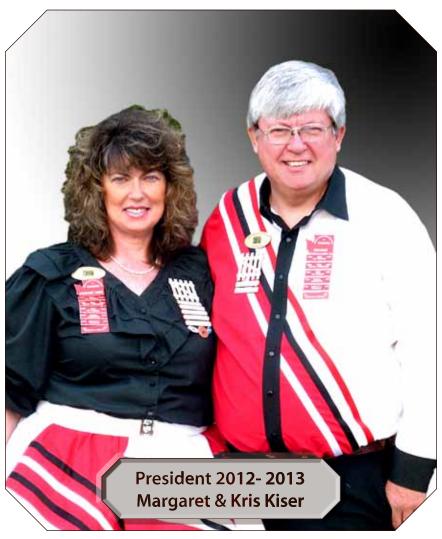


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# October 26 & 27, 2012

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# THE GAVEL

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First we want to THANK all who attended our honorary dance and dinner in September at the Yakima Square and Round Dance Hall, it was a special time for our family and long time friends. We have traveled all around the state and then some over the summer and now we find ourselves looking forward to fall and the winding up of our square and round dance activities around the state. Kris and I look forward to serving as your State Federation President Couple, we will work hard in promoting and bringing our activity into the forefront of the world we live in. We have all had many dancing and family experiences over the summer. We all worked so hard and "Got- r -Done" in Spokane, everybody worked well together and I was quite proud of our General Chairmen and Assistant General Chairmen in the planning and delivery of the 61st National Convention.

The Leadership Seminar was a huge success; everyone had a great time good dancing, wonderful keynote address. I hope everyone received a lot of great ideas for their fall dancing schedule and events they will be planning in the future. Thank you Steve Noseck for well received information many of us were quite impressed with moving into the 21st century with Twitter, Facebook, emails, etc., in using these avenues to promote our activity.

With our new season we are so proud to hear about all the clubs having new classes with good turnouts, we are blessed to have so many qualified teachers in our midst. We are so happy to see all the angels supporting these classes as well. Let us not forget what it was like when we were all new dancers, once upon a time! So as dancers let's all encourage our new dancers every chance we get. Kris and I are eagerly waiting to meet and see all our new and old friends on the dance floor.

All the councils should have had their Fall dance by now, we hope they were well attended and good dancing friendships were renewed, we had a fabulous time at North Central Council. They are always very gracious and friendly. This was a very special dance for them; this was a Thank You dance for all the dancers in their council. It was great dancing and great fun.

Last but not least, we would like to thank Tom and Fay Tomlinson and his board and all his Committees for a job well done; we appreciate all the wonderful volunteers in our activity. It takes all of us to get the job done.

President Couple, Margaret and Kris Kiser

# 45TH ANNUAL LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

**PUBLICITY & PROMOTION** 

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We want to thank Lew and Oren Gaskill for the great articles keeping us all informed about Leadership Seminar 2012 this past year. We look forward to our new position and hope we can do the job justice.

First, let us introduce ourselves. We are Cliff & Cathy Bruhn, and have been dancing for 9 years. We belong to 2 clubs in the Mount Baker Council, and have held several offices in club and a position on the Council. We had the pleasure last year of working as Directors of Youth Activities in the Youth Hall for the National Convention. Cliff and I are both honored to be asked to be on the Leadership Seminar Committee and are looking forward to an exciting 4 years of fun and education.



The 45th Annual Square Dance Leadership Seminar will be held at Circle 8 Ranch in Cle Elum, WA on July 12, 13, 14 2013. Circle 8 Ranch has great dance floor, lots of RV sites, extra A-Frames and a house on the property. In addition, there are plenty of reasonably priced hotel accommodations and restaurants in the Cle Elum area if you don't do the RV thing. Darlene Jolly will be the Chairman for the 2013 Leadership Seminar along with Joyce Sebree, as Vice Chairman/Secretary, Oren & Lew Gaskill as Registration/Treasurer, Mike & Terri Grater

as Facilities Chairman, and us as Publicity and Promotion. Ron & Pat Hoot will be our Wagon Masters, along with assistants Marbergs & Pochops.

We have new ideas for the seminar this year, some really interesting topics and Dee Dee Dougherty-Lottie in the lineup as our Keynote Speaker. Darlene Jolly will be looking for topics that interest dancers, so if you have any ideas, contact her. How about moderating or recording the discussions? Are you interested? If so, contact Darlene or anyone of the members of the Leadership Committee.

Make sure you mark your calendars for the event! We would love to have you attend! Registration forms will be available in each Footnotes issue and we encourage you to register early. This is going to be a great year to attend Leadership Seminar, don't miss the FUN! Stay tuned for more information!

Cathy & Cliff Bruhn

# FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

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What a beautiful end of Summer beginning of Fall we have enjoyed. The Labor Day weekend came early this year and collided with Footnotes' deadlines. Folks were busy with local area fairs and demos to kick off recruiting of new dancers. In September the state meeting competed with the Winthrop Barn dance for attendance. I hope all of your Council 5th Saturday dances were successful fund raisers. It is nice to see these special events well supported. Let's face it, when the weather gets bad I, and perhaps you, won't feel like venturing that far from our home clubs.

So, here we are, October 2012, most of the bounty from our summer gardens has been harvested and we have filled our freezers and pantries. We did not grow zucchini this year but were overloaded with tomatoes, cucumbers and plums. How many of you RVers travel with a few pots of veggies & herbs?

Reading the club reports I see that lessons are well underway in most all areas. Good work guys! I hope you have good angel turn out to be friend the new dancers. I was on the website checking out some of the council calendars. North Olympic Council among many others has a nice product.

This month we welcome Bill and Karen Holm to the Footnotes staff. Bill and Karen cue and teach Round Dance in Colorado, Washington and I'm sure guest cue in many other places too. Bill and Karen are the 2012-13 State Round Dance Coordinators.

Co-Editors Scott & Shirley Marriner will soon be back in Texas, he'll keep you posted as to his whereabouts. Please continue to send your electronic photos and ads to Scott, with a CC to me.

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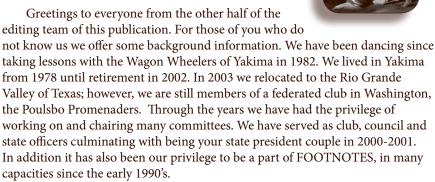
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Happy Halloween.

Maggie

# FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

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In 2009 the three of us became "full-timers", living in our RV. Home is now where we are parked. During the winter months we typically return to the same area in which we once owned a home in Weslaco, Texas. Spring summer and fall finds us on the road visiting some or all of our five children and ten grandchildren who are spread out between Dayton, Ohio and Seattle. When we're in Washington we try to do as many square dance activities as possible. Like many of you, we enjoyed working at the National Convention in Spokane this past June and followed that with a wonderful weekend at Circle 8 during Leadership Seminar.

The thing we like best is that we can continue our work with FOOTNOTES from virtually any place in the country thanks to Verizon Broadband and the internet. With this type of modern communications we are able to keep in contact with everyone through email and phone.

Many of you know that Scott has "worked on" pictures and ads for FOOTNOOTES for many years. With the resignation of Don and Patricia Wiggins, now Editor Emeritus, the FOOTNOTES committee asked us to team up as co-editors with our good friend and former editor (twice before), Margaret Miller. Although it is a joy and a privilege to do so, it is not a permanent "fix". The committee is actively looking for someone to step up and take over the helm of this organization. If you are reading this column perhaps you would consider volunteering your talents to such.

Scotty, Shirley & Jefferson

P.S. The photo, above, was taken at our stop at the Grand Canyon this summer.

# SOMEWHERE AROUND THE CORNER

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Hello everybody! This month I thought I'd tackle the subject of lessons, since most clubs will be starting theirs soon. Lessons are the life-blood of a successful square dance club. After all if your club isn't providing new dancer lessons the only way it can grow is to import dancers from other clubs. Successful lessons usually require the cooperation of two groups of people. The caller and the experienced dancer (sometimes referred to as angels). The caller's primary function is to teach new dancers, gently guiding them through the various intricacies of our activity. This is why I believe the caller or instructor should be the sole leader during class. He or she should determine be

length of class/teaching sessions and what should taught that evening. Explanations and definitions of dance moves should come directly from the instructor. All instruction responsibility should fall on him/her.

Because of this it is vitally important for the caller to be organized. He or she should follow a prepared lesson plan. Make learning fun and entertaining, while presenting a professional appearance. The caller should use their discretion as to the amount of assistance the angel dancer should provide. Experienced dancer please Think I'll fold You, And Put You Away All Neat. respect the position the instructor has, I'm certain that they respect role that you play. I think that "Angel" dancers' primary function transformed over the years.

tend to believe that they are shall we assistant instructors, but I feel they hold a important position. Angel dancers provide the and fellowship of our activity.

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Years ago my friends Bob and Claudia Amsbury gave me a they provide to their angel dancers titled "Is Your Halo On Straight" This is a wonderful idea! Communication prior to the start of lessons, between angel

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Submitted by Dave Boggs

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dancers and callers on what is expected during the classes will enhance the experience for the new dancers. It's my opinion that the caller can not be the only point of contact if the new dancer is going to make the transition from student to club member. This is where angels excel. Befriending and socializing with the new dancer is an extremely important method of ensuring club growth. Some clubs provide coffee and cookies during lesson breaks; some treat their lessons like a regular dance night (dressing the part and all). I've heard of ladies luncheons and men's golf games occurring. Experiment a little, see what works best for your situation, but remember during the lessons your focus should be on the teacher and dancing. Well that's it for this month.

See you around the corner!

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# ROUND OUT YOUR LIFE

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# FALL IS HERE

Karen and I want to thank Jill & Roger for the super job they did as our State Round Dance Chairman in selecting our State Rounds of the Month for the past two years. It'll be tough filing their shoes.

The summer was real busy what with the National Square Dance Festival in Spokane and the Annual Leadership Seminar at Circle 8 Ranch. Karen and I also had a busy summer. Not only did we attend the National Convention in Spokane where we learned a lot at the workshops and teaches but we also attended Roundalab which was also held in Spokane. Roundalab provided us with three and a half days of workshops and meetings where we learned a lot but still had fun. We could not attend the Leadership Seminar as we were in Colorado cueing and teaching.

By now everyone should be back in the swing of things with both dancing and round dance classes. Hopefully there will be many new students, as we always need the new students to keep our activity growing.

I hope the new Rounds of the Month selected this coming year will provide lots of enjoyable dancing for everyone. The selection team for this next year is a good mix of old and new faces. I want to thank them all for the hard work they do in selecting our new ROM each month.

The Round of the Month for October 2012 will be:

SONG OF MY LIFE by Tony Evans, his Orchestra and Singers Phase II Waltz

Record: STAR 227 available from Palomino Records

Choreographed by Yasuyo Watanabe Seq.: INTRO-A-B-C-A-B-C-END

# SONG OF MY LIFE

Rhythm: WZ Phase: II Seq.: INTRO-A-B-C-A-B-C-END

# **INTRO**

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# PART A

- 1-4 WZ AWY; WRAP; FWD WZ; PKUP SD CL;
- 5-8 PROG BOX;; FWD PT; BK PT;
- 9-12 2 L TRNS;; BAL L & R;;
- 13-16 TWRL/VIN; THRU TWINKL twice;; PKUP SD CL to SCAR;

# PART B

- 1-4 3 PROG TWINKLES to BJO;;; FWD PT;
- 5-8 3 BK PROG TWINKLES;;; BK PT;
- 9-12 TWNKL to BJO; MANUV; 2 RTRNS;;
- 13-16 LEFT TRNG BOX;;;;

# PART C

- 1-4 LACE ACROSS; FWD WZ; OP BOX;;
- 5-8 LACE BK; FWD TRN IN BK; BK WZ; BK FC CL;
- 9-12 DIP BK; REC TCH; DIP BK; REC SD CL to SCAR;
- 13-16 TWINKLE to BJO; FWD FC CL; CANTER twice;;

# **END**

1-5 DIP BK; REC TCH; TWIRL/VIN; THRU FC CL; APT PT;

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# Greetings!

Many clubs have started their new dance season so we will remind everyone of the rules and requirements for members and NEW members.

Remember, the state dues for each member are \$1.50 and the insurance dues are \$4.50, making a total due of \$6.00 per member. All clubs in the Federation, except two, have turned in the 2012-2013 membership lists along with the required \$6.00 for their existing members. A club adding new members during this dance year will need to send us the new person's name, address, and most importantly, their telephone number, along with a check for \$6.00 per member.

For those clubs giving lessons, you need to send us a list of your students' names, addresses, and telephone numbers. You do NOT need to send money for the students as long as they are taking lessons. Students are covered by our insurance while they are going through lessons. Upon graduation, the student is covered for 10 more days. At that time, the student must join a club and pay the \$6.00. If they do not join a club within the 10 day period, they will no longer be covered after lessons. A new graduate joining your club would be handled the same as any person joining the club, send us their name, address, and telephone number along with the required \$6.00 per member.

