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Hey Square Dancers. Share this picture with your non square dancing friends. Observe that some dancers are in ordinary street clothes. We square dancers surely have the greatest fun don't we? Photo taken at the recent Winthrop Weekend. See the 4 X 8's article on Page 39 for more photos and the rest of the story.

Please join the Spinners as we celebrate Dave and Nina Percy on

Friday, Dec. 4th

7:30 pm Prerounds • 8-10:30 pm Mainstream Dance

Greg & Sue Weber, MCs

at the Buckley Community Hall, 127 North River Avenue, in Buckley

Dave & Nina Percy received the 2015 President's Award

"for exceptional service to further the development of square dancing"

at the 63rd Washington State Square Dance Festival, June 19 & 20, 2015 in

Mt. Vernon, as awarded by Frank & Kathy Chase, State President couple.



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We thought our readers would enjoy a good, old fashioned square dance picture on the cover for a change.

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THE GAVEL
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Many thanks for much work

Thank you to Margaret Kiser and George Broom for the wonderful installation of the 2015/2016 State Federation Officers. We had a good turnout for the Fall Meeting. I want to thank the Salty Sashayers for preparing and serving the breakfast. Also thanks go to the Square Ones for preparing and serving the stuffed potato lunch. We had plenty of food and everything was delicious. I also want to thank the Round-A-Bouts for hosting the Friday night dance and the Flutterwheels for hosting the Saturday night dance. They were both fun dances.

Kay Mahan reported on the finances of FOOTNOTES which showed more than \$6,700 loss, even after the Federation Stipend. We cannot continue to lose money like that. A motion was made by Scott Marriner (co-editor), that FOOTNOTES cease being a print publication upon the completion of the June 2016 issue and that FOOTNOTES continue as an online only publication, available free to anyone, effective with the September 2016 issue. Print copy subscriptions are to be continued through June of 2016, prorated at \$1.50 per copy for each month. This motion was tabled to allow the council delegates to query the clubs and members what they want to do. I urge everyone to provide your opinions to your council delegates, so we can get this issue resolved at the January meeting.

Tanya and I wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. I know we have much to be thankful for.

Thank you again.

Gene & Tanya Currier



December 5, 2015

7 pm to 9:30 pm

Yakima Square & Round Dance Center

Caller
Tom Clymer
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Jim Spence

2 pm - 4 pm Plus Dance w/ Rounds

5:30 pm – Roast Beef Dinner

7pm - Pre-Rounds

7:30 pm – 9:30 pm Mainstream
 Dance w/ Rounds

9:30 pm Refreshments



Load the Pot -
 prize drawings

Roast Beef (w/ baked potato) dinner \$10/person (kids at reduced rates). Please RSVP for dinner, so we can estimate numbers. Plus Dance \$5/ person. Mainstream Dance \$8/person (kids at reduced rates). Yakima Square & Round Dance Center 207 East Charron Road, Moxee, Washington. Yakima Gateswinger's event. RSVP 509-966-4356

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

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Maggie Misses her dogs

Well... Life certainly has changed yet it remains the same. With my move from living with my youngest daughter's family I've had to leave our beloved "puppies" Anna 15 and Louie 12. Yet some things remain the same as Square Dancers old and young spin across my screen saver entertaining themselves and others over the past 20 some years.

I get up and go to bed at the same time, watch the same TV programs and watch another generation come and go. I miss being young and having young people around me. Two of the granddaughters graduated from Mainstream while attending Middle School but are now off pursuing other dreams. In July my eldest daughter became a grandmother. That makes me a great grandmother. And now my granddaughters are marrying and having babies. The same empty nests that some of you may be experiencing. The cycle continues.

Keep on dancing; it is too much fun to give up! If not Squares or Rounds... try Salsa!

Yellow Rocks!
Maggie

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First of the month preceeding publication
for all articles, ads and photos.

*"Each Square Dance Lights Anew
The Flame of Friendship True.
The Joy We've Had in Knowing You
Will Last Our Whole Life Through."*

CHARLIE COOK,
CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

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Veteran's Day, November 11th



While it is appropriate to acknowledge the dedication, sacrifice and sense of duty of our service men and women at any time, it is especially important that we honor them on Wednesday, November 11th.

For those of us old enough to remember, it was once called "Armistice Day" in honor of laying down the weapons of war in our country's earlier history.

Now we pause to remember all those who serve and have served, defending our country from those who would destroy us.

Thank you ladies and gentlemen. For your efforts, we can all say "I am free!"

Recently we received an interesting bit of news from the National Square Dance Convention®. For the first time ever there will be a way for every dancer that is registered to be able to see their information in the computer and update or change their information. This database is not only for the 65th National Square Dance Convention® but for all of the national conventions and even some state conventions. While we do not have space here to outline the complete program, you can obtain more information on the 65th's website.

Finally, for whatever its worth, we found the Club News in this issue to be especially interesting. We challenge you to read them all in their entirety. Along with the usual plugs for dances and other event attendance we found a wealth of insight and information. Many clubs have written about good ideas that have enhanced the pleasure and satisfaction of their own and visitor membership. You'll even find a bit of philosophy and introspection you won't want to miss. Read, and then let us know if you agree.

Scotty & Shirley

Summary of Minutes from the September 19, 2015 State Federation Meeting held at Lac-A-Do Hall in Olympia.

Reporting by Darlene Jolly

Meeting called to order by President Kathy Chase

Corresponding Secretary passed out white book updates. If you have a "white book" please return it to Lu Simmons, the new Corresponding Secretary. She reported that the State Directory is being sent out with the October issue of FOOTNOTES this year because there were so many changes & late information.

Education & Leadership reports they have 31 registered with 9 RV's for 26 nights & 31 lunches for 2016. Topics & speakers are all set. Our articles will give you information all thru the year. **DO NOT CONTACT CIRCLE 8 FOR CAMPING FOR LEADERSHIP SEMINAR WEEKEND.**

The 2015 Washington State Festival "Life's a Dance" turned over to the state \$10,397.04 as their portion of the profits.

The 2016 Festival "Tall Timber Calling" will be in Longview on June 17-18, 2016. Any questions contact Gene & Tanya Currier or Dick & Bonnie Blewitt. Caller is Jet Roberts, Cuer is Chuck Weiss & Clogg Prompter is Kellee Ramirez.

The 2017 Festival will be in Spokane June 16-17, 2017.

Historian/Librarian, Shirley Spain, has lots of empty pages. Has your Council or club sent her any pictures?

Membership/Insurance reports that the following clubs have folded. Blazing Stars, Checkerboard Squares, Contrails, North Central Callers & Cuers. Capital Singles have changed their name to Capital Squares. We now have 2977 dancers in the State Federation.

FOOTNOTES reported that they are operating at a loss. Their balance is \$4,503.91 as of August 1st. Scott has turned in a letter of resignation which will take effect after the June 2016 issue. Margaret Miller has done the same.

XP Chair reported that Venetta Enyeart Grunert passed away. April 2nd there will be a dance for Bruce & Judy Ottoson at North Side Dance Hall for their MacGregor Award.

BMI/ASCAP reports that BMI fees have been paid, ASCAP are due in January.

License plate reports there have been 31 numbers issued since May. Please let Gaylen Ploeg know your new numbers.

NEC representative reports there were 4004 dancers at Springfield, Mass. Next June 22-25 is at Des Moines, Iowa. Go to 65NSDC.org to register.

Round dance Chair reports September round of the month is Wagon Wheel.

Grant committee reports that all approved grants have been received. No new grant requests since last meeting.

In Area Delegate reports we learned that Jean Bradley of Sou'Wester Council has passed away. Spokane Council Hall of Fame award was presented to Bob &

Becky Obernolte.

From Blue Mtn. Council Bill Frisbee is battling leukemia. From Central Daron Tandberg has a new BBQ business, his Mother Kay has some health issues. The Silhouette Round Dance club is dancing at Fruitvale Grange. Evergreen Council – Bill Lundin has retired from calling. Jim Hattrick has recovered & is back calling. No. Olympic Rhody O's started fall with 26 students – 19 still there. Did signs & brochures & went door to door with flyers. Peninsula says Willie Sewell is home with his dog in his lap & happy to be there.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Publicity & promotion suggested motion on Guidelines for TV Advertising: Official State Dance, Picture of things around the state, show morning & evening news, Alcohol free & good Exercise, Comtemporany music, Dress varied, Ages varied, Local # used & be sure they have info. Motion to accept, seconded & carried.

Installation of new officers. Meeting reopened by new President Gene Currier.

Rounds chair reported October round of the month is Hummin' & Waltzin' & Novembers is Lucky Devil.

NEW BUSINESS:

Festival badges are getting very low. We have 14 left. We have been using about 200 per year. Motion to order 5000 was tabled.

FOOTNOTES – Moved & seconded that FOOTNOTES become on line only with the fall of 2016. Motion tabled so delegates can take back to their clubs. The Directory is not part of FOOTNOTES.

Kathy Chase volunteered to edit FOOTNOTES for 2 years (& train somebody else to do it) but ONLY if it goes on line.

Motion made to subsidize FOOTNOTES as needed for the year 2015/16. Seconded & carried.

There were no bids for any more state meetings or festivals.

Bonnie Harry has put an ad on the Home School Network & wants to know if anybody has had response.

National Squares magazine ad – Moved & seconded that the state put a ½ page ad in at \$320.00. Heritage Center will pay half & have half of the ad. Motion carried.

Future State Federation meetings: January 16, 2016 in Sou'Wester Council – Friday dance at Rose Valley Grange & Saturday meeting & dance at Catlin Grange in Kelso (information to follow); May 14, 2016 Spokane, Western Dance Center; May 2017 Spokane Council. September 2016 and Winter 2017 are not committed.

State Festivals are open for 2019 & later.

Please put out important voting items early so delegates may talk with their councils.

In Good of the Order: Russ Kruse of Central Area Council is battling Cancer; Willie Sewell of Peninsula Council had a stroke, is home now but still needs prayers; Gordon Mustard of Spokane Council had knee surgery & acquired staff infection. All need our thoughts & prayers for a speedy recovery.

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Harrah! Everyone has renewed!

We would like to thank all of the clubs for their efforts in renewing their club and memberships for this dance season. We have now received all renewals for the 2015-2016 dance year.

Our insurance policy runs from September 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016. You will find a generic copy of our Certificate of Insurance on the state website under the M&I tab. Feel free to print that to include in your club records and to provide proof of insurance to facilities that require them. Remember, some facilities ask to be a 'named insured' on our policy. This is no problem. If a facility asks to be a 'named insured' on our insurance policy, here is the procedure to follow to accomplish this: go to the state website, under the M&I tab, and scroll down to 'GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE CERTIFICATE REQUEST FORM'. Click on that to bring up the form, fill it out on line, print it, and get it back to us via scanning it to email, or snail mail. We will then get you a certificate with the requesting facility being named on that certificate. This request form can be used for special events, regular club dances for the entire year, etc. Just be sure to include the explanation in the 'Description of Event/Activity' box, and also be sure to include the requesting facility's information on the lower part of the form. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to give us a call.

Don't forget to send us a list of your students! Please remember, if a student should join multiple clubs, they need only pay the state dues and insurance of six dollars through one club. This would hold true for anyone belonging to multiple clubs, they need to pay their state membership and insurance through only one club. The students are covered by our accident policy for free while they are taking lessons. Upon graduation, they have 10 days to join a club or they will no longer be covered. Now, that being said, we feel that a person should be allowed to be counted as a student in your club for only one year. The whole idea of free insurance for students is to help them get started, not to provide them with free insurance for the rest of their dancing career. We absolutely do not mean to step on anyone's toes, but we are responsible to make sure our insurance requirements are met and not abused and create a situation that could adversely affect our insurance coverage.

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Glass Slipper Ball New Year's Eve 2015



Olympia Area Square Dance Inc. Presents
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Lac-A-Do Hall 1721 46th Ave NE Olympia, WA.

\$15.00 Singles	8:30—9:00 Pre-Rounds	Buffet Served all Evening
\$30.00 Couples	9:00—12:30 Square Dance	Dessert & Sparkling Cider
\$7.00 Youth	with Plus tips	at Midnight
		Hosted by Round A-Bouts

For Tickets or Information See any OASDI member or Call Gary Gerdes 360-459-4864

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Social media to promote Square Dancing?

One of the topics for The 48th Education and Leadership Seminar will be Using Social Media to promote Square Dancing with Richard and Leslye Lane. Richard has been calling since 1980, which he did as a dare, that he dress up as Dolly Parton and do the singing call "9 to 5". Within a year he was the featured caller at the Northeast Oklahoma Festival. By 1989 he had moved to Yuma, Arizona and started and ran a successful winter program for nine years. In 1992 he married Leslye. By 1994 he had quit calling full time and went to work for the phone company. In 1997 he was transferred to Utah and closed his program in Yuma. He was on the move again in 2004 to Albuquerque where he called for a local Mainstream and Plus club; transferring again in 2012 to their retirement home in Portland, Oregon, where he is calling for clubs dancing Plus, Advanced and C1. In 2015 he called for The Utah State Singles Festival.

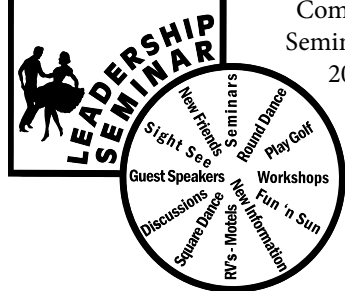
Richard is active in the square dance community; is a member of Callerlab, and has presented sessions on using social media to promote square dancing. He believes square dancing is a valuable activity.

Come join us for The 48th Education and Leadership Seminar at Circle 8 Ranch on July 8th, 9th and 10th, 2016. You do not have to be in a leadership position to come and enjoy the weekend.

Our featured caller is Kevin Thomaier and featured cuer is Joyce Sebree.

Mick and Barb

Square & Folk Dance Federation of Washington
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Friday • Saturday • Sunday



48th Annual Square Dance Education & Leadership Seminar

Circle 8 Ranch, Cle Elum, WA
July 8, 9 & 10, 2016

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Richard**

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Black Sheep or Red Headed Step Child?

