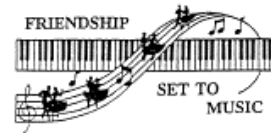


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January 15, 2016 – **Deadline for Florida Hall of Fame Nominations** – For info: <http://www.floridasquaredance.com/halloffame/index.php>

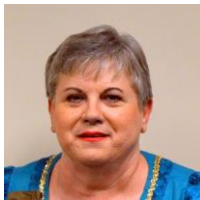
January 16, 2016 – **Southeast Square & Round Dance Association's 24<sup>th</sup> Snowflake Frolic** – Briny Breezes Auditorium (behind 5000 N. Ocean Boulevard), Briny Breezes 33435 – hosted by the Briny Breezes Square Dance Club. Host Callers: Jack Lewis and Scotty Sharrer; Host Cues: Joanne Helton. Donation: \$8 per person. For info: 561-908-2162 or [steve.adler35@yahoo.com](mailto:steve.adler35@yahoo.com)

January 28, 2016 – **Florida Winter Festival Trail End Dance** – Lake Ashton Clubhouse, 4141 Lake Ashton Club Drive, Lake Wales, FL – Callers: Tony Oxendine, Jack Pladdys, John Saunders – 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. A2 dancing; 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. Plus dancing. Casual attire acceptable - \$8 per person in advance and \$10 per person at the door. For info: Lance and Rita Baxter – 863-326-1741 or [lanceandritabaxter@yahoo.com](mailto:lanceandritabaxter@yahoo.com).

January 29 – 30, 2016 – **Grand Square International's Florida Winter Festival** – The Lakeland Center, 701 West Lime Street, Lakeland, Florida – Callers: Tony Oxendine, Jerry Story, John Saunders, and Jack Pladdys; Cues: Don and Linda Hichman and Carol and Jimmy Griffin Plus, DBD, Advance Squares and Phase II – V Round. \$42.50 per person for the entire weekend. Split prices are available at the door. For info: [johnnysa@aol.com](mailto:johnnysa@aol.com) or 386-428-1496.

February 1, 2016 – **Deadline for Extra Mile Nominations** – For info: <http://www.floridasquaredance.com/documents/ExtraMileAwards/extra-mile.php>.

## *From the Editor...*



Three or four squares danced to Marty Vanwart, Ted Hughes, Dave Buys, and Bob Ormsbee at our West Coast membership dance on Sunday. Sandra Burke was the lone cues. The group may have been small but everyone had a good time participating in our favorite activity.

Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> is the deadline to submit nominations for the Florida Square Dance Hall of Fame. Do you know someone that goes above and beyond promoting and supporting square dancing in the state of Florida? Why don't you give him and/or her the recognition they deserve? Go to <http://www.floridasquaredance.com/halloffame/index.php> for the details.

February 1<sup>st</sup> is the deadline to submit nominations for the Extra Mile Award which is to recognize callers, cuers, and prompters. Go to <http://www.floridasquaredance.com/documents/ExtraMileAwards/extra-mile.php> for details.

There are two fundraisers scheduled for Florida's planned bid on the 2021 National Square Dance Convention. The first one is on Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at Whirl and Twirl in Orlando. Tony Oxendine will be calling and Susan Snider from Jacksonville will be cueing. The flyer can be found at [www.dancergram.com](http://www.dancergram.com). The second event is the Party Weekend on April 22 – 23, 2016 at the Deerhaven Retreat and Conference Center in Paisley, Florida. On Friday night Mark Fetzer (Jacksonville) will be calling and Susan Snider (Jacksonville) will be cueing. On Saturday night Rod Barngrover will be calling. It's a full weekend of dancing, visiting, eating, and playing games. The flyer can also be found at [dancergram.com](http://dancergram.com).

On Saturday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, there will be a fundraiser dance at Whirl & Twirl for the 2017 Florida State Convention. This is being held in conjunction with the annual Federation Working Weekend. You do not have to attend the Working Weekend to attend this dance. Jack Lewis will be calling and Joanne Helton will be cueing.



WC Treasurers: John & Lynne Scott and Past WC Presidents: Don & Ann Slocum



Our future dancers...



L – R: Cuers Peter & Sandra Burke; Callers: Walter and Linda Lougee, Dave and Judy Buys, Ted Hughes and partner, Bob and Flo Ormsbee, and Marty and Marion Vanwart



