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Happy Thanksgiving, to our dancing friends and family. Its a beautiful time of the year, fall colors are changing with the seasons. Heading into the holidays, family time, dinners, celebrations. Its a great and wonderful time of the year.

Community Dances we have been hearing more and more about these all fall.

- fun for all ages
- no partner needed
- dance to all types of music
- no experience needed
- lines, circles, squares, all types
- everyone is welcome
- fun for all ages

We all need to continue to look outside the box, always willing and trying new things. There are many clubs and councils having community dances, party dances or whatever we may call them. Its all a good thing. What worked in the last 20 years doesn't work anymore, we are in the technology age and need to rise to that era . Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat, Messenger, or any other social media activity that is where we are. We must change with the times, it is time: LEAD, FOLLOW, OR GET OUT OF THE WAY...

So please everyone let's go out and enjoy all the holiday dances, get together. Enjoying all our fellow dancers. Enjoy the

holiday season as it comes upon us. Happy Veterans Day to all those who have served, and Thank You. Happy Thanksgiving to each and every dancer in the State of Washington, we appreciate each and everyone of you.

*Always,
 Margaret and Kris
 President Couple*

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A WORD FROM YOUR EDITOR

Kathy & Frank Chase

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November is upon us. It's hard to believe that we are going into the Holiday season. Time to get all dressed up and go to the Holiday dances. They are so much fun to attend. With all the decorations and festivities.

Cynda and I are working hard together to get her more and more involved in the production of this magazine. I hope you will support her as she gets closer to taking over as you did me these past two plus years. I know she will do a great job.

I continue to ask you all to send all your articles, ads and pictures to the FOOTNOTES email address. It makes it so much easier for both Cynda and I as well as keeping track of ads as they come in for Kay, our treasurer:
footnotes-wa@yahoo.com.

Frank and I want to wish you and yours the best Thanksgiving. This is the time to spend quality time with family and friends.

*Take care and happy dancing,
Kathy (the Brat) & Frank Chase*

2018-19 Directories are out and available for purchase. They are \$5 per copy

*Email Holly Gonseth at
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The Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington

*Rainier Council looks forward to hosting
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Washington State Festival*

*Rainier
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Puyallup*



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	Until 4/30/18	Until 12/31/18	Until 4/30/19
Adult	\$40	\$45	\$50
under 21	\$5	\$5	\$10
			5/1/19 and at the door
			\$55
			\$10

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Last Name	First Name	Club	Council	Adult	Youth	Subtotal
Total Number of Nights Camping:						TOTAL:

Camping is \$35 per night. On what day will you arrive? Thursday Friday Saturday

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Please Mail Registration To:
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Tacoma, WA 98422
Phone: (253) 942-3533
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Email: solo@dosido2go.com

Please make checks payable to: 2019 WA State Festival. Refunds available until May 31st 2019 less administrative fees.

STATE DIRECTORY CORRECTIONS

The following corrections have been submitted for the 2018-19 State Directory, *For privacy reasons, the complete information is not provided here, please contact your club or council president or email SquareDanceHollyG@gmail.com for the updated information.*

- PG 4 - **HISTORIAN & LIBRARIAN**
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- PG 5 - **PUBLICITY & PROMOTION**
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- PG 17 - **SPOKANE COUNCIL**
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- PG 20 - **SILHOUETTE DANCERS**
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- PG 26 - **FREEWHEELERS**
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- PG 48 - **HOODOO VALLEY HOEDOWNERS**
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RANDEE POUND (*update email*)
- PG 61 - **PRESIDENT'S AWARD**
2017 TOM & DONNA ROHDE (*correct spelling*)
- PG 70 - GONSETH, HOLLY (*remove space in email address*)
- PG 71 - **ADD**
Q JONES, KATHRYN & TOM
C KISER, KRIS & MARGARET (*correct email for Kris*)



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We have completed the audit and have sent out each club's up-dated membership list in electronic form to their respective council treasurer. It is up to each council to distribute this up-dated membership list to each of its clubs.

Auditor



the pepper shaker contains salt and the salt shaker..." The waitress interrupted "I'm so sorry!" She leaned over the table, unscrewed the caps of both bottles and switched them to the sound of dead silence at the Mensa table. Sometimes we're just too smart for our own good!



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.

*Take care,
Richard and Barbara*



Several years ago there was a Mensa convention in San Francisco. Mensa, as you probably know, is a national organization for people with an IQ of 140 or higher. Several Mensa members were at a local café for lunch. When they sat down, one of them discovered the salt shaker contained pepper and the pepper shaker was full of salt! How to swap the contents of these two bottles without spilling any and using only the implements at hand? Clearly a job for Mensa minds! After

much debate and brainstorming they finally came up with a brilliant solution involving a napkin, a straw, and an empty saucer. Elated, they called the waitress over to dazzle her with their brilliant solution. "Ma'am, we couldn't help but notice that



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Tenth (15) of the month proceeding publication for all articles, ads and photos.

50TH ANNUAL EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

Barbara & Mickey Franz

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Think Summer - Think Seminar

- Think of having a good time!
- Think of having fun!
- Think of an enjoyable weekend in the mountains!
- Think of a national caller, Gary Shoemake, and our own State Round Dance / Coordinator Nina Leisi!
- Then you are thinking of the second weekend of July 2019, The Education and Leadership Seminar.
- It's not too early to register and if you are camping, getting a prime spot.
- It's not too early!
- It's not too early!!
- See you there



Respectfully,
 Barb and Mickey Franz



Start planning now for the 51st Annual Education and Leadership Seminar

July 13 - 14, 2018

with



Gary Shoemake
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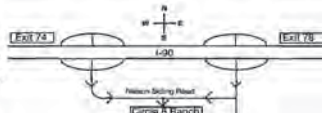


Nina Leisi
 Cuer/State Round
 Dance Coordinator
 Cheney, WA



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Circle 8 Ranch is located south of I-90 between Easton and Cle Elum. The campground has about 100 grassy RV spots with water and electricity, seven of which have sewer. There is also a community dump station.

Directions to Circle 8 Ranch

651 Lund Lane
Cle Elum, WA 98922

From Seattle:

Take exit 74. At stop sign turn right onto Nelson Siding Road. Go 1.8 miles. Turn right at Lund Lane and follow road to Circle 8.

From Spokane:

Take exit 78. At stop sign turn left onto Golf Course Road. Go back across I-90 & RR tracks .4 mile to Nelson Siding Road. Turn right on Nelson Siding Road for 2.6 miles. Turn left at Lund Lane and follow road to Circle 8.

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Econo-Lodge	509-674-2380
Iron Horse Inn B&B*	509-674-5939
The Last Resort	509-649-2222

* Denotes availability of "Circle 8 discount"

THIS LIST REVISED AUGUST 14, 2017

The Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington's

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GARY SHOEMAKE
Caller/Keynote Speaker
Sevierville, TN



NINA LEISI
Cuer/State Round Dance Coordinator
Cheney, WA

July 12, 13 & 14, 2019



Registration Information

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

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Annual Square Dance
EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP SEMINAR
Schedule

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dinner Break - Potluck in Main Hall 5:30 PM

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

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

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

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

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

DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH

FOR ALL CAMPING QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL WAGON MASTER. PLEASE DO NOT CALL CIRCLE 8 AS THEY DO NOT COORDINATE CAMPING FOR EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP.
 Wagon Masters: Madalyn & Lewis Cato
 206.244.4746
 206.898.0945 Cell
 Email: mbourgcato@aol.com

NOTE: DUE TO COMPLICATIONS WITH CHANGING PRICES WE WILL NO LONGER BE ROLLING OVER REGISTRATIONS. NO REFUNDS AFTER JUNE 14, 2019.

IF YOU MUST COMPLAIN - VOLUNTEER!

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

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Do you want the Seminar Booklet?

The booklet, in any form, is included in the registration fee

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

REGISTRATION

Fees: \$15.00 Per Person • \$30.00 Per Couple/Family \$ _____
 Camping: Per night - RV \$30.00 (full); \$25.00 W&E - Tents \$20.00
 Number of Nights _____ @ \$____.00 Per Night \$ _____
 Type of RV (Motorhome, 5th Wheel, Trailer) Circle one
 Length of RV _____ Number of slides _____
 Desired Space Number _____ Tow Vehicle _____
 Arrival Day/Date _____ TOTAL \$ _____

Note: Due to complications with changing prices we will no longer be rolling over registrations. No refunds after June 14, 2019
 Do you plan on having lunch at Leadership Seminar on Saturday? Yes _____ No _____
 Sponsor and Menu TBA



JIM'S SQUARE DANCE CALLER CORNER

Jim & Thelma Swanson

paintedswan@frontier.com

This month I will concentrate on “get outs” (resolving) from a zero box (ZB).

I will start with allemande left (AL) “get outs”, also giving the ending formation.

B2B = back to back; 2x= two times; 180 = 180 degrees from previous ZB;

RLG = right and left grand; Y.H.= you're home; TZ= technical zero.

A technical zero is when all dancers remain in a zero, but the centers are now ends and the ends are now centers.

TZ STAY indicates that the active men and their corner remain in that quadrant.

TZ 180 indicates that the active man and his corner will end 180 degrees from their previous ZERO BOX.

TZ RIGHT indicates that the active man will end in the Quadrant to the right (clockwise) of his starting ZB.

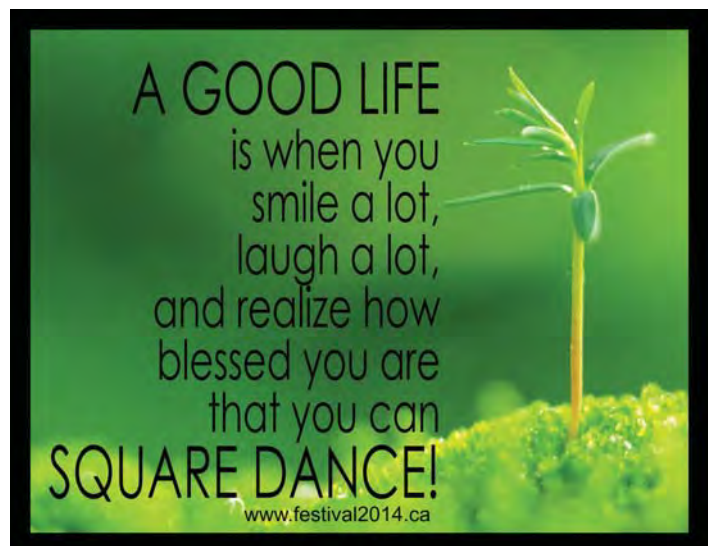
TZ LEFT indicates that the active man will end in the quadrant to the left (counte-clockwise) of his starting ZB.

- 1) (ZB) veer left; centers u-turn back; centers cross-run; AL [LEFTY WAVE]
- 2) (ZB) veer left; centers u-turn back; centers cross-fold; AL [ZB]
- 3) (ZB) veer left; chain down the line; square thru 3; AL [B2B LINES]
- 4) (ZB) slide thru; Dixie style to a lefty wave; ladies cross-fold; AL [ZB]
- 5) (ZB) left square thru; AL [B2B LINES]
- 6) (ZB) all men run; column circulate (2X); men run; AL [TZ 180 ZB]
- 7) (ZB) square thru 2; tag the line; leaders u-turn back; AL [180 ZB]
- 8) (ZB) square thru 2; bend the line; slide thru; AL [TZ RIGHT ZB]
- 9) (ZB) left touch 1/4; ladies run; AL [B2B LINES]
- 10) (ZB) swing thru; all 8 circulate; men run; wheel and deal; AL [TZ STAY ZB]

- 11) (ZB) split the outside 2; around 1 to a line; all touch 1/4; men run; AL [TZ LEFT ZB]
- 12) (ZB) pass the ocean; hinge; split circulate; walk and dodge; RLG
- 13) (ZB) pass the ocean; hinge; ladies run; pass thru; RLG
- 14) (ZB) pass the ocean; spin the top; ends circulate; centers trade; RLG
- 15) (ZB) split the outside 2; around 1 to a line; new centers face; RLG
- 16) (ZB) touch 1/4; split circulate (2X); ladies run; square thru 2; RLG
- 17) (ZB) touch to a wave; all 8 circulate; men circulate; box the gnat; RLG
- 18) (ZB) touch to a wave; spin chain thru; ladies circulate (2X); RLG
- 19) (ZB) flutter wheel; sweep 1/4; rollaway; square thru 2; RLG
- 20) (ZB) square thru; ends u-turn back; centers face; all touch 1/4; men run; Y.H.

I hope this information is helpful to someone. Let's all work together to help make each other the best we can be, so Square Dancing can be the best it can be. Remember to keep it FUN.

Jim Swanson paintedswan@frontier.com





NOTES FROM NINA

Nina Leisi

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I know you all join me in sending a huge thank you to Neva and Bill Reid for their contributions to the Washington Square and Round Dance community for many years. We are saddened by their need to retire from cueing and calling for health reasons. I especially want Neva to know how much her work as the Round Dance Coordinator was appreciated. In her written update at the State Meeting in September, Neva assured us that she is improving. She also let us know that they will see us again on the dance floor in the future. We all look forward to that day.

I certainly apologize for the poor start I've had as your current Round Dance Coordinator. The transition was a little rocky and I was a bit overwhelmed by other "stuff." So I am bringing you the round dance selections for both October and November Rounds of the Month at the same time. I made the selections myself without the input from the committee. Otherwise we would be even further behind. I will do my best to get back on track. Thank you for understanding.

Many of you know me. I served in this position in 2004. At that time I could not send things digitally to the Area Council Round Dance Chairmen. It was also not possible for them to easily access the music quickly. We actually mailed cue sheets and a cassette tape to each chairman, each month, so that selections could be made. I will never forget watching my late husband, Bill, copying each cassette 12 times. I copied the cue sheets, made address labels, and put the envelopes together. We knew exactly how much the postage was for one cassette and "x" number of pages in each package. The most interesting part was seeing Bill adding the postage to the envelopes. He was a philatelist (stamp collector) and we had piles of stamps of various denominations after he added the best specimens to his collection. This was a great way to use up the extras. Some

of the envelopes had dozens of stamps attached to get to the correct postage amount. Things are sure different now. E-mail is used to send information back and forth. Chairmen access the music digitally. I receive their input digitally as well. Next time I will include a little about my background so that you can know better.

The Round of the Month for October is a Phase II Waltz by Bill and Maxine Ross, "Slow Country Dance." The Round of the Month for November is a Phase II+2 (Rock the Boat & Susie Q) Two-Step by Terri and Tim Willaby, "Da Doo Ron Ron."