As mentioned above, we have received almost all of the clubs' individual membership renewals. We are going through them cross referencing the list in the data base to make sure all folks have paid correctly. That is, to make sure members have paid in one club only, but in fact have paid in one club. We have a few discrepancies and will be notifying clubs of the minor problems. We currently have 3,180 dues paying square dancers in the state with two clubs still missing.

Our new insurance policy runs from September 1, 2012 through August 31, 2013. There is a generic Certificate of Insurance with the new in-effect dates on the Web site. As a reminder, if you need a specific certificate, the form to request this certificate is also on the Web site. Complete it and send it to us and we will get you whatever you need.

Confucius say: Man who live in glass house should change clothes in basement.

Remember, we're always willing to help you with any concerns.

Take care, Richard and Barbara

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# WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE MOVE?

I was having a little trouble thinking of a topic for this month's article, so I decided to take some of my own advice. Whenever I had someone write an article for our teen club I said, "I don't care what you write about, tell them your favorite move or something!" They never did, I suppose they thought it was a dumb idea, so of course I'll take the challenge!

After observing a few rounds of youth lessons over the years, I believe the very first move youth fall in love with is the Grand Square. According to Callerlab, Grand Square is number 23 on the teaching order list, but I'm going to bet it makes the top 10 in youth lessons. I think Grand Square is the perfect confidence booster youth dancers need, at just the right point in their lessons. They have probably just finished all the "easy" moves they have seen in gym class, and are ready for a long move that involves counting, turning, and doing most of it on your own!

While thinking more about this topic, it has become apparent to me that there is a lot that goes into the order in which moves are taught. If you stay too easy or slow you lose their attention, and if you teach too much too fast, or use too many difficult moves youth can get discouraged! I'm sure this is also true for adults, but I have a feeling there should be a different order of moves taught based on the age of the class. Wouldn't it be fun to do some research on that!

I think my favorite move would have to be Trade the Wave. Whenever it's called I imagine how cool it looks from above if everyone has the same timing! It's a great precision move that could easily turn disastrous in a tight square or when done with those who take the 'right passing rule' as a suggestion instead of square dance law. It makes me wonder if you can interpret someone's personality traits based on their favorite square dance move. Look out Freud, another fun thing to research!

Erin



# SEW TOGETHER

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# How to Use a Press Cloth

A press cloth is placed between the fashion fabric and iron to protect the fashion fabric and improve pressing. Different types of cloths are needed for different fabrics. When working with a press cloth remember to press not iron. Press means picking up and putting down the iron. Ironing is moving the iron back and forth. Running the iron back and forth over a press cloth can cause wrinkles. Pressers in the finest haute couture workrooms of Paris, London and New York use heavy irons, press cloths and billows of steam to press those runway creations.

Make several press cloths and keep them handy near the ironing board. They can pick up dye and lint from the project being pressed. Use a different cloth for each project and wash them frequently. A handy size is about 18 x 18 inches. Serge or zig zag around the edges. In one corner write "This Side Up" with a permanent marker.

Cottons & poly-cottons - Press with a piece of thick cotton muslin. The muslin will prevent the iron from scorching the fabric. Dip the press cloth in water and wring it out as hard as you can. Lay the cloth on the area and apply pressure with an up and down motion.

Wool - The best press cloth for a wool project is a piece of the same fabric. A wool press cloth between the iron and the fabric will prevent the iron from polishing the fabric and making it shiny. Wool will hold a lot of water, this will enable it to make a lot of steam. If you don't have a piece of what you are pressing use a cloth of white wool gabardine. This tightly woven fabric will not leave lint on the project.

Synthetics - Can be pressed more safely with a protective cloth of heavy tightly woven cotton muslin. The density will help spread the heat of the iron and so that you can press harder and get a crisper seam. The steam will be diffused as it passes though the cloth. Turn the iron down to keep from melting the project. Before pressing any synthetic, always test press a few scraps.

For fusing use two press cloths

of muslin. The bottom one should be about the size of the top of the ironing board. The top one should be about 18 by 22 inches. In one corner of each cloth write "This Side Up" with a permanent marker. Place the bottom press cloth on the ironing board. Lay the fashion fabric on the cloth, right side down. Press the fabric with a spray of water or lots of steam. This prepares the fabric for fusing. Lay the fusible interfacing on the fabric resin side down. Hold the iron about a half inch above the interfacing and steam it thoroughly. Steaming will cause the last bit of shrinkage in the interfacing. Dip the top press cloth in water and wring it out hard. Smooth it over the project.

Fusing interfacing requires four things: heat, steam, pressure and time. All of these factors work together to melt the resin and fuse the two pieces together. The general guide line is to set the iron temperature for the fabric. Use the damp press cloth as a temperature and timing guide. After 10 to 15 seconds the cloth should be dry. If it is not, hold the iron in place a few moments longer. This seems like a long time but it is necessary to get a permanent bond.

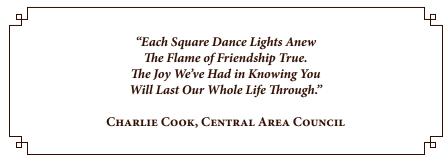
Start in the center of the area

and press down hard. Lift the iron and overlapping slightly press down again. Repeat until the area is fused. Then steam press the right side of the item using a clean press cloth. This takes a while but the interfacing will not separate in the first wash. After pressing, cooling time is required to set the resin. Allow the item to cool completely before taking the next step in the construction.

The purpose for the special press cloths for fusing is to catch any resin that bleeds through the fabric or the interfacing so that it doesn't gum up the iron or the board cover. That is why they are marked "This Side Up". Wash them frequently and throw them away if they get gunky.

It is easier to fuse before cutting. Place the chunk of fabric that you plan to cut the facing from on the ironing board. Cut a piece of interfacing smaller than the fabric, slightly larger than you need for the pattern piece. Fuse the interfacing to the fabric. Then cut out the pattern piece. Fuse once, cut once and the edges will be perfect.

Using a press cloth is one of those little things that can really improve the outcome of your creative endeavors. A little more time, a little more effort and the results are a lot more compliments.



# THE SOLO CORNER SALLY E. BUCKINGHAM

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# Another season is beginning of find a partner & do-si-do

We are all wondering if we will have enough men to fill the squares of the many wonderful single lady dancers anxiously waiting for "a partner". We may need to put on our thinking caps and put our great minds together. I have tried many different ways of finding a partner, phone calling, dancepartner.com, (Yes really) Want ads, grocery stores... standing in all sorts of lines and saying should I or should I not... Not... oh yes why not...

I have gone through all the pat answers: no rhythm, Left from Right what... and then of course the light comes on... I can dance, love square dancing, and really adore the callers... they have no stage fright... so why should we... Gentlemen; come on help us out... invite your single men friends. After all, quality time with our friends is just to die for. We do not bite, we just want to get on the floor and dance.

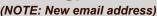
Ladies... how about a get down and party night out! Let's put our heads together and make a positive 2012-2013 square dance extravaganza! Any Takers! I'm in...

Sally "Not Shy" Buckingham



# **BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL**

**Margaret Miller Area Reporter** 509-522-2716 m2p2w2@yahoo.com





Congratulations and Great Job MUDDY FROGS!! Not only did we get our picture in the Walla Walla Union Bulletin for the Muddy Frogwater Festival parade in Milton-Freewater (featuring Anthony and Sophia) but we won a FIRST PLACE RIBBON for the Float Category!! How cool is that!! Everyone made the Saturday dinner and dance so much fun. In spite of the heat most of the dancers showed up to dance on Sunday morning in the park - some GREAT comments were overheard.

Frogs participation in the Walla Walla parade had to be cancelled. In August it was discovered that the floor on the parade float had become infested with yellow jackets. The men have a big job ahead of them to kill the pests and replace the floor. Hopefully we can find a garage to protect the float from the elements.

Ladies night out on September 15th took a van pool to Elgin, Oregon, to see "Fiddler on the Roof".

Frogs moved their Pirates dance from September 16th to the first Sunday in October. Frogs kicked off their new dancer season on September 16th with a potluck & intro to square dancing.

October 21st Frogs will be in the Pumpkin Patch for our Orange & Black dance.

See you in a square some time soon.

Margaret Miller

**FAMILY a-FAIR** Square & Round Dancers had a very busy summer. It doesn't seem possible that fall is here.

We had a good time dancing with the Muddy Frogs at the Muddy Frogwater Festival. There were ice cream sundaes after the dance. YUM!

Our Anniversary Dance on August 25th was a great time. We had dancers from the Muddy Frogs, Columbia River Squares and the Prairie Shufflers. Everyone had a great time and lots of good food.

We did two demos at the Walla Walla Fair & Frontier Days Labor Day weekend. Several people from the audience joined in the fun.

Several of our dancers went to the Wallowa Mountain Rendezvous at Wallowa Lake, Oregon. It is always a fun weekend with Bill & Neva Reid.

We were invited to dance on Main Street during the Pendleton Roundup. It was great to show the large crowds how much fun square dancing is.

Our mainstream lesson started on Friday, September 21st. We have almost a square of young people. Just what square dancing needs—more young people. They are the future of square dancing.

Our club went dark the 4th Saturday in September. We caravanned to Moxee to support Margaret & Kris Kiser—our new Washington State Federation President couple.

Like I said, what a busy summer! But we're not too busy to dance with other clubs in the area. We hope to see you in a square soon.

Glenda Beach, Gbeach97862@hotmail.com

The **MELODY MIXERS** dance every Tuesday evening at the Shufflers' Shanty in Kennewick. We started beginning lessons on Tuesday, September 25th. We began with the Two Step and the lessons are 6:30 till 8:00 pm. That same evening we started working on Jive with our Melody Mixer members. Those workshop times are 8:00 till 9:00 pm. We then finish the evening (9:00 till 9:30) with just dancing some of the members favorite dances.

The second Tuesday of each month is our Party Dance night when we leave our normal lesson format and just have a nice fun, relaxing dance night. Hope you can join us. For additional information contact us at 509-542-1310.

Bill & Karen Holm, bkholm@charter.net

October is a wonderful month-not too hot, not too cold, but the **PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS** have some hot dances going on. Does anyone like pie? Well if you do, the Dan Preedy-Bill Holm dance on October 6th is a must evening. Plus will be featured from 7-8 pm and mainstream from 8-10:30 pm. If you haven't danced to either of these two lately, you will be in for a big treat. Both are just excellent at their profession.

Although it will be a few days until Halloween, we decided to celebrate a bit early at our October 20th dance. Rob Krum will be calling and Bill Holm cueing for a black and orange evening. Masks are optional. Or come as you are, but be prepared for a fun time. It's will be a great month of dancing!

Ginger Vetrano, jbvetrano@frontier.com

**COLUMBIA RIVER SQUARES** started lessons in September; they are again at the First Lutheran Church on Hwy 395 and Yelm in Kennewick. Jim Swanson our Caller/Teacher is a lot of fun. Please come and join him on Monday nights at 6:30 pm. We are always in need of "Angels". Our group will not grow without new dancers. Now is the time to bring someone in and see if they are interested in our square dance activity. It is a good healthy low impact sport and a chance to meet lots of really nice people.

The second Wednesday night of each month we have a CRS board meeting. It is open to all members of the club and it's a good opportunity to express your ideas for our activities. The meeting in August was in the President Couples' (Roland and Susan Ward) back yard. It was a fun outdoor meeting with lots of good eats. Consult your CRS Newsletter for the time and place of the next meeting; or call Roland at (509) 947-8701.

It is cooler now and a great time to dance, come out and join us at the

Richland Community Center on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month. On October 13th our caller is Jim Swanson and our cuer is Lorna Hayden. On October 27th our caller is Rem Remington and our cuer will be Bill Holm. God Bless you all.

Willis Rappe, brappe@gmail.com

**TRI-CITIES CIRCULATORS** dance year round (if the summer temperature is less than 95 degrees). We were dark August 30 through the Labor Day weekend. September 6th we had a "Party Dance" and on 9/20 Plus lessons started. Circulators dance at the Shufflers Shanty in Kennewick every Thursday.

BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL and the 61st Annual Washington Square Dance Festival have been busy selling T-shirts, tote bags and earrings. Kay Mahan created wine/vineyard theme earrings and they are selling very well. Kay or her elves also have raffle tickets for a wine barrel bench that is most attractive. The cost of the t-shirts and the current income from their sales are equal. We will do well on these sales; the fun T-shirts invite you to a "Weekend in Wine Country"!

New registrations are trickling in, currently about 2 a week. If you Pre-Registered at the 60th Washington State Square & Folk Dance Festival, you need to update to the (real) regular Registration. The new form has information for you and the festival committee that is needed. That form should be on the state website before you read this.