Caravans are a major part of keeping our hobby and our clubs alive. Every club either caravans to another club or has a club caravan to them at least once a month. Wait let me correct myself every ADULT club is involved with caravans every month...

I have been a member of two different adult clubs and two different teen clubs since I started dancing in 2007 and have caravanned to more clubs than I can count, but that has only been with the adult clubs. When I danced with the adult clubs I never caravanned to any of the youth clubs in our state and never (that I remember) had a teen club caravan to our dances. Now at the same time while dancing with the youth clubs I remember caravanning to a few select accepting adult clubs but never once had an adult club caravan to one of our dances.

Are the teen clubs the black sheep of our square dance family or are we the red headed step child? Think about your own club. When was the last time you, as a club, attended a youth club's dance? I'm guessing that at least 75% of you are saying or thinking never. And think about the last time you had a youth club caravan to your dance? Again I'm sure the answer to that question was never. And why is that? Why is it that we spend so much time trying to get other clubs to come to our dances or for our clubs to go to other's dances but we never seem to think about the teen clubs? To those who are in charge of the caravans for your club why are teen clubs never on your list to call? Do we not care about the future of our hobby? I feel like I ask this every month but I feel like every month it needs to be asked.

Yes, teens are loud and rowdy, but do none of you have children or grandchildren? Teens spend three months perfecting a few select dances for competition every year, so when they go to dances they are there to have fun, they are there to get their minds off mysteries and display dances that they spend up to ten hours a week practicing. So why is it that if and when teens go to dances at adult clubs they are ignored or even avoided? How does that make them want to come back? And how can people expect teens to come to adult dances when no one ever goes to their dances? We as a square dance family need

SQUARELY SPEAKING

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PATIENCE IS A VIRTUE

Lessons should have started for most clubs unless yours start in January. Hopefully all clubs have classes going and the angels are all there to help. Remember, we have all been there and everyone has a little different learning ability; so what may come easy for one could be harder for another. Be patient as the club was with you.

Which list your caller is using? Lessons will work well with the condensed list. It will help the new students get on the floor with the club and dancing with all the members from your club and others sooner than the full mainstream list. Remember to check with the other clubs before you take your students on a caravan; make sure they are on the same level. I know in Spokane some are doing the Caller Lab full list and some are doing the condensed list. It would be a shame to lose people because they went to a dance they were not ready for.

See ya on the floor somewhere. Cheers!
Happy Thanksgiving!

Rob and Vicki



to start thinking about each other a little bit more. Teens need to start showing up to adult club dances more than just around competition time to sell badges, but in order for that to happen they need to feel like they are accepted and wanted at those dances. It is hard to put yourself out there (as an individual or a club) when you are unsure of how you will be reacted to, especially when all you know is rejection because of your age. How can we expect our hobby to grow when we ignore those who will be dancing and providing the next generations of dancers 20 years from now?

Although some clubs have their caravan's scheduled, I still challenge each and every teen and adult club to fit in a caravan to one of the other's dance at least once this dance season. Let's continue to build a stronger relationship between the teens and the adults to help grow our shared hobby.

ROUND OUT YOUR LIFE

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KUDOS FOR JIM AND VONNIE

The Sou'Wester Council is busy in their meetings for the upcoming 2016 Festival which is being held in Longview. It will be the third weekend in 2016 so check your calendar and hopefully you will be able to attend.

Jim and Vonnice Spence had a great celebration with cuers and dancers from different areas in the State. It was held at Circle 8 Ranch and I understand it was a great turnout and a great dance.

There were eight cuers on the program and they cued dances that Jim and Vonnice had choreographed. The dance was sponsored by the Plus Bunch. Congratulations to Jim and Vonnice for being chosen to receive the 2015 McNutt Award.

It is always so busy during the fall and winter seasons. You have the State Meeting in September; great fun with Halloween in October; Thanksgiving in November; Christmas in December, as well as the New Year's Eve dances around the State. Hope you all have a great time at each event.

Please support your clubs when you can. Who has more fun than Square and Round Dancers and Cloggers!

The new Round of the Month for November has been selected. It is a Phase II Two Step: "Lucky Devil" by Artist Carl Dobkins Jr. and Choreographed by Charlie Brown and Linda Cooley. The two other rounds that were considered were: "Anyone Else But You", Artist: Ricky Nelson and "Until My Dreams Come True", Artist: Jack Greene.

Cuers and Dancers: if you have any dances that you would like to have considered for Rounds of the Month, let me know.

Thank you for your continued support for FOOTNOTES.

Hope to see you dancing.

Joyce Sebree



Lucky Devil

LUCKY DEVIL Carl Dobkins Jr.
Choreographed by - Charlie Brown & Linda Cooley

NOTE DIFFERENT INTRO'S BELOW

PH II Two Step

Sequence: Intro-A-A-B-A-B-A-END

INTRODUCTION: RECORD AND SINGLE REMASTERED
OPEN FACING - WAIT 2 MEASURES;; APART POINT; TOGETHER TOUCH [SEMI];

INTRODUCTION: ALBUM AND AMAZON
OPEN FACING - WAIT 2 MEASURES;; APART POINT; TOGETHER TOUCH [CLOSED];
SIDE DRAW CLOSE [TWICE/SEMI];;

PART A
TWO FORWARD TWO STEPS [CLOSED];; BOX [BUTTERFLY];;
SIDE CLOSE & HOLD; SIDE CLOSE & HOLD; VINE EIGHT [CLOSED];;
TWO SIDE CLOSSES; SLOW SIDE THRU [SCP]

PART A [MODIFIED]
TWO FORWARD TWO STEPS [CLOSED];; BOX [BUTTERFLY];;
SIDE CLOSE & HOLD; SIDE CLOSE & HOLD; VINE EIGHT [CLOSED];;
TWO SIDE CLOSSES; SLOW SIDE THRU [BUTTERFLY];

PART B
FACE TO FACE; BACK TO BACK; BASKETBALL TURN [OPEN];;
CIRCLE AWAY TWO, TWO STEPS;; STRUT TOGETHER 4 [SEMI];;
SLOW ROCK THE BOAT [TWICE];;

PART A
TWO FORWARD TWO STEPS [CLOSED];; BOX [BUTTERFLY];;
SIDE CLOSE & HOLD; SIDE CLOSE & HOLD; VINE EIGHT [CLOSED];;
TWO SIDE CLOSSES; SLOW SIDE THRU [BUTTERFLY];

PART B
FACE TO FACE; BACK TO BACK; BASKETBALL TURN [OPEN];;
CIRCLE AWAY TWO, TWO STEPS;; STRUT TOGETHER 4 [SEMI];;
SLOW ROCK THE BOAT [TWICE];;

PART A
TWO FORWARD TWO STEPS [CLOSED];; BOX [BUTTERFLY];;
SIDE CLOSE & HOLD; SIDE CLOSE & HOLD; VINE EIGHT [CLOSED];;
TWO SIDE CLOSSES; SLOW SIDE THRU [SCP]

END
HITCH SIX [BUTTERFLY];; TWIRL VINE TWO; APART POINT;



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The Unknown Problem

There are times the thread breaks or the machine jams and you can't figure out why. Here are some steps that might fix the unknown problem.

Step One - Pull the thread completely out of the machine. Top thread and bobbin must be totally removed.

Step Two - Check the upper thread path for bits of lint or thread. Take a strip of interfacing about one inch wide by eight inches long and run it between the tension disks like flossing its teeth. A little bit of rubbing alcohol on the interfacing will clean out any grime. Check the thread spindle for bits of paper and glue from the thread spool labels. Wipe it with alcohol to make the spool spin more easily.

Step Three - Look at the bobbin case and the bobbin area. Use a brush to remove any lint. DO NOT blow on the bobbin area. Your breath is wet and will make the lint stick in the machine better. To blow out the machine use an air compressor or hair dryer. Check the bobbin for rust, cracks or if it is bent. Throw away bad bobbins. Clean the bobbin case with a swab and alcohol.

Step Four - Remove the needle plate. This is part of regular machine maintenance at home. Brush all of the

toe jam out of the feed dogs and use tweezers to pull out any bits of thread.

Step Five - Check the needle. If there are several hours of sewing on that needle replace it. If the needle has only been used for a little while, undo the screw and reposition the needle up in the needle holder. Sometimes the needle can loosen and slide down just a tiny bit. This will mess up the timing.

DO NOT tighten the needle clamp screw with anything except your fingers. Using a screw driver can over tighten the screw and strip the threading in the needle clamp bar. Then the entire needle clamp holder will have to be replaced (expensive). Replacing the needle is an inexpensive fix for bad stitching. Make sure you are using the right type of needle for the fabric. If the fabric is lycra, gortex or other newer type micro fiber you will need to use a stretch or sharps style needle. Universal will not work for every type of fabric.

Step Six - Oil the machine. This will put it in a better mood. Only use sewing machine oil. DO NOT use WD-40 or 3-in-1 oil. Check the manual for oiling instructions.

Step Seven - Go get a cup of tea and a cookie. Sit down and sip the tea with your feet up and your eyes closed.

Step Eight - Rethread the machine

being very careful to go through all of the thread guides. The presser foot must be up when the thread is brought through the tension disks. Replace the bobbin making sure the thread is completely under the tension spring. Yes, I know, you threaded it right the first time. You do know how to thread your machine, but there is always the first time that you missed a thread guide.

Step Nine - Start stitching again with your mind calm and your posture relaxed. Sew on some scrap to check the tension and soak up any excess oil. Stitch a long piece of scrap, not just a couple of inches. Then get back to your project.

Never turn your handwheel clockwise. This causes a loop of thread to be thrown the wrong way in the head of the machine, behind the take up lever. It can cause a big thread jam and a costly trip to the repair shop. (Voice of Experience)

Use quality, brand name thread. The cheap stuff will cost you a lot

more in frustration. It breaks while sewing and breaks when any stress is put on the seam. It also produces lots of lint and has a tendency to bleed dye when washed. If the thread is old - get rid of it. Thread ages and just like old fabric, it gets weak and tired.

Only use Schmetz brand needles. Yes, they are the more expensive ones. They are worth it. Cheap needles have ragged points and rough shafts. If the eye of the needle is not perfectly smooth it will shred the thread. You can not see these flaws, but they will definitely show in the quality of stitching. You can hear the difference when sewing with a good new needle.

Sometimes the only cure for the unknown problem is to walk away from it. Get back to it tomorrow or the next day and everything will go better.

Try not to sew at the last minute. Deadlines cause stress, that results in muddled thinking, that causes more stress. Sewing should be a creative outlet and a fun activity. If you are not enjoying the process, then don't do it.

MEMBERSHIP & INSURANCE

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My wife had been after me for several weeks to varnish the wooden seat on our toilet. Finally, I got around to it one day while my wife was shopping. After I finished, I left to take care of another matter. My wife returned before I did and, of course, needed to use the toilet. As she tried to stand up, she realized that the not-quite-dry epoxy paint had glued her to the toilet seat. About that time I got home and saw the predicament. We pushed, and we pulled, with no success. Finally, in desperation, I undid the toilet seat bolts, wrapped a sheet around my wife and drove her to the emergency room. The ER doctor got her into a position where he could study how to free her. My wife tried to lighten the situation by saying "Doctor, I'll bet you've never seen anything like this before." The Doctor replied, "Actually, I've seen lots of them ... I've just never seen one mounted and framed!"

Take care,
Richard and Barbara Snyder

THE SOLO CORNER

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This one has a happy ending!

My first interview! Interviews are fun, but there's always more pertinent material than space to share it. Though I interviewed two family's square dance histories, I must focus on our star, Elda Richardson - Now Elda Clark, having married Clair Clark after her first husband passed away.

The Richardsons were introduced to square dancing in the 1960's at a PTA meeting featuring entertainment by the Harvey & Dodie McKay Family Band, along with a square of dancers from the Belles and Buoy's Club. Since square dancing was a great family activity the entire family took lessons. (Ray and Elda with the Belles and Buoy's; sons, Ray and Curt, danced with the Mavericks led by Wayne Easton and daughter Jodi, was a Buckskin Kid, Mike DeSisto's pre-teen club.)

Elda and Ray danced regularly with the Tumbleweed's until he passed away in 1971. They were treasurers for the Tumbleweed's and she continued attending the dances, driven by her son, Curt, so she could collect the money, pay the caller and keep the books. She loved people and knew she could not dance without a partner but enjoyed the fellowship with the other dancers.

One night a recently widowed dancer, Clair Clark, overheard Elda's son, Curt, say he was going to a movie but would leave the movie to pick her up when she was ready to go home. Clair volunteered to drive Elda home, freeing Curt to see the entire movie.

Soon they were dancing together and a year later, married. (In 1977, Clair, being a charter member of the Cross Trail Square Dance Club, which was formed in 1958, received a plaque for being the last remaining charter member still dancing with the club.)

This is a story with a happy ending, but we mustn't lose sight of the focus on solo dancers. Elda was a friend and a club officer, but she wasn't invited to dance, and, more telling, she didn't expect to dance.

As future articles unfold, we'll enjoy following the gains in square dancing for all dancers, especially solos.

Kathy Rooney, with great help from Elda Clark, Double A's

Tall Timber Calling... But Where Are We to Go?

The 2016 Washington State Square Dance Festival, themed 'Tall Timber Calling', will be held June 17th and 18th, 2016 at the Cowlitz Regional Conference Center (otherwise known as 'the fairgrounds') in Longview, Washington. Longview is the Cowlitz County seat and has quite an interesting background as a logging and shipping center. Located just off I-5, Longview is just under two hours from Long Beach on the Pacific Ocean and about ninety minutes from the Johnston Ridge Observatory at Mount St. Helens. A small to mid-sized city, Longview is a great place to visit!

Nearby motels include Red Lion, Econo Lodge, Best Western, GuestHouse Inn & Suites, and Comfort Inn. I haven't stayed at any of them, but there are online reviews to assist you in your decisions. Hotel information is on the back of the festival registration form.

The conference center has free parking and acres of dry camping in an open, grassy field for \$20/night. If you camp in a wheeled vehicle, you may want to bring something to help you level your vehicle. Tent campers will have access to restrooms all night in nearby buildings on site; however, there are no showers. While WiFi and insecure internet are free and available within the center itself, they should not

be expected in the camping area.