Nina

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OCTOBER DANCE OF THE MONTH

SLOW COUNTRY DANCE

Released August 2018

CHOREO: Bill and Maxine Ross, 19 Castleton Court, Fredericton, NB, Canada E3B 6H3

(506) 455-6538, e-mail: bmross@nbnet.nb.ca web page <http://billmaxineross.com>

CD: 1989 Sony BMG Music, CD Title "State of the Heart" (Artist: Mary Chapin Carpenter) Track 10 "Slow Country Dance" or download from internet site such as I Tunes

FOOTWORK: Opposite unless noted (Woman's footwork in parentheses) Time: 4:00 Fade Music at 3:13 & then slow to 90%

RHYTHM: Waltz RAL PHASE II

DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY: AVERAGE

SEQUENCE: INTRO-A-A-B-INTERLUDE-C-C-B-ENDING

MEAS: INTRODUCTION

1-4 OP-FCG WALL WAIT PICKUP NOTES & 2 MEAS;; APART POINT; TOGETHER TOUCH BFLY;

- 1-2 Wait in OP-FCG WALL w/ lead ft free for pickup notes & 2 measures;;
- 3 {**Apert Point**} OP-FCG WALL Apt L, pt R twd ptr, -;
- 4 {**Together Touch BFLY**} Tog R, tch L to BFLY WALL, -;

PART A

1-4 SOLO LEFT TURNING BOX;;;:

- 1-4 {**Solo Left Turning Box**} FC WALL Fwd L trn 1/4 LF, sd R, cl L (W bk R trn 1/4 LF, sd L, cl R) now R shldr to R shldr; Bk R trn 1/4 LF, sd L, cl R to bk to bk pos; Fwd L trn 1/4 LF, sd R, cl L now L shldr to L shldr; Bk R trn 1/4 LF, sd L, cl R to fc ptr;

5-8 BALANCE LEFT & RIGHT;; TWIRL VINE 3; THRU SIDE CLOSE;

- 5-6 {**Balance Left & Right**} BFLY WALL Sd L, XRib (W XLib), in plc L; Sd R, XLib (W XRib), in plc R;
- 7 {**Twirl Vine 3**} BFLY WALL Sd L, XRib, sd L to BFLY WALL (W sd & fwd R trn 1/2 RF undr ld hands, sd & bk L trn 1/2 RF, sd R);
- 8 {**Thru Side Close**} BFLY WALL XRif (W XLif), sd L, cl R;

9-12 WALTZ AWAY; THRU TWINKLE TWICE;; FWD WALTZ;

- 9 {**Waltz Away**} BFLY WALL w/ insd hnds joined fwd L trn away from ptr, sd & fwd R to slight bk to bk, cl L;
- 10-11 {**Thru Twinkle Twice**} OP LOD Thru R, trn RF sd L, cl R to LOP RLOD (W thru L, trn LF sd R, cl L); Thru L, trn LF sd R, cl L to OP LOD (W thru R, trn RF sd L, cl R);
- 12 {**Fwd Waltz**} OP LOD Fwd R, fwd L, cl R;

13-16 LACE UP;;; END IN BFLY;

- 13 {**Lace Across**} Join ld hnds passing bhd W fwd L to DLW (W fwd R to DLC), fwd R, cl L to LOP LOD;
- 14 {**Fwd Waltz**} LOP LOD Fwd R, fwd L, cl R;
- 15 {**Lace Back**} Join trl hnds passing bhd W fwd L to DLC (W fwd R to DLW), fwd R, cl L to OP LOD;
- 16 {**Fwd Waltz to BFLY**} OP LOD Fwd R, fwd L, cl R to BFLY WALL;

17 CANTER;

- 17 {**Canter**} BFLY WALL Sd L, draw R to L, cl R;

PART B

1-4 WALTZ AWAY & TOGETHER;; STEP SWING; SPIN MANEUVER;

- 1-2 {**Waltz Away & Tog**} BFLY WALL w/ insd hnds joined fwd L trn away from ptr, sd & fwd R to slight bk to bk, cl L; Sd & fwd R trn to fc ptr, sd L, cl R to BFLY WALL;
- 3 {**Step Swing**} BFLY WALL Sd & fwd L to OP LOD, swing R fwd toe pt dwn, bring R bk start RF trn (W bring L bk start LF spin);
- 4 {**Spin Maneuver**} Fwd R stg RF upper bdy trn, cont RF trn to fc RLOD sd L, cl R to CP RLOD (W stg LF spin in plc L, cont spin R, L to fc LOD);

5-8 2 RIGHT TURNS FC WALL;; TWISTY VINE 3; FWD FACE CLOSE;

- 5-6 {**2 Right Turns fc WALL**} CP RLOD Bk L trn RF, cont trn sd R, cl L to CP DLC (W fwd R trn RF, cont trn sd L, cl R); Fwd R trn RF, cont trn sd L, cl R to CP WALL (W bk L trn RF, cont trn sd R, cl L);
- 7 {**Twisty Vine 3**} CP WALL Sd L, XRib to SCAR (W XLif), sd L to CP WALL;
- 8 {**Forward Face Close**} XRif to BJO (W XLib), sd L, cl R to CP WALL;

OCTOBER DANCE OF THE MONTH

SLOW COUNTRY DANCE - *Quick Cues* by *Bill & Maxine Ross*

Phase II Waltz

Intro AA B Int CCB End

I Wait PU notes & 2 meas OFcg;; Apt Pt; Tog Tch;

A Solo L Trng Wz Box BFLY;;;;
Bal L & R;; Twrl Vine 3; Thru Sd Cl;
Wz Awy; Thru Twnkl 2x;; Fwd Wz;
Full Lace Up BFLY;;;; Canter;

A Solo L Trng Wz Box BFLY;;;;
Bal L & R;; Twrl Vine 3; Thru Sd Cl;
Wz Awy; Thru Twnkl 2x;; Fwd Wz;
Full Lace Up BFLY;;;; Canter;

B Wz Awy & Tog;; Step Swng; Spin Manu;
2 R Trns Wall;; Twisty Vn 3; Fwd Fc CP;
Twisty Vn 3; Twnkl SCAR & BJO;; Manu;
1 R Trn LOD; Fwd Wz; 2 L Trns Wall;
Box;;

Int L Trng Box BFLY;;;;

C Roll 3 OP; Fwd Wz; Cir Awy & Tog R Hand Star;;
Wheel 6 CP Wall;; 1 L Trn LOD; Bk 1/2 Box SCAR;
Prog Twnkls 2x;; Prog Box;;
1 L Trn RLOD; Bk Wz; 2 R Trns Wall;;
Canter BFLY;

NOVEMBER DANCE OF THE MONTH

DA DOO RON RON

Released: April 2018

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MUSIC: Shaun Cassidy, Greatest Hits, Track 1, 2:50, download various sites
sample @ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KmrCJe9qD6k>
FOOTWORK: Opposite unless noted (women's footwork in parentheses)
RHYTHM: Phase II Two-Step +2 (Rock the Boat, Susie Q)
SEQUENCE: Intro A B Int A B Int C A B End

INTRODUCTION

MEAS:

- 1-4 (BFLY WALL) WAIT 2 ;; TWIRL VINE 3 ; REVERSE TWIRL VINE 3 ;
(1) LCP wall wait, -, -, -;
(2) Wait, -, -, -;
(3) Sd L, XRIBL, sd L, -(W fwd R trng RF undr ld hnds, cont trn sd & bk L, sd R, -);
(4) Sd R, XLIBR, sd R, -(W fwd L trng LF undr ld hnds, cont trn sd & bk R, sd L, -);
- 5-8 SIDE TOUCH 4X ;; BASKETBALL TURN ;;
(5) Sd L, tch R, sd R, tch L;
(6) Sd L, tch R, sd R, tch L;
(7) Fwd L trn RF 1/4, -, rec R trn RF 1/4, -;
(8) Trng RF 1/4 fwd L, -, trng RF 1/4 rec R end in SCP, -;

PART A

MEAS:

- 1-4 2 FORWARD TWO STEPS ;; CIRCLE AWAY AND TOGETHER ;;
(1) Fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;
(2) Fwd R, cl L, fwd R, -;
(3) Circ LF (W RF) fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;
(4) Cont circg fwd R, cl L, fwd R to fc ptr, -;
- 5-8 LACE UP (SCP) ;;;;
(5) Ldg W under jnd ld hnds fwd L chgg sds, cl R, fwd L, -;
(6) Fwd R, cl L, fwd R, -;
(7) Ldg W under jnd trl hnds fwd L chgg sds, cl R, fwd L, -;
(8) Fwd R, cl L, fwd R, -blnd SCP;

PART B

MEAS:

- 1-4 ROCK FORWARD RECOVER ; BACK TWO STEP ; ROCK BACK RECOVER ;
FORWARD TWO STEP ;
(1) Fwd L, -, rec R, -;
(2) Bk L, cl R, bk L, -;
(3) Bk L, -, rec R, -;
(4) Fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;

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5-8 CIRCLE AWAY 2 TWO STEPS ;; STRUT TOGETHER 4 (BFLY) ;;

- (5) Circ LF twd COH (W twd WALL) fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;
- (6) Cont twd COH fwd R, cl L, cont trng LF fwd R to fc RLOD, -;
- (7) Trng to fc ptr fwd L, -, fwd R, -;
- (8) Fwd L, -, fwd R, - BFLY;

INTERLUDE

MEAS:

1-2 SUSIE Q (SCP) ;;

- (1) In BFLY flare into XLIFR, sd R, XLIFR, flare R thru to fc ptr;
- (2) XRIFL, sd L, XRIFL, -blnd SCP; (*second time end in BFLY)

PART C

MEAS:

1-4 BASKETBALL TURN ;; FACE-FACE ; BACK-BACK (SCP) ;

- (1) Fwd L trn RF 1/4, -, rec R trn RF 1/4, -;
- (2) Trng RF 1/4 fwd L, -, trng RF 1/4 rec R end in SCP, -;
- (3) Sd L, cl R, sd L trng LF 1/2, -;
- (4) Sd R, cl L, sd R trng RF 1/2, -SCP ;

5-8 ROCK THE BOAT TWICE ;; DOUBLE HITCH ;;

- (5) Fwd L, -, cl R, -;
- (6) Fwd L, -, cl R, -;
- (7) Fwd L, cl R, bk L, -;
- (8) Bk R, cl L, fwd R, -;

END

MEAS:

1-4 SIDE DRAW CLOSE TWICE ;; SIDE TWO STEP LEFT AND RIGHT (SCP) ;;

- (1) Sd L, drw R to L, -, cl R;
- (2) Sd L, drw R to L, -, cl R;
- (3) Sd L, cl R, sd L, -;
- (4) Sd R, cl L, sd R, -blnd SCP;

5-8 2 FORWARD TWO STEPS ;; CIRCLE AWAY AND TOGETHER (SCP) ;;

- (5) Fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;
- (6) Fwd R, cl L, fwd R, -;
- (7) Circ LF (W RF) fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;
- (8) Cont circg fwd R, cl L, fwd R to SCP, -;

9-12 2 FORWARD TWO STEPS ;; DOUBLE HITCH ;;

- (9) Fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;
- (10) Fwd R, cl L, fwd R, -;
- (11) Fwd L, cl R, bk L, -;
- (12) Bk R, cl L, fwd R, -;

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- 13-16 FORWARD TWO STEP ; CIRCLE PICKUP ; BACK TWO STEP ; BACK HITCH ;
(13) Fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;
(14) Fwd R, cl L, bk R, - (W fwd R trng in frnt of M, fwd R, fwd L endg CP RLOD);
(15) Bk L, cl R, bk L, -;
(16) Bk R, cl L, fwd R, -;
- 17-20 2 FORWARD TWO STEPS ;; PROGRESSIVE SCISSOR 2X ;;
(17) Fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;
(18) Fwd R, cl L, fwd R, -;
(19) Sd L, cl R, fwd XLIFR to SCAR, -;
(20) Sd R, cl L, fwd XRIFL to BJO, -;
- 21-24 FORWARD HITCH ; HITCH/SCISSOR SCP ; 2 FORWARD TWO STEPS ;;
(21) Fwd L, cl R, bk L, -;
(22) Bk R, cl L, fwd R to SCP, -(W fwd L trng RF 1/2, cl R, fwd L);
(23) Fwd L, cl R, fwd L, -;
(24) Fwd R, cl L, fwd R, -;
- 25-27 FACE-FACE ; BACK-BACK ; APART POINT;
(25) Sd L, cl R, sd L trng LF 1/2, -;
(26) Sd R, cl L, sd R trng RF 1/2, -;
(27) Bk L, -, pt R, -;

NOVEMBER DANCE OF THE MONTH

DA DOO RON RON - *Quick Cues* by Terri & Tim Wilaby

Phase II+2 (Rock the Boat & Susie Q)

Two-Step

Intro AB Int AB Int CAB End

*I BFLY Wall Wait 2;; Twirl Vn 3 Tch; Revs Twrl Tch;
Sd Tch 4x;; BB Trns;;*

*A 2 Fwd 2-stps;; Cir Awy & Tog;;
Full Lace Up;;;*

*B Rk Fwd - Revr; Bk 2-stp; Rk Bk - Recvr Fwd 2-stp;
Cir Awy 2 2-stps;; Strut Tog 4 BFLY;;*

Int Susie Q SCP;;

*C BB Trns;; Fc-Fc; Bk-Bk SCP;
Slow Rock Boat 2x;; Hitch 6;;*

*A 2 Fwd 2-stps;; Cir Awy & Tog;;
Full Lace Up;;;*

*B Rk Fwd - Revr; Bk 2-stp; Rk Bk - Recvr Fwd 2-stp;
Cir Awy 2 2-stps;; Strut Tog 4 BFLY;;*

*End Sd Draw Cl 2x;; Sd 2-Stp L & R SCP;;
2 Fwd 2-stps;; Cir Awy & Tog SCP;;
2 fWD 2-stps;; Hitch 6;;
1 Fwd 2-stp; Cir PU; Bk 2-stp; Bk Hitch 3;*

*2 Fwd 2-stps;; 2 Prog Scis BJO;;
Fc-Fc; Bk-Bk; Apt Pt;*



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All About the Thread

We need to be aware of how we sew and use the best techniques on all projects. Practice the best techniques and they become habit, repetition is the key.

Practice stitching - Before starting one seam, take a scrap of the garment fabric and sew to check stitch quality. Sew on two layers to get the effect of a garment seam. Sew at least 10 inches, take the scrap out of the machine and look at it closely. I have seen people stitch three inches and then squint at the bit of seam in back of the presser foot, "Oh, that looks OK." We don't want OK, we want perfect. **Thread match** - Is this color right? A perfect match is not always needed or possible. Is this the right thread for the project? When making a fine crepe silk blouse use a finer thread and smaller needle. For working on a corduroy jacket invest in a thicker thread and larger needle. There are many different types of thread because there are so many different types of fabric. Some threads are for hand stitching only and should not be used in a machine. Study thread and select the best weight and fiber content for the project.

