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Happy Spring

Think and hope the snow is finally gone. Whew! What a February and early March.

We would like to wish everyone a Happy Easter, we hope your Easter holiday plans are all coming together to be with friends and family.

We know all the special dances will be very successful or have been very successful.

Are you welcoming all your new students into the fold? They are your future and inviting them to big dances this spring, no matter how scary it might be for them. The only way to make good dancers out of new dancers is to dance, dance, dance with them every chance you get.

We congratulate, all the club's that are having Anniversary dances this spring. Kris and I attended the Cascade Twirlers 70th Anniversary dance, that was quite a party!!

There are many clubs that have had long tenure dances I wish them each, many more years to come. Happpy Easter, yes he is risen!!

Always, Margaret and Kris, President Couple

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Thank you.



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A WORD FROM YOUR EDITOR Kathy & Frank Chase

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March has come and gone – ALREADY! But what a beautiful one. We had more blue skies than I have ever seen in the month of March here on the West side of the pass. I think Spring is here, YES!!

Cynda has been doing an awesome job getting the magazine mostly done before sending on to me to check over. She is almost ready to take over. When you see her and Larry out there on the dance floor, be sure to give her a "Great Job" pat on the back. I am so glad that she is working hard to understand this crazy job and I will have so many mixed feelings about giving it up to her in September. I will stay on to help when needed for a bit, but she will be the Editor in Chief. Way to Go Cynda!

Don't forget – All the Councils will be hosting Spring Festivals. Let's get out there and support where you live.

Thanks to everyone who supported the three different Alzheimer's Dances. I apologize that Frank and I were unable to attend either of them. But I am sure they were huge successes and any money that they raised will go to help fight this terrible disease. We need to keep on fighting.

> Take care all and Happy Dancing, Kathy (the Brat) & Frank Chase





2018-19 Directories are out and available for purchase. They are \$5 per copy Email Holly Gonseth at SquareDanceHollyG@gmail.com 2018 - 2019 State Directory Published by The Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington Rainier Council looks forward to hosting the 67th Annual Washington State Festival endezvou June 20-22, 2019 Scan this code Washington State (or go to URL to Fairgrounds register online) Puyallup washingtondancefestival2019.com It's sure to be "One to Remember" Featuring The "Ghost Riders" (live band) A fabulous lineup of Callers and Cuers from around the State and Nation Randy & Marie Preskitt (featured cuers) Michele Hill (featured clogging instructor)

A WORD FROM YOUR CO-EDITOR Cynda & Larry Clark

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Thank heavens February is over. However, March is still

▲ cold and white. As I write this, in the middle of March, it is barely above freezing and the snow is still piled high in the yard and more is falling, I wonder what is under all the snow. Are the hyacinths beginning to peek through the ground? Did the Tulip bulbs



survive the winter? My Christmas cactus is in full bloom. I guess with all the snow, it must believe it is still December. WAIT, We found out what was under all that snow. It's snow mld. The grass will need lots of TLC this year.

Larry and I attended our first State Meeting in Spokane. I got to meet, talk, and dance with some of you. SPOKANE COUNCIL did an awesome job hosting the meeting. My compliments to all who helped. The baked potatoes really hit the spot on a cold day. We were pleased that the meeting was changed, to be held on the same day as Jerry Junck's dance. It was the best! Thanks to the Wild Rose Ramblers for hosting the dance.



A special welcome back to FORKS HOEDOWNERS. . They are with the North Olympic Council. I'm sure they would like company if you

are visiting in their area.

I did part of March issue without a lot of help. April is going much smoother and I've done all of it with very little of Kathy's help. I'm getting this down. Yay! A little knowledge and courage could be dangerous...enjoy.

I really appreciate those that send their articles and ads before the 15th. I dislike hounding you (and you know who



you are) to get your articles to Footnotes. I have to meet my deadline. I really appreciate your effort to help me.

Thanks for all the wonderful pictures, they personalize our magazine and let others see what's important to your club. My compliments to Spokane Council, Central Puget Sound Council and Peninsula Council for the wonderful pictures. Those councils and clubs having festivals and special dances, send pictures (jpg is best). Be sure to check out the last page of Footnotes, there's a new addition. I hope you find it useful.

Larry and I can't wait to see green grass! We wish everyone a healthy, warm, & happy spring and Easter!

Cynda (and Larry) Clark



I appologize to all who had errors and omissions in the March issue of FOOTNOTES. Hopefully, I have corrected all of them in this issue. Sou'Wester Council's, Harbor Haylofters, has an address change and Spokane Council's Valley Cross Trailers had pictures that were omitted.

They are in this issue, pages 68 & 72

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CANDIDATES FOR STATE OFFICERS • 2019 - 2020

PRESIDENT – Margaret (Kris) Kiser

(Blue Mountain Council)



Margaret has been dancing for over 40 years and has been a member of many clubs including Blue Agates, Gateswingers, Wagon Wheelers, Harbor Haylofters, Prairie Shufflers, and Muddy Frogs. They received the Gateswingers Spirit Award in 2010.

Club: President (4), Vice President (4), Building Committee (8), Chairman Spring Sashay (8), Chairman Plus Weekend (7), Area Council Rep (9).

Council: President (6), Vice President (5), State Nominating (8), Heritage Center (4), State Delegate (4).

State: President (2), Vice President (4), State Festival Co-Ordinator (4), Publicity & Promotion (3), Showcase of Ideas (1), Nominating Chairman (2), Education & Leadership - Chairman (1), Vice Chairman (1), Publicity (1), & Secretary (2). National: 2012 Vice Chairman Security, 2020 Vice Chairman Security. "FYI: I am running again to finish the By-laws and Standing Rules updates." Margaret & Kris received the President's Award in 2011.

VICE PRESIDENT – Glen (Tami) Shaw

(Mount Baker Council)

Glen has been dancing for 14 years with the Stanwood Sashayers and the Mt. Baker Singles.

Club: President & Treasurer for the Mt. Baker Singles, President,

Treasurer and Caravan Chair for the Stanwood Sashayers.

Council: President, Vice president (2), Advisor, 2015 State Festival Ways & Means Chairman

State: Vice President, Education & Leadership-Vice President, Treasurer, Publicity & Promotion, & Registration.

National: 2012 Ways & Means committee.

RECORDING SECRETARY – Judy (Bruce) Ottoson

(Spokane Council)



Judy and Bruce have been dancing for 30+ years. They dance with the Wild Rose Ramblers and have been with Tic Tac Toes, Jacks and Jenny's, Gateswingers and Kootenai Kloggers in Idaho. Club: Secretary, Council Delegate (4), Caravan Chairman (5), Footnotes

Reporter (8), President of Tic Tac Toes.

Council: currently President, State Festival Secretary (3), Registration Chair (2013/14), Footnotes Reporter (2), Hall of Fame Chair (3), Recording Secretary (3), Treasurer (1).

State: Recording Secretary (4), Corresponding Secretary (1), Heritage Center- Secretary (2), Vice Chair (2), Leadership Seminar- Vice Chair/Secretary (1), Chairman (1), Recorder (3). National: Vice Chairman Hospitality (2020), Pre-Convention Secretary (2012). Judy & Bruce received the President's Award in 2005, & MacGregor Award in 2015.

TREASURER – Tom (Donna) Rohde

(Central Puget Sound Council)



Tom & Donna have been dancing since 1986. They have been members of Square Rooters, Fantastics (Round Dancing), Lake Meridian Squares, Wagon Wheel Squares, & Dream Weavers (Exhibition Team) Club: President (2), Caravan Chair (1), Treasurer (8), Delegate (13). Council: Treasurer (24) State: Treasurer (10), Finance & Audit (4), 2007 State Festival Treasurer.

National: 2012 National Convention Treasurer. Tom & Donna received the President's Award in 2017.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY – Holly (Paul) Gonseth

(Central Area Council)



Holly has been dancing since 1978. She and Paul are members of Gateswingers and Silhouette Dancers. Club: President, Council Delegate Council: Treasurer State: Corresponding Secretary

> PLEASE POST ON YOUR CLUB BULLETIN BOARD Completed ballots must be postmarked no later than April 19, 2019

MINUTES FROM THE STATE MEETING MARCH 2, 2019 SPOKANE WASHINGTON



Condensed version of the minutes from the State Meeting held in Spokane, March 2, 2019.

Letricia Hatch emphasized the importance of using "like" and "share" on Facebook use.

Linda Willand outlined topics for Leadership Seminar in July.

Festival 2018 reimbursed the State \$5,200 profit, with 664 in attendance.

Festival 2019 Rainier Rendezvous with the Ghost Riders (live band) accompanying local and national callers; featuring cuer Randy & Mary Preskitt and Michelle Hill for clogging.

Festival options are being worked on for 2021. 2022 in Spokane is working on the best facility and theme.

Tom Corning audited the financial records and approved them through 2018.

Kay Mahan has filed tax documents. Leadership will present tax guidelines at this year's Seminar.

Donna Rohde has the photo albums up to date; she commended Holly Gonseth for the Directory resources she uses constantly.

Richard Snyder outlined club renewals and membership; see Footnotes for processes; he and Barbara will be presenting information at Seminar this summer, as well.

Cynda reported on Footnotes and submitting articles and photos (with the attachments name identified as to Council) and send to **footnotes_wa@yahoo.com** only. Footnotes has a sufficient balance that the \$0.50 per member isn't needed at this time.

Officers for 2019-20: Ballots will include the names of current Board members; dancers are encouraged to submit other applicants for each office for the new dance season. Youth Coordinator requests that articles be sent to: youthcoordinator@squaredance-wa.org. BMI/ASCAP/SESAC – Check received for \$131 from 2018 State Festival and submitted to ASCAP.

Publicity/Promotion – Lane emphasized the use of "hashtags" (#SeenHavingFun) to your square dance social media articles and pictures which can assist positioning the club or dance higher in the viewing.