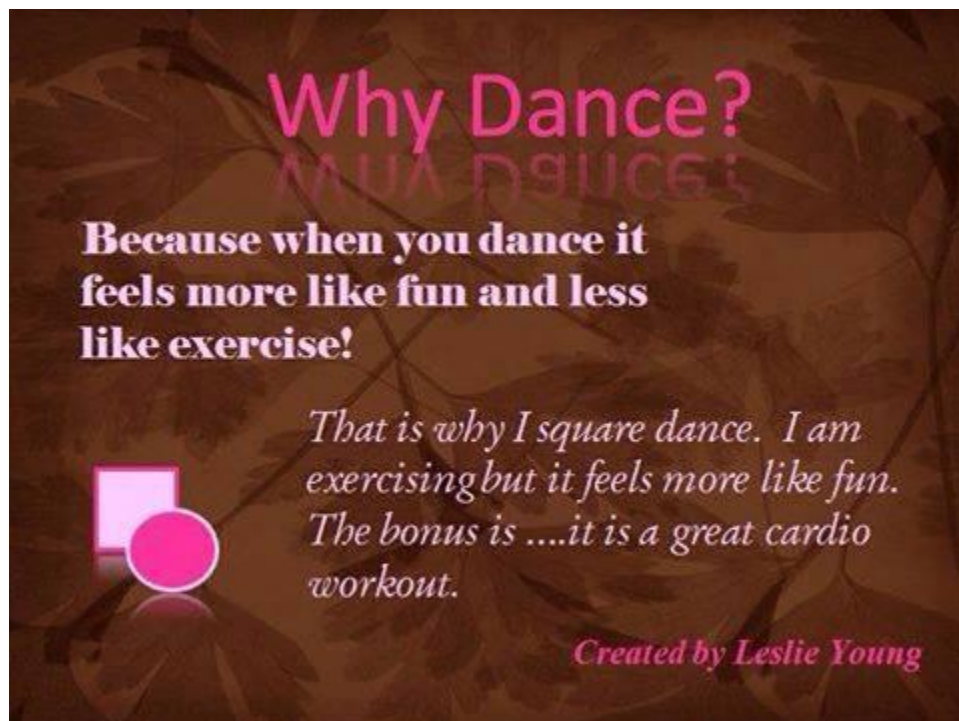
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## Health & Sympathy

The entries listed below are for callers, cuers, West Coast Association officers and representatives and other Florida associations, 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](http://www.dancergram.com) – Health & Sympathy).

*Don't forget to go to [www.dancergram.com](http://www.dancergram.com) for additional information on West Coast dancers and former dancers!*

Donnie Miller, caller for Clay Allemanders in Jacksonville, is scheduled for back surgery on Thursday, January 8th. This is to correct a condition that has lasted 30 years. He needs to have a TIF surgery which fuses two vertebrae. Prayers are requested for Donnie and his wife, Cindie, that the Lord guides the doctors during the operation and that his recovery is speedy. If you would like send a card, his address is 6511 Bo Peep Dr. N., Jacksonville, FL 32210. UPDATE: Donnie had his surgery on Thursday. He is recovering slowly and will be released to either a rehabilitation center or home in the next few days. He is already asking when he can return to calling.



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

This contact list can also be found at

[www.dancergram.com](http://www.dancergram.com)

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## *Your Source...*

**I carry ribbons and flyers for the following dances:**

January 29<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016 – **Florida Winter Festival** – Lakeland

May 27 – 28, 2016 – **Florida State Convention** – Lakeland

# What's Happening This Week?

Week of January 11, 2016

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 (January 11)** – **C-Gulls Dance Club** (completion of a weekend dance) – Tony Rotino Center, 5817 Driftwood Parkway, Cape Coral - Caller: Linda Kendall. The dances are moderate C4 level, rich in the use of calls with moderate speed and concept difficulty. Visitors (singles and couples) who are reasonably competent at a moderate C4 level are always welcome. They appreciate knowing when guests are coming, so please use email to let us know your plans (having your contact information will allow them to update you if anything changes). Out of town guests planning to attend a dance, please provide contact information to Pat Harrington so you can be notified in case of any last minute changes in time or dance location. Day one: First dance session 2:00 – 4:30 p.m. Second dance session is 6:30 – 9:00 p.m. Day two: First dance session is 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Second dance session is 2:00 – 4:30 p.m. For info: email Pat Harrington at this link <http://www.galburt.com/SquareDance/CGullsDanceClub/tabid/150/Default.aspx>.

**Horizon Village Squares** – 9200 Littleton Road (south of Shell Factory) – Caller: Dave Magee; Cuer: Russ Collier – Plus/Rounds 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – casual attire. For info: [callerdave@hotmail.com](mailto:callerdave@hotmail.com).

**Temple Twirlers** – Oak Grove United Methodist Church, 2707 W. Waters Avenue (northeast corner of Habana Avenue), Tampa – ER 7:00 p.m., Mainstream/Plus/Round 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Callers: **Ron Reardon**, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Square dance attire preferred. Dancers please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: [WLFLOYD@aol.com](mailto:WLFLOYD@aol.com).

**Tuesday (January 12)** – **Buttons & Bows of Lakeland** - Magnolia Building, 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland, FL – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Keith Stevens – Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – Members: \$5 per person and Guests: \$6 per person – finger food – wood floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free – square dance attire optional. For info: [sqdnxfan@gmail.com](mailto:sqdnxfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.

**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](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

**Maple Leaf Squares** – Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – Plus 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee. Square dance attire preferred – please wear green. For info: 941-627-4889 or [loisD523@kingston.net](mailto:loisD523@kingston.net) or 941-235-2736.

**Horizon Village Round Dance Club** – 9200 Littleton Road (south of Shell Factory) – Cuer: Russ Collier – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For info: 941-505-0960 or 941-661-1920.

**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 – casual attire. For info: [callerdave@comcast.net](mailto:callerdave@comcast.net) or 941-235-1611.

**Suncoast Squares** – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Early Round 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. – Plus 9:00 – 10:00 p.m. Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. For info: [www.suncoastsquares.com](http://www.suncoastsquares.com) or [suncoastsquares@gmail.com](mailto:suncoastsquares@gmail.com) or [beemerr90s@juno.com](mailto:beemerr90s@juno.com).

