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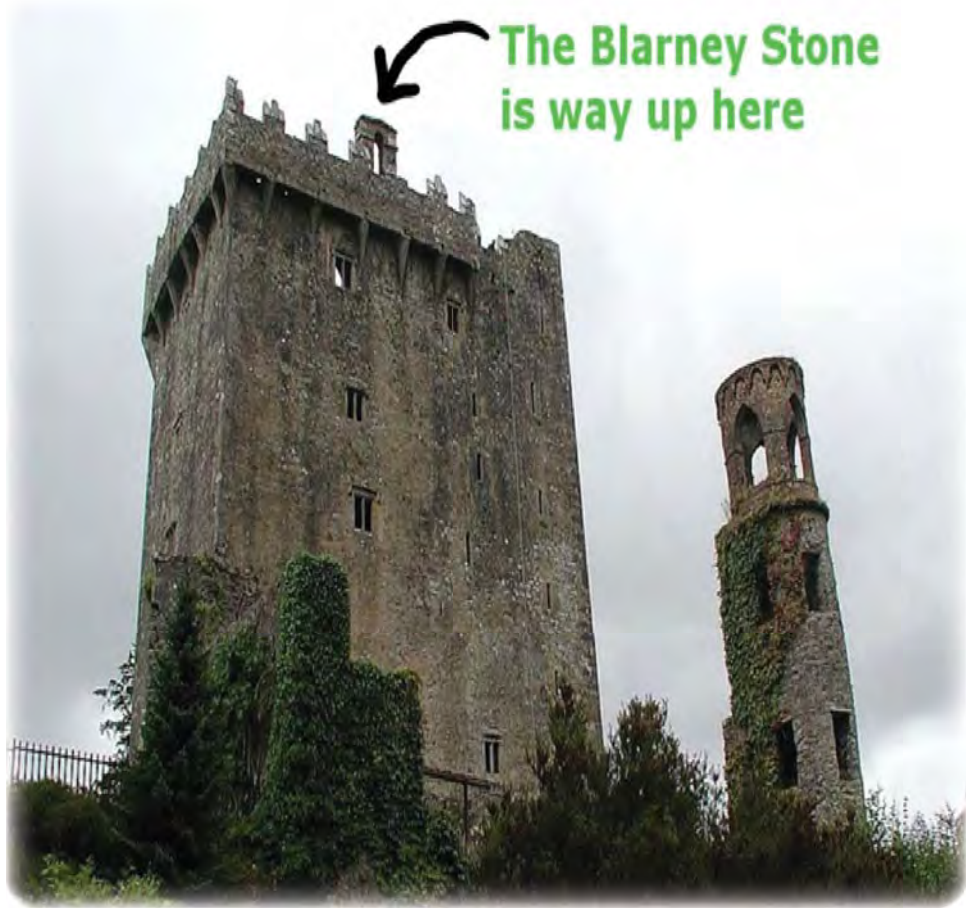


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Happy Spring

So the calendar says its March, right! But look at all the snow, and no not just in Eastern Washington the entire state has snow, or had snow, or is still getting snow.. I know that a lot of dances, workshops, lessons, and meetings have had to be canceled. UF-DA We are always looking out for the safety of our dancers, callers, cuers, ect... Yes at times the weather is not convenient for us but, again I stress importance of safety for all my Washington dancers, and callers.

To all our volunteer dancers, that have spent hours preparing for special dances, club dances council events, State meetings(lol). We know it is very difficult on you when this happens, we appreciate everything you do and for this we say Thank You very much. Our volunteers are the backbone of our activity. Sometimes they are overlooked and under-appreciated and sometimes even taken advantage of. But without all these kind people to take care of the many things that need to be done, we would be lost. All the way from opening the doors to cleaning up after us, and everything in between. Please lets not forget the people who make the phone calls, emails, text messaging and posting on Facebook. I've always asked you to please support our great callers, and cuers. But please don't forget our great dancing friends that hold many office's or wear different hats, Club officer's, Council officer's, State officer's.

Some officer's have held the same office for many seasons, and I personally appreciate each and every one of you. But, in the future if someone asks you for help please consider saying yes, we would love to have new faces helping.

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Please remember about the big party in June, Rainier Rendezvous. June 20-22, 2019. It will be a great time, its the biggest social event of the year, right. So please, please register so they know you are coming. Don't forget about Education and Leadership Seminar at circle 8 July 12-13, 2019 with Gary Shoemake calling and doing the keynote address, Nina Leisi will be the featured Cuer.

Everybody stay dry, warm and know that summer is coming soon. I personally can't wait for 100 degree weather. Happy Dancing , we will see you in a square very soon.

*Margaret and Kris,
 President Couple*

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A WORD FROM YOUR EDITOR

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O.M.G. Was February a crazy month or what. SNOW everywhere. I hope you all stayed safe and warm. We had a foot of snow here in Gig Harbor. Gidgett and Koko weren't real thrilled with it. Almost over their heads. Frank and I both had two



days off from work. Schools closed even their business offices. Now that never happens.

I know a lot of dances were canceled. I understand that you could even get into the Shuffler Shanty in Kennewick. I don't think we are done with it all yet. I don't know about you all, but I'm ready for spring.

We did get our analytics back up and running.

January - 272 Users /323 Sessions

February - 346 Users / 339 Sessions

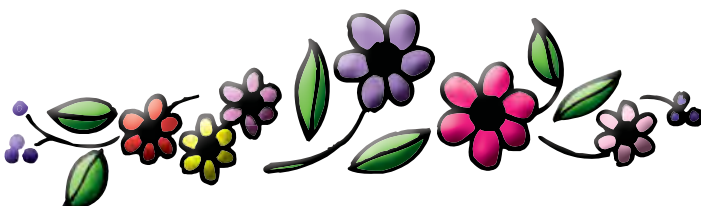
Kathy (the Brat) & Frank



"if you build it, they will come"

Rainier Rendezvous

Washington State Square Dance Festival
June 20-22, 2019
Washington State Fairgrounds, Puyallup



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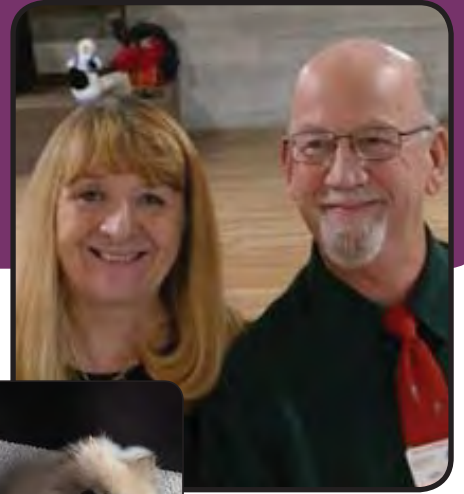
Michele Hill (featured clogging instructor)

A WORD FROM YOUR CO-EDITOR

Cynda & Larry Clark

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March already. Where did February go. Oh, I know, it's buried somewhere under all this snow. That's the last time I brag about a mild winter. I thought that being snowbound, I would get a lot done. Boy, was I wrong! Seems all I got done was trying to stay warm and a little quilting.

Bowling was canceled. Dancing was canceled, I had to cancel quilt class twice. The only thing I couldn't cancel was the snow. Larry bought a snowblower just before the storm hit. We were hoping that would be our insurance policy. That didn't work! But it was a good thing we had it. Week three of the stuff and we still have trouble getting out of the development in which we live.

I hope the snow and storms give way to spring soon so I can watch the neighbors plant flowers. I'll plant mine later like June, when I'm sure winter has passed. I prefer rocks in my garden, anyway. The up-keep is minimal, they don't die from neglect and always look the same.

I'm looking forward to a road trip soon! One to Spokane for the State Meeting and a couple camping trips. I even talked Larry into bringing the RV to the State Festival in Puyallup! That's another story for another time. Since we bought our camper in Puyallup, I figured he'd never go back, no matter the reason.

I'm becoming more confident with the Footnotes programs and I'm venturing out on my own without Kathy's 100% guidance. So please bear with me as I start taking over some of the final product. Kathy has been very patient with me but I'm sure she is anxious to start backing out. She has been an awesome mentor. I title I hope she keeps.

Cynda (and Larry) Clark



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MARCH 2, 2019

AT WESTERN DANCE CENTER

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FRIDAY NIGHT DANCE

FRIDAY, MARCH 1ST

WESTERN DANCE CENTER (1901 SULLIVAN ROAD, SPOKANE VALLEY, WA 99216)

PLUS 7:00-8:00 WITH PHASE 3 ROUNDS BETWEEN
MAINSTREAM 8:00-10:00 WITH PHASE 2 ROUNDS BETWEEN

Dance is hosted by Crazy 8's

Caller- Adam Christman

Cuer- Nina Leisi

SATURDAY-DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY

SATURDAY, MARCH 2ND

NORTH SPOKANE DANCE CENTER (7424 N FREYA ST, SPOKANE, WA 99217)

PLUS 7:00-8:00 WITH PHASE 3 ROUNDS BETWEEN
MAINSTREAM 8:00-10:00 WITH PHASE 2 ROUNDS BETWEEN

Dance is hosted by Wildrose Rambles

Caller- Jerry Junck from Nebraska

Cuer- Genie Parrill

Questions:

Contact Joshua Strickler, Spokane Area Delegate/Meeting Coordinator
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The following is an excerpt from the "Frequently Asked Questions" on the state web site under the M&I tab:

Question: What is the difference between club renewal and individual membership renewal?

Answer: These are two separate requirements that every club and council must complete annually. The renewal information is distributed in February and March and required to be completed and turned in by May 31st.

A. Club Renewals: Club renewal is the process of renewing your club's membership in the state federation. This process is initiated by the M&I chair, but goes through your respective councils. The council is then ultimately responsible to distribute and collect these renewals along with the appropriate dues from each club in their council. The council then submits the completed forms along with the state dues to the M&I chair. This is the on-line form. Each council is also required to renew their council in the state federation each year. Club treasurers need to remember, this form is returned to your council.

B. Individual Membership Dues: Individual membership dues are also initiated by the M&I chair, but are handled differently. The M&I chair emails the membership list, invoice, and instruction letter to each club treasurer. The club treasurer is required to authenticate the membership list per the instructions, fill out the invoice, and returns the completed invoice and corrected membership list along with the \$6.00 per member dues directly to the M&I chair. If a person belongs to more than one Washington Federated club, they pay their membership and insurance dues through only one club.

End of Excerpt

By the time you read this, the council treasurers should have received the club renewal instructions for the 2019-2020 dance season. We are following the same procedure as last year. We would ask each council to assist clubs that may have difficulty filling out the on-line form. Councils need to remember, they are also considered a 'club' in the annual club renewal process. Clubs remember, these are club renewals under the direction of your council and returned back to your council.



For your club renewal, the form is on the state web site under the M&I tab labeled "Club and Council Membership New Club & Renewal Form". Click on this form to begin the renewal process.



Each line on the form contains specific instructions as to what information should be entered in that field. In order to 'see' this information, all you have to do is put your cursor in that field (do not click in the field, just put your cursor in the field) and leave it for two or three seconds. Lo and Behold!! Information magically

appears as to what belongs in that field!

We will be emailing out the individual forms, invoices and instructions for the year 2019-2020 directly to every club treasurer in March. Remember, this is the process that requires an updated membership list along with a check for \$6 per member sent directly to us, the Membership and Insurance Chair. We will talk more about this in the next issue.

As always, please feel free to contact us with any concerns.



"What would you like most for your birthday" a man asks his wife. She thinks for a moment, "I'd love to be 10 again", smiling broadly. So on the morning of her birthday he gets her up bright and early. Off they go to the local theme park. What a day! He puts her on every ride in the park - the Death Slide, the Screaming Loop, the Wall of Fear - everything there is! Wow! She staggers out of the park 5 hours later, her head reeling and her stomach up-side down. Right to McDonalds they go. Her husband orders her a Double Big Mac, extra fries, and a strawberry shake. Then off to a movie. It's the latest Star Wars epic, cotton candy, popcorn, Pepsi-Cola, and M&M's. What a fabulous adventure of a day! Finally, she wobbles home with her husband and collapses into bed. He leans over and lovingly kisses her cheek, "Well, dear, what was it like being 10 again?" She opens one eye and stares at him, "You idiot", she moans, "I MEANT DRESS SIZE!"

Take care,
Richard and Barbara

51ST ANNUAL EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

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2nd Weekend in July
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Think Summer - Think Seminar

My driveway is finally snow free, most of us on the west side of the Cascades are not used to the snowfall we had this winter. Snow bunnies delight others dread. We had 14 inches in our yard, I know others had more, since we are shaded, a lot is still here. I know I am ready for spring and the up coming Education and Leadership Seminar in July, just over 4 months away but just the right amount of time to register for the dance, select your favorite RV spot or maybe try a new one.

We are privileged to have a national caller, Gary Shoemake, and our State Round Dance Coordinator, Nina Leisi, on the program for our dancing pleasure and for them to pass on some of their dancing and leadership knowledge.

You can download a registration form from the State web site www.squaredance-wa.org, select leadership scroll to registration.

Looking forward to seeing you on the dance floor.

*Respectfully Submitted,
Barb and Mickey*



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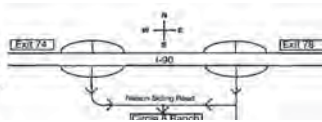


Nina Leisi
Cuer/State Round
Dance Coordinator
Cheney, WA



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Circle 8 Square Dance Ranch
651 Lund Lane
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July 12, 13 & 14, 2019

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Annual Square Dance
EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP SEMINAR
Schedule

**If you arrive early (Thursday) Circle 8 offers activities for all to enjoy
 Potluck in Main Hall: 5:30 PM**
Friday GOLF – If you want to play Golf call Sun Country Golf & RV at 509-674-2226 to make your own reservations.

Pre-Rounds with **Nina Leisi** 7:30 PM
 Mainstream Dance – Squares MC – **Jim Swanson**
 Rounds MC – **Nina Leisi**
 Washington State Callers and Cuers 8-10:30 PM
 After Party 10:30 PM

Saturday Information/Education Sessions
 Coffee & Rolls 8:00 AM
 Welcome and Introductions 8:30 AM

IN Main Hall: 8:45-9:30 AM

TBA 9:45-10:30 AM
 10:40-NOON

Lunch Break - Fundraiser By Donation 12-1:15 PM

TBA 1:00-3:00 PM
 3:00 PM

IN Main Hall:
 Buzz Session with
State President, Margaret Kiser, Moderator 1:15 PM
 Round Dance Workshop by **Nina Leisi** 2:15-3:45 PM
 Square Dance Workshop by **Gary Shoemake** 3:45-5:00 PM

Dinner Break - Potluck in Main Hall 5:30 PM

Mainstream Dance with Caller: Gary Shoemake
Cuer: Nina Leisi
 Pre-Rounds 7:30 PM
 Dance 8:00-10:30 PM
 After Party 10:30 PM

Sunday Breakfast – Circle 8
 (Donations gratefully accepted) 8:00 AM
 Introductions and Acknowledgements 9:00 AM
Keynote address by Gary Shoemake 9:15 AM
 Q & A Share your ideas 10:45 AM
 Summary and Closing 12:00 PM

Either Square Dance Attire or Casual Attire is appropriate for all activities

SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. CHECK THE STATE FEDERATION WEBSITE
www.squaredance-wa.org
FOR THE MOST UP TO DATE INFORMATION

If you know of a topic and/or presenter that you would like to hear, please let someone on the Leadership Committee know.

