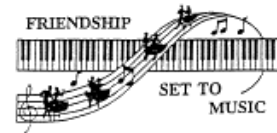

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WANTED: Gently used square dance attire to be donated to the West Coast Association. These clothes will be sold on E-Bay with the proceeds being donated to the 2015 State Convention. Contact Rita Baxter at 863-326-1741 or lanceandrita@yahoo.com to make arrangements for delivery or pick up.

Would you like to see what is for sale? Go to http://www.ebay.com/csc/LBakedAlaska/m.html?LH_Complete=1&ipg=50&since=15&sop=13

September 15, 2014 - **Deadline for Submissions to Northwest Association's Panhandle Press.** For info: panhandlepress@hotmail.com.

September 21, 2014 - **West Coast Association President's Ball** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City. Caller: Bob Stern, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Early Rounds 1:30 – 2:00 p.m., Mainstream, Plus, and rounds 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Refreshments served – beautiful floating wood floor – hearing enhancement available – fragrance free. Square dance attire preferred. West Coast members FREE; guests \$5 per person. For info: anndonslocum@juno.com.

October 5, 2014 - **Deadline for Submissions to the November 2014 Issue of the Bow & Swing** – For info: bowandswing@gmail.com.

October 5, 2014 – **Suncoast Callers and Cuers Association Meeting** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 12:00 noon. If you call, cue, or teach square and/or round dancing in the West Coast Association area, please support this association with your membership. For info: 936-366-2504 or fisher.karen1026@gmail.com.

From the Editor...



This Sunday is our annual President's Ball at Strawberry Square in Plant City. The 2014/2015 officers will be introduced but we still don't have a volunteer for the secretary position!

Early Rounds are from 1:30 – 2:00 p.m. and alternating Mainstream and Plus Squares with rounds between each tip are from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. West Coast Association members are FREE and guests are \$5 per person.

The 2015 West Coast Association membership bars are not available. You can start renewing your membership or join the Association at any time. The purpose of the Association is (1) to promote the extension of square and round dancing in our area by informing the general public of the moral and healthful recreation opportunities in square and round dancing; (2) to encourage a high standard of dancing; (3) to promote an active fellowship among dancers through jamborees, open dances, callers, publicity, training programs, etc.; (4) to encourage the formation of more square and round dance groups and clubs; (5) and to bring about a spirit of

cooperation among the callers, teachers, and dancers in our area and those in other districts in Florida.

Your emotional, physical, and financial support of these purposes is needed in order to keep dancing alive on the west coast of Florida. Dancing is promoted in our area in many ways i.e. the annual Fall Fun Fest, membership dances throughout our area, publication of *the West Coast Dancer*, and liaising with the other Florida regional associations as well as the Florida Federation.

Your financial support is very minimal; only \$6 a year. Why not join today? Your initial membership fee includes an additional \$6 for your engraved name badge. Renewal is \$6 and you will receive a membership bar at that time.

Complimentary membership is also open to callers, cuers, and their partners after they pay the initial fee of \$12 per person. They will also receive an engraved name badge.

Why not show support and join today!



Past Federation President and Past Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention Chairman, Frank Habersberger, will be celebrating his 100th birthday on October 27th. His daughter is having a birthday party for him on in Colorado on October 25th. I am sure he would enjoy hearing from all of his square dance friends. His address is c/o Marilyn Peacher, 1644 Adams St., Strasburg, CO 80136.

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 and former dancers!

Update on **Caller Bobby Keefe**: Bobby has an abdominal aortic aneurysm that requires surgery before it bursts. He is in the process of completing the pre-op work and he will be in the hospital for a couple of days after his surgery. The plan is to insert a stent rather than open surgery, which would be worse than heart or lung surgery. If you would like to send Bobby a card, his address is P. O. Box 215, Raiford, FL 328083.