One of the big pluses of the conference center is that it's all on ground level. There are a few steps from the sidewalks to the doors, but that's it. And, attention ladies! Once inside, there are ample restrooms; I counted twenty-one stalls! There are / is an ATM, tourist information center, pay phone (it's true!), and a wide main hallway where registration will occur and off of which the snack bar, dance, and vendor areas are located. All rooms are air conditioned and have at least one door to the outside. There is complete sound separation among all rooms.

Floors have the short, tight carpet so common in restaurants and motels now, but as I understand it, they will be covered with plywood. This was done successfully when the state festival was previously hosted there.

Just a note regarding June weather in western Washington... This year, we had temperatures in the 90s and no rain; however 70s and 80s are much more common, as are rain showers and cooler nights. So, be forewarned, and bring clothing for a range of conditions.

by Jill Stepp Johnston

**Cowlitz Regional Conference Center
Longview, Washington**



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FAMILY a-FAIR: Hi everyone. The time has been flying by so fast I can't believe it is November! And it won't be long before it is Christmas. Our lessons are still on Monday nights 6:30 to 8:30. Our dances are on the first and the last Saturday of the month. We are still dancing at the Elks in Walla Walla, Washington. We hope everyone has a great Thanksgiving and hope to see all of the square dance clubs keep growing.

Mickey Thompson

The **MUDDY FROGS** are well into square dance lessons and having fun with Bill Reid at the helm. They are still being held at the Community Building in Milton-Freewater on Sunday afternoons from 2:00-3:30, with jive/swing ballroom lessons being taught from 3:45-5:00 by Neva Reid. The Reids are officially living at their home on Wallowa Lake. What a gorgeous view they have!

On November 15th, the Frogs will host their annual Thanksgiving dance at the Community Building from 3:00-5:00, with a turkey dinner and all the trimmings to follow. Bring a dish to share and your appetite!

A very Happy Thanksgiving to you all from the Frogs, who hope all of you will come hopping along with us!

Barbara Walter

Wow fall is finally here. And so are the **PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS** new dance classes. Larry and Tina coordinated the lessons so students have their choice of either Monday or Thursday night or both. We have 16 new class members.

In October we enjoyed dancing to Dan Brady and visiting with his new bride, Dora. And that was our pie night, Yum! Our second dance in October was called by Rob and Vicki Krum. We always enjoy visiting and dancing with our visiting Callers. Bill and Karen Holm were our excellent featured Cuers.

November will have us having our toes with Vern and Kathy Boggs and Bob and Claudia Amsbury. Please see our ad in this magazine for dates and future callers and remember we now dance on Friday night and we hope to see your smiling faces in a square with us.

Mary Stultz, Sent from my iPad

The **MELODY MIXERS** dance every Tuesday evening at the Shanty in

Kennewick. Our usual program is Phase 4 dancing 5:30 to 6:30, Beginning Waltz lessons 6:30 to 8:00 and Phase 2, 3 & easy 4 dancing 8:00 to 9:30. Guests are always welcome. For more information contact Bill & Karen Holm.

bkhholm@charter.net – or- by phone at 509-542-1310.

TRI-CITY CIRCULATORS is a Plus club dancing on Thursday nights at the Eagle Lodge in Kennewick. Contact Thelma Swanson for more details.

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PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS

Shufflers Shanty

717 N. Irving, Kennewick

FRIDAY OR SATURDAY DANCING:

PLUS 7:00 - 8:00 PM

MAINSTREAM 8 - 10:30 PM

November 7th-VERN BOGGS/KATHY BOGGS

November 20th-BOB AMSBURY/CLAUDIA AMSBURY

December 4th-DAVE BOGGS/TINA ALLAWAY

December 18th-LARRY CLARK & TINA ALLAWAY/BILL HOLM

December 31st - 9:00 - 12:00

DARON TANDGERG/BILL HOLM

509-628-0354 or 509-783-1521

MUDDY FROGS SQUARE DANCE CLUB



Caller: Bill Reid

Cuer: Neva Reid

3rd Sundays • 3 to 5 PM

Milton-Freewater Community Center

105 NE 5th Milton-Freewater, OR

For info • e-mail: merriannah@charter.net



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Sunday

Muddy Frogs: Mainstream and Rounds

3rd Sunday Year Around

Bill & Neva Reed Teachers with Guest Callers/Cuers (see ad)

Milton-Freewater Community Center 109 NW 5th

Milton-Freewater, OR

Contact Merri Anne Huber 541-861-9055 or

merriannah@charter.net

Tuesday

Melody Mixers: Rounds Ph 2-4

Every Tuesday Year Around

Cuer Bill & Karen Holm

Shuffler's Shanty 717 N Irving, Kennewick, WA

Contact Karen Holm 509-542-1310 or bkhholm@charter.net

Thursday

Tri-City Circulators: Plus and Rounds

Every Thursday Year Around

Caller Jim Swanson & Guest Cuers

Eagles Lodge #2485 115 Fruitland St, Kennewick, WA

Contact Thelma Swanson 509-539-2660 or

paintedswan@frontier.com

Friday or Saturday

Prairie Shufflers: Mainstream with Plus and Rounds

1st & 3rd Friday or Saturday September thru July (check ad for details)

Guest Callers (see ad) and Cuer Bill Holm

Shuffler's Shanty 717 N Irving, Kennewick, WA 509-783-4222

Contact Jeanne Cozad 509-302-7334 or

jeannecozad@charter.net

Columbia River Squares: Mainstream with Rounds

2nd & 4th Saturday September thru June

Guest Callers/Cuers

Richland Community Center 500 Amon Park Dr Richland, WA

Contact Vickie Weber 509-539-1435 or

vickiweber99@yahoo.com

Family a-Fair: Mainstream with Plus and Rounds

1st & 4th Saturday Year Around

Caller Jim Swanson/Cuer Lorna Hayden

Elks Lodge 351 E Rose St Walla-Walla WA 509-525-2870

Contact Thelma Swanson 509-539-2660 or

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CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL clubs have been off to a great start this season with lessons underway and lots of dancing. We'll be planning our 5th Saturday Dance in January soon. Caller, cuer, and location are yet to be determined. Watch for the information in December's FOOTNOTES and we'll hope to see you there.

Hope everyone has a lovely Thanksgiving and will be all prepared for the holidays without all that last minute panic.

Carel Edgerly, carel@centurylink.net

October was the month we were looking forward to. Our Rhumba lessons were starting, and as always, you wonder how many dancers are going to start. This year the **SILHOUETTE DANCERS** had a good turnout. We are looking forward to getting to know the new dancers. We have our break at the end of the lessons, so, we get to socialize with them before our regular dance begins.

Some of our members belong to the Grange and had fun working with them on their fair booth. Of course the fair is always fun. Especially the GREAT BIG ice cream cones!!!

Our Halloween night was enjoyable. Debbie always has special spooky songs for us to dance to. All the decorations and finger food pertained to this fun holiday.

We wish you a wonderful Thanksgiving.

Dorothy Crosslin, dotif55@live.com

BLUE AGATES are in full swing dancing to Daron Tandberg and to guest callers Tom Clymer and Don Jackson. Come join us at our regular dances on Friday, November 13th, and on Saturday, November 20th, starting with Pre-rounds at 7:30 pm at the Swauk-Teaway Grange in Cle Elum. Our cuer Cyndi Silicki will do some Round dance teaching during our pre-rounds at these dances.

Plans are being made to caravan to the Gateswingers' dances in November and December. Some of our members traveled to the Appleland Promenaders' Anniversary Dance in Wenatchee.

Your caravans are always welcome. Call our president, Dale Rusho, at (509) 699-1188 or email him at redman0203@gmail.com to line up a caravan.

Sally Gililand, sallygililand@gmail.com

What a busy month the **GATESWINGERS** had in September. We started our year's dancing with a Free Community Dance. It was an opportunity to introduce the joys of Square and Round dancing to the community. We had a lot of enthusiastic new people show up and also sign up for lessons! At the end we had regular dancing. However, because the new people were so eager, we got them out in squares again instead of having them watch us. It was so much fun. Our club also spent three hours at a Community Market to entertain and advertise for Square Dancing. We were lucky to have beautiful weather. These 'die hards' were back that night for a regular dance.

Great opportunities are awaiting you! November 7th starts out at 7:00 pm with a half hour Pre-Plus Dance followed by the Gateswinger's Hat Dance. Come see what 'hat' Orvin will wear to accompany his singing calls. November 14th will be a Student Dance. This gives you a chance to meet our class members. November 21st has 7:00 pm Pre-Rounds followed by our special guest caller, Don Jackson from Wenatchee. Get your book out and mark December 5th. It's our Anniversary Dance with Tom Clymer Calling and Jim Spence Cueing.

Jan Logan, ojlogan@charter.com

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



SILHOUETTE DANCERS
1st Thursday Intermediate
 Thurs - Ph 2 + 7:30-8:30 pmsome intermediate
 Ph3/4 lessons 6:30-7:30 PM Dance/Workshop 8:30-9:30 PM
Cuer: DEBBIE & PAUL TAYLOR
 Fruitvale Grange, 2908 Castlevale Road
 Yakima, WA 98907
 509-965-3015 • Visitors Welcome

BLUE AGATE SQUARES
 2nd Friday, 4th Saturday
 7:30 - 10:30 p.m.
Daron Tandberg - Caller
Cyndi Silicki - Cuer
Swauk-Teaway Grange, Cle Elum
 Date: 509 260-1025 or 509 674-5275


Silver Stars
Square Dance Club
Hazel Dell Grange
Vancouver, Washington
Caller: Chuck Garner, 2nd Sat.
Caller: Darrell Kalmbach, 4th Sat.
Cuer: Dorothy Lowder
7:00 Plus 8:00 Mainstream
Dark July & August
Info: 360.600.1804 & 360.573.0446
 Website: www.silverssquaredance.org

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
ORVIN LOGAN, Caller
CYNDI SILICKI, Cuer
 Summer Dance -- 4th Saturday in July
 caller & cuer to be announced
 Yakima Valley Square Dance Center
 Moxee, WA Info: (509) 949-6712
 Gateswingers@ Circle 8 Ranch
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Did you see the 'Bloodmoon' on Sunday, September 27th? After reading about it that morning, I decided to look for it. It was around 7:40 pm before I was able to see the redness of it after looking through the trees east of my yard. It was interesting to watch it change, which happened faster than I expected.

BOOTS & LACES attended our first Caravan of the season visiting Bonney Lads 'n' Lassies. Ten of us enjoyed dancing with our friends and had a good time dancing to Greg Weber and Lorraine Rouse. Sierra Weber joined her dad on one of the calls and we enjoyed hearing some of our younger dancers getting the opportunity to try calling or cueing. Julia from Olympia cued a tip as well.

Our class for new students started on October 7th and we are happy to have some new folks wanting to try our favorite activity. Stephen Noseck is the instructor for our combined class with the Phils & Philies.

We enjoyed having Ray Gallagher as our Caller on September 18th with Cindy helping us by dancing the guy's part a couple of times. Debbie and Paul Taylor are doing a 6:15 to 7:15 Classic Teach if you would like a chance to learn them. They continue to do a great job for us.

We will be celebrating our 65th Anniversary Dance on Friday, November 6th, so if you are in the area looking for a place to dance, come out and join us.

Jan Emerson, emersonbobjan2@hotmail.com

Hello Square Dance Friends. The month of October is blazing by and the **JACKS & JILLS** have new dancers! I cannot tell you how excited I was to meet nearly a full square of fresh faces this last week! We're always looking for more kids, but we're incredibly thankful for the ones that have turned up so far. We've started our season off with a little spooky fun, hosting a Halloween dance complete with costume contest! As always, we are having a ton of fun and can't wait for the dancing season to kick into full swing.

Looking forward to an amazing year!

Emily Kosterman, daughter.kosterman@comcast.net

November! What a wonderful month it is. It is a time of gathering and fellowship with friends, family, relatives and fellow square dancers. And it's a time to give thanks and praise to our Heavenly Father for everything around us. Wow! And those wonderful turkey (with dressing) dinners coming up!

You should also give thanks to all the people who make Square dancing fun for all. The Puget Sound Council has acknowledged such a person. Our own dear friend and fellow square dancer, Linda Robinson, who received the Jack Willison Award at the Spring Council Dance this past May.

The **JETSTEPPERS** invite you to come and join us for a very special dance in Linda's honor. It's our chance to thank her for all she has done and celebrate with her. The dance will be held on Saturday, November 7th at 7:30 pm.

This month, we should take time to enjoy God's creation when you are out and about. The trees have been absolutely beautiful in their fall colors. Our lawns have finally been looking green and lush. It's been fun getting together and dancing once again this Fall.

We started our student lessons on September 17th on Thursday nights from 7:00 - 9:00 pm. If you know of anyone who would like to take lessons and live close by the Cedar Grange, please send them our way.

We will have our Thanksgiving dance on November 21st. Admission will be free when you bring food donations for the Maple Valley Food Bank.

Have a Blessed Thanksgiving!

Sharon Buechler, buechler73@comcast.net

The **PI-R SQUARES** invite you to come to our Meridian Grange dances in November. Saturday, November 14th will be our "Canned Food Drive & Salute Our Veteran's" Dance. Come and enjoy the evening with Andy Garboden and Kyle Quande. Maybe this time, I will get the American Flag on the correct side of the state. PS - I never knew that there was a right and wrong side. Saturday, November 28th, will be our Thanksgiving Dance, so please come and work off some of the turkey most of us will consume.

Our lessons are going well and are all at Meridian Grange on the 1st & 3rd Thursdays at 7:00 pm and the 2nd & 4th Saturdays at 6:00 pm just before our dances. It has been fun to be dancing at the Grange and Andy Garboden and Brett Kappenman have been doing a really good job of teaching with a lot of fun thrown in for good measure.

The Pi-R's are having student level dances, the 2nd Saturdays in December, January and February. Please come and we will show you a good time!

