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March 1, 2017 - **Deadline for Submissions to the Central Association's Keepin' Posted April 2017 issue.** For info: apicheco@att.net.

March 5, 2017 – **Deadline for Submissions to Bow & Swing for the April 2017 issue.** For info: bowandswing@gmail.com.

NEEDED RIGHT AWAY!

Dancers who live in Hillsborough and Lee Counties that are knowledgeable about square and round dancing in your area and are willing to help promote square dancing.

The West Coast Association needs representatives in Hillsborough and Lee Counties who will be a liaison to the Association by promoting dances and membership in the Association, sell ribbons for the Fall Fun Fest, and be a contact for anyone looking for dance information. If this is you, contact Ed Drexel, President, WCA at eddrexel@gmail.com.

Health and Sympathy

The entries listed below are for callers, cuers, West Coast Association officers and representatives and other Florida associations, Federation officers and any others well known to the Florida square and round dance community. Listings for others are at www.dancergram.com – Health and Sympathy.

Dick Stephens has a new address which is c/o Rick and Sue Stevens, 15717 Jericho Drive, Odessa, FL 33556 if you would like to send him cards. The phone numbers where you can reach him are 813-926-9252 (H) or 813 784-2476. He is staying with his son and daughter-in-law until he can be moved in to a retirement home. I am sure he would enjoy hearing from everyone.

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

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Your Source...

Ribbons, flyers, and fundraising items are available for the following dances:

- March 24 – 25, 2017 – **Florida State Convention Ribbons, Buttons, Raffle Tickets for \$500 cash drawing and a quilt (two different drawings) & Cookbooks**
- **2017 West Coast Association membership badges and bars**
- November 25 – 27, 2017 – **West Coast Association Fall Fun Fest ribbons.**

Point of Order

From Kappie Kappenman

COURTESY

By Lib Eddy (Reprinted from American Square Dance July 1979)

Courtesy denotes acts that are marked with respect for and consideration of others. Many formal acts of courtesy have lingered in dance practice, even in as informal a dance as the square dance. The “courtesy” turn is one. Asking a taw to dance is another. Dancers learn during lessons of the many small acts that make an evening of square dancing pleasant for all; filling squares promptly, never leaving a square except in dire emergency, clapping after the tip, thanking all the other dancers in the square.

Is this courtesy disappearing from square dancing? Or is the occasional lack of courtesy we see in the square dance hall a reflection of the “do your own thing” individualism of the seventies? Is the disappearance of some courteous leftovers a healthy thing for square dancing?

Let’s consider some aspects of courtesy. We are inclined to think of courtesy as “polite nothings” rather than as genuine consideration for others. But think – those who really care about other people/dancers are unfailingly courteous. It’s more than holding doors open and giving formal invitations to the dance. It’s the sincere note of thanks after a tip, the genuine complement, the offer of help with refreshments, clean up, or a difficult figure. Clubs made up of “caring” people earn a reputation for friendliness and fun; their opposites are tagged “clique-y.”

One big factor that square dancers have going for them is the very nature of the square. No square dancer can really “do his own thing.” One or two may kick up heels in a clog step or give an extra twirl or two, but a square dance is a cooperative venture for eight. He who attempts a solo performance to demonstrate his virtuosity soon has no supporting square around him. The feeling of “togetherness” in a square must extend to the time between tips and the end of the evening. Making guests feel at home, drawing them into the chatter between tips and the end of the evening. Making guests feel a home, drawing them into the chatter between the music, inviting them to gather at the coffeepot – all these courtesies make the guests feel comfortable and at home.

Are there some courtesies that may as well disappear? From my viewpoint, we can see two, both of which still happen occasionally. One is for a man to ask another man for permission to dance with his wife. This is an old tradition, so is the idea of wives as possessions. This practice is guaranteed to make the wife feel non-existent as an individual personality. In today’s world, a man may ask a woman directly for a dance. Most women are able to consent or refuse without further male assistance.

On the other hand, one tradition that has continued is the invitation, although in many instances a woman may ask, especially if she is a club officer or a caller's wife trying to draw a into the crowd. However, no one wants to be grabbed by the hand and dragged into a square. It does happen! Just because the caller's wife is sitting out, she is not fair game for a cave man approach. Neither should a caller's wife be expected to ask single males, children or adult, to dance. Men wishing to dance with her should say so - =to her – politely and courteously.

The second "courtesy" that leaves four women standing like sticks at tips' end is the shaking of hands by all men with all the other men in the square. In some areas, this is such a time consuming process that "thank you" never gets said to the ladies. Many dancers do not like the eight-hand-in-the-center thank you, but we prefer it. It involves every individual and when the hands part, each is free to drift away from the group or remain to speak to other members of it. We find this vastly preferable to the "left-out" feeling during male hand-shaking.

Courtesy is gong to change with time. What was considered courteous to the ladies a hundred years ago may be insulting to today's women. (This may be true for the men, too, but we are not qualified to say.) The criteria of using acts marked with respect for and consideration of others is till the same today, inside square dancing and out, and "people who love people" just won't let courtesy die!

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Breaking Records

By Corbein Geis

How Do We Make Square Dancing Attractive?

As much as I love dancing, I am very involved in all aspects of the arts and sports as well. I get to mingle with crowds from different backgrounds with many distinct likes and dislikes. Over the past year, I have had the opportunity to be around many different age groups. I am involved in church, clubs, work, teams, teaching art classes and several other activities. I have asked a bunch of people, with such diverse personalities, and upbringing (namely non-square dancers), this one question in some way or another. I do these little interviews in between tips very casually to get feedback a lot of times when I am calling for a beginner party. Some of these folks were asked the question when not even in a square dance environment.

What's the first thing you think of when you hear the term Square Dancing?

Teenagers

1. Never heard of it
2. Animation of square shapes dancing
3. Hillbillies

4. Twang
5. Cowboys and Indians
6. Sounds like fun
7. Grandparents
8. Country Western

30 something crowd (some 40's)

1. Saw it on YouTube, it looks fun
2. Can you compete like to win stuff?
3. I think their costumes are great, some are over the top, but I like them.
4. Can I bring my family so we can all learn it?
5. They have it at my church hall, but do not offer baby-sitting services.
6. I Googled "Square Dancing for young people" and was surprised to see how many kids are in it.
7. I don't like ballroom or line dancing, but square dancing is very social. I would like to get everyone on my block to take it up, we have a young family oriented neighborhood.
8. You will never get me in those wild get-ups.

