



# DANCERgram

Square and Round dance news for the west coast of Florida  
 AND  
 the official Newsletter of the West Coast Square & Round Dancers Association  
 (formerly the West Coast Dancer)

Vol. 15, Issue 33

December 2019

**This entire newsletter is also posted at [www.dancergram.com](http://www.dancergram.com)**

<i>INDEX</i>	
2	<b>Important Dates</b>
2	<b>Demonstrations</b>
3	<b>Joys, Concerns, &amp; Sympathy</b>
5	<b>West Coast Association</b>
5	• President's Message
7	• Club News
8	• WC Classifieds
9	• WC Key Contacts
10	• West Coast Dances & Clubs
12	• Your Source...
12	• This Month
12	• Calendar
19	• Classes
19	o Squares
22	o Rounds
27	o Callers/Cuers
28	<b>SCCA Membership List</b>

29	<b>DANCERgram</b>
29	▪ Federation President's Message
31	▪ 66 <sup>th</sup> Florida State Convention
35	▪ All Things Considered
33	▪ Federation Classifieds
36	▪ Looking Ahead
36	▪ Links

Visit the  
Past, Present, and Future  
of Square Dancing in Florida  
at

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



## *Important Dates*

December 1, 2019 – **USDA News Submission for the First Quarter 2020**  
– [usdanews@usda.org](mailto:usdanews@usda.org). For info: 865-687-6664.

December 1, 2019 – **Central Association's *Keepin' Posted* Submission Deadline for the First Quarter** – [apicheco@att.net](mailto:apicheco@att.net). For info: 321-652-0680.

December 5, 2019 – **Bow & Swing Submission for the January 2020 Issue** – [bowandswing@gmail.com](mailto:bowandswing@gmail.com). For info: 407-886-7151.

December 5, 2019 – **American Square Dance Submission for the January 2020 Issue** – [americansquaredance@gmail.com](mailto:americansquaredance@gmail.com). For info: 888-588-2362.

**December 8, 2019 - West Coast Association Membership Dance "Jingle Bell Ball"** – Palace Dance Hall, 1627 N.E. Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Sam Dunn – Cues: Chuck Ryall – 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. Wear your festive holiday attire. Square dance attire admired but not required. West Coast members FREE; guests \$6 per person. If you're not a West Coast Member, please see your County Rep or John Scott, WC Treasurer (Contact information above under "How do I Contact..."). For info: [sgdnxfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdnxfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3383.

December 15, 2019 – **Northwest Association's *Panhandle Press* Submission Deadline for the First Quarter 2020** – [panhandlepress@hotmail.com](mailto:panhandlepress@hotmail.com). For info: 850-712-5230.

## December 25, 2019 – Northeast Association's *The Grapevine* Submission Deadline for the January 2020 Issue –

[squaredancejax@gmail.com](mailto:squaredancejax@gmail.com). For info: Jim Maroldo at [jcmaroldo@gmail.com](mailto:jcmaroldo@gmail.com) or 904-215-7922  
Laura Martin at [whitedog67@netzero.net](mailto:whitedog67@netzero.net) or 941-928-8994.

### **DATE CHANGE:** January 5, 2020 – **Deadline to Submit Nominations for the Extra Mile Award.**

This award is to recognize those callers and cuers that go that Extra Mile without personal gain in giving freely of their time and talents to the square dance community. A nomination form is located at <http://floridasquaredance.com/documents/ExtraMileAwards/Extra%20Mile%20Nomination%20Form.pdf>. Send your completed nomination(s) to the current Federation president, Cheryl Miller, at [pe.miller@outlook.com](mailto:pe.miller@outlook.com).

Effective with the January 2020 issues of *Bow & Swing* and *American Square Dance*, **SusanElaine Packer will become the editor** of both publications. SusanElaine is a caller and member of the Florida Callers Association and also is the co-owner of SuzieQ Creations. At this time, everything will remain the same. If any changes are made, they will be communicated out to everyone.

## *Demonstrations*

**December 2, 2019 – Fun Night at Sanlan RV Resort** – 1929 U.S. Hwy 98 South, Lakeland – 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. – Caller: TBA. There used to be a club at Sanlan, and one of our camping groups used to schedule a weekend there once a year but the previous management. The club ended up folding, and the new management group wants to get square dancing back at Sanlan. For info: Stu Hall – 863-838-4278

**December 14, 2019 – Pinellas Park Christmas Parade** – parade starts at 6:00 p.m. Complete information will be forwarded after a meeting, i.e. what time to meet, where to meet. For info: Jan Friend at [friendib@verizon.net](mailto:friendib@verizon.net) or 727-544-4704.

## *Joys, Concerns, and Sympathies*

The entries listed below are for anyone affiliated with Florida square and round dancing i.e. callers (current, retired, former), cuers (current, retired, former), dancers (current, retired, former), West Coast Association (current and past officers), Florida Federation (current and past officers), and United Square Dancers of America. If time-sensitive information is received between issues, an email, entitled "WC Joys, Concerns, and Sympathy" will be sent to the same distribution list as the DANCERgram.

The names of the deceased from this list will be forwarded to the Florida State Convention Program Book Chairman for inclusion on the Memoriam page in the program booklet for each Florida convention.



Caller Ellis Lindsey recently spent the night at the hospital with a suspected heart attack. He was kept overnight for additional testing, and heart attack and stroke were ruled out. He was discharged with no diagnosis.

If you would like to send a card, his address is 1069 SW Shiloh Street, Ft. White, FL 32038.

Ellis calls for the Citrus Squares in Dunnellon and calls for the Florida State Convention.

*just Dance...*



## *West Coast Association President's Message*

It's hard to believe we are almost at the end of 2019 already! Here it is, the first of December. Are you ready for Christmas? I'm not. I haven't even started!

There are several classes in session now, and more will be starting in January. What are you doing to recruit new dancers? Everyone needs to work on this. It's not the responsibility of the officers or the class coordinator. Don't just tell them about it; offer to pick them up and go to the class with them.

Our Fall Fun Fest in November was a success! We made over \$1,500 profit. What can we do to make it better next year? If you have any ideas, I'd like to discuss them with you. The 2020 Fall Fun Fest will be November 13<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> and will again be at the Carver Recreation Center in Bartow. The staff includes Ted Kennedy (Alabama), Jack Lewis (southeast Florida), and Earle and Carol Collins (Cuers). If every couple that was at the 2019 Festival brought a new couple to the 2020 event, we would double the attendance.

We're almost to the wire for the 2020 Florida State Convention in Daytona Beach, February 21<sup>st</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>. The price of ribbons increases January 1<sup>st</sup>, so if you want to save some money, better purchase your ribbons now. There are several fundraising items and Gold Sponsor buttons available. You'll want to have one of these. This button gets you into the Trail End Dance for FREE. Gold Star members will be listed in the convention program book. Convention representatives are trying to attend all the big dances as well as the local dances to bring these items to you. In the West Coast Association area, Jenny Green and I can help you with your orders.

## DANCERgram

Don't forget to make your hotel reservations too. The Homewood Suites is the host hotel, and you'll want to take advantage of the square dance rate, so don't delay!

Have you renewed your membership in the West Coast Association? The 2020 membership bars are available, and you can either join or renew with any of the county reps and most of the officers. The initial membership fee is \$12 per person; this includes your engraved name badge. Renewals are \$6 per person.

The purpose of the West Coast Association is to (1) promote the expansion of square and round dancing in our area by informing the general public of the healthful recreational opportunities in square and round dancing, (2) promote an active fellowship among dancers through demonstrations, open dances, publicity, training programs, etc., (3) encourage the formation of more square and round dance lessons and clubs, and (4) bring about a spirit of cooperation among the callers, cuers, and dancers in our area and those in other associations in Florida.

**Why should you be a member of the Association?** Recruiting and expansion of our favorite activity take a lot of people to make an impact. Having an organization that ties all the dancers, clubs, and lessons together improve communications and provide an exchange of information. Your dues support our association, so we can (1) hire callers and cuers for our seven FREE membership dances, (2) reimburse clubs, callers, and cuers sponsoring new dancer classes for up to \$150 in advertising expenses, and (3) provide a voice from our area to the Florida Federation. We play a big part in the planning of the annual Florida state convention. Our national organization, United Square Dancers of America (USDA), has the bargaining power to negotiate a square dance insurance policy for all of us. This policy gives us secondary health insurance and liability insurance for the club. The USDA also provides a large number of informational pamphlets for our use, a discount prescription card for all of the dancers, and is currently assisting us with obtaining a 501(c)3 ranking, which will eventually flow down to the individual clubs.

**Why not join today and help us grow and maintain our favorite activity on the west coast of Florida?**

## *Club News*

*(All clubs, dances, callers, and cuers are invited to submit an article each month)*

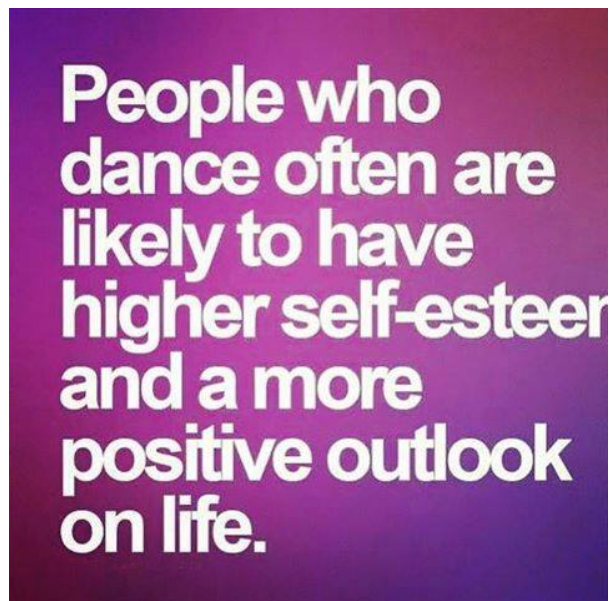
**Lakeland, Buttons & Bows** – We held our annual meeting in October, and our new officers are Presidents – Stu and Natalie Hall, Vice Presidents – Jim and Sue Pier, Secretaries - Trucy and Steve Rogers, and Treasurers – Jim and Margie Meier.

We'll be celebrating our 68<sup>th</sup> anniversary on January 28<sup>th</sup>. Our club caller, Dave Muller, will be calling, and Charlie Lovelace will be cueing.

We will be re-starting our class on Wednesday, January 28<sup>th</sup>, with Dave Muller calling and teaching. We tried to start a class in November, had good attendance the first night, but no one showed up for the second class. Perhaps we will have better attendance when everything is back to normal after the holidays.

Join us on the second and fourth Tuesdays at the Magnolia Building, 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland. We have a beautiful wood floor for dancing, hearing enhancement, and excellent callers and the best cuer in the area, Charlie Lovelace. Our club caller is Dave Muller, and we have guest callers on the other nights.

For questions or additional information, please contact [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.