**Wednesday (January 13) – Palmetto Palms A-2 Dance** – 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers – 2:30 – 4:30 p.m. – Caller: Red Bates. For info: [941-828-0481/redbates@juno.com](mailto:941-828-0481/redbates@juno.com).

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

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

**Wade-A-Rounds in Punta Gorda** – South County Regional Park, 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda – Phase III Waltz Review - Cuer: Ione Wade – 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. For info: 941-505-1979 or [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com).

**Betmar Acres Round Dance** – Betmar Acres Clubhouse #2, 37137 Lakewood Drive, Zephyrhills, Florida – Charlie Lovelace cueing on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays and Sandy Burke cueing on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays. 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – price \$5 per person. For info: [jgiesler1@yahoo.com](mailto:jgiesler1@yahoo.com) – 813-782-9818 (H) – 813-312-3954 (C).

**J & C Spinarounds Phase IV & V Workshop & Dance** – Walter Fuller Recreation Center, 7891 26<sup>th</sup> Avenue N., St. Pete, FL – 7:00 – 8:45 p.m. – Cuers/Instructors: Jimmy and Carol Griffin. For info: 727-525-7809 or [spinards@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:spinards@tampabay.rr.com) or [www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin](http://www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin).

**Strawberry Square C-2 Dance with C3A Star Tips** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – Caller: Keith Stevens - \$6 per person per session.

**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](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Bob and Barb Hancock – 419-633-0610 or Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513. Banner Chairman: Sharon Kowlaski 813-754-3109.

**Strawberry Square C-1 Dance w/Intro to C-2 Star Tip** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. – Caller: Keith Stevens. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com); 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please contact: Wayne Sorrells 770-490-1670; Nancy Hall 813-752-1816, Jack Gano – 813-759-8172 or Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

**Cultural Center Squares** – Centennial Hall, 2280 Aaron Street, Rooms F & G, Port Charlotte, FL. Caller: Dave Magee; Cuer: Ione Wade. 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 (January 14)** – **Citrus Park 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: **Mac McCall**, Cuer: Mike Alexander. For info: 603-361-3009.

**Charlotte Promenaders** – 4500 Harbor Boulevard, Port Charlotte – Early Rounds: 7:00 p.m. - Plus Squares 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. Caller: **Nick Hartley**; Cuer: **Russ Collier**. For info: 941-429-1311 or 330-647-4596.

**Pine Ridge Promenaders Peanut Butter/Jelly Dance** - Sunshine RV Resort, Rt. 70 (1,000 yards east of Hwy. 27, Lake Placid - Mainstream/Plus 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: **Ed Foote**; Cuer: **Ione Wade**. For info: 828-290-2147 or [bobnsue97@hotmail.com](mailto:bobnsue97@hotmail.com).

**Strawberry Square Phase 4 Dance with Teach** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 2:30 – 4:30 p.m.. – Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the Dance Center, call Nicki Horne 813-707-8905 or 813-727-6210.

**Citrus Squares** – First United Methodist Church, 21501 W. Highway 40, Dunnellon, FL – Caller: Ellis Lindsey – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For info: 352-465-2142 (H) – 352-419-2504 (C) – [rickducharme@ymail.com](mailto:rickducharme@ymail.com).

**Suncoast Squares A2 Dance and Workshop** – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, St. Petersburg – 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Caller: Mike Cox. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. For info: [www.suncoastsquares.com](http://www.suncoastsquares.com) or [suncoastsquares@gmail.com](mailto:suncoastsquares@gmail.com) or [beemerr90s@juno.com](mailto:beemerr90s@juno.com).

**Jacaranda Trace A2 Dance/Workshop** – 3600 William Penn Way, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor on the far right of the elevator, Venice - 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Dancers must be proficient in positions A1. Caller: Mike Cox. For info: [hpsawyer@aol.com](mailto:hpsawyer@aol.com) or 941-408-2627.

**Promenade Squares** - Senior Center, 7625 - 59th St. N., Pinellas Park – Beginner's Class 6:00 p.m., Early Rounds 7:15 - 7:45 p.m. Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:45 - 9:30 p.m. - caller: Bob Ormsbee, cuers: Jimmy and/or Carol Griffin. For info: [mblackburn13@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:mblackburn13@tampabay.rr.com) or 208-369-6949.

**Friday (January 15)** – **Buttonwood Bay Squares Welcome Back Dance** - 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: Bob Avery; Cuer: Ione Wade. For info: Tim Stewart [tjstewart58@comcast.net](mailto:tjstewart58@comcast.net) or 586-610-8370

**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](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

**Wade-A-Rounds Round Dance Club** – South County Regional Park, 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda – Phase III Waltz Review - Cuer: Ione Wade – 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. For info: 941-505-1979 or [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com).

**Corkscrew Curliques** – Corkscrew Sanctuary, 21798 Corkscrew Woodlands Blvd., Estero – Caller: Wes Morris; recorded Rounds - Mainstream with announced Plus 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. – square dance attire optional. For info: 239-560-2572 or 239-282-6322.

**Strawberry Square A-2 Workshop/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: Ron Libby. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com); 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please contact: Wayne Sorrells 770-490-1670; Dona Watson 813-756-6145, or Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

**Dixie Square Dance Club** – Grace Lutheran Church, 327 Avenue C SE, Winter Haven, FL – Mainstream with announced Plus tips – Early Round 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Squares and Round 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller/Cuer: Carl Rod - \$3 per person per session. For info: 863-293-9369.

