. For info: [lalecl@aol.com](mailto: lalecl@aol.com).

Friday (February 3) – **Sassy Squares** – **NO DANCE** For info: 863-214-1923 or [samdunn@samdunn.com](mailto: samdunn@samdunn.com).

Buttonwood Bay Squares – 10001 U.S. Rt. 27 S., Sebring (5 miles south of Sebring on Rt. 27) – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Square Dance 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Nelson Wakeman assisted by Jama. For info: Roger and Connie McElfresh 863-655-4243 or [rogerconniemc@tnni.net](mailto: rogerconniemc@tnni.net).

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 hwcole@att.net.

Snell's Bo's and Bell's – Largo Community Center, 400 Alternate Keene Road, Largo – Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:45 p.m. – Caller: Allen Snell. For info: settarose1@verizon.net or 727-862-4842 or 727-809-3429 or mcox47@mail.emsvillage.net.

Strawberry Square C-2 Dance and Workshop - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. Caller: **Keith Stevens**. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Don and Barbara Huff 813-752-2278, Gayle Sterling 207-649-0432 or Dan and Thelma Ogilvie 813-752-1350.

Manatee RV Park – 6302 U.S. 41 South, Ruskin – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Plus Squares 7:30 – 9:30 p.m., Advanced 9:30 p.m. – Caller/Cuer: **Mike Cox**. For info: Joe 813-641-9418 or Mike 813-649-0754.

Strawberry Square A-2 Dance – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – A2 Workshop 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., A-2 Dance 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. Caller: **Todd Fellegly**. \$7 per person. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Don and Barbara Huff 813-752-2278, Gayle Sterling 207-649-0432 or Dave and Betty Bradley 989-289-6446.

Woodmere Park C-1 Dance - 3951 Woodmere Park Blvd. (off Jacaranda Blvd.) – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon – Caller: Red Bates. For info: 941-828-0481 or Venice cell 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

Dixie Grande Squares – Grace Lutheran Church, 321 Avenue C SE, Winter Haven – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Easy Plus Squares 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – square dance attire preferred – Caller/Cuer: Carl Rod. For info: carlsqrdrod@yahoo.com or 863-651-3292 (c) or 863-293-9369 (H).

Spinning Wheels Super Bowl Dance – Oak Grove United Methodist Church, 2707 W. Waters Avenue (northeast corner of Habana Avenue), Tampa. Early Rounds 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. For info: raindancer999@yahoo.com.

Sun City Swingers - **NO DANCE** For info: Dick and Mary Schultz 813-633-8718 rsch462636@aol.com or Bob and Beverly Barringer 813-633-3651.

Saturday (February 4) - Stuart Bunch Challenge Weekend – Temple Shalom, 23190 Utica Avenue, Port Charlotte, FL – full C3B and includes both hard C3B and easy C4 star tips. Caller: Todd Fellegly. **Saturday afternoon:** C3B Floor Level 1:30 – 4:00 p.m.; C3B Star Tip: 4:00 – 4:15 p.m.; C4 Star Tip: 4:15 – 4:30 p.m. **Saturday evening:** C3B floor Level: 6:30 – 9:00 p.m., C3B Star Tip: 9:00 – 9:15 p.m., C4 Star Tip: 9:15 – 9:30 p.m. **Sunday morning:** C3B Floor Level: 10:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., C3B Star Tip: 12:15 – 12:30 p.m., C4 Star Tip: None. **Sunday afternoon:** C3B Floor Level: 1:30 – 3:30 p.m., C3B Star Tip: None, C4 Star Tip: none. All tips will be on computer rotation. Participation in all Start Tips will be based on a sign-up sheet at

the dance. Information about damping and lodging near the dance site can be obtained at the website www.stuartbunch.org.

Strawberry Square Phase 5 Dance and Workshop – **NO DANCE** For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the Dance Center, call Don and Barbara Huff 813-752-2278, Dave Heugel 910-200-3828, or Gayle Sterling 207-649-0432.

Buttons & Bows of Venice – Woodmere Park, 3951 Woodmere Park Blvd., Venice – Square/Rounds 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Caller: **Walter Lougee**; Cuer: **Karen Haiflich**. For info: remsenny@aol.com.

