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CENTRAL ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Our President's Ball was held at our last 5th Saturday dance on September 29th at the Merritt Island Presbyterian Church, home of the Space Trackers. Our new officers are Terri Little, President; Richard and Carol Douget, Vice President; Sheila Reid, Secretary; and Jack and Barbara Hoffman, Treasurer. Judy Anderson conducted the installation ceremony and we danced the night away. Thanks to all who are willing to play a key role in the CFA hierarchy.

Our next 5th Saturday dance will not be until March 30, 2019, since the December dance would be too close to New Year's Eve dances held around the Central area. BUT...we have a special plan for the March dance. That is the same weekend as our Party Weekend at Deerhaven... which will be held from Friday, March 29 through Sunday, March 31. This weekend is CFA's fund raiser to support the following year's state convention. So, we have decided to combine the 5th Saturday Dance with this fund raiser.

The entire weekend is only \$120 per dancer and includes your hotel room (you bring your own linens and clean before going home), your meals and the Saturday evening dance.

This year, we are adding the CFA 5th Saturday dance in the AFTER-NOON. This, however, is not included in the weekend price. The 5th Saturday dance will be a nominal fee of \$3 for CFA members and \$4 for non-members. **(By the way, if you haven't renewed your membership, now is the time to do it! Our membership year ended September 30, 2018, so our Membership Vice President is looking for those renewals to start rolling in!)** If you only wish to attend the 5th Saturday dance, that is your choice. Of course, we encourage everyone to come for the entire weekend and enjoy the peace and quiet of being away from all the stress of everyday life!

So the entire weekend schedule looks something like this:

Friday night:	Bingo with a pot luck dinner (everyone brings a dish to share)
Saturday morning:	Hot Breakfast (eggs, pancakes, biscuits, sausage gravy, etc.)
Saturday noon: Lunch	(Mexican Delight, basically a build-it-yourself taco salad)
Saturday afternoon:	CFA 5 th Saturday Dance (squares and rounds)
Saturday evening:	Dinner (Pulled pork and all the fixings) Dance with squares and rounds
Sunday morning:	Hot Breakfast (repeat of Saturday)

Please join us and support CFA and the 2020 Florida State Convention...

Don't forget...you can get all the details you need for any square dance activity around the state by checking out the website www.floridasquaredance.com . And, if you don't have access to the internet, you will probably find details in this publication!

That's all for now...keep dancing and I'll see you in a square!

Yellow Rocks...Terri Little

TO ALL MEMBERS OF CFA...

As Area Director, Ailene Picheco needs a **contact person from each club**. It is easier to maintain a relationship with one person in each club who knows what is going on and can pass this information on to her so that the websites and Keepin' Posted are up to date. All clubs should be receiving a copy of Keepin' Posted to have available to members.

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Party Weekend AND CFA 5th Saurday Dance

**March 29-31
2019**

**Friday Night
POT LUCK
& BINGO**

Saturday

**Breakfast ~ Lunch ~ Dinner
CFA Afternoon Dance
Evening Dance**

Sunday

**Breakfast &
Clean Up**

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When you can't control
what's happening,
challenge yourself to
control the way you
respond to what's
happening.

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power is.





FLORIDA FEDERATION NEWS

Yup! Summer's over! Cool weather's just around the corner (hopefully!). It's time to recruit your friends and neighbors for the classes that will be starting soon. Please do your part to keep our hobby of square dancing continuing.

Time is fast approaching for the upcoming association annual dances. Their schedule is as follows:



Northwest Annual Roundup - October 26-27, 2018
West Coast Fall Funfest - November 9-10, 2018
Northeast Fall Festival - November 16-17, 2018
Southeast Snowflake Frolic - January 26, 2019
Central Party Weekend - April 2019

Be sure to get your ribbons for the Florida State Convention coming up in February. We assure you that Ed Drexel and Terry Wetherby and their Pit Crew have been busy planning a fantastic weekend for you!

At this writing, we're sending ya'll yellow rocks from Montana!

More News!

We know that many of you will remember Nan and Frank Habersberger. They moved to Golden, Colorado many years ago to be close to their children. Nan passed away shortly after the move. However, Frank Habersberger is doing well. **He is approaching his 104th birthday on October 27!**

Frank and Nan were Federation Presidents, Presidents of the Southeast Assn as well as very active in the USDA. They were inducted into the Florida Hall of Fame in 1994.

We would like to request that those of you who remember Nan and Frank, send Frank a birthday card. Even if you didn't know them, I'm sure it would mean a lot to Frank to receive many cards from Florida square dancers. Cards can be sent to him at 1644 Adams Street, Strasburg, CO 80136.

Thank you for taking the time to let Frank know you care.

Ray & Elsa Huddleston,
Federation Presidents

2019 Florida State Square & Round Dance Convention



65th FLORIDA STATE SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CONVENTION “GREEN FLAG DANCING FROM DAYTONA”

February 22-23, 2019

www.FloridaSquareDance.com

Are you in a summer slump? Do your tires seem a little flat? Does your engine need a tune-up? Does your battery need charging? Rev yourself up by racing over to your phone and reserving a room or camping site for the 65th FLORIDA STATE SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CONVENTION – “GREEN FLAG DANCING FROM DAYTONA,” Feb. 22-23, 2019. This simple step will make you feel recharged and tuned-up.

Here are the details you need:

The **Homewood Suites** (386-258-2828) and the **Hilton Daytona Oceanfront Resort** (386-254-8200) are now taking reservations. You can also book a spot at the Sunshine Holiday RV Park (386-672-3045). Great rates are available now, but space is limited. Ask for square dancer rates.

The 2019 Convention will feature Fun Rounds (Rounds by Request) two hours each afternoon. The DBD Hall will be larger, the Fun Hall will be larger, Challenge level dancing will be on the schedule, and more time has been scheduled for meals. Fun and more fun!

The planning committee found a great venue for the **Trail End Dance**. You'll be in awe of the beautiful Gold Star Ballroom, 3100 South Ridgewood Ave., South Daytona. (<http://goldstarballroom.com/>) With the 60' by 70' floating floor, there is room for everyone, and fantastic acoustics. It's about a 15 minute drive from either the Homewood Suites or the Hilton. Mark your calendars to attend this dance on Thursday.,

February 21, 2019. Don't miss out on the fun.

Fundraisers for the 2019 convention include polos (\$25 each or two for \$45), t-shirts (\$15 each or two for \$25), buttons (\$1), and totebags (\$10 each or two for \$15). Also, there are raffle tickets (\$1 each or 6 tickets for \$5) with a \$250 cash prize! Then there is the quilt raffle (\$2 for one, or \$5 for five). The \$250 raffle drawing will be at the Fall Fun Fest on November 10th. The quilt raffle drawing will be held Feb. 23 at the 2019 Convention, but you don't have to be present to win either one of those. All of these items can be purchased through the website www.FloridaSquareDance.com

How to purchase ribbons:

Ribbons purchased before the convention are \$40 per person, or at the door \$45.

Please make checks payable to: 65th FSDC

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This is the Convention you definitely don't want to miss!