For those of you who know 94-year-old Art Smart, and we all enjoy him and are inspired by his dancing and always a smile on his face, we had an "Art" experience at our last dance in September. We had found a WWII cap in the parking lot of Meridian Grange last June and had thought it belonged to one of our members. At our first dance in September, we tried to give the hat to our member and he said it was not his. We had no clue who belonged to the hat.

After our second dance in September was over, Art was talking to one of our members about his experience in WWII, but we did not hear the conversation. My wife asked me if I had asked Art about the hat. When I walked over to Art and showed him the hat, he almost cried. The hat had many pins on it that

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Dean Woods, who passed away in December, was a long time angel at our **HAPPY HOPPERS** lessons. His trademark move was to blow a "toot-toot" on a wooden whistle whenever the "Load the Boat" move was called. Dean's wife, Rochelle Burney, donated one of his whistles to Walt Eby, who put together a fitting memorial with the whistle powered by a hand-powered air pump. The plaque reads: "To the memory of Dean Woods and the past square dancers who would "Load the Boat" with the Happy Hopper Square Dance Club - 2015". Walt gave the memorial to Rochelle who immediately donated it to the club. Another keepsake worthy of the Square Dance Hall of Fame!

Melissa James is having a square dance birthday celebration, with Jim Hatrick calling, at the Hazel Dell Grange on Sunday October 25th from 2:00 to 5:00. Sounds like fun.

Normally, we have Plus dances on the first and third Saturdays of the month at the Clark County Square Dance Center, but this month is a bit different. We will be dark on November 7th, in deference to the Royal Romp Weekend Plus Dance. However, we're back in business on November 21st, which will be our not-to-be-missed "Pies Galore" dance. Pre-rounds start at 7:30, with Squares at 8:00. Jim Hatrick will be calling and cueing.

On November 7th, we are planning a visitation to the other Washington State "Happy Hoppers" in Marysville. We're putting together an extra happy crew for the occasion, so we can lay claim to the title "Happier Hoppers". However, even if we prevail in this effort, we still won't be able to call ourselves the "Happiest Hoppers". Looking online, I found yet another "Happy Hoppers Square Dance Club" in Newmarket, Ontario. I felt obligated to send our Canadian cousins an email inviting them to take part. Here's what I wrote: "I believe that it is only fair to give you folks an opportunity to send a contingent, which would certainly make this some kind of an historical event, to say the least. We could find out, for once and for all, who are the Happiest Hoppers".

We work hard to make our education program a comfortable environment for students. Many of our club members volunteer as "Angels" to help make it an easy and productive experience. We encourage beginning dancers to start introductory lessons on the first Monday of every month at 7:30. We are committed to serving both beginners and continuing students with our lesson format. Every Monday, Plus lessons will be given at 6:30, Basic lessons start at 7:30, and Mainstream lessons are available at 9:00.

Many of our lesson students have risen to the Mainstream level only to be

recruited by other clubs before they have had a chance to become Plus dancers and join the Hoppers. We are committed to remain a Plus club, but we also want to keep our students in the family. In an effort to provide our Mainstream students with some Happy Hopper floor time, on December 5th, we will have a "Mainstream Splurge" dance. The format for this dance will be Plus tips from 7:00 to 8:00, and Mainstream tips from 8:00 to 10:30. Callers will be Jim Hatrick and Darrell Kalmbach; Dorothy Lowder will be cueing.

Marc Kahn

The **SILVER STARS** had a wonderful excursion on our mystery trip. We traveled by car, train and bus, riding MAX, dancing at the Portland Zoo, had dinner at Izzys then boarded a bus for the ride to visit the Columbia River Dancers in Vancouver. A great time was had by all.

The Silver Stars will be changing their dance nights as well as format at the beginning of the New Year. **STARTING IN JANUARY 2016 WE WILL BE DANCING ON FOURTH FRIDAYS WITH DARRELL KALMBACH CALLING AND DOROTHY LOWDER CUEING. PRE-ROUNDS ARE AT 7-7:30, PLUS FROM 7:30-8, AND MAINSTREAM FROM 8-10.**

November and December (2015) will have us dancing on 2nd and 4th Saturdays with Chuck Garner calling 2nd Saturdays and Darrell Kalmbach on 4th Saturdays. Plus from 7-8 and Mainstream from 8-10. Dorothy Lowder is our cuer and we dance at the Hazel Dell Grange for all dances.

Teresa Hill, Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

Happy Fall to all of you from the **BUZZIN' BEES**. The season is off to a start with our first dance being bittersweet. It was a farewell to our long time caller Bill Lundin. It was a fun dance. We had our first dance with our new caller, K.C. Curtis and who knew, he plays a mean harmonica! It should be a great year. Bees had a "Welcome K.C. and Linda" dance planned for October 17th. Bees hope you came and enjoyed our new caller.

Last year we had a theme dance called "Raining cats and dogs". We took in donations of pet foods and other pet related items. We donated what we took in to the Southwest WA Humane Society. They were so pleased with the donations that we decided to repeat the theme so on November 21st come wearing any dog or cat gear or rain gear and bring a donation for the Humane Society and enjoy our new caller K.C and our favorite cuer, Debbie Combs.

See you in a square.

Debbie Broers, Sent from Samsung tablet





**MOUNT BAKER
COUNCIL**

Leslie Keyes

Area Reporter

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November looks like another fun-filled month for **MT. BAKER COUNCIL** dancers. We hope you encourage your new dancers to attend some of the level dances being offered. We wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and hope you enjoy time with family and friends. We do have plenty to be thankful for, don't we?!

Leslie Keyes, L_a_keyes@msn.com

WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS November 6th dance will be a gospel dance with Jim Hattrick and Craig Abercrombie on stage and the Dudes & Dolls will caravan in to us. Brett Kappenman and Karen Neverdowski will be on stage November 20th for our Thanksgiving Dance and the split-the-pot winner will get a turkey! The Crows caravan to the Dudes & Dolls on November 13th.

We wish everyone a wonderful Thanksgiving and we'll see you on the dance floor!

Lynn Von Seggern, lynnvs@cablespeed.com

Happy Fall! On November 14th **RAINBOW SQUARES** will be "Honoring our Heroes" by offering free admission with proof of service. November 28th is the Club's 34th Anniversary and we will celebrate with a Taco Feed Benefit Dinner at 6 pm – donations gladly accepted. We will be having a food drive at both dances.

We have a successful beginner class starting up with 11 students, being taught by Oren Gaskill! A special thank you to all our Rainbow Squares angels who come out to help!

Our first level dance will be December 12th with Brent Mawdsley calling. See you in a square!

Oren & Lew Gaskill, olgaskill@comcast.net

The **CASCADE CROSSFIRES** began Plus lessons on October 5th with Susan Morris instructing. Lessons are 7:30-9:00 pm. We continue to offer an "Awesome Plus" (all-position) workshop, from 6:30 to 7:30 pm, prior to Monday lessons.

The Crossfires held a special Plus dance on Friday, October 9th, 2015, with Dan Preedy and Susan Morris calling and Linda Nold cueing. The Crossfires are also very busy planning a New Year's Eve Plus dance at the Juanita Community Club.

We are a "secondary" Plus club. Most of our members are active in a

Mainstream club and enjoy the fun, fellowship, and challenge of Plus dancing. We would love to have you dance Plus with us as frequently as your schedule permits.

Diana Freyfogle; freyf@comcast.net

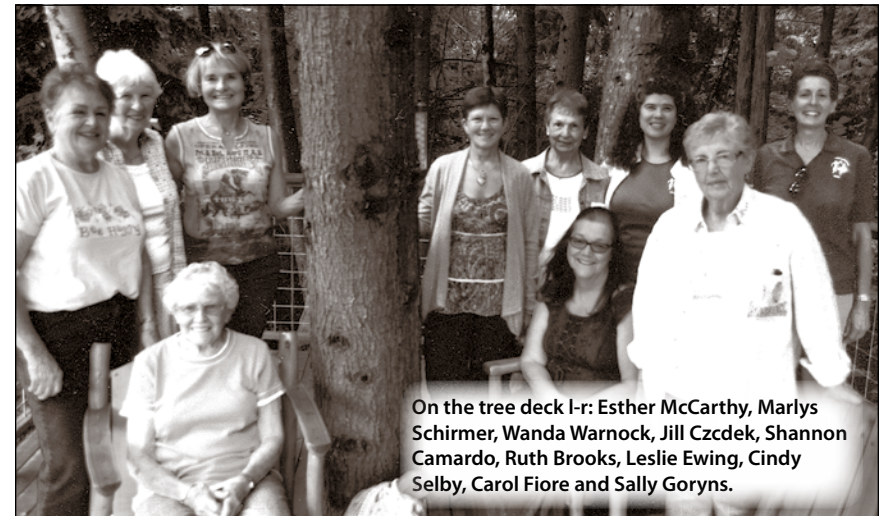
Invite your friends out to see a "hyper tai chi party." It's called Square and Round dancing because it embodies the qualities of slow tai chi – thinking skills, learning, memory, perception and balance all set to music. Like it or not, we all have a birthday every year and time tests our abilities so it is a contest between who can hold on to whatever youth remains the longest. Exercise for fun.

The **HAPPY HOPPERS** held another "social" for opportunities to get to know our new members. During the discussion with one couple they stated, "When we took Square dance lessons, we didn't realize how in depth the program was." How broad the environment was from international, to local and the variety in the program from Plus, to Advance, to Clogging, to all the clubs that functioned on a volunteer arrangement for long years but best of all, the variety of people who participated. That couple brought in five students this year. We don't just teach Square/Round dancing; we teach "Life is a Dance!"



Zucchini racers

At our Hopper picnic, Frank Rousseau and Fran Haverty set their zucchini racers at the top of the ramp with the spherical zucchini edging out the long one. We toured the farm and the ladies found a "tree deck" surrounding three big trees, 12 feet off the ground. Some played games, visited and others danced



On the tree deck l-r: Esther McCarthy, Marlys Schirmer, Wanda Warnock, Jill Czcdek, Shannon Camardo, Ruth Brooks, Leslie Ewing, Cindy Selby, Carol Fiore and Sally Goryns.



Eric and Cindy Selby, Carol Fiore and Jerry Small (in the "one square dance" hall)

Happy Hoppers photos by Marlys Schirmer

in the "one square dance hall." Feels good to be surrounded by friends!

A new great season is upon us when on November 7th we get to have Jim Hatrick back on stage at our Donut Dance. We have missed him and his dances. Welcome back Jim!

Then we get to give our new students an opportunity to

dance with others at our level dance on the 17th with Kevin Thomaier and he is accompanied by Lynn Petola who will introduce them to another facet of Square Dance lessons. Our Rounds start at 7:30 and Mainstream carries on from 8-10:30 and we still dance at the Stillaguamish Senior Center off of exit 206.

Enjoy your Thanksgiving dinner and as a seven year old reminds us "I learned you can hide a piece of broccoli in a glass of milk."

Jean Raymond, frjr@msn.com

FREEWHEELERS enjoyed our "Oktoberfest Dance" on October 4th with guest caller, Chuck Garner and Debbie Taylor cueing. Roger Spiese called our "Dance around the Pumpkins" dance with guest cuer, Randy Preskitt. In October we caravanned to the Rainbow Squares and the Sky Valley Whirlwinds. A great time was had by all at the Fall Mt. Baker Council dance "Halloween Hocus Pocus". Special thanks to the Fidalgo Fogcutters for hosting a fun filled afternoon!

Due to low attendance our NEW Beginner CLASS that started on September 9th has been cancelled. Spyder Webb was doing a wonderful job teaching but we only had one couple in the class. We may try to start another class early in 2016. We will keep you up to date and hope we will get more new dancers.

We hope to see you at our first dance in November (on the 1st). It is our "Harvest" dance with Roger Spiese calling and Debbie Taylor cueing. We will be collecting donations of food or money for Northwest Harvest. November 15th will be our first Student Level dance of the season with Spyder Webb calling and Debbie Taylor cueing. We look forward to hosting new dancers from clubs all around the area.

We will be caravanning to the Skagit Squares on November 21st to enjoy a Thanksgiving potluck and dancing with John Corrigan.

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving one and all!

Ruth Jester; ruthjester@frontier.com

The **FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS** Plus Club is resting a bit after our very busy October hosting both the Fall Mount Baker Council Dance and the President Award Dance that honored Doug Keyes and Ellen Ostrum. As we write this article, the numbers are not in for the Council Dance, but the whole Fogcutter club really worked hard organizing the Halloween dance at the Stanwood Middle School on the last Sunday in October. We will update the numbers next month. The Plus Bunch of East Wenatchee visited us as well and retrieved their banner in October, and also took a Fogcutter banner back with them – so now we have some travel planning to do to get our banner back!

In November our dances have John Corrigan calling the first Friday with Caron Grasso cueing for our club's 35th Anniversary Dance, and on the third Friday Susan Morris is the guest caller for our Patriot's Dance, with the Berkas back to cue after their annual hunting expedition. Monthly Plus Workshops being taught by John Corrigan are in progress. Rounding out the month of November are two caravan visits, one to the Whirlybirds and one to the Rainbow Squares Taco Dinner and dance, a new venue for their club.

Gailyn Ploeg, ploegrj@msn.com

The **SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS** began their caravan schedule for 2015-16 on September 26th by visiting the Stanwood Sashayers at the Stillaguamish Grange in Stanwood. We were able to motivate twenty Sky Valley Whirlwinds members to attend this caravan that was 30+ miles from our home grange in Mill Creek. Six years ago we began an incentive program to encourage better attendance at other club dances that we were visiting. We did this by awarding a dangle for their badge to each of our club members that attended the caravan. One other requirement was that we needed to bring a minimum of eight dancers. We were proud to bring 2½ squares to the Stanwood Sashayers.

The dangles are about ½ inch in length. The first dangle is blue with a Whirlwind imprinted on it. For the next few caravans a club member may collect five blue dangles that can be exchanged for one silver dangle. Five silver dangles can be exchanged for one gold dangle. There are about six dancers in the Sky Valley Whirlwinds that have a gold dangle. Some have two gold dangles and there are two dancers that have three gold dangles!

The dangles are free to the recipient. Occasionally, we have had the clubs we are visiting say, "Thank you for coming. You really have made our dance a success!" Other clubs tend to reciprocate by caravanning to the Sky Valley Whirlwinds too.