NEC – Don & Cheryl sent a report regarding (2019 in Atlanta, Georgia, 2020 in Spokane and 2021 in Jackson) national conventions.

Nina Leisi listed the rounds of the month for the months October-March (March is a Classic two-step, Dancing Shadows choreographed by Edna & Gene Arnfield).

Council Delegates gave reports from their areas.

Youth Scholarship Committee suggested age changes from (17-21) be changed to (16-22). Deadline for applications is April 30. Student ID and name of institution should be required.

Roger Barnes presented the Committee's suggested edits to the Federation's By-Laws and Standing Rules; it's an ongoing process.

Lane Johnston proposed setting up an annual budget for Publicity & Promotion; seconded and passed. A second motion regarding clubs was defeated.

Motion by Richard Snyder, seconded and passed to grant membership to Forks Hoedowners of the North Olympic Council be admitted to the Federation.

Next meeting in Yakima Square & Round Dance Center in Moxee on May 11, 2019. See you there!

Thanks, Judy Ottoson





Square & Folk Dance Federation of Washington

May State Meeting Saturday 9:00 AM May 11, 2019

Hosted by





All Events at (unless noted) Yakima Square & Round Dance Center – 207 E Charron Rd, Moxee

Thursday Night Round Dance

Thursday, May 9th Hosted by Silhouette Dancers 7:30 – 8:00 Light Refreshment Welcome 8:00 – 10:00 Phase 2-3-4 Dancing Cuer: Debbie (Paul) Taylor

Friday Night MS Dance

Friday May 10th Hosted by Central Area Council 7:30 – 9:30 Callers & Cuers from the Floor

Aft Kay

MC'd by Daron Tandberg & Cyndi Silicki After Dance Refreshments – Rootbeer Floats

Saturday Night MS Dance Kay Tandberg President's Award Dance

Saturday, May 11th Hosted by Blue Agates 7:00 – 7:30 Pre-Rounds 7:30 – 9:30 Dance Caller: Daron (Kresin) Tandberg Cuer: Cyndi Silicki After Dance Refreshments





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2019 Washington State Square Dance Festival June 20—22, 2019 Washington State Fair— Showplex Puyallup, WA		L L	355 With Local and National Callers	\$10 Thursday Trail-in 7-10nm: Friday & Saturday 9am to 10nm			CityStateZIP	Email	Club Council Adult Youth Subtotal			Total Number of Nights Camping:	Camping is \$35 per night. On what day will you arrive? 🛛 Thursday 🔲 Friday 🔲 Saturday	Please Mail Registration To:	Exp 2704 50th Ave NE	CVV CVV 1 acoma, WA 98422	Please make checks payable to: 2019 WA State Festival. Refunds available until May 31st 2019 less administrative fees. Email: solo@dosido2go.com
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Get a Room!

Update regarding room accommodations for the WA State Festival (June 20-22)!

Rooms are filling up fast and, since other events are happening in the area at the same time as ours, we've been advised that rates will be going up for hotels near the WA State Fairgrounds in Puyallup. If you haven't already reserved your rooms at one of these three properties, you're encouraged to act fast to make a reservation before the price* goes up. You can make your reservation online using one of the links below. If you reserve by phone, be sure to mention that you want to reserve at the "Square Dancer Group Rate".

Best Western Premier Plaza Hotel & Conference Center (1.5 miles south of Fairgrounds) Book Online: WA State Square Dancing Federation – https://washingtondancefestival2019.com/hotels-nearby-interactive/

Front Desk: 253-848-1500

 Fairfield by Marriott (adjacent to Fairgrounds)
 Book Online: WA State Square Dancing Federation – https://washingtondancefestival2019.com/hotels-nearby-interactive/ Front Desk: 253-770-3100
 Central Reservations: 888-236-2427

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Book Online: WA State Square Dancing Federation – https://washingtondancefestival2019.com/hotels-nearby-interactive/
Front Desk: 253-848-4900
Central Reservations: 877-666-3243

*Square Dancer Rate (based upon availability at the time the reservation is made) ends 5/20/19!



MEMBERSHIP & INSURANCE Richard & Barbara Snyder

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By the time you read this, all the club treasurers should have received the INDIVIDUAL membership renewals through email from us for the 2019-2020 dance season. Once



again we are doing this process through email. Returning this information back to us will still have to be done via snail mail because you will be sending us

a check. If you are a club treasurer and you have not received this individual membership renewal from us by the time you read this article, please let us know. This email includes your club membership list, invoice, and instructions and is sent to the club treasurers we have on file. If you receive this email and you are not the current club treasurer, please pass it on to the club treasurer. We will email you your club membership list along with the invoice and instructions and we are emphasizing that we want you to print your club membership list as emailed to you, make the necessary corrections on that list, and return it to us with the invoice and check. Remember the deadline for returning this information along with your check is May 31st.

We can only input what you give us. PLEASE make sure your zip codes are correct (we have found as many as

three different zip codes for the same person at the same address), your addresses are correct (we have found different numbers for the same person on the same



street address along with NE and NW, SE and SW, etc), and the names are spelled correctly (especially name changes caused by marriage and divorce). Errors diminish the effectiveness of our database and make it nearly impossible to verify an individual's membership. Please spend a little more time proofreading (fix the typos)!

> Take care, Richard and Barbara

In a group of people waiting to get on the ski lift one of the women complained that she was in dire need of a restroom. Her husband told her not to worry, that he was sure there was one at the top of the lift. He was wrong, of course, and the pain did not go away. If you've ever had nature hit its panic button in you, then you know that a temperature of 12 below zero doesn't help matters. There were not many options. Her husband suggested that since she was wearing an all white ski outfit, she should go off in the woods. No one will even notice, the white will provide



more than adequate camouflage. She headed for the tree line, began disrobing, and proceeded to do her thing. If you've ever



parked on the side of a ski slope then you know there is a wrong way and a right way to set your skis. Yup, she had them the wrong way. Steep slopes are not forgiving. Without warning the woman found herself skiing backward, out of control, racing through the trees, somehow missing all of them, and

into another slope. Her derriere and reverse side were still bare, pants down around her knees, and picking up speed all the while,

creating an unusual vista for all the other skiers. The woman skied, defined loosely, back under the lift and collided with a pylon. She broke her arm and was unable to pull up her ski pants. At long last, her husband arrived, put an end to the nudie show, went to the base of the mountain, summoned the ski patrol, and finally she was transported



to a hospital. In the emergency room a man with a broken leg was put in the bed next to hers. Making small talk she asked, "How did you break your leg?" "It was the darndest thing you ever saw" he said "I was riding up the ski lift, and suddenly I couldn't believe my eyes! There was this crazy woman skiing backward, out of control, down the mountain with her bare bottom hanging out and pants down around her knees. I leaned over to get a better look and fell out of the lift."

"So, how did you break your arm?"



50TH ANNUAL EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP SEMINAR Barbara & Mickey Franz

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Think Summer Think Campout Think Seminar

We have a nationally known caller. Plus at the Friday night dance we will dance to some fine Washington state callers that you probably had not heard before.

The camp ground is large and can accommodate over 100 RV's and tents most have power and water, unfortunately the nearest motels are 11 miles in Cle Elum.

Refreshments are available all weekend soda and ice cream plus coffee and tea.

We usually have a potluck on Saturday & pancakes on Sunday hosted by Circle 8.

There is an after-party skit put on by the club hosting the next year's State Festival and as usual several unofficial after-parties .

Will be looking forward to meeting you.

Respectfully, Barb and Mickey Franz





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

July 12 - 14, 2019



Gary Shoemake Caller/Keynote Speaker Seviervillde, TN

with



Nina Leisi Cuer/State Round Dance Coordinator Cheney, WA



Registration Information

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

Directions to Circle 8 Ranch 651 Lund Lane Cle Elum, WA 98922

From Seattle:

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

From Spokane:

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

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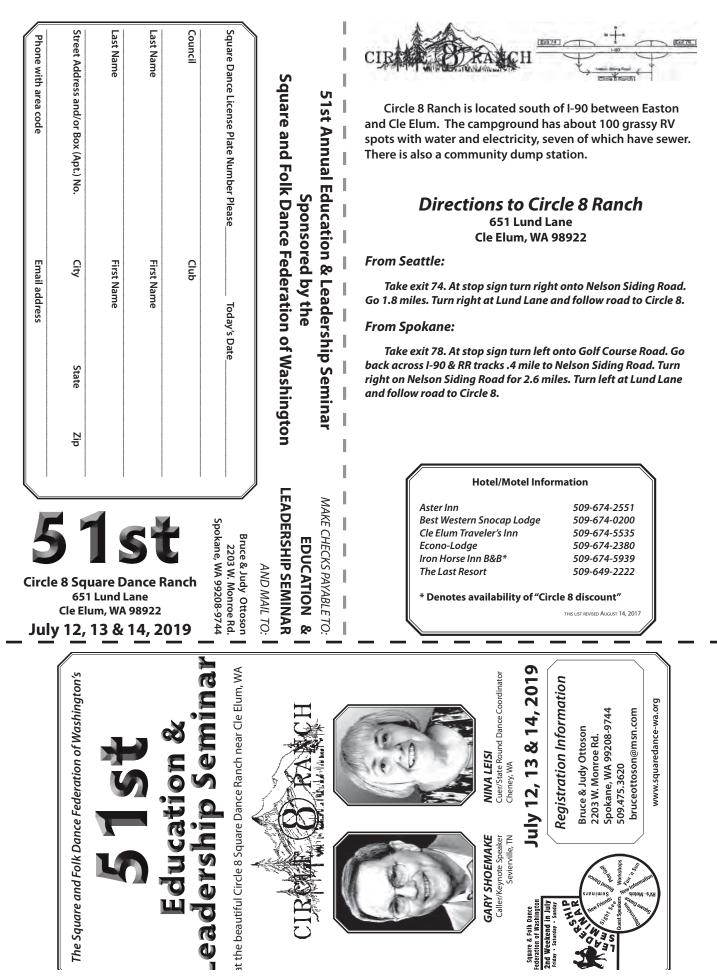
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JIM'S SQUARE DANCE CALLER CORNER

Jim & Thelma Swanson

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For April I'll spring right into Plus "Get Ins". I have a few Static Square (SS) to Zero Box (ZB) or Zero Wave (ZW), and a few Static Square (SS) to Zero Line (ZL) "Get Ins".