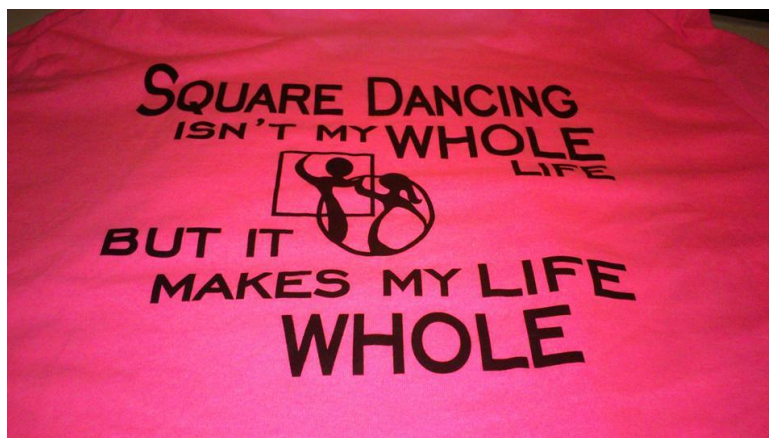
## *West Coast Association Classifieds*

**Wanted – West Coast Association Photographer.** Responsibilities: attend each of the membership dances and any other special dances the Association may sponsor for the purpose of taking pictures. This position can be filled by a single, couple, or two or three friends. Contact: Penny Green – [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.

**Wanted – West Coast Association Historian.** Responsibilities: maintain the historical records of the West Coast Association through documents, photos, etc. This position can be filled by a single, couple, or two or three friends. Contact: Penny Green – [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.

**Wanted – West Coast Association County Rep for Sarasota/Manatee County.** Responsibilities: represent the West Coast Association in your area, promote dancing and classes for your area, sell West Coast Association memberships and renewals, distribute flyers, sell ribbons for the Fall Fun Fest, may also sell ribbons in your area for the state convention, be the liaison for your area. You will also be the contact person for anyone seeking dance information for your area. This position can be filled by a single, couple, or two or three friends. If you already attend all the dances in your county, you would be a good candidate for this position. Contact: Penny Green – [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.

**Wanted – West Coast Association County Rep for Pinellas County.** Responsibilities: represent the West Coast Association in your area, promote dancing and classes for your area, sell West Coast Association memberships and renewals, distribute flyers, sell ribbons for the Fall Fun Fest, may also sell ribbons in your area for the state convention, be the liaison for your area. You will also be the contact person for anyone seeking dance information for your area. This position can be filled by a single, couple, or two or three friends. If you already attend all the dances in your county, you would be a good candidate for this position. Contact: Penny Green – [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.





This list is also found at [www.dancergram.com](http://www.dancergram.com)

## West Coast Association Key Contacts

December 2019

West Coast Association			
Officers			
President	Penny Green	863-224-3393 (C) ■	<a href="mailto:sqdnxfan@gmail.com">sqdnxfan@gmail.com</a>
Vice President	Jenny Green	863-287-5724 (C) ■	<a href="mailto:jgreen102286@gmail.com">jgreen102286@gmail.com</a>
Treasurers	John & Lynne Scott	863-644-9644	<a href="mailto:Ttocsjl1@gmail.com">Ttocsjl1@gmail.com</a> (J) <a href="mailto:ennylattocs@gmail.com">ennylattocs@gmail.com</a> (L)
Secretary	Deborah Pergande	863-293-2403	<a href="mailto:dypergande@aol.com">dypergande@aol.com</a>
County Reps			
Citrus	Bob & Nancy Hagaman	352-382-2631	<a href="mailto:Rhagaman@tampabay.rr.com">Rhagaman@tampabay.rr.com</a>
Collier	Walt & Jan Drummond	239-642-8612	<a href="mailto:playwalt@comcast.net">playwalt@comcast.net</a>
DeSoto/Hardee/Charlotte	Mary Dow	863-494-6062 (C) ■	<a href="mailto:mdow@embarqmail.com">mdow@embarqmail.com</a>
Highlands	Jim & Diane Lucey	315-524-8032	<a href="mailto:Dlucey60@gmail.com">Dlucey60@gmail.com</a>
Hillsborough	Cliff Reiss	813-390-1984 (C) ■	<a href="mailto:Car47wing@yahoo.com">Car47wing@yahoo.com</a>
Pasco	Ron & Sue Reardon	813-788-7857	<a href="mailto:rsrhun@aol.com">rsrhun@aol.com</a>
Pasco	Marty & Marion Vanwart	813-788-2004 (H)	<a href="mailto:mvanwart@bighthouse.com">mvanwart@bighthouse.com</a>
Pinellas	VACANT		
Sarasota/Manatee	VACANT		
West Coast Delegates & Committee Chairpersons			
Historian	VACANT		
Fla. Federation Delegates	Ed Drexel, Jenny Green, Don & Ann Slocum, Terry Wetherby		
Fla. Federation Alt.	Jenny Green, Al & Dunnelle Burchsted		
Fla. Permanent Delegates (past pres.)	Penny Green Mary Lee Van Valkenburg		
West Coast <i>Dancer</i>	Merged with <i>DANCERgram</i> February 2019		
Insurance	Bob & Nancy Hagaman	352-382-2631	<a href="mailto:Rhagaman@tampabay.rr.com">Rhagaman@tampabay.rr.com</a>
Sunshine	Flo Ormsbee	813-810-5548	<a href="mailto:Yellowrose7045@gmail.com">Yellowrose7045@gmail.com</a>
DANCERgram			
Editor	Penny Green	863-224-3393 (C) ■	<a href="mailto:sqdnxfan@gmail.com">sqdnxfan@gmail.com</a>
Webmaster	Cliff Reiss	813-390-1984 (C) ■	<a href="mailto:dgramwebmaster@yahoo.com">dgramwebmaster@yahoo.com</a>
Other State Organizations and Florida Website			
Fla. Federation President	Cheryl Miller	850-533-7168	<a href="mailto:Pe.miller@outlook.com">Pe.miller@outlook.com</a>
Fla. Callers President	Bob Ormsbee	321-258-2471	<a href="mailto:rormsbee@tampabay.rr.com">rormsbee@tampabay.rr.com</a>
Rnd Dance Council Pres.	Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick	352-288-4973	<a href="mailto:dancewithlloydandruth@centurylink.com">dancewithlloydandruth@centurylink.com</a>
Fla. Campers President	Angela Brown/Tim Hill	352-408-5721	<a href="mailto:Hlangel17@gmail.com">Hlangel17@gmail.com</a>
Florida Webmaster	Bruce Morgan	407-339-3121	<a href="mailto:brucemorgan@embarqmail.com">brucemorgan@embarqmail.com</a>
Florida Email Tree	Penny Green	863-224-3393	<a href="mailto:sqdnxfan@gmail.com">sqdnxfan@gmail.com</a>

Live Lively -



Square Dance!

*Dances in the  
West Coast Association Area of Florida*

Charlotte, Citrus, Collier, DeSoto, Glades, Hardee, Hernando, Highlands,  
Hillsborough, Lee, Manatee, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, and Sarasota  
December 2019

Citrus County		
<b>County Representatives:</b> Bob and Nancy Hagaman – <a href="mailto:rhagaman@tampabay.rr.com">rhagaman@tampabay.rr.com</a> – 352-382-2631		
Dunnellon	<b>Citrus Squares</b> (Wkly – Thur.) (MS, Plus)	Rick DuCharme – 352-419-2504 - <a href="mailto:rickducharme@ymail.com">rickducharme@ymail.com</a>
Inverness	<b>Hitch 'n' Go #082 Sq. Dance Campers</b> (as scheduled) (Plus, Rounds)	John and Karen Lowe 352-634-2186 (C) - <a href="mailto:thelowes@tampabay.rr.com">thelowes@tampabay.rr.com</a>
Charlotte County		
<b>County Representatives:</b> Mary Dow – <a href="mailto:mdow@embarqmail.com">mdow@embarqmail.com</a> – 941-380-5336 ■		
Pt. Charlotte	<b>Charlotte Promenaders</b> (Wkly Jan – Apr – Th) (P, R)	S. J. Hoppe - <a href="mailto:sjhoppe@fluse.net">sjhoppe@fluse.net</a>
Pt. Charlotte	<b>Cultural Center</b> (Wkly year-round (MS, P, R)	Mary Dow - 941-380-5336 - ■ <a href="mailto:mdow@embarqmail.com">mdow@embarqmail.com</a>
Pt. Charlotte	<b>Maple Leaf Squares</b> (Wkly Nov – Mar - Wed) (P)	*Dave Magee - 941-235-1611 - <a href="mailto:callerdave@hotmail.com">callerdave@hotmail.com</a>
Pt. Charlotte	<b>Stuart Bunch</b> (as scheduled) (Full C3B)	Jeff Barlow - <a href="mailto:jb@auk.com">jb@auk.com</a> - <a href="http://www.stuart.droppages.com">www.stuart.droppages.com</a>
Punta Gorda	<b>R&amp;R Gators</b> (Wkly Nov – Mar - Tues) (P, Rnds)	*Dave Magee - 941-235-1611 - <a href="mailto:callerdave@hotmail.com">callerdave@hotmail.com</a>
Collier County		
<b>County Representatives:</b> Walt and Jan Drummond – <a href="mailto:playwalt@comcast.net">playwalt@comcast.net</a> - 239-642-8612		
Naples	<b>Happy Promenaders</b> (Mnthly-Nov-Mar-Sun) (M,P,R)	Marjorie Tobey - 989-430-2749 (C) – <a href="mailto:marjorietobey@yahoo.com">marjorietobey@yahoo.com</a>
DeSoto County		
<b>County Representatives:</b> Mary Dow – <a href="mailto:mdow@embarqmail.com">mdow@embarqmail.com</a> – 941-380-5336 ■		
Arcadia	<b>Palace Promenaders</b> (Wkly - Sat) (MS, P, Rnds)	Mary Dow - 941-380-5336 ■ - <a href="mailto:mdow@embarqmail.com">mdow@embarqmail.com</a>
Hardee County		
<b>County Representatives:</b> Mary Dow – <a href="mailto:mdow@embarqmail.com">mdow@embarqmail.com</a> – 941-380-5336		
Wauchula	<b>Crystal Lake Squares</b> (twice a month - Sunday) (Mainstream, Plus, Rounds)	Ron Storms - 765-499-1268 - <a href="mailto:ron.storms@gmail.com">ron.storms@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://www.mike-gormley.com/square_dance/Crystal">www.mike-gormley.com/square_dance/Crystal</a>
Highlands County		
<b>County Representatives:</b> Jim and Diane Lucey – <a href="mailto:dialucey@aol.com">dialucey@aol.com</a> – 315-524-8032		
Lake Placid	<b>Pine Ridge Promenaders</b> (Wkly Jan – Mar - Thurs) (Mainstream, Plus, Rounds occasionally)	Bob & Sue Broderick 828-290-2147 – <a href="mailto:bobsue16@hotmail.com">bobsue16@hotmail.com</a>
Avon Park	<b>123 Squares</b> (Twice a mo. Thurs) (alt. MS, P)	*Sam Dunn - 863-214-1923 ■ - <a href="mailto:samdunn@samdunn.net">samdunn@samdunn.net</a>
Sebring	<b>Tropical Twirlers</b> (Basic 2) (Every Sat Nov – Mar)	*Mike Gormley – 419-376-0557 – <a href="mailto:WA8VEC@arrl.net">WA8VEC@arrl.net</a>
Sebring	<b>Buttonwood Bay Squares</b> (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Fri) (M, P, R)	R. Avery - 585-576-3534 - <a href="mailto:rdavery@juno.com">rdavery@juno.com</a>
Hillsborough County		
<b>County Representative:</b> Cliff Reiss – <a href="mailto:car47wing@yahoo.com">car47wing@yahoo.com</a> – 813-390-1984		
Plant City	<b>Strawberry Square Dance Ctr.</b> (Wkly – almost daily) (MS - C-2, Rnds Ph 2 - 5) *ltd dancing in the summer	Cherylene Sorrells - 770-825-6513 ■ <a href="mailto:sorrellscherylene@gmail.com">sorrellscherylene@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com">www.strawberrysquaredancing.com</a>
Tampa	<b>Temple Twirlers</b> (Wkly - Mon) (Mainstream, Plus, Rounds)	Bennie & Joyce Kirkland - 813-363-2848 - <a href="mailto:BBKJLK@verizon.net">BBKJLK@verizon.net</a> <a href="http://www.templetwirlers.com">www.templetwirlers.com</a>
Plant City	<b>Strawberry Travelers #153 Square Dance Campers</b> (as scheduled)	Bill and Carolyn Dees – 813-833-0154 – <a href="mailto:billdees3@msn.com">billdees3@msn.com</a> – <a href="mailto:Carolyn_dees@msn.com">Carolyn_dees@msn.com</a> - <a href="http://www.floridasquaredance.com/strawberrytravelers">www.floridasquaredance.com/strawberrytravelers</a>
Plant City	<b>Stardust</b> (Ph 2 – 6, Ballroom) - (as scheduled)	*Curt Worlock - 813-431-3235 - <a href="mailto:cworlock@tampabay.rr.com">cworlock@tampabay.rr.com</a> <a href="http://www.curtandtammy.com">www.curtandtammy.com</a>