Margaret Miller, m2p2w2@yahoo.com



# Blue Mountain Square Dance Council invites you to come and dance with them.

Columbia River Squares: Richland, Mainstream Plus & Rounds 2nd & 4th Saturday Sept to June, 509 947-8701

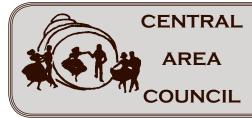
Family a-Fair: Walla Walla, mainstream, Plus & Rounds 1st & 4th Sat Year round, 509 539-2660

Melody Mixers: Kennewick Tuesdays year round Ph-2-3, 509 542-1310

Muddy Frogs: Milton-Freewater, OR Mainstream, Rounds Ph 2-3 Year round, 541 861-9055

Prairie Shufflers: Kennewick, Mainstream, Plus Rounds Ph 2-3, 509 628-0487

Tri-Cities Circulators: Kennewick, Plus and Intermediate Rounds year round, 509 582-8384



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**CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL** is proud of Margaret and Kris Kiser, new State Federation President couple. The State Meeting in September in Moxee was a smashing success and a great celebration. Margaret's family provided a free dinner and dance for everyone with Daron Tandberg calling and Bob Berka cueing.

Our 5th Saturday Dance on September 29th with Vern and Kathy Boggs was also a fun event.

New officers of the Council are Kay Mahan President, Russ Kruse Vice President, Carel Edgerly Secretary, and Peggy Rusho Treasurer.

Carel Edgerly, CAC Secretary, carele@cleelum.com

The **GATESWINGERS** want to extend our sincere thanks to everyone who attended our campout and dance at Circle 8 Ranch. You made it a big success! We were joined by the Wenatchee and Longview dancers along with many others from around the state. Orvin Logan and Tom Clymer did the calling. Jim Spence and Susan Healea did the cueing. In addition to dancing, there was eating and a lot of fooling around. Put us on your schedule for the second weekend of August next year.

NOTE: We have changed our dances to the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month. Dances: October 6th will be our regular dance and October 20th is our Halloween Dance. You could win a prize. Friday Phase II Round Dance will be on October 26th with our new Cuer, Cyndi Silicki. Set aside December 8th and check to be sure "Your Stockings are Hung" and attend Gateswingers' Anniversary Dance with Caller Scott Coon and Cuer Jim Spence. It includes 'Load the Pot', afternoon Plus Dance and Dinner. Call Bob and Ruth Hamilton @ 509-966-4356 for Dinner reservations or questions

Jan Logan, ojlogan@charter.net

The **BLUE AGATES** had a busy summer with regular workshops that Daron Tandberg called. We sponsored the Indian John Hill Rest Stop as a club project the weekend of August 17th-20th and danced at Leadership and other programs at Circle 8. We are a small club so this took lots of creative maneuvering!

Due to various conflicts, we will not be dancing in September or on October 12th; our first regular dance will be October 27th. Come join us for Halloween.

One club member was a first responder to the Taylor Bridge Fire in Cle

Elum that broke out August 13th. Another couple was evacuated from Hidden Valley for over a week. Other club members went over and above the call of duty to help out their neighbors and friends. Even though the fire is still not fully contained, we are all ready to get back to dancing.

Our Anniversary Dance is scheduled for Saturday, April 6, 2013, at the Swauk-Teanaway Grange where we dance. Call Michael Edgerly, our president, about dates for your club to caravan to Cle Elum. His phone is: (509) 961-1409 or email him at stickman@cleelum.com. We look forward to seeing you.

Sally Gililand, sallygililand@wildblue.net

The **SILHOUETTE DANCERS** really enjoyed September. It is a month to get started on new projects and enjoy meeting new people.

We are enjoying our new dancers' class. They seem to be having a great time as well as doing a great job of learning the Two Step. Of course, with Debbie and Paul teaching, it is fun!!

We are getting ready for our Dancing Elves Bazaar again. It is a lot of work but when the time comes to put it on, we have a wonderful time. The venders are just great and there is a lot of joking and visiting with them. We are working with the East Valley Community Bazaar which comprises of 11 entities and we are the first bazaar of the season. The people in charge have been working hard. We meet every month. We find it is very beneficial to work with this group. So if you are in the area on the 3rd week of October come visit us.

Have a wonderful October and a Happy Halloween.

Dorothy Crosslin, dotif55@live.com

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# **BLUE AGATE SQUARES**

2<sup>nd</sup> Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday 7:30 - 10:30 p.m. Daron Tandberg - Caller Cyndi Silicki - Cuer Swauk-Teanaway Grange, Cle Elum Dale: 509 260-1025 or 509 674-5275

# SILHOUETTE DANCERS 1st Thursday Intermediate

Thurs - Ph 2 + 7:30-8:30 pmsome intermediate Ph3/4 lessons 6:30-7:30 PM Dance/Workshop 8:30-9:30 PM Cuer: DEBBIE & PAUL TAYLOR Terrace Heights Grange, 3701 Birchfield Road Yakima, WA 98901

509-965-3015 • Visitors Welcome

# **GATESWINGERS**

1st & 3rd Saturdays Mainstream 7:30-10:00 PM 4th Fridays

Phase II Rounds 7:30-9:30 PM

ORVIN LOGAN, Caller CYNDI SILICKI, Cuer

Yakima Valley Square Dance Center Moxee, WA - Phone (509) 697-3954

Dark June - August

Gateswingers@ Circle 8 Ranch 2nd Weekend In August

# Donna & Tom Rohde Area Reporter 253-833-2825 donnalou13@comcast.net www.cpsc-squaredance.org



**CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL** wishes everyone a Happy Halloween. We hope all the clubs are having very successful classes.

CPSC is busy with the plans for hosting the January State meeting - watch for all the information in the next two issues of Footnotes.

Our Fall Council Dance, Winter Wonderland, will be held on November 30th at the Seattle Police Athletic Center, 11030 East Marginal Way S., Tukwila, WA, from 8:00 pm to 10:30 pm. Our callers are Steve Noseck and Greg Weber and our cuer is Sue Weber. Please plan to attend for a fun-filled evening of dancing and seeing and visiting with friends from around our area.

Pat Hoot, CPSC Council Vice President

**BOOTS & LACES** members & guests were happy to be back dancing on September 7th when we collected school supplies for foster children thru Tree House organization. Our theme for the September 21st dance was Autumn Leaves, which I'm hoping will hurry the fall weather.

We wish a speedy recovery to a few of our members and to any other dancers who are having difficulties.

We have a new dance class starting on October 16th at the Auburn Senior Center. This is our first adventure working with the Auburn Park & Recreation Center and we are expecting some eager students. Our angels will be helping with lessons with Don Wood as our instructor.

Come out and dance with us. We dance at the Meridian Grange at: 25422 Kent-Kangley Rd. (now SE 272nd St.), Kent, WA. Check our website-www. bootsandlaces.org for more information.

Jan Emerson, emersonbobjan2@hotmail.com

The **CONTRAILS CONTRA DANCE CLUB** will be dancing at the Juanita Community Club, 13027 100th Ave NE, Kirkland, this Fall. Dances are every second Saturday, beginning Saturday, October 13th, from 2:00 to 5:00 pm. (Finger food potluck). No experience needed. Contra dances are walked through prior to dancing them. If you know a few square dance moves you can contra dance. Come give it a try! Happy dancing!

Susan Morris

# CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL

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# **SUNDAY**

# SOLO SQUARES

1st & 3rd (Mainstream) Cedar Grange, Maple Valley Cliff Nichols / Linda Nold 206-525-2189 www.solosquares.wordpress.com

# TUESDAY

#### TIMBERLANE CLOGGERS

Weekly (Beginner/easy/intermediate) Edgewood Grange Sher Francis 253-761-2232

# FRIDAY

# BOOTS & LACES

1st & 3rd (Mainstream) Meridian Grange, Kent Don Wood / Debbie Taylor 425-255-5894 / 253-630-0586 www.bootsandlaces.org

#### KT's

3<sup>rd</sup> (Plus) Cedar Grange, Maple Valley Kevin Thomaier 425-266-0311

## PHILS & PHILIES

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> (Mainstream) Meridian Grange, Kent Kevin Thomier / Marge Kost 253-804-3244 www.philsandphilies.com

## SATURDAY

## JET STEPPERS

1st & 3rd (Mainstream) Cedar Grange in Maple Valley Chuck Martin / Linda Nold 425-271-3645 www.jetstepperssqdclub.com

## **WAGON WHEEL SQUARES**

1st & 3rd (Mainstream) Plus at 10:30pm Meridian Grange in Kent Wayne Easton / Randy Wulf 206-915-1415 www.wagonwheelssquaredance.org

# **SATURDAY**

# CONTRAILS CONTRA DANCERS

2nd

N Hill Community Club, Des Moines Susan Morris 425-881-0691 callersusan@gmail.com

# PI-R SQUARES

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> (Mainstream) Meridian Grange in Kent Andy Garboden / Marge Kost 253-569-0393 www.pi-r-squares.org

#### YOUTH

# BUCKSKIN KIDS

Mon lesson / Wed dance at 6:30pm Dimmit Middle School in Renton Stephanie Speelman 206-772-4255 www.buckskinsandmayericks.com

#### MAVERICKS

Mon lesson / Wed dance at 6:30pm Dimmit Middle School in Renton Stephanie Speelman 206-772-4255 www.buckskinsandmayericks.com

#### JACKS & JILLS

Sunday Meridian Grange in Kent Rod Alex 206-718-2055 www.jjweb.net

## CALLER / CUER

Northwest Round Dance Teachers Assn 206-364-4173 Puget Sound Teachers & Callers Assn 253-630-1114



U p d a t e d 4 / 1 1 **BUCKSKIN KIDS** lessons began on Monday, September 17th from 6:30 to 8:30 pm at Dimmit Middle School in Renton with the lessons being coordinated by the Mavericks. All parents and angels are encouraged to attend to help with the dancing and planning. The first 3 lessons were FREE!

Our dance night will now be on Wednesdays staring on September 26th at Dimmit Middle School. The dance starts at 6:30 pm and will be open to all dancers. So feel free to caravan to us on this night. The cost is \$5 a person for guests. If you have a preteen (ages 6-12) that would like to dance, feel free to contact: Kris Lavin at kris.lavin@comcast.net or Stephanie Speelman at tnt85@msn.com.

We are looking forward to attending the next Central Puget Sound Council Dance and supporting our Council. We had such a good time at the last one and would like to thank everyone who made us feel so welcome.

Keep an eye on our website as super great big changes are coming: www. buckskinsandmavericks.com. Hope to see you in a square real soon! Yellow rock to all!

Leslie Young, pollyanna1962@gmail.com

The **JETSTEPPERS** have started beginning square dance and beginning round dance lessons at the Cedar Grange on Thursday nights at 7:00 to 9:00 pm for square dance and Wednesday nights 7:00 to 8:30 pm for round dance.

Our first dance this month on October 6th is an Octoberfest! Come and celebrate with us! Our workshops start at 7:30 pm with the dance starting at 8:00 pm. October 20th finds us observing Halloween with a traditional costume dance! We hope to see to see you there!

Marilyn Hobbs-Gibson, mhg111@juno.com

The **PI-R-SQUARES** had a great Campout up at Anacortes, WA with lots of visiting, golfing, touring an old hardware store in Anacortes, potlucks and some old-fashion square dancing. Marilyn and I only came for Saturday afternoon to visit with everyone and conduct a PI-R club meeting. All went well.

On Saturday, August 25th, we had a garage sale at Meridian Grange with only two clubs participating – Phils & Phillies and the PI-R's. A good time was had by all and we even made some money. We had a lot of customers and were able to hand out some lesson flyers and some of the people said they would come to lessons. We had a brother of one of our past dancers that passed away from cancer at a very young age attend and he said that his sister said "square dancing was the most fun she ever had" and he and his wife are going to try to come to lessons this year.

Our lessons were started on Thursday evenings on September 20th at Zion Lutheran Church in Auburn. We hope to have a good class this year like last year. We will also start another beginner class eight weeks after September 20th. Andy Garboden will again be our teacher and we had a lot of fun at last year's lessons.

Our dances in October will be on Saturday, October 13th and 27th with Andy Garboden and Marge Kost. For planning ahead, Wayne Easton will be our Caller on Saturday, November 24th, so please come to Meridian Grange and work off some of the Thanksgiving turkey. Come dance with us any 2nd or 4th Saturday from September through May at the Meridian Grange in Kent.

Terry & Marilyn Quinnett, mvjunkdealer@juno.com

As of August 19th, the **SOLO SQUARES** Summer Dances have ended. We'd like to thank everyone that attended these dances for their support. It has been a great way for new students to sharpen their skills after last spring's graduation. Now it's time to begin our regular season of dancing. Our September 2nd dance was canceled as it coincides with the Labor Day weekend. However, we were back to dancing on September 16th. Cliff Nichols and Linda Nold are calling and cueing for us again this season. Also, our first lesson class was from 3:00 to 5:00 pm on that day. Our dances are from 7:00 to 9:00 pm with round dance or square dance workshops at 6:30 pm. A finger potluck is available at the dance with coffee or tea.

Our new Officers are working with the incumbent Officers to promote Square Dancing in the South Seattle communities. We all need to work on getting Square Dancing back into the "mainstream", pardon the pun, of entertainment. Please everyone, be safe and we hope to see your happy faces at some of our dances. We will be back at the Cedar Grange in Maple Valley. The address is: 22531 SE 218th St., Maple Valley, WA, 98038.

