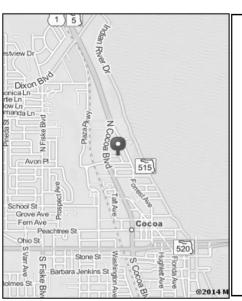


5th Saturday Dance

Caller: CFCA's BEST

Cuer: Dick Nordine

Saturday, August 30, 2014



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First United Methodist Church of Cocoa 825 Forrest Ave Cocoa, FL 32922

Early Rounds 7:00 PM
Alternating Mainstream & Plus
7:30 to 9:30 PM
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New Business

Nominating Committee for 2014/2015 Board:

Jack & Barbara Hoffman and Randy & Carol Poole agreed to lead the effort, and called upon all present to try to recruit members from outside the current board and immediate circle to fill some of these positions.

Next Board Meeting:

The next board meeting will be held on August 30th at 4 p.m. before the 5th Saturday dance. Terri will try to book Kay's BBQ on Hwy 520. A general meeting and election of officers will then be held at the dance hall just prior to the dance.

Ian Ogilvie moved to adjourn the meeting. This was seconded by Gail Morris. The meeting was adjourned at 5:20 p.m.



USA National Square Dance Conventions

June 24-27, 2015 Springfield, MA
June 22-25, 2016 Des Monies, IA

June 21-24, 2017 Cincinnati, OH

www.floridasquaredance.com

activity will be run to benefit the 61st State Convention. Details will be handled by the Convention Committees. Ribbons and flyers are now available.

Currently, there are 50 registered for the event. (44 @ \$15, 5 @ \$20 and 1 'comp'ed')

Randy Poole is currently negotiating a host hotel for the event, and believes that superior accommodation may be had for about \$90 per night, although there are less expensive options that are also being checked. All are close to the venue.

The Space Trackers board agreed that they will offer their Thursday dance night before the Shamrock Swing as a Trail's End dance to help encourage participation throughout the event.

Party Weekend (Randy & Carol Poole):

2014:

The 2014 Party Weekend held April 11-13 was relatively lightly attended, but still made \$1114 to benefit the 2015 state convention.

<u>2015</u>:

2015 Party Weekend will benefit the 2016 state convention. Availability of the facility for next year includes the period after Easter, and Randy asked for suggestions for the date. After some discussion, it was agreed that he should target the weekend of the 24th and 25th of April.

5th Saturday Dances (Terri Little):

August 30,2014 – Terri reported that this will be the President's Ball, will be held at the United Methodist Church in Cocoa, and that flyers are now available. Callers will be the "Central Florida's Finest" once again, and the cuer will be Dick Nordine.

November 29, 2014 – The venue for this dance has not been identified at the present time, but efforts will be made to hold it in the Ocala area. Terri will contact Norm Barnes from the Ocala Twirlers to try to work this out.

Old Business

None

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Each New Member \$10

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Please make checks payable to: CF And Mail to:

Gail Morris, CFA VP Membership 1260 Saratoga Lane, Geneva, FL 32



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Insurance Report:

Keith Olds provided the insurance report, noting that numbers are down to 604 from last year's total of 764, but up from the year prior. The number of clubs represented is down to 14, with the loss of the Friendly Squares, the Allemanders and the Starlight Promenaders. The balance in the insurance account is \$914.

Keepin' Posted Editor (Ailene Picheco):

Ailene reported that the most recent KP was mailed out with first class postage on this occasion, due to a temporary issue, but should be sent out using bulk rates from now on. The board complimented Ailene on the quality of the publication and the hard work she is putting in on it.

Historian (Jack & Barbara Hoffman):

No formal reand record the port. The Hoffmans continue to take pictures events and activities in the area.

Florida Federation (Dennis & Nancy Taylor):

No formal report. It was stated that progress has been made in arranging for chairpersons for upcoming conventions. Jack and Barbara Hoffman assured the board that plans were moving forward well for the 2015 Convention.

Shamrock Swing:

2014 (Ailene Picheco):

The dance was successful, but posted a \$1242 loss, due to the doubling of expenses for the hall. The financial report closes out this agenda item.

2015 (Richard & Carol Douget):

Carol provided the following report for the next Shamrock Swing, to be held in Titusville at the Elk's Club, on the 20th and 21st of March. Mac McCall and Jack Lewis are the callers, and Dick Nordine will be the cuer. Since we have the hall all day Friday and Saturday, plans are underway to start dancing at 10 a.m. on each day. We also plan to have Dangle Dances on both days to help generate interest. Additionally, it is planned that we will make lunch available to the dancers on both days, as a convenience for dancers wishing to jump right back into the dancing in the early afternoon. This

Absent:

Dennis & Nancy Taylor, Rick Morris, Richard Douget

Terri Little pointed out an error in the prior minutes that identified the November 5th Saturday Dance as the President's Ball, rather than the one in August. Randy Poole moved that the minutes from the last meeting be accepted as amended; Gail Morris seconded. Motion carried.

Treasurer (Dennis & Nancy Taylor):

The report was presented by Jack and Barbara Hoffman on behalf of the Taylors, as follows:

Balance Sheet as of 5/15/2014
Income and Expense Sheet as of 5/15/2014
Detailed outlines of the Party Weekend and 2014 Shamrock
Swing

This report will be filed for audit.

