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February 18, 2017 - **West Coast Association Membership**

Dance - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Callers: Allen Snell and Bob Ormsbee – Cuers: Carl Rod – Early Rounds 1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. – alternating Mainstream, Plus and Rounds (Phase 2 – 4) 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – floating wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. Please help keep the dance floor clean and neat by not carrying food or beverages across the dance floor and wearing street shoes on the floor. Shoe covers are provided at the door. West Coast members FREE; guests \$5 per person. For info: lanceandritabaxter@yahoo.com.

February 22, 2018 – **2018 Florida Square & Round Dance**

Convention Trail-End Dance – Nova Community Center, 440 N. Nova Road, Ormond Beach, FL – Caller: TBA – Cuer: Susan Snider (Jacksonville) – 3:00 – 4:30 p.m. Round Dance Teach with Susan Snider, 4:30 – 6:00 p.m. Pizza Dinner, 6:00 – 6:30 p.m. Early Rounds, 6:30 – 9:00 p.m. Mainstream/Plus Squares and Rounds. For info: lewiswasserman@gmail.com or lindawasserman9@gmail.com.

February 22 – 23, 2018 – **64th Florida State Square and Round**

Dance Convention Blast Class – Daytona Ocean Center, 101 N. Atlantic Avenue, Daytona Beach, FL – Callers: Bob Ormsbee and Keith Stevens. This class is for new dancers or dancers already attending square dance classes. Anyone is welcome. \$35 for two days of fun! To register, call 321-453-3438 or visit www.floridasquaredance.com/convention.

February 23 – 24, 2018 – **64th Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention – The Magic of Dance will Enchant You** -

Daytona Ocean Center, 101 N. Atlantic Avenue, Daytona Beach, FL -Callers: members of the Florida Callers Association – Cuers: members of the Round Dance Council of Florida. Full convention 1/1/18 and later \$45. Weekender (Friday evening and all day Saturday) 1/1/18 and later \$35. Single day 1/1/18 and later \$25. For info: dennistaylor5426@att.net or 321-453-3438.

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Health and Sympathy

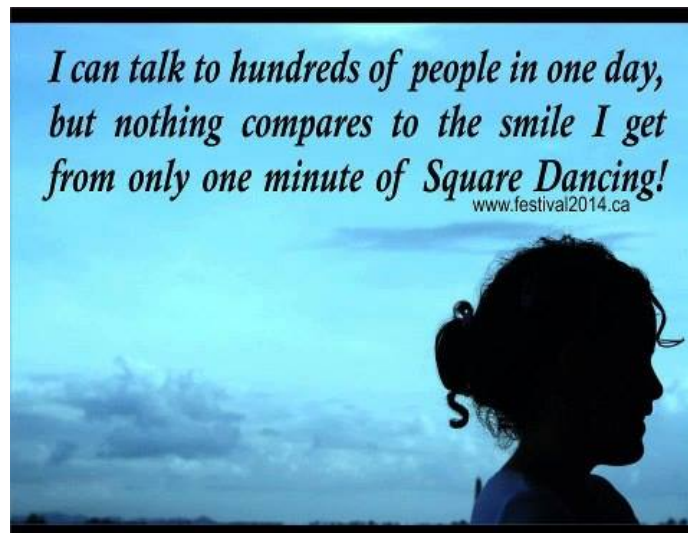
The entries listed below are for callers, cuers, West Coast Association officers and representatives and other Florida associations, Federation officers and any others well known to the Florida square and round dance community. Listings for others are at www.dancergram.com – Health and Sympathy. The WC Joys and Concerns will be sent, as needed, to everyone on the DANCERgram distribution list.

Anna Brown lost her father, Tom, three weeks ago from leukemia, ten days after he was diagnosed. She and her parents were in the middle of a move back to North Carolina. Tom was already there working, and Anna and her mother were packing up in Zolfo Springs.

Anna is the most recent recipient of the West Coast Association scholarship.

If you would like to send cards, their address is 145 SR 64 East, Zolfo Springs, FL 33890. We don't have their North Carolina address at this time.

Jack Lewis is slowly returning to calling. He has started up a few of his clubs and will see how he does before he opens the rest of them.



How do I get in touch with ...

This list can also be found at

www.dancergram.com

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Your Source...

Updated 1.1.18

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

- **2018 West Coast Association membership badges and bars**
- **Square Dancing – Friendship Set to Music. Ask me! Buttons**
- February 23-24, 2018 - **2018 Florida State Convention**
- November 9-10, 2018 – **West Coast Association Fall Fun Fest ribbons.**

Item	Colors/Sizes	Price
T-Shirts w/Convention Logo	Teal, Pink, Red, Royal Blue/S, M, L, XL, XXL	\$15 ea. or two for \$25
Mugs w/Convention Logo	N/A	\$3.50 ea. or four for \$12
Convention Buttons w/Convention Logo	N/A	\$1 ea. or four for \$3
Polo Shirts ¹	TBA	\$25 ea. or two for \$45
Passports ²	N/A	\$5 ea. for non-registered convention attendees
Registration Ribbons	N/A	Full Convention³: \$45 Weekender: \$35 Single Day: \$25
Raffle Tickets for a Starburst quilt made and donated by Jeff and Diane Hissong.	72" x 72"	\$2 ea. or four for \$5 Ticket drawn at the 2018 Florida Convention. YOU DO NOT HAVE TO ATTEND TO WIN!