Strawberry Square – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m., Plus with Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Square dance attire preferred – Caller: **Kip Moulton**, Cuer: **Linda Moulton**. For info: 813-752-0491 or www.strawberrysquaredancing.com. If you can't reach the dance center, call Don and Barbara Huff 813-752-2278, or Mary Lee Van Valkenburg 813-707-1702, or Linda Lynn 813-659-9040, or Gayle Sterling 207-649-0432.

Palace Promenaders Chili Night – Palace Square Dance Hall, 1627 N.E. Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Art Miller; Cuer: Jennie Martin – **Chili 6:00 p.m.**, Squares and Rounds 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For info: Jennie 863-494-2749 or Mary 941-380-5336. Palace Square Dance Hall, 1647 North-East Floridian Street (right off Rt. 17) , Arcadia, FL – Caller: Art Miller; Cuer: Jennie Martin. Park in back of the building. For tickets or information: Jennie Martin 863-494-2749 or Mary Dow 941-380-5336.

Sunday (February 5) – **West Coast Association Scholarship Dance** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Early Rounds 1:30 – 2:00 p.m., Squares (alternating Mainstream and Plus) and Rounds 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. – Caller: Sam Dunn; Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – square dance attire preferred. \$5 donation. For info: lanceandrita@yahoo.com or 863-326-1741.

Stuart Bunch Challenge Weekend – Temple Shalom, 23190 Utica Avenue, Port Charlotte, FL – full C3B and includes both hard C3B and easy C4 star tips. Caller: Todd Fellegly. **Sunday morning:** C3B Floor Level: 10:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m., C3B Star Tip: 12:15 – 12:30 p.m., C4 Star Tip: None. **Sunday afternoon:** C3B Floor Level: 1:30 – 3:30 p.m., C3B Star Tip: None, C4 Star Tip: none. All tips will be on computer rotation. Participation in all Start Tips will be based on a sign-up sheet at the dance. Information about damping and lodging near the dance site can be obtained at the website www.stuartbunch.org.

Motivators - St. Cloud Senior Center, 3101 – 17th Street, St. Cloud – A-2 2:00 – 4:00 p.m., C-1 Tip 4:00 p.m. – Caller: Ron Libby. For info: aepkie@cfl.rr.com.

Suncoast Squares – MCC King of Peace Church (rear entrance by the parking lot), 3150 Fifth Avenue North, St. Petersburg – These dances are for the GLBT and Straight Communities – all are welcome! Covered dish dinner from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Bring a covered dish to share. Squares (alternating Mainstream and Plus (Advance if there are enough Advance dancers! Caller: Todd Fellegly. For info: r Ritter@ij.net).

Timber Pines A2 Dance - 6872 Timber Pines Boulevard, Spring Hill – A1 – A2 1:30 – 3:30 p.m. caller: Bob Bourassa - square dance attire optional. For info: 352-666-1546.

Happy Promenaders – **NO DANCE** For info: call Jan (239) 642-8612 or playwalt@comcast.com.

Crystal Lake Squares – **NO DANCE** For info: dmorriso@vistanet.net.

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 settarose1@verizon.net or mcox47@mail.emsvillage.net.

Cloverleaf 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: 352-799-8625, lmuttitt@tampabay.rr.com or <http://www.geocities.com/leprechaun34601>.

Orange Blossom Squares – **NO DANCE** For info: hal.baumann1959@gmail.com or 352-259-6552.

Monday (February 6) – Fisher’s 2012 Phase III – IV Round Dance Party – Stardust Dance Center, 1405 S. Collins St. (Big Lots Shopping Center), Plant City – 7:45 – 9:30 p.m. – Cuers: Karen and Dick Fisher. \$12 per couple per session. For info: 936-366-2504 – rffisher@tamu.edu – www.fisherdance.com.

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 (hwcole@att.net) or Leo Malinowski at 239-775-8111.

Harmony Hoedowners – **NO DANCE** For info: 863-214-1923 or samdunn@samdunn.com.