# DANCERgram

Lee County		
<b>County Representative:</b> (Vacant)		
Bonita Springs	<b>Citrus Park Snowbirds</b> (Wkly Jan – Mar – Thurs) (Mainstream, Plus, Rounds)	*Mike Alexander 239-992-0207 - <a href="mailto:Jta440@msn.com">Jta440@msn.com</a>
Ft. Myers	<b>C-Gulls</b> (as scheduled) (Moderate C4)	Pat Herrington - <a href="mailto:ppharr@gmail.com">ppharr@gmail.com</a> - <a href="http://cgulls.droppages.com/">http://cgulls.droppages.com/</a>
Ft. Myers	<b>Palmetto Palms</b> (Wkly - Wed) (Plus, A2, C1)	Jack & Pam Revette - 989 372-0852 - <a href="mailto:revettejp@gmail.com">revettejp@gmail.com</a>
N. Ft. Myers	<b>Horizon Village</b> (Wkly Nov-Mar -Mon) (P, Rnds)	*Dave Magee-941-235-1611 - <a href="mailto:callerdave@hotmail.com">callerdave@hotmail.com</a>
Pasco County		
<b>County Representatives:</b> Ron and Sue Reardon – <a href="mailto:RSRHUN@aol.com">RSRHUN@aol.com</a> – 813-788-7857 OR Marty & Marian Vanwart - <a href="mailto:mvanwart@brighthouse.com">mvanwart@brighthouse.com</a> - 813-788-2004		
Pt. Richey	<b>The Huggables</b> (Wkly) (MS, P, Rounds)	*Allen Snell - 727-809-0323 - <a href="mailto:settarose1@gmail.com">settarose1@gmail.com</a>
Wesley Chapel	<b>Trinity Squares</b> (Wkly)(Mainstream)	*Ron Reardon -813-788-7857 – <a href="mailto:RSRHUN@aol.com">RSRHUN@aol.com</a>
Pinellas County		
<b>County Representatives:</b> <b>VACANT</b>		
St. Petersburg	<b>Clearview Squares</b> (Wkly - Fri) (MS/Easy Plus)	*Ted Hughes - 727-641-1025 ■
Dunedin	<b>Hale Sr. Center</b> (Wkly) (MS, P, Rounds)	*Allen Snell - 727-809-0323 - <a href="mailto:settarose1@gmail.com">settarose1@gmail.com</a>
Largo	<b>Snell's Bo's &amp; Bell's</b> (Wkly) (MS, P, Rounds)	*Allen Snell - 727-809-0323 - <a href="mailto:settarose1@gmail.com">settarose1@gmail.com</a>
Pinellas Park	<b>Promenade Squares</b> (Wkly - Thurs) (Mainstream, Plus, Rounds)	Jan Friend - 727-544-4704 - <a href="mailto:friendib@verizon.net">friendib@verizon.net</a> <a href="http://www.floridasquaredance.com/promenadesquares">www.floridasquaredance.com/promenadesquares</a> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/PromenadeSquares/">https://www.facebook.com/PromenadeSquares/</a>
St. Petersburg	<b>Suncoast Squares</b> (Wkly) (Tues: MS, Plus, Rnds Thurs.: Advance, Challenge)	Dan Mutschler - 678-656-2523 - <a href="mailto:mutschlerdan@yahoo.com">mutschlerdan@yahoo.com</a> <a href="http://www.suncoastsquares.com">www.suncoastsquares.com</a> - <a href="mailto:suncoastsquares@gmail.com">suncoastsquares@gmail.com</a>
St. Petersburg	<b>Sunshine State #018 Square Dance Campers</b> (as scheduled)	*Ted Hughes - 727-641-1025 ■ <a href="http://www.floridasquaredance.com/fansdc">www.floridasquaredance.com/fansdc</a>
St. Petersburg	<b>J&amp;C Spin-a-rounds</b> (Wkly - Wed) (Phase 3 – 5)	*Jimmy & Carol Griffin-727-525-7809 ■ - <a href="mailto:spinards@tampabay.rr.com">spinards@tampabay.rr.com</a>
Polk County		
<b>County Representatives:</b> Don and Ann Slocum – <a href="mailto:anndonslocum@juno.com">anndonslocum@juno.com</a> – 863-533-6665		
Lake Wales	<b>Shufflin' Squares</b> (Wkly) (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thurs.: Plus, Advance; 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> Thurs.: Mainstream/Plus)	Rita & Lance Baxter - 863-326-1741 - <a href="mailto:lanceandrita@yahoo.com">lanceandrita@yahoo.com</a> <a href="http://www.shufflinsquares.com">www.shufflinsquares.com</a>
Lakeland	<b>Buttons &amp; Bows of Lakeland</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Tues) (Mainstream, Plus, Rounds) (no dancing Jun – Aug.)	Stu & Natalie Hall – 863-838-4278 – <a href="mailto:stuarthall@yahoo.com">stuarthall@yahoo.com</a> - <a href="http://www.floridasquaredance.com/buttonsandbows">www.floridasquaredance.com/buttonsandbows</a>
Frostproof	<b>Camp Inn</b> (Wkly - Wed) (Mainstream, Plus)	Larry Corder - 740-502-3371 - <a href="mailto:larrycorder50@gmail.com">larrycorder50@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://www.samdunn.net">www.samdunn.net</a>
Sarasota County		
<b>County Representative:</b> VACANT		
Venice	<b>Jacaranda Trace</b> (Wkly - Thurs) (A2)	Bob Ives - 941-875-3668 - <a href="mailto:rives2007@gmail.com">rives2007@gmail.com</a>
Venice	<b>Woodmere Park</b> (Wkly -Nov. – April - Fri) (A2, C1)	*Red Bates - 941-828-0481 or 941-223-0987 - <a href="mailto:redbates@juno.com">redbates@juno.com</a>
<b>For additional information:</b> <a href="http://www.floridasquaredance.com">www.floridasquaredance.com</a> <a href="http://floridasquaredance.com/westcoast/">floridasquaredance.com/westcoast/</a>		<b>For updates:</b> <a href="mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com">sgdncfan@gmail.com</a> 863-224-3393 ■ <a href="http://www.dancergram.com">www.dancergram.com</a>

Go to <http://www.dancergram.com/CurrentPDF/Classes.pdf> for class info

Schedules are subject to change.

Dances and classes are usually closed for Federal holidays.

\* Caller or Cuer run dance

■ Texting accepted

MS = Mainstream

P = Plus

R or Rnds = Rounds

## *Your Source...*

December 2019

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

- Square Dancing – Friendship Set to Music. Ask me! Buttons
- 66th (2020) Florida State Convention Ribbons
- 66th (2020) Florida State Convention Gold Sponsor Buttons
- 66th (2020) Florida State Convention Ribbons (full weekend, weekender [Friday night and Saturday] and single day)
- 46<sup>th</sup> (2020) West Coast Association Fall Fun Fest Ribbons

## *What's Happening This Month?*

December 2019

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 a lack of updates.

NOTE: Yellow highlighting is a change from last week's issue.  
This info is as accurate as possible (at the time of writing).

**The next two pages are the calendar for the entire month of October. If you need more detail about a dance, i.e., address, times, etc. scroll to the first page after the calendar. These changes have been made due to change to a monthly publication.**



December 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Temple Twirlers – Reardon/Lovelace	Woodmere Park A-2 – Bates Suncoast Squares – Cox/Cox	SS Mainstream/EasyPlus – Reardon Cultural Center – Arias/Barnhill	Trinity Squares - Reardon Promenade Squares Birthday/Anniversary – Hughes/Griffin Suncoast Squares – Cox/Cox Shufflin’ Squares – M/P – Muller Citrus Squares – Lindsey	Woodmere Park C-1 – Bates Strawberry Travelers Chapter #139 – Silver Dollar RV Resort SS A-2 Workshop & Dance - Dunn	Strawberry Travelers Chapter #139 – Silver Dollar RV Resort SS Plus Dance – Vanwart/Griffins Palace Promenaders Open Mic – Callers/Cuers SS Social Dancing – NO DANCE Tropical Twirlers - Gormley
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
WC Dance – Dunn/Ryall SS Christmas Round Dance – Bunn Strawberry Travelers Chapter #139 – Silver Dollar RV Resort	Temple Twirlers – Reardon/Lovelace	Suncoast Squares – Cox/Cox	Mainstream/EasyPlus – Vanwart Cultural Center – Arias/Barnhill	Strawberry Travelers Chapter #139 – Silver Dollar RV Resort Trinity Squares - Reardon Promenade Squares – Hughes/Griffin Suncoast Squares – Cox/Cox Shufflin’ Squares – P/A – Muller Citrus Squares – Lindsey	SS A-2 Workshop & Dance – NO DANCE	Palace Promenaders – Arias/Barnhill SS Social Dancing – Miller Tropical Twirlers - Gormley

DANCERgram

15	16 <b>Temple Twirlers</b> – Snell/Lovelace	17 <b>Suncoast Squares</b> – Cox/Cox <b>Buttons &amp; Bows</b> – Reardon/Lovelace	18 <b>SS Mainstream/Easy Plus</b> – Reardon <b>Cultural Center</b> – Arias/Barnhill	19 <b>Trinity Squares</b> - Reardon <b>Promenade Squares</b> - Vanwart/Griffin <b>Suncoast Squares</b> – Cox/Cox <b>Shufflin’ Squares</b> – M/P – Stevens <b>Citrus Squares</b> – Lindsey	20 <b>SS A-2 Workshop &amp; Dance</b> – Dunn <b>Woodmere Park</b> – Bates	21 <b>Tropical Twirlers</b> - Gormley <b>Palace Promenaders</b> – Arias/Barnhill <b>SS Plus</b> – Dunn
22	23 <b>Temple Twirlers</b> – Reardon/Lovelace	24 <b>SS Mainstream/Easy Plus</b> – NO DANCE <b>Woodmere Park A-2</b> – Bates <b>Suncoast Squares</b> – Cox/Cox	25 <b>Cultural Center</b> – Arias /Barnhill	26 <b>Trinity Squares</b> – Reardon <b>Promenade Squares</b> – Hughes/Griffin <b>Suncoast Squares</b> – Cox/Cox <b>Shufflin’ Squares</b> – P/A – Stevens <b>Citrus Squares</b> – Lindsey	27 <b>SS A-2 Workshop &amp; Dance</b> – Dunn <b>Woodmere Park C-1 Dance</b> – Bates	28 <b>Tropical Twirlers</b> - Gormley <b>Palace Promenaders</b> – Arias/Barnhill <b>SS Plus Dance</b> – NO DANCING <b>SS Social Dancing</b> - Miller
29	30 <b>Temple Twirlers</b> - Vanwart/Lovelace	31 <b>SS Mainstream/Easy Plus</b> – NO DANCE <b>Woodmere Park A-2</b> – Bates <b>Suncoast Squares</b> – Cox/Cox <b>Buttons &amp; Bows</b> – Muller/Lovelace				

### **Monday**

- **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. casual accepted until Labor Day. Dancers, please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: [bbkilk@verizon.net](mailto:bbkilk@verizon.net). Temple Twirlers has a YouTube page where all their photography is being posted (videos and stills). Subscribe at [tinyurl.com/twirlersyoutube](http://tinyurl.com/twirlersyoutube).