<u>Correspondence</u>: An email from Vicki Todd of the Clover Squares in Levy County, informed the CFA of a parade in Williston on July 3rd. The parade organizers are looking for square dancers for the event. (This might be a useful suggestion to area clubs as a Knothead event.)

Notifications to the board were received of the recent hospitalization of members Richard Douget (heat exhaustion), and Tom Rothwell (heart attack).

Area Reports (Ailene Picheco):

Ailene reported that Honeybees, which were previously thought to have closed, are still, in fact, dancing, but with a reduced schedule.

The Friendly Squares have closed during the past quarter.

Individual clubs continue to be encouraged to provide reports of their activities regularly for insertion into Keepin' Posted.

Membership VP Report :

Gail Morris reported that our member total is currently 99 members, and that it is her intention to institute an email campaign in the fall, specifically targeted to those members who let their membership lapse during the past year.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Summertime and the dancin' is easy...to paraphrase George Gershwin! And the livin' ain't too bad either! Who else is glad the cold is gone?

Did everyone attend this year's convention? If not, you missed a wonderful weekend! CFA wishes to congratulate **Penny** and **Jenny Green** (and all of their committees, of course) for a job well done!

And now it's off to Hollywood! The stars sure were out on Sunday night during the kickoff! The red carpet was well traveled! **The Hollywood Scene in 2015** has all kinds of events planned for next year's convention. It will be held on May 22, 23, and 24, 2015, at the Lakeland Center. You can help support the convention in a couple of ways...you can have your name in a star in the **Walk of Fame** for only \$5; and purchase chances for the **Florida Square Dance Quilt**, \$1 for one chance or \$5 for seven chances (see a picture of the quilt at www.floridasquaredance.com). Ribbons are available and the host hotel is taking reservations. Check out the convention website for more details.

And don't forget about the **Shamrock Swing**. The dates are March 20th and 21st, 2015. We've changed locations, though! We'll be in Brevard County at the Titusville Elk's Lodge, 2955 Columbia Boulevard, Titusville. We'll have **Mac McCall** and **Jack Lewis** as our callers and **Dick Nordine** will be the cuer. **Richard and Carol Douget** are the chairmen and are very excited to put their signature on this event. Watch for the leprechauns...they will be visiting your area soon! Check out the website (www.floridasquaredance.com) and click on the **Shamrock Swing** link for details.

Our next 5th Saturday Dance will be held on August 30 and is our President's Ball. We will be electing officers and installing them during this dance. We'll be in Cocoa at the Cocoa United Methodist Church, 825 Forrest Avenue. Space Trackers and Canaveral Squares will be co-hosting this dance. As usual, we'll have Central Florida Caller's

Association's BEST callers and **Dick Nordine** as our cuer. Early rounds start at 7 pm with squares from 7:30 to 9:30. Join us for a fun night of dancing and meet the new officers of CFA.

Just a reminder...if you need information about any dance around the state, be sure to check out our website (listed below). There are links to all five associations and most clubs. And check out your club's information to make sure everything is current. If you need some changes, e-mail **Ailene Picheco** (apicheco@att.net). She's the Area Vice President (AND Keepin' Posted editor!) and will make sure the updates get submitted.

See you in a square! Yellow Rocks...

Terri Little



HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!



We were honored to present two "Extra Mile Awards" on Saturday evening at the Convention to Southeast Caller Chris Phillips and Northwest Caller David Muller; congratulations to both these Callers! As we stated, it is an honor for the Florida Federa-

tion of Square Dancers to be the presenter of this award. We know we have many Florida Callers & Cuers in our state that show that willingness to go the "Extra Mile" without personal gain in support of Square Dancing. The Florida Federation does not choose that Caller or Cuer; it is the dancers in the Caller's/Cuer's area that allows our organization to recognize the recipient at our State Convention. You, as a dancer,

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CFA BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES

May 31, 2014 Merritt Island Presbyterian Church, 155 Cone Road, Merritt Island

The meeting was called to order by President, Terri Little at 4:10 p.m. Judy Anderson said the invocation and all recited the Pledge of Allegiance. Terri Little welcomed everyone to the meeting.

In attendance:

Terri Little, Jack & Barbara Hoffman, Ian & Sandy Ogilvie, Ailene Picheco, Carol Douget, Judy Anderson, Randy & Carol Poole, Keith & Angie Olds, Gail Morris

SATURDAY

GENEVA – BRENDON SQUARES ROUNDS

Little Red Schoolhouse, 101 E Main St (Corner of First & Main Street, Entrance on Main) (First Saturday of each month)

7:30-8:00 Phases III & IV 8:00-10:00 Phase II, III and IV

Cuer: Tapes

Email: Mike or Linde mikelinde@bellsouth.net

NOTE: All proceeds from the dance are donated to the Rural Heritage

Center.

PORT ORANGE – A STARS
Port Orange Adult Annex
3738 Halifax Drive
6:00-9:00 Advance Teach and Dance
Callers: John Saunders & John Barrett
Phone: 386-428-1496 or 386-767-7775

SENIORS TEXTING CODE:

ATD: At The Doctors BFF: Best Friend Fell,

BTW: Bring the Wheelchair, BYOT: Bring Your Own Teeth, FWIW: Forgot Where I Was.