Baby Boomers

1. Torture in gym class.
2. Gym teacher hated it.
3. A lot of arrows and drawings of footsteps with people who still didn't know where to go.
4. Barn dance and Harvest Moon
5. Grange Hall and 4H Clubs.
6. Good exercise, wish I could get my hubby off the couch.
7. Hats, boots and bolo ties.
8. Hee Haw.

If you were asked this very question before you were involved with square dancing, would you have answered the question in the same manner? Of course, your answers would much different now since you are a square dancer now.

So, how do we make square dancing attractive?

Post Script: I was just going to end this article with that question, but I wanted to part with you on some positive thoughts to get your creative juices pumping. This is a remarkable quote from the late and great Fred Rogers of Mister Rogers' Neighborhood fame. An excerpt from his acceptance speech after receiving the lifetime achievement award in 1999 for being inducted into the Television Hall of Fame. This one little paragraph speaks volumes with life and all we do with it, but it also applies to our wonderful activity and how we can all spread the good word.

"How do we make goodness attractive? By doing whatever we can to bring courage to those whose lives move near our own – by treating our neighbor at least as well as we treat ourselves

and allowing that to inform everything we produce. We all have only one life to live on Earth. And through television, we have the choice of encouraging others to demean this life or to cherish it in creative, imaginative ways.”

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All Things Considered

By Ed Foote

Understanding Cycle & Wheel

DEFINITION: From a 3&1 line: the adjacent dancers facing the same direction will do a Wheel & Deal, while adjacent dancers facing opposite directions will do a Recycle. **ENDING POSITION:** There are only two possible ending positions: (1) all four dancers facing, or (2) a lead couple and a trailing couple.

RULE: Dancers NEVER finish back-to-back.

The purpose of this article is to emphasize the Rule, because sometimes dancers mistakenly try to finish back-to-back. Remember the Rule: You NEVER finish back-to-back.

If you are content with knowing the Ride and do not care why the Ride exists, you can stop reading now. But I would encourage you to read the last two paragraphs of this article.

WHY THIS RULE IS TRUE: The ending position of Cycle & Wheel is based on Wheel & Deal. The key on both calls is the **FACING DIRECTION OF THE ENDS**.

For Wheel & Deal, if the ends are facing opposite directions, it means the formation is a two-faced line. We know that Wheel & Deal from a two-faced line gives facing couples. The same is true of Cycle & Wheel: if the ends are facing opposite directions, the ending position is facing couples.

For Wheel & Deal, if the ends are facing the same direction, it means the formation is a line with all dancers facing the same direction. We know that a Wheel & Deal from here will have the right side couple go first and will finish with a lead couple and a trailing couple.

The same is true for Cycle & Wheel: if the ends are facing the same direction, the right side couple goes first, and we finish with a lead couple and a trailing couple. How do we know which is the right-side couple? Just look at the ends. The right-side end and partner will finish as the lead couple.

Just as a Wheel & Deal can never finish with couples back-to-back, and since Cycle & Wheel is based on Wheel & Deal, likewise Cycle & Wheel can never finish with couples back-to-back.

WHY DANCERS GET IN TROUBLE: The majority of the time callers will call Cycle & Wheel from lines where the ends are facing opposite directions. So the dancers will tend to expect that they will finish facing each other any time they hear the call.

But if the caller calls Cycle & Wheel from lines where the ends are facing the same direction, the dancers sometimes scramble to their ending position because they do not experience this situation as often, and they may inadvertently finish back-to-back – which is always wrong.

RULE: Ends facing opposite directions – dancers finish. Ends facing, the same direction – dancers finish with one couple in front of the other.

KEY HINT FOR THE DANCERS: When you hear Cycle & Wheel, before taking a step, turn your head sideways and notice the facing direction of the ends. This will tell you the ending position before you have committed yourself. Now it is easy just to move to that position.

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What's Happening This Week?

Week of February 27, 2017

All clubs, callers, and cuers are encouraged to provide the editor with new dance schedules on an annual basis, as well as any updates, changes, and cancellations as needed. We reserve the right to delete listings for lack of updates.

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

Monday (February 27) – *Indian Creek Advance Dance with C1 Star Tips* - Indian Creek RV Resort, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – Caller: John Hughes – A2 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. – C1 9:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Cost of dancing this year is \$12/couple or \$6/person. (*Don't worry if you're a single. There'll be a place for you*). Your exact change will help the gatekeeper. Casual attire. For info: jack@revette.org.

King's Point Round Dance – King's Point Main Clubhouse, Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City – Cuer: Mike Cox – Phase III – IV – 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. For info: Mike Cox 813-6490-0754/mc8152@verizon.net or Nina 813-508-6462.

King's Point A-2 Dance – King's Point Main Clubhouse, Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City – Cuer: Mike Cox – Phase III – IV – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. For info: Mike Cox 813-6490-0754/mc8152@verizon.net or Nina 813-508-6462.

Horizon Village - 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.

Temple Twirlers Birthday/Anniversary 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: **Marty Vanwart**, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Square dance attire preferred. Dancers please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. PLEASE NOTE: Door fees have been increased to \$6 for guests and \$5 for members. For info: 813-382-8621 or lindarobertsTempletwirlers@gmail.com.

Tuesday (February 28) – **Buttons and Bows of Lakeland** – Magnolia Building, 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland – Caller: Ed Foote – Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – Early Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free – finger foods. For info: sgdnfan@gmail.com or 863-224-3393.

Woodmere Park A-2 Dance – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice, FL – Caller: Red Bates – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

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 or 941-235-1611.

Maple Leaf Squares – Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, Queensway Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – Plus 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee – Cuer: Ken Klumpp. Square dance attire preferred. For info: 941-627-4889 or loisD523@kingston.net; 941-235-2736; <http://www.mapleleafsquares.com/>.

Horizons Round Dance Club - 9200 Littleton Road (south of Shell Factory) – Cuer: Russ Collier – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. For info: russcollier1@gmail.com.