Sun-N-Fun – 7125 Fruitville Road, Woodland Hall, Sarasota – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Plus squares with rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: **The Hardys**; Cuer: **Pat Hagen**. For info: Bill and Marge Webb at 941-343-9720 or 440-526-7258 or billwebb2@gmail.com or John and Shirley Galik at 941-371-3914.

Sassy Squares – 3240 Grand Prix Drive, Sebring – A-1 – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. - Caller: Sam Dunn. For info: 863-214-1923 or samdunn@samdunn.com.

Kings Point Swingers A-2 Dance – Kings Point Main Clubhouse Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City Center 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: **Ron Reardon**, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Dancers please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: flobyington@yahoo.com.

West Coast Classes and Workshops

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!

Updated January 30, 2012

The February 5 round dance class at Strawberry Square has been canceled.

Strawberry Square A2 Review Workshop - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 10:00 – 12:00 noon. Caller: Keith Stevens. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance

Center, please call Don and Barbara Huff 813-752-2278, Gayle Sterling 207-649-0432 or Dave and Betty Bradley 989-289-6446.

January 17, 2012 – **The Groves Beginner Square Dance Lessons** – 7924 Melogold Circle, Land O Lakes – 7:30 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Allen Snell. \$4 per person per session. Angels needed! For info: Lloyd Floyd at 813-966-5759.

January 17, 2012 – **Ding-a-Ling Squares Beginner Square Dance Lessons** – Rice Creek RV Park, 10714 Hwy. 301 South, Riverview – 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. - Caller/Instructor: Ron Reardon - \$3 per person per session. Class starts January 17. For info: chrounds@capital.net.

January 19, 2012 - **Snobirds Beginner Square Dance Lessons** – Citrus Park, 25601 Trost Boulevard (Clubhouse), Bonita Springs – 6:00 – 6:30 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Mac McCall - FREE. For info: Bruce or Katy Lingley at 239-498-7527.

January 19, 2012 - **Snobirds Introduction to A-1 Lessons** – Citrus Park, 25601 Trost Boulevard (Clubhouse), Bonita Springs – 6:00 – 6:30 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Mac McCall - \$5 per couple. For info: Bruce or Katy Lingley at 239-498-7527.

January 24 and 31, February 7 and 14, 2012 – **Strawberry Square DBD All position Plus Workshops** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. Caller: Sam Dunn. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Linda Lynn 813-659-9040 or Gayle Sterling 207-649-0432.

January 24 and 31, 2012, February 7, 14 & 28, 2012; March 6 & 13, 2012 – **Snowbird Basic Round Dance Classes** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuer: Linda Moulton. 3:30 – 5:30 p.m. - \$5 per person.

August 16 – 20, 2012 – **Socal Callers School** – Cedar Brook Dance Center, 12812 Garden Boulevard, Garden Grove, California. Whether you are presently calling or desire to be a caller, this school will help you with your calling career. Plenty of microphone time; professional assessment of your skills; understand what it takes to be a leader, fuller CALLERLAB curriculum, and develop a calling career that is best for you. Space is limited. Register today! \$350 per student. For info: 413-734-0591 or kenritucci@aol.com

October 4 – 8, 2012 – **Northeast Callers School** – Mill-a-round Dance Center, Manchester, NH – Callers: Ken Ritucci (CALLERLAB Accredited Caller Coach), Norm Poisson, Jerry Story (CALLERLAB Accredited Caller Coach), Steve Kopman, and Don Moger. Plenty of microphone time; professional assessment of your skills; understand what it takes to be a leader, fuller CALLERLAB curriculum, and develop a calling career that is best for you. Whether you are presently calling or desire to be a caller, this school will help you with your calling career. \$375 per student. Space is limited. Register today!!! For info: 413-734-0591 or kenritucci@aol.com; www.northeastcallersschool.com.

Looking Ahead

For a complete list of upcoming dances by year, click here
www.dancergram.com.