Balanced tension - Look at the front and the back of the stitching, they should look the same. The best way to test for tension is to take a six inch square of two layers of fabric. Sew diagonally across the square. Open the seam and pull gently on both sides. If you can see light between the fabric pieces the thread tension is too loose or the stitches are too long. Grip the corners, where the stitching ends, and pull slowly until the thread breaks. If the top thread breaks right away it is too tight. If the bottom thread breaks right away the top thread is too loose. If both of the threads stretch a ways and then break the tension is fine.

Bobbin tension - If the bobbin is sloppy and lumpy it will spin unevenly and this will effect the thread tension. Never ever, don't you dare, wind one color over another on a bobbin.

First - What is that little bit of bobbin thread for? It can't even be used it because it is buried under the new color. To save it wind it back onto the thread spool. I'll bet there are bobbins that no longer have spools to match. There is something about sewing that brings out hyper active stinginess. A spool of Coats & Clark Dual Duty is \$5 for 500 yards. That is full price, not sale or coupons. That is a penny a yard. How much time, energy and stress are being used to save a penny? Or half a penny if it was on sale.

Second - That is one of the surest ways to make a lumpy bobbin. The new thread does not get a smooth start and cuts into the old color. If the new thread tangles with the old thread when it gets down to the end, there will be a wonderful birds nest of thread under the needle plate. Solving this snarl will waste energy, time and thread.

Third - There are only a 30 to 35 yards on a bobbin. If 5 yards of old thread are left on a bobbin it will have to be rewound more frequently. This means interrupting the flow of the sewing and wasting time.

Forth - Old thread is weak. Cotton, like everything else, deteriorates over time. Thread that has been on a bobbin for years has lost a lot of its strength. Do not sew with thread on wooden spools they are over 50 years old. I have read of several ways that are supposed to "revive" old thread. My favorite is to put the thread on a covered porch over night so the morning dew can moisten it and make it young again. If that really worked I would sleep on the porch. Old is old and nothing can be done about it.

Sewing should be your fun time, a creative outlet and an accomplishment. To me sewing is problem solving, like a puzzle. How do I go about getting what I want? It is all about me. If you don't enjoy the happy hum of your machine and beauty of a straight seam then quit sewing. If there is something else you would rather do with your time, then do it. It is your special time and should be all about you.





SOLO CORNER

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Square dancing is in full swing now, and we are looking forward to yellow rocking dancers that we haven't seen in a while.

At the 2019 Rainier Rendezvous October meeting, it was announced that there will be some "single" activities for unpartnered dancers to mix and meet other single dancers at the State Festival. Suggestions have been made for a dinner or lunch. More details will be announced later. If you have ideas that you think would help unpartnered dancers to be able identify one another, please let Jackie Meyers know (meyersjj5@comcast.net), or let me know (solo@dosido2go.com) so we can pass it along to the committee.

As single dancers, to be successful we need to force ourselves onto the floor and put our crooked finger up to announce there is an opening in the square. But if you dance single often, it makes good sense to learn how to do both, the girl's and the boy's parts. The best place to practice is at your own club. Tell the square that you are learning the new position, and ask them to guide you, if you end up turning the wrong way. Everybody will feel a part of your learning process, and it will guarantee some great laughs for all of you. Don't pick the square right in front of the caller. While callers appreciate new dancers being front and center, so they can help them when in trouble, learning to dance opposite of what you are accustomed to is something that simply takes floor time because you already know the moves. If you have a "young" mind that easily adapts to new situations, you can learn both positions from the very beginning of your dancing experience; however, if you struggle with remembering the definitions and applying them, it is better to become accomplished at your dance level before trying the switched position. Dancing with a caller who trains you in "dancing by definition" will make it easier to learn, because you will already be familiar with switching from left to right hands; or right to left. In our area, I highly recommend KT's on Tuesday evenings Plus from 7:30 - 9:30. There are a lot of single dancers who attend regularly, and they will be willing to help you with the more difficult patterns. Lac a Do also offers a very friendly environment for singles. There are several dancers who can do both parts, and who will help you become

proficient in all positions. In the far north, Steve Noseck on Thursday evenings, Plus from 7:45 to 9:30; and Gunter Monroe on Tuesdays, Plus from 7:30 to 10. These programs are planned to increase your enjoyment of non-vanilla dancing.

Leaving a dance because there are too many guys or too many girls is sad, yet I see it happen on a regular basis. Learning both positions will even out those numbers and keep you on the floor longer.



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If you want people to show up to your dances, they need to know about it, that being said, what is the most effective way to tell and remind people about lessons and dances? Well, newspapers and mail are often just thrown away if it isn't important (bills, voting ballots, etc.), and e-mails are frequently discarded as Spam. How do we communicate with people in a way that they won't just discard? Facebook!

Most people frequently check their Facebook accounts. When many people have down time they are checking Facebook. And you know those "Event Invites" that show up in your notifications? If you click "Interested" on an event, you will automatically be notified of updates to the event and will be reminded as the event date nears. Also, your friends are notified that you are interested in an event. This way you can tell people about dances without even trying! Just think what happens when you actually "Share" a post or event!

There is great value in using social media to share your passions. It gets people's attention and creates interest in what is interesting to you. Because your friends see what you post, they are more likely to stop and read what you have to say. If you post that you had a great time at a square dance, your friends will see that square dancing isn't just a part of

American history, it is not only alive and well, but is also contemporary and fun. We can change the perception of square dancing from antiquated to something current, enjoyable, challenging and inexpensive. And the best way to reach the most people with that message is through Facebook.



Sharing your message on Facebook is free. It doesn't cost you anything to have a Facebook account. But did you know that you can pay to advertise your dances for just \$1 a day? If a club has a "Page" or a "Group", they can "Boost" a post and reach up to thousands of people depending on how they want to "Reach". There is no cheaper way to advertise your lessons or dances to the greatest number of people than through Facebook.



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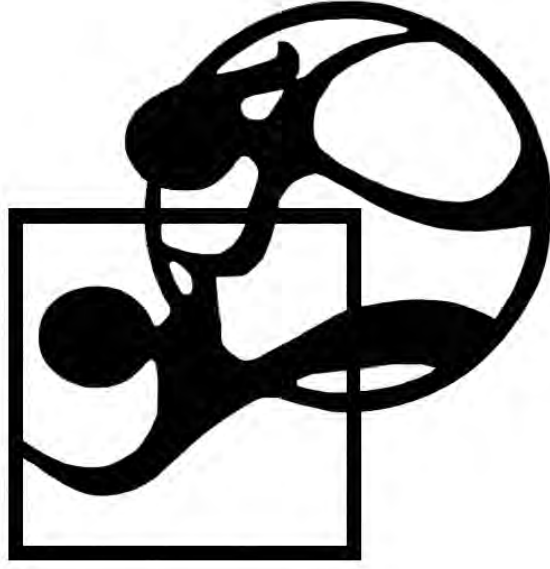


On January 15th, 2000, the Square & Folk Dance Federation of Washington, Inc. voted to award an annual youth scholarship. In May of 2004 it was given the name Timothy Dale Boggs Memorial Youth Scholarship in memory of Vern and Kathy Boggs' son.

Scholarships are awarded at the Washington State Square & Folk Dance Festival held in June each year. Monies are paid directly to the winner's college or trade school.



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The Square & Folk Dance Federation of Washington, Inc. is accepting applications for the merit based \$1,000.00 scholarship from youth members active within our clubs and councils.

Eligibility Requirements

- Applicants must be active members in good standing of a Washington State Federated Club
- Applicants must be 17 through 22 years of age
- Applicants must show a commitment to the promotion of square dancing
- Funds must be used to further education beyond high school

Application Procedures

The following items are required:

- A completed application form
- A letter of nomination from an un-related adult, an active member in good standing of a Washington State Federated Club
- An essay on your involvement in square dancing, how it has impacted your life, how you would help square dancing grow and why you deserve this scholarship
- A short paper telling us about yourself (hobbies, sports, family, goals...), including your volunteer work

Applications must be postmarked no later than April 30th

Please send all applications by mail or email to the State Youth Coordinator:

Mail to: Boggs Scholarship C/O Caleb Hatch
4102 SW 328th St.
Federal Way, WA 98023
(253) 205-8588

Email: teencoordinator@hatchbrothers.dance

The Timothy Dale Boggs Memorial Youth Scholarship Application Square & Folk Dance Federation of Washington, Inc.

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Birth Date: _____ Age: _____

High School: _____ City: _____

Graduation Year: _____ E-mail: _____

College or Trade School You Will Be Attending:

Name: _____

City & State: _____

Area of study or major: _____

Club Affiliation(s): _____

Council: _____ Number of years danced: _____

⇒ **Only completed application forms including a letter of nomination, essay and personal description will be considered.**

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Tuesday, June 25th is our Trail End Dance: The dance will begin at 8:00 – 10:00 pm. Admission: \$10.00. We will have many great callers to keep the floor moving and shaking. Wednesday, June 26th the convention kicks off with our Opening Ceremony at 5:00 pm with the raising of the Peach.

Wednesday evening is full of excitement and activities. 5:30 pm the "Welcome to Atlanta! Fried Chicken Buffet" will open and 7:00 pm join us for a private concert with Grammy Award Winning Country Artist, John Berry. Both the buffet and John Berry concert require tickets. 8:00 pm the dancing begins until 10:00 pm.

Thursday, June 27th our Education Program begins at 9:00 am with many clinics, workshops and seminars for you to enjoy. Also, the first of three days of the Showcase of Rounds kicks off at 10 am. Our Program Committee is busy filling the day with dancing, dance workshops and seminars. Then in the evening, let's dance some more from 7:00 – 10:00 pm, but wait... we also have an After Parties with an additional hour of dancing in select locations. Don't forget to come watch the wonderful Exhibition Groups scheduled throughout the day.

Friday, June 28th join us at 9:00 am for the Convention Bid Session. The National Convention is held in a different state each year. Come see if there is an official bid or two to host future conventions. This is an exciting and fun time. Immediately following the Bid Session, join us for the Keynote Speaker, Tony Oxendine to discuss "Lead, Follow, or Get Out of the Way".

The dancing program resumes at 10 am with dancing in many areas, including Day 2 of the Showcase of Rounds. The Evening Dance is from 7:00 – 10:00 pm with an hour of additional dancing during the After Parties, one each for squares, rounds and youth.

Saturday, June 29th is full of activities so wear comfy shoes. Check out the Organization Roundtable today, as we continue the discussion from the Keynote Speaker Session yesterday with "But we've always done it that way!"

Don't forget to come watch the wonderful Exhibition Groups scheduled throughout the day. At 1:00 our Fashion Show Extravaganza begins, this will be a SHOW you don't want to miss. Be in your seats by 12:30 for the Pre-Show Entertainment. Convention Closing Ceremony will be held in the John Williams Ballroom. At 5:30 pm we will line up for the Parade of States in the Galleria Concourse with your state or country sign. At 6:00 pm the Ceremony will begin with the Parade of States march into the John Williams Ballroom. During this ceremony we will pass the NSDC Torch to the next convention and they will present their Invitational Skit to invite you to Spokane WA in 2020.

But wait there's more, the National Executive Committee (NEC) President may announce future National Square Dance Convention® locations for 2022 and 2023. And, immediately after any announcement, we will square up in Exhibit Hall A (Live Band Hall) to celebrate their Convention Awards. Woohoo! The Evening Dancing is from 7:00 – 10:00 pm with an hour of additional dancing during the After Parties.



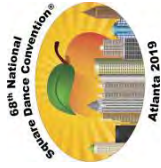


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Registrations are non-transferable. Registration fee per Registrant. Adult \$60.00
 Youth born after June 29, 2001 \$30.00
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 A \$10.00 fee per Registrant will be imposed for cancellations or changes.
 Prices will increase May 1, 2019 to: \$75 for adults, \$37.50 for Youth born after June 29, 2001.
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DID YOU KNOW...?

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

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... (of course you did) that the world of Social Media is full of examples of abuse, mis-use, and over-use.

Last month’s “Did You Know...?” article promoting the use of three specific hashtags (**#SquareDancers** **#SeenHavingFun** **#SquareDancing**) on social media posts that include pictures or video of square dancers has been widely “shared” already. It’s probably worth pointing out

Think of hashtags as “keywords” that behave in the same way a “category” groups information under one heading. Like keywords, hashtags can be used to selectively group information (or pictures, video, etc.) under a single hashtag, or under multiple hashtags in combination. Hashtags are searchable, making them very useful for quickly finding relevant information on the Internet. The keyword in that last sentence is “relevant”. Hashtags can be used to cast a wide net, perhaps too wide, but careful use of search criteria can help exclude (filter-out) unwanted search results. Social media platforms (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, etc.) may handle searches a bit differently from their competitors, so doing a little homework before conducting a hashtag search on a particular platform is advisable.

Too many hashtags attached to a photo can be distracting and can potentially create confusion. Furthermore, if a hashtag is only thinly relevant (therefore, mostly irrelevant) to what is posted, adding it to the post crosses the line of unacceptable behavior in the social media world. “Over-hashtagging” is worse than “under-hashtagging” in this author’s opinion. While tossing in the hashtag “#EverythingButTheKitchenSink” on a post with a picture already flagged with the hashtags **#SquareDancers** **#SeenHavingFun** **#SquareDancing** might be tempting, it’s not “relevant”, so is of little value.

Also of little value is the tendency to “make up” (create) new hashtags for every conceivable situation. Suppose a picture taken of “John”, one obviously happy square dancer, gets posted on Facebook. The individual posting this original content might decide to create a hashtag **#JohnIsAVeryHappyDancer**. Unless one anticipates many opportunities to use a particular hashtag over and over again on postings for future events, the chances anyone (including the originator of the hashtag) will remember it long enough to search for it at some future date will be infinitesimal. Advice? Don’t do it.

The consistent use of a limited set of specific hashtags on photos of **#SquareDancers** **#SeenHavingFun** **#SquareDancing** has a much greater chance of being found by square dancers looking for square-dance-related images. And, after these posts are shared a few times with family and friends, there’s a much greater chance non-square-dancers (potential new students) will stumble on these posts and see evidence of how much fun our activity is.

A word of caution. Use these 3 specific hashtags on posts that do contain pictures or videos. Resist the temptation to use them (especially the **#SeenHavingFun** hashtag) on Comments, or on posts that do not contain pictures or videos.

If everyone who adds photos and videos of **#SquareDancers** **#SeenHavingFun** **#SquareDancing** would add these hashtags to the body text of their post, we’ll soon have a huge library of readily searchable square-dance-related content.

Happy Hashtagging !

or “retweeted” will likely identify a location (**#Tacoma** **#Sumner** **#Kennewick** etc.)...and here’s the last huge benefit--- hashtags are searchable!