Suncoast Squares Mardi Gras Dance – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Introduction to Round Dancing 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. - Mainstream 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. – Plus workshop and dancing 9:00 – 10:00 p.m. Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox. it's an opportunity to dress us in your Mardi Gras finery...or not. Dress up if you like and we'll have beads for you if you'd like, but come in whatever is most comfortable for you. Beginner classes are at 7:30 and we have some wonderful new dancers who are just starting out on their square dance journey. Come and support them and enjoy getting to know them. Plus workshop is afterwards at 9:00 a.m. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. For info: www.suncoastsquares.com or suncoastsquares@gmail.com or mutschlerdan@yahoo.com or 678-656-2523.



Wednesday (March 1) – **Palmetto Palms A-2 Dance** – 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers, FL – Caller: Red Bates is unable to attend but Jack will be there with recorded calls (with

Red's blessing) – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Casual attire. Cost of dancing this year is \$12/couple or \$6/person. (*Don't worry if you're a single. There'll be a place for you*). Your exact change will help the gatekeeper. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

Palmetto Palms C-1 Dance – 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers, FL – Caller: Red Bates is unable to attend but Jack will be there with recorded calls (with Red's blessing) - 1:20 p.m. – 2:20 p.m. Casual attire. Cost of dancing this year is \$12/couple or \$6/person. (*Don't worry if you're a single. There'll be a place for you*). Your exact change will help the gatekeeper. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

Palmetto Palms Plus Dance – 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers, FL – Caller: Red Bates; Cues: Dick Chase – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Squares and Rounds 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Cost of dancing this year is \$12/couple or \$6/person. (*Don't worry if you're a single. There'll be a place for you*). Your exact change will help the gatekeeper. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

Camp Inn – Camp Inn RV Resort, 10400 Highway 27, Frostproof – Caller: **Sam Dunn** - March 10, 2017 – alternating Mainstream and Plus 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. – casual or square dance attire acceptable. For info: Larry Corder at 740-502-3371 or Harley Daum at 218-831-7799.

Strawberry Squares Club – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Caller: **Ron Reardon** – Mainstream/Easy Plus Workshop 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – alternating Mainstream and Easy Plus 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. - wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: 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.

Strawberry Square C-2 Dance – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Caller: Keith Stevens – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon – wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Wayne Sorrells 770-490-1670, Nancy Hall 813-752-1816, Jack Gano 813-7598172 or Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

Strawberry Square C-1 Dance w/C-2 Tip – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Caller: Keith Stevens – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. – wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Wayne Sorrells 770-490-1670, Nancy Hall 813-752-1816, Jack Gano 813-759-8172 or Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

J and C Spinarounds Phase IV and V Workshop and Dance – Walter Fuller Recreation Center, 7891 26th Avenue N., St. Pete, FL – 7:00 – 8:45 p.m. – Cues/Instructors: Jimmy and Carol Griffin. For info: 727-525-7809 or spinards@tampabay.rr.com or www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin.

Cultural Center Squares – Centennial Hall, 2280 Aaron Street, Rooms F and G, Port Charlotte, FL. Caller: Art Miller - Cues: Jennie Martin and Russ Collier - 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds. For info: Mary 941-380-5336 or Jennie 863-494-2749. For info: Mary 941-380-5336 or Jennie 863-494-2749.

Thursday (March 2) – Chase-A-Rounds in Punta Gorda – South County Regional Park, 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda – Phase III Waltz Review - Cuer: Dick Chase – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. For info: 239-7705257 or prentice0626@gmail.com.

Charlotte Promenaders 48th Anniversary Dance – Port Charlotte United Methodist Church, 21075 Quesada Avenue, Port Charlotte – Caller: Red Bates – Cuer: Dick Chase – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Plus Squares and Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. For info: jdclay8146@gmail.com or 330-647-4596 or 941-456-2580.

Citrus Park Snowbirds Country Western Theme Dance – Citrus Park Clubhouse, 25501 Trost Boulevard, Estero – Caller: Mac McCall; Cuer: Mike Alexander – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream, Plus, Rounds 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. For info: 239-498-8833 or 239-992-0207.

Pine Ridge Promenaders Hawaiian Night – Sunshine RV Resort, Rt. 70 (1,000 yards east of U.S. 27), Lake Placid – Caller: Sam Dunn – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. - Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. For info: 863-699-2789 or 570-703-3774.

Strawberry Square Phase 4 Figure Dance/Teach — Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Cuer/Instructor: Jack and Nell Jenkins – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. - \$6 per person per session. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Jack and Nell Jenkins 828-508-3690.

Shufflin' Squares – Lake Ashton Golf Club, 4141 Ashton Club Drive, Lake Wales, FL – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. - alternating Plus/Advance – Caller: Sam Dunn – Cuer: Carl Rod – square dance attire optional. For info: lanceandrita@yahoo.com.

Jacaranda Trace Dance and Workshop – 3600 William Penn Way, Venice - A-2 - 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Caller: Mike Cox. Attending dancers are required to be efficient in all positions A1. For info: 941-408-2627.

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.

Suncoast Squares A2 Dance and Workshop – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – 7:00 – 9:00 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 mutschlerdan@yahoo.com.

Promenade Squares Birthday/Clothing Sale – Senior Center, 7625 - 59th St. N., Pinellas Park – Beginners Class 6:00 p.m. - Early Rounds 7:15 - 7:45 p.m. Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:45 - 9:30 p.m. - Callers: Bob Ormsbee, Cuer: Jimmy Griffin. For info: dhua7@aol.com or 727-544-0227.

Friday (March 3) – Clearview Squares – Clearview United Methodist Church, 4515 – 38th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Caller: Ted Hughes; Cuer: Jimmy Griffin – Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m., Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. For info: 727-641-0408 or ted.hughes@juno.com.

Buttonwood Bay Squares – Buttonwood Bay RV Resort Recreation Hall, 41 Kingfish Drive (Off U.S. 27S), Sebring – Caller: Nelson Wakeman - Cuer: Chuck Ryall – Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – square dance attire optional. For info: 586-610-8370 or tjstewart58@comcast.net.

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 Fun Plus – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Marty Vanwart – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: 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; Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

Woodmere Park C-1 Dance – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice, FL – Caller: Red Bates – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

Strawberry Square A-2 Dance – **NO DANCE** For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Wayne Sorrells 770-490-1670, Dona Watson & Henry Hillje 813-756-6145, or Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

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 Bubel. Acceptable attire is square dance clothes or dressy casual. Air-conditioned hall, wood floor, and lighted, paved off-street parking. For info: 813-938-1038.