There will be a plant sale fundraiser at the next West Coast Association's Fall Fun Fest. Pots are needed to put the plants in so your help is needed to start collecting them. You can bring them to the Baxters at any of the West Coast Association Membership Dances or you can contact them at lanceandritabaxter@yahoo.com or 863-326-1741.

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

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Your Source...

2015 West Coast Association membership bars are now available!

I carry ribbons and flyers for the following dances:

November 14 – 15, 2014 – **West Coast Association's Fall Fun Fest** – Bartow

November 21 – 22, 2014 – **Northeast Association's Fall Festival "Mad Hatters Ball"** – Jacksonville

What's Happening This Week?

Week of September 15, 2014

All clubs, callers, and cuers are asked to provide the editor with new dance schedules on an annual basis, as well as any updates, changes, and cancellations as needed. Failure to do so will result in your listing being removed from this publication.

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

Monday (September 15) – **Temple Twirlers Western Dance** - 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. **Cowboy Tom Glasgow will be making a return visit to do some rope tricks and comedy.** Dancers please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: bbkilk@verizon.net.

Heel and Toe – Senior Center Annex, 702 Indiana Avenue, St. Cloud – Caller: Bill Boyd; Plus workshop 6:30 – 7:00 p.m., Dancing to the level of the floor 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. \$5 per person. Please call ahead to ensure there will be a dance. For info: 407-319-0790 (C), 407-931-1688 (H), or bell-gelt@mpinet.net. Website: www.floridasquaredance.com/heelandtoe.

King's Point – King's Point Main Clubhouse, Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City – A2 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Mike Cox. For info: Mike Cox 813-649-0754 or George 813-642-0900.

Tuesday (September 16) – **J & C Spinarounds** – Pinellas Park Auditorium, 7690 – 59th Street, Pinellas Park – Phase 3 – 5 Rounds Workshop and Dance – 6:30 – 8:15 p.m. – Cuers/Instructors: Jimmy and Carol Griffin. For info: 727-525-7809 or www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin.

Suncoast Squares – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 - 5th Avenue North, St Petersburg. Early Rounds: 6:30–7:30 PM, Mainstream Classes: 7:30–9:00 PM, Plus Classes: 9:00–10:00 PM, Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox. A GLBT Club, all are welcome (including the straight community) casual attire, no partner needed. For info, website: www.suncoastsquares.com or [email: suncoastsquares@gmail.com](mailto:email:suncoastsquares@gmail.com) or ianai@mail.com or contact Joe U at 727-443-6242.

Wednesday (September 17) – **Cultural Center Squares Summer Program** – Centennial Hall, 2280 Aaron Street, Rooms F & G, Port Charlotte, FL. Callers: Robert Arias; Cuers: Jennie Martin and Russ Collier. Workshop 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. - 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. alternating Mainstream and Plus. For info: Mary 941-380-5336 or Jennie 863-494-2749. For info: Mary 941-380-5336 or Jennie 863-494-2749.

Thursday (September 18) – **Shufflin' Squares – NO DANCE** For info: easchwartz@tampabay.rr.com.

Suncoast Squares A2 Dance and Workshop – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St Petersburg. Advanced Classes: 6:30 – 8:30 PM, (if you have completed Plus, you are welcome to join our newly started Advanced classes), C1 Classes begin November 6, 8:30 – 9:30 PM, Caller: Mike Cox. A GLBT Club, all are welcome (including the straight community) casual attire, no partner needed. For info, website: www.suncoastsquares.com or email: suncoastsquares@gmail.com or ianai@mail.com or contact Joe U at 727-443-6242.

Jacaranda Trace – 3600 William Penn Way, Third floor in Auditorium, Venice – A2 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. For info: Mike Cox 813-649-0754 or Alice 941-408-2627.

Promenade Squares Mexican Dance - Senior Center, 7625 - 59th St. N., Pinellas Park – Early Rounds 7:15 - 7:45 p.m. Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:45 - 9:30 p.m. - Caller: Dick Demerit, Cuer: Jimmy Griffin. For info: mblackburn13@tampabay.rr.com or 208-369-6949.