PLUS (SS) to (ZB) or (ZW)

- 1) Heads Touch 1/4 & Roll; Slide Thru[ZB]
- 2) Heads Single Circle to a Wave; Explode & Turn thru[ZB]
- 3) Heads Single Circle to a Wave; Slide Thru[ZB]
- 4) Heads Extend; Fan the Top; Same Men Run; Veer Left[ZB]
- 5) Heads Extend; Linear Cycle; Centers Pass Thru[ZB]
- 6) Heads Extend; Explode & Right & Left Thru; Centers Pass thru[ZB]
- 7) Heads Extend; Explode & Spread; All Star Thru; Centers Pass Thru[ZB]
- 8) Heads Star Thru & Spread; All Star Thru; Centers Pass Thru[ZB]
- 9) Heads Star Thru & Spread; All Pass Thru; Crossfire; Ping Pong Circulate; Extend; [ZW]
- 10) Heads Star Thru; Double Pass Thru; Peel Off & Roll; Centers Pass Thru[ZB]
- 11) Heads Pass the Ocean; Ping Pong Circulate; Extend; Explode & Slide Thru[ZB]
- 12) Heads Pass the Ocean; Extend; Acey Deucey; Spin Chain & Exchange the Gears[ZW]
- 13) Head Ladies Chain; Sides Pass the Ocean; Extend; Spin Chain & Exchange the Gears[ZW]
- 14) Head Ladies Chain; Sides Lead Right; Right & Left Thru; Spin Chain the Gears[ZW]
- Heads Lead Right; Pass the Ocean; Fan the Top; Men Circulate[ZW]
- Heads Lead Right; All Ladies U-Turn Back;; Coordinate; Veer Right; Trade By[ZB]
- 17) Heads Pass the Ocean; Ladies Trade; Recycle; Double Pass Thru; Track 2[ZW]
- 18) Heads Rollaway; Sides Slide Thru & Spread;

PLUS (SS) to (ZL)

- 1) Heads Extend; Ladies Trade; Explode the Wave; Pass the Ocean; Recycle.
- 2) Heads Extend; Fan the Top; Extend; Fan the Top; Explode & Slide Thru
- Heads Extend; Fan the Top; Extend; Fan the Top; Extend; Partner Trade.
- 4) Heads Extend; Fan the Top; Extend; Ladies Trade; Linear Cycle
- 5) Heads Extend; Fan the Top; Extend; Explode & Flutter Wheel
- 7) Heads Extend; Fan the Top; Extend; Recycle; Slide thru
- 8) Heads Extend; Spin the Top; Turn Thru; Extend; Ladies Trade; Linear Cycle
- 9) Heads Single Circle to a Wave; Ladies Fold;mPeel the Top; Extend; Explode & Flutter Wheel
- 10) Heads Single Circle to a Wave; Ladies Fold; Peel the Top; Extend; Fan the Top; Explode & Slide Thru
- 11) Sides Face; All Extend; Center Ladies Trade; Fan the Top; Hinge; Men Run[1P2P]
- 12) Sides Face; All Extend; Grand Swing Thru; Extend; Chase Right; Men Run
- 13) Side Ladies Chain; Heads Star Thru & Spread;All Star Thru; Centers Extend; Ping Pong Circulate;Extend; Explode & Reverse the Flutter
- 14) Side Ladies Chain; Heads Star Thru; Double Pass Thru; Peel Off & Roll; Double Pass Thru; 1st Couple Right; Next Couple Left[1P2P]
- 15) Head Ladies Chain Right; Heads Lead Right; Extend; Linear Cycle
- 16) Head Ladies Chain Right; Heads Lead Right; Extend; Fan the Top; Recycle

Let's continue to help each other be the best that we can be, so that Square Dancing will be the best that it can be.

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NOTES FROM NINA

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Spring is about to be here on the calendar. I am counting on Mother Nature to match it with some spring like weather. We have seen a lot more sunshine in my part of the state. That is good news. Last month I told you I had been having some health issues. We don't have them completely resolved but I am doing much better. Thanks to everyone who has inquired about me.

We enjoyed having dancers from all over the state visit us in Spokane for the Winter State Meeting the first weekend in March. We are so sorry that the weather interfered with the original plans. Then some of you who would have come had conflicting plans when the meeting finally happened. If you came, "thank you." If you were unable to come, we look forward to seeing you soon. I have made my reservations for both the Washington State Festival and the Leadership Seminar. Have you?

Roundalab is now accepting votes for classic dances. Members may vote except for Cuer Members with less than 3 years of cueing experience and Affilliate members (organizations). Voting is done online at (www.roundalab.org) the Roundalab website. The deadline is April 15, 2019. If you have some favorite dances at any or all levels, let your cuer know. It may influence the voting.

Dan Bailly and I have been doing some workshops on favorite Phase II dances. Many of them are classics which were written before standardized cue terms were adopted. Even though Roundalab has established standardize cue sheets for the classics they are often more difficult to dance to cues than those which were written more recently. Our participating dancers have discovered that they are not that difficult to dance when one understands how to execute the cues in a particular dance. It has been really fun for me to see a floor full of dancers on the floor for Street Fair, Roses for Elizabeth, Feeling, Spaghetti Rag and others. One of the most fun evenings was when we taught Pearly Shells. Before everyone learned to handle the tamara sequence we had a few couples looking like octopuses (or is it octopi?). For those who know Dan, he had a complete hip replacement on February 19th. He is already walking around without even a cane and will soon be dancing.

The Round of the Month for April is "Moulin Rouge" by Lloyd and Ruth McKenrick. Other dances which were considered were "Love Lifted Me" by Susan Healea, and "Green Waves II" by Mary and Bob Townsend-Manning.



APRIL DANCE OF THE MONTH

MOULIN ROUGE

February 2019

Lloyd & Ruth McKenrick, 13151 SE 120th Street, Ocklawaha, FL 32179 CHOREO: E-MAIL: dancewithlloydandruth@centurylink.net (352) 288-4973 MUSIC: The Song from Moulin Rouge ARTIST: Arthur Murray Orchestra ALBUM: More Fabulous Ballroom **TRACK: #16** Download available at Amazon.com FOOTWORK: Opposite unless noted (Woman's footwork in parentheses) RHYTHM: WALTZ PHASE: II As downloaded - 45 RPM SPFFD: **DIFFICULTY:** Average SEQUENCE: **INTRO A B A B ENDING**

INTRODUCTION

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[1-2] BFLY WALL, Lead ft free, Wait 2 Meas;;[3-4] BAL L&R - sd L, XRIB rising on toe, rec L; sd R, XLIB rising on toe, rec R;

PART A

1-4 **LACE UP;;;;**

[1-4] **LACE UP** - Id W under jnd ld hnds fwd L, chg sds bhd W fwd R, cl L; fwd R, fwd L, cl R LOP LOD; ld W under jnd trl hnds fwd L, chg sds bhd W fwd R, cl L; fwd R, fwd L, cl R OP LOD;

5-8 CIRC AWAY & TOG to BJO;; WHEEL 6;;

[5-6] **CIRC AWAY & TOG** - circ LF fwd L, fwd R, cl L; cont LF circ fwd R, fwd L to fc ptr, cl R;

[7-8] **WHEEL 6** - comm RF trn fwd L, fwd R, cl L; cont trn fwd R, fwd L, cl R total trn 360 degrees;

9-12 WALTZ AWAY; X WRAP; BKUP WALTZ; LADY ROLL ACRS;

[9] WALTZ AWAY - trng L fc diag awy from ptnr fwd L, sd & fwd R, cl L;
[10] X WRAP - w/trail hnds jnd fwd R comm RF trn, fwd L to wrp pos fc RLOD, cl R;
[11] BKUP WALTZ - bk L, bk R, cl L;
[12] LADY ROLL ACRS - fwd R, fwd L (W begin L fc trn fwd & sd R acrs RLOD,) cl R

(W fin L fc trn cl L to OP RLOD);

13-16 THRU TWKL; THRU FC CL; WALTZ AWAY & TOG;;

[13] **THRU TWKL** - thru L (W thru R) trng LF, sd R trng to fc LOD , cl L;

[14] **THRU FC CL** - thru R trng to fc ptnr, sd L, cl R;

[15-16] WALTZ AWAY & TOG - trng L fc diag awy from ptnr fwd L, sd & fwd R, cl L; trng R fc twd ptnr fwd R, sd & fwd L to fc ptnr, cl R;

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APRIL DANCE OF THE MONTH QUICK CUES

Moulin Rouge Lloyd & Ruth Mc Kenrick Phase II Waltz Intro AB AB Ending

- I 2 Meas Wait BFLY;; Bal L & R;;
- A Full Lace UP;;;;
 Cir Awy & Tog BJO;; Wheel 6 Wall;;
 Wz Awy; Cross Wrap RLOD;
 Bk Wz; Lady Roll Acrs LOP;
 Thru Twnkl; Thru Fc Cl; Wz Awy & Tog;
- B Cir Awy & Tog;; Twrl Vine 3; Thru CP; Twisty Vn 3; Manu; 2 R Trns Wall;
 Fwd Tch; Bk Tch; Twrl Vine 3; Thru Fc Cl BFLY; Bal L; Revr Twrl; Thru Twnk; Thru Fc Cl;
- A Full Lace UP;;;;
 Cir Awy & Tog BJO;; Wheel 6 Wall;;
 Wz Awy; Cross Wrap RLOD;
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 Fwd Tch; Bk Tch; Twrl Vine 3; Thru Fc Cl BFLY; Bal L; Revr Twrl; Thru Twnk; Thru Fc Cl;

End Twrl Vn 3; Revr Twrl Vn; Thru Fc Cl; Apt Pt;



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Silverfish & Firebrats The Silverfish (Lepisma saccharina) and Firebrat (Thermobia domestica) are common household pests that eat almost anything. They consume paper (including cellophane), fabrics (cotton, linen, rayon, and acetate), and the starch-based sizings and finishes used to process paper and textiles. They will eat just about anything carbohydrate including wallpaper and it's glue. Silverfish and Firebrats are considered household pests, due to their consumption and destruction of property. However, although they are responsible for the contamination of food and other types of damage, they do not transmit disease. The carrotshaped insects grow to about 1/2 inch at maturity and inhabit dark cracks and crevices. They are wingless, can't jump and run from light.