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2019 Seminar Flyer/Registration, revised 9-13-18

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Yes Via Email (reverse)
 Paper Copy
 CD ROM Disk
 No - I do not want the book.

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 Length of RV _____ Number of slides _____
 Desired Space Number _____ Tow Vehicle _____
 Arrival Day/Date _____ TOTAL \$ _____

Note: Due to complications with changing prices we will no longer be rolling over registrations. No refunds after June 14, 2019
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 Sponsor and Menu TBA



JIM'S SQUARE DANCE CALLER CORNER

Jim & Thelma Swanson

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This month I will focus on some zeros.

MS From a Static Square, Box, or a Line

- 1) Box the Gnat; Slide Thru; Face In
- 2) Touch to a Wave; Recycle; Flutter Wheel
- 3) Touch to a Wave; Spin the Top; Men Trade;; Hinge; Men Run
- 4) Square Thru 2; Partner Trade; Slide Thru
- 5) Square Thru 4; Men run; Split/Box circulate;Hinge; Recycle
- 6) Ladies Lead Dixie Style; Recycle; Slide Thru
- 7) Ladies Lead Dixie Style; Ladies Run; Chain Down the Line
- 8) Ladies Lead Dixie Style; Slide Thru; Reverse the Flutter
- 9) Ladies Lead Dixie Style; Men Cross-Run; Recycle; Sweep 1/4
- 10) Flutter Wheel; Sweep 1/4; Slide Thru
- 11) Reverse the Flutter; Pass the Ocean; Swing Thru; Hinge; Men Run
- 12) Touch 1/4; Men Run; All Face In
- 13) Pass the Ocean; Recycle; Sweep 1/4
- 14) Right & Left Thru; Pass the Ocean; Slide Thru
- 15) Swing Thru; Spin the Top; Slide Thru

MS From an 8 Chain Thru Position

- 1) Square Thru 2; Wheel & Deal; Centers Pass Thru; Flutter Wheel
- 2) Square Thru 4; Wheel & Deal; Centers Pass Thru; Reverse the Flutter
- 3) Pass Thru; Trade By; 8 Chain 2
- 4) 8 Chain 6; Pass Thru; Trade By
- 5) 8 Chain 2; Pass to the Center; Centers Pass Thru
- 6) Pass to the Center; Centers Pass Thru; 8 Chain 6
- 7) 8 Chain 4
- 8) 8 Chain Thru
- 9) Veer Left; Bend the Line; Pass the Ocean; Recycle
- 10) Right & Left Thru; Veer Left; Ferris Wheel; Centers Pass Thru
- 11) Swing Thru; Men Run; Wheel & Deal

MS From Facing Lines

- 1) Pass Thru; Wheel & Deal; Double Pass Thru; First couple Left, Next Couple Right

Plus From a Static Square, Box, or a Line

- 1) Ladies Lead to a Dixie Style; Linear Cycle; Flutter Wheel
- 2) Ladies Lead to a Dixie Style; Explode & Reverse the Flutter

- 3) Ladies Lead to a Dixie Style; Trade the Wave; Explode & Flutter Wheel
- 4) Ladies Lead to a Dixie Style; Trade the Wave; Hinge; Split/Box circulate; Men Run
- 5) Pass the Ocean; Fan the Top; Recycle
- 6) Pass the Ocean; Men Run; Fan the Top; Bend the Line
- 7) Pass the Ocean; Linear Cycle
- 8) Pass the Ocean; Explode & Right & Left Thru
- 9) Pass Thru; Chase Right; Men Run
- 10) Single Circle to a Wave; Men Trade; Ladies Fold; Peel the Top; Slide Thru
- 11) Single Circle to a Wave; Fan the Top; Ladies Fold; Peel the Top; Explode & Slide Thru
- 12) Single Circle to a Wave; Linear Cycle; Pass the Ocean; Hinge & roll
- 13) Single Circle to a Wave; Slide Thru & Roll
- 14) Single Circle to a Wave; Explode & Roll
- 15) Single Circle to a Wave; Hinge & Roll

Plus From an 8 Chain Thru Position

- 1) Dixie Grand; Trade By
- 2) Extend; Relay the Deucey; Men Cross-Run; Ladies Run; Wheel & Deal
- 3) Extend; Spin Chain & Exchange the Gears; Acey Deucey; Explode & Slide Thru
- 4) Pass Thru; Centers Pass Thru; Peel Off & Roll & Spread; Ends Load the Boat; Centers Single Circle to a Wave; Slide thru
- 5) Pass the Ocean; Explode & Slide Thru; Load the Boat

Let's Help each other to be the best Callers that we can be, so that Square Dancing can be the best that it can be.

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NOTES FROM NINA

Nina Leisi

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The pre-convention dance for the 2020 National Convention was held in the Spokane Convention Center on February 9th. It was a very enjoyable event. I am so sorry that the weather kept many of you away. We missed you.

I have been experiencing some health issues and am very late in getting this to Kathy for Footnotes. Therefore, I'm providing you with the ROM classic selection. I'll provide more information next month.

The Round of the Month for March is a Classic Dance. Many possibilities were recommended by members of the Round Dance Committee which makes dance selections. The dance selected is "Dancing Shadows" by Edna and Gene Arnfield. It was originally released in 1962. I hope that we will enjoy seeing it on our dance programs a little more often. Because it is a Classic dance, I'm submitting the Roundalab classic cues for this dance instead of my typed quick cues.

Nina

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MARCH DANCE OF THE MONTH



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PRESENTS DANCE INSTRUCTIONS FOR

* "DANCING SHADOWS"

(Round Dance — Two Step)

Dance composed by: EDNA & GENE ARNFIELD, Skokie, Ill.
Windsor No. 4682 Music by: The Eric Jupp Orchestra

STARTING POSITION: Intro, Diag Open-Facing, Dance, Closed, M facing LOD

FOOTWORK: Opposite throughout, steps described are for the M

Meas. INTRODUCTION (4 meas)

- 1-4 WAIT; WAIT; APART, -, POINT, -; TOG, (to CP) -, TCH, -;
Wait 2 meas in Diag Open-Facing pos M's R and W's L hands joined; step bwd on L ft, hold 1 ct, point R toe fwd twd ptr, hold 1 ct; step fwd on R ft to face LOD taking CP, hold 1 ct, touch L ft to R, hold 1 ct;

DANCE

- 1-4 WALK, -, 2, -; (Scissors) SIDE, CLOSE, CROSS, -; SIDE, CLOSE, BACK, -; BWD TWO-STEP;
Start M's L ft and take 2 slow walking steps fwd in LOD; (Scissors) M steps swd twd COH on L ft, close R ft to L, step on L ft XIF of R, (W XIB), hold 1 ct; step swd twd wall on R ft, close L ft to R, step bwd in RLOD on R ft adjusting to CP M facing LOD, hold 1 ct; (Bwd two-step) M steps bwd in RLOD on L ft, close R ft to L, bwd again on L ft, hold 1 ct;

- 5-8 BWD TWO-STEP; DIP, -, RECOVER, -; TURN TWO-STEP; TURN TWO-STEP;
Repeat action of meas 4 starting M's R ft; in CP dip bwd in RLOD on L ft, hold 1 ct, recover fwd on R ft maneuvering slightly R face, hold 1 ct; start M's L ft and do 2 RF turning two steps progressing down LOD making a 3/4 turn to end in CP M facing LOD;

9-16 Repeat action of meas 1-8 ending in Semi-Closed pos facing LOD;

- 17-20 WALK, -, 2, -; POINT FWD, -, (Hitch) BACK, CLOSE; FWD, -, THRU, -; VINE, 2, 3, 4;
Start M's L ft take 2 slow walking steps fwd in LOD; point L toe fwd in LOD, hold 1 ct, (Hitch) step bwd in RLOD on L ft, close R ft to L; step fwd in LOD on L ft, hold 1 ct, step thru in LOD on R ft turning in to face ptr and assuming Loose CP M's bk twd COH, hold 1 ct; grapevine down LOD step swd in LOD on L ft, step on R ft XIB of L (W also XIB), step swd again on L ft, step on R ft XIF of L (W also XIF);

- 21-24 PIVOT, -, 2, -; TURN TWO-STEP; TURN TWO-STEP; TWIRL, -, 2, -;
In CP M's bk twd COH start L ft and do a couple R face pivot 1 full turn in 2 slow steps; do 2 RF turning two-steps; M walks fwd 2 slow steps as W does 1 slow RF twirl under M's L and W's R hands to end in CP M's back twd COH;

- 25-28 (BOX) SIDE, CLOSE, FWD, -; SIDE, CLOSE, BACK, -;
(BREAKAWAY) SIDE, BACK, FWD, -; SIDE, BACK, FWD, -;
Step swd in LOD on L ft, close R ft to L, step fwd twd wall on L ft, hold 1 ct; step swd in RLOD on R ft, close L ft to R, step bwd twd COH on R ft, hold 1 ct; (Breakaway) step swd in LOD on L ft opening out 1/4 R to face RLOD in a Left Open pos, rock bwd in LOD on R ft (L ft remaining in place), rock fwd in RLOD on L ft turning 1/4 L to face ptr and wall, hold 1 ct; release lead hands and join M's R and W's L hands step swd in RLOD on R ft opening out 1/4 L to face LOD in Open pos, rock bwd in RLOD on L ft (R ft remaining in place), rock fwd in LOD on R ft turning 1/4 R to face ptr and wall in CP, hold 1 ct;

- 29-32 Repeat action of meas 25-28, on last fwd step of meas 32 M remains facing LOD as W turns 1/2 L to face M assuming CP, hold 1 ct;

PERFORM ENTIRE ROUTINE FOR A TOTAL OF 2 1/2 TIMES, THRU MEAS 16

- Ending: TWIRL, -, 2, -; APART, -, POINT, -;
M walks fwd 2 slow steps in LOD as W does 1 slow R face twirl in 2 steps under lead hands; change hands to M's R and W's L step diag apart from ptr (M bwd on L & W on R ft), hold 1 ct, point M's R and W's L toe twd ptr, hold 1 ct;

MARCH DANCE OF THE MONTH

DANCING SHADOWS

Roundalab preferred Classic Head Cues

RELEASED: 1962

CHOREOGRAPHER: Edna & Gene Arnfield, Skokie, IL

RECORD: Windsor 4682 **ARTIST:** Eric Jupp Band

FOOTWORK: Opposite TIME @ RPM: 2:34 @ 45

RHYTHM: Two Step RAL **PHASE:** II

SEQUENCE: INTRO A B A B A ENDING

MEAS.

INTRODUCTION

1-4 OP-FCG DLW WAIT 2 MEAS ;; APT PT ; PU [CP] TCH LOD ;

PART A

1-16 WLK 2 ; PROG SCIS [SCAR] ; HALF BOX BK ; 2 BK TWO STPS ;;
DIP BK REC CP WALL ; 2 TRNG TWO STPS LOD ;;
WLK 2 ; PROG SCIS [SCAR] ; HALF BOX BK ; 2 BK TWO STPS ;;
DIP BK REC CP WALL ; 2 TRNG TWO STPS SCP [LOD] ;;

PART B

1-16 WLK 2 ; PT FWD ~ BK HTCH ~ THRU LCP WALL ;; VIN 4 ;
PVT 2 ; 2 TRNG TWO STPS WALL ;; [SLO] TWRL 2 CP WALL ;
BOX ;; BREAKAWAY L & R [CP WALL] ;;
BOX ;; BREAKAWAY L & R PU [CP] LOD ;;

REPEAT A + B

REPEAT A

ENDING

1-2 [SLO] TWRL 2 ; APT PT ;

Notes: The choreographer for this dance may not agree with each of the ROUNDALAB preferred cues provided in these Head Cues. Supplementary information is shown in [brackets].

6/10/2001



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This pocket works like a fanny-pack, but it fits under the skirt or under the petticoat. It does not show or weigh down the skirt.

Materials

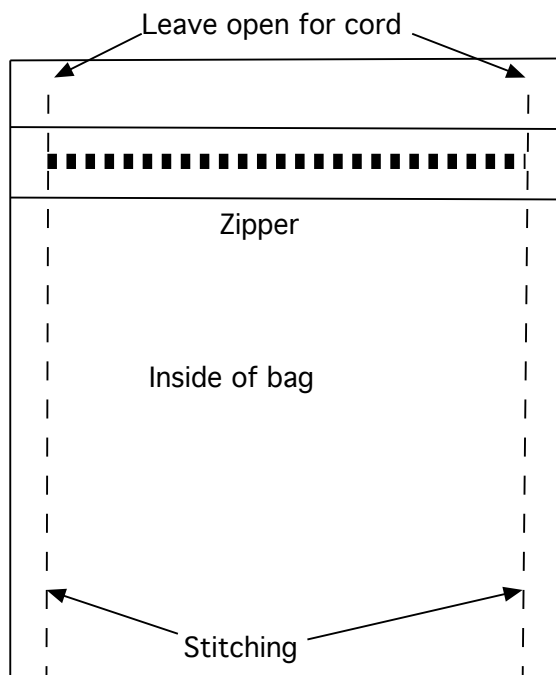
1. Seven inch zipper - any color
2. Fabric - 8 inches by 16 inches, thin and strong like nylon wind breaker
3. Cord or elastic - for the waist tie

Instructions

1. Sew the open end of the zipper shut. Just zig zag across the end of the tape with a wide stitch.
2. Lay the zipper face down on the right side of the fabric at the 8 inch side. Stitch down the middle of the zipper tape. Move the zipper down to the other 8 inch side of the fabric and stitch down the middle of the zipper tape. You now have a tube of fabric.
3. Open the zipper. Position the zipper so that it is two inches down from the fold of the tube. Sew the open sides of the tube with a half inch seam. Leave a half inch space at the top of the seam near the zipper



4. Reach in through the open zipper and turn the pocket right side out.
5. Thread the elastic or cord in through one top corner of the pocket and out through the other top corner. Use the zipper foot to sew across the top of the pocket just below the cord. Tie the pocket around your waist under your skirt. Your items are safe, secure and invisible. I prefer this to a pocket in the skirt because I take it off after a day of dancing at the convention and put it on the next day with my new outfit. I never forget my stuff in the other skirt pocket.