¹ Samples received

² Each 2018 ribbon will come with a "Dance Passport." Bring it to every dance you attend, and have it dated and initialed each time. Bring it to the Convention, and we will award prizes for the most clubs visited, the most days danced, and a random drawing from all passports received. If you are unable to attend in 2018, you may get a passport for a \$5 donation. This will support the convention, and make you eligible for the prize drawing. We will also keep in touch with monthly email updates. If you do not attend the Convention, mail your passport to Dennis Taylor, Registration Chairman, 215 Carib Drive, Merritt Island, FL 32952.

³ Friday evening and all day Saturday

What's Happening This Week?

Week of February 12, 2018

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.

Although every effort is made to provide an accurate dance schedule, sometimes information on changes and/or cancellations is not received. If you don't attend a dance on a regular basis, you should call and confirm there will still be a dance.

Monday (February 12) – *Royal Squares* – Great Hall at Royal Highlands, 21505 Royal Saint George's Lane, Leesburg, Florida – Caller: Henry Ferree – Plus squares 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For info: 352-728-3658.

Indian Creek Advanced/C-1 Dance – Indian Creek RV Resort, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – Caller: John Hughes – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Casual attire. For info: jack@revette.org.

Horizon Square Dance Club – 9200 Littleton Road (south of Shell Factory) – Caller: Dave Magee; Cuer: Judy Barnhill – Plus/Rounds 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – casual attire. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

Temple Twirlers Valentine's 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: **Robert Arias**, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Dancers please use the entrance marked "Gage Hall" on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: bbkilk@verizon.net.

Tuesday (February 13) – *Buttons & Bows of Lakeland Valentine's Dance* – 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. There's also going to be a King Cake as this week is Mardi Gras. Who's going to get the piece with the baby in it? For info: sqdnxfan@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: Judy Barnhill – casual attire. For info: callerdave@comcast.net or 941-235-1611.

Horizon Round Dance Club – Horizon Village, 9300 Littleton Road, North Ft. Myers – Cuer: Judy Barnhill – all rounds – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. For info: Dwayne 606-302-1731, Judy 865-216-7808 or tn2001@yahoo.com.

Suncoast Squares – 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. Beginner classes are at 7:30 and we have some wonderful new dancers who are just starting out on their square dance journey. Come, support them, and enjoy getting to know them. In addition, workshop is afterwards at 9:00 p.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 (February 14) – Maple Leaf Squares Advance Dance - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, Queensway Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee. Square dance attire preferred - \$5 per person. For info: 941-235-1611 or callerdave@hotmail.com or <http://www.mapleleavesquares.com/>.

Grande Squares at Camp Inn - Camp Inn RV Resort, 10400 Highway 27, Frostproof – Caller: Ron Reardon - 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.

Palmetto Palms A2 – 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers, FL – Caller: Red Bates – C1 Dance 1:20 p.m. – 2:20 p.m. – A2 Dance 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 Plus - 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers, FL – Caller: Red Bates - Cuer: Mike Alexander – 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.

Palmetto Palms C-1 - 19681 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers, FL – Caller: Red Bates - 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.

Strawberry Square C-2 Dance – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Keith Stevens – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Nancy Hall at 813-752-1816 or Jack Gano at 813-659-2535.

Strawberry Square Club Valentine's Dance – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Ralph Peacock – Cuer: TBA – Workshop 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. Mainstream, Easy Plus, and one Round between each tip 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. Floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free – finger foods. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Bob and Barb Hancock at 419-

633-0610 or Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513. Banner Raids welcome at Wednesday night club dances only. Banner Chairman: Sharon Kowalski at 813-754-3109.

Strawberry Square C-1 Dance w/C-2 Tip – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Keith Stevens – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Nancy Hall at 813-752-1816 or Jack Gano at 13-659-2535.

Cultural Center Squares – Centennial Hall, 2280 Aaron Street, Rooms F and G, Port Charlotte, FL. Caller: Robert Arias - Cuer: Judy Barnhill – Workshop 5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. For info: Mary 941-380-5336.

Thursday (February 15) – Citrus Park Snobirds Valentine's Dance – Citrus Park, 25501 Trost Boulevard (Clubhouse), Bonita Springs – Caller: Ralph Peacock - Cuer: Mike Alexander – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Square dance attire preferred. Tell the gate attendant you are attending the square dance. For info: jta440@msn.com or 239-992-0207.

Pine Ridge Promenaders Cookie Night – Sunshine RV Resort, Rt. 70 (1,000 yards east of U.S. 27), Lake Placid – Caller: Mike Doughty – Cuer: Larry Chatos – alternating Mainstream and Plus 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. For info: 863-699-2789 - 570-703-3774 - bobnsue97@hotmail.com.

Strawberry Square Phase 3 Dance/Teach – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuer: Tom Bunn – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. - Floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965 or Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513.

Strawberry Square Phase 4 Dance/Teach – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuer: Tom Bunn – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. - Floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965 or Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513.

Charlotte Promenaders - Port Charlotte United Methodist Church, 21075 Quesada Avenue, Port Charlotte – Caller: Gary Bubel – Cuer: Alice Bubel – 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.

Shufflin' Squares – Lake Ashton Golf Club, 4141 Ashton Club Drive, Lake Wales, FL – Class 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. – Alternating Mainstream and Plus – Caller: Ed Foote – Cuer: Betsy Gotta - square dance attire optional. For info: lanceandrita@yahoo.com.