**Sun City Swingers** – North Campus Dance Studio, Atrium Building, 945 North Course Lane, Sun City – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Marty Vanwart, Cuer: Alice BubeI. Please come join us for this Festive Holiday Special Dance. Square dance attire preferred. Air-conditioned hall, wood floor, and lighted, paved off-street parking. For info: 941- 776-0477 or [cape\\_pss@msn.com](mailto:cape_pss@msn.com) or [veannacape@hotmail.com](mailto:veannacape@hotmail.com).

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**Buttons & Bows of Venice** – Woodmere Park, 3951 Woodmere Park Blvd., Venice – Plus/Rounds 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. – Caller: Nick Hartley; Cuer: Russ Collier. Square dance attire optional. For info: 941-493-6035 or [chrisziomek@yahoo.com](mailto:chrisziomek@yahoo.com).

**Strawberry Square Phase 5 Figure Clinic and Dance Review/Phase V Dance/Class** – 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. – Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, Jack and Nell Jenkins at 828-356-4817 [jskidancer01@aol.com](mailto:jskidancer01@aol.com) or Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

**Strawberry Square Plus Dance** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Early Round 7:00 – 7:30 – Plus 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. Caller: Ron Reardon; Cuer: Jack Jenkins. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Wayne Sorrells – 770-490-1670; Mary Lee Van Valkenburg – 813-707-1702; Barb & Don Huff – 813-752-2278; Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513. Banner Chairman: Sharon Kowalski 813-754-3109.

**Strawberry Square Phase 3+ Intro to Phase 4 Dance/Teach** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 2:30 – 4:30 p.m. – Cuer: Jack Jenkins - \$6 per person per session. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If

you can't reach the Dance Center, call: Jack and Nell Jenkins at 828-356-4817 [jskidancer01@aol.com](mailto:jskidancer01@aol.com) or Nicki Horne at 813-727-6210.

**Palace Promenaders** – Palace Square Dance Hall, 1627 N.E. Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Art Miller; Cuer: Jennie Martin and Russ Collier – 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 (January 17) – Happy Promenaders '40 something' Anniversary Party** – Happy Promenaders - Hitching Post RV Park Rec Hall, Naples (Directions: From Rt. 41 (Tamiami Trail East), turn south at the traffic signal/RaceTrac filling station onto Barefoot Williams Road (west of Rt. 951/Collier Blvd. and just east of the Hitching Post strip mall). Pass the filling station and take first left turn toward pool and Rec Hall.) Caller: Red Bates; Cuer: Mike Alexander. Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m., Mainstream and Plus Squares 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. For info: call Jan (239) 642-8612 or [playwalt@comcast.net](mailto:playwalt@comcast.net).

**J & C Spinarounds Round Dance Party** – La Piazza Mobile Home Park – Recreation Hall – 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Largo – 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. – Cuers: Jimmy and Carol Griffin. For info: 941-525-7809 – [spinards@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:spinards@tampabay.rr.com) – [www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin](http://www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin).

**Monday (January 18) – Horizon Village Squares** – 9200 Littleton Road (south of Shell Factory) – Caller: Dave Magee; Cuer: Russ Collier – Plus/Round 19:00 a.m. For info: [callerdave@hotmail.com](mailto:callerdave@hotmail.com).

**Temple Twirlers Tailgate Party** – Oak Grove United Methodist Church, 2707 W. Waters Avenue (northeast corner of Habana Avenue), Tampa – ER 7:00 p.m., Mainstream/Plus/Round 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Callers: Ron Reardon, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Square dance attire preferred. Dancers please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: [WLFLOYD@aol.com](mailto:WLFLOYD@aol.com).

**Tuesday (January 19) – 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](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

**Maple Leaf Squares** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – Plus 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee. Square dance attire preferred – please wear green. For info: 941-627-4889 or [loisD523@kingston.net](mailto:loisD523@kingston.net).

**R&R Gators** – Alligator RV Park, 6400 Taylor Road, Punta Gorda – Plus/Round 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon – Caller: Dave Magee, Cuer: Russ Collier. For info: [callerdave@comcast.net](mailto:callerdave@comcast.net) or 941-235-1611.

**Horizon Village Round Dance Club** – 9300 Littleton Road (south of Shell Factory), N. Ft. Myers – Cuer: Russ Collier – Plus/Round 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For info: 941-505-1960 or 941-661-1920.

**Suncoast Squares** – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Mainstream 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. – Plus 9:00 – 10:00 p.m. Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. For info: [www.suncoastsquares.com](http://www.suncoastsquares.com) or [suncoastsquares@gmail.com](mailto:suncoastsquares@gmail.com) or [beemerr90s@juno.com](mailto:beemerr90s@juno.com).

## *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!

**Updated December 21, 2015**

**Shufflin' Squares Advance Workshop** – Lake Ashton Golf Club, 4141 Ashton Club Drive, Lake Wales, FL – Caller: Keith Stevens – 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. For info: [lanceandrita@yahoo.com](mailto:lanceandrita@yahoo.com).