Saturday (March 4) – Buttons & Bows of Venice– 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice – Caller: **Scotty Scharrer** – Cuer: **Karen Haiflich** – 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – no early rounds. For info: chrisziomek@yahoo.com.

Strawberry Square Plus Dance – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: **Kip Moulton** – Cuers: **Linda Moulton** – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Plus/Rounds 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. - wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: 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; Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

Indian Creek Estates – Indian Creek RV Resort, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – Caller: Dave Magee – Cuer: Dick Chase – Plus and Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Casual attire. For info: jack@revette.org.

Strawberry Square Phase 5 Figure Dance/Clinic – 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Cuer/Instructor: Jack and Nell Jenkins – 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. - \$6 per person per session - wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Jack and Nell Jenkins 828-508-3690.

Strawberry Square Phase 3 Dance w/Phase 4 Intro Teach – 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Cuer/Instructor: Jack and Nell Jenkins – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. - \$6

per person per session - wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Jack and Nell Jenkins 828-508-3690.

Palace Promenaders - 1627 NE Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Robert Arias – Cuers: Jenny Martin and Russ Collier – Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds. Parking is available behind the building. For info: Jennie 863-494-2749 or Mary 941-380-5336.

Sunday (March 5) – West Coast Membership Dance – Palace Square Dance Hall, 1627 N.E. Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Callers: Robert Arias and Sam Dunn. Early Rounds 1:30 – 2:00 p.m. – alternating Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Members: FREE; Guests: \$5 per person. For info: eddrexel@gmail.com. **PLEASE NOTE: There will be a business meeting at 12:30 p.m.**

Crystal Lake Squares Pie Night – Crystal Lake Village, 237 Maxwell Road (on Rt. 17 – 2 miles north of Wauchula) – Mainstream/Plus/Phase II Rounds 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Caller/Cuer: Mike Gormley. Square dance attire optional. For info: 765-499-1268.

Estero Square Dance/Workshop - Estero Recreation Center, 9200 Corkscrew Palms Blvd, Estero, FL – Caller/Instructor: Wes Morris - 2:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m., PLUS and "A" little more. Review PLUS moves and teach selected moves from Advance program. All singing calls included in the dance program for your dancing enjoyment. Register at the Rec Center or online www.leepparks.org. For info: [239-282-6322](tel:239-282-6322).

Monday (March 6) – Harmony Hoedowners Final Dance of the Season – Sebring Country Estate, 3240 Grand Prix Drive (just south of Walmart), Sebring – Caller: Sam Dunn – Mainstream/Plus 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For info: isla_coburn2002@yahoo.com.

Indian Creek Final Advance Dance of the Season - Indian Creek RV Resort, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – Caller: John Hughes – A2 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. – C1 9:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Casual attire. Cost of dancing this year is \$12/couple or \$6/person. (*Don't worry if you're a single. There'll be a place for you*). Your exact change will help the gatekeeper. For info: jack@revette.org.

King's Point Round Dance – King's Point Main Clubhouse, Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City – Cuer: Mike Cox – Phase III – IV – 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. For info: Mike Cox 813-6490-0754/mc8152@verizon.net or Nina 813-508-6462.

King's Point A-2 Dance – King's Point Main Clubhouse, Studio Room, 1902 Clubhouse Road, Sun City – Cuer: Mike Cox – Phase III – IV – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. For info: Mike Cox 813-6490-0754/mc8152@verizon.net or Nina 813-508-6462.

Horizon Village - 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.

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. Square dance attire preferred. Dancers please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway.

PLEASE NOTE: Door fees have been increased to \$6 for guests and \$5 for members. For info: 813-382-8621 or lindarobertsTempletwirlers@gmail.com.

Tuesday (March 7) – Woodmere Park A2 Dance – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice, FL – Caller: Red Bates – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

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@hotmail.com or 941-235-1611.

Horizons Round Dance Club - 9200 Littleton Road (south of Shell Factory) – Cuer: Russ Collier – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. For info: russcollier1@gmail.com.

Maple Leaf Squares – Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, Queensway Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – Plus 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee – Cuer: Ken Klumpp. Square dance attire preferred. For info: 941-627-4889 or loisD523@kingston.net; 941-235-2736; <http://www.mapleleafsquares.com/>.

Suncoast Squares – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th 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 or suncoastsquares@gmail.com or mutschlerdan@yahoo.com or 678-656-2523.

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.

Communicate this information to new dancers! It's not a secret!

February 27, 2017

Sunday - **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.

Thursday – **Craig's RV Basic 50 Club** – Craig's RV Park – 7895 N.E. Cubitis Avenue (5.3 miles north of Palace Promenaders' Dance Hall; west side of Hwy. 17), Arcadia – Caller/Instructor: Robert Arias – 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. For info: 813-601-1834.

September 22, 2016 – **Promenade Squares Beginners Square Dance Lessons** - Senior Center, 7625 - 59th St. N., Pinellas Park – 6:00 p.m. prior to the dance. Caller/Instructor: Bob Ormsbee. For info: dhua7@aol.com or 727-544-0227.

September 22, 2016 – **Temple Twirlers Beginners Square Dance Lessons** – Lake Shore Villa Clubhouse, 15401 Lakeshore Villa Boulevard, Tampa – 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Ron Reardon: For info: [813-382-8621](tel:813-382-8621) or lindarobertsTempletwirlers@gmail.com.

September 22, 2016 – **Strawberry Square Phase 2 – 3 Class** - 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Cuer/Instructor: Jack and Nell Jenkins – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. - \$6 per person per session. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Jack and Nell Jenkins 828-508-3690.

September 25, 2016 – **Strawberry Square Choreographed Ballroom (Round Dancing) Beginners Class in Rumba and Cha Cha** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuers/Instructors: Jack and Nell Jenkins – 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. - \$6 per person per session. For info: 828-508-3690 (cell – leave message if no answer) – BMI and ASCAP licensed.

October 22, 2016 - **Strawberry Square Phase 3 Dance w/Phase 4 Intro Teach** - 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Cuer/Instructor: Jack and Nell Jenkins – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. - \$6 per person per session. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Jack and Nell Jenkins 828-508-3690.