The Silverfish prefers moist, temperate areas and flourishes at 72°F to 80°F (22°C to 27°C). Their shape, color and the wiggling motion, that resembles a fish swimming, gives them their common name.

The Firebrat is found in warmer, drier conditions, temperatures from 90°F to 98°F (32°C to 37°C). They like to be near fireplaces, furnaces and ovens, especially in bakeries. This liking for heat gives them their name. The geographical range is not precisely known, but they both can live wherever the requisite environment and food occur. They have been found around the world.

Good housekeeping is the key to avoiding an insect attack, and prevention is usually simpler than extermination. The most effective way to prevent an infestation is to maintain an inhospitable environment: Prevent high humidity and high temperatures in areas where fabric and papers are stored. Additional steps include sealing the cracks that might harbor insects and removing or sealing extraneous food sources.



Silverfish

Firebrat

These insects are a greater threat to paper than textiles, but they can still ravage a closet. If you find evidence of Silverfish or Firebrats go to https://www.wikihow.com/Get-Rid-of-Silverfish. There are many different ways to combat these pests. Consider using some of the preventative measures in your RV. The winter clothes you have stored in the basement are a bug banquet.

A large stash of fabric that hasn't seen the light of day for a while, could be harboring an infestation of these critters. Look for small holes in the fabric, tiny pepper spot poops and yellow stains. You can sometimes find cast off skin from molting. Mark the calendar for a day to go through all your

fabric and examine it for signs of damage. Vacuum and wipe down shelves. Line up some cloves along the back edge of the shelf or drawer before putting everything back.



In going through the stash, you will find pieces of fabric you had

forgotten about. They will inspire you with new creative ideas, or they will make you wonder, "Who bought that and what was going through their mind at the time?"

Karen Reichardt





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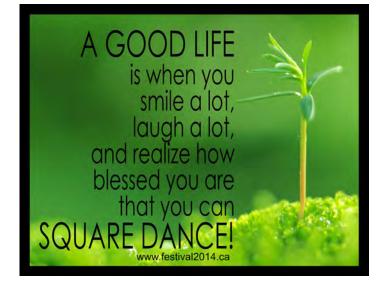
Whoo! Whoo! The 2019 Rainier Rendezvous State Festival is only two months away! Time to get out those fancy duds, put on our most comfortable dancing shoes, and get ready for three days of outstanding dancing and music!

This year, the Festival Committee is departing custom in a couple of ways of interest to solo dancers. For one, Solo ribbons will not be available. Instead, solo dancers are encouraged to purchase badges that indicate they are available to dance; such as, "Ask Me to Dance," "Solo," and a number of other witty sayings that can be purchased in the vendor section at the festival. For two, there will not be a separate seating section where dancers who don't have a partner can easily identify one another. (We found this didn't work too well in the past, as may couples didn't notice it was a reserved section, and took the available seating, which defeated the purpose.) And three, there will not be any formalized single gatherings.

In the past festivals, there have been "single" lunches, and "single" ice breakers. I remember one, in particular, when single dancers were invited to do speed dating. The beaus would sit in a chair, and the belles would rotate in a circle from one chair to the next, spending two minutes introducing themselves to the beau. The idea was to get to know one-another's names, and a little bit more, so you wouldn't be quite so shy about approaching one another to dance. I thought this was a great idea, and it seemed to work well that year, but I've never seen it tried again. Unfortunately, the festival committee has not been successful in finding someone willing to organize activities, so we will do without.

As much as we would all like someone else to arrange activities so we can identify potential dance partners, this year it will be up to individuals. I hope all single people have been paying attention to past articles and are now able to dance as a beau or as a belle; if so, you will enjoy as much time on the floor as you wish. If not, I urge you to not be shy, but step into a square and hold up your crooked finger, indicating you need a partner. This can be scary, but remember you are among an extended family of square dancers, and one of your family members will appear beside you. Another thing that is scary, but well worth the effort, is to ask another single dancer or dancers if they have plans for dinner. Everyone will need to leave the Sportsplex during the dinner hour, so take the initiative, and ask another dancer if they'd like to join you at a neighborhood eatery. 50/50 says they will appreciate the invitation and jump at the chance for some company. The alternative is to go to a local eatery, look around (they will be jam-packed), and ask to join a table that has already been seated. Chances are, you will be welcomed with open arms. (Hint: The younger the dancers, the warmer the welcome.)

> Meanwhile, keep practicing the opposite position, By Marsha Sullivan



Square Dancing is Friendship Set to Music!





YOUTH COORDINATOR Caleb Hatch 425-229-0418 caleb@hatch.net

Welcome Spring!

For those of us preparing for the Pacific Northwest Teen Square Dance Festival (PNTSDF), our days are filled with Round dance, Square Dance, Calling and Cueing practices as well as Club Exhibition practice. This means every week many hours are dedicated to learning to work together with others. Youth square dancing can really open doors to life outside of school and peer related activities.

While competition practice is amazing for a number of reasons such as developing dancing skills, listening-and-doing skills, developing friendships etc., not every youth dancer in Washington State is able to compete. Many clubs have only a few young members, which can be somewhat isolating. Dancing with multiple generations is a great character builder! Youth dancers come to appreciate the wisdom and capabilities of older dancers and bring energy which is a desirable factor in dancing.

While youth square dancers appreciate and enjoy interaction with older dancers in our clubs, they also love dancing with the energy and enthusiasm of their faster paced peers. Competition can create deep bonds with other dancers that those who do not compete might miss out on. Fortunately, there is another great way to meet other young square dancers: State Festival!

State Festival is similar to the Teen Festival without all the pressure and practice. Not only is there a LOT of great dancing, there is a program just for the youth! The Rainier Rendezvous (2019 Washington State Square Dance Festival) has a Youth/High Energy room set up for youth dancing as well as many other games and activities. Where else can you find every level and type of square and round dancing? There is also some line dancing and clogging to try out! Many of you have made life-long friends because of regional dances like the State Festival. This is a great time for youth to be building out-of-club relationships as well.

Do the youth in your club know about the Rainier Rendezvous? How about Teen Festival (PNTSDF)? It's possible that they do not. Perhaps YOU could let them know? How about the Timothy Dale Boggs Memorial Youth Scholarship? Did you know that there are up to three (3) \$1000 scholarships available to youth dancers that belong to a State Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington club? Please let your youth (ages 16-22) that are pursuing higher education know about the scholarship, and that the deadline to apply is April 30th. If they win the scholarship, they will receive a certificate at the Awards ceremony on Saturday morning of the Rainier Rendezvous!

I hope to see you at Teen Festival and the Rainier Rendezvous!

PNTSDF May 3rd and 4th in Silverton, Oregon, (pntsdf.org)

Rainier Rendezvous 2019 June 20th – 22nd Puyallup, WA (https://washingtondancefestival2019.com/)

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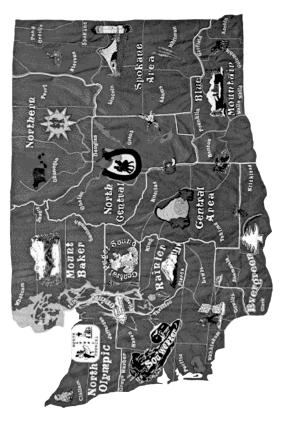
Please consider giving a donation to the Timothy Dale Boggs Youth Scholarship. The scholarship is given to students who are actively involved in square dancing and the funds must be used to further their education beyond high school.

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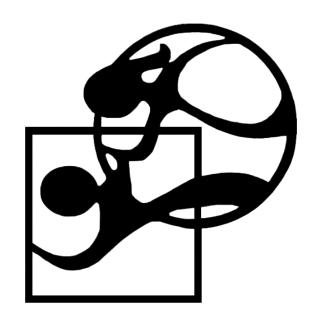
Scholarships are awarded at the Washington State Square & Folk Dance Festival held in June each year. Monies are paid directly to the winner's college or trade school.



Donations to this scholarship fund can be made through the State Federation Treasurer.

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IN MEMORY OF

Burley Doreen Mott

Past President of the Washington State Federation of Square Dancers 1981-1982

ongtime local resident BURLEY DOREEN MOTT, 82, of Castle Rock passed away March 14, 2019.

She was born April 10, 1936, in Lenzburg, Ill., to Lemma and Rosa (Greenwood) Matson. The family moved to Castle Rock in 1944 and Burley graduated from Castle Rock High School in 1954. On Sept. 10, 1954, she married Willis "Pete" Mott and became a loving wife, and eventually an adoring mother and a doting grandmother.

Burley and Pete were active square dancers from 1963 to 1999. Burley was a past president of the Washington State Federation of Square Dancers. She contributed to the Castle Rock Alumni Wresting Program and a was inducted into the Castle Rock Rockets Hall of Fame.

Burley enjoyed knitting and loved the beach, especially after a storm. She cherished taking her grandchildren camping at the family's beach lot. She will be remembered for her mischievous sense of humor. Burley was known to short sheet a bed and toilet paper a trailer. She loved being a snowbird with Pete, a good party, and a refreshing mimosa.