65th FLORIDA STATE SQUARE &
ROUND DANCE CONVENTION
"GREEN FLAG DANCING FROM DAY-
TONA" #7

February 22-23, 2019

www.FloridaSquareDance.com



We're steering out of the pits and down the racetrack toward Feb. 22-23, 2019, the 65th Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention. It's going to be green flag dancing and a load of fun all weekend!

Here are some of the key racers who are planning this convention for YOU. Colleen and Bruce Morgan, Website and Program book; Rita and Lance Baxter, Vendor Chairman; Jack and Kathy McKinney, Advertising; Jack and Barbara Hoffman, 50/50; Richard and Carol

Douget, Secretary; Ann and Don Slocum, Treasurer and Facility Chair; Ailene Picheco, Advertising Chair; Randy and Carol Poole, Housing and Registration; Jeff and Diane Hissong, Line Dance; Terri and Tim Wilaby, Cued Chair; Rod and Carol Barngrover and Keith and Margo Stevens, Caller Chair; Cheryl Miller, Ways and Means Chair and Dangle Dance Chair; Jack McKinney, Photography; Terri Little, After Party Chair; Sheila Reid, Decorations Chair and After Party; Shannon Reid, Jenny Green; Assistant General Chairman; Ed Drexel and Terry Wetherby, General Chairman. It takes a village to get all the work done.

Mark your calendars to attend this dance on Thursday, February 21, 2019. Don't miss out on the fun.

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Have you bought your ribbon for the Convention on Feb. 22-23, 2019? The 65th Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention is going to be a weekend full of fun!

The GREEN FLAG is waving for all the exciting events being planned:

The dancing starts at 10 AM on Friday, Feb. 22. You can dance 10:00-noon, 1 – 4PM, and 6:30 - 9:30 (or 10:00, TBD) PM Friday and Saturday. Workshops will be held in the mornings, including Introduction to Hex Dancing. Friday evening the Florida Four will perform (Scotty Sharrer, Sam Dunn, Rick Yates, and Alan Snell). Saturday morning there will be dancing on the beach and a sewing class, Dangle Dances Saturday afternoon, and callers Ron Libby and Bobby Keefe will dazzle us Saturday evening. In the afternoons you can experience a new feature for the Florida Convention, Rounds by Request. Square dance attire is optional for the Convention weekend.

The YELLOW CAUTION FLAG is waving to remind you to slow down, make your plans, and buy some Convention merchandise:

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The RED FLAG is waving to say STOP right now and purchase your ribbons:

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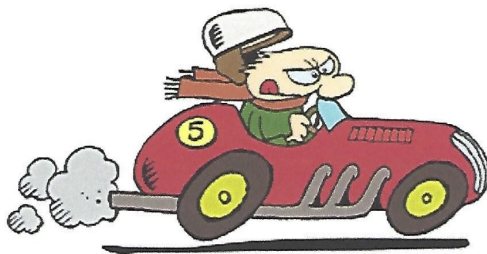
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Quilt Raffle



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**Drawing to be held at the "2019 FSSRDC"
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We're pleased to report that progress is being made by the Peach Pit Committees to ensure a great convention experience for everyone. From those who are attending their 50th National Convention to those who are attending their first, our team's goal is to make your visit to Atlanta and our beautiful state of Georgia a memorable experience! And, while we're here, let's have a great dance

too! The Convention hotels are filling up fast. We reserved more rooms than what history has shown is required when we locked in the hotel rates in 2014. But with the relocation of the Atlanta Braves shortly thereafter, hotel room rates in the area have risen significantly, except for the Convention's room block! They remain at 2014 prices, but when they're gone, so are the lower rates. If you haven't reserved your room, do it NOW! But...you must be registered for the 68th NSDC to book your room! www.68nsdc.org

One thing that is different about the National Square Dance Convention® compared to most other events you may attend is that everyone is a volunteer, donating their time and services without pay, Including paying their own registration fees and expenses to attend. This includes our Convention staff, all the dance leaders (callers, cuers, line dance instructors), and the National Executive Committee (NEC).

Everyone volunteers because of their love of our activity. There's always room for more volunteers! Please consider volunteering, if only for a few hours. Our travel teams continue to tour the country attending state conventions and festivals, inviting everyone to Come Dance & Explore Georgia in 2019!

If you haven't registered yet, we'd love to have you join us in Atlanta next June!

All our best... Angie & Louis McClure
Remember to Register! www.68nsdc.org

Note: Here's a good place to explore Georgia in your leisure time before you "Come Dance & Explore Georgia":

On the web: <https://www.exploregeorgia.org>

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TUESDAY NIGHT TRAILS END DANCE

June 25, 2019
8-10pm



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**Florida Dancers attending
the 44th Annual
Tennessee Convention
in Gatlinberg**



Angie Olds, a member of Dixie Diamonds Advance Club in Melbourne FL, is an expert in archery. She has many Gold Medals to prove it. This year she competed at the National Target Championships and US Open held in Dublin, Ohio Aug. 8-11. As soon as she was finished there she flew to Switzerland where the first ever World Archery Masters Championships were held in Lausanne, Aug 15-18. After she was finished shooting, her husband Keith flew over and they went visited friends in Scotland. They spent a week there and got to see some of their homeland near Aberdeen.



Double gold at national target championships in Dublin, Ohio.
August 8-11, 2018



This was my team from
US Nationals getting gold.



This is me on the podium with my
individual gold.



This is what some
people do. I figured -
hey, I got one for
each hand.



This was the first day of competition in Switzerland and I started with a bang. It started with the ranking round of 72 arrows at 60 meters. It was very windy and I don't shoot well in wind so I ended up being ranked 8th. This ranking is used to determine the brackets for the (single) elimination round. The elimination round was held in the afternoon and by the time we started shooting, the wind had died down. I shot very well and won gold with my Australian friend winning silver and the Russian gal getting bronze. I was very surprised to win gold in this event.

This is me getting bronze in world archery (FITA) field event. Missed getting silver by only 4 points. It was a very challenging course with lots of climbing up and down and shooting at extreme angles. I'm glad I bought hiking shoes just for this event. Remember - its Switzerland, so nothing was flat.



This is my team getting gold. This was when I started shooting "crazy good".



Left: Ready to hit the field course. No phone or electronics allowed so I couldn't take any pictures of the course. Some of the targets were unbelievable!

Right: All 3 medals from Switzerland.

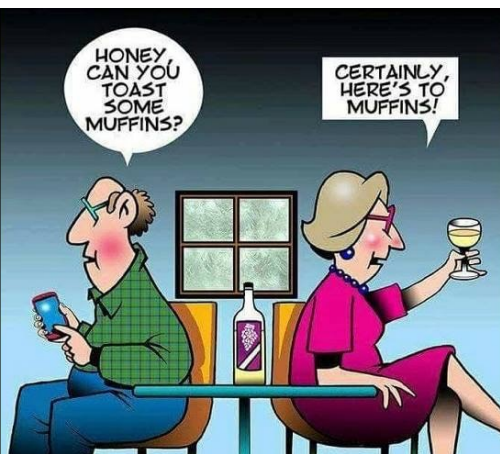


Indoor was shot on the second day. It consists of shooting 60 arrows at 25 meters and 60 at 18 meters. 120 arrows total. That's a lot of arrows to shoot in one day (and shoot them well).