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Are you Bi-dance-ual or Ambi-dance-trous?

Many clubs have more female dancers than male dancers. In order to keep from sitting on the side lines, many gals have learned to dance the guy's part. By being flexible and willing to do something different, they keep dancing. It doesn't matter which side you are on, Belle or Beau, Gull or Buoy, the dance is the object. If you are the one who can fill out a square by dancing which ever position is needed, you keep seven other people dancing.

One night we made an all-female square. All of us in the square could dance either position. Of course, we danced right in front of the caller. He refused to look at us. We kept exchanging positions as we were dancing. Was that the reason he ignored us? Or was it the spare girl that kept cutting in? At the end of the set he referred to us as a bi-dance-ual square. Since then I have heard another term is ambi-dance-trous.

The easiest way to become bi-dance-ual is to go through lessons, from the beginning, in the other position. While you are at lessons you need to stay on the new side. Don't switch back and forth. Once you are in the mind set you will learn faster. It helps if you at least start with an experienced dancer for partner and your corner. The left allemande is one of the hardest parts to re-learn because it is one of the first things we learned.

When new dancers see the wrong sex coming at them in a right & left grand, it throws them off. Make brightly colored tabards with BOY in large letters on the front and back. Wearing one of these will help all the dancers know you are in the guy's part. A small badge can't be seen. A cap is a good idea for a girl dancing the man's part because the caller can see the top of her head and be reminded that she is on the he side. The British driving cap I wear seems to help remind me that I am a gent, maybe it's a foreign weight on my head that triggers my thinking "I'm a boy, I'm a boy, I'm a boy."

I was admiring a large, stretchy beaded bracelet on a gal at the last national and she told me it was her boy-girl bracelet. When she danced the girl side she put it on her right hand to remind her to slide-through, turn right and when she danced the boy side she wore it on the left wrist to slide-through, turn left. The Japanese dancers at Nationals wore a wide diagonal sash when they danced the male side.

Some people think that going to new dancer lessons is boring. They know how to dance so well they don't want to dance with new dancers. Well, I challenge you to go through lessons and become ambi-dance-trous. Let's see how fast and how well you learn on the other side.

When I make a mistake while dancing the boy side, I excuse it by saying, "The sex change operation didn't go very well!"

Marsha Sullivan

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This month's article is more of a personal article rather than square dance based article.

As most of you know, I am one of "The Hatch Brothers", a square dance calling group of three brothers from Federal Way, Washington. I'm actually one of seven Hatch Brothers and I have two sisters as well, but I want to talk about the oldest caller of the three, Joshua.

Anybody who follows our Hatch Brothers Facebook page or has been to any of our dances in the last six months has heard that Joshua started Army Basic Cadet Training (BCT) in January. By the time you read this, he will be heading into BCT graduation on March 14th at Fort Jackson, SC. We are really excited for him and know that this is really a great fit for him. He has always loved long hikes, even walking part of the Pacific Crest Trail in August. He's not afraid of the elements and even has an arsenal of hiking and camping equipment that all fits neatly into his backpack. He's spent many cold nights in a hammock outside to test his fortitude as well as his equipment.

As I write this, he is in the final field training faze called "The Forge", a four day out-in-the-elements challenge where they have to hike 45 miles, put into practice everything they learned throughout the first eight weeks, perform under pressure and be graded on all their skills to graduate, all on

five hours of sleep per day. When he graduates (God willing), he will then head to Gulfport, MS for his Advanced Individual Training (AIT), Carpentry and Masonry Specialist, which will take 7 weeks. If he successfully completes the Ranger Assessment and Selection Program (RASP), he will then go to Fort Benning, GA for Airborne Ranger Training, which will make the Forge look like a walk in the park.

We look forward to hearing from Joshua about his adventures. Please keep



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and moves forward in a new direction.



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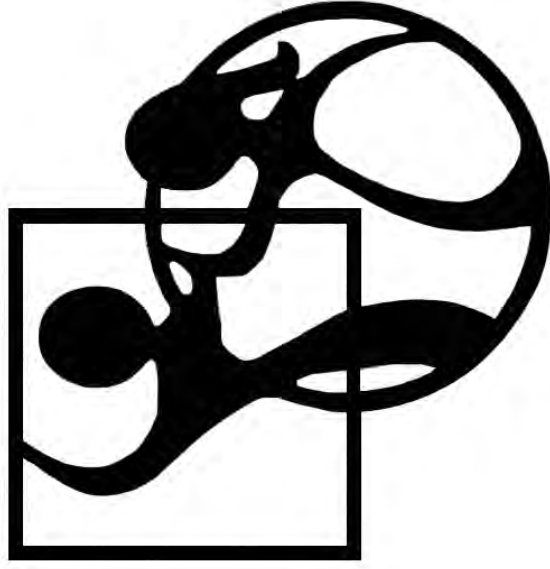


On January 15th, 2000, the Square & Folk Dance Federation of Washington, Inc. voted to award an annual youth scholarship. In May of 2004 it was given the name Timothy Dale Boggs Memorial Youth Scholarship in memory of Vern and Kathy Boggs' son.

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- An essay on your involvement in square dancing, how it has impacted your life, how you would help square dancing grow and why you deserve this scholarship
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Applications must be postmarked no later than April 30th

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DID YOU KNOW...?

(“Tech” Tips for promoting your club using the Internet and Social Media)

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... there's probably a “solution” out there somewhere for every problem we face as square dancers? Sometimes the “solution” already exists but is obscured from view. The fact that a solution already exists for a particular problem just gets lost in the hustle bustle of everyday life...or perhaps a “not in my backyard” attitude prevents a known solution from gaining the traction and attention it deserves.

The “Snowgeddon” that occurred this past month in the Pacific Northwest, resulting in many canceled dance events, highlights the fact that successfully getting the word out to everyone who might be affected by a dance event cancellation is not guided by a well-defined, or easily achieved, policy or process.

You might reasonably conclude....that's a problem! So what's the solution?

“Oh, I know” (says **Problem Solver #1**), “let's post a cancellation notice on Facebook (or Twitter, or Instagram).” Really? Aside from the fact that many dancers (believe it or not) do not have a Facebook (or Twitter, or Instagram) account, many who do (have an account on one or more these platforms) check them infrequently. Many who check their accounts, even frequently, don't have their notifications preferences set in a way that guarantees they'll see a post about a particular dance cancellation they may have planned to attend. Even if a dancer specifically looks for a cancellation notice, there's no guarantee they'll find it quickly, if at all. Does anyone truly believe this approach, alone, is sufficient? How naïve.

Problem Solver #2 takes a different approach. “Let's send a mass email to everyone on our mailing list and ask them to help spread the word.” Many of the same problems mentioned above (with Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram) are equally problematic when it comes to email communications. Not every dancer (believe it or not) has an email account. Not every dancer who has an email account checks their email often. Not to mention how annoying it is, for those who do check email often, to receive multiple forwarded emails, and be repeatedly reminded of “cancellations” for dances they did not even plan to attend. How tiresome.

Problem Solver #3 favors posting a notice on their club's website...or was that on their council's website...or maybe it was on the State Federation website...or...perhaps we should just send a notice to any/all of the several grassroots “newsletter” providers in the state. I'm confused already. My head is spinning. The club didn't post its dance in the first place on any (or certainly not all) of the websites or newsletters mentioned...or did they? So why would they bother posting a cancellation now, and on which site(s) would they post it? Could it be posted independently, or would they have to request that a webmaster or newsletter author to intervene and post a notice on their behalf? How complex.

Then, of course, there's always the fallback solution favored by **Problem Solver #4**...just post a notice on the dance hall door stating “Tonight's Dance Is Canceled Due to Inclement Weather”. How thoughtful.

The result is an unhappy, chaotic, default approach to scattergun as many of the above “solutions” as one can muster, all at the same time, and hope for the best. How daunting, yet still not very effective. Anecdotal evidence confirms Solution 1, for certain, did not work...and resulted in dancers showing up at an empty parking lot and dark dance hall last week. (And there wasn't even a Solution #4 sign on the door, either). How could we do better?

Consider this Problem Solution (which already exists!) Post all dance events (including dances, workshops, and classes) on the only website currently designed with built-in functionality to deal with cancellation notices. *WheresTheDance.com* allows you to post events, flyers, and even CANCELLATION NOTICES, independently (that means on your own, without the need of a webmaster to post it for you). Posting a cancellation notice (including posting a reason for said cancellation) takes only seconds to achieve for any authorized representative (anyone who volunteers for a club or council, or is assigned by same, to be a *WheresTheDance* editor). Dancers do not need to establish an account. Dancers can access the website 24x7 from any platform (desktop PC, tablet, iPad, smartphone). Canceled events don't simply get “deleted” and disappear from the event list. They will, instead, be instantly highlighted on the website with a large, red “CANCELLED” stamp across the face of the original post (so dancers don't have to guess if someone forgot to post the dance in the first place). And dancers wouldn't have to search club or council Facebook, Twitter, Instagram accounts, or personal email account... or club Websites, council websites, or the State Federation website to see if the dance they'd planned to attend is still happening or is canceled. Dancers would only have to go to one place, *WheresTheDance.com*, and enter two bits of search criteria (the center point of search, e.g. Sumner WA, and a radius around that center, e.g. 50 miles) to see who's got dances scheduled, and which ones (if any) have been canceled. How refreshing.

While it may take “an act of Congress” to get anything done in this country, the author hopes club, council, and State Federation leadership in Washington will take the initiative and necessary steps to accept this solution. Failing that, hopefully the dancers themselves will hold leadership accountable.

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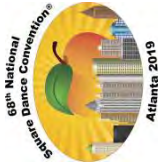


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Proper square dance attire required after 6:00 p.m. for all dancers.

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**16th Annual Peachfest Square Dance Festival
Penticton, BC
August 7 - 10, 2019**

**All dances held at the Shatford Centre
760 Main St.,(parking & entrance from rear)
(Air Conditioned Hall with wood floor)
Panel of Callers and Cuers**

Wednesday, August 7th

REGISTRATION &
CASUAL DANCING (free)
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. Pre Rounds

7:30 p.m. Mainstream Dance

Thursday, August 8th

**9:30 a.m. Casual Dancing -
Mainstream (free)**

2:00 p.m. Roundoree
(33% Phase 2, 67% Phase 3 & 4)

7:00 p.m. Pre Rounds

7:30 p.m. Mainstream Dance

Friday, August 9th

No morning dance so dancers can
attend the popular Golf
Tournament or other
Peachfest events

7:00 p.m. - New Format -

No Pre Rounds -

2 Rounds of 2 Levels
Between tips

Saturday, August 10th

10:00 a.m. Annual Peachfest Parade
(dancers are welcome to participate)

1:00-2:00 p.m. Aquaducks
(at Okanagan Lake near Power St)

2:30 - 4:30 Plus Dance
(with rounds between tips)

7:00 p.m. Pre Rounds

7:30 p.m. Mainstream Dance

****Schedule subject to change****

\$50/person for all four days --- August 7-10th, 2019

18 and under \$25.00

Drop in's per session space permitting - \$12 per person at the door (under 18 - \$6)

**Please send completed form along with Cheque or Money Order, payable to the Penticton Peach Festival,
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Penticton Peach Festival Society, PO Box 21003, 165-2111 Main St., Penticton BC V2A 8K8

For information on accommodation - please visit www.tourismpenticton.com

For information on the Festival, please call 250-493-4248 or email reanderson@shaw.ca or
peach-festival@hotmail.com

Registration Form – Please Print Clearly

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ Prov/State _____ Postal/Zip _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Contest:

A perpetual trophy (donated by Sandy's Badges – crafted by Bruce Spencer) will be awarded at the festival to the Club with the most pre-registered dancers by June 30, 2019.

To be sure your club is included in the contest; please provide the name of your home square dance club:

Club Name	Location
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Full Four Day Package \$50.00/person (includes all 6 sessions)

18 and under - \$25.00/person (includes all 6 sessions)

Prices quoted are in Canadian Funds

Please make Cheques or Money Orders payable to:

Penticton Peach Festival
PO Box 21003, 165-2111 Main St., Penticton BC V2A 8K8

Number of Adults: _____ x package price of \$50 = \$ _____

Number of Youth: _____ x package price of \$25 = \$ _____

Total Registration amount: _____



Peachfest Square Dance Festival 2019

BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL

Area Reporter
Fran Delozier
tanklister@aol.com



The next **BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL** meeting will be at 1 pm, on Saturday, March 30, 2019. The meeting will be followed by a Council dance, hosted by the Muddy Frogs and held at the Shufflers Shanty in Kennewick, Washington, at 2:30 pm. The caller will be Scott Coon and the cuer will be Bill Holm. All are welcome to join us. The weather in the TriCities should be spring-like by then, and with the dance during the early afternoon, most can drive in the daylight.

Here we are in March and looking forward to spring. So many dances coming up and so many places to go.

The **PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS** start out the month with Dan Pready on the first Friday. Dan & Dora are always

PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS
Shufflers Shanty
717 N. Irving, Kennewick
DANCING 1ST & 3RD FRIDAYS
SEPTEMBER-JUNE
PLUS 7:00 - 8:00 PM

See Shuffler ad for dance information

entertaining and fun. . We invite everyone to come visit. Then Darron and Kresin Tandberg will call for us on the 3rd Friday. It's Darron's birthday, so come join us

and help celebrate his day.

Bill (Karen)Holm will cue our dances. Our dances, at the Shufflers Shanty, in Kennewick, WA, start at 7pm with plus, with mainstream from 8-10pm. Refreshments are always served. Hope to see you on the dance floor soon.



February 7th The Prairie Shufflers Dance with Doug Davis Calling.

MELODY MIXERS Round Dance Club continues to dance on Tuesday evenings at the Shufflers Shanty. Advanced dancing is from 5:30 to 6:30 pm, beginning 2 Step lessons from 6:30 to 7:30, and open dancing by request or short workshops on new or infrequently used steps from 7:30 to 9 or 9:30. A beginning Slow 2-Step workshop started on January 15 in the 5:30 to 6:30 time slot, and will continue through early March. All Round Dancers are welcome to join us. Dancing is \$5 per week. On the second Tuesday of each month, we typically forgo lessons and have a party dance, with shared refreshments and dance requests welcomed. Bill and Karen Holm provide the cueing and lessons for Melody Mixers.

FAMILY-A-FAIR has moved to the Veterans Memorial Golf Course for their new dance hall, 201 E Rees Ave., Walla Walla. We are still dancing 2nd & 4th Saturdays from 7 pm to 9 pm each month. Classes are on Monday 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm. For more information call Carolyn Fesler 509-520-90578.

TRI-CITY CIRCULATORS enjoy Plus Dancing every Thursday, from 6 to 8 pm at the Eagles in Kennewick. Tacos are available for \$2. Anyone interested should contact Thelma at 509-539-2660.

