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This publication is a sub-set of the *DANCERgram*, which provides Square and Round Dance news for the West Coast of Florida AND is the official Newsletter of the West Coast Square & Round Dancers Association (formerly the *West Coast Dancer*).

If you have or you know someone who has something to celebrate, are ill, or have suffered a loss, and you would like to share it with the square and round dance community, please let us know.

Announcements will be made for Florida based retired callers and cuers, callers and cuers, who perform in Florida, and square and round dancers from the West Coast Association area as well as West Coast Association officers, Florida Federation officers, and Florida representatives on the USDA Board – all of these include current, former, and retired individuals.

Please email sgdnxfan@gmail.com with the person's/people's name(s), details of the incident, address to mail cards to, a little information on them such as what club they belong to (or did), if they are a caller or cuer or a partner to a caller and cuer, and email address of the person the incident is about. If you are reporting something for someone else, they will need to be contacted to obtain their permission to print the information.

If you have any questions, please contact the Editor.

Joys

Caller **Anne Uebelacker** retired on June 21, 2021. If you would like to send cards, her address is 2625 Dogwood Street SE, Auburn, Washington 98092 or if you would like to email her, her email address is auebelac@comcast.net.

Wayne [Chunat] has taken a bunch of tests since we returned from Ohio at the beginning of the month. Happy to say the tests are all showing very positive results. The PET scan showed no malignant growths in his intestines, kidneys or liver. Just lumps that were there in 2015 on his last test. Also saw his lungs on the PET scan and they are not as bad as we thought from having COVID. So we are very happy. Sally

Wayne and Sally are square and round dancers at Strawberry Square and Buttons & Bows.

Concerns

Roger Ritter had his pacemaker replaced November 8th and he was back home the next day.

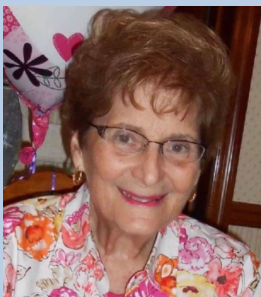
If you would like to send a card, his address is 177 Gem Lake Estates Road, Franklin, North Carolina 28734.

He was part of the original group that started Suncoast Squares in St. Petersburg.

I was messaging Mike Runnels yesterday about his father, **Jim Runnels**. Mike said Jim is in his final days. If you would like to send cards, his address is 4180 60th Court, Vero Beach, Florida 32967.

About 45 years ago Jim taught round dancing for the City of Lakeland in the old Recreation Center at the corner of Massachusetts Avenue and Pine Street. There is a parking lot there now. He cued for Buttons & Bows for many years. He had to quit as he was transferred by Piper Aircraft to Vero Beach. His wife, Jenny, passed away a few years ago. They are both past presidents of the Round Dance Council of Florida. Jim was president in 1983 and 1998, and Jennie was in 1988.

Sympathies



My sweet, loving mom, **Martha Springer**, passed away peacefully in her sleep late Saturday night after suffering a heart attack a week earlier. She lived a long and wonderful life. She was devoted to her loving husband of 68 years, Art, raised 6 wonderful kids, enjoyed her many grandchildren and great grandchildren, traveled all over the US and world helping with Dad's Square Dance Calling, and loved volunteering with many groups and her Sacred Heart Church. She was the heart of our family. Her unconditional love and devotion to us all will be so greatly missed, as will her beautiful smile and comforting hugs. We will share information on her service when details are finalized. Mom...I love and miss you. ❤️😭. Susan Springer Kelly

Sympathies



Elizabeth (Betty) Boone (83) passed away Sunday, October 21, 2021 in Orlando, Florida. She is survived by her daughter, Melanie Lee Boltze; daughter, Susan Elizabeth Washick (husband, Robert); son Clifford R. Boone, Jr. (wife, Sandy); brother, Spencer Graves; grandchildren, Dakotah Boltze, Garrett Boltze, Nicholas Boone, and Emily Boone; and other extended family and friends.

Betty will be remembered by square dancers for her cheerful attitude and all the decorations she made for our theme dance.

Condolences may be sent to Susan Boone, 1398 Anna Catherine Drive, Orlando, Florida 32828-7405.

Betty was a member of Temple Twirlers in Tampa.

Martha Bird, Temple Twirlers

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