Friday (September 19) – Strawberry Square Summer Dance – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 7:00 p.m. Workshop 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. alternating Plus and Advanced. For info: Mike Cox (1st Fridays) and Keith Stevens (3rd Fridays) – Plus and Advanced levels. For info: 813-719-3803 or 413-454-4482.

Saturday (September 20) – Palace Promenaders Summer Program - Palace Square Dance Hall, 1627 N.E. Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Robert Arias; Cuer: Jennie Martin – Workshop 6:00 – 7:00 p.m., Squares and Rounds 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For info: Jennie 863-494-2749 or Mary 941-380-5336. Park in back of the building. For info: Jennie Martin 863-494-2749 or Mary Dow 941-380-5336.

Sunday (September 21) – West Coast Association President's Ball – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City. Caller: Bob Stern, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Early Rounds 1:30 – 2:00 p.m., Mainstream, Plus, and rounds 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Refreshments served – beautiful floating wood floor – hearing enhancement available – fragrance free. Square dance attire preferred. West Coast members FREE; guests \$5 per person. For info: anndonslocum@juno.com.

Monday (September 22) – 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: **Dan Wilkerson**, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Dancers please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: bbkilk@verizon.net.

Heel and Toe – Senior Center Annex, 702 Indiana Avenue, St. Cloud – Caller: Bill Boyd; Plus workshop 6:30 – 7:00 p.m., Dancing to the level of the floor 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. \$5 per person. Please call ahead to ensure there will be a dance. For info: 407-319-0790 (C), 407-931-1688 (H), or bell-gelt@mpinet.net. Website: www.floridasquaredance.com/heelandtoe.

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Tuesday (September 23) – Buttons & Bows of Lakeland Western/Barn Dance – Magnolia Building 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., alternating Mainstream and Plus with two rounds between tips 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Art Springer,

Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Refreshments served. Beautiful wood dance floor – hearing enhancement available – square dance attire optional. For info: 863-224-3393 or sgdncfan@aol.com.

J & C Spinarounds – Pinellas Park Auditorium, 7690 – 59th Street, Pinellas Park – Phase 3 – 5 Rounds Workshop and Dance – 6:30 – 8:15 p.m. – Cuers/Instructors: Jimmy and Carol Griffin. For info: 727-525-7809 or www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin.

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West Coast Classes and Workshops National Caller and Cuer Colleges

Please provide start date, start and ending time, level (Beginner, Mainstream, Plus, etc.), GPS 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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Round Dance Workshop – Kings Point, Main Club House, Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City Center – Advanced Rounds 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. – Cuer: Mike Cox. For info: 813-649-0754.

September 5 – 7, 2014 – **C2 Level Workshop** - Cherry Ridge Campsites & Lodging, 147 Camp Road Honesdale, PA – Caller: Ben Rubright – large wooden dance floor – onsite lodging available – computer-generated squares – onsite meals served. Call 570-488-6654 to make lodging reservations. Visit www.cherryridgecampsitges.com for more info.

September 11, 2014 – **Temple Twirlers Square Beginners Square Dance Class** – Lakeshore Villa Clubhouse, 15401 Lakeshore Villa Street, Tampa – Caller/Instructor: Ron Reardon - \$3 per person per session. For info: bbkilk@verizon.net.

September 18, 2014 – **Promenade Squares Beginner Square Dance Class** - Senior Center, 7625 – 59th St. N., Pinellas Park – 6:00 p.m. - Caller/Instructor: Dick Demerit. For info: mblackburn13@tampabay.rr.com or 208-369-6949.

October 2, 2014 – **Promenade Squares Beginner’s Lessons** - Senior Center, 7625 - 59th St. N., Pinellas Park – Beginner’s Class 6:00 p.m. - Caller: Dick Demerit, Cuers: Jimmy Griffin. For info: mblackburn13@tampabay.rr.com or 208-369-6949.