**December 16, 2019 - Temple Twirlers Installation of Officers and Dance** – Oak Grove United Methodist Church, 2707 W. Waters Avenue (northeast corner of Habana Avenue), Tampa – ER 7:00 p.m., Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. – Caller: Ron Reardon, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace - Square dance attire preferred. Dancers, please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: [bbkilk@verizon.net](mailto:bbkilk@verizon.net).

**December 23, 2019 - Temple Twirlers Christmas/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: Ralph Peacock, Cuer: Charlie Lovelace – Please bring party food - Square dance attire preferred. Dancers, please use the entrance marked “Gage Hall” on the Habana Avenue side under the covered driveway. For info: [bbkilk@verizon.net](mailto:bbkilk@verizon.net).

### **Tuesday**

- **Suncoast Squares** – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Beginner/Mainstream classes 6:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. – Round Dance 6:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. - Plus Class from 8:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. If the parking lot in front of the building is full, overflow parking is available at the bank and the printing company. For info: [www.suncoastsquares.com](http://www.suncoastsquares.com) or [suncoastsquares@gmail.com](mailto:suncoastsquares@gmail.com) or [mutschlerdan@yahoo.com](mailto:mutschlerdan@yahoo.com) or 678-656-2523.

**December 17, 2019 (not a fourth Tuesday) - Buttons & Bows' Christmas Dance** - Magnolia Building, 702 E. Orange Street, Lakeland – Caller: Dave Muller – 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. Buttons & Bows is one of the oldest square dance clubs in the state of Florida. For info: [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com) or 863-224-3393.

**December 31, 2019 – Arcadia Palace Promenaders New Year's Eve Dinner and Dance** – Palace Dance Hall, 1627 NE Floridian Circle, Arcadia, Florida – Caller: Robert Arias – Cuer: Judy Barnhill - \$20 per couple – bring covered dish to share, the meat will be furnished. Dry camping at the hall, plenty of parking for all. The dance starts at 6:00 p.m., eat 7:00 p.m., Dance 8:00 p.m. and continue to 9:00 p.m. or beyond? For info: 941-380-5336 or [mdow@embarqmail.com](mailto:mdow@embarqmail.com).

**December 31, 2019 – Orange Blossom Squares New Year's Eve Dance** – Colony Cottage, 510 Colony Boulevard, The Villages, Florida – Caller/Cuer: Jack Lewis (southeast Florida) – please bring something for the food table – heavy hors d'oeuvres, deserts, refreshments (no alcohol), and New Year's favors. The food is provided by OBS members - \$40 per couple; no refunds after December 15<sup>th</sup>. For info: 352-633-3756 or [jane.karpuleon@gmail.com](mailto:jane.karpuleon@gmail.com).



**December 31, 2019 – The Villages New Year’s Eve Dance** – Colony Cottage Recreation Center, 510 Colony Boulevard, The Villages, Florida – Caller/Cuer: Jack Lewis (southeast Florida) - \$40 per couple; no refunds after December 15<sup>th</sup>. For info: 352-633-43756 or [jane.karpuleon@gmail.com](mailto:jane.karpuleon@gmail.com).

**December 31, 2019 – Strawberry Square New Year’s Eve Dinner and Dance – On Broadway** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Ron Libby – Cuer: Charlie Lovelace. Dinner options: doors open 7:00 p.m. - \$30 per person by April 30, 2019 - \$35 after April 30, 2019. No meal options: Doors open 8:30 p.m. - \$25 per person. For info: 813-752-0491 or <http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com>.

### **Wednesday**

- **Strawberry Squares Easy/Mainstream Dance** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. Plus Workshop – 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. alternating Mainstream and Easy Plus - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. Any club wishing to raid or retrieve a banner should plan to banner raid on Wednesday night at this dance. No banners raids and retrievals on any other day or night. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you can’t reach the dance center, please call Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513. **Please notify the caller each week if you will be attending – location and time may be changed based on who is attending – have your name added to the distribution list so that you receive weekly reminders – dance could be canceled at any time if there aren’t enough dancers.**
- **Cultural Center Squares** – Centennial Hall, 2280 Aaron Street, Rooms F and G, Port Charlotte, Florida. 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.

**December 18, 2019 - Strawberry Square Mainstream/Easy Plus Flash Dance** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Marty Vanwart - 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. Mainstream/Easy Plus Workshop – 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. alternating Mainstream and Easy Plus - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. Any club wishing to raid or retrieve a banner should plan to banner raid on Wednesday night at this dance. No banners raids and retrievals on any other day or night. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you can’t reach the dance center, please call Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825- 6513.

### **Thursday**

- **Trinity Squares** - Trinity Church of Wesley Chapel, 33425 FL 54, Wesley Chapel (the church is on the north side of SR54 about halfway (five to six miles) between I-75 and SR 301) - 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays – Mainstream – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. - \$5 per person - Caller: Ron Reardon – For info: [rsrhun@aol.com](mailto:rsrhun@aol.com) – [charliesue44@gmail.com](mailto:charliesue44@gmail.com) or 813-788-7857.

## DANCERgram

- **Shufflin' Squares** – Lake Ashton Golf Club, 4141 Ashton Club Drive, Lake Wales, FL – Class 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. on the second, fourth, and fifth Thursdays. On class night, dances are from 8:00 – 9:30 p.m. alternating Mainstream, and Plus. On the first and third Thursdays, the dance is from 7:00 – 9:30 p.m. – Alternating Plus and Advance – square dance attire optional. For info: [lanceandrita@yahoo.com](mailto:lanceandrita@yahoo.com). **please notify the caller each week if you will be attending**
- **Citrus Squares** – First United Methodist Church, 21501 W. Highway 40, Dunnellon, FL – 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. For info: 352-465-2142 (H) – 352-419-2504 (C) – [rickducharme@ymail.com](mailto:rickducharme@ymail.com).
- **Suncoast Squares A2 Dance/Workshop w/C-1 Workshop** – King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – C-1 Workshop 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. – Advance Dance/Workshop 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. If the parking lot in front of the building is full, overflow parking is available at the bank and the printing company. For info: [www.suncoastsquares.com](http://www.suncoastsquares.com) or [suncoastsquares@gmail.com](mailto:suncoastsquares@gmail.com) or [mutschlerdan@yahoo.com](mailto:mutschlerdan@yahoo.com) or 678-656-2523.
- **Promenade Squares** – 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. For info: [friendib@verizon.net](mailto:friendib@verizon.net) - <https://www.facebook.com/PromenadeSquares/> - <http://floridasquaredance.com/promenadesquares/>.

**December 19, 2019 - Pine Ridge Promenaders Christmas Dance** - Sunshine RV Park, Rt. 70 East, Lake Placid – Caller: Sam Dunn – alternating Mainstream, and Plus 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. – casual or square dance attire acceptable. Visitors always welcome. For info: 828-290- 2147 or [bobsue16@hotmail.com](mailto:bobsue16@hotmail.com).

### **Friday**

- **Woodmere Park C-1** – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice – Caller: Red Bates – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon – casual attire. For info: 941-223-0987 or [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

### **Saturday**

- **Strawberry Square Social Dance** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. – \$6 per person - music will be for social and ballroom dancing – requests welcome. Bring soft drinks, ice, snacks, and table service. NO ALCOHOL ALLOWED ON THE PROPERTY. The facility is air-conditioned and smoke-free and has a floating hardwood floor and excellent acoustics! Please help us keep our dance floor clean and neat by not wearing street shoes on the floors. Shoe covers available at the door. For info: Ken Miller – 863-409-7714 or [pcsocialdanceclub@inbox.com](mailto:pcsocialdanceclub@inbox.com).
- **Palace Promenaders** – 1627 NE Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Robert Arias – Cuer: Judy Barnhill - Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Parking is available behind the building. For info: Mary 941-380-5336.

**December 7, 2019 - Palace Promenaders Open Mic for Callers and Cuers** – 1627 NE Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Robert Arias – Cuer: Judy Barnhill - Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 7:00

## DANCERgram

p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Parking is available behind the building. For info: Jennie 863-494-2749 or Mary 941-380-5336.

**December 21, 2019 - Strawberry Square Plus Flash Dance** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – Caller: Allen Snell – Cuer: Charlie Lovelace - 7:00 – 7:30 p.m. Early Rounds – 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. Plus with rounds - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. Any club wishing to raid or retrieve a banner should plan to banner raid on Wednesday night at this dance. No banners raids and retrievals on any other day or night. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825- 6513.

**December 21, 2019 - Palace Promenaders Christmas Dance** – 1627 NE Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Robert Arias – Cuer: Judy Barnhill - Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 9:00.m. – men and ladies gift exchange - Parking is available behind the building. For info: Jennie 863-494-2749 or Mary 941-380-5336.

### **Sunday**

**December 8, 2019 - Strawberry Square Christmas Round Dance** - 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cuer: Tom Bunn – Phases 3 – 5 – 1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://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.

**December 8, 2019 - West Coast Association Membership Dance** – Palace Dance Hall, 1627 N.E. Floridian Circle, Arcadia – Caller: Sam Dunn – Cuer: Chuck Ryall – 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 available at the door. West Coast members FREE; guests \$6 per person. If you're not a West Coast Member, please see your County Rep or John Scott, WC Treasurer (Contact information above under "How do I Contact...". For info: [lanceandritabaxter@yahoo.com](mailto:lanceandritabaxter@yahoo.com).

# *West Coast Classes and Workshops, National Caller and Cuer Colleges*

Please provide a start date, start and ending time, level (Beginner, Mainstream, Plus, etc.), GPS address (with the city) location of class and/or workshop, instructor's name, contact name, email address, and phone number.

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

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

## December 2019

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

## SQUARES

October 6, 2019 – May 17, 2020 (for 12 weeks) - **Trinity Squares Basic Through Mainstream** – Trinity Church of Wesley Chapel, Annex Hall, 33425 FL 54, Wesley Chapel, Florida – Basic through Mainstream – Caller/Instructor: Ron Reardon - 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – \$5 per person per session – casual attire – wear closed-toe and closed heel comfortable shoes. For info: [charliesue44@gmail.com](mailto:charliesue44@gmail.com) - [rsrhun@aol.com](mailto:rsrhun@aol.com) or 813-788-7857.