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 Mardi Gras Dance – 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 (February 16) – Flip the Flamingo XI “Dive Thru 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea” – Unitarian Universalist Church of St. Petersburg, Florida, 100 Lake Mirror Drive, North, St. Petersburg, FL – Callers: Bill Eyer (Palm Springs, CA), Chris Phillips (South Florida), and Mike Cox (Tampa Bay area of Florida). Until November 30 2017 \$115 per person for over 20 hours of dancing, three callers, and five meals. On December 1, 2017, the rate will increase to \$125. There is a \$25 per day rate (meals not included), \$15 per session rate (meals not included). New graduates of the Suncoast Squares Mainstream class may deduct \$25 from the registration fee. Levels: Mainstream – C2. Friday night is casual. If you can't come for any other part, please join us on Friday evening at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 100 Mirror Lake Drive, Saint Pete. Bring a dessert and your entrance is free. We welcome guest callers for the weekend and will enjoy dancing with old and new friends. Please see Jim Hydrick if you wish to volunteer to help. And please see Wayne Smith if you are providing a basket for the raffle., Saturday night dress for Dive Thru 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, Sunday is Sunday Undie Night (participation is optional), and Monday we will dance at the Pavilion on Ft. DeSoto beach. For info: www.suncoastsquares.com. The flyer is available at www.dancergram.com.

Strawberry Square Fun Plus - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Marty Vanwart – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - Floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. 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; Mary Lee Van Valkenburg – 813-707-1702; Barbara and Don Huff 813-752-2278.

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.

Maple Leaf Squares - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, Queensway Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – Plus 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee. Square dance attire preferred - \$5 per person. For info: 941-235-1611 or callerdave@hotmail.com or <http://www.mapleleafsquares.com/>.

Strawberry Square A-2 Workshop – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: **Curt Braffet - \$7 per person** – Workshop 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. Dance 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. Floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513 or Dona Watson and Henry Hillje at 518-527-0292.

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 Van Wart** – Cuer: Alice Bubel. Square dance attire preferred. Air-conditioned hall, wood floor, and lighted, paved off-street parking. For info: 813-938-1038.

Saturday (February 17) – Flip the Flamingo XI “Dive Thru 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea” – Unitarian Universalist Church of St. Petersburg, Florida, 100 Lake Mirror Drive, North, St. Petersburg, FL – Callers: Bill Eyer (Palm Springs, CA), Chris Phillips (South Florida), and Mike Cox (Tampa Bay area of Florida). Until November 30, 2017 \$115 per person for over 20 hours of dancing, three callers, and five meals. On December 1, 2017, the rate will increase to \$125. There is a \$25 per day rate (meals not included), \$15 per session rate (meals not included). New graduates of the Suncoast Squares Mainstream class may deduct \$25 from the registration fee. Levels: Mainstream – C2. Friday night is casual, Saturday night dress for Dive Thru 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, Sunday is Sunday Undie Night (participation is optional), and Monday we will dance at the Pavilion on Ft. DeSoto beach. For info: www.suncoastsquares.com. The flyer is available at www.dancergram.com.

Indian Creek Plus Dance - Indian Creek RV Resort, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – Caller: Ralph Peacock – Cues: Mike Alexander – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Plus and Rounds 7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Casual attire. For info: jack@revette.org.

Buttons & Bows of Venice - Woodmere Park, 3951 Woodmere Park Blvd. (1st light north of US 41, look for Woodmere Park sign) – Caller: **Scotty Scharrer** – Cues: **Karen Haiflich** – 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – finger foods. For info: 941-493-6035 or chrisziomek@yahoo.com.

Strawberry Square Phase 3/4 Dance/Teach – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cues: Tom Bunn – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965 or Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513

Strawberry Square Plus – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: **Curt Braffet - \$7 per person** – Cues: **Jimmy and Carol Griffin** – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Plus/Rounds 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. – Floating hardwood 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; Mary Lee Van Valkenburg – 813-707-1702; Barbara and Don Huff 813-752-2278.

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

Sunday (February 18) – West Coast Association Membership Dance - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Callers: Allen Snell and Bob Ormsbee – Cues: Carl Rod – Early Rounds 1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. – alternating Mainstream, Plus and Rounds (Phase 2 – 4) 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – floating wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. Please help keep the dance floor clean and neat by not carrying food or beverages across the dance floor and wearing street shoes on the floor. Shoe covers are provided at the door. West Coast members FREE; guests \$5 per person. For info: lanceandritabaxter@yahoo.com.

Crystal Lake Squares Patriotic Dance – Patriotic/Red, White & Blue is the theme and it's also 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/Cues: Mike Gormley. Square dance attire optional. For info: 765-499-1268 or ron.storms@gmail.com.

Flip the Flamingo XI "Dive Thru 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea" – Unitarian Universalist Church of St. Petersburg, Florida, 100 Lake Mirror Drive, North, St. Petersburg, FL – Callers: Bill Eyler (Palm Springs, CA), Chris Phillips (South Florida), and Mike Cox (Tampa Bay area of Florida). Until November 30, 2017 \$115 per person for over 20 hours of dancing, three callers, and five meals. On December 1, 2017, the rate will increase to \$125. There is a \$25 per day rate (meals not included), \$15 per session rate (meals not included). New graduates of the Suncoast Squares Mainstream class may deduct \$25 from the registration fee. Levels: Mainstream – C2. Friday night is casual, Saturday night dress for Dive Thru 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, Sunday is Sunday Undie Night (participation is optional), and Monday we will dance at the Pavilion on Ft. DeSoto beach. For info: www.suncoastsquares.com. The flyer is available at www.dancergram.com.



Please call ahead to ensure there will be a dance!