March 3, 2012 – **Red Hot Saturday Night** – Whirl & Twirl Dance Center, 6949 Venture Circle, Orlando, FL – three hours of fun Mainstream – Callers: Tim Marriner and Whit Brown – 7:30 – 10:30 p.m. - \$8 per person. For info: www.whirlandtwirl.org or 407-365-8490 to reserve ribbons. (*Flyer can be found at www.dancergram.com.*)

April 29 – May 3, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story – Plus dancing – open dancing - \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

May 6 - 10, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story – No holds barred – DBD plus dancing (dancing by definition) – open dancing - \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

May 22, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort First Tuesday Night Dance of the Season** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Justin Russell. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

May 24, 2012 – **58th Florida Square & Round Dance Convention Trail-In Dance** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Callers: Charlie Pergrossi and Ted Kennedy; Cuer: Lisa Wall. Early Rounds 7:30 – 8:00 p.m.; Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 8:00 – 10:00 p.m. For info: Garland and Carole McKenzie 352-622-7678; carolemc82@gmail.com or Paul and Cheryl Miller 850-865-1884; pe.miller@mchsi.com. (*Flyer can be found at www.dancergram.com.*)

May 29, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Greg Jones. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

June 3 - 7, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Jimmy Roberson and Tony Oxendine; Cuers: Jim and Priscilla Adcock – Plus with Rounds. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

June 5, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Jimmy Roberson and Tony Oxendine. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

June 10 - 14, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Jimmy Roberson and Tony Oxendine – Intro to DBD Plus. A learning week for PLUS dancers. Explore fun and interesting choreography. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

June 12, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Jack Pladdys and Tony Oxendine. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

June 19, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Ken Bower. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

June 24 -28, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Darryl Lipscomb – A2 dancing with C1 star tips. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

June 26, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Darryl Lipscomb. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

July 3, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Tony Oxendine. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

July 10, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Gary Shoemake. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

July 17, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Jerry Biggerstaff. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

July 24, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Jerry Story. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

July 29 – August 2, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tom Miller, Tony Oxendine, and Jerry Story – Plus dancing! Advanced BLAST! This fun week is for the avid PLUSdancer and will cover as much advanced choreography as can be comfortably comprehended. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

July 31, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tom Miller, Jerry Story, and Tony Oxendine. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

August 5 - 9, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Ken Ritucci and Jerry Story – C1 workshop – Just getting into C1? Want more DBD experience? Get ready for Prime Time! \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, after party snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

August 7, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Ken Ritucci and Jerry Story. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

August 12 - 16, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story – Plus dancing!. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, after party snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

August 14, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

August 19 -23, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story – DBD Plus dancing. “No Holds Barred”. Dance by definition. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

August 21, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

August 28, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Jimmy Roberson. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

September 4, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Caller: Ron Libby. \$6 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

September 9 - 13, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Bob Asp, Curt Braffet, and Jerry Storry – Plus dancing. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend

the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

September 11, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Bob Asp, Curt Braffett and Jerry Story. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

September 16 - 20, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Johnny Preston and Jerry Story – A2 dancing with a C1 blast! This week is for A2 dancers and will cover as much C1 choreography as can be comfortably comprehended. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

September 18, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Johnny Preston and Jerry Story. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

September 23 - 27, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Marshall Flippo, Tony Oxendine, and Jerry Story – Plus dancing. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, afterparty snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may attend the open mainstream dance. Casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com, info@pridervresort.com or 800-926-8191 or 828-926-1645.

September 28, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Marshall Flippo, Tony Oxendine, and Jerry Story. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

September 30 – October 4, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort “Call in the Wild”** - 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story – Plus dancing. \$65 per person. RV package: \$529 per couple, plus applicable tax. Cabin rental package: \$739 or \$789 per couple, plus applicable tax. Park model package: \$839 per couple, plus applicable tax. Prices are per couple and include lodging, breakfast and dinner daily, after party snacks, and dancing day and night. Tuesday nights are off for you to explore the area or you may

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October 2, 2012 – **Pride RV Resort Final Tuesday Night Dance of the Season** – 4934 Jonathan Creek Road (I-40 Exit 20), Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story. \$7 per person. Non-stop mainstream dance. Plus and A2 star tip. 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – dress smart casual. For info: www.pridervresort.com or 828-926-1645.