January 2, 2016 – **Royal Coachman Resort Mainstream Class** – Royal Coachman Resort Recreation Hall or Pavilion, Laurel Road, Nokomis, FL – noon – 2:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates. For info: 941-223-0987 – [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

**DATE CHANGE:** January 3, 2015 – **Strawberry Square Beginner Round Dance Class** – Strawberry Square, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. – Cuers/Instructors: Jack and Nell Jenkins - \$6 per person per session. For info: [jskidancer01@aol.com](mailto:jskidancer01@aol.com).

January 4, 2016 – **Royal Coachman Resort Beginners Class** – Royal Coachman Resort Pavilion – Laurel Road, Nokomis, FL – 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates. For info: 941-223-0987 – [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

January 4, 2016 – **Wade-A-Rounds at Lake Placid Intro 3 (Waltz, Jive, Cha, Rumba)** - Sunshine RV Resort, Rt. 70 (1,000 yards east of Hwy. 27, Lake Placid - Cuer: Ione Wade - 10:15 – 11:45 a.m. For info: 941-505-1979 / [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com) or [dialucey@aol.com](mailto:dialucey@aol.com).

January 4, 2016 – **Wade-A-Rounds at Lake Placid Two Step Review** - Sunshine RV Resort, Rt. 70 (1,000 yards east of Hwy. 27, Lake Placid - Cuer: Ione Wade - 11:45 – 12:15 p.m.. For info: 828-290-2147 or [bobsue97@hotmail.com](mailto:bobsue97@hotmail.com).

January 4, 2016 – **Wade-A-Rounds at Lake Placid Slow Two Step Review** - Sunshine RV Resort, Rt. 70 (1,000 yards east of Hwy. 27, Lake Placid - Cues: Lone Wade - 2:15 – 2:45 p.m.. For info: 828-290-2147 or [bobnsue97@hotmail.com](mailto:bobnsue97@hotmail.com).

January 4, 2016 – **Wade-A-Rounds at Lake Placid Intermediate** - Sunshine RV Resort, Rt. 70 (1,000 yards east of Hwy. 27, Lake Placid - Cues: Lone Wade – 2:45 – 4:15 p.m. For info: 828-290-2147 or [bobnsue97@hotmail.com](mailto:bobnsue97@hotmail.com).

January 4 - March 30, 2016 – **Intro of Phase 3 Foxtrot, Jive, Rumba, and Cha** – 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda – 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. Cues/Instructor: Lone and Wally Wade. For info: Wally and Lone Wade – 941-505-1979 or [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com).

January 4, 2016 – **Strawberry Square A-1 Class** – Strawberry Square, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 12:00 noon – 2:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart - \$5 per person per session.

January 4, 2016 – **Strawberry Square A-2 Class** – Strawberry Square, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart - \$5 per person per session.

January 4 – March 21, 2016 – **Two Step Review** – Camp Florida, 100 Shoreline Drive, Lake Placid, Florida 33852 - 10:15 – 10:45 a.m. – Cues/Instructors: Wally and Lone Wade – 941-505-1979 or [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com).

January 4 – March 21, 2016 – **Phase 3 Waltz** – Camp Florida, 100 Shoreline Drive, Lake Placid, Florida 33852 - 10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. – Cues/Instructors: Wally and Lone Wade – 941-505-1979 or [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com).

January 4 – March 21, 2016 – **Beginning Waltz** – Camp Florida, 100 Shoreline Drive, Lake Placid, Florida 33852 - 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. – Cues/Instructors: Wally and Lone Wade – 941-505-1979 or [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com).

January 4 – March 21, 2016 – **Slow Two Step Review** – Camp Florida, 100 Shoreline Drive, Lake Placid, Florida 33852 - 12:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. – Cues/Instructors: Wally and Lone Wade – 941-505-1979 or [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com).

January 4 – March 21, 2016 – **Intermediate** – Camp Florida, 100 Shoreline Drive, Lake Placid, Florida 33852 - 2:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. – Cues/Instructors: Wally and Lone Wade – 941-505-1979 or [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com).

January 5, 2016 – **Estero Square Dance Refresher Workshop and Basic/Mainstream Class** – Estero Recreation Center, 9200 Corkscrew Palms Boulevard, Estero - Workshop: 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. – Class: 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Wes Morris. For info: 239-282-6322. For registration Rebecca Wemer 239-498-0415 or register online at [www.leeparks.org](http://www.leeparks.org).

January 6, 2016 – March 30, 2016 – **South County Regional Park Intro to Phase 3 Round Dance Class**, South County Regional Park, 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda – Intro to Phase 3: Foxtrot, Jive, Rumba, Cha Cha – 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Wally and Lone Wade – 941-505-1979 or [ionewade@yahoo.com](mailto:ionewade@yahoo.com).

January 6, 2014 – **Crystal Lake Squares Plus Workshop** – Crystal Lake Village, 237 Maxwell Drive, Wauchula (2 miles north of Wauchula on U.S. Hwy. 17 – every Wednesday, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. – possible pre-January start (call for info) – learn by definition - \$4 per person per session. Caller/Instructor: Mike Gormley. For info: 419-376-0557 or [mike@mike-gormley.com](mailto:mike@mike-gormley.com).

January 6, 2014 – **Crystal Lake Squares Mainstream Square Dance Workshop** – Crystal Lake Village, 237 Maxwell Drive, Wauchula (2 miles north of Wauchula on U.S. Hwy. 17 – every Wednesday, 2:30 – 4:00 p.m. – possible pre-January start (call for info) – learn by definition - \$4 per person per session. Caller/Instructor: Mike Gormley. For info: 419-376-0557 or [mike@mike-gormley.com](mailto:mike@mike-gormley.com).