Roy Johnson; royjohnson@comcast.net

SAMENA SQUARES is off to a glorious start! The season opened up with caller Steve Noseck and our Strut Your Stuff dance. It was a night of glitz as we joined John and Sheron Mohan in celebrating their 50th anniversary. Sheron cooked numerous vintage cookie recipes for our treats and provided an online cookbook she had put together that we could print out.

Lessons last year led to a large number of new members. Many attended the summer workshops put on by the Mt. Baker Council and nine of them even joined us at the Winthrop Barn Dance, bringing our number to 32. As usual good food, fellowship, and dancing abounded. We participated in the dance after party with the Samenas singing songs composed by Bryan Hubert and our drama team revived a skit that was first done in Winthrop 20 years ago. The newest members of our club are Tony and Margaret Yuchasz, returning to Samenas after a number of years. Margaret even recalled doing ‘that same skit’ years ago in Winthrop. It is a pleasure to have all these new dancers with us.

We extended our opening lesson acceptance time from three weeks to four weeks because a young woman named Kayla, a reporter for the local Kirkland paper, spent a considerable amount of time with us so she could write an article about the club. She watched a regular dance and even attended our first lesson as she did research. With the article scheduled to appear in the paper on October 1st, we decided to allow one more week for new dancers to come in case the article created interest.

We'd love to have you join us on either November 13th at our Salute to Veterans Dance with veteran Mike DeSisto as caller or our Anything Pumpkin Dance on November 27th. Come and dance off those Thanksgiving pounds!

Barbara Hubert, hubertones@hotmail.com

It's November already! Were you at the **WHIRLYBIRDS** Level Dance on October 2nd, or the ‘Orange and Black’ Mainstream dance on the 17th? Sorry you missed them?

Well, come this month, then! Level dance on Friday the 6th. You might know it by its other name: 1st Friday Fun Fest 7:30-10:30 pm at the Hayloft in Lynnwood, with Dave Harry calling. And bring your friends who haven't started to square dance yet. On the other hand, help those not-dancing-yet friends with lessons on Thursday the 5th, since a new lesson series gets under way then at 7:15 pm.

Then, on the third Saturday, November 21st, is the regular Mainstream Dance with Dave Harry calling and Roxanne Boelter cueing. Dancing starts at 7:30 pm with Plus Tip and Rounds, and Mainstream from 8:00-10:30 pm. Also we will be welcoming the Fern Bluff Squares and the Fogcutters as they caravan in to this dance. Of course, folks from other clubs are welcome, too.

All of this happens at The Hayloft, 15320 35th Ave. W., Lynnwood.

Jim Erickson; charjim2213@gmail.com

November! The candles in the jack o' lanterns have been extinguished, and as the month progresses the elements re-form the pumpkins into grotesque and downright ugly masses of putrid pumpkin shell. These continue to evolve into a mass of almost liquid, slimy blobs, usually on the front porch or deck, and are finally and reluctantly scooped up, and tossed into the recycle bin, not that

pumpkins with a terrible case of the uglies have anything to do with Square or Round dancing.

Here is what the month brings to us, dancing-wise. Each Tuesday in November, we find angels and dancers, refreshing their skills, sharing their expertise, and fellowshiping with the each other. Our own Scott Coon, world-famous for his impression of, whom else but Elvis, also teaches the Square Dance moves to the New Students.

November 13th, the second Friday Dance theme, is a Salute to Veterans. We ask for donation of money to Fisher House, a haven for the families of wounded warriors, having a comfortable place to live while the serviceperson is in treatment. Randy Preskitt will be calling. Sky Valley Whirlwinds and Woodinville Square Crows will be the incoming Caravans. Show up for a good time. Donate to a great cause.

Then on Saturday, the 14th, Fern Bluff Squares are having a Turkey-Lurkey Badge Dance and Turkey Raffle. It is a Level Dance, so get the students involved in a Caravan.

Then, on the fourth Friday, there is a Level dance at Cedar Valley Grange, sponsored by the **DUDES & DOLLS**. The theme: Turkey Shakedown. Now is the time for all good dancers to come to the Experienced Clothing Sale. Larry and Pauline are to be commended for carrying on this tradition each year. It is a tremendous task and a lot of work, so if you have the inclination, offer to help unload and load.

November's outgoing caravan is to the Stanwood Sashayers, and it is a Level dance.

Looks like November is destined to be overloaded with turkey, and extremely Level.

Help where you are able. If everyone did a little, a lot would be accomplished.

Warren B Funnell, WarnFnel@msn.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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Mainstream, Plus Tip

2nd & 4th Sat Sep - Jun, 2nd Sat Jul & Aug
Pre-rds 7:30 - 8 MS w/+ tip 8 - 10:30 PM

GREG WEBER, Caller

LORRAINE ROUSE, Cuer

Collins Grange 3404 - 120th St E Tacoma

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

Swinging Squares Plus Club

2nd & 4th Fridays Sep - June

Pre Rounds 7:30-8 PM Dance 8-10:30 PM

Caller: Andy (Trisha) Garboden

Cuer: Lorraine Rouse

Valley Square Dance Hall

1705 Willow St - Sumner, WA



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CASCADE CROSSFIRES Plus Mondays 7:00pm @ Sammamish Valley Grange, Woodinville – Susan Morris & Guest Callers, (425) 591-8692
DANCING SHADOWS Rounds, 1st & 3rd Sat 7:00-9:30 pm @ Juanita Community Club, Kirkland – Debbie & Paul Taylor, (425) 478-5128
DUDES AND DOLLS MS, 2nd, 4th & 5th Fri 7:30-10:30 pm @ Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood – Scott Coon & Guest Callers/Debbie Taylor, (425) 337-2906
FERN BLUFF SQUARES MS, Family, 2nd Sat 7:30-10:30 pm @ South Lake Stevens Senior Center, Lake Stevens – Ray Gallagher/Linda Nold, (425) 334-5184
FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS Plus, 1st & 3rd Fri 7:30-10:00 pm @ Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley – John Corrigan-1st Fri and Guest Callers-3rd Fri, Bob Berka, (360) 387-8727
FREEWHEELERS MS, 1st & 3rd (some 5th) Sun 7-10 pm @ Mountlake Terrace Senior Center, Mountlake Terrace – Roger Spiese/Debbie Taylor, (206) 992-4932
HAPPY HOPPERS MS, 1st & 3rd Sat 7:30 – 10:30 pm @ Stillaguamish Senior Center, Arlington – Guest Callers/Guest Cuers, (425) 367-7645
HAPPY ROUNDERS Rounds, Ph 3-4, Tues 7:30-9:30 pm @ The Hayloft, Lynnwood – Randy Preskitt (425) 348-6030, (206) 364-4173
MT. BAKER SINGLES MS, 2nd Fri 7:30-10:30 pm @ Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley – Dave & Bonnie Harry (360) 391-5620
MT. BAKER TEACHERS/CALLERS/CUERS Info Contact: Susan & Larry Morris (425) 881-0691 CallerSusan@gmail.com
RAINBOW SQUARES Pre-Rounds 7:00 pm; MS, 2nd & 4th Sat 7:30-9:30 pm at Ten Mile Grange, Lynden – Brent & Therese Mawdsley, (360) 733-4487
SAMENA SQUARES MS, 2nd & 4th Fri 7:30-10:30pm @ Juanita Community Club, Kirkland – Guest Callers/Cuers - (425) 820-4188
SHIRTS-N-SKIRTS MS, Teens, Wed 6:30-9 pm @ Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood – Randy & Marie Preskitt - (425) 348-6030
SKAGIT SQUARES MS, 3rd Sat 7:30-10 pm @ Mount Vernon Senior Center, Mount Vernon – John Corrigan/Bob Berka - (360) 424-4608
SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS MS, 3rd Fri 7:30-10:30 pm @ Triway Grange, Mill Creek – Guest Callers/John Neverdowski - (425) 337-3658
STANWOOD SASHAYERS MS, 4th Sat 7:30-10:00 pm @ Stillaguamish Grange Hall, Stanwood – Ray Gallagher/Bob Berka - (360) 387-5055
WHIRLYBIRDS MS, 1st Fri & 3rd Sat 7:30-10:30 pm @ The Hayloft, Lynnwood – Dave Harry - (360) 794-0947
WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS MS, 1st & 3rd Fri 7:30-10:30 pm @ Sammamish Valley Grange, Woodinville – Guest Callers/Karen Neverdowski (360) 805-1891

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CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL meant a lot to Art. It lifted all of our spirits to give the hat back to Art. Keep dancing, Art, as you inspire all of us to keep enjoying our hobby!

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 If in the Kent area, please come and dance with us any 2nd or 4th Saturday at Meridian Grange from September to May.

Terry & Marilyn Quinnett, mvjunkdealer@juno.com

WAGON WHEELS had a good turnout for our "No Experience Necessary" dance on October 6th with new people wanting to learn Square and/or Rounding dancing.

November 7th will be our "Red, White & Blue Patriotic" Dance and on November 21st, we will be having our annual "Toys for Joy" Dance collecting toys for children and donating them to the Kent Fire Department.

Wagon Wheels recently added their dances for the 2015-2016 dance season on the website called "Where's the Dance." This site is accessible to everyone and is another source of information regarding Square and Round Dancing, Nationally, as well as, Locally. There is also a tab on this website displaying many wonderful dance flyers. The website address is: www.wheresthedance.com. If you haven't seen this website or haven't had your club enter their dance information, please do so.

If you are in the Kent area on Saturday, November 7th and/or November 21st, please stop by and dance to the Calling of Wayne Easton and the Cueing of Lorraine and John Rouse at the Meridian Grange on Kent-Kangley.

Donna Rohde, donnalou13@comcast.net

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
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Nov 14th (2nd Saturday):
"Veterans Salute"
 Andy Garboden, caller ~ Kyle Quande, cuer
Come dance with us!
Nov 28th (4th Saturday):
"Turkey Dance Off"
 Andy Garboden, caller ~ Kyle Quande, cuer
 W/S 7:30 - 8:00 pm • MS 8:00-10:30 pm
 Good floor • Hearing enhancement • 425-432-0138
 Meridian Grange ~ 15422 Kent-Kangley Rd, Kent
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2nd Friday & 4th Saturday
 Plus 7:30 - Lonnie Sycks, Cuer
 Mainstream Dance 8 - 10 PM
 Craig Abercrombie, Caller
 Annual OCTOBERFEST 1st weekend Oct.
 360-425-0583 or 360-636-3358
 Kelso Senior Ctr., 106 NW 8th Ave., Longview, WA

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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

NORTH CENTRAL COUNCIL

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PLUS BUNCH news: Every Wednesday evening from 7-9 pm, Plus dancers can join Tom Clymer, who will hold Plus dances and Plus workshops on alternating Wednesdays. If you've learned Plus but need practice, or if your PLUS skills have gotten rusty, plan to attend these fun evenings as Tom puts the dancers through their paces.

Some of the **APPLELAND PROMENADERS** and Plus Bunch members will attend the Royal Romp November 6-8th in Vancouver to enjoy the Plus level dancing called by Jerry Storey and Tony Oxendine. Then, they will be back in Wenatchee and ready for the November 14th dance called by guest caller Susan Morris. Noelle Miller will cue this one. The month winds down with a "double your pleasure" evening with both Tom Clymer and Don Jackson calling on November 28th. This will definitely be a "double your fun" time, with Jim Spence doing the cueing, and a great opportunity to have fun and to dance off the extra calories of the month's feasting and family events. See you there!

Kay White, kwhite@nwi.net

BUDS & BLOSSOMS have had a good start to the dance season. Our caller and cuer team is doing a great job keeping us dancing. On October 3rd we enjoyed going to Cascade Twirlers men's night out and dancing to the calling talents of Kayla Huber, and the cueing talents of Katie Harper. We went dark on Friday October 9th so to celebrate Appleland Promenaders anniversary dance on October 10th to the cueing talents of Jim Spence, and the calling talents of Ray Brendzy and Family.

Remember that we moved our anniversary dance to December 11th. Mark it on your calendar.

Happy Thanksgiving to all!

Don Jackson, Imt655@hotmail.com

CASCADE TWIRLERS gals met last night to plan our annual MENS NITE OUT dance. We always look forward to this night as we not only get to plan a special night for our GUYS but we get to just talk and laugh. Fun evening!

Our September dance was filled with lots of fun and laughter as we got back into the swing of dancing again. Our November 7th dance will have Don Jackson calling and Marilyn Holman cueing. They make a good team. When

Don was a teen he belonged to the teen club that Marilyn and late husband Wes were the caller and cuer for. It is like family when they are together. This dance is our SUPPORT THE TROOPS dance in which we collect items to be sent to our troops.

Our November 21st dance is our CEREAL DANCE. We collect boxes of cereal for the food bank. Everyone is very generous and it is much appreciated. Our caller will be Andy Garboden and cuer is Jim Spence. We always have fun with Andy and Jim. Why don't you bring a box of cereal and join us and see what a great duo they are!

December 4th we are hosting a dance with Appleland Promenaders with Steve Noseck calling and Jim Spence and Noelle Miller cueing.

Happy dancing.

Noelle Miller, noellemcues@charter.net

Fall is upon us and the **4X8's** are concentrating on new classes, fundraisers, and lots of dances to choose from. It is good to see all the club members we missed throughout the summer. We are looking forward to a great dancing season.

Twelve 4x8's enjoyed the wonderful Winthrop weekend. Doug Davis, Dan Preedy, Ray Brendzy and Tami Helms provided great calling, and cueing. Fun shopping, street dancing and camping all added to the weekend. Oh yea, all the good food too, the restaurants, the Sweet



Photos by Judy Carlson

Shoppe Ice cream, and group pot luck. Then the after dance treats and games at the campground. Most of us were up till 2 am!

Patti Roberts, pattiroberts@ifiber.tv

WHEATLAND WHIRLERS first dance of the season was a good one, starting with a baked potato bar and continuing with dancing to Jim Compton calling and Noelle Miller cueing. We had an introduction to Square dancing with several new dancers, including some families who came out to see what square dancing is about. We are doing lessons twice a week again as that seemed to work last season. It is nice to see families as that is what will keep square dancing alive.