Bob Travis, travis\_98146@yahoo.com

In the September Footnotes issue, I neglected to mention the biggest event to happen to the **WAGON WHEELS** at the beginning of this past summer. On June 2nd, we surprised our Caller, Wayne Easton with a party celebrating his "50" Years of Being a Square Dance Caller!!!



June 2, 2012 - Wayne Easton's "50" Years of Calling with Guest Callers

Photo by Donna Rohde

We had 249 people attend this dance which included dance members, guests from other clubs, 2 to 3 dozen of Wayne's family, a Mystery Caravan from the Dudes and Dolls which added another 54 dancers. We also had 11 Callers attend which included: Bryan Clark, Scott Coon, Mike DeSisto, Andy Garboden, Kappie Kappenman, Bill Lundin, Susan Morris, Mike Olson, Rem Remington, Kevin Thomaier and Tom Tomlinson.

At one time, someone counted 29 squares on the dance floor. We even had to move tables out of the dining room at the Meridian Grange to make room for 3 more squares. It was a very wonderful and memorable celebration and dance!

Our first dance of the season was on September 15th with a "Welcome Back Dancers!" theme. Everyone was happy to see each and eager to get back into the swing of square dancing again. Three days later, we began our square dance lessons with many enthusiastic people wanting to learn the fun of square dancing.

October 6th will be our "Autumn Leaves" dance with our Halloween dance following on October 20th. Surprise us at our Halloween dance and make us guess who you are! In the meantime, enjoy the cooler Fall weather that is upon us!

We dance at the Meridian Grange on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays. The address is: 25422 Kent-Kangley Rd - Kent, WA.

Donna Rohde, donnalou13@comcast.net

# Have Fun Dancing to the Calling of **CRAIG ABERCROMBIE**

October Dances

Fairway Village Squares (MS & PLUS Tip) Calling & Cueing Fairway Village Ballroom, 15509 SE Fernwood Dr., Vancouver, WA Every Monday 1PM

## October 12

R Square D (MS) Kelso Senior Center, Kelso, WA

#### October 13

Corvallis Squares (MS) Calling & Cueing 1st Cong. Church, Corvallis, OR

## October 14

Cast-A-Shadows (Adv-c-1) Emerald Dance Center, Springfield, OR

#### October 19

Tumbleweeds (MS) IOOF Hall, Milwaukie, OR

#### October 26

Swinging Mountainers (PLUS) Calling & Cueing Pine Forest Grange, Bend, OR

#### October 27

R Square D (MS) Holloween Dance Kelso Senior center, Kelso, WA

For Info Call 971-223-6128 email @Cabercrombie1@comcast.net http://craigabercrombie.webs.com/

# Square Dance Club

Hazel Dell Grange Vancouver, Washington

# Caller: Chuck Garner Cuer: Dorothy Lowder

7:30-10:00 pm Mainstream with Rounds 2nd Saturday

Year Around

Info: 360.910.5937 & 360.600.1804

# PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS

**Shufflers Shanty** 717 N Irving, Kennewick

ALL SATURDAY DANCING: PLUS 7:00 - 8:00 PM MAINSTREAM 8 - 10:30 PM

September 15th-LARRY CLARK/BILL HOLM October 6th-DAN PREEDY/BILL HOLM October 20th-ROB KRUM/BILL HOLM November3rd-VERN BOGGS/KATHY BOGGS November 17th-BOB AMSBURY/CLAUDIA AMSBURY December 1st-TOM CLYMER/BILL HOLM December 15th-LARRY CLARK/TINA ALLAWAY

January 5th-JOHN & WENDY SYRSTAD January 19th-DARON TANDBERG/BILL HOLM

# EVERGREEN COUNCIL www.sqdance.com AREA REPORTER

Jean Tolstrup 360-573-5886 jet@pacifier.com



After being "dark" during the summer months, the **EVERGREEN COUNCIL** resumed regular monthly board meetings on September 6th. It was nice to welcome some new members to the board: Brenda Martinez, secretary, and Sharon Punteney, historian.

Board members and dancers in the Evergreen Council continue to keep our president, Scott Donmoyer, in our thoughts and prayers as he progresses through treatment for lung cancer. We know that he and his wife, Kathy, appreciate the support they have from all their friends throughout the state.

The Evergreen Council normally dances on the fifth Saturday. This year the September fifth Saturday dance was shared with two Oregon councils: the Portland Area Council and the Tualatin Valley Council. One dance each year is designated as a Tri-council dance. The responsibility for hosting the dance is rotated between the three councils. This year the Tualatin Valley Council hosted and the other two councils helped with duties such as the door, decorations, and kitchen. We always enjoy spending time with clubs and dancers who are close geographically to our Council and whose members frequent our club dances. It's a great way to promote square dancing throughout our area.

Jean Tolstrup

The **BUZZIN' BEES** started their 54th year of square dancing with themes for each dance. Bill Lundin is calling, and Debbie Combs is cueing. The October 6th theme is Crazy Hat Dance with a hat contest. October 20th is a Black Light Dance. Dances are held at the Hazel Dell Grange. Classes for square dancing and round dancing are meeting each week.

Ann Heikkinen

The **SILVER STARS** had their first fall dance of the new season in September with a dance celebrating grandparents. A great time was had by all admiring everyone's grandkids. We had a great time visiting the Wolfpack club in southern Oregon and the Sweethome Squarenaders in the Eugene/Springfield area.

Our next dance in October is a Fall Festival theme. We have started mainstream basic lessons and plus lessons with an enthusiastic group of new dancers and angels. Our club dances on the second Saturday of every month, with Chuck Garner calling and Dorothy Lowder cueing. Location is the Hazel



Dell Grange, beginning at 7:30 p.m. and our break is at 10:00 p.m. after dancing. Hope to see you in a square somewhere.

Happy Halloween!

Teresa Hill

Although it's already October, HAPPY HOPPER members can't help smiling about some great August events. First, about 70 of us had a fine time enjoying food, fellowship, and the super ambience of the Oja Farm during our annual picnic. A vintage car and two tractors helped set the scene. Later in the month, nineteen Hoppers journeyed to Sisters, Oregon, where we enjoyed the wonderful hospitality extended by the dancers hosting the Central Oregon Roundup. We were surprised and excited to be one of the first winners of the "Boot Award," which is given in recognition of the club from out of the area with the most members attending. Sharing the award with the Charlie Brown Squares from Grants Pass made it extra special.

Our club continues to be pleased with the 4 by 8 lesson format. The second set of lessons will begin November 5, 2012. The enthusiasm of new and returning students makes attending lessons a rewarding experience for our Hopper angels.

A usual, to accommodate the Royal Romp, the Hoppers will be "dark" November 3rd, our first dance in November. Traditionally, we have scheduled a visitation on that dance night so that members who do not wish to attend the Royal Romp can still enjoy dancing with their friends and co-members.

Jean Tolstrup



# Leslie Keyes

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**WHIDBEY WHIRLERS** club is having Saturday morning beginners' lessons 10:00 am-12 noon with Bob and Linda Berka hosting. For questions, call them at 675-8691.

Our very popular Chocolate "Deca" Dance is October 13th with Wayne Easton calling and Caron Grasso cueing. They will help us dance away all those calories from the chocolate (and other) treats offered. Rounds will begin at 7:30 pm with squares and rounds from 8:00-10:00 pm.

Join us on October 27th to celebrate Halloween and dance to our club caller, John Corrigan. John will workshop mainstream calls 7:30-8:00 pm. Linda Nold will be cueing for the evening along with John's calling from 8:00-10:00 pm. Costumes are encouraged!

Both dances will be held at the Coupeville Rec Hall.

Mary Sittner, hmsittner@frontier.com

This Eric Henerlau is new to **HAPPY HOPPERS** though many of you who were at Nationals in June may have danced to his calling. Reports from those dancers tell us he is worth every dance opportunity for he moves us with energy. Hoppers also want to introduce our dancers to Alison Hampton as a cuer. The date for this team is October 6th with an afternoon plus dance from 3-5pm and evening mainstream.

Steve Noseck will be breaking in new dancers for us having started in September with mainstream lessons in Marysville on Monday nights. Several of our lady dancers will be trying to tackle the left side of a couple with the idea it is dancing too.

Several Hoppers spent a weekend with Hattrick, Abercrombie and Christman at Circle 8 Ranch and even in the heat we had some challenging new experiences. We learned however, square dance friends Lee and Lorna Barnhart who had a home near Elk Heights where the Taylor Creek fire was burning had lost their home; they are members of Samena Squares. Our thoughts go out to them for it was a gathering place for friends, many of whom were square dancers, and family.

The spontaneity of Steve Noseck will bring life to a Hopper dance on October 20th and hopefully, our Bernie and Shirley Cook will be with us too. We hope you will find your way to the Stillaguamish Senior Center to renew old friendships especially with the feet that dance for you.

Thought for the day...Imagine how much deeper the oceans would be if there were no sponges.

Jean Raymond, frjr@msn.com

SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS members would like to send our sincere condolences to Lee and Lorna Barnhart for the loss of their special summer home (on the lake in Elk Heights near Cle Elum) which the forest fire destroyed this summer. We are truly sorry for their loss and hope the memories they shared with so many square dancing friends and family in their beautiful summer home will carry them through this sorrowful time. Our thoughts and prayers are with them.

Our club is having a good September with our new classes beginning with Spider Webb teaching our newcomers the fun world of Square Dancing. He teaches with the Sicilian Circle and people catch on to the moves so quickly. Plus, he makes it a fun time and everyone is smiling and enjoying themselves - even our angels. We kicked off our first lesson with our traditional free and delicious spaghetti feed and free lesson.

Join us for our dance October 19th - Cats and Bats theme, Caller Scott Coon, Cuer John Neverdowski.

Linda Foster, ssywhirlwinds@aol.com

FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS Plus club saw many of our members enjoying the weeklong Labor Day festivities at Circle 8 Ranch. Ron and Gailyn Ploeg's famous Cajun Dinner was one of the highlights with the proceeds from the dinner contributed to the Circle 8 Ranch Improvement Fund. Our members are looking forward to the following two events. The first is our Annual Prawn Dinner on October 19th, with Brent Mawdsley calling and Randy Preskitt cueing. The second is the start of our Plus Lessons on October 20th, with John Corrigan teaching at the Mount Vernon Senior Center.

Snookie Carlson, snookie@karuson.com

WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS September dances have gotten our season off to a great start thanks to Jim Hattrick, Andy Garboden, Karen Neverdowski and a visiting caravan from Freewheelers!

We look forward to October 5th Harvest Dance with Jim Hattrick and October 19th dance with Steve Noseck and Karen Neverdowski officiating. The Checkerboard Squares and Fern Bluff Squares will visit our October 19th dance.

Lessons began September 11th with teacher Andy Garboden. This class is now closed but a new class will begin November 6th. Angels from other clubs are welcome to participate with us. Extra experienced dancers are always helpful!

The Square Crows look forward to seeing dancers from other clubs joining us at any time.

Lynn Von Seggern, lynnvs@cablespeed.com

Fall is here and the **FREEWHEELERS** are ready to dance. We kicked off our new 14 week dance classes on September 12th, 2012, at the Lake City Community Center from 7:30 – 9:00 pm with Dennis "Spyder" Webb teaching and lots of angels supporting our new class members. Spyder is teaching a Plus Class just prior to the Beginner class each Wednesday from 6:30-7:30 pm and he will continue this throughout the classes. We have a new club President, Dick Nicholson. He has graciously consented to fill Sally's position until we have elections in the spring.

We welcomed the new season on September 16th featuring Roger Spiese calling and Debbie & Paul Taylor doing the cueing. Adam Christman was our guest caller on September 30th with Debbie cueing our "Indian Summer" dance. Our 1st dance in October on the 7th will feature Don Wood calling and Debbie Taylor cueing the sounds of the "50's". The Skagit Squares will be visiting us. Our 2nd dance in October will be on the 21st when we will "Dance Around the Pumpkins" with Roger Spiese and Debbie Taylor.

A caravan of Freewheelers went out to the Square Crows on September 21st. We had a great time dancing to Andy Garboden. We will caravan to the Happy Hoppers and the Skagit Squares in October.

September 29th, we attended the Mt. Baker Council Dance "Hollywood Night with the Stars" hosted by the Samena Squares. It was a great time with visitors from all around the council.

We hope to see you in a square real soon! Yellow Rocks!

Ruth Jester, ruthjester@frontier.com

Starting out the year with a community dance, the **FERN BLUFF SQUARES** had a great start to the 2012-2013 dance season. South Lake Stevens Grange is the new venue for our monthly dances and we love dancing on a wood floor! We had quite a crowd and we're looking forward to ushering in fall with our dance on October 13th.

Lessons have gotten off to a good start with our caller Ray Gallagher. We are still doing lessons in Monroe at the East County Senior Center on Thursday evenings.

In August Fern Bluff was honored with an award at the Evergreen State Fair. The award "Friends of 4H" recognizes the club for their ongoing support of our teens and pre-teens activity within 4H. Additionally our own Fiona Lyle was awarded with awards from 4H recognizing her mentoring and stewardship. Many thanks to Lisa Lyle for her continued work with 4H, our teens and organizing it all.