October 12 – 13, 2012 – **Daytona Beach Ball**, Schnebly Recreation Center, 1101 North Atlantic Avenue, Daytona Beach, FL – Caller: Tony Oxendine; Cuers: Jimmy and Carol Griffin. Casual or traditional attire all weekend. Dance on a beautiful wood floor. Limited squares – Plus hall – no split sessions. Afterparty on Saturday night. Suggested hotels: Holiday Inn and La Quinta Inn. Friday: Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m.; Squares/Rounds 7:30 – 10:00 p.m. Saturday: Rounds 9:00 – 10:30 a.m.; Squares 10:30 – 12:00 noon, 1:30 – 3:00 p.m.; Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Squares and Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. For info: www.gsiinternational.org or ladybirddb@cfl.rr.com or 386-767-2266. (*Flyer can be found at www.dancergram.com.*)

January 11 – 12, 2013 – **Myrtle Beach Ball**, Ocean Dunes, 201 -75th Avenue North, Myrtle Beach, SC – Callers: TBA; cuers: TBA. Plus, Plus DBD, and Advanced square dancing. Phases I – VI Round Dancing. Dance, eat, sleep...all under one roof! Further details TBA. For info: 704-502-8097. 20+ hours of dancing scheduled. January 31, 2013 – **Florida Winter Festival Trail-In Dance** – The Lakeland Center, 701 West Lime Street, Lakeland, FL – 7:30- 10:30 p.m. - \$12.5 per person – USA monetary value. Tax included. Parking and lodging not included. Ribbon for trail-in dance only can only be purchased the night of the dance. Host Hotel: Hyatt Place Lakeland Center, 525 W. Orange St. Other suggested hotels: Comfort Inn & Suites, Terrace Hotel, Holiday Inn Express & Suites, and Travelodge. For info: johnnysa@aol.com or 386-428-1496. (*Flyer can be found at www.dancergram.com.*)

February 1 – 2, 2013 – **Florida Winter Festival** - The Lakeland Center, 701 West Lime Street, Lakeland, FL – Callers: Tony Oxendine, Jerry Story, John Saunders, Jet Roberts, and Daryl McMillan; Cuers: Rey and Sherry Garza, Carol and Jimmy Griffin, and Gene and Jackie Tyre. Dancing Plus/DBD, computer squares Advance, and Phase II – V rounds. Friday: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; 7:30 – 10:30 p.m. Saturday: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; 7:30 – 10:30 p.m. Casual or traditional attire all weekend. \$42.50 per person in advance for the entire weekend; \$45 at the door. Split package rates (sold at the door only): Thursday \$12.50 per person; Friday \$25 per person; Saturday \$25 per person. Host Hotel: Hyatt Place Lakeland Center, 525 W. Orange St. Other suggested hotels: Comfort Inn & Suites, Terrace Hotel, Holiday Inn Express & Suites, and Travelodge.. For info: johnnysa@aol.com or 386-428-1496. (*Flyer can be found at www.dancergram.com.*)

Links

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Websites

<http://floridasquaredance.com/>

https://www.facebook.com/#!/home.php?sk=group_149454955123658&ap=1 (Florida Federation's Facebook page)

Associations/Organizations

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

<http://scafl.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://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.61stnsdc.com> 60th National Square Dance Convention – Spokane, WA

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

Vendors

<http://www.ilvinyl.com/SQUARE---ROUND-DANCING.html> (vinyl decals)

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

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

www.suziegcreations.com (Suzie Q Creations)

www.Bobsengraving.com (New physical address: Bob L. Adams, Bobs Engraving, 8827 Megan Lane, Orlando, FL 32836; Telephone: 305-647-7566; www.bobsengraving.com; e-mail address: bobsengraving@aim.com)

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

<http://www.calyco.com/> (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)

<http://www.grandsquare07.com> (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://www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin/> (Jimmy and Carol Griffin)

www.2fwd2.com (Lisa Wall)

www.keithstevens.com (Keith Stevens)

Clubs

www.sailfishsquares.org

Miscellaneous

<http://www.squaredanceradionetwork.com> (square dance radio network)

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