*Lane Johnston – Publicity & Promotion Chair,
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BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL

Area Reporter
Fran Delozier
tanklister@aol.com



For those of you wishing to communicate with the officers of the **BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL**, please note that the listing in the State Directory for Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer are incorrect. The corrections are as follows:

Corresponding Secretary: Jonnie and Urban Jenquin
312 Riverwood St., Richland, WA 99352-8600
Jenquin.uj@gmail.com

Treasurer: Kim and Butch Monk
84847 Woodow St, Milton-Freewater, OR 97862
Luckymunk50@yahoo.com

The **MILTON-FREEWATER MUDDY FROGS** are planning to do their lessons themselves, beginning Sunday, November 4 at 2:00 p.m. at the M-F Community Building. Bill

Putnam and Merri Anne Huber will be doing the instructing, with guidance from Bill Reid. The Thanksgiving dance will be Sunday, November 18 at the Community Building from 3:00-5:00, with Butch Suttley calling, and with a potluck dinner following. The turkey will be provided. We would love to see your smiling faces!

PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS had a busy start to the dance year with several good dances. Our new dancers are doing well. Our club members have been coming out to angel the new dancers and are helpful to the class. Larry Clark teaches on Monday nights and Tina Allaway teaches on Thursdays. We are grateful to have Larry and Tina dedicated to working with our new dancers.

November will be another busy month of great dancing. Our best wishes go out to Vern Boggs for a speedy recovery from his motorcycle accident. We hope to have Vern back calling

for us soon. Dave Boggs will call our first dance on Friday, November 2nd in place of Vern. Thanks Dave. Bill Holm will cue our first dance. The Shufflers are fortunate to have Bill and Karen to cue for us. We do appreciate them. Our third Friday, November 16th, dance will be the crazy hat dance with Bob and Claudia Amsbury, Bob calling and Claudia will cue. Put your craziest hat on and come on out. Our dances start at 7pm with one hour of plus and one round between tips, followed by two hours of mainstream with two rounds between tips. There are always refreshments to snack on. There is room at Shanty for dry camping for you RVers.

The **MELODY MIXERS ROUND DANCE CLUB** meets regularly at the Shufflers Shanty, in Kennewick, Washington, on Tuesday evenings. Beginning Waltz lessons started on September 25, from 6:30 to 7:30 pm, these lessons will continue through all the steps of phase 2 Waltz. Typically, higher level dancing, levels 3 through 5, are reviewed, enjoyed and workshopped, from 5:30 to 6:30, prior to the Waltz lesson. All rhythms in levels 2 through 4 are enjoyed after the Waltz lesson until 9 pm. All Round Dancers are welcome to join us. Dancing is \$5 per week. Once per month we typically forgo lessons and have a party dance, with shared refreshments and dance requests welcomed. Bill and Karen Holm provide the cueing and lessons for Melody Mixers.

TRI-CITY CIRCULATORS enjoy Plus Dancing every Thursday, from 6 to 8 pm at the Eagles in Kennewick. Tacos are available for \$1. Circulators started a plus class October 4th, cost is a \$5.00 donation. They also started a mainstream class on Tuesday Oct 9th. 6-8 p.m. at the Kennewick Eagles, \$5.00 donation. Anyone interested should contact Thelma at 509-539-2660.

FAMILY-A-FAIR Mainstream Class began October 1st 6:30 - 8:30 at the Elks 513 Rose St. in Walla Walla, Wa. Family-a-Fair dances on 2nd and 4th Saturdays from 7 - 9 pm year-round.

All are welcome at any of our dances. Happy Thanksgiving and keep dancing.

MUDDY FROGS SQUARE DANCE CLUB



Caller: Guest
Cuer: Guest

3rd Sundays • 3 to 5 PM

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

PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS

Shufflers Shanty

717 N. Irving, Kennewick

SATURDAY DANCING:

PLUS 7:00 - 8:00 PM

MAINSTREAM 8 - 10:30 PM

November 3rd - KEVIN THOMAIER

November 17th - CRAZY HAT DANCE - BOB & CLAUDIA AMSBURY

December 1st - DAVE & SHARON BOGGS

December 15th - CHRISTMAS PARTY - TINA ALLAWAY,

LARRY CLARK WITH BILL HOLM

December 31st NEW YEARS EVE - TOM CLYMER & BILL HOLM

Sunday (Pre-Rounds 8:30 Mainstream / Plus 9-Midnight)

509-628-0354 or 509-783-1521



PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS CALLER SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 2018 to JULY 2019

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

FRIDAY November 2nd

VERN BOGGS

FRIDAY November 16th

BOB & CLAUDIA AMSBURY

CRAZY HAT DANCE

FRIDAY December 7th

DAVE & SHARON BOGGS

FRIDAY DECEMBER 21ST

TINA ALLAWAY & LARRY

CLARK CHRISTMAS PARTY & 5:59 Potluck

MONDAY DECEMBER 31st

TOM CLYMER & BILL HOLM NEW

YEARS EVE 8:30 Pre-Rounds 9-Midnight Mainstream/Plus

FRIDAY JANUARY 4TH

KRIS KISER

FRIDAY JANUARY 18th

TINA ALLAWAY

SATURDAY JANUARY 26TH **PLUS**

DAVE BOGGS

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 1ST

DOUG DAVIS

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 15th

DON JACKSON

FRIDAY MARCH 1ST

DAN PREEDY

FRIDAY MARCH 15TH

DARON TANDBERG

BMC COUNCIL DANCE MARCH 30TH ?

FRIDAY APRIL 5

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THURSDAY APRIL 11TH

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

SATURDAY: May 18th Anniversary Dances

DAN NORDBYE & BILL HOLM

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FRIDAY JUNE 7TH

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SHUFFLER SHANTY 717 N Irving ST, Kennewick, WA

SUE REAGAN 509-308-1925 OR URBAN JENQUIN 509-628-0354



BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL DANCE SCHEDULE



Sunday -

Muddy Frogs: Mainstream & Rounds 3rd Sunday Year Around
 Teachers and Caller/Cuer, Bill & Neva Reid
 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 bkholm@charter.net

Thursday -

Tri-City Circulators: Plus and Rounds .. Every Thursday Year Around
 Caller, Jim Swanson
 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 September
 thru July, (*See Prairie Shufflers Ad for dates*)
 Guest Callers and Cuer, Bill Holm
 Shuffler's Shanty 717 N Irving • Kennewick, WA 509-783-4222
Contact: Jonnie Jenquin 509-628-0354 or jenquin.uj@gmail.com

Family a-Fair: Mainstream with Plus and Rounds 2nd & 4th Saturday Year Around

..... Caller, Jim Swanson
 Elks Lodge 351 E Rose St. • Walla-Walla WA • 509-525-2870
Contact: Thelma Swanson 509-539-2660 or paintedswan@frontier.com

CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL

Area Reporter
Carel & Michael Edgerly

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November already and Christmas and 2019 are just around the corner. Hard to believe.

Fall is here and the GATESWINGERS have all settled in for the start of cooler weather. As I'm typing this, we're having a fantastic fall day here in Yakima while the leaves are turning beautiful colors--but we know winter is not far away.

Since the 2018/19 dance season is in full swing we hope to see some of you in a square at various clubs around the State. We hope you'll consider coming to our 64th Gateswingers Anniversary Dance on December 1st with Greg and Sue Weber calling/cueing. It's starting at 3 pm with a Plus dance, dinner in between and finishing the evening with a Mainstream dance from 7-9:30pm. All the details are posted in this edition of Footnotes if you're interested.

And sooner, not later, is a good opportunity to remind clubs we should let our students know about the State Square dance website: "www.squaredance-wa.org" as well as the on-line Footnotes magazine. Maybe there is someone who would benefit from reading the various subjects it offers as well as the information and advertising the councils each list in this informative magazine.

The Gateswingers would like to wish all of you a Happy Thanksgiving and may you have safe travel on the roads this winter.

*Dale and Debi Danielson
for Gateswingers*

The BLUE AGATES had a great group visit from the Wagon Wheels in September to get our season of to a rousing start. Hope they had as much fun as we did. We plan(ed) to attend the Appleland Promenaders Anniversary Dance on October 13 (but that's future right now). We will not be dancing at the Grange in November due to a hall conflict and

BLUE AGATE SQUARES

2nd & 4th Saturday

7:00 - 9:30 p.m.

Caller- Daron Tandberg

Cyndi Silicki - Cuer

Swauk-Teanaway Grange, Cle Elum

509-304-4478 or 509-304-8040

Thanksgiving, but hope to travel somewhere on the second Saturday. But we'll have two dances in December, the

second and fourth Saturdays. And will be caravanning to the Gateswingers Anniversary as well.

For now, we are enjoying the fall color, though the rain finally started this week. And we hope the goblins didn't get you on Halloween, and that you have a wonderful and safe Thanksgiving weekend. Happy Dancing!!!

Carel Edgerly

SILHOUETTE DANCERS

1st Thursday Intermediate

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

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

Cuer: DEBBIE & PAUL TAYLOR

Yakima Square & Round Dance Center -

207 E Charron Rd - Moxee, WA 98936

509-965-3015 • Visitors Welcome



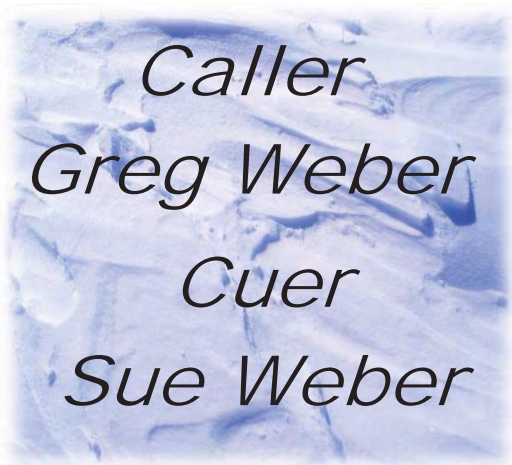


**Snow is Glistening
for
Gateswingers 64rd Anniversary**

December 1, 2018

3 pm to 9:30 pm

Yakima Square & Round Dance Center



*Caller
Greg Weber
Cuer
Sue Weber*

- 3 pm - 5 pm Plus Dance w/ Rounds**
- 5:30 pm - Pork Loin Dinner**
- 7pm - Pre-Rounds**
- 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm Mainstream Dance w/ Rounds**
- 9:30 pm Refreshments**

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CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL

Area Reporter

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BOOT & LACES members are enjoying our activities of the current dance year. We have missed a few members due to health issues, traveling, or family emergencies. We are looking forward to their return to the dance floor.

Lessons were started on October 17th with instructor Kevin Thomaier and the new dancers are quickly learning the moves. We appreciate the class angels filling in and encouraging them as well.

Some of our members attended the CPS Council September 28th "No Experience Necessary" dance called by Dave Harry in our hall with experienced dancers and a few callers coming from South end clubs that dance at the Kent-Meridian Grange Hall. This was a first time event in South King County and it was well attended by folks ranging from Youth to 80+ years experienced dancers including some brand new folks who were encouraged to attend lessons. Dave also taught some line dances which many enjoyed. Those attending were certainly having a good time and we hope they will continue with current lessons.

Our club will be celebrating our "67th" Anniversary on November 2nd with Mike DeSisto Calling Squares and Debbie & Paul Taylor Cueing Rounds. Please join us if you can at 15422 SE 272nd St, Kent. We dance Plus from 7:00 to 8:00 pm with Mainstream following. We have Round dancing between the tips.

We wish our dance families a safe and Happy Thanksgiving.

Janet Emerson for Pat Hoot, hootpnr@yahoo.com

JACKS AND JILLS started lessons on September 23rd which will continue until the end of December. The weekly schedule, in case you would like to join us is:

Preteen Lessons: 5pm - 6pm
Regular Lessons: 6pm - 7pm
Full Mainstream: 7pm - 8:30pm
Plus: 8:30pm - 9pm

Keep looking out for special dances! We would love to see you at one of our upcoming events. Upcoming dances are: a Halloween dance on October 21st and our Christmas dance on December 16th.

Our lessons have been going well, but have been fairly small, thus far. We would definitely appreciate any additions to our activities.

Ava DeBusschere, sunshinesparklee@gmail.com

The **PI-R SQUARES** welcome you to come and dance with Andy Garboden and Kyle Quande at Meridian Grange any second or fourth Saturday and we will show you a very good time. We are proud of our Caller and Cuer and the place where we dance.

We are looking ahead to our Caravan to the Jet Steppers at the Cedar Grange in Maple Valley on November 3rd. Then the Jet Steppers will be caravanning to us for our Veterans Day dance on November 10th. Our second dance of the month will be on November 24th and will give us all a chance to work off some of the Thanksgiving turkey.

Our lessons began on Tuesday evenings starting October 2nd at the Maple Valley church and as of this writing had not started yet, but our expectations are great. If you know any person who needs to brush up on their square dancing, please send them our way.

The "No Experience Necessary Dance" event at Meridian Grange on September 28th put on by CPSC and Dave Harry was well attended and we all had a great time. Over 8 squares on the floor and Dave kept them all moving to the beat of the music. No breaks and some of us older dancers got pretty tired, but had a great time.

Come dance with us any 2nd or 4th Saturday at Meridian Grange in Kent.

Terry & Marilyn Quinnett, mvjunkdealer@juno.com

Caller Dave Harry and his wife, Bonnie, ventured the bumper-to-bumper traffic driving from Lynnwood to Kent to Call a "No Experience Necessary" dance at Meridian Grange's first Friday Fun Fest on September 28th. Dave called non-stop from 7:00 to 9:30 teaching beginning square dance moves, as well as, some round dance and line dance steps to people anxious to learn square dancing. Central Puget Sound Council Clubs including Boots & Laces, Jet Steppers, Jacks and Jills, Pi-R Squares and Wagon Wheels hosted this fun evening with 8 squares including Angels on the dance floor. A fun evening was had by all.

Pi-R-Squares Dance Club
2nd & 4th Saturday
@ Meridian Grange 15422 SE 272nd St Kent, WA
7:30-10pm MAINSTREAM
Come early for our 7-7:30pm:
PLUS Dance—Sept 8th
ROUND Dance Teach—Sept 22nd
Caller: Andy Garboden
Cuer: Kyle Quande
CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEBSITE: WWW.PI-R-SQUARES.ORG

As the football season is now in full swing, mark your calendars for November and come join WAGON WHEELS for a TAIL GATE PARTY dance on November 3rd. Kickoff is at 7:30 pm with a Round Dance Workshop at 7:00 pm. There will be lots of good food and dancing, so score a touchdown and join us. Rob Sax will be calling and Lorraine Rouse, along with her husband, John, will be cueing rounds.

On November 17th, you will have a chance to score again at our "CHOOSE YOUR PRIZE SILENT AUCTION" dance. Get a head start on Christmas shopping and help support our Club. Our club members contribute some great items that can be described as clever, unique, useful, beautiful and well worth having! Lessons continue on Tuesday evenings - round dancing from 6:00 to 7:30 pm and square dancing from 7:30 to 9:00 pm.