Burley is survived by her devoted husband of 64 years, Pete Mott at home; four daughters, Susann Pulse (Dean), Julie Davis and Donna Goodell (Terry), all of Castle Rock and Deborah Ingram (Steve) of Longview; nine grandchildren, Kasey Carroll (Jenny), Dallas Carroll (Alyssa), and Abbey LaBerge (Andy), all of Castle Rock, Benjamin Ingram of Austin, Texas, Samuel Ingram of Longview, Jessica Cloninger of Bethalto, Ill., DeAnna Davis of Edmonds, Wash., Tyler Davis (Sanjana) of Valencia, Calif., and Becky Grabenhorst (Kevin) of Toutle; 16 great-grandchildren, Nathan, Kaleb, Isabel, Jackson, Levi, Josiah, Titus, Parker, Preston, Isaiah, Charley, Jordyn, Jake, Jayden, Kiara and Brooke; two sisters-in-law, Betty Johnson and Margaret Yoss; and many nieces and nephews. Burley was preceded in death by her parents; her parentsin-law, Bill and Berniece Mott; six siblings, Cecil, Syble, Grace, Viola, Mary and Anna; and three brothers-in-law, Jack, Emery, and Jim Mott.

A funeral service was at Hubbard Funeral Home with Dave Knoeppel officiating. A luncheon followed at St. Paul Lutheran Church. A viewing was held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. prior to the service.

Memorial contributions may be made to Castle Rock Wrestling Alumni, in care of Kasey Carroll, P.O. Box 601, Castle Rock, WA 98611.



IN MEMORY OF CLUB MEMBERS

LEO NEUBAUER-Prairie Shufflers

BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL Area Reporter **Fran Delozier**

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The snow is finally over in southeastern Washington. It was sad that so many dances and lessons had to be canceled during the very unusual February and first half of March.

In February the Prairie Shufflers lost one of their member, LEO NEUBAUER. Leo and his partner, Joy, have been Shufflers for the past couple of years. Leo had been a square dancer on the west side before relocating to our area. He will be missed.

Darrell Klambaugh starts April, for the PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS, with our first regular dance on Friday, the 5th. Bill

SHOFFLERS, with our first regular dance on Friday, the 5th. Bill
 PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS
 Shufflers Shanty
 717 N. Irving, Kennewick
 DANCING 1ST & 3RD FRIDAYS
 SEPTEMBER-JUNE
 PLUS 7:00 - 8:00 PM
 MAINSTREAM 8-10 PM
 See Shuffler ad for dance information
 With pre-rounds
 by Bill Holm and
 mainstream at 7-9pm

Mike Sikorsky will be rare Thursday evening to call. This dance will mainstream at 7-9pm.

Hope you can come join us. On Friday April 19, Tom Clymer from Wenatchee will call a regular dance, along with Bill Holm cueing. Mark your calendars. Saturday, May 18th the Shufflers are celebrating our 64th anniversary. The remarkably talented Dan

Nordby will be our guest caller. Plus dancing in the afternoon, followed by a potluck dinner, then evening rounds and mainstream dancing. Bill Holm will cue rounds. Come join us



anytime. We dance on the first and third Fridays. Our regular dances start at 7 pm with one hour of plus. From 8-10 pm we dance mainstream with rounds between tips. Refreshments served. The Shufflers Shanty is at 717 N Irving, Kennewick. Hope to see you on the dance floor.

MELODY MIXERS Round Dance Club continues to dance on Tuesday evenings at the Shufflers Shanty. Advanced dancing is from 5:30 to 6:30 pm, beginning two-Step lessons from 6:30 to 7:30, and open dancing by request or short workshops on new or infrequently used steps from 7:30 to 9 or 9:30. A beginning Slow two-Step workshop started on January 15th in the 5:30 to 6:30 time slot, and will continue through early April. All Round Dancers are welcome to join us. Dancing is \$5 per week. On the second Tuesday of each month, we typically forgo lessons and

have a party dance, with the two-step lesson from 6:30 to 7:30 pm, and dance by request from 7:30 to10 pm, with shared refreshments



welcomed. Bill and Karen Holm provide the cueing and lessons for Melody Mixers.

The Milton-Freewater **MUDDY FROGS** have been rather quiet lately, due to all the snow and ice. We, along with everyone

else in our vicinity, are more than ready for spring and being able to put away our snow boots. We are looking forward to a special dance on



Sunday, April 28th, at the Community Building from 2:00-4:00 pm, with Roger Putzler calling. He's the one we have enjoyed dancing to for years at the Wallowa Mountain Rendezvous. There



calendar and join us for a great afternoon! FAMIY-A-FAIR has moved to the Veterans Memorial Golf Course for their new

will be a potluck following. Please put this on your

dance hall, 201 E Rees Ave, Walla Walla. We are still dancing 2nd & 4th Saturdays from 7 pm to 9 pm each month. Classes are on Monday 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm.

For more information call Carolyn Fesler, 509-520-90578.

TRI-CITY CIRCULATORS enjoy Plus Dancing every Thursday, from 6 to 8 pm at the Eagles in Kennewick. Tacos are



available for \$2. Anyone interested should contact Thelma at 509-539-2660.



PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS CALLER SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 2018 to JULY 2019

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

FRIDAY APRIL 5

DARRELL KALMBACH

MIKE SIKORSKY

THURSDAY APRIL 11TH

FRIDAY APRIL 19TH

TOM CLYMER

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

SATURDAY: May 18th Anniversary Dances Plus 3:00 Potluck 5:30 DAN NORDBYE & BILL HOLM Pre-Rounds 7:30 Mainstream 8:00

FRIDAY JUNE 7TH

ROB KRUM

BMC Dance JUNE 29TH?

SATURDAY JULY 20TH

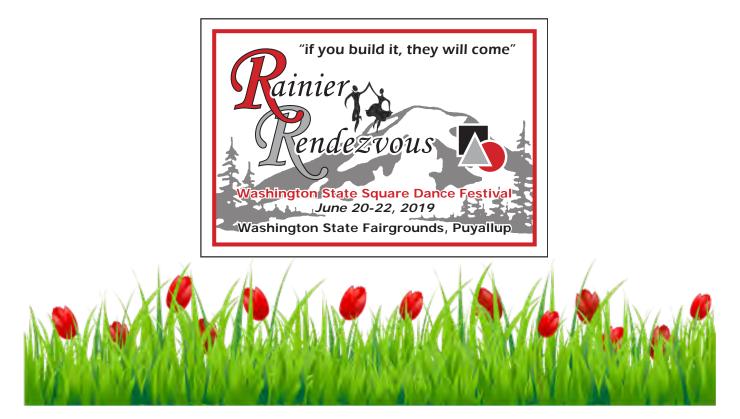
ADAM CHRISTMAN with TINA ALLAWAY Plus 7:00 to 8:00, Mainstream 8:00 to 10:00

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

PLUS WORKSHOP on Sundays 3-5 with DAVE BOGGS

SHUFFLER SHANTY 717 N Irving ST, Kennewick, WA

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





BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL DANCE SCHEDULE



Sunday -

Tuesday -

Melody Mixers: Rounds Ph 2-4..... Every Tuesday Year Around Cuer, Bill & Karen Holm
Shuffler's Shanty • 717 N Irving, Kennewick, WA
Contact: Karen Holm 509-542-1310 or bkholm@charter.net

Thursday -

Friday or Saturday -





The **BLUE AGATES** are proud of our new dancers. We had to delay their graduation due to lessons lost to the snow. But it finally appears to be over--with beautiful blue sky and sun shining today.

We enjoyed a fun night at Cascade Twirlers' 70th anniversary! The Black & White with black lights is amazing.

BLUE AGATE SQUARES 2nd & 4th Saturday 7:00 - 9:30 p.m. Caller- Daron Tandberg Cyndi Silicki - Cuer Swauk-Teanaway Grange, Cle Elum 509-304-4478 or 509-304-8040 We're hoping for a great turnout at our Anniversary Dance "The 70s" at the end of March. We'll be traveling

in April to the Gateswingers' Spring Sashay. It's always a great weekend of fun, food, and dancing to the Front Porch Trio and Susan.

Hope Spring is really here and you all have a lovely Easter!

Carel Edgerlycarel@centurylink.net

The **GATESWINGERS** are hoping for Spring...sooner not later Like most of the state we've continued getting snow,

even another light dusting last night as I'm writing this in early March, so it's been the talk of almost all conversation around here. But we're looking forward to this month for a BIG reason: Our 32nd Annual Spring Sashay on April



Sept. thru May: 1st & 3rd Saturdays 1st Saturday Pre-Plus 7:00 PM 3rd Saturday Pre-Rounds 7:00 PM Mainstream 7:30 -9:30 PM with finger food following the dance 4th Fridays Phase II Rounds 7:30-9:30 PM

Daron Tandberg, Caller,

Cyndi Silicki, Cuer Summer Dance -- 4th Saturday in July David & Sharon Boggs - Caller & Cuer Yakima Square & Round Dance Center Moxee, WA Info: (509) 949-6712 Gateswingers@ Circle 8 Ranch 2nd Weekend In August

26th-28thwith Jim Hattrick, Craig Abercrombie, Adam Christman, calling, and Susan Healea cueing. If you haven't joined us in the past, we hope you'll consider coming this year, it's a full weekend of dancing and fun at our hall in Moxee! And if needed, RV hookups are available for a nominal fee. See the add in this issue of Footnotes for more information.



Our students have graduated, and most likely yours have too, now lets do ALL that we can to keep them dancing by inviting them to travel with us when we attend a dance sponsored by various clubs around the state.

Later in spring we'll have our Memorial Day Plus Weekend with Steve Noseck and Debbie Taylor. This will be Steve's last weekend with us, we will miss him and we're very thankful for all the time, energy an effort he has given to help build this into a fabulous weekend. Brent Mawdsley will continue the tradition with Debbie Taylor in 2020.