GGPBL: Gotta Go Pacemaker Battery Low,

GHA: Got Heartburn Again, IMHO: Is My Hearing-Aid On, LMDO: Laughing My Dentures Out, OMMR: On My Massage Recliner,

OMSG: Oh My! Sorry, Gas,

ROFLACGU: Rolling On Floor Laughing And

Can't Get Up

TTYL: Talk To You Louder.



need only to submit a nomination form by the February 1st deadline. Please consider recognizing someone within your dance area. The nomination form can be found on the floridasquaredance.com website.

There were also two inductees into the Florida State Square & Round Dance Hall of Fame: Jack & Barbara Hoffman, Central Association and Paul & Chervl Miller, Northwest Association.

Our Florida Federation of Square Dancers held a meeting on Sunday, May 25th. After speaking with several dancers who were new to the State Convention who were not familiar with what the traditions of our State Convention (or even with their own Association's traditions) were, the Federation formed a committee to update the "Handbook for Square Dancers" in which we hope to address all questions a "new Square or Round Dancer" may have. If you have a question, or questions, that you feel you would like to ask, please send us an email by **August 15th** (remember no question is too small when we have so many new dancers entering our Square and Round Dance community). This book will be published after it is presented to the Federation Delegates for approval. The books will be printed at the Federation's expense and distributed to each Association.

Did you see the 61st Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention kick-off? The Producers & Directors were hounded by the paparazzi as they walked the Red Carpet at the Premier of the new musical dance production "The Hollywood Scene in 2015" which featured the opening dance number with literally hundreds of dancers. Have you gotten your Ribbons for this event? Rumor has it we will have many Florida Celebrities attending this event.

Have you seen the upcoming raffle item for the 61st Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention? The Florida State Convention history is beautifully displayed on the Quilt sewn by Terri Little, tickets are on sale now. One for \$1.00 or seven for \$5.00. Each Association has a photo flyer for the quilt raffle. You can also see the quilt on the Federation website.

Paul & Cheryl Miller, Presidents Contact us: pe.miller@mchsi.com or (850) 939-6688



A Big Thanks To Everyone

We realize many people contributed to our nomination as well as the selection committee who graciously awarded this honor to us.

If "thank yous" could be singing birds, we'd send a flock your way.

If "thank yous" could be butterflies, they'd brighten up your day!

If "thank yous" could be flowers, we would send a bright bouquet.

To show that we are more thankful than mere words could every say!

THANK YOU SO MUCH for nominating us to be inductee's into the Florida Square & Round Dance "Hall of Fame". We are humbled and honored to be given this prestigious award.

Again, Thank You all for bestowing this honored award to us.

Paul & Cheryl Miller





FRIDAY

BARBERVILLE – WRANGLER COUNTRY SOUARES

Pioneer Art Settlement, 1776 Lightfoot

Lane

7:30-9:45 MS/Plus with Lines and Rounds

Caller: Rod Barngrover Phone: 386-749-4767

BELLVIEW – DBD Dancing Shadows Hall 13405 SE Hwy 484 (April thru October)

7:00-9:00 Dance by Definition (DBD)

Caller: Bob Stern Phone: 352-323-1295 Email: rpstern@aol.com

COCOA – CANAVERAL SQUARES

Cocoa Elks Lodge, 315 Florida Ave

Just South of SR 520

7:30-9:30 Mainstream & Plus Dance Caller: Jerry Reed / John Swindle

Phone: 321-652-0680

Banner Raids: 321-604-1085 Email: apicheco@att.net

Website: www.canaveralsquares.com

FLAGLER BEACH – FLAGLER OCEAN

WAVES

Wickline Center, 800 S Daytona Ave

(Closed July thru August)

7:00-7:30 Workshop 7:30-9:30 Dance Caller: R.J. Hogan Cuer: Irene Smith Phone: 386-446-2642

Banner Raids: 386-446-2642

Website: www.floridadancing.com.fow

GENEVA – BRENDON SQUARES Little Red Schoolhouse, 101 E Main St (Corner of First & Main Street Entrance on

Main)

7:30-9:30 Round Dance Teach

Cuer: Tapes

Email: Mike or Linde mikelinde@bellsouth.net

NOTE: All proceeds from the dance are donat-

ed to the Rural Heritage Center.

LADY LAKE – PLANTATION SQUARES

Route 466 & Recreation Blvd

(Nov thru April)

7:00-9:30 Plus Dance w/Rounds

Caller: Bob Stern Cuer: Loretta Hanhurst Phone: 352-323-1295 Email: rpstern@aol.com

OCOEE - GARDEN PATCH SQUARES

Vogmetto Rec Center, 1910 Adair St

7:00-8:15 Class or Workshop

8:15-9:45 Plus Dance Caller: Bill Boyd

Phone: 407-889-8558 or 407-886-7151 Banner Raids: RoyAnne 407-282-8341

ORLANDO - WHIRL & TWIRL

Whirl & Twirl Square and Round

Dance Center 6949 Venture Circle 7:30-8:00 Early Rounds

8:00-10:00 Plus Dance with Rounds

Caller: Whit Brown Cuer: Guest

Phone: 407-679-2882

Email: email@whirlandtwirl.org

Banner Raids: Bill & Lisa 407-448-7384

bill@rigsbybrothers.com

Website: www.whirlandtwirl.org

WEDNESDAY

MELBOURNE – DIXIE DIAMONDS Eau Gallie Civic Center 1550 Highland Ave 7:00 – 9:00 A1 – A2 Dance