Monday (February 19) – Flip the Flamingo XI "Dive Thru 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea" – Unitarian Universalist Church of St. Petersburg, Florida, 100 Lake Mirror Drive, North, St. Petersburg, FL – Callers: Bill Eyler (Palm Springs, CA), Chris Phillips (South Florida), and Mike Cox (Tampa Bay area of Florida). Until November 30, 2017 \$115 per person for over 20 hours of dancing, three callers, and five meals. On December 1, 2017, the rate will increase to \$125. There is a \$25 per day rate (meals not included), \$15 per session rate (meals not included). New graduates of the Suncoast Squares Mainstream class may deduct \$25 from the registration fee. Levels: Mainstream – C2. Friday night is casual, Saturday night dress for Dive Thru 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, Sunday is Sunday Undie Night (participation is optional), and Monday we will dance at the Pavilion on Ft. DeSoto beach. For info: www.suncoastsquares.com. The flyer is available at www.dancergram.com.

Royal Squares - Great Hall at Royal Highlands, 21505 Royal Saint George's Lane, Leesburg, Florida – Caller: Henry Ferree – Plus squares 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For info: 352-728-3658.

Indian Creek Advanced/C-1 Dance – Indian Creek RV Resort, 17340 San Carlos Boulevard, Ft. Myers Beach – Caller: John Hughes – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Casual attire. For info: jack@revette.org.

Horizon Village - 9200 Littleton Road (south of Shell Factory) – Caller: Dave Magee - Cuer: Judy Barnhill – 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. Dancers please use the entrance marked "Gage Hall" on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: bbkilk@verizon.net.

Tuesday (February 20) – 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: Judy Barnhill – casual attire. For info: callerdave@comcast.net or 941-235-1611.

Horizon Round Dance Club – Horizon Village, 9300 Littleton Road, North Ft. Myers – Cuer: Judy Barnhill – all rounds. For info: Dwayne 606-302-1731, Judy 865-216-7808 or tn2001@yahoo.com.

Suncoast Squares – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Review session 6:30 – 7:15 p.m. – Mainstream 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. – Plus workshop and dancing 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!

The Class list is subdivided into types of dance – Squares, Rounds, Caller/Cuers, and Lines

February 12, 2018

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.

SQUARES

November 6, 2017 – March 26, 2018 – **Heron's Glen Beginners Class** - Herons Glen, 2250 Avenida Del Vera, North Fort Myers – 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. – \$4 per person - Caller/Instructor: Dave Magee. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 6, 2016 – March 26, 2018- **Heron's Glen Plus Class** - Herons Glen, 2250 Avenida Del Vera, North Fort Myers – 8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. – \$4 per person - Caller/Instructor: Dave Magee. For info: callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 6, 2017 – **Strawberry Square Beginners Square Dance Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart – 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. – floating wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. Angels needed; you do not have to be a member of Strawberry Square to help. 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 6, 2017 – **Strawberry Square Plus Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart – 8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. – floating wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. Angels needed; you do not have to be a member of Strawberry Square to help. 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 7, 2017 – March 27, 2018 - **Maple Leaf Squares Beginners Class** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, Queensway Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – Plus 7:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee. Square dance attire preferred - \$5 per person. For info: 941-235-1611 or callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 7, 2017 – **Royal Squares Beginner Lessons** - Great Hall at Royal Highlands, 21505 Royal Saint George's Lane, Leesburg, Florida – Caller/Instructor: Henry Ferree – 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome. If you do not have a partner, we will match you with a dance partner. For info: 352-728-3658.

November 7, 2017 - **Royal Squares Plus Lessons/Workshops** - Great Hall at Royal Highlands, 21505 Royal Saint George's Lane, Leesburg, Florida – Caller/Instructor: Henry Ferree – 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome. If you have friends that dance, invite them to come out and enjoy an afternoon of “fun and exercise”. For info: 352-728-3658.

November 7, 2017 – **Strawberry Square A-2 Review/Workshop** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Keith Stevens – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. – floating hardwood 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 or Dona Watson and Henry Hillje at 518-527-0292.

November 8, 2017 - **Maple Leaf Squares Plus Workshop** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, CanAm Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – Plus 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Caller: Dave Magee - \$5 per person. For info: 941-235-1611 or callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 9, 2017 - **Maple Leaf Squares Mainstream Workshop** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, Queensway Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. – Caller: Dave Magee - \$5 per person. For info: 941-235-1611 or callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 9, 2017 - **Maple Leaf Squares DBD Plus Workshop** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, CanAm Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. – Caller: Dave Magee - \$5 per person. For info: 941-235-1611 or callerdave@hotmail.com.

November 10, 2017 – March 30, 2018 - **Maple Leaf Squares A-1 Workshop** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, **Queensway** Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – Plus 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

– Caller: Dave Magee - \$5 per person. First dance of the season is a Rusty Hinge. For info: 941-235-1611 or callerdave@hotmail.com.

December 5, 2017 - **Woodmere Park First Plus Workshop of the Season** – 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 8, 2017 - **Woodmere Park First Plus DBD for Advanced Workshop of the Season** – 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.

January 3, 2018 – March 28, 2018 – **Crystal Lake Plus Lessons and/or Workshop**, Crystal Lake Community, 237 Maxwell Drive, Wauchula – Caller/Instructor: Mike Gormley – 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. - \$4 per person per session. For info: ron.storms@gmail.com or 765-499-1268.

January 6, 2018 – March 31, 2018 - **Royal Coachman Mainstream Class** – Royal Coachman RV Park Recreational Center, 1070 Laurel, Nokomis – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates – noon – 2:00 p.m. For info: 941-223-0987 or redbates@juno.com.

January 8, 2018 - **Strawberry Square Intro to A-1 Class** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Marty Vanwart – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. – floating hardwood 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 or Dona Watson and Henry Hillje at 518-527-0292.