The people make the party so we hope you will join us and add to the fun. November dances give you a chance to burn off a few extra calories so you can eat all the turkey and pumpkin pie you want on Thanksgiving. Speaking of which, we have much to be thankful for in our square and round dancing community. I look forward to squaring up with you soon. If you have any questions, feel free to call our new President, Layne Barnes at 425-413-2465 or check us out on Facebook.

Gerri Kraft, pinefox@comcast.net



MAPLE VALLEY PLUS

**4th Friday
PLUS DANCE
November 23, 2018
7-9pm
@ Cedar Grange**

22531 SE 218th St - Maple Valley

Hosted by:
Andy & Tricia
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Greetings from the **BUZZING BEES** and early Happy Thanksgiving. Well, the season is well underway. Our lessons are moving along nicely and we are planning to start plus lessons the first Sunday in November (11/4).

The lesson will start at 4 p.m. and will be followed by our mainstream lesson at 6 p.m. all are welcome and invited.

By the time you read this, we will have had our black light dance October 20th and I won't highly recommend you attend any black dances in white pants if you have not done so in the past. What a lot of fun!

A special dance is coming up on December 1st. We gather in donations to distribute at several facilities where low-income seniors reside. This ensures that everyone in the cities will receive a Christmas present. This will be our third year to do this. It brings tears to the eyes to see how happy the activity directors are when we walk through the door.

We are trying to do one visitation the month so maybe we will # See you in a square?.

Buzzin' Bees MS Square Dance Club

1st & 3rd Sat. at Hazel Dell Grange
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MOUNT BAKER COUNCIL

Area Reporter

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It's easy to tell that fall is in full swing in the **MT. BAKER COUNCIL** just by all the dance themes involving barns, harvest, Octoberfest, Halloween, football, veterans, and Thanksgiving. Lessons are available in many locations for both Mainstream and Plus levels. Even student level dances have started to appear. Some clubs are reporting large numbers of new students at their lessons as a result of new advertising approaches. Many clubs are collecting items for local food banks while others are already gearing up for Toys for Tots. Dances may be found celebrating anniversaries for clubs, couples, and long-time callers. And caravans are plentiful both among Council clubs as well as across the border to Canada.

This is an exciting time of year in our Council and you can read specific instances of all these things in the 12 club reports that follow.

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

RAINBOW SQUARES lessons are off to a great start with 14 new dancers being taught by Oren Gaskill. All the students are having fun, and the angels are very helpful and encouraging.

In November we will be collecting food for the local food bank at our "Honoring Our Heroes" dance on Nov. 10th, and new toys for "Toys for Tots" at our dance on November 24th. We celebrate Rainbow's 37th anniversary AND Brent's 30th year of calling for the Club on November 24th.

Lew Gaskill, olgaskill@comcast.net

FREEWHEELERS enjoyed our "Oktoberfest Dance" on Oct. 7th with Roger Spiese calling and Debbie Taylor cueing. Don Wood called our "Welcome to Fall" Plus dance with Debbie Taylor doing the cueing on the 21st. Apologies to all that our October report for Footnotes did not make it in. I was having some health issues and missed the deadline.

A big thank you to all of you who attended the Fall Council Dance! Brent, Debbie and Steve did an amazing job entertaining us for the afternoon. I hope you had as much fun dancing as we did hosting the event. We appreciate all of the hard work that our members contributed to the dance and give special thanks to Peggy & Mike Corning, Larry Mercer and Ron & Gailyn Ploeg for all of their help.

We hope to see you at our first dance in November on the 4th. 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. On November 18th we will

host a Thanksgiving Plus dance with Andy Garboden calling and Debbie Taylor cueing.

Our new dancer class that started in mid-September is moving along nicely with great teaching from Spyder Webb. We look forward to hosting a "New Dancer Level" dance on December 2nd.

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving one and all! The Freewheelers website is: <http://www.squaredanceSeattle.com>

Ruth Jester, ruthjester@frontier.com

The **DUDES & DOLLS** mainstream 1st dance class starting September 18th had 27 new students. All of our advertising efforts seem to be paying off.

Our "Football Jersey" theme dance on September 28th had 11+ squares, with a surprising 6 squares dancing the plus tip just before our break.

Thirteen Dudes & Dolls attended the Fall Council Dance at Skagit Valley Grange.

Coming up in November we have our "Salute to Veterans" dance on November 9. It is a level dance and experienced clothing sale.

We have an outgoing caravan to Fidalgo Fogcutters on November 16th with Kevin Thomaier calling.

November 23rd we have our "Black Friday after Thanksgiving Day" dance. Everyone is encouraged to wear black.

November 28th we have our General Meeting at Mariners Village Club House: potluck at 6:00pm, with the business meeting from 7:00 to 8:30pm.

November 30th is our 5th Friday dance. Steve Noseck will be doing his "Top 10 Count Down" for your listening and dancing pleasure.

Vicki Lieske, vbluec@hotmail.com

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

Our "Spooktacular" Halloween Plus dance with Adam Christman calling and cueing was held on October 27.

Our next dance will be a "Holiday" Plus student level dance with Susan Morris calling on December 22nd at the Juanita Community Club in Kirkland.

Please join us! Check us out at CascadeCrossfires.org

Cindy Selby, ericandcindys@comcast.net

The **STANWOOD SASHAYERS** started our new season with lessons in September. October brought our first dance on the 27th. Its theme was "Oktoberfest." November brings with it a caravan to the Happy Hoppers on the 11th. On the 24th we are hosting the "Seahawk Sashay." Wear your Seahawk blue and green. This is a level dance so bring all of your students for more time on the floor.

Lonny Graff, blgj@wwdb.org

The **WHIRLYBIRDS** had a great October! The "First Friday Fun Fest" level dance that was hosted on October 5th was an amazing success. We had Dave Harry's "Live Sound" for our mainstream dance on Friday October 13th! The theme was "Cats, Bats & Things Like That" with Plus at 7:30 pm and Mainstream and Rounds (with Caron Grasso cueing) from 8:00 - 10:30 pm.

November kicks off the holiday season. The "First Friday Fun Fest" level dance will be hosted on November 2nd from 7:30 - 10:00pm. Come strut your stuff at our mainstream dance with Dave Harry on November 10th. The November theme is "Scarecrow Strut!" with Plus at 7:30 pm and Mainstream and Rounds (with Roxanne Boelter cueing) from 8:00 - 10:30 pm. Come join us for one or both nights at the Hayloft.

Ken Boehme, kennethboehme@yahoo.com

SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS will be moving thru the fall with a Turkey give away at our November dance. We will also be collecting food for the Maltby food bank. One of our founding members, John Wood, was involved for many years with this food bank before his passing. Thus we gladly carry on the tradition annually of donating to this worthy cause in his honor. Remember, Gobble 'till you Wobble!

Tammy Comeau, Tcomeau05@msn.com

The **WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS** first "official" dance on September 21st at our new digs in Maltby was a great success! A good crowd and great calling and cueing and terrific food! We also received many favorable comments about the hall, which was very gratifying! The October Halloween dance on the 10th saw some fun costumes and a lot of food for donation. Our November 16th dance theme is "ugly sweater dance" with Jim Hattrick calling and cueing. We're looking forward to seeing all our square dance friends at Maltby Community Club located at 8711 206th St. SE, Snohomish 98296. We start at 7:30 PM with pre-rounds and mainstream at 8 PM. We'll also have a plus tip (or 2) during the mainstream portion of the evening.

Lynn Von Seggern, lynnvs@cablespeed.com

Our new dance schedule, with dances on the second and fourth Sunday each month, is going well with good attendance

so far. We dance Pre-Plus 6:00-6:30 and Mainstream with Rounds 6:30-9:00p.m. We are watching to see how many dancers stay to the end so we can decide if we need to adjust the dance times for next year.

We dance at the Stillaguamish Senior Center in Smokey Point.

A large group of **HAPPY HOPPERS** went to the Barn Dance in Winthrop in September. We had a great time, but returned home with the Old Boot again (2nd place award for club attendance).

On November 11th we will have our "Salute Our Veterans" Student Level dance with Kevin Thomaier and Lynn Peltola. We follow that with our "Share our Blessings" Mainstream dance on November 25th with Steve Edlund and Debbie Taylor. We are collecting canned food at both of these dances for a local food bank. See our ads in Footnotes Online for more details.

Our Mainstream lessons began Monday, October 1st at Totem Middle School in Marysville, with Dave Harry as our instructor. We had 51 students at our first lesson but we lost several since then as is typical. Angels from all Mount Baker clubs are welcome at no charge. We invite you to join us at our dances and lessons! Check us out at happyhoppers.org.

Eric Selby, ericandcindys@comcast.net

September is always such a month of anticipation and excitement for the **SAMENA SQUARES**. We had our first dance of the year with caller Stephen Cole and cuer Karen Neverdowski. The theme was "Barn Raising" and as usual the decorations were delightful thanks to Larry Long and his team of the week. As dancers entered the dance hall, there were saloon doors to push through and cowboy hats, wagon wheels, and more! Those who hadn't danced as much over the summer enjoyed seeing good friends once again and found out they still knew how to dance.

A yearly highlight for SAMENAS is the Winthrop Barn Dance. Over four squares of dancers headed across the mountains for this event. There are so many good reasons to attend. Of course there are the callers for the event: Ray Brendzy, Doug Davis, and Dan Preedy. The chemistry between them is delightful and they are all entertainers. Then there is the food from the weekend as we stopped for breakfast at Lee and Lorna Barnhart's, then Blueberry Hills in Manson. There were a few meals on our own throughout the weekend, but also a potluck that was quite a winner! A number of us hit up the Twisp Farmer's Market, and of course there was the street dance. We once again won the award of chocolate from Sherri's Sweet Shop in Winthrop because we had the most pre-registered members.

Lessons have begun too and we are averaging around three squares on the floor with a variety of couples and singles. Tonight we had six extra experienced dancers sitting out -- all ladies. To solve this problem, we made a ghost square and danced anyway. The level was something we could do and it was much more fun than just watching! It's a good reminder, however, of the importance of attending lessons.

You might be just the person they need to complete a square.

We have just one dance in November and that is with caller Steve Noseck on the 9th. It will be our "Donuts for Doughboys" dance in honor of our veterans. We hope that you can attend.

Barbara Hubert, hubertones@hotmail.com

The SKAGIT SQUARES are off to a great dancing season with their first two dances--a "Tuscan Harvest" potluck in September and a fall "Hobo" dance in October. Guests are invited to their annual Thanksgiving potluck on November 17 at the Mt Vernon Sr. Center for a delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Guests should bring a salad or dessert, with dinner at 6:30, rounds at 7:30, mainstream from 8-10 pm with John Corrigan calling, Caron Grasso cueing.

Lessons continue on Tuesday nights at the Senior Center with Dave Harry instructing from 7-9 pm. Always a great way to start the year, introducing new people to the great activity of square dancing!

On Sunday, October 21st, our Club caller, John Corrigan, celebrated 30 years as a caller in Canada, with a dance at the

Pitt Meadows Senior Center from 1-3:30 pm. A group of Skagit Squares caravanned up to enjoy a great afternoon of rounds and squares. Congratulations, John!

We look forward to greeting new dancers this year--see you in a square soon!!!!

Barb McDugle, bmcdugle@frontier.com

The FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS held their annual Prawn Dinner/dance in October with Brent Mawdsley calling and Caron Grasso cueing. Lots of Canadian dancers came down across the border to help us celebrate. We also continued to hold our weekly Plus lessons with Gary Monday teaching four squares on the floor. We caravanned to the Fern Bluff Squares and took two impromptu caravans up to Canada.

On November 19 we will celebrate our 38th anniversary by hosting a Mainstream- accessible dance in which 2/3 of all tips will be Mainstream and 1/3 Plus. Kevin Thomaier will be the guest caller and Bob & Linda Berka will cue. We're expecting seven clubs to caravan in for a really big dance. We'll also caravan to the Whirlybirds.

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

Happy Hoppers
 Stillaguamish Senior Center
 18308 Smokey Pt. Blvd. (I-5 Exit 206)
 Arlington, WA 98223
 Plus Dancing: 6 - 6:30 pm
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Salute Our Veterans
 Student Level Dance

Nov. 17
 Sunday

Canned Food Drive

Lynn Peltola
 Cuer

Kevin Thomaier
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Appetizer Potluck

Mainstream



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Share Our Blessings

Nov. 25
 Sunday

Canned Food Drive

Debbie Taylor
 Cuer

Steve Edlund
 Caller

Appetizer Potluck

Mainstream



Sat. Nov. 10

Fern Bluff Squares
 Lake Stevens, WA

Wood Floor

Turkey Lurkey
 Student Level Dance

Chance to Win a Turkey

Ray Gallagher
 Caller

Linda Nold
 Cuer

South Lake Stevens Grange
 2109 103rd Ave. SE
 Lake Stevens, WA
 Rounds: 7:30 - 8 pm
 Mainstream: 8 - 10:30 pm
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Guest Caller:
Steve Noseck
Guest Cuer:
Karen Neverdowski



Donuts for Doughboys Dance November 8th



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Guest Caller:
Steve Noseck
Guest Cuer:
Karen Neverdowski



Donuts for Doughboys Dance November 9th



Plus Dance
With One Higher Level
Round Dance
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Mainstream
Dance 8-10pm
No Dance on Nov 23
Hearing Enhancement
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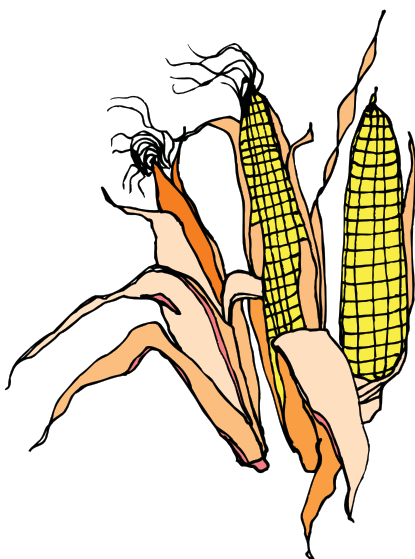
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DATES SET FOR 2019 ALZHEIMER'S DANCE



My wife and I decided we wanted to add a little fun to our life so we decided to try square dance lessons.

We enrolled in lessons with the Sky Valley Whirlwinds, a club that dances in Mill Creek, Washington. It only took a few lessons and we were hooked. I loved everything about square dancing- the music, the callers, the comradery of the dancers and the pure joy of dancing. We received our graduation certificate in May of 2006, joined the Whirlwinds and attended every dance we could fit into our schedule.

The joy of dancing, however, was offset by other things I had on my mind. My brother, Marty Bahr, had been diagnosed with Early Onset Alzheimer's Disease at age 50. Marty was an executive with a major insurance company and was forced to leave his position as the Alzheimer's symptoms began to manifest. Marty and his wife moved to Chicago to seek treatment from Rush University Alzheimer's Disease Center (RADC). He spent his final 6 years there receiving excellent treatment.