Caller: Jerry Reed / Larry Plumhoff Website: www.JReedSDC.com

OKLAWAHA – PILOT SQUARES Lake Weir Chamber of Commerce 13125 East Hwy 25 2:00-4:00 Advance Dance 4:00-5:00 C-1 Dance Caller: Ron Libby Phone: 352-409-1369

ORLANDO – WHIRL & TWIRL Whirl & Twirl Square and Round Dance Center 6949 Venture Circle

8:00-10:00 Mainstream w/Line Dancing

Caller: Whit Brown Phone: 407-679-2882

Email: ronlibby@aol.com

Banner Raids: Bill & Lisa Rigsby, 407-448-7384 bill@rigsbybrothers.com

Email: email@whirlandtwirl.org Website: www.whirlandtwirl.org

THURSDAY

ANTHONY – CELEBRITY SQUARES / PRESTIGE 55

Anthony United Methodist Church 2396 NE 97th Street

(8 miles north of Ocala)
Activities building behind church

(September thru May) 7:00-9:00 Plus Dance Caller: Red Barngrover Banner: 352-629-0437

Email: Cyrinfla@gmail.com

Website: www.ocalasquaredance.com

MELBOURNE – PALM BAY PROMENADERS

Tropical Haven, 1205 Eddie Allen Road (between W. Nasa Blyd and West

Hibiscus Blvd)

7:30-8:00 Early Rounds

8:00-10:00 Plus Dance with Rounds

Caller: Dale McClary Cuer: Gail Swindle

Website: www.promenaders.org

MERRITT ISLAND – SPACE TRACKERS

Merritt Island Presbyterian Church

155 Cone Road

(1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Thursdays) 6:45-8:00 Square Dance Class 8:00–10:00 Plus Squares

Caller: Whit Brown Phone: 410-952-7408 Email: cldcpa@yahoo.com Banner Raids: Judy 321-268-4450 Website: www.spacetrackers.com

PORT ORANGE – DIXIE SQUARES Port Orange Adult Activity Center

4790 Ridgewood Ave

7:30-9:30 Plus Dance with Rounds

Caller: John Swindle Cuer: Dick Nordine Banner Chair / Club Info:

> Mary Lynn 386-767-2568 Mary Lynn@Mary Lynn Realty.com

Website:

www.floridasquaredance/dixiesquares

SUMMERFIELD – FOUNTAIN SOUARES

Del Webb Spruce Creek Golf & Country

Club

Community Center Ballroom Hwy US 27 & US 441

7:00-9:00 Plus Dance Caller: Ron Libby

Phone: 352-347-9025 or 352-233-9991

Email: lockcom1@netzero.net



61st Florida State Quare & Round Dance Convention

CASTING CALL #2

Here is the 2nd in a series of "Casting Calls". We are looking for anyone who would be interested in at-

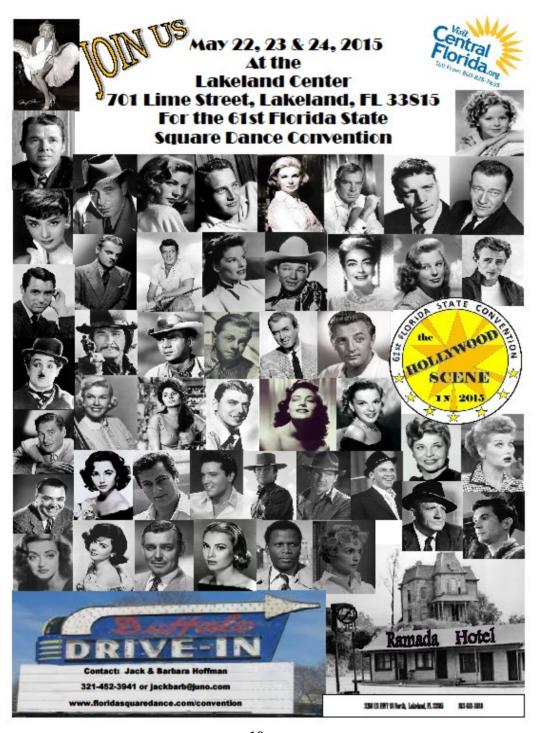
tending this upcoming Convention in 2015 from May 22nd to the 24th. To register for a casting call just sign up to receive your ribbon that is your entrance "ticket" to this big party time weekend. That's all that is required of you to get into this great event.

Once you have arrived at this Star Spangled affair, look for our famous "Stars Wall of Fame". This will be just like the famous "Walk of Fame" out in the real Hollywood except it will be a "Wall of Stars" with names, famous names, like yours. Or maybe you would like to surprise your precious granddaughter or that adorable grandson with their very own Star! Wouldn't that be a real surprise for them because at the end of our big Production Year and the Kick-Off on the 24th, you can take your Stars with you. To obtain your very own star or multi-stars, merely send \$5.00 for each and the number of stars wanted along with the correct spelling of the name(s) to be engraved to our Producers Jack & Barbara Hoffman, 550 Captains Row, Merritt Island, FL 32952. Then when you arrive at the Theater next year look for your stars along our famous Wall-way.

Of course, during the course of this coming year these Stars will also be available at your major dances like the ones in Bartow and Jacksonville this coming November. Just let us know of your big dances so we may attend and personally invite you to our Casting Call and advise you of our Wall of Fame.