I don't get to shoot indoor very often and there are some people who shoot this as their main event. I didn't expect to

win a medal in this, so this was just a bonus.

Wife: Look at that drunk guy.
Husband: who is he?
Wife: 10 yrs back he proposed to me & I rejected him.
Husband: Oh My God He's still celebrating...

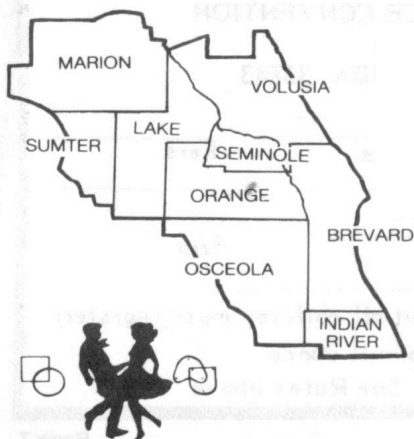


Square Dancers Love to Travel



CLUB NEWS

Hoedowners Spares & Pairs



Sunday was the first day of fall, but the Hoedowners are still dancing in casual summer attire until October 7th. We had Rod filling in for Gene with three smiling squares on the floor. He pulled out favorites like "Ring of Fire" and "Crystal Chandelier". With his mixture of mainstream and plus tips, Rod kept everybody happy. Thanks, Rod, for a great dance!

Jerry led the line dancers in a three-wall routine to the song "Husbands & Wives". He did it - not once, but twice - during the course of the dance. Earle had some great waltzes and two-steps to cue, and he even threw in a couple of rumbas. We are fortunate to have Earle and Carol with us each week.

At announcement time, Jerry started by welcoming first-time guests Robert & Shawn and distributing Hoedowners dangles to them. Several returning guests were with us on Sunday including Whit Brown. Thanks for joining us!

Miss Henrietta Kitty showed up on Sunday wearing a pink polka dot dress and asking for donations. Thank you to all who support the club. Don't forget that next week is our 5th Sunday dance; Tim will come prepared with an opportunity for us to earn a special dangle for our badges.

Be sure to take a flyer for the Open House on October 7th and pass it out to your friends. We hope to have a big class of enthusiastic square dance students.

Shirley won the 50/50 jackpot, and Carolyn took home the crybaby dollar. As usual, the dance closed with a big circle and a lot of yellow rocks. A group met afterwards at Jason's Deli and had a good time. Come next week at 2 p.m., and we'll do it all over again!



Our **Fun Seekers** club **has moved** again to St John Lutheran Church, 10945 Sunset Harbor Road, Summerfield, Fl..

We dance **every Wednesday** from 2 to 4 pm.

Fun Seekers Square & Round Dance Club dances the plus program with phase 2/3 rounds between tips. Don Hanhurst, Caller & Loretta Hanhurst, Cuer.

We dance on the "number system" with the second tip a workshop tip. Our club motto is " We dance just for the fun of it" and we all strive to make that happen every week. When in our area we invite you to join us

The biggest lie I tell myself is..."I don't need to write that down, I'll remember it."

Most People write Congrats because they don't know the spelling of Congrajulashions

Wife;
"I have blisters on my hands from the broom."

Husband;
"next time take the car, silly."

Granada Squares Denim & Lace



Our Regular Club Dance is from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. on Tuesdays. We meet at the Ormond Beach Senior Center, 351 Andrew Street, Ormond Beach.

There will be NO DANCE on Tuesday, November 6 (Election Day), November 20 (Thanksgiving), or December 25 (Christmas Day).

We plan on having a “Spooktacular” time at a Halloween Dance on October 30. On November 13, we’ll remember our Veteran’s and we also

celebrate our Club Anniversary. December 18 is our Christmas Dance. Please check our website for the latest information – www.granadasquaresdenimandlace.com

We offer a Basic Square Dance Workshop from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. The workshop starts its eighth week in October. Please see our website for information on the start of our next workshop.

Rod Barngrover is our caller, Jerry Baron leads line dances, and Don Brown cues our round dances.

We look forward to seeing you on a Tuesday.
Get Healthy! Get Happy! Get Square Dancing!
Ted Frank



Orange Blossom Squares

Orange Blossom Squares will begin October with a special "ticketed" dance on the 7th with Jeff Palmer from Colorado calling and Loretta Hanhurst cuing. Ron Libby will be the caller at our dance on the 14th and Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick will do the cues. October 21st Don and Loretta Hanhurst will be the caller and cuer respectively. We will have our "Halloween" dance on the 28th with Scotty Sharrer doing the calls and Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick doing the cues.

November the 4th will feature Jack Lewis doing the calls and cues. On the 11th the club will have a "Veterans Day" dance with Dave Towry calling and Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick cuing. Larry Belcher from Alabama will be the caller on the 18th with Loretta Hanhurst doing the cues. Our "Thanksgiving Dance" will be held on November 25th. Ron Libby will be calling and Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick cuing.

OB Squares will have its annual "Toys for Tots" donation dance on December 2nd at which Duane Rodgers as the caller and Loretta Hanhurst the cuer. The dance on the 9th will feature calls by Whit Brown and cues by Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick. The club will have its "Christmas" dance a week early on the 16th as there will be no dance on the 23rd. The

"Christmas" dance will feature Mike Cox calling and Loretta Hanhurst cuing.

Finally, there will not be a dance on December 30th as the club will have a New Years Eve dance on the 31st. It will be a "Ticketed" dance held from 8:30pm to 12:30 at Laurel Manor Recreation Center, 1985 Laurel Manor Drive, The Villages, FL. Dave Muller and Don Hanhurst will be calling and Loretta Hanhurst will be cuing.

Bob & Pat Swartz
Media/Publications

PEACHTREE PROMENADE



Palm Bay Promenaders

Our new location is at the Italian American Club in Eau Gallie. The Address is 1471 Cypress Ave, Melbourne. It is located between US 1 and the Train Tracks. Parking will be in the grass area next to the facility. Doors open as usual at 7 PM. Early Rounds are at 7:30 PM and Plus Dancing at 8 PM. John Swindle is our new Caller.

SPACE TRACKERS



2018 Graduates
Mike Severance
Bruce Calkins
Julie Severance



A-Stars & SpinDrifters Funtime Dancers

Dear Fellow Square Dancers,

Like most clubs we are a small club but a club that loves to dance and have a good time. One thing I can say about our club is I always hear a lot of laughter and I see lots of smiles on people's faces.

One Saturday a month we are planning on having a themed party night so come on out and join us in the fun and fellowship on Saturday nights.

The A-Stars Dance Advance at 6:15 P.M. and
The Spin Drifters Dance Plus at 8:05 P.M.

We Dance at the
Port Orange Adult Center
4790 South Ridgewood Avenue
Port Orange, Florida 32127

Please email us at spindriftersfuntimesquares@gmail.com or you can call Darrell Cevasco at 980-581-1795 to make sure that we are dancing. With it being the summer and people taking vacation and all, we may not have enough dancers to fill a square.