Have a wonderful spring - if it ever gets here! Debi Danielson forThe Gateswingers

CASCADE TWIRLERS are looking forward to dancing with the Blue Agates at their Soup Supper on February 23rd. And then on March 2nd with the 4 X 8s for their anniversary

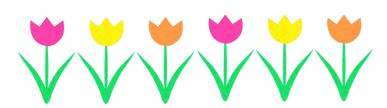
dance. March 16th is our own 70th anniversary dance, the popular black light dance with Greg and Sue Weber. We have been working hard on getting our scrapbooks up to date for this dance. Be sure to take time to look through them and take a trip down memory lane



with the Cascade Twirlers. Our Wild and Crazy dance is April 6th. **Fiesta Time**! Put on your sombrero and poncho and join us for a fun evening of dancing with Andy Garboden and Marilyn Holman.

Sandy Briggs

SILHOUETTE DANCERS Ist Thursday Intermediate Thurs - Ph 2 + 7:30-8:30 pm some intermediate Ph3/4 lessons 6:30-7:30 pm Dance/Workshop 8:30-9:30 pm Cuer: DEBBIE & PAUL TAYLOR Yakima Square & Round Dance Center -207 E Charron Rd - Moxee, WA 98936 509-965-3015 • Visitors Welcome





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Saturday, May 11, 2019 Honoring *Kay Tandberg*

Caller: Daron Tandberg & Cuer: Cyndi Silicki

Sponsored by the Blue Agates Pre rounds 7:00 PM & MS Squares 7:30 PM

Dance location: *Yakima Square & Round Dance Center* 207 E. Charron Rd., Moxee, WA \$8.00 Adult donation; under 18 yrs old \$2.00

Additional Info: J&M Rucker ruckm2j@gmail.com, 509-304-4503



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May 24, 25, 26, & 27, 2019 "THE GATESWINGERS"





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Steve Noseck Puyallup, WA



For More Information:

Kay & Roger Mahan 509-823-4675



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Schedule of Events

Friday: 7:00 - 7:30 PM Ph 4-5 Pre - Rounds 7:30 - 8:00 PM Ph 2-3 Pre - Rounds 8:00 - 10:00 PM PLUS Dance with Ph 2-3-4 Rounds Saturday: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Square Dance Workshop (Casual Dress) 1:30 - 3:30 PM Ph 3-4 Round Dance Workshop (Casual Dress) 5:30 PM Potluck Dinner - BBQ Hot Dogs Provided 7:00 - 7:30 PM Ph 4-5 Pre - Rounds 7:30 - 8:00 PM Ph 2-3 Pre - Rounds 8:00 - 10:00 PM PLUS Dance with Ph 2-3-4 Rounds Sunday: 9:30 - 10:00 AM Gospel Sing (Steve) 10:00 - 11:00 AM Intro to Advanced 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Advanced Dance (Casual Dress) 1:00 - 3:00 PM Ph 2 Round Dance Workshop (Casual Dress) 3:00 - 5:00 PM Square Dance Workshop (Casual Dress) 7:00 - 7:30 PM Ph 4-5 Pre - Rounds 7:30 - 8:00 PM Ph 2-3 Pre - Rounds 8:00 - 10:00 PM PLUS Dance with Ph 2-3-4 Rounds Monday: 8:30 - 9:30 AM Breakfast (Free) 9:30 - 11:00 AM Round Dance Review



Debbie & Paul Taylor

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CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL Area Reporter **Donna & Tom Rohde** 253-833-2825 donnaloul 3@comcast.net

CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL wishes all our square dance family a very Happy Easter. As this report is written in March, we can't let everyone know how our annual Lollapalooza was attended. This is the annual joint "Four" Council Spring Dance. The Councils that have gotten together are Central Puget Sound, Peninsula, Rainier and Sou'Wester. We always look forward to dancing with our friends from these Councils.

We also can't let you know who received Central Puget Sound Council's Jack Willison Award. Don and Laura Kurosu will be presenting this award on March 30th at a special dance held at the Kent Meridian Grange and hosted by Jet Steppers. I will let you know who this year's Recipients of the Jack Willison Award were in the May issue.

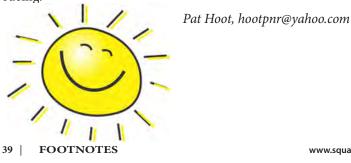
All of our clubs have graduated their classes and have been promoting the "Rainier Rendezvous" State Festival to be held at the Puyallup Fairgrounds in June; the Leadership Seminar in July; along with all the different events at Circle 8 Ranch throughout the summer.

We also have our students looking forward to the National Convention in Spokane in June of 2020. Some are surprised at all the different dances and activities square dancers participate in. We do hope they all will continue to dance. We all know how much fun this wonderful activity is and the health benefits we get from it. Not to mention the terrific friends we have all over this country. Happy Dancing!

Pat Hoot, hootpnr@yahoo.com

The **BOOTS & LACES** have had good times caravanning to other clubs around the area. It is always fun to see people you haven't seen or danced with for maybe once a year. Our students have graduated now and are having fun dancing to the different callers for our club. Scott Coon and Jim Raupp put on wonderful dances for us at our "Canned Food" Dance and "St. Patrick's" Dance in March.

We are looking forward to this month's dances with callers Susan Morris and Mike Olson and Debbie Taylor cueing.



The **JACKS & JILLS** are busy practicing and preparing for the upcoming Teen Competition at the

Pacific Northwest Teen Square Dance Festival (PNTSDF) to be held in Silverton, Oregon on May 3rd and 4th, 2019. Support the teens by buying a PNTSDF Button for \$2.00 to help support the Teen Clubs and this button is your admission to watch the Competition.



Donna Rohde for Ava DeBusschere, sunshinesparklee@gmail.com

The **PI-R SQUARES** are ready for April showers as the February SNOW was too much! We had to cancel two lessons

and one dance. Now on to better square dancing and keeping warm.

We have a dance on Saturday, April 13th with Andy Garboden and Kyle Quande at Meridian Grange that should show us the way for better weather and dancing. On Saturday, April 20th, we caravan to the Wagon Wheels "Hobo Stew"



Fundraiser Dance at Meridian Grange and they always put on a great dance with Rob Sax calling and Lorraine Rouse cueing.

Our big event for the month will be on Saturday, April 27th, as this is our annual "Auction" Dance. Lots of fun items to bid on that will make your day. It can be smoked salmon, dinner out coupons, dinner or brunch at a members home or something else you will enjoy.

Our "Spaghetti Feed" Dance held on February 23rd from the original date of February 9th was canceled due to snow, turned out great! Many brought homemade spaghetti sauce and we all had a great feed. We might have run out of salad at the end, but almost all of the 11 pounds of pasta was devoured. Lots of cookies for dessert and we did have one and a half cookies left over. One of our students brought the best and biggest cookies I have ever seen and the good thing is now we know we should get them more often. There were over 8 squares in attendance for this student level dance and everyone had a lot of fun!

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Jim Wells from Wagon Wheels had a "first" for the Pi-R Squares as the Split the Pot was large and Jim won both drawings. This must have happened as a result of Janet Wells being so nice.

Club member, Terri Kelley won "1st Place" for her spaghetti sauce two years in a row; Dave Graves "2nd Place" and Steve Bartram and Tom Rohde tied for "3rd Place"! There were 9 entries for the best spaghetti sauce judged by Dick Beham, Stefan Miller and Patricia Root.

Thanks to all who made sauce, worked on the dinner and all who came to eat and square dance. Thanks to Andy and Kyle for calling and cueing a great dance!

Come out any 4th Friday to the Cedar Grange in Maple Valley and dance "Plus" with Andy Garboden. A very relaxed and fun evening from 7:00 to 9:00 pm.



The summer campout for the Pi-R Squares

will be at the Circle 8 Ranch in Eastern

Washington the second weekend of August. Time for square dancing, horseshoes, dingle balls, visiting and plenty of potlucks. What a beautiful setting for our campout.

Come dance with the Pi-R's any 2nd or 4th Saturday at Meridian Grange in Kent with Andy Garboden and Kyle Quande.

> Terry & Marilyn Quinnett, mvjunkdealer@juno.com

Spring is just around the corner, and speaking of corners, we hope to see you at WAGON WHEELS Square Dance Club's April dances. We will be "fooling around" with some fun dances for your enjoyment. Rob Sax, our Caller and Lorraine Rouse, our Cuer assisted by her husband, John, will be springing into action to provide lots of opportunity for you to put a "Spring" in your step at Kent Meridian Grange.

Crazy Hats, Silly Socks April Fools' Dance - April 6th - At



this dance, you can make a fool of yourself and it will be welcomed. Wear your craziest hat and silliest socks and add to the tom"fool"ery. A round dance workshop will start at 7:00 pm

and the mainstream dance will be from 7:30 to 10:00 pm with a plus tip at 10:00 pm if there are enough plus dancers. Potluck will be served at 8:30 pm.

Hard Times Dance and Hobo Stew Fund Raiser - April 20th - After April 15th, it feels like the IRS has taken all but the shirts off our backs, so come to our "Hard Times Hobo Stew" Dance and commiserate with fellow tax-paying square dancers. This is a Fundraiser for our Club and a delicious HOBO Stew will be served along with other delicious "fixin's". Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm and Mainstream dancing will start at 7:00 pm with a round dance workshop from 7 to 7:30 pm. Cost for the Dinner is \$8.00 and the dance is \$7.00. Pi-R Squares will be caravaning to this dance, so join us and let's get lots of squares on the floor.

On April 27th, Wagon Wheels will be caravaning to Roamin' Tacomans in Sumner. Join us and help us support their club.

On February 16th, our Club celebrated Art Smart's "98th" Birthday. Art is our most Senior Member and has been square dancing for many years. We had six squares on the floor and we want to thank all of you who came out to honor Art who is still "dancing and kicking up dust!"

Wagon Wheels look forward to squaring up and round dancing with you all as Spring brings showers, sunshine, budding flowers and a lot of "Flutter Wheeling"!

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





These are the dancers who won from the PI-R Squares Spaghetti Feed dance for the best homemade spaghetti sauce.