November 1, 2016 – April 25, 2017 – **Strawberry Square First A-2 Review Workshop of the Season** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Blvd., Plant City, FL – Caller: Stevens. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

November 2, 2016 – **Heron's Glen Beginners Class** - Herons Glen, 2250 Avenida Del Vera, North Fort Myers – 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Dave Magee. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 2, 2016 – **Heron's Glen Plus Class** - Herons Glen, 2250 Avenida Del Vera, North Fort Myers – 8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Dave Magee. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 5, 2016 – **Strawberry Square Phase 5 Figure Clinic/Dance** - 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Cuer/Instructor: Jack and Nell Jenkins – 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. - \$6 per person per session. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Jack and Nell Jenkins 828-508-3690.

November 7, 2016 – **Ft. Myers Social Dance Class** – N. Ft. Myers Recreation Center, 2000 N. Recreation Park Way, N. Ft. Myers – Instructor: Dick Chase – 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Casual attire. For info: 239-770-5257 or prentice0626@gmail.com.

November 9, 2016 – **Punta Gorda Phase II and III Round Dance Class** – South County Community Services, 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon – Cuer/Instructor: Dick Chase. Casual attire. For info: 239-770-5257 or prentice0626@gmail.com.

November 9, 2016 – **Punta Gorda Cha Review** – South County Community Services, 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda – 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. – Cuer/Instructor: Dick Chase. Casual attire. For info: 239-770-5257 or prentice0626@gmail.com.

November 10, 2016 – **Maple Leaf Squares A1 Class** - Maple Leaf Golf and Country Club, CANAM Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. – Caller/instructor: Dave Magee - \$5 per person per session. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 11, 2016 - **Maple Leaf Squares Mainstream Review** - Maple Leaf Golf and Country Club, CANAM Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. – Caller/instructor: Dave Magee - \$5 per person per session. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 11, 2016 - **Maple Leaf Squares Plus Workshop** - Maple Leaf Golf and Country Club, CANAM Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. – Caller/instructor: Dave Magee - \$4 per person per session. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 14, 2016 – **Punta Gorda Round Dance Class** – South County Community Services, 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda – Cuer/Instructor: Dick Chase – Phase III and IV – 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Casual attire. For info: 239-770-5257 or prentice0626@gmail.com.

December 4, 2016 – **Russ & Wilma's Round Dance Workshop** – South County Regional Park Carmalita Hall, 2610 Carmalita, Punta Gorda – Cuer/Instructor: Russ Collier – Phase 3 – 4 – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. For info: 941-661-1920 or russcollier1@gmail.com.

December 5, 2016 – March 21, 2017 – **Woodmere Park Mainstream Review/Plus Teach** – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Ft. Myers, FL – Caller: Red Bates – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. For info: 941-332-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

December 6, 2016 – April 11, 2017 – **Woodmere Park Plus Workshop** – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice, FL – Caller: Red Bates – 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

December 9, 2016 – **Woodmere Mainstream/Plus Review** – Woodmere Park, 3951 Woodmere Park Blvd. (off Jacaranda Blvd.) – Time TBA – Caller: Red Bates. For info: 941-828-0481 or Venice cell 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

December 11, 2016 – **Bradenton Pleasant Lake Basic 50 Class** – Pleasant Lake Carefree RV Resort, 6633 53rd Avenue East, Bradenton – Caller/Instructor: Robert Arias – 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. For info: 813-601-1834.

December 21, 2016 – **Palmetto Palms Workshop** - 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers, FL – 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. RSVP and confirm dance level: 989-372-0852.

January 2, 2017 – March 27, 2017 – **Strawberry Square Intro to A-1 Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart – 12:00 noon – 2:00 p.m. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Wayne Sorrells 770-490-1670, Dona Watson and Henry Hillje 813-756-6145 or Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

January 2, 2017 – March 27, 2017 – **Strawberry Square Intro to A-2 Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Wayne Sorrells 770-490-1670, Dona Watson and Henry Hillje 813-756-6145 or Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

January 3, 2017 – February 28, 2017– **Strawberry Square Line Dancing Classes** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Instructor: Cindy Bunn – 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. – beautiful wooden floor; please change to clean, non-marking shoes or boots to protect the finish. Cost: \$5 per person per session. No experience or partner needed. Cookies and coffee are provided. The hall is fragrance-, smoke-, and alcohol-free. You are welcome to bring your own non-alcoholic beverage, and may smoke outside – coffee and cookies provided. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

January 4, 2017 – **Punta Gorda Beginners Round Dance Class** – South County Community Services, 670 Cooper Street, Punta Gorda – 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. – Cuer/Instructor: Dick Chase. Casual attire. For info: 239-770-5257 or prentice0626@gmail.com.

January 4, 2017 – March 29, 2017 – **Crystal Lake Squares Extended Mainstream** - Crystal Lake Community, 237 Maxwell Drive, Wauchula – Caller/Instructor: Mike Gormley – 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. For info: ron.storms@gmail.com or [765-499-1268](tel:765-499-1268).

January 5, 2017 - **Maple Leaf Squares Plus DBD** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, CANAM Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. – Caller/Instructor: Dave Magee.

You must be proficient in Plus in order to participate. Email Dave (callerdave@hotmail.com) if you intend to attend. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

DATE CHANGE January 6, 2017 – **Maple Leaf Squares Beginners Class** - Maple Leaf Golf and Country Club, CANAM Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. – Caller/instructor: Dave Magee - \$4 per person per session. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

January 6, 2017 – April 26, 2017 – **Strawberry Square Fun Plus Dance/Workshop** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Caller: Marty Vanwart – 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

January 6, 2017 – **Indian Creek Advanced Choreographed Ball Room Lessons** - Indian Creek RV Resort, Room 11, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – Cuer/Instructor: Mike Alexander – 3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. For info: 508-965-7195.

January 6, 2017 – **Indian Creek Intermediate Choreographed Ball Room Lessons** - Indian Creek RV Resort, Room 11, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – Cuer/Instructor: Mike Alexander – 4:15 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. For info: 508-965-7195

January 6, 2017 – **Indian Creek Beginners Choreographed Ball Room Lessons** - Indian Creek RV Resort, Room 11, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – Cuer/Instructor: Mike Alexander – 5:15 p.m. – 6:15 p.m. For info: 508-965-7195.