January 8, 2018 - **Strawberry Square Intro to A-2 Class** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Marty Vanwart – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – floating hardwood 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 or Dona Watson and Henry Hillje at 518-527-0292.

January 8, 2018 - **Bradenton Beginners Square Dance Lessons Start** – Village on the Greens Clubhouse, 508 – 44th Avenue East, Bradenton – Caller/Instructor: Mike Cox - \$3 per person per session 12:00 noon 2:00 p.m. For info and registration: votgsquaredance@outlook.com or 954-889-6971.

January 11, 2018 - **Citrus Park Snobirds Beginners Square Dance Class** – Citrus Park, 25501 Trost Boulevard (Clubhouse), Bonita Springs – Caller: Ralph Peacock - Cuer: Mike Alexander – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. FREE class! Square dance attire preferred. For info: jta440@msn.com or 239-992-0207.

January 11, 2018 – March 29, 2018 – **Strawberry Square Intro to C-1** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Marty Vanwart – 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. – floating wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info:

www.squaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you are unable to reach the Dance Center, please call Nancy Hall 813-752-1816 or Jack Gano 813-659-2535.

January 14, 2018 – **Pleasant Lake Carefree RV Resort Basic 50 Workshop** – Pleasant Lake Carefree RV Resort, 6635 53rd Avenue East, Bradenton, Florida – Caller/Instructor: Robert Arias – 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. For info: 813-601-1834.

February 1, 2018 – May 10, 2015 - **Buttons & Bows of Lakeland Beginners Class** – Presbyterian Homes on Lake Hunter, McArthur Center, 811 Lakeside Avenue, Lakeland – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart – 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. For info: sqdnxfan@gmail.com or 863-224-3393.

February 1, 2018 – May 10, 2018 - **Buttons & Bows of Lakeland Plus Class** – Presbyterian Homes on Lake Hunter, McArthur Center, 811 Lakeside Avenue, Lakeland – Caller/Instructor: Marty Vanwart – 8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. For info: sqdnxfan@gmail.com or 863-224-3393.

February 5, 2018 – **Harmony Hoedowners Beginners Square Dance Lessons** – First United Methodist Church, 200 S. Lake Avenue, Avon Park – Caller/Instructor: Sam Dunn – 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. - \$6 per couple per session. Directions: From route 27, turn east onto Main Street (SR) 64 - Turn right onto South Lake Avenue - Church is 2 blocks ahead on right. For info: 863-214-1923.

February 7, 2018 – **Crystal Lake Squares Plus Lessons and/or Workshop** – Crystal Lake Village, 237 Maxwell Drive, Wachula – Caller/Instructor: Mike Gormley – 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. - \$4 per person per session. For info: 419-376-0557 – mike@mike-gormley.com.

February 7, 2018 – **Crystal Lake Squares Phase II Two Step Round Dance Lessons** – Crystal Lake Village, 237 Maxwell Drive, Wachula – Caller/Instructor: Mike Gormley – 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. - \$4 per person per session. For info: 419-376-0557 – mike@mike-gormley.com.

February 8, 2018 – Craig's RV Park Club 50 Beginners Lessons – Craig's RV Park, 7895 Cubitis Avenue, Arcadia – Caller/Instructor: Robert Arias – 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. For info: March 30, 2018 - **Woodmere Park Final Plus DBD for Advanced Workshop of the Season** – 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.

February 13, 2018 – May 1, 2018 – **Temple Twirlers Beginner Square Dance Class** - Life Enrichment Center, 9704 N. Boulevard, Tampa – Caller/Instructor: Ron Reardon – 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. To register, call 813-932-0241 or online at info@lectampa.org. For info: rsrhun@aol.com.

April 10, 2018 - **Woodmere Park Final Plus Workshop of the Season** – 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.

June 20 – 23, 2018 – **Academy For Advanced & Challenge Enthusiasts** – Grand Wayne Convention Center, 120 W. Jefferson Boulevard, Fort Wayne, Indiana – Caller: Vic Ceder. For info: 805-686-1108 or www.ceder.net/aace.

ROUNDS

November 2, 2017 – March 29, 2018 – **Strawberry Square Phase 4 Dance/Teach** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuers/Instructors: Tom and Cindy Bunn (864-723-6965) – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. – floating wood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965 or Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513. Check the dance center calendar (www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) for scheduling changes.

November 2, 2017 – March 29, 2018 - **Strawberry Square Phase 3 Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuers/Instructors: Tom and Cindy Bunn (864-723-6965) – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. - \$6 per person per session. – floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. Check the dance center calendar (www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) for scheduling changes.

November 4, 2017 – March 31, 2018 - **Strawberry Square Phase 5 Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuers/Instructors: Tom and Cindy Bunn (864-723-6965) – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon - \$6 per person per session. – floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cindy Bunn 864-723-6965 or Cherylene Sorrells 770-825-6513. Check the dance center calendar (www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) for scheduling changes.

November 4, 2017 – March 31, 2018 - **Strawberry Square Phase 3/4 Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuers/Instructors: Tom and Cindy Bunn (864-723-6965) – 2:30 – 4:30 p.m. - \$6 per person per session. – floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.squaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. Check the dance center calendar (www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) for scheduling changes.

November 5, 2017 – March 25, 2018 - **Strawberry Square Phase 3/4 Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuers/Instructors: Tom and Cindy Bunn (864-723-6965) – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. - \$6 per person per session. – floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. Check the dance center calendar (www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) for scheduling changes.