We look forward to seeing you at the fall council dance and we want to wish Dave Knien a very happy retirement.

Darcy Coon, darcy\_coon@hotmail.com

## CHECKERBOARD SQUARES

MS, 2nd & 4th Sat 7:30-10:30pm @ Masonic Hall, Edmonds ~ Greg Weber/Debbie Taylor (425) 338-2255

#### DANCING SHADOWS

Rounds, 1st & 3rd Sat 7:30-10:30 pm @ Lake City Community Center, Seattle ~ Debbie & Paul Taylor (425) 483-6701

#### **DUDES AND DOLLS**

MS, 2nd, 4th & 5th Fri 7:30-10:30 pm @ Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood ~ Scott Coon & Guest Callers/Debbie Taylor (425) 486-8587

## FERN BLUFF SQUARES

MS, Family, 2nd Sat 7:00-10 pm@ East County Senior Center, Monroe ~ Ray Gallagher/Linda Nold (360) 805-6853

## FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS

PL, 1st & 3rd Fri 7:30-10:30 pm @ Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley ~ John Corrigan - 1st Fri, Guest Caller - 3rd Fri/Bob Berka (360) 707-2466

#### **FREEWHEELERS**

MS, 1st & 3rd (some 5th) Sun 7-10 pm @ Lake City Community Center, Seattle ~ Roger Spiese/Debbie Taylor ~ (425) 337-5441

#### HAPPY HOPPERS

MS, 1st & 3rd Sat @ Stillaguamish Senior Center, Arlington ~ Guest Callers/Shirley Cook ~ (360) 387-8727

#### HAPPY ROUNDERS

Rounds, Ph 3-4, Tues 7:30-9:30 pm @ The Hayloft, Lynnwood ~ Randy Preskitt (425) 348-6030, (206) 364-4173

#### K-9 CORPS

PL, 2nd & 4th Fri @ Sammamish Valley Grange, Woodinville ~ Dave Knien/Stephanie Speelman (425) 778-6163

#### MT. BAKER SINGLES

MS, 2nd Fri 7:30-10:30 pm @ Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley ~ Dave & Bonnie Harry (360) 629-6380

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Info Contact; Susan & Larry Morris (425) 881-0691 CallerSusan@gmail.com

## RAINBOW SQUARES

MS, 2nd & 4th Sat 8-10 pm @ Ten Mile Grange, Lynden ~ Brent & Therese Mawdsley ~ (360) 738-8186

#### SAMENA SQUARES

MS, 2nd & 4th Fri 7:30-10:30pm @Juanita Community Club, Kirkland ~ Guest Callers/Cuers ~(425) 823-6581

#### SHIRTS-N-SKIRTS

MS, Teens, Wed 6:30-9 pm @ Canyon Park Jr Hi, Bothell ~ Randy & Marie Preskitt ~ (425) 348-6030

#### SKAGIT SQUARES

MS, 3rd Sat 7:30-10 pm @ Mt Vernon Senior Center, Mt Vernon ~ John Corrigan/Bob Berka ~ (360) 424-9675

## SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS

MS, 3rd Fri 7:30-10:30 pm @ Triway Grange, Mill Creek ~ Guest Callers/John Neverdowski ~ (425) 334-4934

#### STANWOOD SASHAYERS

MS, 1st Sat 7:30-10:30 pm @ Floyd Norgaard Cultural Center, Stanwood ~ Ray Gallagher/Bob Berka ~ (360) 387-5055

#### WHIDBEY WHIRLERS

MS, 2nd & 4th Sat 7:30-10:30 pm @ Coupeville Rec Cntr, Coupeville ~ Guest Callers/Bob Berka (360) 293-0472

#### WHIRLYBIRDS

MS, 1st Fri & Sat, & 3rd Sat 7:30-10:30 pm @ The Hayloft, Lynnwood ~ Dave Harry/Roxanne Boelter (425) 806-8423

#### WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS

MS, 1st & 3st Fri 7:30-10:30 pm @ Sammamish Valley Grange, Woodinville ~ Guest Callers/Karen Neverdowski (360) 863-8112

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See 2011-2012 State Directory for street addresses of halls.



The **DUDES & DOLLS** 2012-2013 Square Dance season is now in full swing. The prospective new dancers have had the month of September, enrolled in Square Dancing 101, taught by the ever-entertaining Scott Coon. Angels are welcome at the Cedar Valley Grange to help with the filling of the squares. All of last year's students that joined a club should be "Angeling" to brush up and keep up their newly-acquired skills in Square Dancing.

We have a Level Dance, on October 12th, and all new students are encouraged be there, in a square. The theme is "Oktoberfest", which, is loosely defined as "I never went past the eighth grade, so I never learned how to spell Octoberfest." Wear some autumn leaves, along with clothes, of course, and bring some Corn Nuts for sharing at Break-Time. That would be Oktoberfest-ive.

Like Willie Nelson, Dudes & Dolls will be "On the Road Again", to Fern Bluff Squares on October 20th.

My mom, during the depression, made her own wieners, but had to fill the ends with corn meal. In those days, as now, it was hard to make both ends meet (meat). And in the real tough times, we had hollow weenies with nothing in them, which brings me to the theme of the dance for the October 26th Square Dance at Cedar Valley: Hollow-weenie Spook-tacular. The incoming caravan is the hauntingly skilled Mt. Baker Singles, always good for a scare or two.

The New Year's Eve Extravaganza: A Gold and Silver Gala, is well underway, planning-wise. Steve Noseck is bringing his wonderful entertaining square dance calling skills to the dance floor of the Edmonds Masonic Hall for the Last Dance of 2012. Bring on Lucky 13!!! Of course, there is cueing and it is by the one-and-only two Neverdowskis, Karen and John. Tickets are available now, and are going to be hard-to-come-by as we near the end of the year. Get yours sooner rather than later, as there may be none available later.

Keep smiling. That way no one knows what you are up to.

Warren Funnell, warnfnel@msn.com

We ended September with the Mt. Baker Council Dance. **SAMENA SQUARES** are hosting a Hollywood Night with the Stars at the Northshore Senior Center. The event will be (was) September 29, 2012, from 8:00 until 10:30. The callers are (were) Les Seeley and Renee Ruud from Oregon. We first met them during a mystery caravan two years ago. Cuers are John and Karen Neverdowski. We'd love to have you join us.

Many of the Samena Squares mystery caravans or trips to the Winthrop Barn Dance, have begun with a stop in Cle Elum. Sometimes it was at a little cafe there, but other times it was at the cabin of President Lorna Barnhart and her husband Lee. Located on a lake, it was the perfect place for a kickoff breakfast. Other times, members of the club would head up to Circle 8 Ranch, and Lee and Lorna would invite them over to the cabin for a bit. Therefore, when a fire devil burned down their house during the Taylor Bridge fire this summer, it brought sorrow to all of us. I think it also reinforced the fact that in some ways, SAMENAS are like family to each other as they rejoice together in the good

times, and mourn together in the hard times.

Barbara Huber, hubertones@hotmail.com

Plus dancing IS continuing in the Woodinville area! Dancers were saddened to learn of Dave Knien's retirement from calling at the end of August. The **K-9 CORPS** is still active, however. The club name will be changing. Watch this space for more information! Susan Morris will be teaching Plus lessons beginning, Monday, October 1st, 7 – 9 pm at the Sammamish Valley Grange. The K-9 Corps will be hosting Plus dances on the second and fourth Friday nights, also at the Sammamish Valley Grange. Susan Morris and Stephen Cole will be calling with guest cuers. Come dance with us! We look forward to seeing you!

Susan Morris, susan@callersusan.com

**CHECKERBOARD SQUARES'** annual Hobo dance on September 22th, with the famous "hobo stew" offered during the break was great fun. Everyone brought a can of something for the stew and an extra couple of cans to donate to the Edmonds Food Bank.

Our lessons with Ray Gallagher started on Sunday, September 23rd and our crop of new dancers are enthusiastic and doing well with the help of our angels. Our club is one of the best at supporting their new dancers!

On October 21st. we will have several couples from the Checkerboards joining the Whirleybirds and Dave and Bonnie Harry for a cruise sailing out of Boston to Halifax, St. John and Bar Harbor! It promises to be a memorable trip with square dancing on board to add to the scenic beauty.

With our Octoberfest dance on October 13th and our Halloween dance on the 27th, we round out the month and will be heading into the holidays already!

Sheryl Landry, sastro@juno.com

**First Fridays...** <u>New dancer level!</u> with Dave Harry (7:30 Dance time)

Third Saturdays... <u>Mainstream!</u> with Dave Harry (squares) and Roxanne Boelter (rounds)



7:30 Prerounds 8:00 Squares at the Hayloft; 15320 35th Ave. Lynnwood

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It doesn't seem possible to the **APPLELAND PROMENADERS** that summer is now just a memory: Nationals, new friends, the AP/Gate swingers' weekend, heat, holidays at Circle 8 Ranch, zucchini! The good news about the arrival of Fall is that it brings us to another dance season.

Beginning square dance lessons are under way, and the month kicks off with a dance on the 5th hosted by the AP club in conjunction with the Cascade Twirlers. Willie Sewell will call; Noelle Miller and Jim Spence will cue. Join the festivities on October 13th when the Appleland Promenaders celebrate their 64th anniversary. The dance, with Ray Brendzy calling, Jim Spence cueing, will be preceded by a dinner at 6 pm. Come dine with us before dancing.

The club also will recognize Jim for his recent award by the Round-a-Lab for 15 years of service to round dancing. Those in the know, though, realize he has been cueing area round dancers through rounds for much longer than that. Thanks, Jim and Vonnie for all your time and efforts. In fact, the Spences will be starting this year's beginning round dance class on October 18th from 7:30 to 9:30 pm. The month will wrap up with a dance on October 27th to be called by John and Wendy Syrstad. Wendy will cue as well. Come have fun with us.

Kay White, kwhite@nwi.net

**BUDS & BLOSSOMS** began our dance season on Friday September 14th. It was nice to be back dancing after what has seemed like a long summer.

Come & join us on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Fridays of each month at the East Wenatchee Grange. Pre-rounds begin at 7:30 pm with Mainstream beginning at 8:00 pm. We would love to see you in a square!

Don Jackson, ventusnord@aol.com

**4X8's** Summer is over—time to get back in the groove. Our club had a demo at the Grant County fair in August. Beginner lessons started September 20th. A number of our members attended the Winthrop Barn Dance. This is always a fun time.

Happy Halloween!

Mabel Hawkes, hawkesm@q.com

CASCADE TWIRLERS had our annual picnic August 23rd. Lots of visiting, playing a card game called Apples & Pears. It was the only day of the week that was actually cold so we didn't stay very late. Some of us went up to the Waterville

fair and worked in the East Wenatchee Granges hamburger stand. It is the only money maker for the grange expenses and as one of the clubs that dance there we helped out. We are lucky to have the grange for dancing.

We are not dancing in October on our regular dance nights as we are sharing a dance with Appleland Promenaders on October 5th with Willie Sewell calling and Jim Spence and Noelle Miller cueing. Willie always does a fun dance so if in the area come and join us or make a trip over to dance with us.

October 14th we will be going to Buds & Blossoms anniversary dance at the East Wenatchee Grange and on October 20th we will be going to 4x8's dance as is our annual trade with them. We always look forward to dancing with them as we don't get to do it very often as we dance same nights.

Our November 3rd dance will have Jim Compton as our caller and Noelle Miller cueing.

See you in a square

Noelle Miller, noellemcues@charter.net

WHEATLAND WHIRLERS will be dancing October13th and 27th with Jim Compton calling and Noelle Miller cueing. Bob Yearout had surgery on the 20th of August for cancer of the kidney. They removed it and said they got it all. Right now he is champing at the bit because of orders to take it easy. He had lots of good wishes and prayers and they must have worked. Yellow rocks to all

Noelle Miller, noellemcues@charter.net

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#### Appleland Promenaders-Mainstream

1st Fri. 2nd & 4th Sat. East Wenatchee Grange, 3400 Sunset Hwy. East Wenatchee Contact: Bob & Connie Mulholland, (509) 881-4961 or sqdncr@nwi.net

#### **Buds & Blossoms-Mixed Level**

2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Fri. Beacon Hill Grange, 323 Easy St., Wenatchee Contact: Sterling McKenzie, (509) 782-2770 or marymck@charter.net

#### Cascade Twirlers-Mainstream

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

#### Moses Lake 4X8's-Mainstream

Ist & 3rd Sat. Moses Lake Senior Center, 608 E. 3rd Ave., Moses Lake Contact: Dave & Sharon Boggs, (509) 787-4099 or grizzlyboggs@aol.com

#### Plus Bunch-Plus Level

Ist & 3rd Mon. East Wenatchee Grange, 3400 Sunset Hwy. East Wenatchee Contact: Al & Anne Schmidt (509) 884-1469 or alannes@verizon.net

#### Wheatland Whirlers-Mainstream

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

All Clubs Dance September through May with Some Summer Dances



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FORKS HOH DOWNERS have a permanent schedule change. We will be dancing only the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. Phase II rounds 1:30 -2:30, Mainstream 2:30 - 4:30. Dances Scheduled through the end of the year are: October 14 (no dance on October 28 - Seaside Sashay, Oregon dance weekend), November 11, November 25, December 9, and December 23.