MUDDY FROGS SQUARE DANCE CLUB

Caller: Guest
Cuer: Guest
3rd Sundays • 3 to 5 PM

Milton-Freewater Community Center
 105 NE 5th Milton-Freewater, OR
 For info • e-mail: merrianeh@charter.net



BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL

PRESENTS

SCOTT COON & BILL AND KAREN HOLM



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\$8.00pp

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larrydclark@charter.net or cynsabl@charter.net or jenquin.uj@gmail.com

PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS CALLER SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 2018 to JULY 2019

Plus 7:00 to 8:00, Mainstream 8:00 to 10:00
BILL HOLM cuing unless otherwise noted

FRIDAY MARCH 1ST

DAN PREEDY

FRIDAY MARCH 15TH

DARON TANDBERG

BMC COUNCIL DANCE MARCH 30TH w/ Scott Coons

FRIDAY APRIL 5

DARRELL KALMBACH

THURSDAY APRIL 11TH

MIKE SIKORSKY

FRIDAY APRIL 19TH

TOM CLYMER

MAY 3RD & 4TH CARAVANING TO APPLE BLOSSUM or GATESWINGERS

SATURDAY: May 18th Anniversary Dances

DAN NORDBYE & BILL HOLM

Plus 3:00 Potluck 5:30 Pre-Rounds 7:30 Mainstream 8:00

FRIDAY JUNE 7TH

ROB KRUM

BMC Dance JUNE 29TH?

SATURDAY JULY 20TH

ADAM CHRISTMAN with TINA ALLAWAY

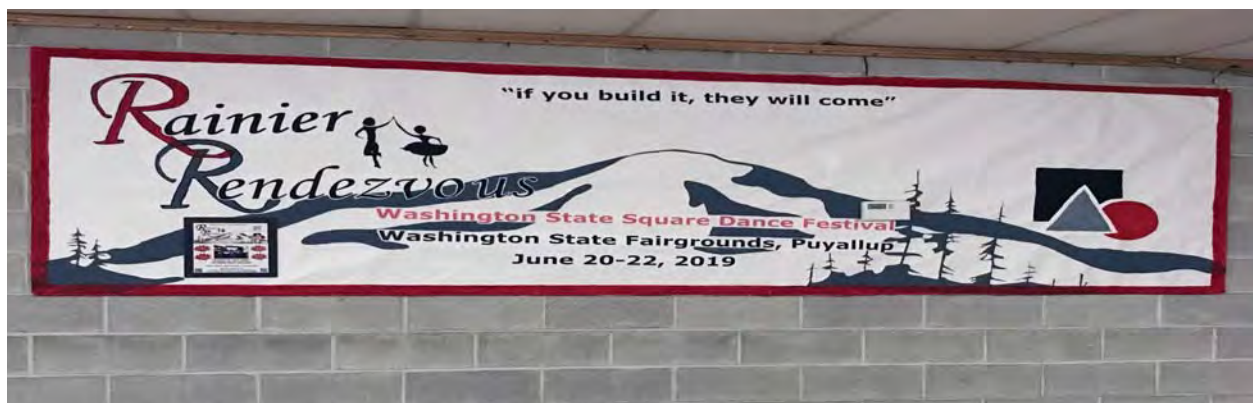
Plus 7:00 to 8:00, Mainstream 8:00 to 10:00

MAINSTREAM LESSONS MONDAY AND THURSDAY 6:30-8:30

PLUS WORKSHOP on Sundays 3-5 with DAVE BOGGS

SHUFFLER SHANTY 717 N Irving ST, Kennewick, WA

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This 4 foot x 8 foot banner was hand painted by Tina and Chloe Allaway and hangs proudly in the Shuffler Shanty

CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL

Area Reporter
Carel & Michael Edgerly

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As this is being written, we GATESWINGERS are wondering if we'll ever be done with winter weather...it's snowing again. The majority of our snow that has fallen this winter has been within the first two weeks of February, which means it seems like it's the start of winter, not the end. But that hasn't stopped us from dancing, although it has given us a severe case of cabin fever!

Our students are doing fabulous and they will be graduating at our dance on March 2nd. We hope you've been able to

spend time getting to know your students--and if you haven't, DO--you'll be glad you did.

This dance will also feature a pancake/eggs/sausage dinner at 5 pm prior to the dance that starts at 7. The dinner will be a fundraiser for our Youth competition group.

If you're in the area, join us for a fun evening of eating and dancing, two things square dancers do well!

And don't forget we'll have our 32nd Annual Spring Sashay on April 26-28 with Jim Hattrick, Craig Abercrombie, and Adam Christman, calling, and Susan Healea cueing. If you haven't joined us in the past, we hope you'll consider coming this year, it's a full weekend of dancing fun at our hall in Moxee!

Have a fabulous spring and remember to bloom where you are planted.

Debi Danielson

SILHOUETTE DANCERS

1st Thursday Intermediate

Thurs - Ph 2 + 7:30-8:30 pm some intermediate

Ph3/4 lessons 6:30-7:30 PM Dance/Workshop 8:30-9:30 PM

Cuer: DEBBIE & PAUL TAYLOR

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GATESWINGERS

Sept. thru May: 1st & 3rd Saturdays

1st Saturday Pre-Plus 7:00 PM

3rd Saturday Pre-Rounds 7:00 PM

Mainstream 7:30 - 9:30 PM

with finger food following the dance

4th Fridays Phase II Rounds 7:30-9:30 PM

Daron Tandberg, Caller,

Cyndi Silicki, Cuer

Summer Dance -- 4th Saturday in July

David & Sharon Boggs - Caller & Cuer

Yakima Square & Round Dance Center

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Gateswingers@ Circle 8 Ranch

2nd Weekend In August

The BLUE AGATES continue to be proud of our new dancers who are doing so well in lessons. We plan to graduate them at our Anniversary Dance on March 23. Hope lots of you will be there to congratulate them with us. The theme is the 70s so dig out some of your old polyester hip-hugger-bell-bottoms and beads. Your modern platforms will probably work. We'll have a great time with Tom Clymer and Don Jackson calling and Cyndi Silicki cueing.

Like much of the state, we've been inundated with snow in February. Just get dug out from one storm and here comes another one. Cle Elum had about two and a half feet in February. We're hoping March will be better so everyone can make it to our big dance.

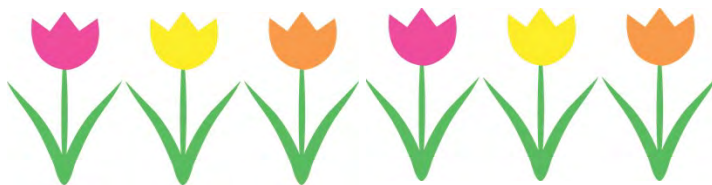
Unfortunately, our March 9th dance is canceled because of a conflict with a Grange event; so we probably will travel to another dance somewhere. All the more reason for you to come to the Anniversary Dance.

Hooray, Spring will be here in March and we hope it will leave all signs of Winter behind.

Carel Edgerly, carel@centurylink.net

CASCADE TWIRLERS are looking forward to dancing with the Blue Agates at their Soup Supper on February 23rd. And then on March 2nd with the 4. X 8s for their anniversary dance. March 16th is our own 70th anniversary dance, the popular black light dance with Greg and Sue Weber. We have been working hard on getting our scrapbooks up to date for this dance. Be sure to take time to look through them and take a trip down memory lane with the Cascade Twirlers. Our Wild and Crazy dance is April 6 - Fiesta Time!. Put on your sombrero and poncho and join us for a fun evening of dancing with Andy Garboden and Marilynn Holman.

Sandy Briggs



YAKIMA SPRING SASHAY 32ND YEAR



Caller
**Adam
Christman**

Caller
**Jim
Hattrick**

Caller
**Craig
Abercrombie**

Cuer
**Susan
Healea**

SCHEDULE

Friday: 7:30-8:00pm Pre-Rounds
 8:00-10:30pm Mainstream Dance
 10:30pm Ice Cream Social

Saturday: 10am-Noon Plus Dance - Casual Dress
 2:00-4:00pm Round Dance - Casual Dress
 6:00-7:00pm Potluck Dinner
 7:30-8:00pm Pre Rounds
 8:00-1030pm Mainstream Dance

Sunday: 8:30-9:30am Breakfast (FREE)

April 26 - 28, 2019

Yakima Square
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Center
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Enjoy Square Dancing to the Front Porch Trio and Rounds by Susan Healea

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 Couple \$56.00; Single \$28.00

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At the door:

Couple \$60.00; Single \$30.00
 Each Individual Event:

Friday & Saturday Evening Dance

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Plus & Round Dance

Couple \$14.00; Single \$ 7.00

Contact Person:

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RV Parking: \$16.00 a night for electric & water hookup.

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March 23, 2019

Tom Clymer
AND
Don Jackson

Cuer:
Cyndi Silicki



Groovy 70's dress encouraged!

\$10 per person; finger foods will be served
Pre-rounds at 6:30 PM & Mainstream 7:00 PM

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CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL

**Area Reporter
Donna & Tom Rohde**

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The **BOOTS & LACES** wish all our square dance friends a very Happy St. Patrick's Day. We are all hoping for an early spring. We are also looking forward to the State Festival and hope everyone registers early.

Our club is excited about graduating our class on March 27th and we are looking forward to them joining us at all the different club dances. Kevin has done an outstanding job teaching them. Come on out and join us for the graduation dance. We are encouraging them to join us at the State Festival in Puyallup.

Our dance on March 1st is a "Canned Food Drive" for the local area food bank. Scott Coon will be the caller with Debbie Taylor doing the cueing. March 15th is our annual "St. Patrick's Day" dance with Jim Raupp calling and Debbie cueing. We dance "Plus" from 7:00 to 8:00 and Mainstream from 8:00 to 10:00 at the Kent Meridian Grange. Happy Dancing!

Pat Hoot, hootpnr@yahoo.com

Come and dance with the **JET STEPPERS** at our dances on March 2nd with Pi-R Squares caravanning to us and a caravan from Boots & Laces and the Spinners to us on March 16th at Cedar Valley Grange in Maple Valley. Our club members are looking forward to caravanning to the Spinners in Enumclaw on March 1st.

On Friday, March 22nd, Jet Steppers will be hosting the Central Puget Sound Council Jack Willison Award Dance at the Meridian Grange at 15422 SE 272nd St in Kent. The featured Caller will be Brett Kappenman with Linda Nold Cueing.

The Jack Willison Memorial Award was established in 1997 in Memory of Jack Willison, who was a Caller, Square Dancer and Council Officer. The Award is presented at the Spring Council Dance each year to an individual, couple, caller or cuer who has done an outstanding job of promoting square and/or round dancing in the CPSC area.

Dave Smith, daves787@comcast.net

The **PI-R SQUARES** would like to invite you to our "69th" Anniversary Dance on Saturday, March 23rd at Meridian Grange in Kent. The theme this year will be "The Black Out" Dance. Wear Black to the dance or the Sheriff could fine you or if you know the sheriff well, he could fine you for no reason. Lots of black decorations with Andy Garboden and Kyle Quande calling and cueing. Please come and have fun with us. Come see the mogul, silhouettes and many other interesting decorations.

As March usually means better weather, it will be a fun time to get out and enjoy our area. We have been very lucky as the bad weather has avoided us this year. Take advantage of it and come square dancing.

Andy will be having his Maple Valley Plus Club dancing the fourth Friday, March 22nd, just the day before our "69th" Anniversary Dance at the Cedar Grange in Maple Valley from 7:00 to 9:00 pm. The past dances have been a lot of fun, so come and enjoy.

In February, our "Black Light" Dance was great and everyone had a wonderful time! A little different dancing with not much light and wearing gloves and beads that glowed. A little hard on the caller and cuer trying to keep track of where the dancers were.

Thanks for coming. Our second dance in January had Susanne Jones calling as Andy was recuperating from getting his new knee. Susanne called an excellent dance. Way to go, Susanne!

Come dance with the Pi-R Squares any 2nd or 4th Saturday from 7:00 to 10:00 pm at Meridian Grange in Kent.

*Terry & Marilyn Quinnett,
mvjunkdealer@juno.com*

**Pi-R-Squares
Dance Club**
2nd & 4th Saturday
@ Meridian Grange 15422 SE 272nd St Kent, WA

7:30-10pm MAINSTREAM

Come early for our 7-7:30pm:
PLUS Dance - Sept 8th
ROUND Dance Teach - Sept 22nd

Caller: Andy Garboden
Cuer: Kyle Quande

CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEBSITE: WWW.PI-R-SQUARES.ORG



Square dancing is a great way to shake the winter doldrums and at **WAGON WHEELS** Square Dance Club, we have fun dances for you to beat the winter blues, have some fun and enjoy some easy ways to stick to your New Year's resolutions regarding diet and exercise, right!

MARCH DANCES TO PUT A SPRING IN YOUR STEP!

HELPING HANDS" DANCE on March 2nd. At the Wagon Wheels "Helping Hands" dance, our club collects food and monetary donations for the Maple Valley Food Bank. Even in good times for most of us, there are still those who need help, so please bring a donation and lend a helping hand. Rob Sax, our caller and our cuer, Lorraine Rouse assisted by her husband, John, will provide plenty of opportunity to square up and pair up on the dance floor. Wagon Wheels just celebrated it's "51st" year in existence and the key to any successful endeavor is participation and that goes for our entire dance community, so we look forward to dancing with you and keeping the Wheels rolling.

ST. PATRICK'S DANCE on March 16th. With the "Luck of the Irish" in great supply, wear your green, sport a Shamrock and grab a lass or a laddie and hit the dance floor. Be sure to wear some green or you just might get pinched! Green is the color of Spring which is right around the corner, so put some "spring" in your step and some "luck" in your pocket and join in the fun which is our "gold in the pot at the end of the rainbow."

Wagon Wheels had great fun at our February dances, our Team Spirit Dance in honor of Super Bowl and our Sweetheart Dance celebrating Valentine's Day and celebrating our most Senior member Art Smart's "98th" Birthday. I even think there were some passes being thrown at our Team Spirit Dance and few being caught at our Sweetheart Dance! As for Art Smart, we all know what a great and fun guy he is. I call Art "Art the Smarty" because he always has a "smart" remark handy, a sparkle in his eye and will pull your leg about how shy he is. He still dances and I speculate that square dancing has added good measure to Art's longevity and we are grateful to have him as a Wagon Wheel Member for so many years!



Planning ahead, Wagon Wheels will be caravanning to Boots and Laces on March 15th for their "St. Patrick's Day" dance at the Kent Meridian Grange. Come join us, support their Club and enjoy some fantastic dancing.

At Wagon Wheels, we are looking forward to squaring and pairing up with all of you at the Kent Meridian Grange. Let's keep the good times going!