It's still early in the planning year for this fun event but you don't want to put off purchasing your ticket too long. Buy it now, attach it to your club badge and you won't have to wonder later if you purchased it or not. Besides its great advanced advertising too. Prices are \$27.00 each plus you will want to include that extra dollar for one of our yellow Hollywood Scenes Buttons. These should be worn at all square and round dance functions as it is a good conversation starter about the 61st State Convention. Send in your checks or monies to our Directors of Registration: Randy & Carol Poole, 1541 Lakeside Drive, DeLand, FL 32720.

Judy Anderson Director of Publicity



OCALA - The OCALA TWIRLERS Ocala West United Methodist Church Stanford Hall 9330 SW 105th Street, off SR 200 12:45-2:00 Plus Workshop (Class starting in Oct) 2:00-2:15 Early Rounds

2:00-4:15 Plus Dance w/Rounds

Caller: Whit Brown Cuer: Bey Landwehr

Phone: 352-237-6416 or 352-854-9378

Email: twarren6@cfl.rr.com

Website: www.squaredancesites.com/

oak run twirlers

PORT ORANGE – SPINDRIFTERS FUN

TIME SOUARES Port Orange Adult Annex 3738 Halifax Drive

7:00-9:00 Mainstream Teach and Dance Callers: John Saunders & John Barrett Phone: 386-428-1496 or 386-767-7775

ST CLOUD - HEEL & TOE

Annex Bldg Senior Center 702 Indiana Ave

7:00-9:00 Alternating MS & Plus

Caller: Bill Boyd Phone: 407-931-1688

Email: BillBoydCaller@gmail.com Website: www.floridasquaredance.com/

heelandtoe

TITUSVILLE - TGO SQUARES

Resort

(Entrance South of Rt 50 West of I-95) 145 Plantation Drive, (Nov to April)

7:00-9:00 Mainstream Dance Caller: John Swindle

Phone: 607-316-4910

(call to make certain we are dancing)

VERO BEACH - TREASURE COAST

SOUARES

Bethel Creek House, 4401 North A1A

Across from JC Park 6:30-7:00 Early Rounds 7:00-9:00 Plus Dance Caller/Cuer: Gib Mattson

Phone: 772-532-3225optonline.net

Email: nrchurch@

Website: www.treasurcoastsquares.com

TUESDAY

OCALA - ON TOP OF THE WORLD

CIRCLE SOUARES

Arbor Club, 10060 SW 94th Street 6:30-8:30 Plus Dance w/Rounds

8:30-9:00 A1 Tips Caller: Don Hanhurst Cuer: Loretta Hanhurst Phone: 352-208-1546 Email: skip6156@aol.com

ORMOND BEACH - GRANADA

SOUARES

Ormond Beach Senior Center

351 Andrews Street 7:00-7:30 Workshop

7:30-9:30 Plus Dance with Lines/

Rounds

Caller: John Saunders Cuer: Dick Nordine

Email: bondsnf@bellsouth.net (put Granada Squares in Subject line) The Manor in the Great Outdoors RV Golf Phone: 386-679-6700 or 386-308-6621

Website: www.granadasquares.com



WHERE TO DANCE IN

CENTRAL FLORIDA

SUNDAY

CASSELBERRY – HOEDOWNERS

Casselberry Senior Citizen Center 200 N Triplet Lake Drive

1:30-2:30 Plus Workshop

2:30-4:00 Plus and Mainstream Tips

Caller: Gene McCullough Cuer: Dick Nordine

Phone: 407-273-2561 (Norma Newton) Email: hoedownerscaller@gmail.com

Email: hoedowners@earthlink.net Banner raids: 386-749-4767

Webpage: www.hoedowners.net

DAYTONA BCH – YELLOW ROCK SOUARES

ARC Bldg, 100 Jimmy Huger Circle Off Jimmy Ann Drive and 5th Street

(call to verify schedule)

2:00-4:00

We need Angels. We are a Handicapable club which loves to have all dancers join

us for fun.

Caller: Rick Yates Cuer: Marilyn Yates Phone: 386-734-2110

Email: reyates.deland@gmail.com

GENEVA – BRENDON SQUARES Little Red Schoolhouse, 101 E Main St (Corner of First & Main Street, Entrance

on Main)

4:30-6:30 Mainstream Dance

Caller: Don Whitaker Phone: 407-542-3799

Email: don@brendonsquares.com Website: www.brendonsquares.com ST CLOUD - MOTIVATORS

St Cloud Senior Center 3101 17th Street

First & Third Sundays Nov thru April

2:00 – 4:00 A2 C1 Tip at 4:00 pm Phone: 321-723-0622

Phone: 321-/23-0622 Email: Ben4DJ@aol.com

THE VILLAGES – ORANGE BLOSSOM SOUARES

La Hacienda Recreation Center

1200 Avenida Central

7:00-9:00 Plus Dance w/ Rounds Callers: Local and National Guests Cuer: Loretta Hanhurst & Irene Smith Phone: 352-758-8094 or 352-259-5404

Banner Raids: 352-753-2931 Email: floridagranny5@comcast.net Website: www.obsquares.org

MONDAY

BELLVIEW – STERN WHEELERS

Dancing Shadows Hall 13405 SE Hwy 484 Rt 484 east of SE 47 12:30-2:30 Lessons 3:00-5:00 A2 Dance

Caller: Bob Stern Phone: 352-323-1295 Email: rpstern@aol.com

LEESBURG - ROYAL SQUARES

Royal Highlands Community Hall 5350 Monarch Blvd (Off Hwy 27) 2 nd & 4th Monday (Oct to May)