October 7, 2019 – **Promenade Squares Beginner Square Dance Classes** – Forbes Recreation Center, 6401 – 94<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, Pinellas Park - Caller/Instructor: TBA – 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. For info: 727-798-3839.

October 8, 2019 - **Suncoast Squares Beginning Square Dance Lessons** - King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. If the parking lot in front of the building is full, overflow parking is available at the bank and the printing company. For info: [www.suncoastsquares.com](http://www.suncoastsquares.com) or [suncoastsquares@gmail.com](mailto:suncoastsquares@gmail.com) or [mutschlerdan@yahoo.com](mailto:mutschlerdan@yahoo.com) or 678-656-2523.

October 8, 2019 - **Suncoast Squares Plus Lessons** - King of Peace MCC Church, 3150 5th Avenue North, St. Petersburg – 9:00 p.m. A GLBT Club – all are welcome (including the straight community) – casual attire. If the parking lot in front of the building is full, overflow parking is available at the bank and the printing company. For info: [www.suncoastsquares.com](http://www.suncoastsquares.com) or [suncoastsquares@gmail.com](mailto:suncoastsquares@gmail.com) or [mutschlerdan@yahoo.com](mailto:mutschlerdan@yahoo.com) or 678-656-2523.

## DANCERgram

November 6, 2019 – March 25, 2020 – **Lake Placid Basic/Mainstream Square Dance Classes** – Sunshine RV Park, 303 State Road 70, Lake Placid, Florida – Caller/Instructor: Ed Richey -2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - \$3 per person per session – casual attire acceptable. For info: 734-716-1148 or [beted31057@aol.com](mailto:beted31057@aol.com).

November 15, 2019 – March 17, 2020 - **Woodmere Park C-1 Dance** – Woodmere Park, 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. For info: 941-223-0987 – [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

November 18, 2019 – March 30, 2020 - **Woodmere First Mainstream Teach of the Season** – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. – casual attire. For info: 941-223-0987 or [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

November 18, 2019 – March 30, 2020 - **Woodmere First Plus Teach of the Season** – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates – 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. – casual attire. For info: 941-223-0987 or [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

November 19, 2019 – April 14, 2020 - **Woodmere First Plus Workshop of the Season** – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates - 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – casual attire. For info: 941-223-0987 or [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

December 2, 9, 16, 2019 - January 6, 13, 20, 27, 2020 - February 3, 10, 24, 2020 - and March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 2020 – **Village on the Greens Beginner Square Dance Classes** – Village on the Greens Clubhouse, 508 – 44<sup>th</sup> Avenue East, Bradenton – Caller/Instructor: Mike Cox - 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - \$4 per person per session. For info and registration, email [votgsquaredance@outlook.com](mailto:votgsquaredance@outlook.com) or call Diane Fortin/Jean-Guy Payant at 954-889-6971 or John Candelora at 203-804-8948.

**DATE CHANGE** January 6, 2020 – **Strawberry Square Beginners/Mainstream Square Dance Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513.

**DATE CHANGE** January 6, 2020 – **Strawberry Square Plus Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – You must know Mainstream before taking this Plus class. 7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke-free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513.

**DATE CHANGE** January 8, 2020 – **Buttons & Bows Beginners Class** – Florida Presbyterian Homes, McArthur Center, 811 Lakeside Avenue, Lakeland – Caller/Instructor: Dave Muller –

## DANCERgram

casual attire (no open-toed or open heeled shoes) – first night of class (November 6<sup>th</sup>) is FREE – fee is \$5 per person per session – 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Feel free to stay and observe the next level of class. Caller/Instructor is BMI/ASCAP licensed. For info: [sgdncfan@aol.com](mailto:sgdncfan@aol.com) or 863-224-3393.

**DATE CHANGE** January 8, 2020 – **Buttons & Bows Plus Class** – Florida Presbyterian Homes, McArthur Center, 811 Lakeside Avenue, Lakeland – Caller/Instructor: Dave Muller – casual attire (no open-toed or open heeled shoes) – first night of class (November 6<sup>th</sup>) is FREE – fee is \$5 per person per session – 8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. You're invited to come early, and dance with the new dancers from 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Caller/Instructor is BMI/ASCAP licensed. For info: [sgdncfan@aol.com](mailto:sgdncfan@aol.com) or 863-224-3393.

January 8, 2020 – March 25, 2020 – **Palmetto Palms C-1 Dance** – 19682 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers – Caller: Red Bates – 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. – casual attire. For info: 941-223-0987 – [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

January 8, 2020 – March 25, 2020 – **Palmetto Palms A-2 Dance** – 19682 Summerlin Boulevard, Ft. Myers – Caller: Red Bates – 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – casual attire. For info: 941-223-0987 – [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

January 25, 2020 – **Strawberry Sampler** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Caller: Sam Dunn – Cues: Tom Bunn – a full day of Squares and Rounds with some Retro Music and Interesting Patterns Clinics – Dance Hall: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Anything goes Plus with a Bit of A-1 Intro, a Sample of Retro and Kaleidoscope Squares. 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Not So Serious Squares No So Serious Squares\* (all mistakes forgiven) 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Early Rounds – includes teaches 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Plus Squares with Rounds – with some figures and teaches of the day 9:30 p.m. – 10:15 p.m. Plus Squares with Rounds – with some figures and teaches of the day 9:30 p.m. -10:15 p.m. Strawberry Party – skits by attendees welcome. Club House\* (Rounds, Space Limited) 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Phase 4 Clinic and Teach 2:00 p.m. – 2:55 p.m. Phase three teach 3:05 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Country Partner dance Teaches (No experience needed). Free Overnight RV Parking (dry camping). Also available on site with separate admissions. See [strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://strawberrysquaredancing.com). Friday, January 24, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Phase 5 Teach and Dancing, Friday, January 24<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Alternating Plus and A-2 dancing, Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Round Dance Party. \*Rounds Teaches: Sign up with registration or Saturday A. May be limited to two per couples unless space permits. \*No so serious Squares may include: Progressives, Scatter Promenades, Same-Sex Squares (Who turns who?) Familiar calls – a.k.a. "This," "That," "something else" and "later." Boost your short-term memory. Full-Day: \$20 per person (\$25 at the door); \$10 Saturday evening. Free Overnight RV parking (dry camping). For info: floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513.

## DANCERgram

February 8, 2020 – **A Day of Plus** – First United Methodist Church, 200 South Lake Avenue, Avon Park, Florida – Caller: Sam Dunn. We will start on Saturday morning from the beginning. We will take your problem calls, or start with the call Acey Ducey, and where we will end, nobody knows. Whatever your brain can hold. \$25 per couple for the entire package; six hours of dancing; no split sessions. There is only room for five squares! Get a flyer and mark the calls listed on the back of the flyer that you want to review. The flyer can is located at [www.dancergram.com](http://www.dancergram.com). Send \$25 check and registration form to Sue Dunn, 111 Pinetree Lane, Sebring, FL 33872. For info: Sam 863-214-1923 or Isla at 863-214-3096.

March 30, 2020 – **Woodmere Final Mainstream Teach of the Season** – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates – 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. – casual attire. For info: 941-223-0987 or [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

March 30, 2020 – **Woodmere Final Plus Teach of the Season** – 3951 Woodmere Park Boulevard, Venice – Caller/Instructor: Red Bates – 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. - casual attire. For info: 941-223-0987 or [redbates@juno.com](mailto:redbates@juno.com).

## ROUNDS

January 15, 2019 – **Promenade Squares Beginner Round Dance Lessons** – Forbes Recreation Center, 6401 – 94<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, Pinellas Park - \$6 per person per session. For info: 727-542-8847 ■ [spinards@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:spinards@tampabay.rr.com).

June 5, 2019 – **J & C Spinarounds Phase 4 – 5 Workshop** – Walter Fuller Recreation Center, 7891 – 26<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Cuers: Jimmy and Carol Griffin – 7:00 p.m. - 8:45 p.m. For info: [spinards@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:spinards@tampabay.rr.com).

July 6, 2019 – **Strawberry Square Phase 4 Teach** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

July 7, 2019 – **Strawberry Square Phase 4 Teach Review** - Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

September 3, 2019 – **Griffins' Phase IV - V Workshop** – Walter Fuller Rec Center, 7891 – 26<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Cuers: Jimmy and Carol Griffin – 7:00 p.m. – 8:50 p.m. For info: 727-542-8847 ■ [spinards@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:spinards@tampabay.rr.com).



## DANCERgram

September 4, 2019 - **Griffins' Beginner/Phase 3+ Workshop** – Walter Fuller Rec Center, 7891 – 26<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, St. Petersburg – Cuers: Jimmy and Carol Griffin 7:00 p.m. – 8:45 p.m. For info: 727-542-8847 ■ [spinards@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:spinards@tampabay.rr.com).

October 6, 2019 – May 17, 2020 (12 weeks) - **Trinity Squares of Wesley Chapel Classes and Workshops** – Trinity Church of Wesley Chapel, 33425 FL 54, Wesley Chapel, Florida (the church is on the north side of SR54 about halfway (5 to 6 miles) between I-75 and SR 301) – Mainstream – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. - \$5 per person - Caller: Ron Reardon – For info: [rsrhun@aol.com](mailto:rsrhun@aol.com) – [charliesue44@gmail.com](mailto:charliesue44@gmail.com) or 813-788-7857.

October 12, 2019 - **A Day of Rounds – Take 2 – A “Labor” of Love** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City - Cuer: Earle Collins – 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Teach 1 & 2; Lunch 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.; 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Teach 3; Review Teaches 2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.; and Fun Dance 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. \$30 per couple – casual or dance attire, your preference. For info: 407-376-4079 or [Collins.cbd@gmail.com](mailto:Collins.cbd@gmail.com).

November 1, 2019 – March 27, 2020 – **Strawberry Square Phase 5** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cuer/Instructor: Tom Bunn -10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

November 1, 2019 – March 27, 2020 - **Strawberry Square Phase 5 Round Dance Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cuer/Instructor: Tom Bunn – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965 or Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513.

November 2, 2019 – March 28, 2020 - **Strawberry Square Phase 3 Intro to 4 Multiple Rhythms** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cuer/Instructor: Tom Bunn – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://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.

November 7, 2019 – January 9, 2020 – **Strawberry Square Waltz Phase 2 Review** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cuer/Instructor: Tom Bunn - 2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

## DANCERgram

November 7, 2019 – January 9, 2020 - **Strawberry Square Beginning Rumba – Phase 3, Intro to 4** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cues/Instructor: Tom Bunn - 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

November 7, 2019 – May 16, 2020 - **Strawberry Square Phase 4 Round Dance Class** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cues/Instructor: Tom Bunn - 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com), call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

November 9, 2019 – December 21, 2019 - **Strawberry Square Beginning Bolero Phase 3, Intro to 4** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cues/Instructor: Tom Bunn – 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

November 19, 2019 – March 17, 2020 - **Stardust Phase 4+ Lessons** – Stardust, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, Florida – Cues/Instructors: Pamela and Jeff Johnson – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. – floating hardwood floors, hearing enhancement, fragrance free, stereo recording stations available (music on the left channel and cues on the right channel). Register and pay at class \$15 per lesson per couple. Prefer you pay for a whole month at a time. For info: 218-256-1873 – [rapidballroom@gmail.com](mailto:rapidballroom@gmail.com) – rapidballroom.com.