As you may have heard, the Whirl & Twirl Square and Round Dance Hall in Orlando, Florida is CLOSED by order of the Orange County Fire Marshal. We need to update our fire safety systems and equipment to meet the current codes. Whirl & Twirl has a temporary dance location rented for Wednesday August 22 and Wednesday August 29. Rowena is still working on renting for Fridays. We may be at the same location, but that is not yet definite.

Crystal Ballroom, Ceremony Room
1271 State Rd 436 Suite 127
Casselberry, FL 32707
(407) 681-2710



This is south of the Super Wal-Mart on 436 in the shopping center behind the McDonald's on Lake Howell Lane.

We are dancing Wednesdays at our usual time with a Plus workshop starting at 7:15. Our Mainstream dance runs 8:00 – 10:00 with line dancing between tips.

We are still trying to raise the funds necessary to upgrade our beautiful hall.

Here is a list of the estimated costs from the contractors who have been selected for the project:

HurricaneGroup bid for building plans and blue prints:	\$ 9,500
SPOT Industries, Inc. bid for fire alarm:	13,822
DynaFire bid for overhead water sprinkler system:	19,544
Rose Fire Protection, Inc. bid for underground water piping:	23,370
Estimate for additional items not identified in bids:	15,000
	\$ 81,236

We have extended our deadline to raise \$65,000 to September 13 to start the renovations, or we will be forced to sell the building and lose one of the last independent dance halls in Florida. Please see our website www.whirlandtwirl.org and click on the “SAVE OUR HALL” button to access our GoFundMe page. There is a Facebook Share button on the GoFundMe page which makes it really simple to post it to your own Facebook page. Please share on Facebook with EVERYONE to spread the word!

As of today, August 17, we have collected \$4,890 on our GoFundMe page and \$11,000 in direct donations for a total of \$15,890, leaving a shortfall of \$49,110 to reach our \$65,000 goal. PLEASE HELP!

Bob Blasberg is also working on a fundraiser to be held at Redeemer Lutheran Church tentatively scheduled for Sunday September 23. Flyers will be sent out when the plans are finalized,

Here are direct links:

www.whirlandtwirl.org

<https://www.gofundme.com/help-us-save-our-dance-hall>

https://www.facebook.com/pg/Whirl-and-Twirl-Square-Dance-Club138433832850114/posts/?ref=page_internal

Also attached is a flyer with all the information. Please share this flyer and forward this email to all your friends. Life members Jo & Marvin Beehler have had 1,000 flyers printed and are handing them out locally requesting donations. If you can help in this effort, please contact Jo and Marvin for a supply of flyers.

Jo Beehler (JEB212@ATT.NET) 410-322-4421

We really need everyone's help and we don't have much time. Any help you can give will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you!

Michael A. Craft, President

Whirl & Twirl Square and Round Dance Club

www.whirlandtwirl.org

whirlandtwirl@gmail.com

407-678-8058

Word has just been received that all fundraising to save the Whirl & Twirl Dance Center has been stopped without reaching their goal.



YOUR FINGERS HAVE FINGERTIPS
BUT YOUR TOES DON'T HAVE TOETIPS
... AND YET YOU CAN TIPTOE
BUT NOT TIPFINGER



WHERE TO DANCE IN CENTRAL FLORIDA

Sunday

CASSELBERRY – HOEDOWNERS

Casselberry Senior Recreation Center
200 N Triplet Lake Drive

2:00-2:30 Mainstream Workshop

2:30-4:00 Plus / Mainstream Dance

Line and round dancing between tips

Caller: Gene McCullough

Cuer: Earle Collins

Phone: 407-273-2561

(Norma Newton)

Email:

hoedownerscaller@gmail.com

Email: hoedowners@earthlink.net

Banner raids: 407-366-3989

Webpage: www.hoedowners.net

DAYTONA BEACH – YELLOW ROCK SQUARES

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

(call to verify schedule)

2:30-4:30

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

MELBOURNE - Dancin' Diamonds

Wickham Park Community Center
2815 Leisure Way

(Entrance off Wickham Road north
of Parkway Drive)

1:30-2:00 Workshop

2:00-4:00 Mainstream/Plus Dance

Caller: John Swindle

Phone: 321-636-2997

Email: johncaller@bellsouth.net

OKLAWAHA - ROUND DANCE

L & R Studio

13151 SE 120th Street

2:00-4:00 Phase III, IV & V Dance

Cuers: Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick

Phone: 352-288-4973

Email: dancewith-

lloydandruth@centurylink.net

Private lessons by appointment.

ROCKLEDGE - ROUND DANCE

Hope United Church of Christ
2555 Fiske Blvd

6:00-7:30 Round Dance Teach

7:30-9:00 Round Dance

Cuer: Earle & Carol Collins

Phone: 407-354-0229

Email: Collins.cbd@gmail.com

**THE VILLAGES –
ORANGE BLOSSOM
SQUARES**

La Hacienda Recreation Center
1200 Avenida Central
7:00-9:00 Plus Dance w/ Rounds
Callers: Local and National

Guests

Cuers: Loretta Hanhurst /
Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick
Phone: 352-633-1098

Banner Raids: 352-753-2931

Email:

bobandsharonbaxter@gmail.com

Website:

www.orangeblossomsquares.org



**BELLVIEW –
STERN WHEELERS**

United Methodist Church
5640 SE Brown Rd
12:30-2:30 Advance Class
3:00-5:00 Advance Dance
Caller: Bob Stern

Phone: 352-323-1295

Email: rpstern@aol.com

DELAND - HONEYBEES

Jackson Lane Park
720 Frankfort Ave
2nd Monday only June to Sept

Every Monday Oct to May

7:00-9:00 Club Dance

Caller: Gene McCullough

hoedownerscaller@gmail.com

Phone: 386-673-3229

Contact: Herman Thornberg

Phone: 352-759-2680

**LEESBURG –
ROYAL SQUARES**

Great Hall at Royal Highlands

21505 Royal St George's Ln

(1st & 3rd Mondays)

2:00-4:00 Workshop

7:00-9:00 Plus Dance

Caller: Henry Ferree

Phone: **Mel or Jo-Ann Strickland**
at 352-728-3658

**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: Bev Landwehr

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

Email: twarren6@cfl.rr.com

Website:

[www.squaredancesites.com/
oak run twirlers](http://www.squaredancesites.com/oak_run_twirlers)

ST CLOUD - HEEL & TOE

Annex Bldg Senior Center

702 Indiana Ave

(Call to confirm)

7:00-9:00 Alternating MS & Plus

Caller: Bill Boyd

Phone: 407-931-1688

Email: BillBoydCaller@gmail.com

Website:

www.floridasquaredance.com/

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VERO BEACH - TREASURE COAST SQUARES

Bethel Creek Community Center

4405 North A1A

Nov thru April

6:00-7:00 Plus Workshop

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

Caller: Gib Mattson

Cuer: Bonnie Putman

Phone: 772-778-2054

Email:

gilbertmattson32@yahoo.com

Website:

www.treasurecoastsquares.com

Tuesday

OKLAWAHA - ROUND DANCE

L & R Studio

13151 SE 120th Street

12:30-2:30 Phase IV Class

3:00-5:00 Phase III Class

Cuers: Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick

Phone: 352-288-4973

Email: dancewith-

lloydandruth@centurylink.net

Private lessons by appointment.