7:00-7:30 Early Rounds

7:30-9:30 Mainstream/Plus Dance with

Rounds

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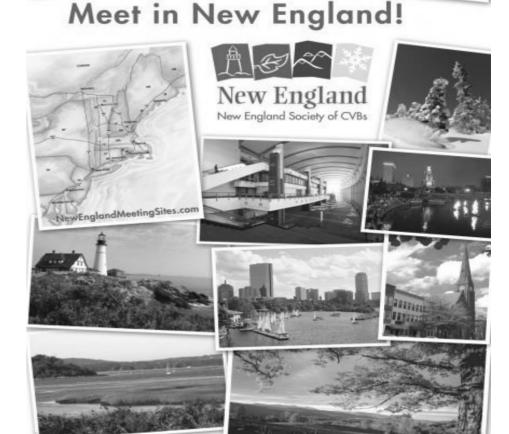


64th NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION®

Springfield, Massachusetts JUNE 24, 25, 26 & 27, 2015







Connecticut Tours



Mystic Aquarium, Lunch, Mystic Seaport, Mystic, CT



Mohegan Sun Casino (includes bonus package)



Foxwood Casino (includes bonus package)



Admission and tour Harriet Beecher Stowe (uncle Tom's Cabin) & Mark Twain Homes, Hartford CT

Vermont Tour



Tour Hildene (Lincoln Family Home) Luncheon at Equinox, Free time Manchester Designer Outlets

After the officers are elected, let them run the club. Day to day decisions can be made by the officers, and only big issues (or any issues likely to be controversial) should be brought to a vote of the membership. Of course, anything to change the bylaws requires a vote of the membership. Many clubs have only one general meeting a year. Between annual meetings, a quick vote after a dance is often used to make decisions

After the officers are elected, it is time for them to start setting an example to the other club members. Welcome guests; tell them you are happy they came. Learn to call club members by name. Visit and dance with as many as you can. Give credit to those who do something extra, recognize those who go out of their way to help. Don't "bad mouth" other dancers or callers. Try to run an efficient club. Spend what is necessary but don't waste the club's money.

Each club needs "idea people", people who think of new things to keep the dances interesting and new ways to add money to the treasury. The officers cannot do all the work or all the thinking, good officers know how to obtain ideas and help from members. Brainstorm ideas with members and with callers. The thing we need is a two-way communication between officers and club members. Remember, you don't just need their membership money; you need their assistance and their friendship. Try getting ideas from the overly critical person or ask them to help. Remember, too, the old saying, "To get a friend, be a friend."

Square dancing gives us so much – and you will get even more, when you start giving something back.

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Point of Order From Kappie Kappenman

Dancing Tips

By Harold & Lil Bausch – American Square Dance August 1990

In observing the workings of clubs I notice that not all the clubs have a smooth transition of officers. Too many clubs are eager to install new dancers in offices. This is a mistake, not because they are not smart, but because they are not familiar with the workings of the club. It is better that they dance in the club a year or two, or even more, so that they know the dub's goals and methods.

It is also wise to elect officers one or two at a time. My point is that officers may serve more than one year and progress in office. For example, the first year, one may be secretary, then perhaps the next year vice-president. Progressing from vice-president to president is logical, and probably better than electing a president who has never held another office. One office often held for a longer period of time is the treasurer. We know of clubs where the person elected as treasurer is one who has financial experience, and who does such a good job that members are reluctant to have the persons go out of office.

The point is that some experienced officers should be in office at all times. The way to do this is to elect only one or two officers each year. Stagger the elections so that there are always two experienced officers on the board

Too often, outgoing officers hand over the books and then walk away and give no assistance to the incoming officers. As a result, the club suffers, like a ship without a rudder, until the new officers catch on to what to do and when to do it. Is it any wonder then that sometimes clubs falter and fail?

We suggest that officers serve more than one term; otherwise they are out of office about the time they know what to do. On the other hand, new officers should be chosen from the club membership regularly, so that all get the chance to be officers if they so desire. We hope too, that members will not turn down the chance to be officers because those who have never been officers never really understand just what it takes to run a club. Some also report that the happiest years in square dancing were those when they are actively involved in running the club.



Parker Maple Barn (pancake breakfast with real NH Maple Syrup) Scenic Drive

New England Adventure



Five night/six day tour of New England. Connecticut, Plymouth Rock MA, JFK Library, Portland Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont.

Overnight accommodations and meals included

Maine / New Hampsire Tour



Down East Lobster Bake at Foster's York ME (BBQ chicken substitute) Guided tour of Portsmouth NH with free time in Old Port

Rhodo Island Tour



Admission to Breakers Mansion, luncheon at Atlantic Beach Club, Newport Harbor Cruise

Massachusetts Tours



Freedom Trail- 8 hour guided tour of Lexington, Concord & Boston. Follow Paul Revere's "midnight ride"



4 hour guided tour of Boston, Free time for lunch at Quincy Market



Lobster bake luncheon at the Gloucester House Restaurant, free time in Rockport MA



Luncheon at historic Salem Cross Inn. *choice of Old Fashioned Chicken Pot Pie OR Yankee Pot Roast. Admission to Old Sturbridge Village, free time at Gift Shop.