As always, we would love to see you at one of our dances, but please call first to make sure we have a square on the floor....

Yellow Rocks,

Joe & Linda Offutt, jolinda83@centurytel.net

The **STRAIT WHEELERS** are now dancing at the St. Luke's Episcopal Church located at 525 N. 5th Ave., Sequim, WA. Dancing 7:30-9:30.

Bill Childers, billydchilders@me.com

#### PENINSULA COUNCIL

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**ROUND SQUARES** had a very busy month of August. The "Old Timers Picnic" was held at KSDC on August 2nd, and there were about 30 people that attended. Many thanks to Fred and Flossie Wise who took the contact sheet and arranged everything.

Peggy Fix chaired the KSDA Rummage sale again and thanks to all those that worked to set up, sell, and take down - it was another successful fund raiser for our hall.

August 19th we had our annual club picnic at KSDC. There were 26 members along with our cuer Joyce Sebree that attended. The BBQ's were busy along with a great potluck of hot dishes, salads and desserts.

Dancing at the Kitsap County Fair this year Peninsula Council was scheduled in the evening from 7:00 – 9:00 pm. We're hoping to get more information of our favorite activity out to the public for the upcoming lessons.

Betty Force, Reporter

PAWS & TAWS are enjoying the beginning of the Fall Dance Season. First we hosted the Friday night dance of the KSDA Labor Day Weekend. This weekend is always a great time with the Old Time Fiddlers. We usually miss our first Friday dance in September due to Labor Day but not this year, so decided to start the season off with a casual dance.

Our Plus and Intermediate Round Dance classes returned on Monday nights with Beginning Rounds on Wednesdays.

On September 21st we celebrated Roger (Jill) Spiese's having called for our club for 25 years. Great work Roger!!!!! It was also our Hawaiian Luau Dance with everyone wearing their best Hawaiian outfits. A great time was had by all

Leota Lewis, leotal@msn.com

Booooo 4 Halloween, GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS danced through the summer and are now ready for new dancers and or dancers to update and start dancing again.

Thanks go out to all the visitors who come to dance with us each and every first Saturday of each month.

September 2nd was the start up of new lessons and or refresher course. Saturday, October 6th is our next dance. If you dance in costume, you just might walk away with a surprise.

Hope you all had a safe, enjoyable and relaxing summer.

Mary McGannon, Mekm3591@msn.com

**SQUARE STEPPERS** birthday dance was held on the 8th of September. We all went from the Car Show held right there at the hall, into a fun plus dance.

**DUDES & DOLLS** first dance of the season was held on September 9th. Come dance with us from 1-3 in the afternoon on Mondays

**PENINSULA COUNCIL** wants everyone to mark the calendar to attend the New Years Eve Dance at the Kitsap Square Dance Center in Gorst. Our featured caller will be Rob Krum and featured cuer will be Jill Spiese. More details to follow in the upcoming issues of Footnotes.

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The RAINIER COUNCIL delegates and board are hard at work to revive our activity. It should come as no surprise that such goals will cost some money. In the past this has meant fund raisers requiring many volunteer hours with modest rewards. This year we are changing our focus to the acquisition of donations from area business. By growing our funds and USING those funds for real market advertising, we can launch our invisible organization (Square Dancing) back into pop culture. If you are interested in helping out or just have comments/suggestions, feel free to join us on the first Monday of each month from 7pm to 9:30ish @ Sans Souci Mobile Estates on S. Hill. Remember, YOU are IMPORTANT, You ARE Rainier Council.

Mike Bowen, bowen\_mike\_roamintacoman@yahoo.com

The **ROAMIN' TACOMAN'S** normally dance plus on the 2nd Saturday and mainstream on the 4th Saturday of the month. We are cancelling our dance on October 13th so we can support the Bonnie Lads and Lasses charity dance. With only one dance in October, we are planning to double the fun. October 27th will be our 2nd annual Hob Goblin Boogie Bones Bash MAINSTREAM dance. Tom Tomlinson will be calling and cueing and The Old Time Fiddlers will be fiddling up a storm. There will be prizes for costumes and fun for all. You won't want to miss it.

If you don't dance plus and want to, you are in luck. The Roamin' Tacoman's are starting plus lessons on Sunday October 7th from 5 to 7 pm. Cost is \$4 each lesson and as a free bonus Tom cues rounds in between tips. He is a great teacher and makes learning easy. Dances and lessons are @ the Valley Dance hall: 1705 Willow St. in Sumner. Our dances start at 8 pm w/ pre-rounds at 7:30.

Sharon Herman, tonysharherm@qmail.com

**SOUTH SOUND SINGLES** celebrate the beginning of fall. We had some HOT summer nights in August and now we're celebrating fall in the air. With that being said, we have our new Mainstream lessons starting this month. We are looking for a big class of new dancers this year with Kenny Freeman and his lovely wife Patty. Lessons start Wednesday evenings, October 3rd, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at Collins Grange on 120th in Tacoma. Come and learn how to square dance and bring a friend. It is a fun way to spend the evening and make new friends.

Our nights of dance this month are Saturday the 6th and our Monster Bash dance on Saturday the 20th. Costumes are always encouraged, but not mandatory.

We don't want to forget to say thank you to all who participated in the fair booth. It is great fun and a lot of work. It is a great way to promote square dancing to all who are interested and keep it alive and healthy.

Ross & Noreen Tietje, tietjefam@msn.com

SPINNERS enjoyed a busy September including their 31st Anniversary Dance on the 7th, demonstration dances at the Fair on the 14th, 15th, and the 19th, and beginning square dance lessons starting the 11th. We're excited about October. Our very first Barn Dance and Hoedown complete with a homemade chili contest is scheduled for October 5th. We're hoping to see lots of cowboys and girls shin-digging with us through the straw. Pi-R Squares have promised to share in the celebration. Thanks to all.

November's dance will feature hats, mittens and warm socks. Help us accumulate a bunch for the homeless in our community. The Jet-steppers and Wagon Wheel Squares should be much evident on November 2 at Buckley Hall. We thank them for planning to share the night.

Our dances begin at 7:30 with rounds; Sue Weber cueing, and squares form at 8:00 for a rollicking good time in Buckley. Greg Weber will give the orders.

Marian Cochran sends her greetings. She'll be taking PLUS classes this fall in California. Her Email address is mcc3116@yahoo.com

Marjorie Eldred, cemeingv@q.com

Hello from **SWINGING SQUARES** at the Sumner Valley Square Dance Hall. We look forward to welcoming you to our Plus Dances on the 2nd and 4th Fridays from 7:30 to 10:30, featuring our talented Caller, Tom (& Fay) Tomlinson, and Cuer, Lorraine (John) Rouse. Lorraine starts us off with half an hour of Phase 2/ Easy 3 Rounds. Our Oktoberfest dance is Friday, October 12th, and the Halloween dance (costumes optional) is October 26th.

TUESDAY MAINSTREAM LESSONS... please spread the word to potential dancers and retreads. Lessons start October 2nd from 7:00-9:00, w/ the first 3 lessons free. Tom is a wonderfully patient instructor with years of experience; he cues Round Dancing during the breaks. Please call 253-841-9656 for more information.

Swinging Squares sends thanks to the Marilyn Carmichael team! In addition to the curtains she recently made for the hall, Marilyn's put together a crew who scraped, then painted the outside, plus refreshed the figures and writing. Come see our fresh new building!

We're excited about our Annual Holiday Bazaar, coming up on Saturday, November 10th. It'll be at the Sumner Dance Hall, 1705 Willow Street. Tables may still be available-call 253-841-9656 to check.

Mary Kun, marmikk@comcast.net

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Every **ROUSE-A-ROUNDS** 

Lorraine Rouse

Collins Grange

6:30 Beg., 8-9:30 Phase 2+EZ 3

Dance 4th Mon., 7-10

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**EVERGREEN ROUNDS** Every

Pat Wiggins

**Edgewood Grange** 

7-8:30 Beg: club dance 8:30-10

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**FRIDAY** 

**SPINNERS** 

Greg Weber/Sue Weber (September & October)

2nd YOUNG BUNCH

Mark Sebree/Pat Wiggins

360-829-0251 Collins Grange

8-10:30 MS/QS

7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10:30 MS/QS

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Tom Tomlinson/ Lorraine Rouse (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Friday, September-June)

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Collins Grange

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**SATURDAY** 

5<sup>th</sup>

NW CALLERS ASSOCIATION

Cedar Grange

253-445-4691; mtg w/dances TBA

1st & 3rd SOUTH SOUND SINGLES

Kenny Freeman/Lorraine Rouse

Collins Grange

7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10:30 MS/QS/Plus Tip

253-851-5773

1st & 3rd **SWINGNUTS** 

Leo Catt/Stephanie Speelman

Valley Square Dance Hall

7:30-8 Pre-Rds; 8-10:30MS/Rds/Plus Tip

7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10:30 MS/QS/Plus Tip

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2nd & 4th **BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES** 

Steve Haslett/Lorraine Rouse

(2nd Saturday, July and August)

**BLAZING STARS** Steele Lake Grange Kevin Thomaier/Lynn Peltola

(except August)

2" & 4th **ROAMIN' TACOMANS** 

Tom Tomlinson

(July=4th Sat, Aug=2nd Sat)

6:30-10 A-2/QS/Plus

425-881-8190 or 206-244-5196

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Valley Square Dance Hall

7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10:30 MS/Plus/QS

253-447-4218 (2nd Sat +; 1st Sat MS)

Sunday

2nd & 4th

2<sup>nd</sup> **ROCKIN' TEENS** 

> Brett Kappenman/Sue Weber (September thru June)

Valley Square Dance Hall

5:30 Pre-Rounds, 6:00-8 MS/QS/Plus Tip

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**SOU'WESTER COUNCIL** clubs are excited about the 2012-13 dance year! Each club has something special to offer and an opportunity to meet new people or old friends and enjoy an evening of fun and dancing. Be sure to look over the articles and start to fill in your calendars. We wish everyone a spectacular October with lots of dancing and fun filled events.

**HARBOR HAYLOFTERS** are getting into the swing with a new season of square dancing. Our September was filled with demonstrations at Hoquiam's Logger's Playday and a wonderful Blackberry Dance.

October brings us around to dancing the first Saturday of every month. The 6th is our Anniversary Dance with our club officers hosting. President - Terry Kuhnua, Vice President - Debbie Bergen, Secretary - Sandra Schlesser, Treasurer - Greg Maurer, Correspondence - Ann Kilwien, Caravan - Chuck and Gwen Tjernberg. We dance at the Aberdeen Eagles, 204 W. Market Street.

This month we are seeing the first of our snowbirds head South, Ray and Joanie Filyaw. We will miss them, wish them luck and look forward to their return in the spring. Lessons will be starting soon and we are looking forward to our fall classes.

In November we are working with the Aberdeen Eagles by collecting food for the local food bank and supporting a family with the up coming holidays.

We are starting to work on several caravans and a mystery caravan in the months ahead. This is wishing everyone a Happy Halloween and watch out for all the little ghosts and goblins.

Ann Kilwien sqcamper@comcast.net

Fall is here! The **LACEY DAISYS** are happy to be back to dancing on our regular schedule, the first Saturday of the month. Lessons started on September 13th at Lac-a-do Hall. Looks like this will a fun time for the new students, with students of all ages participating.

Our October dance on Saturday October 6th will be a fun dance with Don Wood calling and guest cuer Sue Weber doing the cueing. We look for a good turnout of dancers all eager and ready for an evening of dancing. Thanks to all those visiting dancers to joined us for a great dance.

Come join us on Saturday November 3rd for our Celebrate Thanksgiving Dance. Don Wood will be doing the calling and we will have a guest cuer. Pre –rounds start at 7:30 pm and mainstream at 8:00 pm. Bring some friends and come dance with us in November.

Gordon Allen <ggallen001@hotmail.com>

**GRAND SQUARES** club held their club dances on Tuesdays through the summer months with an early start time, casual dress, calling and dancing to the dancers' ability, and the usual good food served all evening - dancers came and had a very good time. Three to four squares attended to enjoy the calling of Glenn Raiha and Cuer Joyce Sebree.

In September we went back to the third Saturday, dancing to the Basic 51 moves. We also enjoyed a picnic meeting at the lakeside home of Tom and Edrie Harrington. At this meeting we started planning our last Grand Squares events. The club has decided to close the club after the December dance. With a slim membership and getting no new members we are being forced to do this.

November 17th dance will be a very special dance as we are celebrating Nancy Raiha's 60th birthday. Nancy's family, who are very talented in music, will be here for a "Live Music" dance. At 7:15 pm they will present a short concert. Dance starts at 7:30 pm. Kevin Thomaier will be here to help Glenn call the dance, Joyce Sebree will be our special guest caller. There will be a donation made to the Cancer Society. Hope you will be here and by the way, bring a card for Nancy.