January 6, 2014 – **Crystal Lake Squares Beginners Square Dance Class** – Crystal Lake Village, 237 Maxwell Drive, Wauchula (2 miles north of Wauchula on U.S. Hwy. 17 – every Wednesday, 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. – learn by definition - \$4 per person per session. Caller/Instructor: Mike Gormley. For info: 419-376-0557 or [mike@mike-gormley.com](mailto:mike@mike-gormley.com).

January 7, 2016 – **Craig's RV Park Basic 50 Workshop** – Craig's RV Park, 7895 NE Cubitis Avenue, Arcadia (5.3 miles north of the Arcadia Dance Palace on the west side of US 17) – Caller/Instructor: Robert Arias – 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. For info: 813-601-1834.

January 7, 2016 – **Craig's RV Park Beginners Lessons** – Craig's RV Park, 7895 NE Cubitis Avenue, Arcadia (5.3 miles north of the Arcadia Dance Palace on the west side of US 17) – Caller/Instructor: Robert Arias – Time TBA. For info: 813-601-1834.

January 7, 2016 - **Maple Leaf A1 Lessons/Workshop** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. – Caller: Dave Magee. For info: [phonemoves@juno.com](mailto:phonemoves@juno.com) or 941-235-1611.

January 7, 2016 - **Maple Leaf Mainstream Workshop** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee. For info: [phonemoves@juno.com](mailto:phonemoves@juno.com) or 941-235-1611.

January 8, 2016 – **Strawberry Square Plus Fun Workshops** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Marty Vanwart – 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. - \$5 per dance – great for new and experienced Plus dancers. For info: [strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491.

January 15, 2016 - **Maple Leaf Mainstream Workshop** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee. For info: [phonemoves@juno.com](mailto:phonemoves@juno.com) or 941-235-1611.

January 15, 2016 - **Maple Leaf Plus Workshop** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee. For info: [phonemoves@juno.com](mailto:phonemoves@juno.com) or 941-235-1611.

January 29 – 31, 2016 – **21<sup>st</sup> Annual Smoky Mountain Celebration** – Music Road Hotel & Convention Center, 303 Henderson Chapel Road – traffic light #1, Pigeon Forge, TN – Callers: Ron Libby and Steve Kopman. Dancing starts Friday 7:45 p.m. and ends Sunday 11:00 a.m. Cost: \$294 per couple. Price includes: 5 dance sessions, 2 nights lodging, after party Saturday night, expanded continental breakfast Saturday and Sunday, indoor swimming pool and sauna, and private balcony or porch for each room. Send \$75 deposit to Steve and Debby Kopman, 1021 Bridgestone Place, Knoxville, TN 37919. Balance \$219 due January 2, 2016. For info: 865-691-1580 – [sdkopman@aol.com](mailto:sdkopman@aol.com).

July 14 – 16, 2016 – **Maryland Summer Caller School** – 5049 Durham Road, W. Columbia, MD – Callers: Tom Miller (Pennsylvania - Callerlab accredited Caller Coach), Tim Marriner (South Carolina – Callerlab accredited Caller Coach), and Tom Sellner (Maryland – teaching caller schools since 1984) – improve your voice, choreography and showmanship – catering to your needs and interest – lots of mike time – cost: \$300 per call (no charge for non-calling partner), food and lodging not included. Begins Monday, July 11 at 9:00 a.m.; ends Thursday, July 14 at 12:00 noon. Hotels are located a few miles from the site. A large variety of local restaurants are available within a short driving distance. For info: 410-730-2354 or [sellnerthomas@yahoo.com](mailto:sellnerthomas@yahoo.com).

July 28 – 31, 2016 – **Atlanta Callers School** – City of Light, 1379 Tullie Road NE, Atlanta, GA 30329 – Callers: Ken Ritucci (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach) and Bill Harrison. Plenty of microphone time – professional assessment of your skills – understand what it takes to be a leader – full CALLERLAB curriculum – 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. Only \$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](mailto:kenritucci@aol.com) – [www.northeastcallersschool.com](http://www.northeastcallersschool.com).

August 18 – 21, 2016 – **NORCAL Callers School** – Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church, 728 W. Fremont Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA – Callers: Ken Ritucci (Callerlab Accredited Callercoach), Sandra Bryant, and Rob French. . Plenty of microphone time – professional assessment of your skills – understand what it takes to be a leader – full CALLERLAB curriculum – 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. Only \$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](mailto:kenritucci@aol.com) – [www.northeastcallersschool.com](http://www.northeastcallersschool.com).

October 6 – 10, 2016 – **Northeast Callers School** – Mill-a-round Dance Center, Manchester, New Hampshire – Callers/Instructors: Ken Ritucci (CALLERLAB Accredited Caller Coach), Norm Poisson; Special Guest Instructors: Steve Kopman (Tennessee), Bill Harrison (Maryland), and Walt Bull (Maine). Plenty of microphone time – professional assessment of your skills – understand what it takes to be a leader – full CALLERLAB curriculum – 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

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## *Demos/One-nighters*

*This is a new section for you to promote your demos and one-nighters. If you need dancers to help you out, please forward the information so it can be added here.*

Ted Hughes is presenting a demonstration Wednesday, January 13th, at the Apollo Health and Rehabilitation Center, 1000 - 24<sup>th</sup> Street North, St. Petersburg (next to the closed Edward White Hospital), 3:00pm for approximately 45 minutes. It will be entertainment for the residents and we will get other folks (staff, visitors, etc) up to square dance. Come join the fun! For more information: [727-641-0408](tel:727-641-0408) or [Ted.Hughes@juno.com](mailto:Ted.Hughes@juno.com).