November 19, 2019 – March 17, 2020 - **Stardust Phase 4 – 5 Figures Only** – Stardust, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, Florida – Cues/Instructors: Pamela and Jeff Johnson – 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. – floating hardwood floors, hearing enhancement, fragrance free, stereo recording stations available (music on the left channel and cues on the right channel). Register and pay at class \$15 per lesson per couple. Prefer you pay for a whole month at a time. For info: 218-256-1873 – [rapidballroom@gmail.com](mailto:rapidballroom@gmail.com) – rapidballroom.com.

November 20, 2019 – March 18, 2020 – **Stardust Phase 3 – Intro to Phase 4 Lessons** – Stardust, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, Florida – Cues/Instructors: Pamela and Jeff Johnson – this class starts where Beginners class left off. Come and practice your favorite dances, learn more rhythms, figures, and some new popular dances - 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. – floating hardwood floors, hearing enhancement, fragrance-free, stereo recording stations available (music on the left channel and cues on the right channel). Register and pay at class \$15 per lesson per couple. Prefer you pay for a whole month at a time. For info: 218-256-1873 – [rapidballroom@gmail.com](mailto:rapidballroom@gmail.com) – rapidballroom.com.

## DANCERgram

December 2, 2019 – March 30, 2020 - **Village on the Greens Round Dance Classes** – Village on the Greens Clubhouse, 508 – 44<sup>th</sup> Avenue East, Bradenton – Cuer/Instructor: Mike Cox – 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. - \$4\* per person per session. For info and registration, email [votgsquaredance@outlook.com](mailto:votgsquaredance@outlook.com) or call Diane Fortin/Jean-Guy Payant at 954-889-6971 or John Candelora at 203-804-8948. \*\$2 for those registered to the above square dance class.

December 12, 2019 – **Pine Ridge Promenaders Welcome Back Dance** - Sunshine RV Park, Rt. 70 East, Lake Placid – Caller: Robert Arias – alternating Mainstream and Plus 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. – casual or square dance attire acceptable. Visitors always welcome. For info: 828-290- 2147 or [bobnsue16@hotmail.com](mailto:bobnsue16@hotmail.com).

January 4, 2020 – March 28, 2020 - **Strawberry Square Beginning Country Western Partner Two-Step** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cuer/Instructor: Tom Bunn – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

January 6, 2020 – **Buttonwood Bay Beginner Round Dance Lessons** – Buttonwood Bay RV Recreation Hall, 41 Kingfish Drive (off U.S. 27 South), Sebring, Florida – Cuers/Instructors: Chuck and Mary Ryall – 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. For info: Dick Avery [rdavery@juno.com](mailto:rdavery@juno.com) or 585-576-3534.

January 10 – 12, 2020 – **Southern Stars Fest** - Stardust, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL – Cuer: Pamela Johnson – a Round Dance Weekend Event – Phase 3 – 4+ - healthy treats for evening dances appreciated - camping available on-site - Floating hardwood floor - hearing enhancement - fragrance free - stereo recording stations available (music on the left and cues on the right channel). \$50 per person if preregistered; \$55 after January 1, 2020 – limited to 50 couples. Mail full payment or \$25 deposit check payable to Pamela Johnson, to Pamela Johnson with the registration form to 28838 Oak Bend Drive, Grand Rapids, MN 55744. If registering after November 1<sup>st</sup>, mail to Pamela Johnson, 506 Empress Way, Lakeland, FL 33803. For info: 218-256-1873 or [rapidballroom@gmail.com](mailto:rapidballroom@gmail.com).

January 25, 2020 – **Strawberry Sampler** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Caller: Sam Dunn – Cuer: Tom Bunn – a full day of Squares and Rounds with some Retro Music and Interesting Patterns Clinics – Dance Hall: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Anything goes Plus with a Bit of A-1 Intro, a Sample of Retro and Kaleidoscope Squares. 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Not So Serious Squares No So Serious Squares\* (all mistakes forgiven) 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Early Rounds – includes teaches 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Plus Squares with Rounds – with some figures and teaches of the day 9:30 p.m. – 10:15 p.m. Plus Squares with Rounds – with some figures and teaches of the day 9:30 p.m. -10:15 p.m. Strawberry Party – skits by attendees welcome. Club House\* (Rounds, Space Limited) 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Phase 4 Clinic and Teach 2:00 p.m. – 2:55 p.m. Phase three teach 3:05 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Country Partner dance Teaches (No experience needed). Free Overnight RV Parking (dry camping). Also

available on site with separate admissions. See [strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://strawberrysquaredancing.com). Friday, January 24, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Phase 5 Teach and Dancing, Friday, January 24<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Alternating Plus and A-2 dancing, Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Round Dance Party. \*Rounds Teaches: Sign up with registration or Saturday A. May be limited to two per couples unless space permits. \*Not so serious Squares may include: Progressives, Scatter Promenades, Same-Sex Squares (Who turns who?) Familiar calls – a.k.a. “This,” “That,” “something else,” and “later.” Boost your short-term memory. Full-Day: \$20 per person (\$25 at the door); \$10 Saturday evening. Free Overnight RV parking (dry camping). For info: floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or 813-752-0491. If you can't reach the dance center, please call Cherylene Sorrells at 770-825-6513.

January 25, 2020 – **Strawberry Square Country Western Partner Teaches** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cuer/Instructor: Tom Bunn – 3:05 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

February 8, 2020 – **Strawberry Square Phase 4 Teach (Florida Fun)** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cuer/Instructor: Tom Bunn – 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

February 9, 2020 - **Strawberry Square Phase 3 Teach (Florida Fun)** – Strawberry Square Dance Center, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City, Florida – Cuer/Instructor: Tom Bunn – 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. - floating hardwood dance floor (please wear dance shoes, no beverages or food on the floor) – hearing enhancement – air-conditioned – smoke free – excellent acoustics. For info: [www.strawberrysquaredancing.com](http://www.strawberrysquaredancing.com) or call Cindy Bunn at 864-723-6965.

March 20 – 22, 2020 – **March Memories Fest** – Stardust, 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL – Cuer: Pamela Johnson – Phase 3 – 4+ Round Dance Weekend Event - \$50 per person preregister; \$55 after January 1, 2020 – limited to 50 couples. Mail full payment or \$25 deposit check payable to Pamela Johnson with the registration form to 28838 Oak Bend Drive, Grand Rapids, MN 55744. If registering after November 1<sup>st</sup>, mail to Pamela Johnson, 506 Empress Way, Lakeland, FL 33803. Camping available on site - 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](mailto:rapidballroom@gmail.com)

## CALLERS/CUERS

February 9, 2020 - **Suncoast Callers & Cuers Association (SCCA) Caller Clinic** – Strawberry Square Martin House\*, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – membership is open to all callers and cuers; snowbirds are welcome too. If you are calling, cueing, or teaching in the West Coast Association area, you should consider becoming a member for the networking opportunities and Clinics that are available throughout the year. For info: [samdunn@samdunn.net](mailto:samdunn@samdunn.net) or 863-214-1923. \*Directions to the Martin House: take the roadway that runs in front of the entrance to the hall and follow back into the park. There is a house back there on the left that is like a community center for the park.

February 15, 2020 - **Suncoast Callers & Cuers Association (SCCA) Caller Clinic** – Strawberry Square Martin House\*, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – **Clinician: Keith Stevens – free for SCCA members; \$25 for non-members.** Membership in SCCA is open to all callers and cuers; snowbirds are welcome too. If you are calling, cueing, or teaching in the West Coast Association area, you should consider becoming a member for the networking opportunities and Clinics that held throughout the year. For info: [samdunn@samdunn.net](mailto:samdunn@samdunn.net) or 863-214-1923. \*Directions to the Martin House: take the roadway that runs in front of the entrance to the hall and follow back into the park. There is a house back there on the left that is like a community center for the park.

March 26 – 29, 2020 – **Sunshine Callers School** – Best Western Southside Hotel & Suites, **Jacksonville, Florida** - Callers: Ken Ritucci (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach), Bill Harrison (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach), and Tom Miller (Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach). For info: 413-262-1875 – [kenritucci@gmail.com](mailto:kenritucci@gmail.com) – [www.northeastcallersschool.com](http://www.northeastcallersschool.com).

April 5, 2020 - **Suncoast Callers & Cuers Association (SCCA) Annual Clinic** – Strawberry Square Martin House\*, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – membership is open to all callers and cuers; snowbirds are welcome too. If you are calling, cueing, or teaching in the West Coast Association area, you should consider becoming a member for the networking opportunities and Clinics that are available throughout the year. For info: [samdunn@samdunn.net](mailto:samdunn@samdunn.net) or 863-214-1923. \*Directions to the Martin House: take the roadway that runs in front of the entrance to the hall and follow back into the park. There is a house back there on the left that is like a community center for the park.

February 6, 2021 - **Suncoast Callers & Cuers Association (SCCA) Caller Clinic** – Strawberry Square Martin House\*, 4401 Promenade Boulevard, Plant City – 9:00 a.m. For info: [samdunn@samdunn.net](mailto:samdunn@samdunn.net) or 863-214-1923. \*Directions to the Martin House: take the roadway that runs in front of the entrance to the hall and follow back into the park. There is a house back there on the left that is like a community center for the park.

## Suncoast Callers & Cuers Association (SCCA) Members (9.5.19)

Officers		
<b>President:</b> Ted Hughes	727-641-0408*	N/A
<b>Vice President:</b> Ralph Peacock	603-486-8756	<a href="mailto:ralphpea@comcast.net">ralphpea@comcast.net</a>
<b>Secretary:</b> Sam Dunn	863-214-1923	<a href="mailto:samdunn@samdunn.net">samdunn@samdunn.net</a>
<b>Treasurer:</b> Mike Gormley	419-376-0557	<a href="mailto:mike@mike-gormley.com">mike@mike-gormley.com</a>
Caller & Cuer		
Mike Gormley	419-376-0557	<a href="mailto:mike@mike-gormley.com">mike@mike-gormley.com</a>
Bucky Tenney	802-373-8470	<a href="mailto:vtcaller@comcast.net">vtcaller@comcast.net</a>
Callers		
Robert Arias	813-601-1834	<a href="mailto:roberthugharias@yahoo.com">roberthugharias@yahoo.com</a> *
Gary Bubel	585-738-8118	<a href="mailto:sqdance@frontiernet.net">sqdance@frontiernet.net</a>
Sam Dunn	863-214-1923	<a href="mailto:samdunn@samdunn.net">samdunn@samdunn.net</a>
George Ferguson	734-890-1275	<a href="mailto:Sqd4geo@gmail.com">Sqd4geo@gmail.com</a>
Dianne Hicks	727-823-7652	<a href="mailto:DyDy77@aol.com">DyDy77@aol.com</a>
Gary Hicks	727-823-7652	<a href="mailto:Gary.Hicks1@gmail.com">Gary.Hicks1@gmail.com</a>
Ted Hughes	727-641-0408	N/A
Dave Muller	334-475-0975	<a href="mailto:Davecaller@gmail.com">Davecaller@gmail.com</a>
Lenny Newberry	781-922-8699	<a href="mailto:lennynew@gmail.com">lennynew@gmail.com</a>
Ralph Peacock	603-486-8756	<a href="mailto:ralphpea@comcast.net">ralphpea@comcast.net</a>
Ron Reardon	813-788-7857	<a href="mailto:RSRHUN@aol.com">RSRHUN@aol.com</a>
Ed Richey	734-716-1148	<a href="mailto:Betted31057@aol.com">Betted31057@aol.com</a>
Allen Snell	727-809-0323	<a href="mailto:Settarose1@gmail.com">Settarose1@gmail.com</a>
Richard Spaulding	863-913-5027	<a href="mailto:mulberryspaulding@tampabay.rr.com">mulberryspaulding@tampabay.rr.com</a>
Bob Stern	315-697-2751	<a href="mailto:bsterncaller@gmail.com">bsterncaller@gmail.com</a>
Keith Stevens	863-326-9774	<a href="mailto:keith@keithstevens.com">keith@keithstevens.com</a>
Marty Vanwart	813-788-2004	<a href="mailto:mvanwart@brighthouse.com">mvanwart@brighthouse.com</a>
Doug Walden	863-937-8444	<a href="mailto:Sharon48122@yahoo.com">Sharon48122@yahoo.com</a>
Cuers		
Judy Barnhill	865-216-7808	<a href="mailto:tn2001@yahoo.com">tn2001@yahoo.com</a>
Alice Bubel	585-738-9226	<a href="mailto:sqdance@frontiernet.net">sqdance@frontiernet.net</a>
Tom Bunn	864-710-0162	<a href="mailto:tomandcindybunn@gmail.com">tomandcindybunn@gmail.com</a>
Margaret Newberry	781-922-8699	<a href="mailto:mnewberryrounds@yahoo.com">mnewberryrounds@yahoo.com</a>
Joyce Tenney	802-730-5486	<a href="mailto:joycept@comcast.net">joycept@comcast.net</a>