*From the Square Side.
Geri Kraft, pinefox@comcast.net*

An update on one of our members, Jean Huffman, who as of this writing is in the process of moving into an assisted living facility as her back and legs are giving her trouble. We ask for your prayers and good thoughts that might able Jean to move back to her home and feel more comfortable and safe again. Good luck Jean.

Keep square dancing and have fun doing whatever you plan or not plan.

*Terry & Marilyn Quinnett,
mvjunkdealer@juno.com*



Multi-Council "Spring" Dance

Central Puget Sound, Peninsula,
Rainier, & Sou'Wester present the

3rd Annual

Lollapalooza

Saturday, March 30, 2019 7:30 –10:00 pm

Caller: Ray Brendzy - Burnaby, B.C.

Cue: Roxanne Boelter - Lynnwood, WA

Pre-sale : \$10 adults / \$8 youth (split-the-pot entry incl.)

Mainstream w/single rounds & Plus "Finale"

KSDA Hall (Gorst)

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EVERGREEN COUNCIL

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Sorry we missed you. See you next month

Buzzin' Bees
MS Square Dance Club

1st & 3rd Sat. at Hazel Dell Grange
 Pre-Rounds at 7:30 Squares at 8:00
 7509 NE Hazel Dell Ave.
 Vancouver, WA 98665

Caller: K.C. Curtis
Cuer: Debbie Combs

Questions? (360) 253-3820



PLUS CLUB

JIM HATTRICK
 caller/cuer
 jhattrick@iglide.net
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First & Third Saturday

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Info: 360-573-5886



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7-8 Plus 8-10 Mainstream
 Lessons Tuesdays @ 7PM

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Abernathy Grange, Oregon City, OR

Church Mice LUCK OF THE IRISH PLUS DANCE – March 16-7:30PM
Tustin Area Senior Center, Tustin, CA

Bachelor N Bachelorettes – March 20 -8:00PM (7:30pm-Pre-Rounds)
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MOUNT BAKER COUNCIL

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The MOUNT BAKER COUNCIL encountered some difficulties due to adverse weather conditions early in February, being forced to cancel its own monthly meeting plus all of its dances for the second weekend of the month: snow, icy roads, and very cold temperatures!

But we hope to rebound in a big way during March. In particular, our Spring Council Dance, sponsored by the Fern Bluff Squares, will be held Saturday, March 30th, at Cavelero Mid High School in Lake Stevens from 7-10 pm with Daron Tandberg calling and Kyle Quande cueing. There will also be a “no experience necessary” dance hall available with Dave Harry calling. To see what individual clubs plan to do in March, please read the eleven club reports that follow.

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As the SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS move to the half way point of lessons we are enjoying a nice group of students. Dennis Webb is leading the group with his fun teaching style. Some of our students came from the No Experience Dance sponsored by the Mount Baker Council. It is wonderful to be in a council that supports its clubs by focusing on both retention and recruitment.

Tammy Comeau, Tcomeau05@msn.com

The FREEWHEELERS hosted our “President’s Day Pie and Ice Cream Social” Plus dance in February and send out a big thank you to our guests. Some of our members have been unable to be with us due to health issues and we really appreciate your attendance. As always the Alzheimer’s Benefit dance was a big hit and they collected a lot of donations for the cause. Thank you to all of the callers and cuers that volunteered their time and talent.

Our “New Dancer” class is small but mighty and have graduated with flying colors. Thank you to all of the angels and our awesome teacher, Spyder Webb! We look forward to dancing with all of the new graduates from across the Mount Baker Council.

In March please join us on the 3rd for our “Forever in Blue Jeans” Student Level dance with Spyder Webb calling and Debbie Taylor cueing. There will be an “Experienced Clothing” sale downstairs during the dance! March 17th will be our “Spring Hop” Plus dance with Roger Spiese and Debbie Taylor.

The Freewheelers send their condolences to the Square Crows on the passing of their long time club president, Alice Wright. We will all miss her!

Ruth Jester, ruthjester@frontier.com

The DUDES & DOLLS go with the “Luck of the Irish” and the Rainbow Squares Caravaning in to our March 8 St. Paddy’s Day Dance. Our March 22 dance is a Level dance cheering on “Spring Training” and showcasing an experienced clothing sale. We finish off the month with a 5th Friday dance featuring Kevin Thomaier calling and Debbie Taylor cueing. It has an “Egg-Stravaganza” theme to help usher in Easter.

Our only outgoing caravan for March is to the Happy Hoppers March 24th with caller Richard Lane and “Hooray for Hollywood.”

We will get together on March 20th for our General Meeting with a potluck beforehand.

We are having a lot of fun with our left hand-right hand workshops, learning how to dance in our partner’s position. Tuesday, February 19th & 26th got the left hand-right hand workshops started, and March 5th & 12th will finish them – all called by Scott Coon.

March 19th, Dudes & Dolls will have a workshop on “Circulate.” March 26th & April 2nd, Dudes & Dolls will hold their two “Ghost Dancing” workshops.

We were thrilled to graduate and welcome to square dancing 17 students on Tuesday, January 15th.

Vicki Lieske, vbluec1947@gmail.com

In January, ten of us caravaned up to B.C. to the Chilliwack Rhythm Reelers to retrieve our RAINBOW SQUARES Banner and to help that Club celebrate their 64th Anniversary. It was a fun dance with Brent Mawdsley & Mike Rhode Calling and Cueing.

We have been offering Free Admission for all Students to our level dances this year, and it has been a great success! It is nice to see so many students enjoying themselves dancing to our fantastic Caller Brent Mawdsley. This March will find us dancing with “Shamrocks” on March 9th and “Classic Country” on March 23rd. We will host a fundraiser soup & salad dinner on March 23rd before the dance at 6 PM, with monetary donations gladly accepted.

We are enjoying Cueing by Amanda Mawdsley and Calling by Brent Mawdsley at each of our dances this year. We hope to see you there!

Lew Gaskill, olgaskill@comcast.net



The **WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS** are hosting a “Dancing in the Rain” dance on March 15th. Kevin Thomaier and Karen Neverdowski will be on stage. We’ll start at 6:45 PM with a Refresher workshop; Rounds start at 7:30 and Mainstream at 8:00.

Our lessons are doing well at the Horseshoe Grange in Snohomish. We welcome any and all angels who can come out, especially new dancers who would like to refine their skills! We have 19 students this time. It appears that our move to Maltby was a good one. We look forward to a great year in our new home at the Maltby Community Club and we would love to see everyone at our dances this year!

We were saddened by the unexpected death of our former president, Alice Wright on January 23rd. She is missed, not only by our club and Alice’s family, but all the square dancers in Washington who knew her.

Lynn Von Seggern, lynnvs@cablespeed.com

The **STANWOOD SASHAYERS** want to remind everyone that the Elvis Dinner Dance is coming soon, March 2nd. Ask any of the Sashayers about tickets. Break out your blue suede shoes and enjoy dancing to the “Jailhouse Rock.”

Lonny Graff, blgj@wwdb.org

The **CASCADE CROSSFIRES** have Plus workshops on Mondays at the Cedar Valley Grange in Lynnwood September -July from 7:30-9:00pm with Susan Morris. Awesome Plus (all-position Plus) for experienced Plus dancers is 6:30-7:30pm. Anyone wants more Plus floor time or wants to refresh his or her Plus dancing may join us. On the 4th Monday each month we hold a Plus level dance 7-9:00pm (no round dancing).

Our next dance will be a Flowers-themed Plus dance with Kevin Thomaier calling and Debbie Taylor cueing on April 27th at the Juanita Community Club in Kirkland.

Please join us! Check us out at CascadeCrossfires.org

Cindy (& Eric) Selby, ericandcindy@comcast.net

The **HAPPY HOPPERS** dance the second and fourth Sunday each month at the Stillaguamish Senior Center in Smokey Point. Pre-Plus is 6:00-6:30 and Mainstream with Rounds 6:30-9:00 p.m. On March 10 the Happy Hoppers have our Aloha Double Dance with Dan Preedy and Karen Neverdowski; Plus 2-4 p.m. and our normal evening Mainstream dance. On March 24th we have our ‘Hooray for Hollywood’ Dance with Richard Lane calling and Stephanie Speelman cueing.

Our class of 40 students graduated on February 11th, with 38 joining our club. We ask that you welcome all new graduates as they step out into the world of Mainstream square dancing. Again this year the Happy Hoppers are following our lessons with four “Mainstream Strengthening” workshops featuring Steve Noseck. The three remaining workshops are March 4th, 11th and 18th. These are great stand-alone workshops for new graduates or anyone who would like to improve his or her Mainstream dancing skills. Times and location are the same as our lessons: Monday evenings 7-9 p.m. at Totem Middle School in Marysville

(1605 7th Street). Check our website for more information on the workshop and other Happy Hoppers activities: www.happyhoppers.org.

Eric (& Cindy) Selby, ericandcindy@comcast.net

What wonderful dances the **SAMENA SQUARES** had in January. For our “Starry Starry Night,” Gary Monday was our caller and Karen Neverdowski did our cueing. This was one of our black and white dressy dances. Some even went so far as to wear their tuxedos. A contrast of blue was there because of a caravan from Cascade Crossfires. They were debuting their new caravan outfits. Lily Quan, one of our newer members, was presented with the Mt. Baker Council Round Tuit for visiting 10 clubs in the Council. Jim Hattrick was there for our “Sport Spirit” dance. Although any favorite club could be represented, there was definitely an abundance of Seahawks attire. It’s always a good dance when Jim comes to town.

Lessons continue to go smoothly. With enough angels, our students are getting the moves down. Recently we had a fun evening doing the swish on the “slide-thrus.” With a bit of flare, and a dramatic wave of the arm, they all got the “slide-thru” down quickly. Progress is being made. Before you know it, we’ll have graduates.

We hope you can join us at one of our upcoming dances in March. We’ll be having our “Lucky Charms” dance on March 8th with Susan Morris and our “Red Nose” dance with Jim Hattrick on the 22nd.

Barbara Hubert, hubertones@hotmail.com

After the groundhog saw his shadow on the 2nd of February, winter hit with a vengeance, canceling club dances, caravans, lessons, even annual meetings! **THE SKAGIT SQUARES** and fellow northern sound clubs are really looking forward to spring!! Hopefully our March 16th “Shamrock” Dance will bring us rainbows instead of snowflakes. Tuesday night lessons with Dave Harry continue to be lively – 2 fall students will receive their certificates, with another 15-20 winter students learning the joys of square dancing and, hopefully, completing the program. Stay warm, stay safe, and we’ll see you in a square soon!!

Barbara McDugle, bmcdugle44@gmail.com



On the third Friday, March 15th, the **FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS** will host a special “Blues Brothers” Show and Plus Dance with Guest Callers Glen Raiha as Dan Aykroyd (‘Elwood Blues’) and Steve Noseck as John Belushi (‘Joliet Jake Blues’). 7:00 p.m. Pre-Rounds Phases II-IV with Club Cuers Bob & Linda Berka; 7:30 “Blues Brothers” Show; 8:00-10:00 Plus Dancing with Rounds We will also caravan to the Mt. Baker Singles’ “35th Anniversary” Dance with Dave Harry’s “a-live sound” on March 08. And we’ll continue our Workshops for Plus Dancers on the second and fourth Wednesdays, 7-9 p.m., taught by Gary Monday. The purpose of the workshops is to have fun and to improve one’s Plus dancing ability. Our Dance will be held at the Skagit Valley Grange in Sedro Woolley, and our Workshops at the Masonic Hall in Mount Vernon.

Ronald A. Ward, ron.ward740@gmail.com

FERN BLUFF SQUARES kicked off February fighting snow, icy roads, and closed venues. We had to cancel our monthly dance. March will bring a start of more pleasant weather, and a new round of lessons at the Monroe Senior Center, Thursday evenings at 7pm. Our caller, Ray Gallagher, starts us off at 6:30 with a refresher, experienced tips that include updates from the ‘Callerlab’ meetings. So far, we’ve jumped all over the ‘tag the line’ adventure and we’re ready for these new calls in mainstream – brought back from before when they were moved to ‘plus’calls. Our March Dance for the 9th has a theme of ‘Moto Mania’. We look forward to seeing many of you, at the South Lake Stevens Grange.

On March 30th, a Saturday, we will be hosting the semi-annual Council Dance. This dance has the theme of a ‘Summer Splash Beach Rendezvous’. It starts at 7pm and will host, from Yakima, Daron Tandberg calling, along with cuer Kyle Quande, from Kent, Washington, and from Lynnwood, Dave Harry, calling a No Experience Hall. The dance will be at the Cavelero Mid High School, 8220 24th St. SE, Lake Stevens, 98258. Every Club has tickets to the dance; if they have sold out contact Randy Keller ‘rkeller0659@msn.com’ for assistance in getting tickets. Easy directions to the dance venue, from I-5 going East on the Highway 2 trestle, exit on to 20th St SE, take the second right and 79th Ave SE turns in to 24th St SE, and you’ll see the school on your right. Going East on 20th St SE from highway 9, about the 5th left, turn left on 24th St SE and the school is around the corner on your left. We hope to see many of you there.