## *Looking Ahead...*

January 26, 2016 - **Buttons & Bows 64<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance** - Magnolia Building, 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland, FL – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Bob Asp – Cues: Charlie Lovelace – Members: \$5 per person and Guests: \$6 per person – finger food – wood floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free – square dance attire optional. For info: [sgdnfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdnfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.

January 31, 2016 – **Ted Lizotte is coming to Shufflin' Squares!** – Lake Ashton Health and Fitness Center (HFC), 6052 Pebble Beach Boulevard, Winter Haven, FL – A-2 Dance/Workshop - \$5 per person. For info: Janice Wideman 413-454-5846 or Keith Stevens 863-326-9774.

March 17 – 19, 2016 – **WASCA 57<sup>th</sup> Spring Square and Round Dance Festival “Tune In Turn Back to the Golden Age of Television”** – Hilton Alexandria Mark Center, Alexandria, VA – Callers: Jerry Story (TX, IA, SC), Joe Saltel (TX), Tim Marriner (SC), Tom Miller (PA), Jerry Biggerstaff (NC), Mike Sikorsky (AZ), Eric Henerlau (CA), Johnny Preston (CA). Cues: Barbara and Wayne Blackford (AZ), Kay and Bob Kurczewski (TX), Kristine and Bruce Nelson (AZ), and Marie and Randy Preskitt (WA). Mainstream thru Challenge – Rounds Phases II – VI. Cost: \$45 full Festival registration: Host Hotel: Hilton Alexandria Mark Center Hotel. For info: 301-839-1691 or [2016festivaldirectors@wascaclubs.com](mailto:2016festivaldirectors@wascaclubs.com).

April 5, 2016 – **Deadline to Submit Ads for the Florida State Convention Program Book.** For info: [apicheco@att.net](mailto:apicheco@att.net).

April 22 – 24, 2016 – **Party Weekend** – Deerhaven Retreat & Conference Center, 47924 NFS 540-2, Paisley, FL – Friday night: Pot luck dinner 5:30 p.m.; casual fun square dancing – 7:00



p.m. Caller: Mark Fetzer (Jacksonville; Cuer: Susan Snider (Jacksonville). Saturday: full breakfast 7:30 – 9:00 a.m., lunch served at noon, bingo 1:30 p.m., pulled pork dinner 5:30 p.m., square dancing only 7:30 p.m. Caller: Rod Barngrover. Sunday: full breakfast. Gates open at noon on Friday. Come for the full weekend or the Saturday dinner and dance. For registration form, pictures, and more info: [www.floridasquaredance.com/convention/partyweekend/deerhave.html](http://www.floridasquaredance.com/convention/partyweekend/deerhave.html). All proceeds benefit the Florida National Convention Bid. Full weekend package \$100 per person (includes weekend dance package and hotel room – various packages available.

May 10, 2016 - **Buttons & Bows Ice Cream Social** - Magnolia Building, 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland, FL – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Keith Stevens – Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – Members: \$5 per person and Guests: \$6 per person – finger food – wood floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free – square dance attire optional. For info: [sgdnfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdnfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.

June 15 – 18, 2016 – **Academy for Advanced & Challenge Enthusiasts (AACE) Convention 2016** – Grand Wayne Convention Center, Fort Wayne, Indiana – Featured Callers: Rob French (California USA) and John Marshall (Virginia USA) and Calling Staff: Sandie Bryant (Illinois, USA), Vic Ceder (California USA), Barry Clasper (Ontario, CAN), Todd Felleggy (Connecticut USA), Ross Howell (Florida USA), Anne Uebelacker (British Columbia CAN). Full times halls for A2, C1, C3A, C3B, and part time C4. Air conditioned halls – computer and open tips – focus sessions. Schedule: Wednesday: registration from 4:00 p.m. – dancing 8:00 – 11:00 p.m. Thursday through Saturday: Dancing 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. Dress: ...allow casual dress at all sessions. ...do request that you consider the feelings of other dancers and ensure that your attire is within the Square Dance bounds of good taste. Camping: As this is a downtown hotel with a parking garage, camping is not available on site. Hotel: Courtyard Fort Wayne Downtown (connected to convention center) – 866-704-6163 (toll free) or 260-490-3629 - \$117/night, mention AACE to agent for convention rate – see AACE website for online reservations. For convention info: [www.ceder.net/aace](http://www.ceder.net/aace) or Debbie Ceder, P.O. Box 841, Los Olivos, CA 93441-0841 or 805-686-1108.