ORMOND BEACH - GRANADA SQUARES DENIM AND LACE

Ormond Beach Senior Center

351 Andrews Street

6:00 Workshop/Lessons

7:00-9:00 pm Mainstream and Plus with
Lines and Rounds

Caller: Rod Barngrover

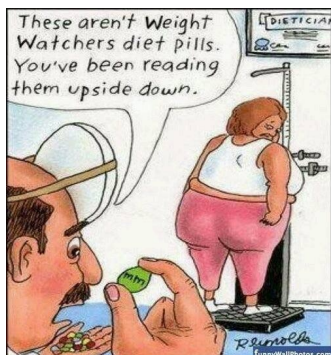
Pamela Kelley 386-671-6223

Website:

www.granadasquaresdenimandlace.com

Email:

denimandlacedanceclub@yahoo.com



**ROCKLEDGE -
CANAAVERAL SQUARES**

Hope United Church of Christ
2555 South Fiske Blvd
7:30-9:30 Mainstream /Plus
Lessons
Caller: Darrell Cevasco
Phone: 321-652-0680
Email: apicheco@att.net
www.canaveralsquares.com

Wednesday

**CASSELBERRY -
WHIRL & TWIRL**

Crystal Ballroom, Ceremony Room
1271 State Rd 436, Suite 127
7:15—8:00 Plus Workshop
8:00-10:00 Mainstream w/Lines
Caller: Whit Brown
Phone: (407) 681-2710
Email: whirlandtwirl@gmail.com
Website: www.whirlandtwirl.org

**MELBOURNE –
DIXIE DIAMONDS**

Eau Gallie Civic Center
1550 Highland Ave
(July to March)
Call to confirm.
6:30 – 8:30 A1 – A2 Dance
Caller: Jerry Reed
Website: www.JReedSDC.com
Email: JReedSDC@aol.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
Email: ronlibby@aol.com

**SUMMERFIELD -
FUN SEEKERS**

St John Lutheran Church
10945 Sunset Harbor Road
2:00-4:00 Plus level w/workshop
Rounds: Level II, III
Dress Casual or
Square Dance Attire!!
Caller: Don Hanhurst
Cuer: Loretta Hanhurst
Phone: 352-245-8855
Email: donh1022@yahoo.com



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

Italian American Club
1471 Cypress Ave
(west of US 1 on Eau Gallie Blvd
on North side before Train Tracks)
7:30 Early Rounds
8:00-10:00 Plus Dance w/Rounds
Caller: John Swindle
Cuer: Scott Vallee
Email: llandsv@gmail.com

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 Mainstream/Plus
Squares
Caller: Whit Brown
Phone: 321-255-4738
Email: reid20@bellsouth.net
Banner Raids: 321-452-3941
Website: www.spacetrackers.com

SUMMERFIELD – FOUNTAIN SQUARES

Del Webb Spruce Creek
Country Club
Community Center Ballroom
13601 Del Webb Blvd
(Off US Hwy 27 & US 441)
(October thru April)
7:00-9:00 Plus Dance
Caller: Ron Libby
Phone: Jack Ward 352-307-5490
Email: jinjward@centurylink.net

**The most beautiful things in
life are not things.
They're people and places and
memories and pictures.
They're feelings and moments
and smiles and laughter.**



Friday

BARBERVILLE – WRANGLER COUNTRY SQUARES

Pioneer Art Settlement,
1776 Lightfoot Lane

6:00-7:30 Beginner class

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

Caller: Rod Barngrover

Phone: 386-749-4767

Email:

rbarngrovercaller@gmail.com

LADY LAKE – PLANTATION SQUARES

Route 466 & Recreation Blvd

(Winter - 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

OCOOE – GARDEN PATCH SQUARES

Vignetti 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 Martin

Phone: 407-282-8341

Saturday

GENEVA – ROUND DANCE

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.

Check out your club information at:
<http://floridasquaredance.com/central/dances.html>

Email apicheco@att.net to make any changes.

PORT ORANGE – A STARS

Port Orange Adult Center
4790 Ridgewood Ave
(Call to confirm)
6:15-7:55
Advance Dance
Callers: Jim Bouchard
Contact: 615-491-0526

PORT ORANGE – SPINDRIFTERS

Port Orange Adult Center
4790 Ridgewood Ave
(Call to confirm)
8:05-9:45
Plus Dance
Callers: Darrell Cevasco
Contact: 980-581-1795
Email:
[spindrifiersfuntimesquares
@gmail.com](mailto:spindrifiersfuntimesquares@gmail.com)

YOU KNOW YOU'VE BEEN SQUARE DANCING TOO MUCH

WHEN: before going to bed at night, you do sa do the dog and put out your spouse.
WHEN: the caller starts to sound like your mother-in-law.
WHEN: your wife wears square dance shoes to bed.
WHEN: you make plans to be buried with your club badge on.
WHEN: all you have to look forward to is a hot foot bath.
WHEN: you call CALLERLAB on Mother's Day

WHEN: they call "Peel the Top" and you blush.

WHEN: you can't go around the left hand lady like you used to.

WHEN: you are cited for doing a "Veer Left", "Wheel Around" and "Chase Right" on the Freeway.

WHEN: everyone in your square has a spear and a shield.

WHEN: you open your closet door and you are buried in an avalanche of petticoats.

WHEN: the last time you attended a three-day square dance festival, you came back in a body cast.

WHEN: squaring up, instead of shaking your hand, they pinch your cheeks.

WHEN: you hire an interior decorator and insist on an entire living room wall paneled with your dance badges.

Odette Hoot

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San Diego's Directory of Square
Dancing

**At A Wedding Party
recently someone yelled,
"All married people please
stand next to the one
person who has made your
life worth living."
The bartender was almost
crushed to death...**

Planning Ahead!

2018

OCTOBER 12-13 FLORIDA - Daytona Beach Ball; Ormond Senior Center, 351 Andrews Street, Ormond Beach; Judi Corbett, 386-679-5020 or ladybirdDB@gmail.com

OCTOBER 25-28 FLORIDA - 43rd Fl State Camporee; Southern Palm RV Resort, One Avocado Lane, Eustis, 352-357-8882; Ron & Linda Imus, 574-370-8525, rlus46@aol.com

OCTOBER 26-27 FLORIDA - NWFSRDA 44th Annual Round Up; Grand Square Hall, 1105 Bob Little Road, Panama City; Patricia McLendon 850-769-4218 or Mary Riley 850-871-2955

NOVEMBER 9-10 FLORIDA - WCSRDA 44TH Annual Fall Fun Fest; Bartow Civic Center, 2250 Floral Ave, Bartow; Ed Drexel 603-686-6607 or eddrexel@gmail.com

NOVEMBER 16-17 FLORIDA - NFSARDA Fall Festival; Palms Presbyterian Church, 3410 3rd Street South, Jacksonville Beach; Joan Amarino 904-629-4560 or hannapark@coj.net