October 5 – November 30, 2014 – **Strawberry Square Phase 3 Round Dance Review/Workshop** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. – Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can’t reach the Dance Center, call Jack and Nell Jenkins 828-356-4817 or Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

October 5, 2014 – November 30, 2014 – **Strawberry Square Phase 2 Round Dance Review/Workshop** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. – \$6 per person - Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can’t reach the Dance Center, call 828-356-4817 or Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

October 9 – 13, 2014 – **Northeast Callers School** – Manchester, New Hampshire – Callers/Instructors: Ken Ritucci, John Marshall, Rob French, Dottie Welch, and Mickey Braithwaite. For application and more info: kenritucci@aol.com or www.kenritucci.com or 413-734-0591.

October 16, 2014 – April 30, 2015 – **Strawberry Square Phase 2 Round Dance Class** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. - \$6 per person. – Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can’t reach the Dance Center, call Jack and Nell Jenkins 828-356-4817 or Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

October 16, 2014 – April 30, 2015 – **Strawberry Square Phase 3+ Figure Clinic & Dance/Teach** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 6:30 – 9:00 p.m. – \$6 per person - Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can’t reach the Dance Center, call 828-356-4817 or Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

October 16, 2014 – April 30, 2015 – **Strawberry Square Phase 4 Dance/Teach** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. – \$6 per person - Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can’t reach the Dance Center, call 828-356-4817 or Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

October 17 – 18, 2014 – **Florida Callers Association Annual Clinic** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Clinician: Mac Letson. Friday: 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. Saturday: 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. and 2:00 – 4:30 p.m. \$50 for non-FCA members. Saturday night: dance at Strawberry Square, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, 8:00 – 10:00 p.m. Caller: Mac Letson. Host hotel: Imperial Swan Hotel & Suites, 4141 South Florida Avenue, Lakeland, FL. For info: Bob Poyner at bnapoy@fairpoint.net.

October 19 – 23, 2014 – **Great Smoky Mountain Caller School** – Pride RV Resort – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Caller Coaches: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story – FOR EXPERIENCED CALLERS ONLY – A one of a kind Callers School featuring two of the world’s most well-known callers. This will be an intense week and an emphasis on choreographic and music

management and presentation – featuring in depth sessions on sight calling, modular calling, and CRaMS. Sunday 5:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m., Monday 9:00 a.m. – 9:30 p.m., Tuesday 9:00 a.m. – 9:30 p.m., Wednesday 9:00 a.m. – 9:30 p.m., Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 9:30 p.m. \$995 per caller includes school, lodging and meals. Spouses encouraged to attend - \$100 surcharge includes all meals.

November 1, 2014 – April 25, 2015 – **Strawberry Square Phase 5 Figure Clinic & Dance/Teach** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Figure Clinic: 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. – Dance/Teach: 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. – \$6 per person - Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the Dance Center, call 828-356-4817 or Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

November 1, 2014 – April 25, 2015 – **Strawberry Square Phase 4 Figure Clinic** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Figure Clinic: 2:30 – 4:30 p.m. – \$6 per person - Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the Dance Center, call 828-356-4817 or Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

November 6, 2014 - **Suncoast Squares C1 Workshop** – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Early Rounds – 8:30 – 9:30 p.m. Caller: Mike Cox. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. For info: www.suncoastsquares.com or suncoastsquares@gmail.com or 727-443-6242 or ianai@mail.com.

December 1, 2014 – **Strawberry Square Beginners Square Dance Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller/Instructor: Roland Blanchette – 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com; 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please contact: Cherylene Sorrells at [cgs1025@bellsouth.net](mailto:cds1025@bellsouth.net) or 770-825-6513.

December 1, 2014 – April 15, 2015 – **Woodmere Park Plus Workshop** – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice – 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

December 1, 2014 – **Strawberry Square Plus Workshop** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller/Instructor: Roland Blanchette – 8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com; 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please contact: Cherylene Sorrells at cgs1025@bellsouth.net or 770-825-6513.