Randy Keller, rl_keller@msn.com

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Happy Hoppers
 Stillaguamish Senior Center
 18308 Smokey Pt. Blvd. (I-5 Exit 206)
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 Plus Dancing: 6 - 6:30 pm
 Mainstream: 6:30 - 9 pm
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Hooray for Hollywood

Richard Lane
 Caller

Stephanie Speelman
 Cuer

Appetizer Potluck

**Mar. 24
 Sunday**



Mainstream

Guest Caller:
Susan Morris
Guest Cuer:
Karen Neverdowski

"Lucky Charms Dance"



Friday
March 8th



Juanita Community Club
13027 100th NE, Kirkland

Plus Square Dance 7:30-8 pm
"PLUS with ONE
Higher Level ROUND"
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Square Dance 8-10pm



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Jim Hattrick

"RED NOSE DANCE" Friday, March 22nd



Plus Dance 7:30-8 pm
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Dance 8-10pm



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13027 100th NE, Kirkland

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Happy Hoppers

Aloha Dance

Dan Preedy

Calling

Mainstream (Evening)
6:30 to 9 pm

Stillaguamish Senior Center
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Arlington, WA 98223

Plus: 2 - 4 pm

Plus w/Rounds: 6 - 6:30 pm

Mainstream: 6:30 - 9 pm

Cuer: Karen Neverdowski

Hearing Enhancement

Info: (425) 334 4374

National Caller

Appetizer Potluck

Double Dance

Plus (Afternoon)
2 to 4 pm



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March 10
Sunday

Sat.
Mar. 9
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Lake Stevens, WA

Moto Mania
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DANCING SHADOWS / Rounds / Phases 3, 4, 5 / 1st & 3rd Sundays - 12:30, 2:15, 4 PM		
Juanita Community Club, Kirkland	Debbie Taylor	206 362-3734
DUDES AND DOLLS / Mainstream / 2nd, 4th, some 5th Friday - 7:00-10:30 PM		
Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood	Scott Coon/Debbie Taylor	425 337-2906
FERN BLUFF SQUARES / Mainstream / Family, 2nd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM		
South Lake Stevens Grange, Lake Stevens	Ray Gallagher/Linda Nold	425 981-6202
FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS / Plus / 3rd Friday - 7:00-10:00 PM		
Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley	Guest Callers/Bob Berka	360 766-6729
FREEWHEELERS / Mainstream / 1st & 3rd and some 5th Sundays - 7:00-10:00 PM		
Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood	Roger Spiese/Debbie Taylor	206 367-9219
HAPPY HOPPERS / Mainstream, 2nd & 4th Sundays 6:00- 9:00 PM		
Stillaguamish Senior Center, Arlington	Guest Callers/Guest Cuers	425 334-4374
HAPPY ROUNDERS / Rounds, Phase 3 & 4, Tuesday - 7:30-9:30 PM		
The Hayloft, Lynnwood	Randy Preskitt	206 365-8095
MT. BAKER SINGLES / Mainstream, 2nd Friday - 8:00-10:30 PM		
Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro Woolley	Dave Harry/Guest Cuers	360 391-5620
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RAINBOW SQUARES / Mainstream, 2nd & 4th Saturday - 7:00-9:30 PM		
Ten Mile Grange, Lynden	Brent Mawdsley	360 220-4340
SAMENA SQUARES / Mainstream, 2nd & 4th Friday - 7:30-10:00 PM		
Juanita Community Club, Kirkland	Guest Callers/Cuers	206 271-0654
SKAGIT SQUARES / Mainstream, 3rd Saturday - 7:30-10:00 PM		
Mount Vernon Senior Center, Mount Vernon	John Corrigan/Bob Berka	360 661-2018
SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS / Mainstream, 3rd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM		
Triway Grange, Mill Creek	Guest Callers/Karen Neverdowski	425 377-0756
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WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS / Mainstream, 3rd Saturday - 7:30-10:00 PM		
Maltby Community Center, Maltby	Guest Callers/Karen Neverdowski	425 485-3842

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The APPLELAND PROMENADERS welcomed our new students to a level dance the first Friday of February. Late in January 14th dancers travelled to the Tri-cities to dance to Johnny Preston. It sure was a fun evening dancing to him. We look forward to travelling to a couple of dances in March. We will attend the 4x8's Anniversary dance in Moses Lake on March 2nd. Next up is the Blue Agates Anniversary dance at the Teanaway Grange on March 23rd. Tom Clymer, our caller, is calling for the Blue Agates so we are cancelling our dance that night.

Submitted by Connie Mulholland

4X8 have had a successful Square dance class and are starting another one. We asked our students how they knew about the lessons. We had from a friend and from Facebook. We have to try all the ways to get students to try our activity. CeeCee Huber has been teaching the lessons. She has done a very good job. This month seems to have many Anniversary dances to attend. 4X8 "67th" Anniversary is on March 2nd. The dance will be at Chief Moses Middle School with Kevin Thomaier calling and Bill Holmes cueing the theme is "Roaring Twenties". You can come in costumes. We will be visiting Cascade Twirlers Anniversary on March 16th. It is their 70 Anniversary.

Jackie Chase

WHEATLAND WHIRLERS had to cancel our dance on February 9th with David and Sharon Boggs because of weather. We had blizzard of snow and ice. In fact there were a lot of closures and cancellations throughout the county and state. Today we had sun but more snow is predicted for the next few days, at least we had a small break to catch up on shoveling. We also cancelled our 2nd two step lessons. If all goes well we will have lessons on Wednesday February 20th.

As of now we will be dancing February 23rd with Paul Gonseth calling and Noelle Miller cueing.

In March we are looking forward to helping 4x8s and Cascade Twirlers celebrate their anniversaries. March 9th, Jim Swanson will be calling and Noelle Miller cueing. With a theme of "WEARING OF THE GREEN". On March 23rd Ray and Cindy Gallagher will be calling and cueing.

April 13th will see us celebrating our anniversary with Adam Christman calling and Bill Holm cueing. Please if in the area come out and help us celebrate. We will be at the Ephrata old high school gym. Stay warm and safe

Noelle Miller



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The Clubs of North Central Council



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www.applelandpromenaders.com

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East Wenatchee Grange • 3400 Sunset Hwy., East Wenatchee

Info: Bob & Connie Mulholland - 509-881-4961

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Buds & Blossoms – Mixed Level

2nd Friday; 1st & 3rd Saturday

East Wenatchee Grange • 3400 Sunset Hwy., East Wenatchee

Info: Don Jackson - 509-670-3540

or imt655@hotmail.com

Cascade Twirlers – Mainstream

1st & 3rd Saturday

East Wenatchee Grange • 3400 Sunset Hwy., East Wenatchee

Info: Randy & Sheila Ogle - 509-663-2395

Moses Lake 4x8's – Mainstream

1st & 3rd Saturday

Moses Lake Senior Center • 608 E. 3rd Ave., Moses Lake

Info: Del & Jackie Chase - 509-764-4254

or deljackiechase@nctv.com

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Every Wednesday

East Wenatchee Grange • 3400 Sunset Hwy., East Wenatchee

Info: Tom & Chris Clymer - 509-293-3516

or Tom.Clymer@charter.net

Wheatland Whirlers – Mainstream •

2nd Saturday; Sept.-Dec. 2nd & 4th Saturday; Jan.- June

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Mother Nature has a funny way of reminding us who's in control. Due to the 1-3 feet of snow received around the Olympic Peninsula, the Rhody O's and 4PLUS4 clubs had to cancel their Blues Chaser Weekend in February. After talking with multiple people in Washington and British Columbia it was decided that it was too dangerous for many dancers to safely traverse the road conditions. A big "Thank You" to all those that pre-registered or planned to attend the 2019 Blues Chaser - we truly appreciate your support. But don't close your calendars quite yet. Optimistically speaking, next year will be better and we look forward to dancing with a record breaking crowd for Blues Chaser 2020. The 2020 event will be held February 21 & 22, 2020. Kevin Thomaier, Lynn Peltola and Steve Edlund will be entertaining. The 2020 Mid Winter Blues Chaser Flyer will be distributed soon. Be looking for it as you enjoy the remainder of 2019 square dancing in the Pacific Northwest.

And another big "Thank You" goes out to all those dancers that helped the Rhody O's celebrate 40 years of dancing at the Gardiner Community Center on last Jan. 18th. We had six squares of members, retired members and friends (thank you KSDC) to share our bountiful potluck with

and also to dance with caller Thell Rooney and cuer Janolyn Keller. Our March square dances will be held on March 1st & 15th - same time, same channel. Any questions you know who you can e-mail.

*Trish Gaine,
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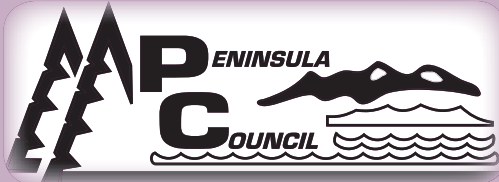


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PENINSULA COUNCIL

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PAWS AND TAWS enjoyed their Valentine's dance February 1st. Many celebrated the next night with Gig Harbor Twirlers 40th birthday dance. Lessons are going great at this time.

Due to the snow all plans have been put on hold.

Leota Lewis - Leotal@msn.com

SQUARE STEPPERS' Valentines plus dance was 2/9/19 with no rounds. The caller was Roger Spiese. This was a chance to help the local Food Bank by bringing non-perishable food donations.

SQUARE STEPPERS

2nd Saturday
7:00 - 9:30 p.m.
Guest Callers




KSDC, Gorst, WA
6800 West Belfair Valley Road

ROUND SQUARES see our flyer for the Memorial Day Campout. We celebrated another great birthday on 2/23/2019.

Kitty Ogg - oggkitty@aol.com

GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS Plus lessons have started with instructor Larry Small - 2 - 4 PM on Sundays.

DUDES AND DOLLS hold their Plus workshop/dance each Monday from 1 - 3PM at the Kitsap Square Dance Hall in Gorst with Roger Spiese calling. Come join in the fun.

Kitty Ogg - oggkitty@aol.com



Before you go to bed March 9th

SWEETHEART ROUNDS had to postpone their Valentines dance until the 22 of February. Lessons for waltz from 7 - 8PM, waltz 3-4A from 8 - 9"AM and two-step lessons started 2/21/19 with Shawn Cavness as cuer/teacher

Kitty Ogg - oggkitty@aol.com

CALLERS & CUERS held their monthly practice on 2/23/19 with the assistance of some square dance volunteers to come out that Saturday morning.

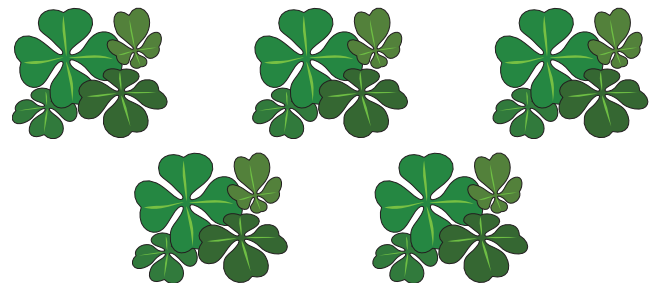
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PENINSULA COUNCIL is still continuing with their Basic Lessons - we are having as much fun as the new students - what a great group.

Kitty Ogg, oggkitty@aol.com

KITSAP SQUARE DANCE ASSOCIATION 2nd Life Clothing Sale runs until 3/22/19 - so come on out now that the snow has gone away and buy some great clothes.

Kitty Ogg, oggkitty@aol.com



**The Clubs of Peninsula Council - 6800 W. Belfair Valley Rd, Bremerton
Kitsap Square Dance Center in Gorst – kitsapsquaredance.com**

DUDES AND DOLLS	SQUARE STEPPERS
Mondays from 2nd Monday in Sept to 2nd Monday in June	2nd Saturday each month
Plus Dancing – 1-3PM	Plus Dancing – 7:30 - 10PM
Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst	Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst
Caller: Don Smith filling in for Willie Sewell	GUEST CALLERS
<i>More info call: Russ Richardson – 360-373-1822</i>	<i>Caravans/Mystery Trips/Camping</i>
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GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS	KITSAP SQUARE DANCE CENTER
1st Saturday each month except	Gorst (Bremerton)
1st & 3rd in January & 3rd Saturday in September	RV Camping; \$15.00 per Night
7:30-8PM Plus – 8-10PM Mainstream	For Square Dancers
Lessons, Student Level Dance, Mainstream & Rounds	Water & Electric Available
Caller: Roger Spiese, Cuers Carolyn & Larry Small	<i>Come Dance the Gig Harbor Twirlers, ,</i>
Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst	<i>Paws & Taws , Dudes & Dolls Plus,</i>
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ROUND SQUARES	PAW AND TAWS
4th Saturday, 3rd Saturday December only	1st & 3rd Fri. September-June except March, 1st Fri. & 3rd Sat.
7:30-8PM Plus; 8-10PM Mainstream, Rounds	3rd Saturday only in July & August
Guest Callers	7:30-10PM Mainstream, Rounds, Plus Tip
Cuer: Joyce Sebree	Caller: Roger Spiese, Cuer, Shawn (Wendy) Cavness
Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst	Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst
Caravans-Mystery Trips-Camping \$15.00 per Night	<i>Caravans-Mystery Trips-All Dancers Welcome</i>
<i>More info call: 360-307-8460</i>	<i>More info call: 360-930-5277</i>





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RAINIER COUNCIL

Area Reporter

Doug Schafer

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RAINIER COUNCIL is looking forward to participating in the 3rd Annual Lollapalooza (multi-council*) dance on March 30 in Gorst (Bremerton, WA) at the KSDA square dance center. *This year, four councils (CPSC, Peninsula, Sou'Wester, and Rainier) are banding together to put on this dance.

The 67th WA State Square Dance Festival, the Rainier Rendezvous, is now just 4 ½ months away. Don't wait until "crunch time" to register for this extravaganza! Rainier is the host council for the event, so a good showing of Rainier Council dancers is expected and will hopefully set a good example for others.

Lane Johnston, lanej@chessmenkastle.com

ROAMIN' TACOMANS recently completed a program of Plus lessons and graduated 12 new plus dancers on January 27th.

Our first dance in March will be a SUNDAY Plus dance on St. Patrick's Day March 17th from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. The theme is Pot O' Gold. Our next dance will be our Spring Has Sprung Plus dance on Saturday March 23rd to celebrate that spring has finally arrived. Pre-rounds will be from 7:30 to 8 and the plus dance from 8 to 10 pm. Both dances will be at our hall at 1705 Willow in Sumner. Tom Tomlinson is our caller/cuer, so they will be good dances. We hope you can join us.

We are looking forward to the multi-council 3rd annual Lollapalooza dance on Saturday, March 30th. It will be Mainstream with a Plus tip at the end. Ray Brendzy is calling and Roxanne Boelter cueing. It is at the KSDA hall in Gorst. Should be a big crowd and a lot of fun.

Sharon Herman, tonysharherm@yahoo.com

SWINGNUTS The Swingnuts dance every 3rd Saturday. 7-7:30 pm- Plus and 8-9:30pm is Mainstream with Rounds. We dance at the VFW hall at 1705 Willow Street in Sumner.

The theme for our 3rd Saturday dance on March 19th is Paint your Wagon. Come and dance with Don Wood Calling and Marie Wood Cueing. 7-7:30pm is Plus and 7:30-9:30 is Mainstream and Rounds. This Dance is at the Sumner VFW Hall.

We are continuing Funshops every Thursday starting at 7pm at the Sumner VFW hall. The first hour and fifteen minutes is set aside for Mainstream focus with Don Wood calling. Anyone having graduated from a Mainstream program is invited to attend our Funshops. Come any week, as these are not "sequential" in nature. They're designed to help both new and more experienced dancers build their skills and their confidence in dancing full Mainstream.

Beginning March 7th, we are introducing something entirely new for our Funshop format. During the last 45 minutes of the session of these weekly sessions, Marie Wood will begin introducing our dancers to Round Dancing. Marie will focus initially on Rumba and Cha. No prior round dancing experience is required, but we'd love to see any of you who already round dance come in support of this new experiment.

Swingnuts will, of course, be attending the Big Dance at Collins Grange on Friday, March 8th. Adam Christman will call, and Sue Weber will cue. Pre-rounds are at 7pm. Mainstream is from 7:30pm to 9:30pm.

Last, but not least, Swingnuts are looking forward to going to the multi-council Lollapalooza dance in Gorst on March 30th.