I felt helpless. I knew I couldn't save my brother, but maybe there was something I could do to help others who faced the deadly Alzheimer's diagnosis. Knowing the generous hearts of my fellow dance club members, I approached the Sky Valley Whirlwinds and asked if they would be willing to put on a benefit dance with all proceeds going toward Alzheimer's research. The club unanimously passed on the motion to have the dance and plans were set in motion. Callers volunteered to call for free and club members covered all the dance duties. The first Alzheimer's dance was held in 2008 and much to the

club's delight, raised \$4002, all sent directly for research. The following year's dance did not disappoint, bringing in \$7414. The momentum for finding a cure continues.

In the last 10 years we have raised almost \$60,000 that has been sent to the research departments of Rush University and The University of Washington. A website has been set up (www.rembertodance.org) so that dancers may donate to the cause online and keep up with recent news from the research department at the University of Washington.

In 2018, we were able to branch out and as a result dances were held in Kirkland, Olympia and Spokane. My passion for this cause is so great, I asked myself, "Why stop here? I have contacted clubs in Oregon, Canada and Australia seeking their help to make these benefit dances go global. When I retire in a few years I plan to travel the country visiting square dance clubs and encouraging them to follow our example and take one day out of their busy schedule to raise money for a cure.

I can't bring my brother back, but I hope to see this disease eradicated so that others won't lose their brother. My vision is to see square dancers worldwide working to wipe out Alzheimer's and having fun at the same time. I beseech you as callers to let it begin with you. One dance a year can make such a difference.

Respectfully, Joe Bahr



2019 ALZHEIMER'S DANCE

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DANCING SHADOWS / Rounds / Phases 3, 4, 5 / 1st & 3rd Sundays - 12:30, 2:15, 4 PM		
Juanita Community Club, Kirkland	Debbie Taylor	206 362-3734
DUDES AND DOLLS / Mainstream / 2nd, 4th, some 5th Friday - 7:00-10:30 PM		
Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood	Scott Coon/Debbie Taylor	425 337-2906
FERN BLUFF SQUARES / Mainstream / Family, 2nd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM		
South Lake Stevens Grange, Lake Stevens	Ray Gallagher/Linda Nold	425 981-6202
FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS / Plus / 3rd Friday - 7:00-10:00 PM		
Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley	Guest Callers/Bob Berka	360 766-6729
FREEWHEELERS / Mainstream / 1st & 3rd and some 5th Sundays - 7:00-10:00 PM		
Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood	Roger Spiese/Debbie Taylor	206 367-9219
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Stillaguamish Senior Center, Arlington	Guest Callers/Guest Cuers	425 334-4374
HAPPY ROUNDERS / Rounds, Phase 3 & 4, Tuesday - 7:30-9:30 PM		
The Hayloft, Lynnwood	Randy Preskitt	206 365-8095
MT. BAKER SINGLES / Mainstream, 2nd Friday - 8:00-10:30 PM		
Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro Woolley	Dave Harry/Guest Cuers	360 391-5620
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RAINBOW SQUARES / Mainstream, 2nd & 4th Saturday - 7:00-9:30 PM		
Ten Mile Grange, Lynden	Brent Mawdsley	360 220-4340
SAMENA SQUARES / Mainstream, 2nd & 4th Friday - 7:30-10:00 PM		
Juanita Community Club, Kirkland	Guest Callers/Cuers	206 271-0654
SKAGIT SQUARES / Mainstream, 3rd Saturday - 7:30-10:00 PM		
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WHIRLYBIRDS / Mainstream, 1st Friday (Floor Level) & 2nd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM		
The Hayloft, Lynnwood	Dave Harry/Roxanne Boelter	425 347-3847
WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS / Mainstream, 3rd Saturday - 7:30-10:00 PM		
Maltby Community Center, Maltby	Guest Callers/Karen Neverdowski	425 485-3842

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The **WHEATLAND WHIRLERS** are trying something new this year. We are having round dance lessons through Ephrata Park and Recreation department. Registration is done by them. It will be in the ERC building starting Sept. 19 at 7:30pm Noelle Miller and Marilyn Holman will be teaching. Lessons will be every Wednesday until Dec. 19. Lessons will be waltz and two steps.

November 10th is North Central Council Dance with Adam Christman and Bill Holm. The Theme is "Red, White & Blue" with veterans getting in for \$2 less than the single price. We will have a "silent auction" at this dance.

December 8th is our pre-Christmas dance with Nathaniel (Bubba) Peake, calling and Noelle Miller cueing

January 12th is our "FOOD, FUN & FELLOWSHIP" NIGHT WITH SOUP SUPPER AND GAMES BEING THE THEME OF THE NIGHT. All events take place at the Ephrata Senior center, 124 "C" NW.

Judy Schock

The **4X8s** have been busy with lessons being facilitated by Cee Cee Huber and a CD program. She is doing an excellent job with it and we have 17 new students. One of the students just turned 101. That's right, I said 101. He used to dance and decided to do it again. He is doing very well. President Jack Roberts is busy finding callers for our 2018-19 schedule, but has most filled now.

We had our semi-annual Hwy 17 clean up, and are doing the Rest area the first weekend of Oct. This is our fund raiser for the year. We always enjoy the people we meet and are grateful that they appreciate the coffee and homemade cookies enough to leave a donation

Our 67 Anniversary will be in March and the theme is Roaring 20's so get your costumes ready for a great dance with Kevin Thomaier calling and Bill Holm cueing.

Patti Roberts

With flowers, Balloons and a cake **CASCADE TWIRLERS** honored our long time cuer, Marilyn Holman. When we say longtime we mean since 1978... that's 40 years! Thank you to those that attended representing 5 clubs in the councils as well as Margaret Kiser the state federation President.

Our next dance will be to caravan to 4X8's, our annual exchange get together.

November 3rd will be a joint dance with the Buds and Blossoms with Jim Compton calling and Noelle Miller cueing.

On November 17th bring a box of cereal and enjoy the calling of Jess Thomas and cueing by Fred Ziemer. The collection of cereal will be donated to the food bank.

Come in out of the cold on Dec. 1st and dance to the music of Jim Compton and Tina Allaway.

It will be a Holly Jolly Christmas in the East Wenatchee Grange on December 15th at 7:30pm when the holiday trio of Marilyn Holman, Don Jackson and Randy Ogle bring joy to the dance floor. For Fun bring a tree ornament to exchange with your fellow square dancers.

Sheila Ogle



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SQUARE DANCING IS FOR ALL AGES

MOSES LAKE — Gene Harwood said he is looking forward to the next reunion at his alma mater. He might not have been the oldest at the St. John all-school reunion last time, but this time might be different. Harwood celebrated his 101st birthday last week.



He's been a farmer his entire working life, starting with the days he helped his dad on the family place near St. John. "We farmed with mules when I was a kid," Harwood remembered. And in the 1920s plenty of farmers still used real horsepower to get the harvested grain to the elevator. "My dad and I each had an iron-wheeled wagon we hauled the wheat into town with."

The town of St. John had its own high school then, and Harwood graduated in 1936. That was a bad time to graduate, it being the middle of the Depression, and jobs were hard to find. Harwood opted to work on the family farm in the summer, where he earned enough money to attend school at Oregon State Agricultural College (now Oregon State University) in the fall and winter. Along with his work in the fields he kept chickens. "Not a lot – it was 300 (chickens), or something like that."

A young man could get through a year of college on a summer's earnings if he was careful, Harwood said. "We could go to college in those days for \$600."

He graduated from OSU with a degree in agriculture, and went back to the farm in St. John to work. The

Harwood family built a mill to produce flour, and running the mill was considered essential war work, so Gene Harwood worked the mill through most of World War II. He was scheduled for induction into the armed forces in 1945. "I went in and took my physical the day they dropped the bomb," he said. That was Aug. 6, 1945.

The family closed the mill at the end of the war, and found an interesting new opportunity in central Washington, where the Columbia Basin irrigation project was opening up new farmlands. The Harwoods bought property in 1946, and Harwood moved to Moses Lake in 1950.

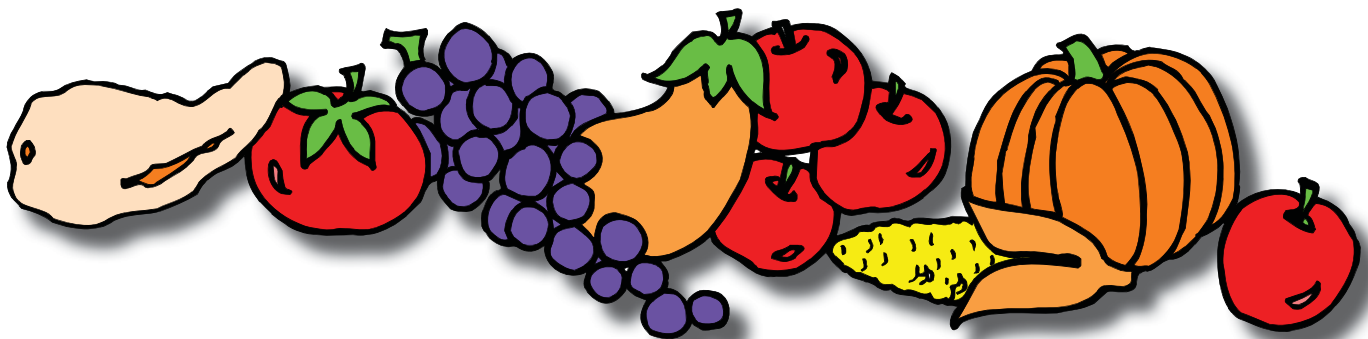
He worked his farm until his retirement in 1983, with his wife Alice and daughters Debbie Robel and Jan Timm. Jan's husband Al and a son-in-law now run the farm, she said. The original Harwood homestead in St. John is still owned and operated by the family.

After he retired, Harwood built a house on Moses Lake. "It was a cow pasture when I built this house," he said. Gene and his wife spent a few years traveling around the country after he retired, and were enthusiastic square dancers. Alice passed away four years ago.

Harwood is still a square dancer, although he said he's slowed down. He still mows the lawn, Jan Timm said, and drives himself to lunch at the senior center on weekdays.

The secret to a long life, he said, is "no smoking and no booze." But he comes from a long-lived family, Jan Timm said – his grandmother lived to be 98 years of age, his mom 96. He's the oldest kid in the family, and has a brother and sister still living.

*From the Columbia Basin Herald.
By Cheryl Schweizer*



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

or sqdnrc@nwi.net

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2nd Friday; 1st & 3rd Saturday

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1st & 3rd Saturday

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Moses Lake 4x8's – Mainstream

1st & 3rd Saturday

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

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Every Wednesday

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NORTH OLYMPIC COUNCIL

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We would like to thank everyone who helped plan and worked on Spike Reid's McNutt Award Recognition Dance held on October 13th at the Kitsap Square Dance Center. The hall was full of fun, laughter and story telling. Spike Reid was our caller/cuer for over 35 years so he holds a special place in our hearts. Listening and talking to other dancers and callers, Spike seems to have shared his love of dance with many people. How lucky we all were to have had Spike in our 'dance' lives. Congratulations and 'Thank You' Spike from the bottom of our hearts. Keep on dancing'!!!

As far as the Rhody O's November dances go, we will be dancing on Friday November 2nd and 16th at the Gardiner Community Center. Pre-rounds with Janolyn Keller at 6:00, Mainstream workshop at 7:00 with Thell Rooney and dancing from 7:30-9:30pm.

Our student lessons are still held every Tuesday - Rounds at 6:30 with Janolyn and Mainstream lessons at 7:30 with Thell. Come join us for an evening of fun.

Trish Gaine, fasolard@olypen.com



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PENINSULA COUNCIL

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POULSBO PROMENADERS finally were able to have their summer picnic and enjoyed seeing Fran and Norm Shelton.

Poulsbo Promenaders along with 4 Plus 4 and Rhody O's had the pleasure of sponsoring The McNutt Award Recognition Dance on Saturday, October 13th in honor of Spike and Betty Reid.

Steve Nosek called a great dance and Randy (Rose) Wulf cued great rounds for the round dancers.

What a grand site it was to see 118 dancers in the hall to honor Spike for all that he has done. He will continue to coach/guide callers and cuers and those that are just coming into the profession of calling and cueing.

As Steve Nosek put it: "For nearly 7 decades this Caller/Cuer has spent time on the stage. The Peninsula and North Olympic area was his home for Square Dancing. VIPS from State/Councils/Callers/Cuers on hand to say "Thank You, Spike and Betty". A wonderful tribute and I can say it was a class act. They will be missed."

Kitty Ogg - oggkitty@aol.com

SQUARE STEPPERS October 13th dance was replaced by the Spike Reid McNutt Award Recognition Dance held that evening. There was MS, Plus and Round dancing. It was hosted by the Poulsbo Promenaders, Rhody O's and 4Plus4's. Spike Reid was honored for his years of service to Square Dancing. Steve Noseck called and Randy Wulf cued. Great dance.

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




KSDC, Gorst, WA
 6800 West Belfair Valley Road

Square Steppers November dance will be on the 10th and Gunter Monroe will be our caller.

Square Steppers is a plus club that dances on the second Saturday of each month from 7:30 to 10 PM. No rounds between tips.

We use a variety of callers so you can be challenged with dancing to a different caller most months. Lots of fun. All plus dancers are welcome.

Barb Pennington, bardeldry@gmail.com

GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS wish everyone a safe and Happy Halloween. Come and dance with us on the 3rd of November to help work off what your children did not like. Waste not want not. HA HA!

We had a great time on 15 September at our Indian Summer Dance. Larry Small Cued and Called for us.

Several members of our club helped to support Paws and Taws at their "Monster Mash" Fund Raiser Dance which was very well attended - 6 squares on the floor most of the time. Steve Noseck called a great dance. He work shopped a "Hash Tag" tip with three sets of sixteen people - interesting formation.

Good job to those who decorated the hall and to those who came in costumes. The whole evening was awesome.

Thank you to all who brought food to our First Annual Food Drive Dance on October 6th. Sixty-three pounds were donated to a local food bank. Great dance with three squares on the floor. Larry Small Called and Cued, with guest caller Ed Evans and guest Cuer Dan (Rose) Saikkonen sharing the mike.

Mary McGannon - mekm3591@msn.com

The **PAWS AND TAWS** Monster Dance went off great with a potluck dinner. Then raffle tickets were sold and square dancing was available for everyone. Everyone was entertained with music by Enzo and later Roger Spiese with his back up crew sang a great song. Not sure about the back crew.

Mainstream class is moving right along. Enjoy all the fall dances!



Costumes were wonderful and lots of fun was had by all.

