

## **DANCERgram FLASH - MARCH 18, 2020 @ 4:20pm**

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The DANCERgram website is being updated as often as possible to track dances and events that have been postponed or cancelled.

If you have updates that should be added to the website please forward the information to Penny Green at [sgdncfan@gmail.com](mailto:sgdncfan@gmail.com) and/or the webmaster at [dgramwebmaster@yahoo.com](mailto:dgramwebmaster@yahoo.com)

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### **Updates thru 3/14/2020:**

All of the square dancing at **Strawberry Square** has been suspended through April 15. They will re-evaluate after that date. At this time, all of the round dancing with the Bunns will continue and Charlie's Sunday, March 22 round dance party is still scheduled.

There will be no dancing at **Lake Ashton in Lake Wales** on Sunday, March 15, as the community has suspended all group activities. The dancers will monitor the situation and will communicate any changes to you.

**Promenade Squares in Pinellas Park** has temporarily cancelled all their dance activities for the month of March or until the health danger has subsided. The clothing sale scheduled for Thursday, March 19, will be re-scheduled for a later time.

Dancing at **Buttons & Bows** in Lakeland has been suspended until April 14th. Classes have been suspended until April 1st.

**Citrus Park Snobirds** has ended their season early.

**Camp Inn in Frostproof** has ended their season early as Camp Inn Resorts has shut down their hall for the rest of the season.

**Temple Twirlers** in Tampa has suspended their dances until April 20. Their 40th Anniversary Dance will be re-scheduled. They will not be raiding Strawberry Square on March 18th since their hall is closed until April 15.

### **Update for 3/15/2020**

Allen Snell's **Bows & Bells** has suspended their dances until April 1st. We have been notified that there will be no **more Palace Promenaders** dances at the Palace Dance Hall in Arcadia. They previously thought they would be there until March 21st, but that has changed. Today, the entire building was completely emptied out. As of this time, they have not been able to find a new location. If anyone has any suggestions for a new location, please let Mary Dow know at mdow@embarqmail.com or 941-380-5336.

**Herons Glen** is closing their hall for probably the rest of the season as a precaution. DBD dancers are invited to join Dave Magee's DBD class on Thursday morning at 9:30.

**Citrus Squares** in Dunnellon has suspended their dances until April 16th.

**Suncoast Squares** in St. Pete has suspended their dances until the end of March. They will re-evaluate the situation at that time.

### **Update for 3/16/2020**

**J&C Spinarounds** classes with Jimmy and Carol Griffin are cancelled for the next 2 weeks (March 17-March 25) as the Walter Fuller Rec Center is closed.

**Charlie Lovelace 4'th Sunday Fun Level Rounds & 5'th Sunday Classic Rounds** at Strawberry Square have been cancelled.

**Cultural Center Squares** in Port Charlotte will be closed until further notice.

**Horizon Village** is finished for the season.

**Herons Glen** is finished for the season.

**Alligator (R&R Gators)** done for the season.

**Maple Leaf beginners** are finished for the season after Tuesday evening.

**Maple Leaf A** is finished for the season.

**Maple Leaf DBD** is finished for the season after Thursday morning.

**Maple Leaf club** will be finished for the season after Friday's dance.

The **Social Dance at Strawberry Square** on March 28<sup>th</sup> is canceled. At this time, the April 25<sup>th</sup> dance will be open. If there is a change, you will be notified.

**Pine Ridge Promenaders** of Lake Placid have canceled the last two dances of the season.

### **Update for 3/18/2020**

There are still two clubs that continue to dance with no plans to cancel.

#### **HARMONY HOEDOWNERS (Mondays)**

First United Methodist Church, 200 S. Lake Avenue, Avon Park (from 27, at Main Street, in Avon Park, turn east, turn south at South Lake Avenue. The church is on the corner of the second block) – will dance weekly – all dancers welcome - Caller: Sam Dunn – alternating Mainstream, Plus, and Phase 2 – 4 Rounds 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. – casual attire. For info: 863-382-6792 – [samdunn@samdunn.net](mailto:samdunn@samdunn.net).

#### **TROPICAL TWIRLERS (Saturdays)**

First Christian Church, 510 Poinsettia, Sebring, Florida – Caller: Mike Gormley – Basic 2 and Mainstream – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m For info: Mike Gormley – 419-376-0557 – [WA8VEC@arri.net](mailto:WA8VEC@arri.net)

## **A note from Penny Green – President – West Coast Square & Round Dance Association:**

If you are on Facebook, you have probably seen the article from Washington State regarding square dancing and the coronavirus. Click on this link <https://www.heraldnet.com/news/a-wholesome-activity-leads-to-infection-square-dancing/> to read the article.

After reading this article and at the suggestion of one of our dancers, I would like to request everyone's assistance.

If any dancer (square, round, etc.) is tested positive for the coronavirus, please either notify your club president and have them contact me or you can contact me directly. Your name will be kept confidential.

I feel it is imperative we notify other dancers they may have been exposed to the virus, so they are tested. All I need to know is that a dancer has tested positive for the virus and what dance(s) they attend.

I will send out notices, like I have been doing for the cancellations, notifying everyone that a dancer has tested positive and what dances the person visits. If anyone has visited those dances, they should be tested for the virus.