2019

JANUARY 26 FLORIDA - Snowflake Frolic; Briny Breezes Auditorium; behind 5000 N. Ocean Blvd., Briny Breezes, FL 33435; Steve Adler 781-771-2322, steve.adler35@yahoo.com

FEBRUARY 1-2 FLORIDA - Winter Fiesta; 4401 Promenade Road, Plant City, FL Linda Saunders 386-295-9414, johnlin2631@gmail.com

FEBRUARY 3-7 FLORIDA - 8th Annual Florida Winter Fest Cruise; Carnival Liberty, Port Canaveral, John Manning 305-829-2009, 877-822-2009, jmanning@cruiseplanners.com

FEBRUARY 22-23 FLORIDA - 65th Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention; Ocean Center, 101 N Atlantic Ave, Daytona Beach FL; Carol Poole, Reg Chair, 386-734-5295, cpoole19@cfl.rr.com, rpooole19@cfl.rr.com; www.FloridaSqaureDance.com/convention

MARCH 17 FLORIDA - Advance Dance, Lake Ashton Clubhouse, 4141 Ashton Club Dr, Lake Wales, FL; Keith Stevens 863-326-9774, keith@keithstevens.com

MARCH 29-31 FLORIDA - Party Weekend, Deerhaven Retreat & Conference Center, 47924 NFS 540-2, Paisley, FL 32767;; Randy & Carol Poole, 386-734-5295, rpooole19@cfl.rr.com

JUNE 26-29 GEORGIA - 68th National Square Dance Convention, The Cobb Galleria Centre, 2 Galleria Pkwy SE, Atlanta GA 30339; www.68NSDC.com, Bob sand Virginia Walker, 828-349-0905, reghouschair@68nsdc.org,

SEPTEMBER 19-OCTOBER 1 - GERMANY/AUSTRIA Square Dance Tour, crisptours.com; Tom and Gina Crisp, 4231 S Pauline Lane, Tuscon AZ 85730; 800-8044; 520-885-6833; tom@crisptours.com

USA National Square Dance Conventions

68th NSDC	June 24-29, 2019	Atlanta, GA
69th NSDC	June 17-20, 2020	Spokane, WA
70th NSDC	June 23-26, 2021	Jackson, MS
71st NSDC	June 2022	

<http://www.nsdcnec.com/index.php/nsdc-conventions>

USA West Square Dance Conventions

August 15-17, 2019 Boise, ID

Intl Association of LGBT SD Clubs

July 4-7, 2019 Philadelphia PA



Why Are They Square Dancing?

By Harold Sturrock

It has been said that there are as many reasons for people doing certain things as there are people doing them. This can hardly be said of Square Dancing since Square Dancers are so numerous, but this does bring up an important point. Take the last roundup for example: Over 1,500 persons packed Glendale Civic Auditorium for a four hour Sunday afternoon session of dancing. Why? A rambling reporter might summarize it this way. There is ...

Recreation: As a diversion from the routine of day-to-day existence. Square Dancing offers as much fun as any form of participating entertainment.

Association: In terms of common interest, any Square Dance group, large or small has something of a “meeting of the minds” when translating the caller’s patter into a floor pattern.

Relaxation: You can unhook your dignity on any Square Dance floor for here is relaxation at its peak. To leave your cares home and let yourself go is almost a must.

Exhilaration: Animation being the fundamental of Square Dancing it naturally follows that a spirit of gaiety, and enjoyment pervade and prevail.

Exertion: While not exerting to an exhausting degree, a perceptible physical effort, more than equal to your daily dozen may be required. Exercise is the word.

Competition: Trying not to be outdone is one of the most interesting sidelights of the dance. This goes for keeping up with the caller as well as matching performance with the other members of your set.

Transition: Since Square Dancing has moved out of the barn and into the auditorium, many more are attracted to it. Further expansion of the dance appears to be limited only by the number of auditoriums and callers available in the given area.

Mission: To bring together, groups of people who want to have a lot of fun at a minimum of expense where it doesn’t matter much whether you are a doctor, lawyer or Indian chief. The foregoing seem to be reasons enough to justify the spread of Square Dancing.

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Make your New Years Resolution that this year you will do your best either as a dancer, caller or cuer to make sure that you and those around you have fun.

Reprint from American Square Dance, January 2014



VIDEO PROMOTION PROJECT

The goal of the Video Promotion Project is to create short videos which will be produced to appeal to specific target market groups. The videos will include professional quality scripts and professional quality video production.

We are happy to report both Michael Streby and Mike Hogan have agreed to help with this revitalized video project. As stated above, the goal of this project is to create professionally produced videos of various groups involved with square, round, and contra dancing. Individual videos will be designed to convey our message to specific demographic groups of non-dancers. Each video will be based on market research to appeal to target demographic non-dancers.

These videos are NOT primarily intended to be aired on television, but instead will be posted on YOUTUBE, FACEBOOK, and other social media. The plan is to also make them available to local, state, and regional groups for additional promotion.

This version of the Video Promotion Project was discussed and approved during the 2018 ARTS meeting In Kansas City, MO on Sunday, July 1, 2018 immediately following the 67th NSDC. During the meeting there was agreement that this project will be designated as one of the goals of the Re-Imaging fund raising project.

NEXT ARTS MEETING - The 2019 ARTS Meeting will be, Sunday, June 30, 2019 immediately following the 68th NSDC in Atlanta, GA. All dancers, dance leaders and other interested persons are invited to attend. For more information including meeting time and location, please contact the Executive Director at:

ExecutiveDirector@arts-dance.org

Live Lively -



Square Dance!

Reprint from ARTS Newsletter, September 2018

Dancers Who Have Returned Home



Rita Deschambeau, age 94 of Greenville, Ohio passed away at 8:45 AM Friday July 6, 2018 in the Brethren Retirement Community of Greenville.

Rita was born October 13, 1923 in Chicago, Illinois and was the sixth and last child of the late Frank and Julia (Isbaner) Adamaitis. She moved from the Chicago area, in 1966 to Maitland, (Orlando) Florida.

In 1972 she moved into her lifelong dream home on Lake Brantley, in Longwood, Florida. She remained in that home until relocating to the Brethren Retirement Community in Greenville, Ohio in July 2012.

Rita was a devout Catholic, attending the Annunciation Catholic Church in Longwood, Florida. Rita is survived by her son Wayne and daughter-in-law Sharon of Greenville, Ohio; three grandsons and six great grandchildren.

She and her husband were former dancers with Hoedowners Square Dance Club and Past Presidents of Florida Callers Association.

Private Committal services will be held in Longwood, Florida at a later date. Published in the Orlando Sentinel from July 7 to July 9, 2018



Sarah Ann Kirsch, 82, Cocoa, FL passed away Friday, June 15, 2018, due to complications of Parkinson's Disease. Sarah was born December 16, 1935 in Rising Star, Texas, the daughter of Clay D Anderson and Zona E Jones.

Sarah enjoyed traveling, cooking, card games, knitting, tennis and many activities with her friends and neighbors at Lost Lakes Community. Sarah was an award-winning tennis player, instructor of tennis, and

served as a high school tennis coach in Indiana.