Come visit us. We dance the Basic 51 moves so bring you recent graduates. We always have a great dance with Caller Glenn Raiha and Guest Cuer Joyce Sebree.

The **PRAIRIE STEPPERS** hope your club had a great start to the 2012-2013 dance season. We had our third annual Cowboy Roundup Square Dance and Chili Feed planned for September with hosts Paul and Patricia Hagquist. And the theme for our October dance will be Harvest Time with hosts Larry and Andrea Kershner and Tim and Terri Palumbo with a Silent Auction. Come and see the great items we'll have for you. Our travel plans included the Harbor Haylofters' Blackberry Dance in September and R Square D's Octoberfest in October.

We did have a very nice late summer season. We enjoyed a BBQ and potluck at our cuer couple Lonnie and Linda Sycks' home in August. Lonnie's shop was a great setting for a feast of burgers, brots, hotdogs and great potluck dishes. Thanks, Lonnie and Linda.

Some Prairie Steppers helped the Cougars with their demo dance at the Southwest Washington Fair on August 15th. The Prairie Steppers held our demo dance on August 18th at the Southwest Washington Fair on the South Stage. Thankfully the weather was much cooler than the previous couple of days that had 90 plus temperatures. Thanks to the Cougar Squares who helped us fill out two squares.

Changes to our dance program for this year will be plus dancing from 7 to 8 pm, not just from 7:30 to 8 pm. And our Split the Pot drawing will be held just before the final tip at the end of the dance. Don't worry; we will still have our signature potluck dinner.

Please join us for dancing at the Oakview Grange

Marion Freels, M\_librarion@yahoo.com

RUFF & RUFFLES dance on August 18th was preceded by a delicious potluck. It was our last summer dance and a little on the warm side. Neil Rosevear was guest square dance caller doing his favorite calls and Susan Healea was our round dance cuer doing her favorites. We had visitors from R Square D and Stardust Dancers. At break time dancers enjoyed ice cream sundaes prepared by Eileen Rosevear. Some of us attended the wedding reception on the 25th for Charlotte Heidt/Cliff Houghtlen, members of R Square D. What a nice party. We wish them much happiness.

Lessons started in September and we are hoping for a full class. We are especially looking forward to October when we will welcome Jim Raupp as our club caller. We will be dancing on the third Saturday of each month from now on at the Catlin Grange, 205 Shawnee Street in Kelso. We invite you to come and dance with us.

Betty Cliffton, sqkats@q.com

R SQUARE D hosted the Sou'Wester council dance following a picnic

potluck dinner the end of July. Our Wednesday night Hawaiian dance was very colorful. No hula skirts this year, but lots of food and a fun dance. We did a visitation to the Hayshakers and brought a banner back. A potluck/meeting was held at the Evanson's home with 29 in attendance. There was enough food to go around maybe twice. Ten members took a train ride to watch the Mariners make history. It was an exciting game. We dressed our caller, Craig Abercrombie, at the next dance to fit his excitement over the game.



Several members attended the Cougar Squares Hamburger Feed, more good food. Our "Back to school" dance had five plus a square on the floor; a large amount of school supplies was donated to the Rose Valley School. We had



visitors from Cougar Squares, Prairie Steppers, Valley Squares, Hayshakers, Ruff and Ruffles and from Yuma. Ten lady members went to Portland to look for material for a new club outfit and naturally

stopped for lunch. We are gearing up for our annual "Oktoberfest" weekend and looking forward to seeing you at the dances and our German dinner. Our winter schedule has started, we dance the 2nd Friday and 4th Saturday of each month. For information call Toni at (360)-442-8535.

Arlene Evanson

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

**Thursday** 

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

Friday

1st **Square One Plus Club** Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-10:30 Gunter Monroe, caller, George Haller, cuer PLUS Rhythm Rounders Fun Dance Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-10:00 2nd Randy Wulf, cuer **ROUNDS** phases 2-5

2nd R Square D Kelso Senior Center 7:30-10:00

Craig Abercombie, caller, Lonnie Sycks, cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS

3rd Round-A-Bouts Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-9:30 Ron Woolcock, cuer **ROUNDS** phases 2-3 4th Capitol Singles Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-10:30

Don Wood, caller, Randy Wulf, cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS

#### Saturday

**Cougar Squares** St Francis Parish Hall, 139 Spencer Rd. Toledo 1st SQUARES AND ROUNDS 7:30-10:30 Jim Raupp, caller/cuer **Harbor Haylofters** Aberdeen Eagles 200 W Market 7:30-10:30 1st Randy & Chris Carlson SOUARES AND ROUONDS

1st Lacey Daisys Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-10:30 Don Wood, caller, Ron Woolcock cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS

Olympia Do-Si-Dos Lac-A-Do Hall 7:30-10:30 2nd Jim Hattrick, caller Joyce Sebree, cuer, SQUARES AND ROUNDS

**Prairie Steppers** Oakview Grange, 2700 N. Pearl, Cent. 7:30-10:30 2nd

Don Wood, caller, Lonnie Sycks, cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS

**Ruff and Ruffles** Catlin Grange 8:00-10:30 3rd Guest Callers, Susan Healea, cuer SQUARES AND ROUNDS

3rd **Grand Squares** Lac-A-Do Hall, Olympia, 7:30-10:30 Glenn Raiha, caller, Ron Woolcock, cuer, SQUARES AND ROUNDS

Kelso Senior Center 7:30-10:00 4th R Square D Craig Abercrombie, caller, Lonnie Sycks, cuer, SQAURES AND ROUNDS

Rhythm Rounders Lac-A-Do Hall, Olympia 6:00-9:00 4th

George Haller, cuer, **ROUNDS** phases 3-6

#### Sunday

Every **Double A's** Lac-A-Do Hall, Olympia 4:00-6:00 Jack Hardin, caller, George Haller, Cuer ADVANCED Square One Plus Club 3rd

Lac-A-Do Hall Olympia, 6:30-9:00

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Gunter Monroe, caller, George Haller, cuer PLUS

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

1721-46th Avenue NE, Olympia, Lac-A-Do Hall 205 Shawnee Street, Kelso Catlin Grange Kelso Senior Center 106 NW 8th Avenue, Kelso

**SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB**, in Olympia, is going strong. We had our annual club picnic in August at the home of Don and Lorraine McCully. They have a beautiful lawn and lots of trees to sit under and be cool when it was 88 outside! There was a smaller attendance this year but still a good time to visit and relax.

Our PLUS lessons are on Sunday evenings at Lac-A-Do hall in Olympia from 7-9 pm. If you need to brush up on a PLUS move come and join us. Our caller is Gunter Monroe has been teaching for the last three years and people have enjoyed his classes. We are now getting around three squares at our 1st Friday and 3rd Sunday dances.

We will be dancing Friday October 5th with guest caller Steve Noseck and cuer Joyce Sebree; and then on Sunday October 21st with Gunter Monroe calling and Spike Reid cueing (casual attire).

Hope you can come out and join us PLUS dancing.

Peggy & Scott Smith, pegscott29@comcast.net

**COUGAR SQUARES** are enjoying the fall schedule, back to dancing on the first Saturday of each month at St. Francis Parish Hall just north of Toledo at the blinking light off the Jackson Highway. Please plan to join us! We dance from 7:30 with plus 8:00 mainstream and rounds until 10:00. Jim Raupp is our caller/cuer/teacher.

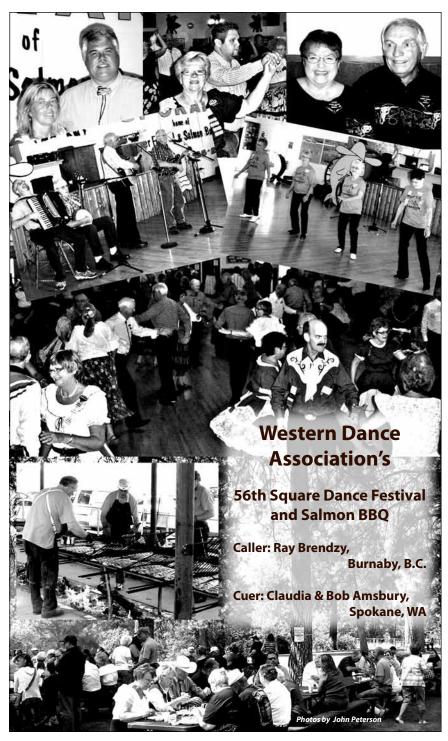
Cougars started lessons the end of September at the Salkum Fire Hall and Napavine Elementary School. It is good to be back in the routine of lessons during the week and dances on the weekends. It improves our dancing and the socializing is fun also.

Cougars want to invite everyone to our Thankful Christmas Dance on December 1st. Last year Santa was unable to attend, but we have him on the schedule for this year. He will bring Christmas surprises for everyone. Also this year we will be offering Christmas pictures with a seasonal backdrop. This is something new and we hope everyone will take advantage of this opportunity. The pictures will be sent to you the week following the dance, so you will have them immediately. The cost will be \$3. A real deal! We will have the full turkey dinner as usual, so look for Cougars to purchase advance tickets and save even more money. For more information contact Don and Judy Wilson at 360-736-8907 or donjudywilson22@gmail.com

See you in a square soon!

Don and Judy Wilson, donjudywilson22@gmail.com

New FOOTNOTES address FOOTNOTES PO BOX 11160 YAKIMA, WA 98909-2160





Although it was one of the "warmest" weekends of the month, the **CAROUSELS** welcomed dancers to the Western Dance Center from all over the Northwest, Arizona and Canada and had a great time at the annual August of Rounds with Jack and Judy DeChenne. We learned a beautiful rumba choreographed by the DeChennes as well as a fun foxtrot by Brent and Judy Moore. Thanks to all the club members who helped bring the weekend together and especially to Ray and Charlene Wiest who kept us in cold water, hot coffee and goodies throughout.

Join us throughout the year for dancing at the E. Spokane Grange on Park Street. We dance a 3/4/5/6 program chosen by the dancers who attend and cued by Jack (Judy) DeChenne. We meet on first and third Saturdays from 7:30 to 10:30 pm. Finger food is always welcome. The Carousels also sponsor Wednesday night workshops at the Grange Hall from 8:00 to 10:00 pm. We learn new or review choreography from phase 4 through 6. Come and dance with us!!

Submitted by Deb Gruber

The **COEURLY Q'S** are in full swing for the new season! Our yearly picnic was held at Elvina Doyle's home. New officers have been elected.

October 6th is All Sports Night and features Rich and Kathy Utter; November 3rd is the Harvest Time dance and features Dan Preedy and Justine Brown; December 1st is the Winter Wonderland dance and features Adam Christman and Justine Brown.

Dances in the parks this summer were a lot of fun for everyone both watching and participating. Ed Schiffner did a great job calling. The National Square Dance Convention and Westward Ho to Idaho Festival were enjoyed by those who attended. New dancers were a bit overwhelmed, but had loads of fun.

Do-sa-do Fitness lessons will start October 1st at the Harding Family Center in Coeur d'Alene. Times are 6:30-8:00 for squares and 8:00-9:30 for rounds. Ed and Eleanor Schiffner are teaching. Join us on the dance floor!

Submitted by Arnold and Nancy Pearson

The second Footnotes article is due already and we haven't even started the new dance season yet. The **DANCING SHADOWS** were in charge of the serving line at the Salmon Barbecue and we would like to thank all of you who worked on that serving line. It's such a great way to greet all the dancers and visitors.

We had another beautiful day for the Barbecue, great food, wonderful company, dancing and entertainment. It's so nice to see so many local people taking part in the activities of the day. A special "Thanks" to George Harrison who is there from start to finish parking cars.

October 19th is our "50's Dance." This is probably my favorite theme for a dance as that is when we were growing up and the music always brings back such great memories. Don Cochrane our club caller and Carol Shopbell our cuer will be spinning some of that great 50's music for your enjoyment. Rounds will start at 6:00 with Phase IV, V and a few V's, Plus at 7:00 (with Phase III Rounds) and Mainstream at 8:00 (with Phase II Rounds). Once again we will have our break at the end of the dance. Theme dress is always optional at our dances. Please come and join us for a nostalgic evening!

Submitted by Carol Shopbell

KRAZY 8'S are saddened by the loss of our dear friend and fellow dancer Darlene Rhuling this summer. We were so pleased to have Gerry and Darlene inducted into the Hall of Fame at the Salmon BBQ and it was wonderful that some of Gerry's family could be with him. We dance first Fridays and start October 5th beginning at 7:00 with Plus and rounds and then from 8:00 to 10:00 it's Mainstream and rounds. This is a memorial dance for Darlene Rhuling. Please join us to help celebrate Darlene's life; she will always remain in our hearts.

Lessons started Sunday, September 30th with Jerry Walker teaching square dance lessons from 1:30 pm to 4:00 and Nina Leisi teaching round dance lessons from 4:00 pm to 6:00.