January 7, 2017 – **Indian Creek Social Dance Class** - Indian Creek RV Resort, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – learn Round dance steps and rhythms and how to execute those moves without cues. The class will concentrate on Cha Cha and Rumba. Instructor: Dick Chase – 3:30 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. For info: For info: 239-770-5257 or prentice0626@gmail.com.

January 7, 2017 – March 25, 2017 – **Royal Coachman Resort Beginners Class** – Royal Coachman Resort Recreation Hall, 1070 Laurel Road, Nokomis, FL – Caller: Red Bates – 10:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. For info: 239-770-5257 or redbates@juno.com.

January 7, 2017 – March 25, 2017 – **Royal Coachman Resort Mainstream Class** – Royal Coachman Resort Recreation Hall, 1070 Laurel Road, Nokomis, FL – Caller: Red Bates – 12:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. For info: 239-770-5257 or redbates@juno.com.

January 7, 2017 – **Indian Creek RV Resort Social Dance Class** – Indian Creek RV Resort, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach - Cuer: Instructor: Dick Chase – 3:30 – 5:15 p.m. Casual attire. For info: 239-770-5257 or prentice0626@gmail.com.

January 8, 2017 – **Strawberry Square Jive Classes** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuer: Jack Jenkins – 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. – six-week

session. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

January 9, 2017 – March 28, 2017 – **Lake Placid Beginner's Class** – Camp Florida Resort, Shoreline Drive, Lake Placid – Caller/Instructor: Nelson Wakeman – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. There will be round dance tapes played after the class for anyone that wants to practice; there will be no teaching. For info: nelsonwakeman@gmail.com.

January 10, 2017 – **Suncoast Squares Plus Class** - King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – 9:00 – 10:00 p.m. Caller/Instructor: Mike Cox. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. For info: www.suncoastsquares.com or suncoastsquares@gmail.com or mutschlerdan@yahoo.com or 678-656-2523.

January 12, 2017 – **Citrus Park Snobirds Beginner Square Dance** – Citrus Park Clubhouse, 25501 Trost Boulevard, Estero – Caller/Instructor: Wes Morris or Mac McCall – FREE! - 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. For info: 239-498-8833 or 239-992-0207.

January 15, 2017 – March 26, 2017 - **Estero Square Dance/Workshop Season** - Estero Recreation Center, 9200 Corkscrew Palms Blvd, Estero, FL – Caller/Instructor: Wes Morris - 2:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m., PLUS and "A" little more. Review PLUS moves and teach selected moves from Advance program. All moves will be used in singing calls for your dancing enjoyment. Register at the Rec Center or online www.leepparks.org. For info: [239-282-6322](tel:239-282-6322).

January 16, 2017 – **Bradenton Beginners Square Dance Lessons** – Village on the Greens Clubhouse, 508 – 44th Avenue East, Bradenton – Caller/Instructor: Mike Cox - \$3 per person per session. For info and registration: votgsquaredance@outlook.com or 954-889-6971.

January 17, 2017 – **Suncoast Squares New Dancer Classes** - King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – 7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. For info: www.suncoastsquares.com or suncoastsquares@gmail.com or mutschlerdan@yahoo.com or 678-656-2523.

January 18, 2017 – **Odessa Rumba and Cha Beginners Lessons** – Silver Dollar RV Resort, 12515 Silver Dollar Drive, Odessa – Cuer/Instructor: Sandra Burke – 4:30 p.m. For info: petsan.burke495@gmail.com.

February 2, 2017 – April 6, 2017 - **Buttons and Bows of Lakeland Beginners Square Dance Class** – Florida Presbyterian Homes at Lake Hunter, 811 Lakeside Avenue, Lakeland – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart – 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. – first night is FREE then the cost is \$5 per person per session. For info: sqdnfan@gmail.com or 863-224-3393.

February 2, 2017 – April 6, 2017 - **Buttons and Bows of Lakeland Plus Class** – Florida Presbyterian Homes at Lake Hunter, McArthur Center, 811 Lakeside Avenue, Lakeland – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart – 8:00 – 9:00 p.m. – first night is FREE then the cost is \$5 per person per session. For info: sgdnfcfan@gmail.com or 863-224-3393.

July 20 – 23, 2017 – **Atlanta Callers School** – City of Light, 3125 Presidential Parkway, Atlanta, GA – Callers: Ken Ritucci (Massachusetts) (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach) and Tony Oxendine (South Carolina) (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach. Plenty of microphone time • understand what it takes to be a leader • Professional assessment of your skills • Develop a calling career that is best for you • Full CALLERLAB curriculum. Whether you are presently calling or desire to be a caller, this school will help you with your calling career. Only \$400 per student – Space is limited! Register today! For info: 413-262-1875 or kenritucci@aol.com or www.kenritucci.com.

August 10 – 13, 2017 – **2017 Norcal Callerlab School** – Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church, 728 W. Fremont Avenue., Sunnyvale, CA – Callers: Ken Ritucci (Massachusetts) (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach), Harlan Kerr (California), and Bill Harrison (Maryland). Plenty of microphone time • understand what it takes to be a leader • Professional assessment of your skills • Develop a calling career that is best for you • Full CALLERLAB curriculum. Whether you are presently calling or desire to be a caller, this school will help you with your calling career. Only \$400 per student – Space is limited! Register today! For info: 413-262-1875 or kenritucci@aol.com or www.kenritucci.com.

November 5 – 9, 2017 – **Appalachian Callers School** – Cacapon Resort State Park, 818 Cacapon Lodge Drive, Berkeley Springs, WV – Callers: Betsy Gotta (New Jersey - CALLERLAB Accredited Caller Coach), Tom Miller (Pennsylvania – CALLERLAB Accredited Caller Coach), Bill Harrison (Maryland – Caller Coach), and Keith Stevens (Florida – Caller Coach). Everything under one roof!!! School – lodging – restaurant. Full CALLERLAB Curriculum for new and experienced callers. Tuition: \$350 No charge for accompanying partner. Food and lodging not included. \$50 discount for previous attendees of the Appalachian or Pocono Callers Schools. Scholarships available at CALLERLAB.com. Lodging: \$67 +_ tax is the room rate in the Cacapon Lodge. Make reservations directly with the Lodge by calling 304-258-1022. Make sure to say you are with the Appalachian Callers School. Food: full restaurant onsite and many local restaurants. School limited to 20 students. Curriculum to include, but not limited to: Mechanics of Choreography, Methods of Choreographic Control, Music, Voice, Programming, Showmanship, Teaching, Timing, Ethics, Beginner Parties, Modules, Sight Resolution, Smooth Dancing, and Self Improvement Techniques. ‘If you can’t excel with talent, triumph with effort.’ – Dave Weinbaum. For info: 732-249-2086 or ugottadance@optonline.net.