ROUND SQUARES: it is that time of year again; the sun is setting early and the Square Dance Season is in full swing. November is a great month to reestablish and strengthen friendships as well as be thankful for the Square Dance Community we are a part of and the numerous opportunities that are available to dance. I have found that if I am having a particular difficult day at work or there are other stresses happening, going to the dance hall to help angel a class or join one of the other clubs for their dance helps to relieve the stress and I am smiling so much it can turn around the day and even improve my entire week! Please come out and join us, the Round Squares Dance Club dances at the Kitsap Dance Center on the fourth Friday of each month and is helping support the Council's basic lessons on Wednesday and Sunday. Please come join us for an evening of fun and fellowship as we look forward to seeing you on the dance floor.

Jennifer Rooney – jenniroo@gmail.com

SWEETHEART ROUNDS inaugural dance was a great success. We had 30 dancers in attendance with some in costume. Everybody had a great time. We are very excited as we begin to plan our next Sweetheart Rounds dance that will be on November 9th at the Kitsap Dance Center. Lessons



continue to go well too as Shawn and Wendy are teaching Waltz Phase 2 and Phase 3. We are very excited about the future of Round Dancing in our area.

Shawn and Wendy – shawn@rounddancing.org

KITSAP SQUARE DANCE ASSOCIATION has been busy taking care of the hall for all the dancers to enjoy. We have a new porch which is being painted during the good weather, they have shimmed the hall floors, cedar limbs that were cut down are to be chipped and used under the logs in the parking lot, and new front doors are in the planning stage. Come dance with us.

Kitty Ogg – oggkitty@aol.com

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

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

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RAINIER COUNCIL has a lot on its “plate” this dance season! Plans to hold a “pre” New Year’s Eve (Raise the Ball) dance came together quickly in the last few weeks. We’ve secured the hall (Collins Grange in Tacoma), the callers (Christian and Caleb Hatch), and the cuer (Kyle Quande) for Saturday, December 29th from 7:30pm (for pre-rounds) until 10pm for Mainstream (w/single rounds) dancing.

The monthly Big Dance initiative (where each of our clubs takes a turn at hosting a dance) is going strong (November, though, is a “dark” month this year on the Big Dance schedule).

Along with our neighboring councils (CPS, Peninsula, and Sou’Wester), plans are coming together for the 3rd Annual Multi-Council dance (Lollapalooza). It is scheduled for March 30, 2019 at the KSDA dance hall in Bremerton. Ray Brendzy will call the dance, and Roxanne Bolter will cue. More details to come.

Of course we cannot forget the biggest item on the “menu” for Rainier Council this season is hosting the Rainier Rendezvous 2019 WA State Festival in June. Look for ads here in Footnotes for details. [And don’t forget to register early... see the “Did You Know...?” article in this issue].

We’ve added a Rainier Council Facebook page in addition to our Rainier Council Facebook “group” and the Rainier Rendezvous Facebook page. Please Like & Share!!

Lane Johnston, lanej@chessmenkastle.com

ROAMIN’ TACOMANS want to wish everyone a happy Thanksgiving. This is the month that we take time to remember all the things for which we are thankful. The Roamin Tacomans are thankful for our wonderful caller/cuer and all our dancing friends. This month we are only having one dance...it is scheduled for Saturday, November 24. It is our Giving Thanks Plus dance. Bring a Thanksgiving leftover to share if you’d like (and we’ll have another feast). Pre-rounds are at 7:30 and the Plus dance is from 8 to 10 pm. Tom Tomlinson is our caller/cuer and our hall is at 1705 Willow St. In Sumner.

Plus lessons are continuing on Sundays from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. at San Souci Mobile Home park, 11209 127th St. E., Puyallup, WA. (our regular hall at the VFW in Sumner is not available on Sundays). We have a great class and invite anyone who dances Plus to come and dance with us as an “angel”.

Roamin Tacomans have a Facebook page now--so please Like our page.

Sharon Herman, tonysharherm@yahoo.com

YOUNG BUNCH would like to thank everyone who came out to support the Trimble Youth Fund Dance! We appreciate every single one of you who support the youth in square dancing. The money you donate helps to send kids to the teen competition each year.

We’d like to bring up something as a gentle reminder. Most adults like this square dance custom, but there are some who are uncomfortable with it. Know what it is???--“Hugging”...yep, hugging. For many of us, it’s one of many reasons we like dancing with our friends. But for many or our youthful dancers, being hugged by adults can be a bit intimidating. The best rule of thumb is to ask. If a youth looks uncomfortable or says “no” it’s best to say “okay”, and not hug them.

We are super excited about the next few months of dancing. We love the holidays! Remember we aren’t dancing in November as we will be attending our annual Great Wolf Lodge event with our families. Then in December is our Gift Exchange Dance. Super excited for our December Dance.

Leslie Young, youngbunchsquaredance@gmail.com

SWINGNUTS dance every 3rd Saturday from October through May. The format includes a 7-7:30pm “pre”-Plus session, followed by Mainstream w/Rounds dancing from 8-9:30pm.

We dance at the VFW hall at 1705 Willow Street, Sumner WA 98390.

The 3rd Saturday dance in November (November 17th) is our Yankee Doodle Dandy dance. Come and dance with Tom Tomlinson Calling and Cueing.

Our beginners class began in early October with 23 students. Lessons are every Thursday starting at 7pm.

We are looking forward to December too. We’ll be hosting the monthly Big Dance on December 15th, and attending the pre-New Year’s Rainier Council dance called Raise the Ball, on Saturday December 29th.

We welcome everyone to come and dance with us.

Gail Johnston, gailj@chessmenkastle.com

The **SPINNERS** are doing well. And our new class is doing well also (we “lost” a few when they started paying but still o.k.). We caravan’d to the Bonney Lads in September...it was a fun dance. They are a great club, and always lots of fun. Our Spinners dance on Oct.4th welcomed a nice caravan from the Young Bunch. They came with their caller (Mark Sebree),

and we all had a great time dancing to our caller and cuer, Greg and Sue Weber.

We are heading to the Roamin Tacomans for the monthly Big Dance on Oct.13th. The Spinners next dance is November 2nd, where we'll honor our Veterans. We would like to thank all the folks that come and dance with us. It is always nice to have guests.

Dave Percy, skidave@comcast.net

Other Rainier Council clubs/organizations [but not submitting an article for this issue]include:

- BONNY LADS 'N' LASSIES
- SOUTH SOUND SQUARES
- EVERGREEN ROUNDS
- ROUSE-A-ROUNDS
- NORTHWEST CALLERS ASSOCIATION


South Sound Singles
 1st & 3rd Sat. Dark: 6/18/16 & 7/2/16
 Pre Rounds 7:30PM • Dance 8-10:30PM
Caller: Jess Thomas
Cuer: Guest Cuers
 Mainstream/Plus tip at end
 Info: 253-851-5773
 Collins Grange 3404 - 120th St. E., Tacoma

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




Swingnuts Square Dance Club (Sumner, WA)
 1705 Willow St., 98390
 (Sumner VFW Hall)
3rd Saturday Dances (Oct-May)*
 Mainstream w/ Rounds
 30 min. "Pre-Plus" before each dance.
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Roamin' Tacomans
 Sumner VFW Hall
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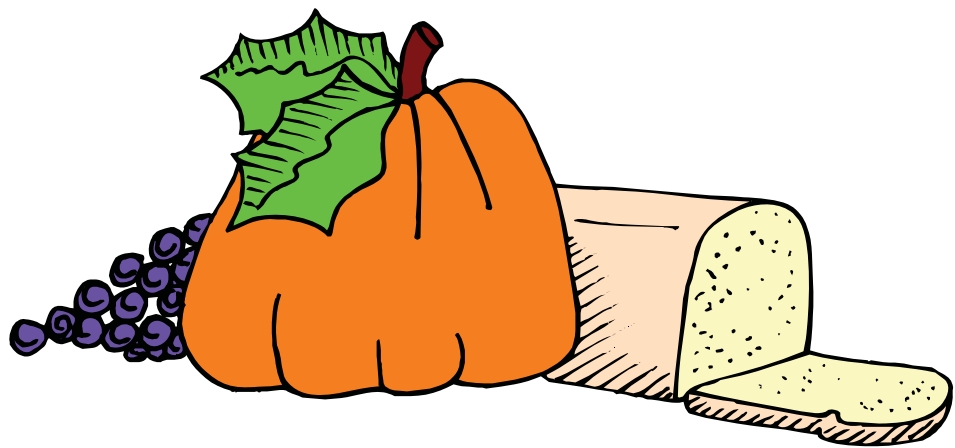
Saturday, November 24 — Giving Thanks
 7:30 pm to 8 pm pre-rounds,
 8 pm to 10 pm Plus dance
 contact: Sharon Herman 206-510-1984



Swingnuts Square Dance Club
 3rd Saturday "Themed" Dances
 Sumner VFW Hall
 1705 Willow St., Sumner WA 98390
 Open Grazing / Costumes Optional

Our Next Dance
"Yankee Doodle Dandy"
 November 17th
 7:00-7:30pm "pre-Plus"
 7:30-9:30 MS w/Rounds
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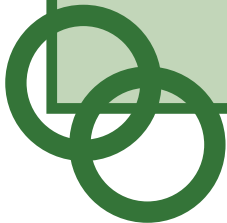
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Lu Simmons, President (Evergreen Rounds)
253-906-9949





Rainier Council Clubs

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(check Calendar link for latest info.)

MONDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

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

FRIDAY

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

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

SATURDAY

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

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

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

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

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

SUNDAY

3rd RAINIER CALLERS & CUERS
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SOU'WESTER COUNCIL

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SOU'WESTER COUNCIL clubs wish you a Happy Thanksgiving and hope that it will be filled with fun, food and family and friends. Be sure to keep dancing during this holiday season. It is a good way to work off some of the delicious food we will be eating. Also try to attend some of the special dances that clubs put on during the holiday season.

HARBOR HAYLOFTERS are getting ready for their Harvest dance on Nov. 17th.

Our Blackberry Dance in September was a great success with visitors from Prairie Steppers, R Square D, Square Ones. It was nice to see Gail and Annie there after Skips' death.

In September Les Kilwien had major back surgery, it will be a long recovery for him, 3-6 months but hopefully in the spring he will be back out. Guy Priest is back home after his heart attack and is now on dialysis.

October was our Anniversary Dance celebrating our 57th year. Some of our members attended the Oktoberfest the first weekend in October and some visited Prairie Steppers and others went down to Seaside Oregon for the Seaside Sashay.

Ann Kilwien, sqcamper@comcast.net

DO SI DOS feel November is definitely hinting at wintertime! We enjoy moving from one season to another, especially as we started off with a great 69th Anniversary dance in October. The black lights were great fun and something unique for our visitors from the Wagon Wheels and Jet Steppers, as well as other local Olympia club members!

November's Freedom Dance on the 10th honors the sacrifices and contributions of our military veterans and those currently serving. Guest caller Craig Abercrombie will lead us throughout the evening. We enjoy the change of pace that Craig brings us and welcome his calling expertise! Joyce Sebree will share her love of round dancing when she cues the round dancers in between tips.

We look forward to our December 8th It's a Goofy Christmas dance. The hall is decorated for the season and it really gets you 'in the mood' as we remember past holidays and the promise of upcoming holiday joy!

We dance the second Saturday of each month (except April which is traditionally dark to allow a special event for the weekend) unless otherwise noted. Pre-rounds start at 7:30 pm. Mainstream Tips follow at 8 pm and we have a Plus Tip toward the end of the evening, which ends about 10:30 pm. As OASDI sponsored lessons progress, we may call dances at the current lesson level (which will be noted on our dance flyers).

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

Katherine Deuel

A bee is a very small animal but is always busy. The same can be said about the **SALTY SASHAYERS**. We are a small club but always busy. We have danced and eaten strawberries, salmon, hamburgers and hot dogs. We picnicked at Lake Kokanee, danced in a barn, and plan to do a boat trip around Harstine Island in October. We traveled across the state to attend the State Festival and learned a lot from the Leadership seminar. We'll attend the State Meeting in Kennewick this weekend. The Salty's have also been busy preparing for our "Old Salt's Anniversary Dance". The Salty's have hung in there through thick and thin and this anniversary will be our 60th. We have contracted Greg and Sue Weber as our caller and cuer and have secured Lac-A-Do Hall for our dance. The Salty's have tried very hard to keep our dance in the Shelton, Mason County area, but that has not worked out for us. The Square Ones have graciously given up their dance that night so we could have the hall. We thank them for that. And since it is their regular dance night they can come to our dance and feel right at home. So we hope you all will come out in April and help us celebrate 60 years of dancing.

Bonnie Blewett, blew@hctc.com

Summer is officially over for the dancing calendar and **R SQUARE D** has had our first month of regular scheduled dances on 2nd Friday and 4th Saturday. Get out the skirts, fluff, matching shirts and string ties. Some believe that our "dress" is outdated, and if we want to attract new dancers to



R SQUARE D

Craig Abercrombie, Caller
Lonnie Sycks, Cuer

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

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

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www.r-square-d.info

“modern square dancing” we need to break away from our fluffy skirts and folk/country look. I’m a fairly new dancer and at the beginning was not interested in the “dress”. But then, a lovely 90-year-old lady began sharing clothes since she

would not be dancing. Now my closet (a completely separate closet) is full of petticoats, skirts and blouses...a lovely array of colorful attire. However, it might be well to consider wearing not so traditional attire when new dancers might be present. I’m not sure if it really makes much difference, but then how many new dancers are fortunate to have a 90-year-old friend. Thank you Joy Westervelt.

We are trying a compressed version of lessons that will have new dancers ready to dance at holiday dances. Please check our website www.r-square-d.info and recommend lessons to ALL you know. www.r-square-d.info has all the info about our Oktoberfest weekend, maybe a picture of you?

November 9 dance honors our Veterans and we invite them to come free of charge.

The Saturday after Thanksgiving we will be dancing off the calories and giving thanks for Craig who is just the caller to keep us moving.

R Square D dances at 106 NW 8th, Kelso/Longview WA. Our website www.r-square-d.info is a great way to keep track of our club and events or friend us on Facebook. Our caller is Craig Abercrombie and our cuer is Lonnie Sycks.

Annie Tietze, anniearnsdorf@hotmail.com

STARDUST DANCERS had a great Anniversary Dance on October 4th with lots of dancing, lots of cake and ice cream and lots of door prizes! If you didn’t attend you missed a festive evening.

Susan Healea kept everyone on the floor dancing the entire evening.

Stardust dances the first and third Thursdays of each month. In November we will dance on the 1st and 15th of the month. Dancing begins at 7:30 p.m. and goes until 9:30 with a variety of rhythms in phase II and III with a couple of phase IV dances too. At 9:30 Susan cues phase IV for anyone that wants to stay and dance. The dress is casual, but round dance attire is admired! We invite you to join us at the Catlin Grange, 205 Shawnee St. Kelso, WA 98626 the first and third Thursdays of each month.