\*Only checked once a week.

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



# DANCERgram

## *Florida Federation of Square Dancers President's Message*



I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends. And now Christmas is just around the corner. December brings a close to most of the Association dances. We have only one more Association dance to go. The Southeast Snowflake Frolic January 18, 2020. What fun!

We are looking for a Webmaster to continue the outstanding website Bruce Morgan has worked to design for the Florida Federation Dancers. Are you a computer geek? Do you enjoy working with the designing of websites or are knowledgeable to upkeep our website? Bruce Morgan will be happy to work with the person who would be willing to take over the upkeep of our website. Please consider becoming the Florida Federation of Square Dancers Webmaster. Email Bruce Morgan for more information or any questions you may have; [brucemorgan@embarqmail.com](mailto:brucemorgan@embarqmail.com). IF THIS IS SOMETHING YOU THINK YOU WOULD LIKE TO DO BUT MAY NOT HAVE ALL THE KNOWLEDGE NEEDED. I am positive that Bruce will continue to work with you even after you take it over. I am not a "Computer Geek," but here is what I do know:

1. Enjoy working on the computer!
2. Understand what .html is!
3. Like working with graphics!
4. Knowledge of FTP.
5. Design and set up website pages!

Do you have a Caller or Cuer who has gone out of his or her way to promote square or round dancing in your area? Maybe, they provide their service for a demo with your club square or round dancing to promote an upcoming class? They are the first to donate their talents to a benefit or charity dances held in your club or Association. Many Callers and Cuers work to promote our dancing, alongside our dancers, clubs, Association, etc. The Florida Federation of Square Dancers Executive Board will be taking Nominations for the "Extra Mile Award" to be awarded at the upcoming 66<sup>th</sup> Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention. Please consider nominating your Caller or Cuer. **The deadline for the nomination is January 5, 2020.** Your Association President has the Extra Mile Guidelines and Nomination Form, or you



DANCERgram

can find the form on the Federation website [www.floridasquaredance.com](http://www.floridasquaredance.com) under the Federation Documents; Extra Mile Nomination Form.

I hope you are making your plans to join us at the 66th FSSRDC to be held in Daytona Beach on February 21 & 22, 2020 at the Daytona Beach Ocean Center. Have you booked your hotel room? The Convention Host Hotel is the Homewood Suites, 165 Bill France Blvd., Daytona Beach, FL. Square Dance Rate is \$99.00 + tax per night. Please see the convention website for more information and make your plans now! [www.floridasquaredance.com/convention](http://www.floridasquaredance.com/convention)

Dancers, purchase your 66th Florida State Convention Square & Round Dance Convention "2020 The Power to See the Future", to be held February 21-22, 2020 **NOW!** We are excited the 66th Convention is going to take the dancers into the "Future"! And the FUTURE is our YOUTH! So, the Convention is offering a special promotion to encourage our families to bring our dancing youth to the 2020 66th Florida State Convention....ANY YOUTH UNDER THE AGE OF 16 WILL GET IN FREE...Yes, FREE! If the youth attends the convention with a parent, grandparent, etc., whom has purchased a ribbon to the 66th FSSRDC Convention. The 66th Convention Chairmen are not setting a limit on the number of youths that can attend with their family. Youth are the future of square and round dancing and our adult dancers will lead the way for them to join in the laughter, smiles and fun just dancing!

Purchase your Convention Polo Shirt (Ladies Purple & Men's Navy) 1 for \$25.00 or 2 for \$45.00. Also, on sale are raffle tickets for a beautiful Quilt sewn and donated by Diane & Jeff Hissong and a Ring Video Door Bell. These both are a must have!! A doorbell that offers you security and you can link it to your cellphone and be able to see who is ring the bell or hanging around your home while you are in or away from your home. This Raffle is worth the value of purchasing your tickets; 3 tickets \$5.00 or 7 tickets for \$10.00. A quilt that will add beauty to any room is 1 ticket for \$1.00 or 6 tickets for \$5.00. Check with your Association Presidents or Ways & Means Chairman in your area. Each Association has a photo flyer for the quilt raffle. You can also see the quilt on the Federation website by visiting the Convention page.

I would like to thank YOU our Square and Round Dancers for all the work and support you give to our activity. I look forward to seeing you at the 66<sup>th</sup> Florida State Square Dance Convention in 2020 "Power to See the Future"!

A great big THANK YOU to Cheryl Miller, outgoing president of the Federation for her dedicated service these last 5 years. I've got some mighty big shoes to fill.

Linda Tester, President

[lindactester@bellsouth.net](mailto:lindactester@bellsouth.net)

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

DANCERgram

Editor's Note: Cheryl and her late husband, Paul, served as Federation officers three times. Each time was a five year commitment, and the last time Cheryl did it on her own. They were president of the Northwest Association three times, for a total of seven years. They chaired the 2013 Florida State Convention, chaired the Northwest Association Annual Round-up two times, Dancer Couple of the Year twice, and received the Circle of Service in 2003. What are we going to do without Cheryl?

## ***National Square Dance Convention***

[www.69nsdc.org](http://www.69nsdc.org)

### ***Interesting Facts About Washington***

#### ***Can You See Us Now?***

During World War II, there was a secret B-17 bomber-making factory south of Seattle, Washington. To hid the factory from potential attack, Boeing camouflaged it by entirely covering it with a fake neighborhood created by a Hollywood set designer!

The fake neighborhood included fake houses, trees, and artificial sidewalks. Actors were hired to sit on the "set." The intention was to hide the presence of an airplane production facility down below from other potential bombers.

After the war, the facility was used until the mid-1980s, producing Boeing 737s, but without the camouflage.

#### ***Potatoes and a Pig***

America has goe to war with quite a few countries and even itself once over the last few hundred years. One of the countries we kept peace with over the year was Canada, thought that almost didn't happen.

In 1859 there was a confrontation between the British and the United States over country boundaries in the Pacific northwest. It was then that we almost went to war over a pig. The confrontation was over the San Juan Islands; the dispute began when a Canadian owned pig was shot when eating a potato crop while trespassing on the U.S. side of the boundary. Thus began the Pig War.

Both U.S. and British forces built enforcements and prepared for war. However, both military commanders ordered their forces to stay in a defensive posture not to fire the first shot. After months of stand-off, negotiations proved successful, and with the exception of the pig, not a casualty was received or shot fired.

***Spokane Convention Center & DoubleTree Hotel  
Home of the 69<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention®***

The Spokane ConventionCenter campus sits on the banks of the Spokane River located in the heart of downtown Spokane, providing spectacular views of the 100-acre Riverfront Park along with close access to numerous restaurants, hotels, entertainment opportunities, and unique shopping. The campus, which includes the INB Performing Art Center and the Spokane Convention Center is attached to two major hotels, the DoubleTree by Hilton and the Davenport Hotel, and surrounded by many others. Built specifically to host the event, the Spokane Convention Center is the region’s premier choice for conventions, consumer shows, banquets, meetings and social events.

For warm-weather events, there is the spectacular Roof Deck and new Riverside Terrace, each with a panoramic view of the river and Riverfront Park, perfect for up to 500 people for a stand-up reception or events from early Spring through mid-Fall.

The INB Performing Arts Center, which is adjacent to the Spokane Convention Center, has a 32,700 seat auditorium with full technical capabilities for professional entertainment and large meetings.

***All Callers & Cuers***

Please update your Caller/Cuer Profile by February 1, 2020, if you wish to be scheduled during the 69<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention. We will begin to schedule assignments so that we can make our Program Book schedule. Thank you for registering and sharing your time and talents with us.

If you have not started one yet, then please go to [sdconvention.com](http://sdconvention.com) to begin creating yours and then visit often to keep it updated. To create a profile, you will need to create a user id and password at [sdconvention.com](http://sdconvention.com) for the online registration that lets you check which conventions you are registered for. Once you have an id and password, then log in, and in the upper left corner, you will see a selection for Dance Leader Profiles. That’s all there is to it – when we are ready for them, they will be right there waiting on us and current because you have kept them that way.

If you need assistance, please contact:

- Linda Margheim, Program Chairman – [sam@nsdcnec.com](mailto:sam@nsdcnec.com)
- Carl and Cindy Boone, Assistant Program Chairman – Carl: [cboone@sbpc.com](mailto:cboone@sbpc.com), Cindy: [boonecarlcindy@yahoo.co](mailto:boonecarlcindy@yahoo.co)
- Jim and Janet Winslow, Computer Coordinator – [jim@jjwinslow.com](mailto:jim@jjwinslow.com)

***69<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention® Camping***

Camping for the 69<sup>th</sup> NSDC will be at the Spokane County Fair Campgrounds. It is approximately 5 miles from the Spokane Convention Center. There are 340 spaces for Convention campers. Spaces are given on a first come first serve basis. If you plan to camp near friends, you must

## DANCERgram

arrive together. To sign-up for camping, complete the applicable section of the Registration form (Long Form) indicating nights desired. Camping is \$45 per night, with a 4night minimum

The Spokane County Fair Campgrounds offers guests the following features:

- 110 sites with either 30 or 50-amp service
- 90 sites with 20-amp service
- Water hook-up available throughout the campground. (Campers are requested to bring a splitter for water hook-up.)
- Sites to accommodate 4-+ units
- Onsite dump station
- Shower facilities available

Scheduled RV Park events Include:

- After party for Friday night. (Callers to be determined.)
- Breakfast potluck. (Date to be determined.)

Shuttle service will be available for \$50.00 per person. To sign-up for Shuttle service, complete the applicable section of the Registration form (Long Form). Please have your shuttle requests submitted by May 15, 2020!