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 for publication.

Looking Ahead

March 12, 2017 - **Suncoast Squares Monthly Dance** - King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Beginners class 7:30 p.m. – Plus workshop 9:00 p.m. – Caller/Cuer: Mike Cox. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. For info: www.suncoastsquares.com or suncoastsquares@gmail.com or mutschlerdan@yahoo.com or 678-656-2523.

PROGRAM CHANGE - March 12, 2017 - **Strawberry Square Retirement Party for Jack and Nell Jenkins** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, FL – Caller: Ron Reardon - Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – Early Rounds 1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. – 3 rounds between tips - \$6 donation and finger foods requested - wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513.

April 6 – 8, 2017 – **44th Anniversary Spring Fling** – Quality Inn – Creekside, 125 LeConte Creek Road, Gatlinburg, TN – Callers: Paul Marcum (Nashville, TN), Glenn Walters (Greer, SC), Stan Russel (Greer, SC), and Tony Simmons (Cross Hills, SC) – Cuers: Dean and Margie Kinion (Greenwood, SC) and Tom Bunn (Seneca, SC) – Lines: Cindy Bunn (Seneca, SC) and Sandy Simmons (Cross Hill, SC). Tickets \$30 each in advance (good for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. For tickets: mail stamped self-addressed envelope with check payable to “Spring Fling” to: Glen Walters, 214 Goldfinch Circle, Greer, SC 29650 or any of the staff callers. (limit 40 squares). Vendor: Jan’s Square Dance Shoppe, Lexington, KY.

May 10 – 12, 2017 – **Cherry Ridge C2** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Todd Fellegly - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

May 12 – 14, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C2** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Ken Ritucci - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00

p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

May 12 – 14, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge Rounds (Phase 3 & 4+)** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Cuer: Beverly MacKay - \$45. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

May 21 – 25, 2017 – **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – Plus Week** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine, Ted Lizotte, and Paul Cote. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191 or info@pridervresort.com or www.pridervresort.com.

June 2 – 3, 2017 - **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – Intro to Plus DBD Weekend** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Caller: Tony Oxendine. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191 or info@pridervresort.com or www.pridervresort.com.

June 2 – 4, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C1** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Bill Harrison - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

June 4 – 8, 2017 - **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – Plus Week with Rounds** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine, Jimmy Roberson; Cuers: Jim and Priscilla Adcock. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191 or info@pridervresort.com or www.pridervresort.com.

June 9 – 10, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C3A** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Ben Rubright - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star

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June 9 – 11, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge Rounds (Phase 5 & 6)** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Cuers: Roy and Janet Williams - \$45. Pre-weekend workshop: Friday morning and afternoon, 2 hour sessions \$10 per session. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

June 16 – 18, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge A2** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Callers: Bill Harrison and Tom Miller - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

July 7 – 9, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C1** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Don Moger - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

July 9 – 11, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C2** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Don Moger - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals

Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

July 16 – 20, 2017 - **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – Plus Week** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Ted Kennedy. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191 or info@pridervresort.com or www.pridervresort.com.

August 1 – 5, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C3A Focus** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Ben Rubright- \$125. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

August 6 – 7, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C3A** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Ken Ritucci - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

August 6 – 10, 2017 - **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – Plus Week** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Callers: Jerry Story and Johnny Preston. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191 or info@pridervresort.com or www.pridervresort.com.

August 8 – 9, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C3A** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Ben Rubright - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

August 10 – 11, 2016 - **Cherry Ridge C3A** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Todd Fellegly - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with

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August 11 – 13, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge A2** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Todd Fellego - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

August 11 – 13, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C3B** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Callers: Linda Kendall and Ett McAtee - \$45. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

August 13 – 17, 2017 - **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – Plus Week** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191 or info@pridervresort.com or www.pridervresort.com.

August 13 – 18, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C3B “Survival Camp 14”** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Ben Rubright - \$125. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

August 20 – 24, 2017 - **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – Plus DBD Week** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Callers: Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191 or info@pridervresort.com or www.pridervresort.com.

August 25 – 27, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C2** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Callers: Bill Harrison and John Marshall - \$45. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

August 25 – 27, 2017 – **Summer Magic** – NAV Centre, Montreal Road, Cornwall, Ontario – Callers: Michael Kellogg (California), Don Moger (Quebec City), Tony Oxendine (South Carolina), Charlie Robertson (California) – cuers: Steve and Irene Bradt (Pennsylvania) – Plus, A-1, A-2, C-1, and Rounds – all levels are full time – Special sessions include: Singing call hours, Introduction to DBD, high energy session, Plus, A-2, A-2, C-1 full time, and Round Dance Teach. Weekend includes warm-up dance Friday afternoon, lodging for 2 nights, all taxes and gratuities, 6 super dance sessions, 5 all you can eat meals, and coffee and tea morning and afternoon. For info: avena@videotron.ca or 514-744-6097.

September 1 – 4, 2017 (Labor Day) - **Cherry Ridge Plus/Advance with Rounds** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Callers: Betsy Gotta and Bill Harrison – Cuer: Roy Gotta - \$48. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

September 8 – 9, 2017 - **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – A2 with C1 Star Tips Weekend** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Caller: Jerry Story. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191 or info@pridervresort.com or www.pridervresort.com.

September 10 – 14, 2017 - **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – Plus Week** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Callers: Jerry Story, Bob Asp, and Curt Braffet. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191 or info@pridervresort.com or www.pridervresort.com.