She and her husband danced with the Space Trackers in Merritt Island FL.

She is survived by her son Andy (Kathy) Stewart of Evansville, IN; granddaughter Dr. Alice Stewart (Dan) Wyatt of Evansville, IN; sister Betty Jo Kerr of Odessa, TX; and several nieces and nephews. Sarah is predeceased by her husband Robert B. Kirsh.



Forest Dale McClary Rockledge, FL

Jul 21, 1935 – Aug 28, 2018

Dale grew up in the Ozarks in a small town where he roamed freely and was a paperboy, fast-ball pitcher, drove bicycles and cars fast. He was known most of all as a loyal good guy.



Upon graduation he joined the Air Force for 20+ years during which the A.F. sent him to several worldwide remote locations. After marriage his family sometimes were moved with him to various USA places plus England, Germany and Iran.

During 58 years of marriage Dale 'Mac' enjoyed 54 years as a Square Dance Caller / Teacher / Singer and Recording Artist. Dale's natural singing and enthusiasm caused enjoyment for square dancers. He truly liked teaching people about square dancing. He called and entertained at camping events, reunions, special events and many clubs daily. Special memories with square dancers are treasured.

At several national conventions he assisted sounding various halls. He was a member of state and national callers associations and always held leadership positions.

Dale was preceded in death by our daughter, Deborah; his parents and all siblings. Dale is survived by wife, Carolyn; daughter, Julie; son, James; granddaughter, Hannah; grandson, James and one kitty.

Dale was thoughtful, protective, hard-working, caring and did anything he could for anyone.

His passions were God, country, family, and friends. He couldn't come home to us this trip and instead journeyed to his permanent home with Christ.

A Celebration of Life was held on Saturday, September 15, at the Wesley United Methodist Church, Melbourne, FL

Cowboy Benediction



As you saddle up to ride,
may your cinch be fastened
to the love of God,
your canteen filled with
living water
and your saddle bags
full of grace and mercy,
as you continue to ride on
with Jesus.
Go in peace. Serve the Lord.



Irene "Rene" Slorach, Rockledge FL

Rene passed from this life to the next on July 12, 2018 in the presence of her daughters and surrounded by the love of her extended family and friends.

She was born on April 1, 1924 in the small town of Kells, Northern Ireland to Robert John Mackey and Thomsena Isabell Crooks. The eldest daughter of four siblings; Robert, Thomas, Muriel and Margot, she was always the "big" sister.

She married the love of her life AJ “Sandy” Slorach in 1948 at Cregagh Presbyterian Church, Belfast NI.

With their daughters, Deborah and Linda, Rene and AJ escaped the cold, wet weather of Northern Ireland for a five year adventure in sunny Jamaica. In 1974 they immigrated to the US where AJ’s work with Contel/Verizon Telephone Company took them from London KY to Knoxville TN, then to Atlanta GA and finally to retirement in 1989 in Cocoa, Florida; a love of travel took them to many countries around the world; and a love of music and square dancing (followed by line dancing for Rene) introduced them to many cherished and lifelong friends.

Rene was preceded in death by her husband, and is survived by her children Deborah Lugar (Greg) and Linda Walker; grandchildren Samantha Lugar, Gabrielle Harmon, Olivia Lugar, and Bethany Walker; great grandchildren Easton Harmon, Lane Robinson, Asher Harmon, and Loreleigh Robinson; and beloved sister Margot Maynard (Zimbabwe).

Memorial donations can be made to Central Brevard Sharing Center c/o Rockledge Presbyterian Church Missions, 921 Rockledge Dr. Rockledge, FL 32922. A memorial service was held August 3, 2018 at Rockledge Presbyterian Church.



Before you assume,
learn the facts.
Before you judge,
understand why.
Before you hurt someone,
feel.
Before you speak,
think.

Don't limit yourself.
Many people limit
themselves to what they
think they can do. You
can go as far as your
mind lets you. What
you believe, remember,
you can achieve.

~ Mary Kay Ash

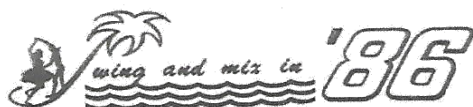
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33rd Florida State Square and
Round Dance Convention
May 23, 24, 25, 1986

Fall of the year will see many Associations around the state holding some of their major events of the square dance year-the Northeast & Northwest Roundups, West Coast Fall Fun Fest, Southeast October Spectacular and Central's Holiday Dance. So don't be surprised when you see the Green and White outfits of the '86 Convention Committee and Northwest Tillie at a dance you attend. The Committee is planning to visit all of the area associations in the coming months to promote the Convention and hear your comments and suggestions.

If you missed the September 30 deadline for early registration, you can still get a bargain on tickets for the '86 convention. If you purchase them before the next deadline of April 30, '86 the cost will only be \$9.50 each, tax included. Send your registration to Marguerite Blanton, P O Box 6175, Tallahassee, 32314.

"Come Out of Your Shell" / "Swing and Mix in '86" booster badges have become a hit with dancers throughout the state. This badge is in the form of a seashell and can be worn as a necktie slide as well as a regular badge. See one of your Association officers to purchase your badge and help to promote your State Convention.

The Florida Callers Association members have been working on the caller assignments for the '86 Convention. We sincerely appreciate the cooperation and efforts of all our fine Callers and Cuers. We hope to see many of you at one of the many upcoming dances. So, "Swing and Mix in '86".

Joe Vaccari, Publicity Chairman



WHAT SQUARE DANCING MEANS TO ME

Following a dance I had called in Akron, Ohio, we were all enjoying refreshments when a club member seated beside me tapped me on the shoulder and said, "Watch this." A couple had been brought up to the stage by the club president. Speaking softly, the person beside me explained, "Just a short time ago, this couple lost their home and everything in it to a devastating fire. The club members have wanted to do something for them to show they cared."

The dancers in the hall were heading for the front of the room, carrying gifts which they handed to the surprised couple. They brought towels, sheets, canned goods, pots and pans, and such simple though important things as a sewing kit, sacks of flour and sugar, garden tools and kitchen utensils, until the couple was literally surrounded.

Turning to me again, the club member explained, "The greatest loss, perhaps, was the couples' cocker spaniel." As he was saying this, the last person in line, a small girl, perhaps six or seven, approached. In her arms was a small bundle of a puppy which she gently handed over to the all-but-speechless couple.

Just one example of the great spirit of love and friendship which lies with square dancers.

BOB OSGOOD, Sets in Order ASD Society, CA.



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CFA Board of Directors Meeting June 2, 2018

Jack & Barbara Hoffman's Home, Merritt Island

President Terri Little called the meeting to order at:
2:00pm.

Bill Reid offered the invocation and The Pledge of
Allegiance was recited.

Roll Call was done by Sheila Reid.