Currently, plans are to have two shuttles running from June 17 to June 20. Shuttles will start at 7:00 am from the Fairgrounds. The last shuttle will depart the Convention Center at 11:30 pm. Shuttles will have 40 minute round-trips.

RV Park maps, directions, and information on area shopping and services will be included in future editions of the 60<sup>th</sup> NSDC E-Magazine.

### ***Planes, Trains & Automobiles (Transportation Options to Spokane)***

Planes: There are 6 major airlines providing service to Spokane International Airport daily.

Trains: Trains arrive daily from the east and west coasts at the Spokane Terminal Center. This central station is a 10-minute walk from the Spokane Convention Center or catch a cab to your hotel.

Automobiles: Spokane is an easy scenic drive from several regional cities. Interstate 90 takes you over the Cascade Mountain Range to Seattle in four hours, through the Rock Mountains to Missoula, Montana in three hours, and just over the Idaho border to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, in a quick 40 minutes.

### ***Transportation Around Spokane (Spokane Transit Authority)***

Don't stress the drive, let Spokane Transit (STA) do it for you. STA provides Fixed Route bus service on 41 different routes with 147 buses, 28 of which are hybrid (diesel-electric) vehicles.

### ***Parking Availability***

There are a variety of surface parking lots and garages located in Downtown Spokane and adjacent to the Spokane Convention Center. The map of parking lots is available on the Downtown Spokane Partnership's website: [downtownspokane.org/transportation](http://downtownspokane.org/transportation).

If you want to determine the rate information for a specific parking location, click on the "P." This will provide the name and address of the parking location, hourly rate, and daily rate. Please note that there are NO in and out privileges at any of the parking garages or surface parking lots, except those for registered guests at a hotel as indicated below.

P in Blue Font is parking garage P in Black Font is the surface parking lot

#### Map Key:

1. Spokane Convention Center
2. DoubleTree by Hilton – Parking garage adjacent to the hotel. Self-parking is \$20.00 per day and valet parking is \$30.00 per day, registered guests have in and out privileges.
3. Davenport Grand Marriott – parking garage adjacent to the hotel. Self-parking is \$17.00 per day and valet parking is \$22.00 per day, registered guests have in and out privileges.
4. Courtyard by Marriott – Surface parking lot adjacent to the hotel. No charge for registered guests.
5. Centennial Hotel Spokane – Surface parking lot adjacent to the hotel rate of \$12.00 per day for registered guests.

### ***Tours! Tours! Tours!***

Make time for some fresh air and beautiful sights. The 69<sup>th</sup> NSDC has scheduled 13 different tours of beautiful Spokane and the great northwest area for everyone to enjoy! Each edition of the 69<sup>th</sup> E-Magazine will highlight a few of these tours and provide the contact information for you to reserve your seat for a great experience! Tours are offered for the following attractions:

- Spokane City Tour
- Green Bluff Tour
- Lunch Cruise on Lake Coeur d'Alene
- Grand Coulee Dam Laser Light Show
- River Rafting on the Spokane River
- The Power of Wind and Water
- Wine Tasting at Latah Creek and Arbor Crest
- Wine Tasting & Picnic Lunch
- From Traders and the Spokane Indians
- Silver Valley and the Crystal Gold Mine
- A Winery Craft Brewery and Distillery
- The Ice Age Flood & Dry Falls with lunch
- Glacier National Park (Pre-Convention, June 15 – 17)

More Tour information and reservations available at 509-315-9014

Note: Tours not meeting minimum participants by May 20, 2020, will be canceled and your money will be refunded. Tours meeting the minimum participants may still be available at the Convention until sold out.

### ***Trail Thru & Trail End Dances***

Tuesday, June 16, 2020 – Trails Thru Dance

North Spokane Dance Center, 7424 N Freya St Spokane Wa 99217

Trail Bosses” Jerry Junck, Rob Krum, Daryl Clendenin, Jim Hattrick

Round Wranglers: Jim Hattrick, Yvonne Clendenin

7:00 to 8:00 p.m. with Plus Level with Rounds

MS 8:00 to 10:00 pm Mainstream Dance with Rounds Phase 2/3

Finger foods • Hearing Enhancement • Plenty Of Parking

For info: Rob Krum 509-768-7777. [www.SquareDanceSpokane.org](http://www.SquareDanceSpokane.org)

Reprint from American Square Dance – December 2019

## ***All Things Considered***

By Ed Foote

### **My Christmas Wish List**

1. **I wish** that more dancers would take advantage of the invitation from CALLERLAB to attend its annual convention. Here is a chance for dancers to attend any committee meeting or interest session and witness everything that happens. The next convention will be April 5 – 8, 2020, in Reno, Nevada. In 2021 it will be March 26-31 in Dallas, Texas. For information contact CALLERLAB at 800-331-2578,
2. **I wish** that teachers of Beginners Classes would emphasize fun vs. the learning of call names. So what if the class runs longer? It is likely to cause dancers to stay enthused and thus remain in the activity
3. **I wish** that club would only graduate from Beginners Class those who achieve at least an average standard of ability, instead of graduating everyone no matter how poorly they dance, thereby causing discouragement for others in the class and club members.
4. **I wish** callers would eliminate 95% of their use of Do-Sa-Do. This double reversal of body-flow call makes any dance less smooth the more it is used. Big-name traveling callers seem to use this a lot, especially in singing calls, thereby conveying the attitude that they don't care about smoothness – that they just want people to drool over how beautiful their voice is. But this causes new callers to think they should use Do-Sa-Do all the time too.
5. **I wish** There was consistency at the National Convention. Things that are good one year can easily be bad the next year, and the dancers will not know until they are there, and then it is too late. Latest example: Bad sound in the large halls at 2019 National in

## DANCERgram

Atlanta, Georgia. The National Convention Executive committee says it has printed guidelines for everything, and this is true. But once a city has gotten the bid, it has free reign to do whatever it wants with little oversight on standards. I have been making this wish for consistency for over 30 years, so I have o hope that anything will change

Reprint from American Square Dance – December 2019

## *Looking Ahead*

February 15, 2020 – **The Dixie Dancers Olustee Battle Festival** – Richardson Community Center, 255 NE Coach Anders Lane, Lake City, Florida – Callers: Elmer Sheffield, Rod Barngrover, and Bill Chesnut – Cuers: Ann Hadsall and Ralph Beekman. Friday night: Trails End Dance at the Richardson Community Center – Caller: Bill Chesnut – Cuer: Ann Hadsal - \$10 per couple. Sponsored by The Square Wheels. Saturday: Street Dace as [art of the Festival Entertainment – Caller: Bill Chesnut – Downtown Olustee Park. Sponsored by The Dixie Dancers. Saturday night dance: advance tickets \$8 per person and at the door \$10 per person. For info: 386-365-7136.

November 20 – 21, 2020 – **Northeast Association’s Fall Festival – “Catch the Wave of the Future”** - Palms Presbyterian Church, 3410 3<sup>rd</sup> Street South, Jacksonville Beach, Florida – Caller: Steve Holzhausen – Cuers: Earle and Carol Collins – Mainstream, Plus, Advanced, and Rounds – after party both nights at the host hotel Hampton Inn Oceanfront. \$15 per person for early registration \$20 at the door. One night only \$10 per person – pay at the door. Please bring food items to donate to the church’s food pantry! For info: 9004-652-6002 or [jjuziane@gmail.com](mailto:jjuziane@gmail.com).

## *Links*

Updated September 2019

Websites

<http://floridasquaredance.com/>

Florida Federation’s Facebook page -

[https://www.facebook.com/#!/home.php?sk=group\\_149454955123658andap=1](https://www.facebook.com/#!/home.php?sk=group_149454955123658andap=1)



Conventions

Spokane, WA – June 2020 - [www.69nsdc.com](http://www.69nsdc.com)

Jackson, MS – June 2021 - [www.70nsdc.com](http://www.70nsdc.com)

Publications

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

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

Associations/Organizations

Alliance of Round, Traditional, and Square Dance (arts) - <http://www.arts-dance.org>

American Callers Association - <https://americancallers.wordpress.com/>

CALLERLAB - <http://www.Callerlab.org>

Florida Callers Association - <http://www.flCallersassoc.org/>

International Association of Gay Square Dance Clubs - [www.iagsdc.org](http://www.iagsdc.org)

National Square Dance Campers - <http://www.nsdca.org>

ROUNDALAB - <http://www.roundalab.org/>

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

Single Square Dancers USA® - <http://ssdusa.org>

Square Dance Marketing - <http://www.you2candance.com>

Suncoast Callers & Cuers Association (SCCA) - <http://scafl.com>.

United Square Dancers of America - <http://www.usda.org/>

West Coast Square & Round Dancers' Association

<http://floridasquaredance.com/westcoast/index.html>

Vendors

Aron's Square Dance and Western Wear Shop

<http://www.aronssquaredanceshopandpatterns.com/>

Brantley's Western and Casual Wear – [www.brantleyswesternsupply.com](http://www.brantleyswesternsupply.com)

CaLyCo Crossing - a full line square dance shop - <http://www.calyco.com/>

E-Bay Sales – Margaret Cahan – [mcahan904@aol.com](mailto:mcahan904@aol.com) – 904-777-

## DANCERgram

Geelong Square Dance Merchandise - <https://squaredancing.com.au/square-dance-merchandise>

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

JL Custom Vinyl Store (vinyl decals including dancing) – <http://www.jlvinyl.com>

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

Petticoat Junction – <https://petticoatjct.com>

Redbubble - <https://www.redbubble.com/people/dwht71/works/36406970-glsd-proud?p=t-shirt>

Resashay – <http://resashay.com>

Sew em up Fashions – [www.sewemupfashions.com](http://www.sewemupfashions.com) or [tom1nancy@wmconnect.com](mailto:tom1nancy@wmconnect.com)

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

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

Suzie Q Creations - [www.suzieqcreations1@gmail.com](mailto:suzieqcreations1@gmail.com)

Tic TAC Toes - shoe vendor - <http://www.tictactoes.com/>

Vinyl decals - [sewemupfashions.com](http://www.sewemupfashions.com) or [tom1nancy@wmconnect.com](mailto:tom1nancy@wmconnect.com) (Sew 'em Up Fashions, Roebuck, SC)

### Dance Halls

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

Stardust - <http://curtandtammy.com/index.cfm>

### Callers/Cuers

Rod Barngrover - <http://www.rodbarngrover.com>

Sam Dunn - <http://www.samdunn.net/>

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

Jimmy and Carol Griffin - <http://www.floridasquaredance.com/jcspin/>

Pamela and Jeff Johnson - [www.RapidBallroom.com](http://www.RapidBallroom.com)

Charlie Lovelace - <http://www.luvrounds.com/>

Dave Muller - <http://www.davemuller.net>

Ron Reardon - <http://www.ronreardoncaller.com/>

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

Curt and Tammy Worlock - <http://curtandtammy.com/>

### Miscellaneous

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

DANCERgram

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

*This E-Newsletter is written and published by a square and round dancer concerned about the preservation of our dance activity. Publication is monthly with Flashes as needed. The Editor reserves the right to edit, condense or rewrite any submission. Opinions expressed are not necessarily that of the Editor or the West Coast Square and Round Dancers' Association. All new information (since the previous issue) is highlighted in yellow. Please forward this newsletter to your membership or other interested parties, or provide printed copies to your members and visitors. The newsletter is also available at [www.dancergram.com](http://www.dancergram.com). If you would like a copy emailed to you or would like your club information added, please contact the editor at [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com).*