November 7, 2017 – March 27, 2018 - **Maple Leaf Squares Beginner Rounds** - Maple Leaf Golf & Country Club, Queensway Hall, 2100 Kings Highway, Port Charlotte – Plus 6:30 p.m. – 7:15 p.m. – Cuer: Ken Klumpp. Square dance attire preferred - FREE. For info: 941-235-1611 or callerdave@hotmail.com.

January 3, 2018 – **Citrus Park Advanced Round Dance Class** – Citrus Park, 25601 Trost Boulevard (Clubhouse), Bonita Springs – Cuer/Instructor: Mike Alexander – 1:00 p.m. For info: jta440@msn.com or 239-992-0207.

January 3, 2018 – March 28, 2018 – **Crystal Lake Phase II Two Step Round Dance Lessons**, Crystal Lake Community, 237 Maxwell Drive, Wauchula – Caller/Instructor: Mike Gormley – 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - \$4 per person per session. For info: ron.storms@gmail.com or 765-499-1268.

January 3, 2018 – **Citrus Park Intermediate Round Dance Class** – Citrus Park, 25601 Trost Boulevard (Clubhouse), Bonita Springs – Cuer/Instructor: Mike Alexander – 2:00 p.m. For info: jta440@msn.com or 239-992-0207.

January 3, 2018 – **Citrus Park Beginners Round Dance Class** – Citrus Park, 25601 Trost Boulevard (Clubhouse), Bonita Springs – Cuer/Instructor: Mike Alexander – 3:00 p.m. For info: jta440@msn.com or 239-992-0207.

January 8, 2018 – February 12, 2018 - **Stardust Choreographed Ballroom 1 (Intro to Rounds)** – Stardust Dance Center, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL – Cuers/Instructors: Pamela and Jeff Johnson – 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. – \$75 per couple (five lessons) (preferred) or \$37.50 per single (five lessons). 4,500 square feet of floating hardwood floor - hearing enhancement - fragrance free - stereo recording stations available (music on the left and cues on the right channel). For info: 218-256-1873 or rapidballroom@gmail.com. We prefer dancers pay for the entire session. However, you may also pay per class - \$15 per couple or \$7.50 per person.

January 9, 2018 – February 13, 2018 – **Stardust Choreographed Ballroom 2 (Phase III and Intro. To IV)** – Stardust Dance Center, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL – Cuers/Instructors: Pamela and Jeff Johnson – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. - \$75 per couple (five lessons) (preferred) or \$37.50 per single (five lessons). 4,500 square feet of floating hardwood floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free – stereo recording stations available (music on the left and cues on the right channel). For info: 218-256-1873 or rapidballroom@gmail.com. We prefer dancers pay for the entire session. However, you may also pay per class - \$15 per couple or \$7.50 per person.

January 9, 2018 – February 13, 2018 - **Stardust Choreographed Ballroom 3 (Phase IV)** – Stardust Dance Center, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL – Cuers/Instructors: Pamela and Jeff Johnson – 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. – \$75 per couple (five lessons) (preferred) or \$37.50 per single (five lessons). 4,500 square feet of floating hardwood floor - hearing enhancement - fragrance free - stereo recording stations available (music on the left and cues on the right channel). For info: 218-256-1873 or rapidballroom@gmail.com. We prefer dancers pay for the entire session. However, you may also pay per class - \$15 per couple or \$7.50 per person.

January 26, 2018 – April 6, 2018 - **Strawberry Square Beginner Waltz Lessons** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuers/Instructors: Tom and Cindy Bunn (864-723-6965) – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - \$6 per person per session. – floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. Check the dance center calendar (www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) for scheduling changes.

February 17 – 20, 2018 – **Winter “Dance Boot Camp”** featuring how to dance part two – Stardust Dance Center, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL – Cuer: Curt Worlock – Program: eight seminars/clinics on various topics (NO new dance routines taught), four nights of dancing:

15 minutes Open Dancing (Music only), 15 minutes Recap w/Practice Dancing, 1 ½ hours Phase IV – VI Party Dancing. Schedule: Daytime sessions (10:00 – 10:25 a.m. stretch with Tammy; 10:30 – 12:00 noon and 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.) – casual attire (be comfortable in your dance shoes). Evening programs: 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. (dress up or tastefully casual). We want you if you want to improve. Topics covered • figures that go wrong • stillness in your frame • moving together • side leading • turning to banjo. • better footwork • overdoing/less is more • where is your CBMP? Floating hardwood floor - hearing enhancement - fragrance free - stereo recording stations available (music on the left and cues on the right channel). Strictly limited to 50 couples (only serious recruits need apply. Enlistment Fee \$260. For info: 813-431-3235. For info: 813-431-3235 or cworlock@tampabay.rr.com.

February 26, 2018 – March 26, 2018 - **Stardust Choreographed Ballroom 1 (Beginners)** - Stardust Dance Center, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL – Cuers/Instructors: Pamela and Jeff Johnson – **During this class dancers will learn figures and dances in the popular rhythms Waltz, Rumba, Cha Cha, and Two Step.** Dancers will not switch partners. Dance with the one you came with all night! - 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. – \$75 per couple (five lessons) (preferred) or \$37.50 per single (five lessons). 4,500 square feet of floating hardwood floor - hearing enhancement - fragrance free - stereo recording stations available (music on the left and cues on the right channel). For info: 218-256-1873 or rapidballroom@gmail.com. We prefer dancers pay for the entire session. However you may also pay per class - \$15 per couple or \$7.50 per person.