September 1 – 4, 2016 – **46<sup>th</sup> National Singles 2016 Dance-A-Rama “Monumental Moments”** – Hilton Alexandria Mark Center, 5000 Seminary Road, Alexandria, VA – Callers: Mike Callahan (NY), John Marshall (VA), Eric Henerlau (CA), Skip Cleland (VA), Matt Worley (VA), and Tom Miller (PA). Cuers: Dom and Joan Filardo (MD), Peg and John Kincaid (MD), and Chris Jopek and Steve Davis (PA). Lines: Doug and Donna Riley (VA). Hosted by SSDUSA Board, Singles Square Dancers, USA. Mainstream, Plus, DBD, Advanced, Challenge, Lines and Rounds. Square dance attire required for ALL evening sessions. Six different tours during the convention which are separate from the cost of registration. Host hotel: Hilton Alexandria Mark Center - \$45 per person prior to August 1<sup>st</sup>; \$50 per person after August 1<sup>st</sup>. For info: [info@ssdusa.org](mailto:info@ssdusa.org) or [www.ssdusa.org](http://www.ssdusa.org) or Nancy Morrissey at 301-805-6105 or Arbell Thompson at 703-729-2109.

October 14 – 16, 2016 – **26<sup>th</sup> Annual Tumbling Leaves Festival** – Bennington College, 1 College Drive, Bennington, VT – Callers: Red Bates, Bill Harrison, Tim Marriner, John Marshall, Don Moger, and Ken Ritucci. Cuers: Steve and Irene Bradt and Beverly MacKay. Five halls the

entire festival – Plus, A1, A2, C1 (limited C2), Mainstream with Intro to Plus Workshops. Dance start times: Friday: 7:30 p.m. and Saturday: 9:30 a.m. Round Dance workshop – A2 & C1 Computer rotation - Claudia's SD Shop – Packages available – RV space on campus – five great all-you-can-eat meals are served in the school cafeteria - Choice of hot entrees, soup/sandwich/salad bar/dessert – something for all dietary needs served cafeteria style. Please keep in mind that this is peak season in Bennington and hotel reservations should be made early to guarantee a room. All hotels listed on the flyer are discounted, and must be booked through Red and Ginny Bates. For info: 941-223-0987 or [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

October 25, 2016 - **Buttons & Bows Hobo/Halloween Dance** - Magnolia Building, 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland, FL – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Dave Muller – Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – Members: \$5 per person and Guests: \$6 per person – hobo stew – wood floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free – square dance attire optional. For info: [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.

October 27 - 29, 2016 – **27<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall into Heartland** – Clarion Hostel, 3855 Hauck Road, Sharonville, OH – Callers: Ben Rubright, Darryl Lipscomb, Ross Howell, Todd Fellegly, Bill Haynes, and Jack Pladdys – full time halls A2, C1, C2, C3A, and C3B. Host Hotel: Clarion Hotel – 513-563-8330 – in order to get the \$89 per night discount rate, you must book by phone before 10/13/16 and mention the group code Heartland. Cool air conditioned halls – all halls centrally located – casual attire at all sessions – single sessions available. Registration fee: \$60 per person advance registration until 10/13/16 or \$80 per person after 10/13/16. For info: [www.heartlandjubilee.com](http://www.heartlandjubilee.com) or Decah at [fallintoheartland@gmail.com](mailto:fallintoheartland@gmail.com) or 956-432-4728 or Ross Howell at [ross@tropical301.net](mailto:ross@tropical301.net) or 813-997-4504. Mail checks payable to Decah Lipscomb at P.O. Box 192303, Dallas, TX 75219. No refunds after 10/1/16.

December 13, 2016 - **Buttons & Bows Christmas Dance** - Magnolia Building, 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland, FL – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Marty Vanwart – Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – Members: \$5 per person and Guests: \$6 per person – finger food – wood floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free – square dance attire optional. For info: [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.

## Links

Websites

<http://floridasquaredance.com/>

[https://www.facebook.com/#!/home.php?sk=group\\_149454955123658&ap=1](https://www.facebook.com/#!/home.php?sk=group_149454955123658&ap=1) (Florida Federation's Facebook page)

<http://www.floridasquaredance.com/convention/national-bid.html> (2021 National Square Convention Bid)

## Publications

[www.flwestcoastdancer.com](http://www.flwestcoastdancer.com) (West Coast Dancer)

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

## Associations/Organizations

[www.flwestcoastdancer.com](http://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](http://www.iagsdc.org) (International Assn. of Gay Square Dance Clubs)

<http://www.callerlab.org> (CALLERLAB)

<http://www.americancallers.com> (American Callers Assn.)

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

<http://ssdusa.org> (Single Square Dancers USA<sup>®</sup>)

<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> 60<sup>th</sup> 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://virginiaswesternwear.com/> (Virginia's Western Wear & Square Dance Shop, Mascotte, FL)

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

[www.travelinghoedowners.com](http://www.travelinghoedowners.com) (Square Dance DVDs – Both Instructional and Dance)

[www.suziegcreations.com](http://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](http://www.sheplers.com) (Sheplers - the world's largest western stores and catalog)

[www.PerfectPetticoats.com](http://www.PerfectPetticoats.com) (Perfect Petticoats)

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

## Square Dance Halls

[www.Strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.Strawberrysquaredancing.com) (Strawberry Square)

## Callers/Cuers

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

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

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

[www.keithstevens.com](http://www.keithstevens.com) (Keith Stevens)

Clubs

[www.sailfishsquares.org](http://www.sailfishsquares.org)

Miscellaneous

<http://LiveLivelySquareDance.com> (New square/round dance logo)

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

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