Luncheon at Phillips Restaurant, visit to Phillips Candy House, Admission to John F Kennedy Presidential Museum & Library, Boston MA



Visit the Mayflower, Plymouth Rock & Plymouth Plantation

USDA Profile

As a "dancers" organization, the UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA, INC. serves to represent the square, round, contra, clogging, line and heritage dancer in decisions which are made at the national level relative to the development and growth of the dance activity. This representation takes place through the various State and Regional organizations affiliating with the USDA. As a united voice, the USDA is able to express the views of the dancers on a national level so that they might be relayed to other national and international groups with whom the dancers interact such as leaders, callers, cuers, instructors, commercial enterprises, other dancers, etc.

Membership is open to any organized nonprofit square dance groups or other groups representing square, round, contra, clogging, line or heritage dancers that will subscribe to the By-Laws, Rules and Policies of the UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA, INC. In states which do not have a statewide organization, or when the state organization elects not to join USDA, area or regional organizations may join the USDA to represent the dancers of their state. Applications for membership in USDA are available from any of the USDA officers.

Numerous projects have been specifically undertaken by the USDA to fulfill the organization's goals and objectives, and are progressing and expanding very rapidly. Dancers and their organizations, as members of USDA, are afforded the opportunity to participate in the following programs available through the UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA, INC...





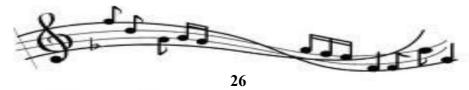
THE WORLDS LARGEST SQUARE DANCE ORGANIZATION

THE ONLY NATIONAL DANCER'S ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED BY DANCERS FOR DANCERS AND OPERATED BY DANCERS

USDA Mission

The UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA, INC. (USDA) was formed on June 26, 1981, during the National Square Dance Convention held in Seattle, Washington, and has grown to a size that approaches the representation of 250,000 dancers throughout the United States. USDA is an organization formed by dancers, for dancers, and is under the operational control of dancers. The purpose of the organization is to:

- Promote and perpetuate the total Square Dance movement which includes Square, Round, Contra, Clogging, Line and Heritage Dancing.
- Establish a line of communication from the individual dancer to a recognized unified body so that an expression of varied opinions can establish or influence policy for making decisions at the national level.
- Provide for education to further the growth and enjoyment of Square Dancing.
- Encourage cooperation between member clubs, state associations, councils, federations; national and international organizations; or other groups involved or interested in the promotion of Square Dancing.
- Provide a forum for implementing the benefits of membership in the UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA and assist members in any way possible.
- Represent Square Dancing to the general public as a wholesome, enjoyable family-type recreation.



BLAST FROM

Bow & Swing, February 1981

SHE NAMED IT

WE HAVE A WINNER!

The winner in our "NAME IT" contest is *Bev Whitney* of St. Cloud. Bev and her husband, John, are members of the Wagon Wheels Square Dance Club in St. Cloud.

Bev's entry, "Keepin' Posted" won her a \$25.00 cash prize and a year's FREE Association membership for her and John.

Congratulations, Bev. and thank you!

Our "NAME IT" contest was a real success judging from the number of entries we received. The names submitted were all very good and the choice was difficult. It was apparent to the selection committee that those who entered the contest gave considerable thought to the names they submitted. For that we are grateful and we thank every one of you who entered the contest.

The selection committee consisted of the officers of the association and Curtis and Verna McDowell. We hope that our members like our choice and agree that "Keepin' Posted" describes the true purpose of our new publication

How our magazine was named!

DROP OUT? ... NEVERU

The next time you get discouraged in any square dance class or workshop tip remember this true story, SMILE, and TRY, TRY AGAIN!

Dorothy Surratt is proof that to be a good square dancer one must first be a good listener.

She has been square dancing for three years and blind for 17 years.

But her lack of sight has not been a problem, she says, although when she first decided to take square dance classes, she wondered if her classmates and the instructor might feel uncomfortable with a blind student in the class

But Eddie Fulps, the caller at the Southside YMCA where she took lessons, told her. "I'm game if you are."

She and her husband, J. B. Surratt, took the 20 weeks of lessons and now are regular members of the Texas Twirlers Square Dance Club and the Cowtown Cloggers. "I just can't say enough good things about how much I enjoy it (square dancing)," she said. "It's the most fun thing I've done in years."

She says she and her husband decided to take the lessons because they had been looking for an activity they could do together.

The idea of making that activity square dancing was spurred one night when they were around a group of square dancers and decided they also liked the costumes square dancers wear.

"I enjoy the quality of the social contacts we make in square dancing," Mrs. Surratt said, "but I also like the opportunity it affords me as a blind person."

She's looking for some round dancing lessons and wants to be a good clogger as well. She thinks her blindness may turn out to be an advantage in those activities, too.

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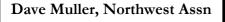
Extra Mile Awards

This award is For 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. Nomination forms are on the Florida Square Dance website:

www.floridasquaredance.com/documents/ExtraMileAwards









Chris Phillips, Southeast Assn





$Synonym \\ {}_{\tiny (noun)}$

A word used in place of the one you can't spell.





Army Flag: Barry Wolfgang, Army; Navy Flag: Jerry Wright, Navy; USA Flag: Fran Keller, Navy; Marines Flag: Michael Ziegler, Army; Coast Guard Flag: Richard Bradley, Coast Guard; Air Force Flag: Charlie Newsome, Air Force



CLUB NEWS

HOEDOWNERS—Casselberry

It was a beautiful Sunday afternoon & we were entertained with squares, lines and rounds! Thank you Gene, Rod & Dick!! View Michael's photos at www. hoedowners.net.