September 14 – 17, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C1 & C2 (Cherry Ridge Festival)** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Callers: Barry Clasper, Ken Ritucci, and Todd Fellegly - \$50. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary

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September 15 – 17, 2017 – **Watkins Glen Square & Round Dance Weekend** – Clute Memorial Park Community Center, 155 Clute Park Drive, Watkins Glen, NY – Caller: Jack Pladdys (Indian Springs, OH) – cuers: Lisa and George Treichler (Hammondsport, NY). Plus level dancing. Full weekend dance package (includes: Ice cream and popcorn socials – potluck – wood dance floor – air-conditioned hall: \$32.50 single, \$65 per couple. Friday or Saturday night only: \$12 per person. All day/might Saturday: \$24 per person. – camping (full hook-ups) is available at Clute Park or hotels and B&B's are nearby. You are responsible for making your own camping, motel or B&B reservations. Full weekend c=dance package. For info: 585-330-9129 or irvinesuej@gmail.com. Updated info can also be found at www.SquareDanceFingerLakes.Info (click on the PYFS link). Make checks payable to Penn Yan Friendship Squares and mail to Gary & Sue Irvine, 4552 Kapur Circle, Canandaigua, NY 14424.

September 17 – 21, 2017 - **Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacations – Round Dance Week Phase III – IV.** – 4394 Jonathan Creek Road, Waynesville, NC – Cuers: The Blackfords. Details TBA. For info: 800-926-8191, info@pridervresort.com, or www.pridervresort.com.

September 24 – 27, 2017 – **23rd Annual Autumn Holiday of Rounds** – Fontana Village Resort, Fontana Village, North Carolina – Staff: Susie and Gert-Jan Rotscheld (The Netherlands and Georgia) and Kristine and Bruce Nelson (Arizona and Illinois). Round dance package includes: three Phase 3, 4, 5 evening dances; early Phase 5 – 6 request rounds; two Phase 5 workshops or clinic; two Phase 3 - 4 workshops or clinic; review session, and after parties. Dance attire requested for evening sessions. Potluck lunches (bring something to share) – bread, lunchmeat, cheese, tomatoes, lettuce, mayo, mustard, plates, etc. are provided by the organizers. Contact Fontana Village for lodge reservations at 1-800-849-2258 or <http://www.fontanavillage.com>. Dance registration \$95 per couple - \$47.50 per single. No charge for cancellations prior to the day of the event (refund or rollover). Mail checks (Made payable to Carol Cooke) and registration to Carol Cooke, 28 Riverview Court S.E., Cartersville, GA 30120 (tel: 678-708-6223).

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September 29 – October 1, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge Plus** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Callers: Ginny Reaske and Dane Bragg - \$45. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

September 29 – October 1, 2017 - **Cherry Ridge C3A (3B Star tips)** – 147 Camp Road, Honesdale, PA – Caller: Ben Rubright - \$40. Typical weekend dance schedule (hours may vary): Friday night – featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Saturday – dance workshop 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon; Dance workshop 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; featured dance 8:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. with *star tips afterwards; Sunday – featured danced 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. (*Star tip and Saturday workshop times may vary with caller’s discretion). Computer – generated square rotation – Cherry Ridge has two dance halls, both with wooden floors – “Country Kitchen” (open for meals Friday night – Sunday lunch) – rooms, cabins, RV & tent sites available. For info: 570-488-6654 or www.cherryridgecampsites.com.

October 13 – 14, 2017 – **Daytona Beach Ball** - The Ormond Senior Center, 351 Andrews Street, Ormond Beach, FL – Caller: Tony Oxendine – Cuers: Jimmy and Carol Griffin. Casual or traditional attire all weekend – dance on our wood dance floor – no partial packages. Friday: Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Squares and Rounds 7:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.; Saturday: Rounds 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Squares 10:30 a.m. – noon, 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., Rounds 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.; Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m., Squares/Rounds 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. After party 9:30 p.m. – 10:39 p.m. Dance package – Limited squares, Plus Level, No split sessions. Dance package price is \$80 per couple. For info: 386-6798-5020 or LadybirdDB@gmail.com.

January 4 – 6, 2018 – **Myrtle Beach Whale of a Dance** – Location TBA – Staff: Tony Oxendine, The Adcocks, Jerry Biggerstaff, and Jimmy Roberson – Dance info: Thursday Early Bird Special, Plus, Plus DBD, and Advanced Square Dancing, Phases 1 – VI Round Dancing. Dance-Eat-Sleep – all under one roof. 20+ hours of dancing scheduled. Package pricing per couple: Two nights \$305 (Friday and Saturday); three nights \$365 (Thursday, Friday, and Saturday) includes all tax – LODGING, and dance sessions. All rooms are ocean View. For oceanfront, please add \$20 per night. No partial packages and no dance package only. Deposit of \$100 if paid before November 1, 2017. Full payment if paid after November 1, 2017. For info: Heath Tinsley at 704-502-8097 or Heath@GSIInternational.org.

February 2 - 3, 2018 – **Space Coast Winter Fiesta** – Titusville Elks Lodge No. 2113, 2955 Columbia Boulevard, Titusville, FL – Callers: Jack Pladdys, John Saunders, and Tony Oxendine – cuers: Glenn and Rosalee Kelley (Kentucky). Plus and Advance, DBD announced, and Phase II – IV Rounds. Limited to 35 squares. This will be a sell-out!! Friday: 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Saturday: 10:00 a.m. – 12 noon, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., and 7:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Advance registration \$40 per person – at the door \$45 per person – no split sessions. US monetary value, tax included. Lodging not included. For info: 386*428-1496 or johnlin2631@gmail.com.

Links

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Websites

<http://floridasquaredance.com/>

https://www.facebook.com/#!/home.php?sk=group_149454955123658&andap=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://sccafl.com>. (Suncoast Callers and Cuers Association)
<http://www.flcallersassoc.org/> (Florida Callers Association)
<http://www.usda.org/> (United Square Dancers of America)
www.iagsdc.org (International Assn. of Gay Square Dance Clubs)
<http://www.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.66nsdc.com> 66th National Square Dance Convention – Spokane, WA
<http://www.nsdirectory.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 and Square Dance Shop, Mascotte, FL)
sewemupfashions.com (Sew 'em Up Fashions, Spartanburg, SC)
<http://www.jlvinyl.com/SQUARE---ROUND-DANCING.html> (vinyl decals)
www.travelinghoedowners.com (Square Dance DVDs – Both Instructional and Dance)
www.suzieqcreations.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.luvrounds.com/> (Charlie Lovelace)
<http://www.ronreardoncaller.com/> (Ron Reardon)
<http://www.rodbarngrover.com> (Rod Barngrover)
<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)

Miscellaneous

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

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