December 4, 2014 – **Buttons & Bows of Lakeland Beginners Square Dance Class** – Presbyterian Homes at Lake Hunter, McArthur Center, 811 Lakeside Street, Lakeland – Caller/Instructor: Roland Blanchette – 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. - \$5 per person. For info: sgdnxfan@aol.com or 863-224-3393.

December 4, 2014 – **Buttons & Bows of Lakeland Plus Workshop** – Presbyterian Homes at Lake Hunter, McArthur Center, 811 Lakeside Street, Lakeland – Caller/Instructor: Roland Blanchette – 8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. - \$5 per person. For info: sgdnxfan@aol.com or 863-224-3393.

December 4 – 7, 2014 – **Tennessee Callers School** – Baymont Inn & Suites, Knoxville/Cedar Bluff, 209 Market Place Boulevard, Knoxville, TN – Caller Coaches: Ken Ritucci, Lee Kopman, and Steve Kopman – two levels of program for beginner and experienced. \$400/student – space is limited! Register today! For an application and more information, contact Ken Ritucci at 413-734-0591 or write kenritucci@aol.com – www.kenritucci.com.

December 5, 2014 – April 15, 2015 – **Woodmere Park Mainstream/Plus Review** – 3951 Woodmere Park Blvd., Venice – 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

December 7, 2014 – April 26, 2015 – **Strawberry Square Beginner Round Dance Class** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. - \$6 per person - Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the Dance Center, call 828-356-4817 or Nicki Horne at Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

January 5 – March 30, 2015 – **Royal Coachman Resort Beginner Square Dance Classes** – Royal Coachman Resort, 1070 Laurel Rd., Nokomis – 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

January 5 – March 30, 2015 – **Royal Coachman Resort Mainstream Square Dance Classes** – Royal Coachman Resort, 1070 Laurel Rd., Nokomis – noon – 2:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

February 15, 2015 - **Suncoast Callers and Cuers Association Caller Training Seminar** – Clinician: Ross Howell. Program will be on various calling techniques for practicing callers – choreographic variety, body flow, timing, sight calling (CRaMs, modules, memory), and music choices. Mark your calendars. For info: fisher.karen1026@gmail.com.

Looking Ahead...

October 4, 2014 - **Palace Promenaders Final Dance of the Summer Program and Pot Luck Dinner** - Palace Square Dance Hall, 1627 N.E. Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Robert Arias; Cuer: Jennie Martin – Squares and Rounds 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.; eat at 7:00 p.m. Everyone asked to bring a dish to pass. For info: Jennie 863-494-2749 or Mary 941-380-5336. Park in back of the building. For info: Jennie Martin 863-494-2749 or Mary Dow 941-380-5336.

Links

Websites

<http://floridasquaredance.com/>

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

Publications

www.flwestcoastdancer.com (West Coast Dancer)

<http://newsquaremusic.com/sioindex.html> (Sets in Order)

Associations/Organizations

www.flwestcoastdancer.com (West Coast Dancer)

<http://floridasquaredance.com/westcoast/index.html> (West Coast Assn.)

<http://www.floridasquaredance.com/rdc/> (Round Dance Council of Florida)

<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.ebay.com/csc/LBakedAlaska/m.html?LH_Complete=1& ipg=50& since=15& sop=13& rdc=1 (EBay used square dance attire site)

<http://virginiaswesternwear.com/> (Virginia's Western Wear & Square Dance Shop, Mascotte, FL)

<http://www.jlvinyl.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)

<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.keithstevens.com (Keith Stevens)

Clubs

www.sailfishsquares.org

http://www.mike-gormley.com/square_dance/Crystal%20Lake%20Squares.htm (Crystal Lake Squares)

Miscellaneous

<http://www.dosado.com/cgi-bin/lib/shop-wrapper.pl?page=rdpubs&shop=dosado&cart=3901977.2052>[http://www.squaredance\(rounddancepublications\)radionetwork.com](http://www.squaredance(rounddancepublications)radionetwork.com) (square dance radio network)

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