Jerry gave a warm Hoedowner welcome to members, regular guests and special visitors, Marvin & Nancy of Oviedo (guests of Dick & Pat C.). It had been years since Marvin & Nancy danced, but they had fun and we enjoyed dancing with them. Marty & Julia manned the front desk with sunny smiles. Tim, Buzz, Paul, Ellen, Marty, etc. set up the hall. Thank you for your generous donations to Ms. Kitty and the delicious snacks! Dick C. & Al Young (W&T) won the drawings. After the dance we met at Applebee's; listen for Jerry's announcement and join us next week. Next week: June 29th, Red, White & Blue/Indoor Picnic at 12:30 pm; bring side dishes, i.e. salads, casseroles, or desserts and the club will furnish hot dogs! You all come!

Members: Howard H. flew to Dallas to visit family & had a great time. Emily J. had a wonderful time visiting family in CA, but, on the end of her visit, took a tumble and hurt her right leg; wishing you a speedy recovery, Emily!! Following the Blessing of their wedding of twenty years on June 14th, Ronnie & Annette have been entertaining family members. They will probably be able to join us Sunday for our Indoor Picnic. Eileen had a medical procedure today and we wish her a fast recovery. If you know of a member or dancing friend that should receive a card, please notify Bev P., our Sunshine Lady.

Dick Nordine announced Round Dance Lessons starting Monday, June 30th - 7 pm for new dancers, and from 9 - 10 pm for workshop - at the W&T hall. He will be assisted by Meredith Johnson.

Join us at the Hoedowners for good fellowship and fun dancing. We God Bless dance every Sunday, beginning at 1:30 pm. Couples and

singles welcome! See you Sunday!!

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Terri Little

Ways & Means—Central

Richard & Carol Douget

Sheila Reid



Lois Pepkie, wife of Art Pepkie. Lois and Art coordinated The Motivators, an advance club in St Cloud. Lois will be truly missed.





ORANGE BLOSSOM SQUARES



The Villages......Summer has arrived along with warmer days and nights. Our seasonal guests have returned to their summer homes, and we anxiously await their return in the Fall.

We hope everyone had a great Mother's Day celebration with family and friends. Our May dances were all very well attended and fun. Also, the month of May began our summer casual dancewear which means we are able to leave the petticoats and long sleeved shirts at home during the lazy days of Summer. Also, May was the month for our Orange Blossom Squares golf scramble tournament. There were 44 excited golfers who gathered in the afternoon of May 18 to begin their "pro" golfing experience. Who knew we had so many "almost" pros in our midst? Lots of laughs and even a few prizes rewarded the lucky few. May is also the month for the Florida State Square Dance Convention in Lakeland. It is always a big success and very enjoyable.

Our Beginner Class will celebrate the end of Phase I Main Stream this month. We wish them well as they continue Phase II Plus lessons until later in the Summer. We look forward to their graduation and their becoming new members of our club in the near future.

Our June calendar of events promises to be exciting. Ted Kennedy will call our June 1 dance followed by Roland Blanchette on June 8. Duane Rodgers will call our Father's Day Dance & Pie Night Dance on June 15, and Whit Brown will call our June 22 dance. Jack Lewis will send us whirling and twirling around the hall in celebration of our Red, White & Blue Night on June 29 to finish out the month. Loretta Hanhurst will cue our rounds the first 3 weeks in June. We are excited to have Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick cue our rounds on June 29.

July will certainly be another fun month to dance in The Villages. Kevin Brown kicks off the month on July 6, and Bob Ellis will call our tips on July 13. Bob Stern will attempt to call what we are dancing on July 20, and Dave Muller will close out the month on July 27. Quite a lineup!

Loretta Hanhurst will cue our rounds during the month of July. She is always very positive and a favorite of our regulars. Elmer Sheffield, Rod

Barngrover, Duane Rodgers, Mike Cox, and Jack Lewis will put us through our paces in August. We are thrilled to welcome Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick as our guest Round Dance cuers for the month of August.

Sounds like this Summer will be another great time to dance with the Orange Blossom Squares. We look forward to seeing you across the square on a Sunday evening soon.

Happy Father's Day,

Buddy & Cindy Johnson



A new Executive Board was elected on May 9th with Michael & Alice Craft voted in as presidents. At the same time Dick Nordine was selected as club cuer to replace Jan Shankle who passed away in December. We also had these special dances/activities take place: Red Hot Sunday Night, TAW appreciation dinner, recycle sale, HOBO nights, picnic at Ft. Christmas Park, end of mainstream class, new member initiations, Luau dinner and Crazy T-shirt Nights.

For the latest and greatest information about our club and coming events please review our newsletter which is published monthly at www.whirlandtwirl.org Find us on Facebook at Whirl and Twirl Square Dance Club.





tothwell, Clyde Smith, Richard Douget, Jack Hoffman Taylor, Wayne Fryman, Dick Lee, Charles Sheaffer, d (L to R): Karen Smith, Carol Douget, Gail Swindle, Standing (L to R): Doug & amp; Margery Douge John Swindle (caller), Cam Douglas, Dennis [·] Buddy Daniels, Dick Noeske, Woody Coyle, G