Attendees:

Terri Little , Sheila Reid, Ailene Picheco, Judy Anderson, Jack & Barbara Hoffman, Bill & Linda Reid, Randy & Carole Poole, Richard & Carol Douget, Jim & Jan McConnaha, Bruce & Colleen Morgan

Absentees:

Keith & Angie Olds

Guests:

None

Secretary's Report: Minutes from 3/31/18 accepted. Motion to approve minutes made by Bruce Morgan and seconded by Bill Reid. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Report filed for Audit

Correspondence: A Thank You card was received from the Yellow Rockers Square Dance Club for our monetary donation to them and providing them assistance to attend their National Convention which is in Jacksonville, FL this year.

Area Reports: Area Director

I updated the club information on the website. Bruce has finished the changes. Please check your club at this web address:

<http://floridasquaredance.com/central/dances.html>

There is also the State locator map page on the website. See if your club is listed correctly:

<http://floridasquaredance.com/maps/index.php>

Send Bruce pictures to put in your club "picture gallery"

He will add the name of your club and put all pictures you send under your club name.

<http://floridasquaredance.com/federation-pictures/club-pictures/central.php>

John Swindle celebrated 50 years of calling on April 29th.

The room was packed. Many callers, cuers, dancers came to congratulate John and Gail for the many years of dedication to square dancing. There was even friends from Georgia that traveled all the way down to be there.

Don't forget to visit The Yellow Rock Squares

They are a Handicapable club in Daytona Beach and love to have Angels visit. Rick Yates is the President of the US Handicapable Convention. Contact him at reyates.deland@gmail.com or call 386-734-2110

Deaths: Tom Rothwell, a long-time member of the Space Trackers and other clubs in the area passed away on April 3rd in Melbourne. He was 86. I have no further information. If you know of any more, please let me know.

Respectfully submitted, Ailene Picheco, Area Director VP

Bruce Morgan also mentioned that on the Federation Website there is a location for Club pictures however NE is the only one that sends pictures in to him. Bruce would like everyone to be aware of this and pass on the information anytime we are at a dance and pictures are being taken.

Membership VP Report:

CFA Membership Report

June 2, 2018

Total 2018 Membership	91
New members	15
Renewals	76

Our total 2017 membership reached 103.



I will order 100 membership bars with the logo for the 2019 convention for the 2019 membership year in CFA. Due to rising postage, I will ask Suzie Q to bring the bars to the National Convention where I can pick them up.

Need to update both Bow & Swing and Keepin' Posted with the new member dues increase for the next publication.

Discussion was brought up regarding how we can keep the membership renewals up from those received during membership drives when we don't necessarily get back to that same location when it is time for renewals. It was mentioned that we could send out reminders that it is time to renew membership and include renewal forms with each one.

Insurance Report:

Carol Poole stated that she had the insurance certificate for the upcoming CFA 5th Saturday Dance, however she would not be attending therefore she needed to pass it along to someone that will be attending. The certificate was then given to Carol and Richard Douget as they have kindly agreed along with Space Trackers Square Dance Club to host this dance for us on June 30th, 2018 to be held at Merritt Island Presbyterian Church.

No Insurance Report given at meeting, Report received at a later date.

Insurance Report

Central Florida Association of Square and Round Dancers

June 30, 2018

For 2018 there are 484 dancers insured through CFA this year

/ Up from 471 in 2017

Twelve CFA clubs are insured through USDA in 2017

/ Down from 13 last year.

Insurance certificates have been received for all insured clubs and the certificates have been forwarded to all clubs. If any club has not received its certificate they should contact me and I will resend. Premiums for duplicate members were split between the clubs and refunded.

Respectfully submitted,

Keith and Angie Olds

Vice Presidents for Insurance

Keepin' Posted:

Keepin Posted - working on the July issue.

I have some pictures of the past to put in. See who you recognize or remember.

Please send club articles, pictures if you have some, and club changes.

Respectfully submitted,

Ailene Picheco, Editor, Keepin Posted

Historian:

No Report Provided, however Bruce Morgan asked for pictures of any Hall of Fame Inductees that anyone may have to post on website.

Florida Federation:

The Federations last meeting was at working weekend in May, Federation representatives are soon heading to Nationals with the Showcase of Ideas and the next meeting is scheduled for Nov 11, 2018 in Bartow at Stay Inn & Suites.

Party Weekend:

2018:Report received earlier

2019: Email sent to Deerhaven Resort inquiring as to the availability the months of March and April, a couple of the weekends are not available. It was mentioned that we could hold Party Weekend the last weekend in March and incorporate the 5th Saturday Dance in the afternoon. After much discussion and many in agreeance with the above mentioned idea, **Jack Hoffman made a motion for CFA to hold 2019 Party Weekend March 29th-31st, 2019 and incorporate the 5th Saturday Dance with it to be held in the afternoon and Colleen Morgan seconded. Motion Carried.**

Details to be decided in the near future time.

5th Saturday Dances:

June 30: Merritt Island Presbyterian Church hosted by Space Trackers, finger foods & coffee will be provided. CFA callers will be in attendance and Scott Valle cueing.

September 29: TBD at time of meeting, **however updated info: dance to be at Merritt Island Presbyterian Church hosted by Space Trackers 7:30pm early Rounds begin.**

December 29: No dance as it is end of the year.

Old Business:

Old Minutes: Scanned and on website, currently no hyperlink to them. Accessible via Password.

After much discussion, **a motion was made by Barbara Hoffman that a 3 TB external digital Pard drive be purchased to transfer past minutes and Keepin' posted along with possible pictures onto and then pass to the secretary for future minutes to be saved to, motion seconded by Jack Hoffman. Motion Carried.**

Bruce Morgan was asked and agreed to research and make this purchase for us due to his knowledge of these. Bruce stated that he will attempt to purchase and transfer all current info to hard drive and bring to the September meeting to pass down to Secretary.

Nomination Committee: Barbara Hoffman offered to be Nomination Chairman and Jack Hoffman stated that he would attempt to help her. Terri Little, Jack & Barbara Hoffman and Sheila Reid have already agreed

to continue in their current positions.

Carol & Richard agreed to be Vice Presidents.

Nomination Chairman Barbara Hoffman will present slate of officers at meeting in September and an election will be executed.

Other Old Business: None

New Business:

Flags: Randy Poole mentioned he has a set of flags that consists of an American Flag and a Florida flag being stored in a large plywood box that is marked CFA. The Flags also have their own poles and stands. Randy is asking if anyone is interested in having these or if they can be donated to some organization.

Bruce Morgan made a motion to donate the Flags to someone (Boy Scout Troops or a VFW, etc..) and Bill Reid seconded the motion.

Motion Carried.

Badge magnets: If magnets are ordered through Susie Q they are \$3 however Linda Reid researched magnets and contacted a person on Merritt Island, she could obtain 50 magnets for about \$50 plus tax. Terri Little made a decision to have Linda Reid purchase 50 magnets for CFA. If CFA did not want them, then the 2020 Convention would buy them.

Jack Hoffman made a motion to purchase the magnets for the cost of \$61.37 and Carol Douget seconded the motion. **Motion carried.**

Next Board Meeting: Will be September 29th 2018, Location TBD, prior to 5th Sat dance

Update on Next Meeting: Sept 29th, 2018 Location Merritt Island Presbyterian Church at 3:30pm, brown bag dinner to follow meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:06pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Sheila Reid
Secretary