Our November 14th dance will see Jim Compton calling and Nora Jackson cueing. This is our pie night and we always have lots of delicious pies. The calling and cueing will be good too

November 27th will be cancelled because of Thanksgiving.

See you in a square.

Noelle Miller, noellemcues@charter.net



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WOW! The **STRAIT WHEELERS** had twenty-six prospective dancers attend our first day of lessons. This year between the two clubs on the North Olympic Peninsula a total of forty-eight students showed interest in Square Dancing. That is just so wonderful.

Our Memorial Dance for Bob Erny was so much fun. Doris, Bob's wife, visited with the many friends that attended and the conversations brought back so many happy memories. It was a very good time.

Our Canadian friends will be joining us on November 7th for our yearly visitation. We are in the process of planning the potluck with delicious dishes in the hopes of coming close to their potlucks. It will be a fun evening of dancing with our fantastic friends from across the Straits so if you are in the area please join us.

Our dance nights are the second and fourth Saturdays of each month at the Sons of Norway Hall in Port Angeles. The club caller/cuer, Janolyn Keller, and members always enjoy entertaining guests.

Remember all of our little ghosts and goblins will be out and about on Halloween so take great care.

Barbara Wright, sqdancinlady@yahoo.com

Changing fall colors, daylight savings time and the Thanksgiving holiday all help us celebrate the month of November. The **RHODY O'S** students are doing marvelous and help keep our club energized and the angels busy. And Spike Reid, our caller/cuer, keeps everyone coming back for more.

The Rhody o's Mainstream dances for November will be on Friday the 6th and the 20th. Pre-rounds at 6:00, Mainstream workshop at 7:00 and Mainstream dancing from 7:30-9:30. Come join us and our caller/cuer Spike Reid at the Gardiner Community Center, located at the intersection of Old Gardiner Road and the Old Schoolhouse Road in Gardiner, Washington. Come join the fun.

Trish Gaine, fasolard@olypen.com

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 Contact: Bob & Connie Mulholland, (509) 881-4961 or sqdnrc@nwi.net

Buds & Blossoms-Mixed Level
 2nd/3rd/4th Fri. East Wenatchee Grange, 3400 Sunset Hwy., East Wenatchee
 Contact: Don Jackson, (509) 670-3540 or imt655@hotmail.com

Cascade Twirlers-Mainstream
 1st & 3rd Sat. East Wenatchee Grange, 3400 Sunset Hwy. East Wenatchee
 Contact: Noelle Miller, (509) 884-0497 or noellemcues@charter.net

Moses Lake 4X8's-Mainstream
 1st & 3rd Sat. Moses Lake Senior Center, 608 E. 3rd Ave., Moses Lake
 Contact: Del & Jackie Chase, (509) 764-4254 or deljackiechase@aol.com

Plus Bunch-Plus Level
 Wed. 1st & 3rd Dance; 2,4,5 W'shop East Wenatchee Grange, 3400 Sunset Hwy, East Wenatchee
 Contact: Tom Clymer (509) 293-3516 or Tom.Clymer@charter.net

Wheatland Whirlers-Mainstream
 2nd & 4th Sat. Ephrata Senior Center, 124 C Street NW, Ephrata
 Contact: Judy & Harold Schock, (509) 754-4803 or jaschock@homenetnw.net

Tri County Callers and Cuers Association
 Contact: Dave & Sharon Boggs, (509) 787-4099 or grizzlyboggs@aol.com

All Clubs Dance September through May with Some Summer Dances

PENINSULA COUNCIL

Kitty & Paul Ogg

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The **POULSBO PROMENADERS** met for our summer picnic this past September and had a great time and good weather. We also included a meeting while we feasted on the delicious food. It was decided to hold our 41st birthday dance on Saturday, April 30, 2016 at the Kitsap Square Dance Center – be sure to watch for our advertising.

Poulsbo Promenaders were deeply saddened by the passing of Richard C. (Dick) DeChand, who was a long time member of our club and also a caller. He called for the Whirlaways, a teen club, and also the Promenaders. Dick was born in Chewelah, Washington November 26, 1933 and passed on September 2, 2015 in Central, South Carolina. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Bobby DeChand; a daughter, Dolores Sims of Liberty, South Carolina; and son, David DeChand of Renton, Washington. He was very much loved and will be missed. Cards can be sent to Bobby DeChand, 201 Tiliwa Ct Apt 207, Central, South Carolina 29630.

Sharon Broom, geobrooms@aol.com
and Kitty Ogg, oggkitty@aol.com

ROUND SQUARES Club caller Willie Sewell is now at home recovering. We hope he is feeling better every day.

Russ Richardson was the wagon master again this year for the Labor Day Campout. There were 31 campers including the Old Time Fiddlers, who were the live music for the dances. Don Cochrane was the featured caller along with Joyce Sebree cueing. Saturday night dance had eight squares attending.

Square dance lessons started Tuesday, September 8th. Many thanks to Larry Small for teaching the classes. The attendance is small so hope to have more new lesson people soon.

We will be dancing Saturday, November 28th at KSDC and the guest caller will be Gunter Munro and Joyce Sebree cueing. Please come dance with us and shake down that Thanksgiving turkey.

Hope everyone has a happy and blessed Thanksgiving.

Betty Force, Reporter

PAWS AND TAWS are having a good month of October starting off with their **OCTOBERFEST** Dance. Fun, music and dress.

Then on to our second dance in October which is always our Halloween Dance. I think of all holidays this one brings out the most invention. Costumes are always great. You wonder where all the ideas come from.

October 17th was Peninsula's Fall Festival. And they decided to have a fun dance. With two callers calling all different things such as Hexagon squares and also trying out a Turnbuckle Dance. New things are always fun. What is a Turnbuckle Dance you say – well one caller on the back wall and the other on the side wall – each caller takes turns calling during the same tip and of course when the caller changes so do the “heads” of the square – you **must** listen.

Our classes are doing well. Plus lessons have almost two squares. And Rounds have a nice turnout.

Enough for this month, looking forward to November which will bring our Craft Fair/Silent Auction to support our Christmas Angel Children.

More next month.

Leota Lewis, leotal@msn.com

SQUARE STEPPERS decided to go dark for their October dance as many wanted to attend the Do-Si-Do 66th anniversary dance in Olympia on the 10th. The Do-Si-Do's had Jim Hattrick along with Craig Abercrombie and Adam Christman calling as the 'Front Porch Boys'. It was a lively and fun dance.

The Square Steppers next dance will be on November 14th.

Square Steppers is a Plus Club that dances on the second Saturday of each month from 7:30 to 10 PM.

Barbara Pennington, bardeldry@gmail.com

GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS want to wish everyone a very Happy Thanksgiving and hope the little hob goblins didn't scare you too much. As the music continues we continue to dance and hope the lessons are going strong.

Mary McGannon, mekm3591@msn.com

DUDES & DOLLS' Plus Square Dances are on every Monday beginning at 1:00 pm at the Kitsap Square Dance Center with caller Don (Donna Harbert) Smith putting us through all the movements. Come out and join us for a fun time.

Joan McLean, mcleancnj@harbournet.com





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RAINIER COUNCIL would like to remind all of our fellow Washington State Federation councils that there's a "window of opportunity" with regard to communicating your clubs' dance schedules for "FREE forever" via the internet. The WheresTheDance.com website is offering "Charter Membership" status to any club or council that posts its dance schedule on the site by January 1, 2016. Signing up after that date will incur a \$25 annual fee, so the incentive is clearly worth noting.

All the clubs in Rainier Council (the first council/association anywhere in the world to do so, by the way) began posting their dances on the site earlier this year. Currently, about 25% of the clubs under the Washington State Square and Folk Dance Federation umbrella have begun posting their dance schedules on the site.

The site's database includes over 5000 clubs, over 5000 callers and cuers, and over 6000 dance locations worldwide. Schedules are viewable from either desktop or mobile devices (tablets and cell phones). Searching to see "who's dancing?", "when are they dancing?", "where are they dancing?", and "who's calling or cueing?" is fast and easy to do...not only in Washington, but anywhere in the world. All that's required to provide a "complete picture" is to have the clubs post their dance schedules on the site!

Lane Johnston, lanej@chessmenkastle.com

The **ROAMIN' TACOMANS** invite you to forget about the rainy days of November and come join us for a Hawaiian PLUS dance on November 6th. We'll pretend that we are dancing on a sunny beach and have a great time. On November 28th we'll be having our "Thanksgiving Leftovers" Mainstream dance. We all bring a leftover from Thanksgiving and have a grand feast. Of course, we dance off all the calories. Pre-rounds start at 7:30 and the dance is from 8 to 10:30 pm. Our hall is at 1705 Willow St. in Sumner.

Thanksgiving is the time when we think about all the things for which we are thankful. It's also a good time to remember to thank our callers and cuers for all they do. The Roamin' Tacomans are thankful for our great caller/cuer, Tom Tomlinson.

We are having PLUS lessons Sundays from 5 to 7 pm. Plus dancers are invited to "angel". We have a good time and angels dance free. Hope to see you at a dance soon.

Sharon Herman, tonysarherm@yahoo.com

The **SPINNERS** started this dance season with a small but fun dance. The caller and cuer, Greg and Sue Weber, made it a fun time for all. Labor Day weekend may not be the best time to have a dance but it was fun. The new lessons have also started but the turnout was somewhat disappointing. Hopefully it will be better next week. Looking ahead, the dance in November has a tropical theme and that is always a lot of fun. Put on your shorts and flip flops and come join in on the fun. Hope to see you in a square soon. Keep smiling and dancing.

Dave Pearcy, skidave@comcast.net

The **RAINIER CALLERS AND CUERS ASSOCIATION** had their monthly meeting on the third Sunday in September. It was nice to see everyone again after our summer break. Instead of having our regular Square and Round dance workshops, we had breakout sessions so that the callers could discuss topics that pertained to calling and the cuers could discuss topics that pertained to cueing. Overall, there were some good discussions. We thank Don & Marie Wood and Mark Sebree for bringing scrumptious snacks to our meeting. Some of our members are starting up lessons and, of course, we hope for many new dancers in our halls. Our monthly meetings are on the third Sundays at the Sans Souci Mobile Estates clubhouse in Puyallup. The meetings start at 1:00 pm. We encourage dancers to attend our meetings and participate in our square and round dance workshops. For more information, such as directions, feel free to contact Tom Tomlinson at 253-770-7447.

Sue Weber, dasadogreg@comcast.net

Hello from the **YOUNG BUNCH**. Here's a question for you to ponder...have you ever considered what square dancing means to a kid whose family is going through divorce? Or, how about the kid who lives in abuse or neglect? And what about the youngin' living with a Grandparent because she was abandoned by her parents, or was left alone when both parents died?

Square dancing becomes not just a happy place for them but many of those adults in Square dancing become extended branches of their chosen family tree of life. In Square dancing they find people who really care who they are, what happens to them and even help to mold who they will become someday. When we dance we often forget those people we are dancing with all have a story, and some of them aren't so great. So maybe the next time a preteen messes up in a square we can think "I wonder how their day went" and be a little kinder to each other.

A final note from all the kids who Square dance and, yet, may still have troubled lives: "Thank you to all the adult square dancers and leaders who take the time to teach us we matter."

Rachel Ulmer - Youth Reporter
Leslie Young - Adult Adviser, Pollyanna1962@gmail.com

Well hello again from the **BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES**. Can you believe it's November already! We are going to have some exciting dances this month.

We want to invite everyone to join us for our “Red, White, and Blue” Dance on November 14th, celebrating all of our men and women who have served in the past or are currently serving in our military. Also, on November 28th we are having our “Pie and Pajama” Dance. Yes you heard right, we welcome everyone to wear their comfy pj’s and slippers and join us in a square. We hope to see all of you there.

We want to thank all of our Square Dance Family for supporting our dances. We really appreciate all of you dancing and visiting with us. I also want to say on behalf of the Bonney Lads we are very privileged to have Greg Weber as our caller and Lorraine Rouse as our cuer. You guys really make everyone feel like family. To all of our members, it's your smiles and eagerness to dance that makes our club the place to be every second and fourth Saturday. So remember everyone, we have Pre-rounds from 7:00-7:30 pm and the Mainstream dance is 7:30-10:00 pm.

So, to all of our friends until next time, keep dancing, but most of all keep smiling.

Ron & Linda Sferrazzo, sferrazzo5@msn.com

SWINGING SQUARES are back in the swing of things and invite all of you to our Holiday Bazaar on Saturday, November 14th from 10 to 4 at the Valley Dance Center, 1705 Willow St. in Sumner, WA. We have a PLUS dance scheduled the night before (on Friday, November 13th) with Lorraine Rouse(John) cueing Pre-rounds starting at 7:30 and Andy Garboden (Tricia) calling Squares from 8-10:30. Our theme is Veterans Day.

We will only have one dance in November due to the Thanksgiving Holiday. Hope to see you all on Friday the 13th as we have a great variety of vendors, goodies in the kitchen and Raffle tickets. So come out and have a Super Weekend and enjoy a fabulous Thanksgiving!

Lorraine Kramer, mlorrainek@live.com

The **SWINGNUTS** dance at the Sumner Valley Dance Hall, 1705 Willow Street in Sumner, WA. Our Caller is Don Wood and our Cuer is Marie Wood.

Don't forget that we've “changed things up a bit” with regard to our dance schedule! We are dancing Mainstream on the 2nd and 4th Thursday's from 8:30 to 10 pm. (Squares only). We're hoping to give dancers an opportunity to dance mid-week in addition to (or instead of) a busy weekend schedule. [This dance follows our beginners class, so if you come and “angel” for the class from 7:00-8:30, you'll get a 20% discount for the door donation at the dance!].

Our Saturday dances will be on the 3rd Saturdays only from now on (we will be DARK on 1st Saturdays unless we plan something special). Our third Saturday dances will be MAINSTREAM from 6-8 pm, then we'll dance PLUS with ROUNDS from 8-10 pm. Don Wood will call and Marie Wood will cue. What a deal! Two dances for the price of one!