February 27, 2018 – March 27, 2018 - **Stardust Choreographed Ballroom 2 (Phase III Intro to IV)** – Stardust Dance Center, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL – Cuers/Instructors: Pamela and Jeff Johnson – **This class takes off where BR 1 ended and further develops familiar styles of dance and introduces Fox Trot, Bolero, Jive, Tango and Slow Two Step. The last ½ hour of class will include dancing with BR 3 students. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** – \$75 per couple (five lessons) (preferred) or \$37.50 per single (five lessons). 4,500 square feet of floating hardwood floor - hearing enhancement - fragrance free - stereo recording stations available (music on the left and cues on the right channel). For info: 218-256-1873 or rapidballroom@gmail.com. We prefer dancers pay for the entire session. However you may also pay per class - \$15 per couple or \$7.50 per person.

February 27, 2018 – March 27, 2018 - **Stardust Choreographed Ballroom 3 (Phase IV)** – Stardust Dance Center, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL – Cuers/Instructors: Pamela and Jeff Johnson – **Dancers you are ready! This class is designed especially for you. It will take you into a higher level of dance as you learn more figures, dances and rhythms. The first ½ hour of this class will include dancing with BR 2 students. 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.** – \$75 per couple (five lessons) (preferred) or \$37.50 per single (five lessons). 4,500 square feet of floating hardwood floor - hearing enhancement - fragrance free - stereo recording stations available (music on the left and cues on the right channel). For info: 218-256-1873 or rapidballroom@gmail.com. We prefer dancers pay for the entire session. However you may also pay per class - \$15 per couple or \$7.50 per person.

May 20 – 24, 2018 – **Fontana Village Resort 103rd Accent on Rounds** – Fontana Village Resort, Fontana Dam, North Carolina – Cuers/Instructors: Host Staff: John and Peg Kincaid, College Park, Maryland and Bill and Carol Goss (Mesa, AZ), Randy and Marie Preskitt (Everett, WA), and Curt and Tammy Worlock, Plant City, FL – Phases 3 – 6 – teachers in each phase, clinics, hearing

enhancement available – spacious central air-conditioned hall with floating hardwood floor. Check in Recreation Hall Sunday 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. Dancing begins Sunday 8:00 p.m. Round dance attire required at evening sessions (daytime and Sunday evening optional). Dancers are responsible for their housing arrangements. For info: 301-935-5227 or AccentOnRounds@aol.com.

September 9 – 13, 2018 - **Fontana Village Resort 104th Accent on Rounds** – Fontana Village Resort, Fontana Dam, North Carolina – Cuers/Instructors: Host Staff: John and Peg Kincaid, College Park, Maryland and Mark and Pam Prow, Seabrook, Texas and Curt and Tammy Worlock, Plant City, FL – Phases 3 – 6 – teachers in each phase, clinics, hearing enhancement available – spacious central air-conditioned hall with floating hardwood floor. Check in Recreation Hall Sunday 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. Dancing begins Sunday 8:00 p.m. Round dance attire required at evening sessions (daytime and Sunday evening optional). Dancers are responsible for their housing arrangements. For info: 301-935-5227 or AccentOnRounds@aol.com.

September 14 – 16, 2018 – **Fall Weekend of Rounds – Focus on Bolero** – Grand Square Hall, 1105 Bob Little Road, Panama City, FL 32404 – presented by the Round Dance Council of Florida - Clinicians: Kristine and Bruce Nelson. Friday: 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Dance, Phase 3-4 w/Rounds cued by members of RDCF. Saturday: 9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. warm up rounds, 9:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Clinic, 11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Lunch, 12:30 p.m. – 12:45 p.m. warm-up rounds, 12:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Clinic, 3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. RDCF meeting, 7:00 p.m. 0- 9:00 p.m. 3/4 dance cued by Kristine Nelson. Sunday: 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Clinic. Hotel: Comfort Suites, 264 N. Tyndall Parkway, Callaway, Florida. Camping for Military only: FamCamp@Tyndell.AFB. Cost: \$75 per couple. Mail registration to Terri Wilaby, 3344 Wasatch Range Loop, Pensacola, FL 32526. For info: Susan Snider at 904-908-5184.

CALLERS/CUERS

May 27 – 30, 2018 – **Rocky Mountain Gold Callers School** – Wheat Ridge, Colorado – Callers: Bear Miller (Colorado – Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach), Ken Ritucci (Massachusetts – Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach) – assisted by Bob Riggs (Colorado). Whether you are presently calling or desire to be a caller, this school will help you with your calling careers. • 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. For an application and more information, contact Bear Miller at 303-919-1395 or email beardenver@comcast.net. Only \$400 per student – space is limited! Register today!!

July 15 – 19, 2018 – **Canadian Callers College** – London, Ontario. For info: www.canadiancallerscollege.com.

July 26 – 29, 2018 – **The Teaching Institute** - Olivette Community Center, 9723 Grandview Drive, Olivette, MO - Ken Ritucci, Bill Harrison, Harlan Kerr. Program times: Starts Thursday, July 26 at 7:00 pm. School ends at conclusion of Student Dance Sunday night. Program levels: Beginner, Intermediate/Experienced. Cost: \$400.00 per student. No charge for spouse/partner. Key Benefits: • Develop and Expand your Calling Skills • Increase ability to effectively teach square dance classes for all programs • Effective Class and Lesson Design •

Teaching for Success--what it takes to have a great class-including the six elements of great teaching • Understanding and using teaching strategies for varying learning styles • Helpful strategies for struggling students • Self evaluation and evaluation of student progress • Keeping Classes fun and interesting • Ensuring student success and transfer of knowledge to the dance floor. Lodging: hotels are located a few miles from the hall. A listing of those facilities will be mailed for your convenience. Food: Several local restaurants are available with good food and reasonable prices. Additional information to be mailed before the start of school recommending dress and essentials, including directions to the hall. A questionnaire will be sent to better understand your goals prior to the school. Taping Sessions for your personal use IS allowed; the ability to review can benefit you year round!