Gail Johnston, gailj@chessmenkastle.com

The **BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES**, a mainstream club, had a super birthday dance in late January, with 140 dancers attending. March will be a full month -- wear your Irish green and enjoy some amateur callers and cuers at our dance on the March 9th. Since we had no cancer fundraiser last fall, we voted to support Sierra Weber's fundraising project with the proceeds/donations from our March 23rd dance to benefit the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (fighting blood cancers). Featured will be the return of Jokers Wild, the calling duo of Steve Haslett and Greg Weber. It will be a fun dance for a good cause.

And, of course, we are looking forward to the Lollapalooza Dance on March 30th at Kitsap Square Dance Hall, our multi-council spring festival.



BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES
Mainstream, Plus Tip
2nd & 4th Sat Sep - Jun, 2nd Sat Jul & Aug
Pre-rds 7:00 - 8 MS w/+ tip 7:30 - 10:30 PM
GREG WEBER, Caller
LORRAINE ROUSE, Cuer
Collins Grange 3404 - 120th St E Tacoma

We dance at Collins Grange, 3404 120th St. E., Tacoma, with pre-rounds at 7:00 pm and squares from 7:30 to 10:00 pm. Greg Weber calls and Lorraine Rouse cues.

Sandy Anderson, sandy@pobox.com

The SPINNERS club dances Mainstream in Buckley, WA at Buckley Hall. Regular dances are held on the 1st Friday of each month. Greg Weber is the club caller and Lorraine Rouse is the club cuer. Check WheresTheDance for times, details, and flyers.

Dave Pearcy, skidave@comcast.net



Roamin' Tacomans

Sumner VFW Hall
1705 Willow St., Sumner, WA



Sunday, March 17, St. Patricks Pot 'o' Gold 5:30 - 7:30 pm Plus
Saturday, March 23, Spring Has Sprung
7:30 pm to 8 pm pre-Rounds, 8 pm to 10 pm Plus

Caller/Cuer: Tom Tomlinson

contact: Sharon Herman 206-510-1984

South Sound Singles

1st & 3rd Sat. Dark: 6/18/16 & 7/2/16
Pre Rounds 7:30PM • Dance 8-10:30PM

Caller: Jess Thomas

Cuer: Guest Cuers

Mainstream/Plus tip at end

Info: 253-851-5773

Collins Grange 3404 - 120th St. E., Tacoma



Rainier Rendezvous

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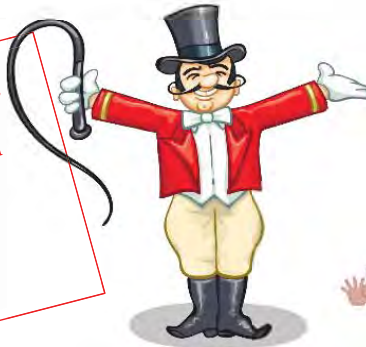


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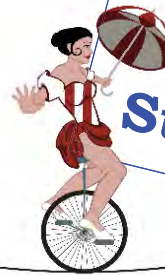
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Friday March 8, 2019

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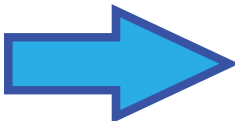
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Cuer:
Sue Weber**



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Dancing 7:30-9:30 PM
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\$15 for family of 4 or more**



Special PLUS tip from 9:20-9:30 PM

Place:
Collins Grange
3404 120th St. E
Tacoma, WA 98446

For more info:

youngbunchsquareddance@gmail.com



Evergreen Rounds

**Every Wednesday
evening**

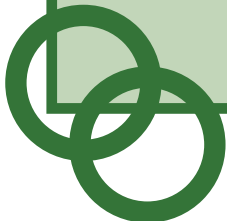
6:30 - 8:00 PM Phase II (presently Two Step Class)

8:00 to 10:00 PM Phase III through V, (taking requests)

*We will provide teaching as necessary for those interested
in learning the higher level Rounds.*

Location:

**Sans Souci Mobile Estates Club House
11209 127th Street E.
Puyallup, WA 98374**



Contact: Tom Tomlinson (Instructor, Cuer)
253-229-9443

Lu Simmons, President (Evergreen Rounds)
253-906-9949





Rainier Council Clubs

Website: squaredance-rainier.org

(check Calendar link for latest info.)

MONDAY

Every ROUSE-A-ROUNDS
Lorraine & John Rouse
Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA)
6:30 Beginners, 8-9:30 Ph2/EZ3
Dance 4th Monday, 7-10
(253) 846-8203 Lorraine Rouse

WEDNESDAY

Every EVERGREEN ROUNDS
Tom Tomlinson
Sans Souci Mobile Estates (Puyallup, WA)
6:30-7:30 Teach, 7:30-10 Ph2-4
(253) 229-0443 Tom Tomlinson

THURSDAY

Every SWINGNUTS
Don & Marie Wood
Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA)
8-9:30 MS Dance w/Rds
(253) 200-4566 Lane Johnston

FRIDAY

1st SPINNERS
Greg & Sue Weber
Buckley Hall (Buckley WA)
7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10:30 MS/Rounds
(360) 829-0251 Dave Percy

2nd YOUNG BUNCH
Mark Sebree/Sue Weber
Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA)
7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rounds
(253) 472-9092 Mark Sebree

SATURDAY

1st NW CALLERS ASSOCIATION
Cedar Grange (Maple Valley, WA)
Monthly Meeting, Dances TBA
(425) 778-6032 Rem Remington

1st&2nd ROAMIN' TACOMANS
Tom Tomlinson
Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA)
7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10 Plus/Rounds
(253) 848-7073 Sharon Herman

1st&3rd SOUTH SOUND SINGLES
Jesse Thomas/Shawn Cavness
or Charles Morehead
Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA)
7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rds/+Tip
(253) 851-5773 Al Tokin

2nd&4th BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES
Greg Weber/Lorraine Rouse
Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA)
7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rds/+Tip
(253) 875-5380 Dave Vigus

3rd SWINGNUTS
Don & Marie Wood
Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA)
7:00 Plus, 7:30-9:30 MS/Round/+Tip
(253) 200-4566 lane Johnston

SUNDAY

3rd RAINIER CALLERS & CUERS
Sans Souci Mobile Estates (Puyallup, WA)
1:00 Monthly Meeting, Workshop
(253) 229-9443 Tom Tomlinson

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SOU'WESTER COUNCIL

Area Reporter

Don & Judy Wilson

donjudywilson22@gmail.com

Sou'Wester Council clubs are happy to have the longer daylight hours and have "snowbirds" back or coming back home. There are lots of dance opportunities, but be sure to check Footnotes to be sure of the club's correct times, dates and any special themes. Hope spring brings you and your club lots of opportunities to dance. Don't forget to sign up for the Washington State Festival in June.

HARBOR HAYLOFTERS were dark in January because of our many snowbirds. We visited Cougar Squares, R Square D and Prairie Steppers.

Four of our members traveled down to Albany, Oregon for their Mid-Winter Festival.

We were also dark in February. We visited Cougar Squares, R Square D, and Prairie Steppers. Also attended the Ruff and Ruffles Anniversary dance.

March we are dancing the 16th to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

Ann Kilwien sqcamper@comcast.net

March 9th **DO SI DOS** go back to our Western Roots! Yep, it's time for our Wild, Wild West dance. We will reflect back to when square dancing was part of every town celebration and special event. Joyce Sebree will begin cueing pre-rounds at 7:30 pm. Jim Hattrick will call mainstream tips from 8 pm to 10:30 pm, with a plus tip when we break for refreshments. Take a look at our March dance flyer attachment.

Thanks to everyone who joined us during our February black light/Mardi Gras dance. Dancing under the black lights can be a challenge, but is worth the effort. Watching everyone raising their white-gloved hands under the black light is a wonderful sight!

Join us whenever the dancing 'mood' grabs you!



HARBOR HAYLOFTERS

3rd Saturday monthly except
2nd Saturday in June

Caller: Randy & Chris

Carlson

Pre Rounds 7:00

Ms Dance 8 -10:00

NEW LOCATION

American Legion Hall

112 W 1st St. - Aberdeen, WA

70th Anniversary Dance Update (Oct 12):

- We have confirmed that Jim Hattrick and Steve Noseck will start the day with a plus dance from 3:30 to 5:30 pm
- Club members will serve Pork sliders from 6 to 7 pm, donations will be accepted
- Joyce Sebree will cue
- Jim and Steve will call a mainstream dance from 8 to 10:30 pm
- Individuals will pay \$8 for one dance or \$15 for both dances

We dance the second Saturday of each month unless otherwise noted. Pre-rounds start at 7:30 pm. Mainstream Tips follow at 8 pm and we have a Plus Tip during our refreshment break toward the end of the evening, which ends about 10:30 pm. As OASDI sponsored lessons progress, we may call dances at the current lesson level (which may be noted on our dance flyers).

Jim Hattrick is our regular Caller and Joyce Sebree is our regular Cuer. As always, we offer delicious treats and door prizes for those who have traveled to the dance. Join us in our monthly celebration of the Do Si Do Square Dance Club and square dancing at Lac A Do Hall (1721 46th Avenue NE, Olympia, WA 98506).

It's the Wild, Wild West

with the Do Si Do's!

March 9, 2019

Caller Jim Hattrick

Cuer Joyce Sebree

We're going back to our Western roots!

Pre-Rounds start at 7:30 pm with sessions between tips Mainstream Tips start at 8 pm with a Plus Tip at the end of the evening Break for refreshments after 9:30 pm and the dance ends at 10:30 pm Lac A Do Hall is located at 1721 46th Avenue NE



Katherine Deuel

The **SALTY SASHAYERS** are busy harvesting the clams for our annual fund raising dance on April 27, 2019 at Lak-a-do Hall in Olympia.

Besides the famous clam chowder dinner at 6 pm, there will be delicious pies served at mid-dance break. There will be round dance or plus dances at 7-8 and mainstream starting at 8. Sue and Craig Webber from Puyallup will be the cuers/callers this night. Mark your calendars now to attend this dance next month.

Walt Crothran, waltorbillie@msn.com

The **PRAIRIE STEPPERS** wish you the luck of the Irish this month. We hope you'll enjoy our Any Day is a Great Day to Be Irish dance on Saturday, March 9th with Don Wood calling and Lonnie Sycks cueing. Larry and Andrea Kershner and Anthony and Danielle Ahrens will be hosting. Larry and Andrea are planning a silent auction with proceeds to benefit Safe Family Ministries – a local charity based in Chehalis.

We are planning to travel to the Ruff and Ruffles 66th Anniversary dance on February 16th. We are also planning to travel to the Harbor Haylofters dance on March 16th and the Salty Sashayers 60th Anniversary Dinner/Pie Auction dance on April 27th.

Prairie Steppers

2nd Saturday, 7 - 8 Plus • 8 - 10:30 Mainstream
September to May, Oakview Grange, 2715 N. Pearl, Centralia, WA 98531

DON WOOD, CALLER • LONNIE SYCKS, CUER

Chicken Dance TBA watch for ad in Footnotes

We started a new set of Square Dance lessons on January 8 and have eight new dancers along with the six dancers that started in the Fall. Five of the six graduated in December and we hope to graduate the rest in April of this year.

Prairie Steppers attended an open house following graveside services in Tenino for former Prairie Stepper Kathy Vallery. Several of us also attended services for Prairie Stepper Roy Fenstermaker at the United Methodist Church in Winlock.

Look for the flyer for the Prairie Steppers 38th Annual Chicken Dance in this issue of Footnotes. It will be held on Friday and Saturday, May 10th and 11th at the Oakview Grange with Canadian caller Ray Brendzy sharing the stage with Don Wood and Lonnie Sycks cueing the rounds. Pre-sale tickets are available at \$15.00 each for dinner and Saturday night dance.

The Prairie Steppers plan to sponsor a WA State Festival trail in dance on Tuesday, June 18th at the Oakview Grange with Don Wood and friends calling. Flyers will be out soon.

May the leprechauns dance over your bed
and bring you sweet dreams.

Marion Freels, M_librarian@yahoo.com

STARDUST DANCERS dance the first and third Thursdays of each month beginning at 7:30 p.m. We dance phase II and III from 7:30 to 9:30 with a sprinkling of phase IV. At 9:30 Susan Healea, our cuer/teacher cues intermediate dances until 10:00. Dancing on Thursdays opens up the rest of the weekend for more dancing. The dress is casual, but round or

square dance clothes are admired. Thursday dancing turns any weekend into a three or four day event.

Our last dance we had guests from Columbia River Dancers and had 15 couples on the floor. With the longer

daylight hours, dancers can think more about traveling a little longer distance. Give Stardust Dancers a try if you are a round dancer.

*Don and Judy Wilson,
donjudywilson22@gmail.com*

COUGAR SQUARES wish everyone a Happy St Patrick's Day and maybe even more important, a happy spring season. Longer daylight hours and warmer temperatures are not far away. Time to look at the festival and club flyers that are located a little farther away. Cougars dance on the first Saturday of each month through June. Dancing begins at 7:30 p.m. with plus followed by mainstream and rounds at 8:00. We dance until 10:00 and then have our refreshments. Jim Raupp is our caller/cuer/teacher and will keep you dancing all evening. We dance at the St. Francis Parish Hall just north of Toledo, turn at the blinking yellow light.

Hope to see you this spring.

Cougars also like to travel and several couples have been to Mid-Winter in Albany Oregon in late January, Flutterwheels in January and to Ruff and ruffles last dance in

February. It was sad to see another club disappear from the scene. But the dance was a celebration of 66 years of dancing and good

COUGAR SQUARES

1st Sat Sep-June
PLUS 7:30 MS 8 - 10:30 PM
3rd Thurs Jul (7 PM) / 1st Thurs Aug (7 PM)
Sound Enhancement
Caller/Cuer - JIM RAUPP
St. Francis Rectory Hall/Spencer Rd.
off Jackson Hwy. Toledo, WA



fellowship.

Lessons for this year are ending soon. This gives dancers time to prepare for festivals and other spring and summer dances. There are lots of opportunities for floor time with great callers and cuers during this time of the year. Happy dancing!

*Judy Wilson,
donjudywilson22@gmail.com*

STARDUST DANCERS

Round Dance Club

SUSAN HEALEA, Cuer
1st & 3rd Thursday 7:30 - 9:30 PM
Catlin Grange #199
205 Shawnee St., Kelso, Washington

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Rainier Rendezvous

Washington State Square Dance Festival
June 20-22, 2019
Washington State Fairgrounds, Puyallup

R SQUARE D says, "Off we go into 2019". Remember when that year seemed like sci fi future? Well, not so much now as we were dancing again as usual with the floor full

of four squares throughout the night. Thank you for Our "regular visitors" who make our dances lots of fun. First dance of the year we serve warm winter soups. This is always a favorite treat. Our tummies are warmed up before going home on a chilly night.



R SQUARE D

Craig Abercrombie, Caller
Lonnie Sycks, Cuer

2nd Friday & 4th Sat (Sept-May)
2nd & 4th Wed (June-Aug)

Plus 7:00-8:00; Mainstream 8:00-10:00

Annual Octoberfest
2nd Weekend in October

Kelso Senior Center
106 NW 8th Ave, Kelso, WA

360.431.7553 (Vic) or 360.636.3358 (Toni)
www.r-square-d.info

We were dark for the second dance so people could attend Mid-Winter. We hope you all had fun and will be back to join us again in February.