Submitted by Donna Holmes

The **JACKS & JENNYS** have already started off the dance season. Our August dance was casual attire since the temperatures were still in the 80's. We all enjoyed root beer floats along with the calling and cueing of our own Jack Blood. Door prizes were won by Dick & Diane Russell and Ken & Lolita Sutton.

We are looking forward to another fun year of dancing. Our October dance will be costume or hillbilly. Join us at the North Spokane Dance Center October 20th.

Submitted by Helen Knapp

The **MODEL "T"S** first dance of the season included a Tail Gate party before the dance with hotdogs and everything that goes with it. The dance was called and cued by our own fabulous Vern and Kathy Boggs.

Our first travel dance is October 5th to the Krazy 8's; I'm sure everyone is busy getting their "Model T's" tuned up and ready to go visiting. We are looking forward to our October 13th dance. The theme is Oktoberfest and there may be steins on the tables but you will be hard pressed to find any beer in them.

The officers for the new season are: President, Ray and Charlene Weist; Vice-President, Marla and Collins Freitas; Secretary, Donna Bondahl and Treasurer, Jim and Kathy Reed.

Hope you have a colorful fall and get a chance to kick a few leaves around!

Submitted by Beth Barnes

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Diamond Squares 2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday	Spokane Callers & Cuers 2nd
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	tip P&R. WDC
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	Twin City Square Dance Center
Krazy 8's 1st Friday 7:00 P&R	Valley Crosstrailers 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sat. 7:00
8:00 MS&R. WDC	P&R 8:00 MS&R. WDC
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	2nd Fri 8:00 R III- IV NSDC
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**PLUS & STUFF** dances Plus and Advance on Monday nights at the North Spokane Dance Hall, 7424 N. Freya Street. Come enjoy the fun while dancing in our air conditioned hall. We even have door prizes! We start Advance at 6:30pm and our Plus workshop starts at 8:00pm with Vern Boggs. Phase II & III Rounds are by request with Kathy Boggs.

Our Memorial Day weekend will feature Kevin Thomaier from Renton, Washington. Watch for more information and flyers. And for more information on our club, dances or special weekends, please call 509-484-5068.

Submitted by Kathy Boggs

The **STAR SHOOTERS** had a great time at the Salmon BBQ in August; the dancing was wonderful and so was the food. Thank you to all who helped and shared their time.

New lessons start October 3rd with Dan Preedy. Mainstream is from 7:00 to 8:30 pm; then Plus from 8:30 to 10:00 pm. The first two weeks are free and we're hoping we'll have another large class this year.

October 27th is our 48th Anniversary dance. Dan Preedy and John Downing will be calling and cueing. Join us and help celebrate this occasion.

Submitted by Vivian Ellson

Autumn is here and the new dance season is as well. **VALLEY CROSSTRAILERS** new dancer lessons have started but there is still time to bring your friends or family on Thursday evenings to the Western Dance Center at 7:00 pm.

Our club again helped set up and clean up at the Salmon Barbeque. From the amount of people attending, I'm sure it was a success again this year. The weather was perfect, and the salmon was wonderful. Thank you to all the volunteers who value this activity and give their time.

October is our Harvest Dance with Theresa Nichols cueing and Doug Davis calling. Plus and Intermediate rounds start at 7:00 pm with Mainstream and Phase 2 rounds at 8:00 pm. Join us for a fun time!!

Submitted by Chris Smith

The **WAG AROUNDS** round dance club starts its season Sunday, October 7th dancing an easy level phase 2/3 program with Nina Leisi cueing us through the choreography. We gather at the Western Dance Center from 7:00 to 9:00 pm; finger food is always appreciated.

Jack (Judy) DeChenne cues an intermediate, phase 3/4/5 dance on second Fridays throughout the season starting October 12. We meet at the North Spokane Dance Center from 8:00 to 10:30 pm. Join us for a great dancing experience!!

Submitted by Deb Gruber



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HOTELS: Oklahoma City is growing. If you attended our 52nd National Square Dance Convention in 2003, you won't believe the changes. For the 62nd we have 5 downtown hotels under contract. Four of these are across the street from the Cox Convention Center. Hampton Inn & Suites (our 5th) is three blocks from the convention center and surrounded by many fine restaurants that are part of Bricktown Entertainment District. These five downtown hotels do require a 4 night minimum stay (Wednesday through Saturday). You'll notice that with one exception all of our convention hotels allow 1 to 4 people per room for one price. Each of the downtown hotels will have their own parking facilities and there will be fees.

The eleven hotels on South Meridian will have free parking. We suggest you purchase a Bus Pass for each person traveling to and from the Cox Convention Center. If you drive you will have to pay to park each time you enter any of the parking garages. Our busses will only stop at convention sponsored hotels and the State Fair RV Campgrounds. Here again you see that our convention hotels allow one to four guests per room for the same price.

RV Camping will be at Oklahoma Fair Park, NW 10th and May. We have 300 spaces reserved for the dancing RVers. All spaces have at least 30 amp and water hook ups. There are a few 50 amp spaces. There is a dump station on site and for a fee the "Honey Wagon" will come to your RV space. Once again we recommend you purchase the bus pass for each person traveling to and from the Cox Convention Center.

Visit our web site at www.62nsdc.com to print your registration form. You can also make your hotel reservations from our web site. You can also find us on Facebook at 62nd National Square Dance Convention. While on our web site, you will find the tours we have to offer during our convention.

Tours and other events: While making your travel plans don't forget the

new dancer or the dancer that is attending their first convention. The dancing will be the easy part. We will have a Wednesday Special Event. You may choose to have dinner with us or just attend "Buddy & Beyond" a salute to the 50's and 60's special event. There will be square dancing after the show. You should order the Program Book when you register. These are only printed for those that preorder them and the daily schedules are part of the Program Book order. For all attendees, you will be provided a unique Oklahoma convention badge. While on our web site ( www.62nsdc.com ) explore the tours we will offer. We will offer three tours before the convention begins, and many more throughout the convention. This tour has a restriction, National Weather Center and Sam Noble Museum tour. The National Weather Center and Storm Prediction Center have security requirements that require us to close registration on June 7th. This is just the first half of this tour. Next you'll travel back in time when Dinosaurs roamed the earth at the Sam Noble Museum of Natural History.

A Bit of History: We missed it. The Oklahoma Land Run on April 22, 1889. At high noon on this day more than 2 million acres of unassigned land in the heart of Indian Territory were opened for settlement. Oklahoma Centennial Commission has engaged renowned sculptor and Oklahoma City born Paul Moore to create a dramatic reenactment of the event. This is truly a step back into Oklahoma history. The work of art will be one of the world's largest bronze sculptures taking at least eight years to complete. Each piece is bigger than life, actually 1 ½ times

bigger. When complete the approximate dimensions: 365 feet long by 36 feet wide and over 15 feet high. This art work is a must see while in Oklahoma City. This picture was taken while riding in one of the Water Taxis of Bricktown. You can also walk to this display from Cox Convention Center.



The Sooner the Better: Here in Oklahoma City we are working hard so you'll have an enjoyable experience. Don't delay making your plans and bring some friends. We are easy to find. If you fly the airline will get you here. If you drive three interstate highways (I-35, I-40 and I-44) intersect here in Oklahoma City. Visit our web site www.62nsdc.com to register and reserve your hotel room before your first choice is full. The Sooner the Better!

Ed and Connie Baker Publicity Chairman pub@62nsdc.com

#### STARDUST DANCERS Round Dance Club

SUSAN HEALEA, Cuer

Every Thursday 7:30 - 9:30 PM Catlin Grange #199

205 Shawnee St., Kelso, Washington

### Lacev Daisvs

1st Saturday No Dance Jul or Sep Lac-A-Do Hall - 1721 46th NE, Olympia WA Pre-Rounds 7:30, Mainstream 8:00-10:30 Caller: Don Wood, Cuer: Ron Woolcock Caravans & guests always welcome

#### SQUARE STEPPERS

2nd Sat ea Month & rd PLUS 8 -10:00 PM KSDC, GORST, WA

**Caller MIKE DESISTO** 

Caravans/Mystery Trips/Camping For Info Call: (360) 377-9494

### OUND-A-BO

Lac-A-Do Hall -- Olympia

1st Tuesday & 3rd Fridays 7:30 - 9:30 PM Phase 2 & 3 Ron Woolcock - Cuer Randy Wulf - Instructor

#### TWIN CITY TWIRLERS

1st & 3rd Sat: Oct 1, 2011 thru June 2, 2012

Caller: Butch Suttev Cuer: Lorrayne Kennedy

Rounds: 7:30pm - Squares: 8:00pm (509) 758-3543 2130 Sth Ave, Clarkston, WA

#### COUGAR SQUARES

1st Sat Sep-Jun PLUS 7:30 MS 8 - 10:30 PM

3rd Thurs Jul (7 PM) / 1st Thurs Aug (7 PM) Dessert Evening-Sound Enhancement Caller/Cuer - JIM RAUPP

St. Francis Rectory Hall/Spencer Rd. off Jackson Hwy. Toledo, WA



#### PAWS AND TAWS

7:30-10:30pm Mainstream-Rounds-Plus Tip 1st Fri Sep-Jun; 3rd Fri Sep, Oct, Dec, Jan, Apr; 3rd Sat Nov, Feb, Mar, May, Jul, Aug Caller/Cuer Roger & Jill Spiese Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst Caravans-Mystery Trips-All Dancers Welcome

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"Harvest Moon Dance" Andy Garboden, caller ~ Marge Kost, cuer

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Andy Garboden, caller ~ Marge Kost, cuer

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www.pi-r-squares.org

#### **OLYMPIA DO-SI-DOS**

Second Saturday Year Round
Jim Hattrick, Caller
Joyce Sebree, Cuer

Pre-rounds 7:30 MS Dance 8-10:30 Sound Enhancement Finger Potluck Lac-A-Do Hall, Olympia, WA

#### R SQUARE D

2<sup>nd</sup> Friday & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday Plus 7:30 - Lonnie Sycks, Cuer Mainstream Dance 8 - 10 PM Craig Abercrombie, Caller Annual OCTOBERFEST 1<sup>st</sup> weekend Oct. 360-425-0538 or 360-636-1993 Kelso Senior Ctr. 106 NW 8th Ave., Longview, WA

#### HARBOR HAYLOFTERS

1st Saturday October - June Caller: Randy & Chris Carlson Pre Rounds 7:30 Ms Dance 8 -10:30 Aberdeen Eagles, 200 W Market - Aberdeen, WA

#### RUFF & RUFFLES

3rd Saturdays, 8-10:30 p.m. MS Jim Raupp, Caller Susan Healea, Cuer

Catlin Grange, 205 Shawnee Street, Kelso Using Williams Sound System Check dates at 503-556-2319 Peggy Rolf

Swinging Squares Plus Club
2nd & 4th Fridays Sep - June
Pre Rounds 7:30-8 PM Dance 8-10:30 PM
Caller: Tom Tomlinson
Cuer: Lorraine Rouse
Valley Square Dance Hall
1705 Willow St - Sumner, WA

Dance with Us the Third Saturday Each Month We dance the 2nd Tues in June July & Aug. 7-9pm

Caller: Glenn Raiha Cuer: Ron Woolcock

Pre-rounds 7:30 – 8:00PM Dance 8:00 – 10:30 PM

Grand Squares
Lac-A-Do Hall
1721 46th Ave NE
Olympia, WA
360-413-6913

#### **SOUARE 1 PLUS**

Ist Friday - 7:30 - 10:00 PM 3rd Sunday - 6:30 - 9:00 PM Gunter Monroe Caller George Haller Cuer Lac-a-do Hall, Olympia, WA Info: 360-754-1830

#### **GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS**

1st Saturday of each month, except
January & September - 1st 3st Saturdays
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Mainstream & Rounds 8 pm to 10:30 pm
Come and Dance with us at KSDC, Gorst, WA
Caller: Charlie Wofford
Cuer: Carolyn & Larry Small
For More Info Call: 360.692.3723

#### ROUND SQUARES

4th Sat 7:30 - 10:00 MS
3rd Sat Dec only
KSDC. GORST, WA
WILLIE SEWELL, Caller
JOYCE SEBREE, Cuer
Caravans, Mystery Trips - Camping S12 per night

South Sound Singles

1st & 3rd Sat: 8 -10:30PM

New Caller: Kenny Freeman

Cuer: Lorraine Rouse

Mainstream/every 3rd tip Plus

5th Friday: Please call first.

INFO: 253-851-5773

Collins Grange 3404 - 120th St E, Tacoma

#### **BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES**

Mainstream, Plus Tip

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

STEVE HASLETT, Caller LORRAINE ROUSE, Cuer

Collins Grange 3404 - 120th St E Tacoma

#### **Buzzin' Bees** MS Square Dance Club

1st & 3 rd Sat. at Hazel Dell Grange Pre-Rounds at 7:30 Squares at 8:00 7509 NE Hazel Dell Ave. Vancouver, WA 98665 Caller Bill Lundin Cuer Debbie Combs Questions? (360) 604-0893

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