August 11 – 15, 2018 (prior to the 2018 USAWest Convention) – **ARTS Caller School** – Circus Circus and Silver Legacy Hotels, Reno, Nevada – Staff: Betsy Gotta, Doug Davis, Scot Byars – all CALLERLAB Accredited Caller Coaches. Lots of mic time • Individual one-on-one sessions • syllabus, manuals & CDs included • Complete CALLERLAB Curriculum and much more • Sight Resolution • Party Dances • Voice Production • Showmanship • Promotion Concepts • Choreographic Concepts • Formation Management • Rhythm & Timing • Presentation Techniques • Smooth Dancing & Body Flow • Modular, Zero & Equipment Application • Ethics & Business Management • Basic Mental Imagery • Effective Teaching Techniques • Leadership Development • Equipment & Sound Concepts • - Self Improvement Techniques • Singing Call & Music Selection • and more. No charge for partners – Tuition \$300. For info: Scot Byars – 916-320-7207 or scotbyars@outlook.com.

October 4 – 8, 2018 – **Northeast Callers School** – Host Hotel and Hayloft Barn, Sturbridge, Massachusetts – Callers/Instructors: Ken Ritucci (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach), Ed Foote (Pennsylvania - Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach), Todd Fellegly (Connecticut), Ben Rubright (Florida), and Lisa Lincoln (New Mexico – Vocal Coach). 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 per student – space is limited! Register today! For an application and more information, contact Ken Ritucci at 413-262-1875 or write KenRitucci@gmail.com – www.NortheastCallerSchool.com.

LINE DANCING

November 14, 2017 – March 27, 2018 - **Strawberry Square Line Dance Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Cuers/Instructors: Tom and Cindy Bunn (864-723-6965) – 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. - \$5 per person per session. – floating hardwood dance floor – hearing enhancement – fragrance free. For info: www.strawberrysquaredancing.com or 813-752-0491. Check the dance center calendar (www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) for scheduling changes.

CLOGGING

January 8, 2018 – **Intermediate Clogging Classes** – SFSC Gym, Lake Placid Campus, Lake Placid. Registration with the college is required. Fees are approximately \$5 per class with a minimum class enrollment of five students - 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. For info: Colleen - 863-465-1700.

January 10, 2018 - **Beginner Clogging Classes** – SFSC Gym, Lake Placid Campus, Lake Placid. Registration with the college is required. Fees are approximately \$5 per class with a minimum class enrollment of five students – time TBA. For info: Colleen - 863-465-1700.

Demos/One Nighters

February 28, 2017 – **Pioneer Days Parade** – Old High School on West Main Street in Wauchula – The parade will kick off at 4:00 p.m. The parade is to publicize the “Pioneer Days” festival in Zolfo Springs March 1 – 3, 2018. Square dance attire is recommended but not absolutely required; come join us! If you have not already done so, let me know you are coming prior to February 28th. And, wear walking shoes; this, for us, is a walking parade (no float). For info: ron.storms@gmail.com or 765-499-1268.

March 2, 2018 – **Zolfo Springs Pioneer Days Festival** – Zolfo Springs Festival Grounds – Caller: Mike Gormley – 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. This is free for square dancers (no admission or parking fees). Square dance attire is recommended but not absolutely required. Smiles are required as we dance on a wood floor in the pavilion on the east side of the festival grounds. In order to arrange for your free pass, contact Ron Storms by Thursday, February 22nd, at ron.storms@gmail.com or 765-499-1268.

March 24, 2018 – **Sea Breeze Mobile Home Estates Party Dance** – Sea Breeze Mobile Home Estates, 3901 71st Street W., Bradenton, Florida – Caller/Instructor: Mike Gormley – public welcome – Square, Line, Mixers, Trios, circles, Grand March, Contra – 7:00 p. – 10:00 p.m. For info: Mike Gormley at 419-376-0557 or mike@mike-gormley.com.

Looking Ahead

February 18, 2018 – **Happy Promenaders** – **NEW LOCATION** Riverwoods Plantation Hall, 4700 W. Roadway, Estero – Caller: Dave Muller – Cues: Mike Alexander – Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. For info: 239-530-0675 (H) or 989-430-2749 (C). NOTE: The regular hall in East Naples, the Hitching Post Rec Center, suffered extensive damage during Hurricane Irma and is closed for the season.

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Links

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Websites

<http://floridasquaredance.com/>

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

Publications

www.flwestcoastdancer.com (West Coast Dancer)
<http://newsquaremusic.com/sioindex.html> (Sets in Order)

Associations/Organizations

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

Vendors

<http://virginiawesternwear.com/> (Virginia's Western Wear and Square Dance Shop, Mascotte, FL)
sewemupfashions.com or tom1nancy@wmconnect.com (Sew 'em Up Fashions, Roebuck, 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.rodbarngrover.com> (Rod Barngrover)
<http://www.samdunn.net/> (Sam Dunn)
<http://www.mike-gormley.com> (Mike Gormley)
<http://www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin/> (Jimmy and Carol Griffin)
<http://www.luvrounds.com/> (Charlie Lovelace)
<http://www.ronreardoncaller.com/> (Ron Reardon)
www.keithstevens.com (Keith Stevens)
<http://curtandtammy.com/> (Curt and Tammy Worlock)

Miscellaneous

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

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