Their names are: (Left to right)

- Tom Rohde tied for 3rd Place
- Terri Kelley 1st Place
- Steve Bartram tied for 3rd Place
- David Graves 2nd Place





CLUBS OF CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL ONGET SOUND







BOOTS & LACES - KENT

Apr 5 - Susan Morris — Apr 19 - Mike Olson Cuer: Debbie & Paul Taylor 1st & 3rd Friday - Meridian Grange 7:00 - 8:00 "Plus" - 8:00 - 10:00 Mainstream

JACKS & JILLS - KENT

Caller: Brett Kappenman Cuer: Kyle Quande Every Sunday - Meridian Grange 6:00 - 8:30 pm - Teen Club - Mainstream

JET STEPPERS - MAPLE VALLEY

Caller: Chuck & Lynn Martin Cuer: Linda Nold 1st & 3rd Saturday - Cedar Grange 7:30 - 10:00 - Mainstream

KT'S - MAPLE VALLEY

Caller: Kevin Thomaier Every Tuesday - Cedar Grange 7:00 to 9:00 pm - Plus Dancing

PI-R SQUARES - KENT

Caller: Andy Garboden Cuer: Kyle Quande 2nd & 4th Saturday - Meridian Grange 7:00 - 10:00 - Mainstream

WAGON WHEEL SQUARES - KENT

Caller: Robert Sax Cuer: Lorraine & John Rouse 1st & 3rd Saturday - Meridian Grange 7:00 to 10:00 - Mainstream

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Bachelor N' Bachelorettes-April 3-8:00PM (Pre-Rounds 7:30PM) Abernathy Grange, Oregon City, OR

Red Rock Squares-April 5-7:30PM (Pre Rounds 7:00PM) Redmond Grange, Redmond, OR

Country Cut-Ups-April 6-7:30PM (PLUS 7:00PM) Boring Barn, Boring, OR

R Square D – April 12-8:00PM (PLUS 7:00PM) Kelso Senior Center, Kelso, WA

Peninsula Council HAROLD RICH DANCE-April 20-8:00PM (PLUS 7:00PM) Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst, WA

SPRING SASHAY MAINSTREAM WEEKEND w/Front Porch Trio April 26-7:30PM, April 27-10:00AM-PLUS, 2:00PM-Rounds, 7:30PM-MS Yakima Square & Round Dance Center, Moxee, WA

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MOUNT BAKER COUNCIL Area Reporter Ronald A. Ward



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Previously, the MT. BAKER COUNCIL has been focusing on the recruitment of new students into square dancing, but recently it has modified its approach to focus more on retention of dancers. Specifically, it is concerned that there are many students who have taken lessons but are avoiding mainstream dances. They need more dancing opportunities at a lower level in order to gain experience and confidence.

To that end, the Council voted to sponsor a Basic Dance (Moves 1-48) each month for 12 months at a cost of up to \$200 for each dance -- date, location and caller to be determined by the Recruitment and Retention Task Force. The view of the Council appears to be that both Level dances and Basic dances must give newly graduated Mainstream dancers or progressing new dancers a place to polish their new skills in a "non-judgmental" environment.

If other councils are focusing on retention of new students, we'd be interested in hearing about what they are doing. In the meantime, here are individual reports from 12 of our clubs about April events in general.

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April finds the **DUDES & DOLLS** on Friday April 12th, having a night with Elvis. The Cascade Crossfires will caravan in to join us.

Saturday April 13th, Dudes & Dolls caravan to Rainbow Squares in Lynden to "Hop into Spring" with Brent Mawdsley.

Friday April 26th, Dudes & Dolls celebrate their 68th Anniversary in Black & White with the Mt. Baker Singles.

Our snowy Winter weather really played havoc with our workshops. We ended up canceling the left-hand, right-hand workshops from lack of interest. We used those vacant slots to finish up the snow-related canceled Booster and Flourish workshops.

Vicki Lieske, vbluec@hotmail.com

A warm Spring Welcome from the **FREEWHEELERS**.



A Big thank you to all of you who brought your new dancers to our "Forever in Blue Jeans" dance and experienced clothing sale in March. Spyder Webb did a wonderful job calling! We look forward to dancing with them at our mainstream dances on the 1st Sunday of each month.

We all enjoyed the Spring Council Dance in Lake Stevens. A lot of planning and hard work goes into this event. Thank you to the Fern Bluff Squares for sponsoring a great dance. In April we will have our mainstream "Crazy Hat & T-Shirt" dance on the 7th. Guest caller, Mike Olson, will call



and Debbie Taylor will be cueing. Wear your craziest hat and wildest t-shirt for a fun evening of dancing. We will not have a plus dance this month since the 3rd Sunday is on Easter Sunday.

I am really happy to get back to dancing. I really missed you all during my surgery and recuperation. Thank you all for your thoughts and prayers.

Ruth Jester, ruthjester@frontier.com

The RAINBOW SQUARES have been having fun with

colors this year, with most of our dances having a color theme or reference, such as Orange, Blue, Black & White, Purple, Green, etc. It's been fun seeing so many dancers joining in the fun wearing the color of the night!



Nine dancers were successfully promoted in March, under the skillful tutelage of Oren Gaskill and the many Angels who came out to help. We look forward to dancing with all of them at our dances in the future!

Rainbow's next two dances are 'Hop into Spring" on April 13th and "Brent's Favorites" on April 27th. Pre-rounds are at 7:00 PM with Amanda Mawdsley and Mainstream is 7:30 to 9:30 PM with Brent Mawdsley Calling.

> See you on the dance floor. Lew Gaskill, olgaskill@comcast.net

The **SQUARE CROWS** are looking forward to Spring with our April 19th dance called "Blooming Flowers!" With all



the precipitation we've had we should experience a bumper crop of flowers! Adam Christman and Karen Neverdowski will be on stage for this dance. Our lessons are going well and the students joined the fun at the Friday Fun Fest recently. Our thanks

to all the angels who have helped along the way. So far this season, our dances have been very fun with lots of creative costumes to go along with the theme. We hope to see all of you on April 19th!

Lynn Von Seggern, lynnvs@cablespeed.com

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

Our next dance will be a Plus "Flowers Dance" with Kevin Thomaier & Steve Edlund calling and Debbie Taylor cueing

on April 27th at the Juanita Community Club in Kirkland. Also, the Cascade Crossfires are selling raffle tickets for one couple to attend the Royal Romp Plus dance in November. The raffle is for dance admission only. Tickets



are \$5 each and the drawing will be at our April 27th dance. Please join us! Check us out at CascadeCrossfires.org

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

In case any of you haven't heard, our previous Happy Hoppers President, ROD DAVIDSON, passed away on Friday, March 2nd. He was a great ambassador for square dancing and did a lot for our club. He will truly be missed.

On Sunday, April 14th the **HAPPY HOPPERS** will have Brent Mawdsley and Scott Coon calling our "Jelly Bean Jumble" dance, with Brent cueing. On April 28th we will



have our "Bedtime Stories" dance with Steve Noseck and Karen Neverdowski. Both dances follow our normal program: Pre-Plus 6-6:30 and Mainstream with Rounds 6:30-9:00pm

at the Stillaguamish Senior Center. Check our website for more information and other Happy Hoppers activities: www. happyhoppers.org.

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

After the *Snohomagedon* of February the FERN BLUFF SQUARES kicked off March with a renewed zeal. As many clubs canceled February dances, March started bringing

> Fern Bluff Squares 2nd Saturday / 7:00 - 9:30 p.m. Caller: Ray Gallagher Cuer: Linda Nold & Perry Spires South Lake Stevens Grange 14402 NE 30th Pl.• Lake Stevens

more pleasant weather and a new round of lessons for Fern Bluff at the Monroe Senior Center.

This year we made a small change to our teaching lessons. On Thursday evenings at 6:30pm, our caller, Ray Gallagher, starts our sessions with a refresher for the experienced dancers and at 7pm we start the lessons for new dancers. We felt this was a way for the new students to see a 'regular' tip and what they will eventually be capable of. Our March Dance for the 9th was a theme of 'Moto Mania' and leathers were seen by a great group of dancers. Our dance for April 13th is our club anniversary and will have a 'Bunny Hop' theme, looking for

many to wear anything for Easter. Again we'll have Ray Gallagher calling and Linda Nold cueing. We look forward to seeing many of you at the South Lake Stevens Grange.



Randy Keller, rl_keller@msn.com

Spring is in the air! Join the **WHIRLYBIRDS** at the Hayloft for our April dance, themed "Let's go fly a kite." The



Hayloft is where it's at, and the date is April 13th. Dave Harry will be calling with Roxanne Boelter cueing.

As always, the First Friday Funfest is on the first Friday of the month, April 5. Join us and bring anyone who wants to give square dancing a try. March was

possibly the biggest turnout ever with 18 squares!

Ken Boehme, kennethboehme@yahoo.com

The **MT. BAKER TEACHERS, CALLERS, and CUERS ASSOCIATION** wants to thank the Mt.Baker Council clubs who have provided dancers for our meetings this fall and winter. We appreciate these dancers taking time out of



their Sunday afternoons in order for us to practice our craft of square dance calling. We want to keep improving.

By providing dancers for our caller workshops you are helping us do just that. This spring finds us planning two dances for the new dancers that started class in January and February.

We are also busy making preparations for our 14th year of Summertime Dances. These will begin on Thursday, June 6 at the Juanita Community Club in Kirkland. If you are in the Seattle area this summer come dance with us.

(MBTCCA) Susan Morris, suan@callersusan.com

Like every other club in the Seattle area, the **SAMENA SQUARES** February 8th, "Cupid's Crazy Cafe" dance, was snowed out, but dancers warmed up at our steamin' hot "Tropical Getaway" Dance February 22nd! We enjoyed a great



crowd and after surviving sno-mageddon we enjoyed the heat-wave inside our club house!