On the 3rd Saturday, November 21st, the dance theme is the “Mayflower Landing”. On the 3rd Saturday, December 19th, the dance theme is “Toyland”.

Come Dance and have FUN with the SwingNuts!

Gail Johnston, gailj@chessmenkastle.com

Dance with RAINIER COUNCIL Clubs!

Website: squaredance-rainier.org (look for Calendar)

MONDAY

Every **ROUSE-A-ROUNDS** Collins Grange
Lorraine & John Rouse 6:30 Beg, 8-9:30 Phaze 2/EZ3
Dance 4th Mon, 7-10
253-846-8203

WEDNESDAY

Every, **EVERGREEN ROUNDS** Riverside Grange
except Tom Tomlinson, Charles 6:30-8:00 teach; 8-9 2,3; 9-10 4,5
3rd Morehead 253-927-2887, 253-229-9443

THURSDAY

2nd & 4th **SWINGNUTS** Sumner Valley Square Dance Hall
Don Wood 8:30-10:00 B-51/MS (squares-only)
(Oct-May) 253-200-4566

FRIDAY

1st **SPINNERS** Buckley Hall
Greg Weber/Sue Weber 7:30 PreRds, 8-10:30 MS/Rds
(Sept-June) 360-829-0251
2nd **YOUNG BUNCH** Collins Grange
Mark Sebree/Sue Weber 6:30 PreRds, 7-9 MS/Rds
253-472-9092

2nd & 4th **SWINGING SQUARES** Sumner Valley Square Dance Hall
Andy Garboden/Lorraine Rouse 7:30 PreRds, 8-10:30 Plus/Rds
(2nd & 4th Friday, Sept-June) 253-841-9656; break @ 9:15

SATURDAY

1st **NW CALLERS ASSOCIATION** Cedar Grange
253-445-4691; mtg; dances TBA

1st & 3rd **SOUTH SOUND SINGLES** Collins Grange
Jess Thomas/guest cuers 7:30 PreRds, 8-10:30 MS/Rds/+Tip
253-851-5773

3rd **SWINGNUTS** Sumner Valley Square Dance Hall
Don Wood/Marie Wood 6-8 MS (squares only), 8-10 Plus/Rds
253-200-4566

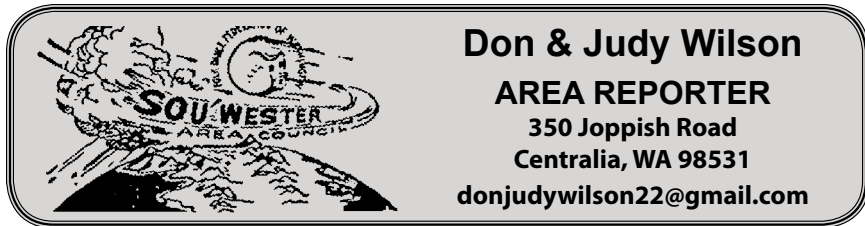
2nd & 4th **BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES** Collins Grange
Greg Weber/Lorraine Rouse 7:00 PreRds, 7:30-10 MS/Rds/+Tip
(July & August, 2nd Saturday) 253-875-5380

2nd & 4th **ROAMIN' TACOMANS** Sumner Valley Square Dance Hall
Tom Tomlinson – caller/cuer 7:30 PreRds, 8-10:30 MS/Plus/Rds
(July: 4th Sat-MS; Aug: 4th Sat-Plus) 253-848-7073 (2nd Sat Plus, 4th Sat MS)

SUNDAY

2nd **LEGION SQUARES** American Legion Post 138
Jeff Graeff/cuer TBA 6-9 MS/Rds; W lessons
(Please call about dances.) 253-720-2788

3rd **RAINIER CALLERS & CUERS** San Souci Mobile Estates
253-229-9443



SOU'WESTER COUNCIL wishes everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. The clubs have planned lots of special dances and activities during this fall season. This is a great time to visit with old friends and to make some new friends by attending a club dance that may be new to you. The weather is not too wintry yet, so try a new adventure. Also remember that Sou' Wester Council is hosting the 2016 State Festival, so be sure you have registered and are wearing your Festival ribbon.

On November 14th the **DO SI DO** Square Dance Club members look forward to our annual celebration of the 'Men and Women in Uniform'! We will recognize the contributions of our active military and all the veterans who have served our country. Red, white and blue is the color scheme of the day! Craig Abercrombie will be our guest caller and Joyce Sebree will cue.

We had a wonderful 66th Anniversary celebration during October as we welcomed back Jim Hattrick, who joined Craig Abercrombie and Adam Christman to complete the 'Front Porch Trio' who called as we went 'Traveling Down Route 66'! Joyce Sebree, as always, expertly cued the round dancers. The first Black Light dance of the fall/winter season is a wonderful highlight that adds a bit of uniqueness and mystery to our dancing! Thanks to everyone who joined us to celebrate!

The Do Si Do's 'Back to School' September dance is always special. The club members and guests donated nearly a dozen full boxes of school supplies for the North Thurston School District. We appreciate everyone's support of this important outreach! Brett Kappenman was our guest caller and kept us all moving right along! Joyce Sebree cued up a storm in between tips.

We dance every second Saturday of the month at Lac A Do Hall (1721 46th Avenue NE in Olympia) and begin with pre-rounds at 7:30 pm and Mainstream/ Plus Tips follow at 8 pm until about 10:30 pm. We encourage students who have finished the B51 level and up from our OASDI classes to join us and practice their 'moves'. As always, we offer delicious treats during break and door prizes for those who traveled to the dance. Join us in our monthly celebration of the Do Si Do club and square dancing!

Katherine Deuel

Here we are about ready to celebrate Thanksgiving and the **HARBOR HAYLOFTERS** are getting ready for their November 21st. dance.

In September we caravanned to the Prairie Steppers with 14 of our dancers. Several of our members won the door prizes, some of Terri's great pickled

vegetables. On September 19th we had our Blackberry Dance with visitors from Prairie Steppers, Cougar Squares, Square Ones, and Independent Dancers. We also traveled down to Kelso to dance with the R Square D. Kris and Margaret Kiser attended the State Meeting and dance.

On October 3rd, we traveled to Kelso for their Oktoberfest, enjoying a wonderful German dinner, entertainment by the River City Riders, and, of course, a great dance with caller Les Seeley. October 6th we danced at Channel Point Assisted Living Facility in Hoquiam. We also attended Olympia Do-Si-Dos' Anniversary Dance and really enjoyed the Front Porch Trio. It was great to see Jim Hattrick again. Our Anniversary Dance was on October 17th, celebrating 55 years. We had a great dance with a few surprises and games. We visited R Square D and attended the Council Dance.

This brings us to November. We are now dancing the 3rd Saturday, September - May and the 2nd Saturday in June at the American Legion Hall, 112 West 1st in Aberdeen. Pre-rounds start at 7 pm and Mainstream at 7:30. Randy (Kris) Carlson is our caller and doing a great job.

May everyone have a wonderful Thanksgiving, time for family, friends and there is always time for dancing.

Ann Kilwien, sqcamper@comcast.net

PRAIRIE STEPPERS thank Pat Colton who hosted our September club meeting at her home and served great snacks and smoked salmon.

The Prairie Steppers hope you enjoyed our September Back to School dance hosted by Tim, Terri and Jeremiah Palumbo. Our travel was to the Harbor Haylofters Blackberry Dance or to the Flutterwheels Dance to honor our new State President couple, Gene and Tanya Currier.

We hope you also enjoyed our Happy Halloween dance hosted by Gretchen Kunkel and Mary Niccoli. We planned to travel to the R Square D Oktoberfest. We invite you to our November Honor Our Vets dance to be hosted by Dick and Diane Russell. Dick and Diane have planned a travel to the Silver Stars at the end of November.

Our Basic 51 lessons from 6:30 to 8 pm and Plus lessons from 8 to 9 pm at the Oakview Grange are off to a great start with Don Wood providing excellent instruction. Thanks to Steve George for promoting our lessons in his capacity as News Director at KELA / KMNT Radio. Many of the students are folks coming back to square dancing and we hope they find a home with us.

Plans for the 2016 Chicken Dance are well underway. This time we chose April rather than May to avoid a conflict with Mother's Day. It will be held on April 9th, 2016 at the Oakview Grange with Richard Lane calling and Lonnie Sycks cueing. We have tickets, pre sales for \$15.00 each for dinner and dance. The price at the door will be \$8.00 each for dinner and \$8.00 each for the dance. You can find the flyer for the 2016 Chicken Dance as well as flyers for our other dances at www.thesteppers.org.

Marion Freels, M_librarian@yahoo.com

RUFF & RUFFLES have not been dancing much since our August Dance. We did have the “4th Friday Social” in August hosted by Neil and Eileen Rosevear in their home. It is usually a potluck around 6 pm, socialize some and then play a few table games until 9 or 10 pm. The September club dance was cancelled due to the State Meeting in Olympia. Some attended the meeting to see Gene and Tanya Currier installed as State President while others just went to the evening dance. We also helped Moni Pader celebrate her 80th birthday this month.

On kind of a sad note, Ruff & Ruffles have been struggling the last few years due to a small membership and no new added dancers. We tried. After much, much deliberation, and still keeping the club active, club members decided we should become a traveling club starting after the Anniversary dance February 2016. After that dance, we will hold only two dances a year, the Pie dance in November and our Anniversary dance in February. These two dances will be on the 3rd Saturday of said month (7:30 Pre-rounds/8-10:30 Squares) at the Catlin Grange Hall with Jim Raupp as caller and Susan Healea as cuer. We also will keep the “4th Friday Social” going. That togetherness will keep us seeing each other plus be able to take care of any necessary club business or make plans for travel at that time. This was no easy decision for members. Most of us have been with the club for years. We especially want to thank all the visitors who have been coming to the dances and supporting us.

As I write this, fall has arrived and the weather cooling down after a hot summer. Next club dance will be the Pie Dance on Saturday, November 21st. All proceeds will go to a local charity. We invite you to come join us for an evening of dancing and to enjoy a piece of pie. To all of our dancing friends - We wish you a Happy Thanksgiving!

Betty Clifton, sqkats@q.com

R SQUARE D welcomed guest callers Renee Rudd and Les Seeley along with spouses Gary and Paula to our Boxcar boogie dance on the 11th of September. Best hobo costumes were Mary McDaniel and Marv Pope for the second year in a row. Although the dance hall was warm a lot of fun was had by dancers from Cougar Squares, Flutter Wheels and Happy Hoppers. Chile and Cornbread was served at the end of the dance and dancers left into the night with a full belly and a warm summer breeze to see them home.

The clubs yearly campout at Vista Park in Cathlamet was the weekend of September 18th, lots of good memories created. I hear Lonnie Sycks isn't going to be riding with his wife Linda in the motorhome again soon.

Please come and dance with us in November. The 13th we celebrate our veterans and on the 28th we will be kicking up our heels along to some good old Gospel tunes.

The club thanks Ron and Lynn Waliezer for hosting the monthly meeting in their home. “Dance is the hidden language of the soul of the body” Martha Graham. Get out and dance.

For more information about the R Square D club please visit our website

at www.r-square-d.info or friend us on Facebook. Caller- Craig Abercrombie, Cuer- Lonnie Sycks.

Marie Geisler

Square Dance Lessons are sponsored by **OASDI** at Lac-A-Do Hall. Recent lessons have been very successful. Last year we put 56 new dancers in Square Dancing using our 10-week lesson series. Our Thursday evening lessons started September 10th and are going well. We have 18 new students and a large number of angels representing each Square Dance club dancing in the hall. The Thursday night instructor is Glenn Raiha. Our next set of lessons will start Monday, October 19th with Don Wood instructing. Our mantra is “WE TEACH FUN”.

Beginning Round Dance Lessons, sponsored by the Round A Bouts, began at Lac-A-Do Hall on Tuesday, September 15th with seven couples in attendance. Mary Parsons is instructing.

OASDI Happenings: OASDI is sponsoring a fund drive to purchase Air Conditioning for the hall. Our goal is to have A/C installed by the summer of 2016.

The State meeting was held at OASDI's Lac-A-Do Hall. Dancing and lessons were at the forefront of the discussions. Saturday night one of the Local Clubs, the Flutterwheels, sponsored the dance. It was to honor Gene and Tanya Courier as the new State President. Glenn Raiha was the caller. Dancers from all over the State were in attendance and everyone had a great time.

From time to time, OASDI sponsors a Council Dance at Lac-A-Do Hall. The recent dance was on October 31st with Steve Noseck calling and Joyce Sebree Cueing.

We are already beginning to prepare for the 2016 Memorial Day Campout May 26th – 30th, 2016. We hope everyone will put this weekend on their calendar.

Until next month, Happy Dancing!

Marie Wood

The **SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB** is enjoying the fall with our first Friday and third Sunday dances. Besides our regular dances, we are having Plus Workshops every second Sunday, which have been well attended and a lot of fun.

In September, the Square One's hosted the State meeting luncheon. During the State meeting, our own Gene and Tanya Currier were installed as the new Federation President Couple. Congrats to them and the other new State officers.

Good dancin' to you all!

Ken Moller, ckmoller@outlook.com

COUGAR SQUARES is inviting everyone to come to their Thankful Christmas Dinner Dance on December 5th at the Toledo Elementary School. (This is not our regular dance venue) Dinner begins at 6:30 pm featuring a full turkey dinner with pie for dessert. Dancing begins at 7:30 with Squares and Rounds. Jim Raupp will be calling and Susan Healea will be cueing this

dance. The cost for both the dinner and dance is \$8 if you purchase a pre-sale ticket from a Cougar and \$10 at the door. This is a great way to start the holiday season. There will be door prices and other surprises, so put it on your calendar, December 5th.

Cougars are having Square Dance lessons on Tuesdays at Salkum and Thursdays at Napavine. Some people attend both sessions! Jim Raupp is our caller/teacher. All Cougars are encouraged to attend lessons and get to know the new dancers so they will feel welcome at our regular dances after the first of the year.