STARDUST DANCERS

Round Dance Club

SUSAN HEALEA, Cuer

1st & 3rd Thursday 7:30 - 9:30 PM

Catlin Grange #199

205 Shawnee St., Kelso, Washington

We wish you a Happy Thanksgiving and hope there will be lots of dancing on your calendar during the holiday season.

Judy Wilson, donjudwilson22@gmail.com

RUFF AND RUFFLES seem to be socializing more than dancing. With the hot summer slowing down some of us, a

few members did attend Cougar Squares summer events and R square D. Several members have been having different types of

surgeries, mainly knee or shoulder repairs. Seems our ages are beginning to catch up with us!

In June we met in the home of Neil & Eileen Rosevear for potluck and socializing. July found us at the Moni Payer/Lavon Hirsch home. In August we traveled to Toledo to the home of Dalton and Paula Pfau to celebrate Dalton’s 80th Birthday, only to return there the next week for our social gathering. Fred and Peggy Rolf hosted the September potluck/meeting. Peggy is doing well after suffering a stroke this past spring and is now able to drive. We talked about the upcoming “Pie Dance” we will host November 17th at the Catlin Grange Hall and what kind of pies to make for the auction. Jim Raupp will be the caller and Susan Healea the cuer. (See flyer) All proceeds from this dance will go to a selected charity. I am pretty sure pie will probably be served at break. So come join us for pie eating AND don’t forget the pocket book to bid on one you can take home.

Happy Dancing.....

Betty Clifton, sqkats@q.com

COUGAR SQUARES invites you to our annual Thankful Christmas Dance to be held on December 1st. This is a great way to begin

the Christmas season with lots of Christmas music and dancing. Dinner begins at 6:30 p.m. and dancing follows.

Look for Cougar members for pre-sale tickets, \$10 per person for the dinner and Dance. Jim Raupp will be calling and Susan Healea will be cueing. The dance will be at Toledo Elementary School in the city of Toledo.

The Thankful Christmas Dance is a full evening of fun food and dancing. There will be a photographer to take pictures, dangles for your badge, dinner and both square and round dances to Christmas music. Make sure you do not miss out on this dance, December 1st.

Cougars have square dance lessons at two locations, Tuesdays in the Salkum fire hall and Thursday at Napavine

COUGAR SQUARES

1st Sat Sep-June

Plus 7:30 MS 8 - 10:30 PM

3rd Thurs Jul (7 PM) / 1st Thurs Aug (7 PM)

Sound Enhancement

Caller/Cuer - JIM RAUPP

St. Francis Rectory Hall/Spencer Rd.

off Jackson Hwy. Toledo, WA



Elementary School. Both locations begin at 7:00 p.m. Jim Raupp is the caller/teacher at both locations. Jim will also be teaching plus moves at both locations.

Cougars also sponsor round dance lessons on Sundays at Baw Faw Grange in Curtis, WA. Susan Healea is the cuer/teacher. This year she is doing continued Cha Cha and Rumba and beginning waltz. On the third Sunday of each month, September through December, there was been special round dances (floor time) beginning at 4:00 p.m. with phase IV, 4:30 to 5:00 phases III and IV and 5:00 to 6:00 phases II and III. All round dancers are invited to come and get some floor time.

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

The **PRAIRIE STEPPERS** hope you enjoyed our A Hauntin' We Will Go dance on October 13 hosted by

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

Gretchen Kunkel and Mary Niccoli. You are invited to our November dance to Honor Our Veterans to be hosted by Dick and Diane Russell. We plan to display photos of our vets. You can guess who they are.

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

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

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

We traveled to the Cougar Squares End of Summer dance on September 1. We planned to travel to R Square D in October and to the Flutterwheels third Saturday dance in November. A few Prairie Steppers traveled to the Harbor Haylofters Blackberry Dance on September 15 and to the Winthrop Barn Dance on September 21 and 22, always a great weekend of dancing.

The Prairie Steppers started Square Dance lessons with a free lesson on Tuesday, September 11 and are continuing lessons on Tuesdays from 7 to 9 PM at the Oakview Grange with our caller Don Wood instructing. Currently we have half a dozen new dancers. We hope they will graduate as Mainstream dancers just before Christmas and join our club.

We send our condolences to Gail Manes and family on the passing of long time square dancer Skip Manes on September 2. He was a retired Navy Seabee and was put to rest with military services at Tahoma National Cemetery in Kent on September 14. We were happy to see Gail and family at our September dance.

We will remember our vets on Veterans Day and wish all of you a very Happy Thanksgiving.

Dancing is one of the best ways to express joy.

Marion Freels





RUFF & RUFFLES

invites you to our

"Pie Dance"



November 17, 2018

Jim Raupp -- Caller
Susan Healea -- Cuer

Pre-rounds: 7:30 / 8-10:30: Mainstream

PIE AUCTION

all proceeds will go to the
Longview Community House

Catlin Grange
205 Shawnee St. / Kelso

Come Dance with Sou'Wester Council Clubs

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

MONDAY -

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

TUESDAY -

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

THURSDAY-

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

FRIDAY -

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

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

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

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

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

SATURDAY -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

4th **SQUARE ONE PLUS** Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:30
Gunter Monroe, caller; Guest cuers PLUS

SUNDAY -

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

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

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

<p>Lac-A-Do Hall..... 1721 46th Ave. NE, Olympia Catlin Grange 205 Shawnee St., Kelso St. Francis Parish Hall 139 Spencer Rd., Toledo</p>	<p>Kelso Senior Center..... 106 NW 8th Ave., Kelso American Legion Hall..... 112 W 1st St. Aberdeen Oakview Grange..... 2700 N. Pearl, Centralia</p>
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SPOKANE COUNCIL

Area Reporter
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COEURLY Q'S have begun a new dance season as fall appears. Lessons for Mainstream and Plus continue after the September 26th start. Our club members are back encouraging the 20 students for mainstream and sharing in the social time after class.

"Sports Night" on October 6th brought 6 squares out for our first dance. It was good dancing to Gary Baker's calling and Justine Litzko cueing. It was also a time for chatting with friends we hadn't seen during summer. The November 3rd dance is "A Time For Giving" and will give us an opportunity to help others in the community through donations of nonperishable food items. Dan Preedy will call for the dance and we will have one of our new cuers, Priscilla Higdon, keeping the rounds going.

SPECIAL CALLER FOR DECEMBER 1ST "CHRISTMAS TRADITIONS" DANCE.

We'll be welcoming Craig Abercrombie to share the calling with Adam Christman. Justine Litzko will cue the rounds. Dancing to Christmas Songs makes for a festive time.

Please join us at the Harding Family Center (1st Saturday of each month) 411 N. 15th St. Coeur d'Alene

7:00pm - 8:00pm -- Plus and Rounds; 8:00pm -
10:00pm -- Mainstream and Rounds.

Hearing Enhancement available Finger Food Welcome

Donna Seil Reporter

In spite of so much going on Dancing Shadows had two squares (even for plus) at the September Western theme dance. Comfortable in jeans and boots we even had retired Annie Oakley and Bill Cody present. Our caller was Than Peake and cuer Carol Shopbell. For our October 19th dance we are serving Hobo Stew (everybody brings a can of food and it all gets dumped together) and French bread. Special caller is Jim Hattrick of Vancouver, WA and cuer our own Carol Shopbell.

Iris Pehan, Reporter

DIAMOND SQUARES' Monday night class for Basic Round dance lessons is not a big class but everybody is having fun. We had our Club General meeting on September 16. We traveled to NSDC and Ray Brendzy was the guest caller. We traveled to Wild Rose Ramblers on October 6 and their guest caller was Dee Dee Dougherty-Lottie. She is one of the callers on the Super Cruise to the Caribbean with the Square Dancers. Our October Dance is a HOBO Dance. Dancers bring a can of soup and everything is combined in one or

two pots that is enjoyed during break time. Our November Dance theme is "Honoring the Veterans." We will also honor David and Karen Reichardt who was named the McGregor award recipients at the 2018 Washington State Festival. Congratulations and many thanks for everything they do for Square Dancing. Have fun dancing and keep smiling. See you on the dance floor.

Nelly Christoffersen, Reporter

The **HEART BEATS CLOGGERS** had five Halloween performances for the old folks at Brookdale, Maplewood Gardens, Fairwinds, Manor Care and Pine Ridge.



Bobbie Cagle, Reporter

We are very happy to report that **HI-FLYERS** has nine new students this year. Eight of the nine came because of our new website. Two others showed up the first night, 9/12, because they asked FaceBook for something to do that night, and our webpage popped up. They did not return because they live closer to the Western Dance Center. We are also happy to say that we've had enough angels to have two squares for each lesson. However, we need more angels so that some can take breaks. We are sad to say that we must cancel our October dance. Adam will be out of town. However, Jim Hattrick will be calling for the Dancing Shadows, and we urge everyone to attend there. We look forward to seeing everyone on the dance floor.

Grant & Lelia Smith, Reporters

The **NORTH SPOKANE DANCE ASSOCIATION'S** dance floor has been beautifully revitalized! One of the big dances held since the renovation was the Wild Rose Ramblers' October dance with DeeDee Dougherty-Lottie calling and Genie Parrill cueing. DeeDee also held a fun line-dance that afternoon, at which many of Marge Austin's line dancers were in attendance (as well as a couple of other line dance prompters and some beginning dancers). Currently, appropriate rental charges are being discussed for the North Spokane Dance Center.

Judy Ottoson, Reporter

SPOKANE AREA COUNCIL dancers have been busy with the beginning of the dance season. They have supported several demo dances, intro dances and are busy angling lessons. Diamond Squares will be hosting a dance on Saturday, November 10th, 7:00pm-10:00pm at the Western

Dance Center to honor Dave & Karen Reichardt who received the Harry MacGregor award at this State Festival this year in Kennewick. If you are in the Spokane area, please come and support them for the work they have done in the square dance community.

Dwaine & Peggy Brown were honored by the Spokane square dancers with the Spokane Hall of Fame award this August at the annual Salmon Bar-B-Cue. Wild Rose Rambles will be hosting a dance in their honor on Saturday, November 3rd, 7:00pm-10:00pm at the North Spokane Dance Center. Brown's have done so much for the Spokane dance scene that we are excited to join them at their dance.

"Western Dance Association is hosting a special dance for Doug & Priscilla Davis who received the Almon F. Parker Inspirational Award on Friday, November 30th at 7:00pm-10:00pm at the Western Dance Center. Please join them to celebrate this award."

Joshua E. Strickler, Reporter

TWIN CITY TWIRLERS:

November dances:

November 3, 2018.
Pre-Rounds 7:30
pm, Mainstream 8
PM

Caller: Butch Suttey

November 17, 2018,

Pre-Rounds 7:30 pm, Mainstream 8 PM

Anniversary Dance / Bring your favorite pie!

Caller: Doug Davis, Cuer: Chloe Schmidt

TWIN CITY TWIRLERS
 1st & 3rd Sat: Oct 4, 2014 thru June 6, 2015
 Caller: Butch Suttey
 Curer: Lorraine Kennedy
 Rounds: 7:30pm - Squares: 8:00pm
(509) 758-3543 • <http://lcsq.info>
2130 5th Ave., Clarkston, WA

Alayne Swanson, Reporter

VALLEY CROSS TRAILERS have a great class of new dancers—they are enjoying every Thursday evening learning new calls. We missed two of our faithful angels for a couple of weeks as they were cruising in the Caribbean—Howard & Kathy Peake. Treasurer Tony had shoulder surgery and is recuperating. We traveled to Star Shooters Anniversary dance on Oct. 27 (plan to get a banner!!) and did get a banner at the Dee Dee Dougherty-Lottie Wild Rose Ramblers dance on Oct. 6. November 17 will be the 3rd Saturday dance with Carol Shopbell cueing Phase III & IV rounds at 7 and Than Peake calling Plus. November 23 is our 2nd annual Turkey Shoot dance with Doug Davis calling and Adam Christman cueing. Dancers will be able to dance off all that Thanksgiving eating. We celebrated our club's caller—Doug's 70th birthday with a wonderful gluten free cake made by Nicole. We wish our November birthdays—Howard and Bob—many more years of happy dancing!



We've had beautiful weather on this side of the Cascades and invite dancers to come and dance with us. We salute all our Veterans on Veterans Day and wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving!

Priscilla Davis, Reporter

The **WAG AROUNDS** dance club has resumed their dance season with two well attended dances last week. Next month we will host a phase II, III, and IV dance (all **ROUND DANCES!**) on Sunday, November 4th, 7-9 PM at the Western Dance Center in the Spokane Valley. This is cued by Nina Leisi, has several rhythms to enjoy, and she takes requests and cues to the level of the dancers. Then on Friday, November 9, we will host a dance at the North Spokane Dance Center on North Freya St. This will be a phase III, IV, and V dance cued by Jack DeChenne, 8-10:30 PM. This is also with a request list format, and all rhythms. There is plenty of room on the dance floor! Come in and dance with us!

Questions? Call for more information, Teresa 509-850-2106.

Teresa Dixon, Reporter

The current **WESTERN DANCE ASSOCIATION** board recently decided to change our dance colors from—red tops with white bottoms—to any style of outfit using black & gold. We officially wore them for the 1st time at the Salmon BBQ.



The next dance WDA will be hosting is November 30, with Craig Abercrombie, calling and cueing for our pleasure. The dance will be held at the Western Dance Center, 1901 N Sullivan Rd, in the beautiful Spokane Valley. It will be Plus with rounds at 7:00 pm, Mainstream with rounds at 8:00 pm.

We will be honoring Doug & Priscilla Davis, who where this years "Parker Award" recipients. The first Parker Award was presented to "Red" Henderson, from Spokane, in 1949. This is an award that is given at the state level.

According to the Parker Award the guidelines state: "The recipient of the "Award" has been cited for having done an outstanding job of teaching and promoting folk dancing as a wholesome recreation of young and old alike.

He is a member of the Folk Dance Federation of Washington and subscribes to its principles and the principles of folk dancing in general – that democracy and fair play are as important as having fun.

He taught both European (International) and American dances to children) or young people) as well as adults." We hope you all will come and help us celebrate Doug & Priscilla!

*See ya on the dance floor,
Bob & Becky Obernotle, Reporters*

WILD ROSE RAMBLERS will celebrate Spokane Area Council's 2018 Hall of Fame recipient dance on Saturday, November 3, 2018 at the North Spokane Dance Center. Dwaine & Peggy Brown received the award at the Salmon Barbeque in August. They have dedicated many years of love and joyful service to Wild Rose Ramblers and our square dance community! Caller, Rob Krum and cuer, Genie Parrill will provide fun dancing this season.



Judy Ottoson, Reporter

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Spokane Council Clubs Dance Schedules

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

For more information contact **Richard Snyder at 509-443-0126**