March is St Paddy's day dance on the 8th, when there will be the wear in' o the green...a little early. And, big 66th anniversary celebration this month on Saturday the 23rd! See you in a square. 7:00-8:00 is plus and advanced rounds, 8:00-9:30pm is mainstream with rounds. The address is 106 NW 8th, Kelso/Longview at the intersection on Ocean Beach Hwy. Craig Abercrombie calling and Lonnie Sycks cueing. Our website www.r-square-d.info is a great way to keep track of our club and events or friend us on Facebook.

Until next month my friends.

Annie Tietze of R Square D



RUFF & RUFFLES

3rd Saturdays, 7:30 pre-rounds; 8-10:00 p.m. MS

Jim Raupp, Caller
Susan Healea, Cuer

Catlin Grange, 205 Shawnee Street, Kelso
Using Williams Sound System

LAST SCHEDULED DANCE FEBRUARY 20TH, 2016

ROUND-A-BOUTS

Lac-A-Do Hall -- Olympia

1st Tuesday & 3rd Fridays

7:30 - 9:30 PM Phase 2 & 3

Mary Parsons - Cuer & Instructor



SPRING ARRIVES MARCH 20, 2019



FLUTTERWHEELS

1st Saturday 7-10 pm Mainstream

+ 3rd Saturday 7:00-9:30 pm Student Level

Don Wood, Caller • Marie Woods, Cuer

+ Glenn Raiha, Caller Guest Cuer

Lac-A-Do Hall-1721 46th NE, Olympia, WA

Sound Enhancement + All Dancers Welcome

SQUARE 1 PLUS

1st Friday - 7:30 - 10:00 PM

3rd Sunday - 6:30 - 9:00 PM

Gunter Monroe Caller

Guest Cuers

Lac-a-do Hall, Olympia, WA

Info: 360-754-1830

Prairie Steppers 38th Annual Chicken Dance May 10-11, 2019



Oakview Grange
2715 North Pearl St.
Centralia, WA

Ray Brendzy & Don Wood, callers
Lonnie Sycks, cuer

Friday Night dance: 8:00-10:00 B-51 with Phase 2-3 Rounds

Marie Wood, guest cuer \$8.00 each

Saturday: 2:00—5:00 Plus with Intermediate Rounds \$5.00 each

5:30 Chicken Dinner with all the trimmings

7:00—7:30 New Dancers FREE Dance

7:30—8:00 Plus with Intermediate Rounds

8:00—10:00 All Singing Calls with Phase 2 Rounds



Ticket pre-sales: \$15.00 each Dinner and Saturday Dance

At the door: \$8.00 each Dinner, \$8.00 each Dance

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Come Dance with Sou'Wester Council Clubs

(Note the changes of locations and days for some clubs)

MONDAY -

Every **TANGLEFOOT CLOGGERS**..... Brighton Park Grange / 4-8:00
Mary Dart, Instructor Clogging / All levels

TUESDAY -

1st **ROUND-A-BOUTS** Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-9:00
Mary Parsons cuer ROUNDS, Phase 2-3

THURSDAY-

1st & 3rd **STARDUST DANCERS**..... Catlin Grange / 7:30-9:30
Susan Healea, cuer ROUNDS, Phase 2-4

FRIDAY -

1st **SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB**..... Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00
Gunter Monroe, caller; Joyce Sebree, cuer PLUS

2nd **RHYTHM ROUNDERS FUN DANCE**..... Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00
Guest cuers ROUNDS, Phase 2-5

2nd **R SQUARE D**..... Kelso Senior Center / 7:00-10:00
Craig Abercrombie, caller; Lonnie Sycks, cuer SQUARES & ROUNDS

3rd **ROUND-A-BOUTS**..... Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-9:30
Mary Parsons, cuer ROUNDS, Phase 2-3

4th **CAPITAL SQUARES**..... Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:30
Don Wood, caller; Marie Wood, cuer SQUARES & ROUNDS

SATURDAY -

1st **COUGAR SQUARES** St. Francis Parish Hall / 7:30-10:30
Jim Raupp, caller/cuer SQUARES & ROUNDS

1st **FLUTTERWHEELS**..... Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:00-10:00
Don Wood, caller; Marie Wood & MaryParsons, cuers SQUARES & ROUNDS

2nd **OLYMPIA DO-SI-DOS** Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:00-10:30
Jim Hattrick, caller; Joyce Sebree, cuer SQUARES & ROUNDS

2nd **PRAIRIE STEPPERS** Oakview Grange / 7:00-10:30
Don Wood, cuer; Lonnie Sycks, cuer SQUARES & ROUNDS

3rd **HARBOR HAYLOFTERS** American Legion Hall / 7:00-10:00
Randy & Chris Carlson SQUARES & ROUNDS

3rd **RUFF & RUFFLES** Catlin Grange / 8:00-10:30
Feb. & Nov. Jim Raupp, caller; Susan Healea, cuer SQUARES & ROUNDS

3rd **FLUTTERWHEELS**..... Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:00-10:00
Glenn Raiha, caller; Marie Wood & MaryParsons, cuers SQUARES & ROUNDS

4th **R SQUARE D**..... Kelso Senior Center / 7:00-10:00
Craig Abercrombie, caller; Lonnie Sycks, cuer SQUARES & ROUNDS

4th **SQUARE ONE PLUS** Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00
Guest Callers & Cuers PLUS

SUNDAY -

Every **DOUBLE A'S**..... Lac-A-Do Hall / 4:30-6:30
Jack Hardin, Caller; Lynn Petola, cuer ADVANCED

3rd **SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB**..... Lac-A-Do Hall / 6:30-9:00
Gunter Monroe, caller; Spike Reid, cuer PLUS

ADDRESSES FOR PLACES WHERE THERE ARE MORE THAN ONE DANCE A MONTH:

Lac-A-Do Hall..... 1721 46th Ave. NE, Olympia
Catlin Grange 205 Shawnee St., Kelso
St. Francis Parish Hall 139 Spencer Rd., Toledo

Kelso Senior Center..... 106 NW 8th Ave., Kelso
American Legion Hall..... 112 W 1st St. Aberdeen
Oakview Grange..... 2700 N. Pearl, Centralia

SPOKANE COUNCIL

Area Reporter
Priscilla Davis
ddavisp@aol.com



www.squaredancespokane.org

February was a busy month of dancing for **SPOKANE COUNCIL**, but even busier digging out of the snow. We were so saddened when the Winter State Meeting for February 16th had to be postponed. We hope that everyone will be able to attend the new date weekend of March 1 & 2. Spokane dancers also enjoyed dancing with other square dancers from around the country at the Pre-Convention for the upcoming 2020 National Square Dance Convention being held here at the Spokane Convention Center.

Joshua E. Strickler, Reporter

The **COEURLY Q's** and our dancing guests spent the evening of February 2nd "Sharing The Love". We always enjoy our guest callers and Gary Baker had a few calls that kept us going in new directions. We happily welcomed Theresa Ray back to do the cuing after her time off for maternity leave.

The club has decided to go dark for March 2nd, which is our monthly dance night. We will travel to the Wild Rose Ramblers in North Spokane, who dance on the same night as the CQ's. They are hosting Jerry Junck as their caller. We look forward to dancing to him and sharing the night with a sister club.

We appreciate the commitment our students have made since September, only a few have dropped out. Making the effort for each week builds the confidence that allows students to relax with the calls that continue to become familiar. Our angel club members continue to be the support and friendship that creates the square dance bond.

That first Saturday in April will be here before we know it; we're looking forward to Dancing to the Move/ies, April 6th - with Caller, Adam Christman and with Cuer, Justine Litzko.

This is an annual dance theme for us and Adam and Justine always make it fun to dance to movie scores.

Please join us at the Harding Family Center (1st Saturday of each month), 411 N. 15th St. Coeur d'Alene, 7:00pm-8:00pm Plus and Rounds;

8:00pm - 10:00pm -- Mainstream and Rounds.

Hearing Enhancement available Finger Food Welcome

Donna Seil, Reporter

DIAMOND SQUARES had a great time at our Dangle Dance in January. We danced with sacks on both feet which made us dance little steps because those sacks are making noises.

Another one is called life saver. We bite a toothpick with a washer. It was such a fun dance. We have at least two squares on Monday nights in our beginners' square dance lessons with 12 new students. Thanks to those supportive angels who come

and guide the new dancers. We were dark for our February dance because of the Pre Convention dance at the Convention Center. Thanks to Dan Preedy for calling and Debbie Taylor for cueing. The short skit for the 2020 Convention was fun. Steve Noseck did not make it to the dance due to the closure of I-90 that Saturday morning. He had to turn back and get home safely. Our March Dance theme on the second Saturday in March is "Time Travel". Bob and Claudia Amsbury will be our caller and cuer. We will be announcing our sweetheart couple or single at that dance. Come and join us and have a wonderful time. See you on the dance floor.

Nelly Christoffersen, Reporter

TWIN CITY TWIRLERS

March 2, 2019

Caller Tom Clymer
Cuer: Carol Shopbell
2:00 pm Plus Dance;
4:30 pm "No-Host"
Dinner in Lewiston
at the Mandarin
Pine 7:30 pm Pre-
Rounds,-- 8 pm Mainstream Dance

Twin City Twirlers
1st & 3rd Saturdays, Oct thru May
Rounds: 7:30pm, Squares: 8:00pm
Lessons
Thursdays, Oct thru Apr, 6:30-8:00pm
(509) 758-3543 www.twincitytwirlers.com
2130 5th Ave, Clarkston (Heights), WA

March 16, 2019

St Patrick's Day Dance --Caller: Butch Suttley

Alayne Swanson, Reporter

VALLEY CROSS TRAILERS' "Chili Cook Off" dance on January 25th was great—we had 9 entries with all kinds of chili and the winner (chosen by the dancers) was Kathy Peake. Congratulations to Kathy for her chicken chili. We went dark for our 3rd Saturday dance on February 16th for the State Meeting (which was postponed due to weather conditions to March 2th). The Jacks and Jennys and Valley Cross Trailers held the dance anyways on February 16th with Bob Amsbury and Doug Davis calling and Claudia Amsbury cueing. The Dance to Benefit Alzheimer's with Doug and Adam as MC and callers and cuers from the floor had some very generous dancers attending. March 16th is our 3rd Saturday Plus/Advanced Dance and March 22nd will be the popular Pajama Stomp Marathon Dance—also celebrating our 61st Anniversary. Our January new dancer class continues to have fun and are enjoying our activity. Happy Birthday to Jayne (she worked hard at the Chili Cook Off dance!) We'd love to have you visit us.

Priscilla Davis, Reporter



WESTERN DANCE ASSOCIATION has elected new officers at the annual Trustees meeting that was held January 27th. They are Steve Scott for Vice-President, Floyd West for Building and Maintenance. Elected for another two year team, Teresa & Jason Dixon, Secretary; and Tami & Gary Baker, Assistant Secretary. Linda Willand, will continue as Treasurer; Doug and Priscilla Davis will continue as Program Chairman; & Bob and Becky Obernolte, will continue as President. We really appreciate these folks volunteering their time. We also want to give a huge thank you to the outgoing officers who have donated the last few years of their time: Phillip & Stefanie Schryock as Vice-President, and Scott Larson & Vicki Young, Building and Maintenance.

We wish to thank each club for putting in the extra effort keeping the WDC clean! Keep up the good work. Remember to take credit for keeping the hall clean by checking off the list that is located on the Electrical Room door.

This year our anniversary dance will be May 31st with Jay Henderson calling and Nina Leisi cueing. We will have Plus with Rounds at 7 p.m. and Mainstream with Rounds at 8 p.m.

Salmon Barbeque Pre-registration forms are available in both halls. Save money by pre-registering! Pick up a form and send it in now.

Becky & Bob Obernolte, Reporters WDA President

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Spokane Council Clubs Dance Schedules

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<p>Coeurly Q's - 1st Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Harding Family Center 411 N 15th St., Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814</p>	<p>Roundup Workshop - Tuesdays 7:30 Rounds III-VI Western Dance Center 1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216</p>
<p>Dancing Shadows - 3rd Friday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center 1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216</p>	<p>Spokane Area Council – March 30, 2019 at WDC Gary Shoemake, Caller – Carol Shopbell, Cuer 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds</p>
<p>Diamond Squares - 2nd Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center 1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216</p>	<p>Spokane Callers & Cuers - 2nd Friday 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center 1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216</p>
<p>Heartbeats - Wednesdays except 5th 8:30am Beginning/Intermediate/Advanced Clogging Knechtel's Shop 211 E Ziegler Ln, Colbert, WA</p>	<p>Spokane Carousels - 1st & 3rd Saturday 7:30 R III-VI East Spokane Grange 1621 N Park Rd, Spokane Valley, WA 99212</p>
<p>Hi-Flyers - 3rd Friday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Cheney City Hall 609 2nd St, Cheney, WA 99004</p>	<p>Star Shooters - 4th Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center 1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216</p>
<p>Hoodoo Valley Hoedowners - 3rd Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds III; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Various Locations Call for information: 208-946-0741 <i>Special dances during year</i></p>	<p>Twin City Twirlers - 1st & 3rd Saturday 7:30 Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Twin City Square Dance Center 2130 5th Ave, Clarkston, WA 99403</p>
<p>Jacks & Jennys - 3rd Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds North Spokane Dance Center 7424 N Freya St, Spokane, WA 99217</p>	<p>Valley Cross Trailers - 3rd Saturday 7:00 Advanced & Rounds; 8:00 Plus & Rounds 4th Fri 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center 1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216</p>
<p>Krazy 8's - 1st Friday 7:00 Plus & Rounds III; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center 1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216</p>	<p>Wag Arounds 1st Sunday 7:00 Rounds II-III. WDC 2nd Friday 8:00 Rounds III-V. NSDC WDC - 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. NSDC - 7424 N Freya St.</p>
<p>Model T's - 2nd Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds North Spokane Dance Center 7424 N Freya St, Spokane, WA 99217</p>	<p>Western Dance Association – 11/30/18 & 5/31/19 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center 1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216</p>
<p>North Spokane Dance Assoc – March 29, 2019 Gary Shoemake, Caller – Carol Shopbell, Cuer 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds North Spokane Dance Center 7424 N Freya St, Spokane, WA 99217</p>	<p>Wild Rose Ramblers - 1st Saturday 7 Plus & Rounds III; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds North Spokane Dance Center 7424 N Freya St, Spokane, WA 99217</p>
<p>Octo-Plus Squares - Tuesdays 7:00 Plus Workshop East Spokane Grange 1621 N Park Rd, Spokane Valley, WA 99212</p>	

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