Cougars are also sponsoring Round Dance lessons and Round Dance floor time on the second and fourth Sundays of each month at Baw Faw Grange in Curtis. There is a cue and review in the Rumba/Cha rhythm at 4:00 pm and waltz III teaches at 5:00 with floor time with mixed rounds from 6:00 to 8:00 cued and taught by Susan Healea. Visitors are welcome to come and get some floor time if you have some round dance experience.

Cougars dance the first Saturday of each month at St. Francis Parish Hall located on the Jackson Highway at the blinking light north of Toledo. Plus dancing begins at 7:30, Mainstream and Rounds at 8:00 to 10:00. Jim Raupp is our caller/cuer and Susan Healea is our "special" cuer. Come and join us for some great dancing.

Cougars wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving!

Don and Judy Wilson,
donjudywilson22@gmail.com

COUGAR SQUARES
1st Sat Sep-Jun
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



FLUTTERWHEELS
1st Saturday 7-10 pm Mainstream
+ 3rd Saturday 7:00-9:30 pm Student Level
Don Wood, Caller • Ron Woolcock, Cuer
+ Glenn Raiha, Caller Guest Cuer
Lac-A-Do Hall-1721 46th NE, Olympia, WA
Sound Enhancement + All Dancers Welcome

ROUND-A-BOUTS
Lac-A-Do Hall -- Olympia
1st Tuesday & 3rd Fridays
7:30 - 9:30 PM Phase 2 & 3
Ron Woolcock - Cuer & Instructor

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

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

Come Dance with Sou'Wester Clubs

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

Tuesday

1st **Round-A-Bouts** Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-9:00
Ron Woolcock, cuer ROUNDS phases 2-3

Thursday

1st & **Stardust Dancers** Catlin Grange 7:30-9:30
3rd Susan Healea, cuer ROUNDS phases 2-4

Friday

1st **Square One Plus Club** Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-10:30
Gunter Monroe, caller, Joyce Sebree, cuer PLUS
2nd **Rhythm Rounders Fun Dance** Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-10:00
Randy Wulf, cuer ROUNDS phases 2-5
2nd **R Square D** Kelso Senior Center 7:30-10:00
Craig Abercrombie, caller, Lonnie Sycks, cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS
3rd **Round-A-Bouts** Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-9:30
Ron Woolcock, cuer ROUNDS phases 2-3
4th **Capitol Squares** Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-10:30
Don Wood, caller, Randy Wulf, cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS

Saturday

1st **Cougar Squares** St Francis Parish Hall, 139 Spencer Rd. Toledo
Jim Raupp, caller/cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS 7:30-10:30
1st **Flutterwheels** Lac-A-Do Hall 7:00-10:00
Don Wood, caller, Ron Woolcock cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS
2nd **Olympia Do-Si-Dos** Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-10:30
Jim Hattrick, caller Joyce Sebree, cuer, SQUARES AND ROUNDS
2nd **Prairie Steppers** Oakview Grange, 2700 N. Pearl, Cent. 7:30-10:30
Don Wood, caller, Lonnie Sycks, cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS
3rd **Harbor Haylofters** American Legion Hall 7:00-10:00
Randy & Chris Carlson SQUARES AND ROUNDS
3rd **Ruff and Ruffles** Catlin Grange 8:00-10:30
Jim Raupp, caller, Susan Healea, cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS
3rd **Flutterwheels** Lac-A-Do Hall, Olympia, 7:00-9:30
Glenn Raiha, caller, Ron Woolcock, cuer, BASIC 51
4th **R Square D** Kelso Senior Center 7:30- 10:00
Craig Abercrombie, caller, Lonnie Sycks, cuer, SQUARES AND ROUNDS
4th **Rhythm Rounders** Lac-A-Do Hall, Olympia 6:00-9:00
Guest cuers ROUNDS phases 3-6

Sunday

Every **Double A's** Lac-A-Do Hall, Olympia 4:30-6:30
Jack Hardin, caller, Ron Woolcock, cuer ADVANCED
3rd **Square One Plus Club** Lac-A-Do Hall Olympia, 6:30-9:00
Gunter Monroe, caller, Spike Reid, cuer PLUS

Addresses for places where there is more than one dance a month

Lac-A-Do Hall 1721-46th Avenue NE, Olympia,
Catlin Grange 205 Shawnee Street, Kelso
Kelso Senior Center 106 NW 8th Avenue, Kelso
American Legion Hall 112 W. 1st Street, Aberdeen

Rev. 9-9-15



The **COEURLY Q'S** had a great start for the 2015-2016 dance season with our dance "Back to the 50's" called and cued by the Utters.

Be sure to join us for our "Anniversary Waltzes Dance" on November 7th, with Dan Preedy calling and Justine Brown cueing. Times for the dance are 7:00 to 8:00 for Plus and Intermediate Rounds, and 8:00 to 10:00 for Mainstream. Our dances are held at the Harding Center, 411 N. 15th St. in Coeur d'Alene, ID.

Marcia Siring

The **DANCING SHADOWS** are enjoying the dance season so far. We are keeping busy with travels to the Star Shooters and the Model T's in September and October. It is great to be dancing again after the summer break. We would like to thank everyone who came out and joined us in October for our "50's" dance. A big thank you goes to Bob Amsbury for calling a wonderful dance for us along with our own wonderful cuer, Carol Shopbell. Come out and join us on the third Friday in November for another great night of dancing. Hope everyone has a safe and enjoyable Thanksgiving with friends and family.

Tami Carson

The **DIAMOND SQUARES** traveled to the Jacks and Jennys on September 19th. Bob and Claudia Amsbury are the new caller and cuer for the club. We stole their stuffed donkey (they couldn't find a banner). Three of our club members got door prizes too. A big thanks to all our members who worked in the booth at the fair, including the demos on September 16th. Congratulations to Dave Reichardt and Tami Carson who were chosen as the king and queen at our "Homecoming Dance" on September 12th.

Starting on the first Friday in November, Adventures in Dancing will be changing to a 12 week party level dance. New dancers are encouraged to join us. Come out and join us at the North Spokane Dance Center from 8:00-10:00 on the first Friday of each month (except January) until May. We invite you to our November 14th dance. Our theme is "Honoring Our Veterans". Our caller and cuer, Bob and Claudia Amsbury, start Mainstream at 7:00. Come and join us and have a great time. Wishing everyone a Thanksgiving that is blessed with the bounties of the season and the love and warmth of your family and friends.

Nelly Christoffersen

After a long summer break the **HI-FLYERS** held their first dance on September 18th, a "Barn Dance," and many of us came in farm attire. All seemed to enjoy the dance. It was a happy start for a new season. Our new format worked well, i.e. 7:00-8:00 Plus with Rounds cued to the level of those present, and 8:00-10:00 Mainstream with Rounds. Our November dance will be our annual "Cake Walk", at which we will give away 8-10 mouth-watering cakes.

Our lessons began on Monday, September 14th, with Adam Christman teaching beginning Squares at 6:30-8:00 and Nina Leisi teaching beginning Rounds 8:00-9:30. Sad to say, our beginning Squares have very few students, and our board will need to decide soon to continue the substantial subsidy or to place the students in lessons offered by other clubs. Fortunately, the Round dance lessons are self-sustaining.

Meanwhile, we look forward to our dances on the third Fridays (excepting December) and to our caravans to other club dances.

Grant and Lelia Smith

To begin our dance season the **HOODOO VALLEY HOEDOWNERS** will be holding our annual Buddy Night November 4th. We will share a potluck meal and a no cost first lesson for all the new dancers who come to see what Square dancing is all about. We seasoned dancers will have a fine time too.

This month we are hosting the 'New Generation Star Trek Themed New Callers and Cuers Dance'. Our Grange is, Priest River, Idaho. Anyone interested in calling square dances or cueing round dances are welcome to try their skills.

Hoodoo Valley Hoedowners, on Facebook.

Penny Goodman aok@netw.com

The **JACKS & JENNY'S** were happy to welcome our new club caller and cuer, Bob and Claudia Amsbury at our September dance. What a great crowd we had to welcome them. Door prizes were won by Skip and Shirley Shirkey, Allan and Glo Villars, Floyd West and Helen Knapp. The 50/50 pot went home in the pocket of Aurilla Falmo.

Our lessons have started and are being taught by Bob Amsbury. Our November dance will be our Veterans dance. Hope to see you on the dance floor.

Helen Knapp

The **MODEL T'S** enjoyed the Salmon BBQ. Several of our members helped in the ticket booth. On Sunday we helped in the kitchen preparing the food and helped to serve salmon dinners. It was well attended even though we had the smoky skies from all the fires. Our Spokane square dancers attended the Spokane fair. We had a booth with info on becoming new dancers and hope we encouraged some. November will be our Patriotic dance. Come join us the second Saturday of November. Our caller and cuer, Vern and Kathy Boggs, begin the evening at 7:00 with plus and rounds and mainstream at 8:00. Safe travels to everyone. See you on the dance floor.

Charlene Weist

The **SPOKANE AREA COUNCIL** spent ten days at the Spokane County Interstate Fair manning a Square Dance Booth, handing out information, and demonstrating square dancing (including people from the crowd). All in all, we



Photos by Richard Snyder

we were attempting to encourage people to join in our activity. Introductory dances and lessons are starting in two dance halls so the timing is excellent. One of the days at the fair the square dancers were part of the entertainment, Square and Round dancing on the main stage. Most of our square dance clubs are actively engaged in square dance lessons, so we're hoping the vast amount of time and energy expended by the volunteers working the fair will pay off. We extend a huge thank you to the callers, cuers, and dancers who gave their time to make this a success.

A wife asked her husband, "Would you please go shopping for me and buy one carton of milk and if they have avocados, buy six." A short time later the husband returns with six cartons

of milk. The wife asks "Why did you buy six cartons of milk?" He replied, "They had avocados."

Richard and Barbara Snyder

This dance year is really flying by. The **STAR SHOOTERS** class is doing great and we are so happy to have so many new and recycled dancers, some coming back to the activity after a long time away. Sometimes kid's school and sports schedules, family commitments, work and life in general takes us away from the dancing we enjoy so much for a period of time. But how sweet it is to return and renew old friendships and laughter. And maybe bring the kids and grandkids along!

November is a special dance for us, the Hot Cookie dance, on November 28th, where we bake all evening long and fill the hall with delicious smells. A big glass of milk completes the picture, and after that, we are all dancing away the calories. We also have a silent auction of handmade crafts and gifts to start the holiday shopping ball rolling. Come dance to our own Dan Preedy calling and Carol Shopbell cueing. Rounds are from 7-8 and Mainstream, every third tip Plus, from 8-10:30.

The Star Shooters are thankful for wonderful friends and family, our

beautiful home in this great country and of course square dancing that brings us all together! We wish the best for you and yours.

Diane Hartley

Happy Thanksgiving from the **TWIN CITY TWIRLERS!** We have two mainstream dances scheduled on our November calendar. Rick and Kathy Utter call Squares on November 7th, while Lorraine Kennedy cues Rounds. Our Thanksgiving potluck dinner is scheduled for 6:30 pm on November 21st at the Twirler Hall, after which Rob Krum will call squares and Lorraine Kennedy will cue rounds. For both dances pre-rounds start at 7:30 and squares at 8:00. Butch Suttley gives mainstream lessons on Thursdays from 7:00-8:00, and Ed Holyoke does plus and A1 lessons on Tuesdays from 6:30-9:00. November is also the month new officers are nominated for next year. We have a full fun month of dancing ahead of us. Please come join us.

Kathy Boulton

VALLEY CROSSTRAILERS manned the bean shack again this year for the Salmon Barbecue. It was a beautiful day and everything went smoothly for us this year. Many thanks to Carol, Eunice, and Jon for all they did, and the host of other volunteers who made this possible.

We had a lot of fun at the September "School Daze" dance. Many school supplies were brought to the center to be given to students who cannot afford them. A big thank you to all who contributed.

November will be our "Red, White, and Blue" dance. Adam Christman will be calling and cueing as Doug and Priscilla will be out of town. Plus/Intermediate rounds at 7:00 and Mainstream/easy rounds at 8:00. We would love to see you there.

Chris Smith

The **WILD ROSE RAMBLERS** enjoyed their "kick-off" dance with Tim Marriner and Rob Krum calling and Nina Leisi cueing at our October dance. 22 of the club's members (and several from other clubs) danced at the Interstate Fair booth and gave out fliers for lessons for 12 hours on September 14th. It produced lots of interest to attendees as well as the Fair board members. A drawing was held for a 12 week set of lessons. Those who entered the raffle were called to advise that they would have one or so free lessons, if interested. Since it was a council activity, prospective dancers were asked the area of town where they lived so they could be advised of lessons closer to their home. We hope lessons will be well attended this dance season.

November's dancers will enjoy the calling of Rob (Vicki) Krum and cueing of Nina Leisi. November's dance is to celebrate our Veterans (they have no admission for the evening's dance).

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Letters to the Editor are welcomed and encouraged. They may be sent by email or snail mail. Feel free to comment on what you see or read in FOOTNOTES or our square dance activity at large. Names withheld upon request although unsigned letters will be summarily assigned to file 13.

To the Editor:

My mom, Genevieve Churchill, is currently in an Adult Care Home in Tigard, Oregon after falling and breaking a hip in July. She suffers from Moderate Dementia and can no longer live by herself. Can you please put her new address in the next Footnotes:

**Genevieve Churchill
13200 SW VILLAGE GLENN DR
TIGARD, OR 97223-6040**

I would ask those who know her to please send her a birthday card to the above address. Her birthday is on Sunday, November 22nd, and she will be 104. You will make her year.

Thank you,

Cory Martin
Box 1055
Soap Lake, WA 98851

Ed. Note: The following letter was sent to us last month. We apologize for inadvertently leaving it out.

To the Editor:

Your co-editor said you are looking for feedback. I look at FOOTNOTES online and therefore there is no need to subscribe, although years ago I was a subscriber. I understand that subscription prices do not quite cover expenses of printing and mailing. The trend is for more stuff to be online, so the need for paper copies is surely dwindling. I suggest raising the price for paper copies mailed. Also, you could ask a small donation for those who would like FOOTNOTES emailed directly to them.

Dave Cassel, Hoodoo Valley Hoedowners, Sagle, ID.
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Lac-A-Do Hall, Olympia, WA

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