We held elections and are proud to announce our new club officers: Cynthia Kemp, President; Berdine Bagger, Vice-President; Jim Hunt, Treasurer; and Joan Smith, Secretary. Their term will run from May 1, 2019 thru April 30, 2021.

We had a fabulous class of new dancers graduate on March 28th. Susan Morris calmly and knowingly led them through the steps and voila! Please welcome our new dancers when you see them in your square!!



On March15th we caravaned to the Square Crows, always a really fun place to dance!

We had our "Red Nose Dance" on March 22nd, where we took donations, for red noses, as a fund-raiser to end child poverty.

Coming up: April 12th "All Birthdays Party Dance" (much appreciated by us July birthdays!). Roger Spiese is calling and the fabulous Karen Neverdowski will be cuing.

April 26th "Flower Market Stroll" with Susan Morris calling and Karen Neverdowski cuing! AND the Samena Squares are now accepting debit and credit cards at the door for dance donations!!!

We look forward to caravan on April 13th to the Fern Bluff Squares dance and we're all excited for the April 27th caravan to Rainbow Squares where we will stay overnight in Lynden and also visit the Skagit Valley Tulip Festival! Knowing our club, it will be a hoot!

Claire Ball clairemball714@gmail.com



SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS had a fantastic Annual Alzheimer's Dance, raising over \$8000. Joe Bahr, a member of our club spearheads this worthy cause each year. For 10 years this has been a wonderful way for our square dance community to raise funds for a great cause.



Several members of our club are off on a Panama Cruise. Details will follow! Great square dance friends often share many other interests, including travel!

Tammy Comeau, Tcomeau05@msn.com

The **FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS** will host their regular third Friday Plus dance on April 19th, with Guest Caller Andy Garboden and Cuer-Couple Bob & Linda Berka. We'll caravan to the Cascade Crossfires on April 27th for their

"Flowers" Dance with Kevin Thomaier and Steve Edlund calling and Debbie Taylor cueing. We'll also continue our Plus Workshops on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7-9 pm, with Gary Monday instructing. Our own dance is held at the Skagit



Valley Grange: Phase II-IV Pre-rounds at 7:00, Extended Plus Workshop at 7:30, and the Plus Dance with Rounds 8-10 p.m. Our Plus Workshops are held at the Masonic Hall in Mount Vernon.

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

Susan Morris Square Dance Caller Basic, Mainstream, Plus, Contra

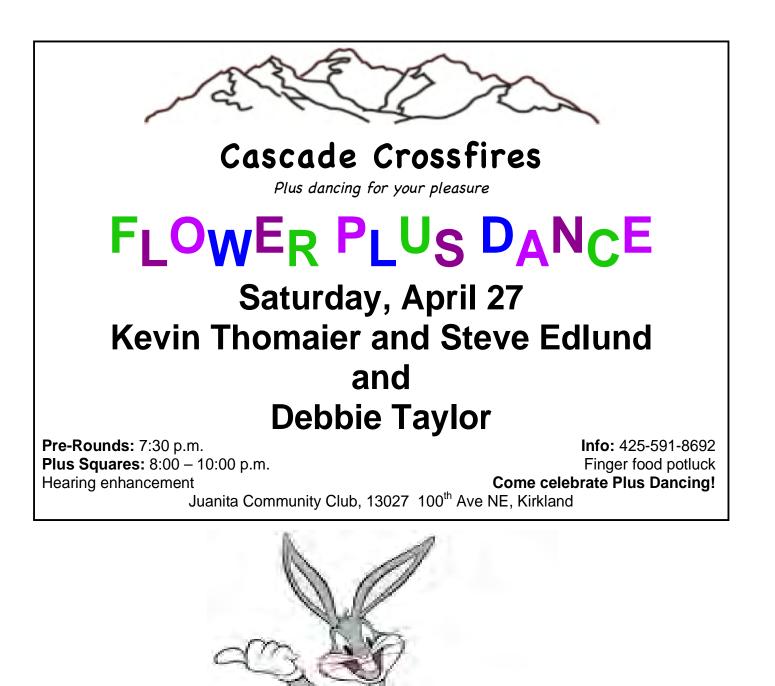
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CASCADE CROSSFIRES / Plus / Mondays - 6:30-9:00 PM Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood Susan Morris & Guest Callers	206 369-7131
DANCING SHADOWS / Rounds / Phases 3, 4, 5 / 1st & 3rd Sundays - 12:30, 2:15, 4 PM Juanita Community Club, Kirkland Debbie Taylor	206 362-3734
DUDES AND DOLLS / Mainstream / 2nd, 4th, some 5th Friday - 7:00-10:30 PM Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood Scott Coon/Debbie Taylor	425 337-2906
FERN BLUFF SQUARES / Mainstream / Family, 2nd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM South Lake Stevens Grange, Lake Stevens Ray Gallagher/Linda Nold	425 981-6202
FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS / Plus / 3rd Friday - 7:00-10:00 PM Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley Guest Callers/Bob Berka	360 766-6729
FREEWHEELERS / Mainstream / 1st & 3rd and some 5th Sundays - 7:00-10:00 PM Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood Roger Spiese/Debbie Taylor	206 367-9219
HAPPY HOPPERS / Mainstream, 2nd & 4th Sundays 6:00- 9:00 PM Stillaguamish Senior Center, Arlington Guest Callers/Guest Cuers	425 334-4374
HAPPY ROUNDERS / Rounds, Phase 3 & 4, Tuesday - 7:30-9:30 PM The Hayloft, Lynnwood Randy Preskitt	206 365-8095
MT. BAKER SINGLES / Mainstream, 2nd Friday - 8:00-10:30 PM Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro Woolley Dave Harry/Guest Cuers	360 391-5620
MT BAKER TEACHERS, CALLERS & CUERS Information: Steven Cole stephen@isquaredance.com	206 769-4959
RAINBOW SQUARES / Mainstream, 2nd & 4th Saturday - 7:00-9:30 PM	
Ten Mile Grange, Lynden Brent Mawdsley	360 220-4340
SAMENA SQUARES / Mainstream, 2nd & 4th Friday - 7:30-10:00 PM Juanita Community Club, Kirkland Guest Callers/Cuers	206 271-0654
SKAGIT SQUARES / Mainstream, 3rd Saturday - 7:30-10:00 PM Mount Vernon Senior Center, Mount Vernon John Corrigan/Bob Berka	360 661-2018
SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS / Mainstream, 3rd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM	
Triway Grange, Mill Creek Guest Callers/Karen Neverdowski	425 377-0756
STANWOOD SASHAYERS / Mainstream, 1st Sat Sept Thru June- 7:30-10:00 PM Stillaguamish Grange Hall, Stanwood Ray Gallagher/Bob Berka	425 595-9799
WHIRLYBIRDS / Mainstream, 1st Friday (Floor Level) & 2nd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM The Hayloft, Lynnwood Dave Harry/Roxanne Boelter	425 347-3847
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Maltby Community Center, Maltby Guest Callers/Karen Neverdowski	425 485-3842
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The APPLELAND PROMENANDERS were glad to see February leave with all of its snow. Wenatchee had the snowiest February on record since 1938. We had to cancel a dance. Fortunately, we are now continuing with our normal activities. Our students are doing well with their lessons. We had a level dance on March 1st.

On February 2nd, we traveled to the 4x8's club in Moses Lake for their Roaring 20's Anniversary Dance. We had a great night dancing to Kevin Thomaier. They did a wonderful job with the decorations and costumes. Kevin had some great music to go along with the roaring 20's theme. Bill Holmes also had cued some fun rounds.

We are looking forward to one of our biggest events of the year – the Apple Blossom Plus Weekend – May 3rd-5th. We are fortunate to have



Mike Seastrom calling and Debbie Taylor cueing. We have added a ½ hour of "A" dancing on Saturday. The dancing takes place in Cashmere at Vale Elementary school. There is close by RV parking at the Chelan Fairgrounds (1½ miles away). The fairgrounds have full hookups with 50 amp service at all sites.

Connie Mulholland

No MATTER bow winter, SPRING is sure **** to FOLLOW.

WHEATLAND WHIRLERS had a good time helping 4x8s celebrate their 67th anniversary dance.

We are looking forward to our anniversary dance April 13th



with Adam Christman calling and Bill Holm cueing. The dance will start at 7pm with no pre-rounds. Every 3rd tip will be a plus tip. Our club started in 1952. We will be dancing at the Ephrata

school, the same as last year.

We are canceling April 29th but will be back to dancing May 13th with Jim Swanson calling and Noelle Miller cueing.

The sun is shining and starting to melt the snow. Spring is on its way.

Have fun dancing Noelle Miller



Dancers, Callers, Cuers, Clubs Please visit and use the Washington Federation Web Site often

http://www.squaredance-wa.org

Send lesson information immediately to: Webmaster,Dick Beham webmaster@squaredance-wa.org Appleland Promenaders of Wenatchee invite you to our







Caller: Mike Seastrom

Cuer: Debbie & (Paul) Taylor

PLUS Dancing on May 3, 4, 5, 2019 Friday - 7-10pm, Saturday - 10am-10pm, Sunday - 10am-12pm VALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 101 PIONEER AVE. CASHMERE,WA

Registration fees before April 15, 2019 Weekend: Adults \$35.00 each, family, 2 adults + youth \$75.00 Fees after April 15th: Adults \$40.00 each, family \$80.00 Prices at the Door: Friday or Saturday evening; \$12.50 per person

Send registration check payable to the Appleland Promenaders to 292 Terminal Ave, Wenatchee, WA 98801-3745 Your check is your receipt!

Information: sqdncr@nwi.net 509-881-4961

applelandpromenaders.weebly.com has a flyer you can print!







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The Clubs of North Central Council



Appleland Promenaders – Mainstream

www.applelandpromenaders.com 1st Friday, 2nd & 4th Saturday East Wenatchee Grange • 3400 Sunset Hwy., East Wenatchee *Info:* Bob & Connie Mulholland - 509-881-4961 or sqdncr@nwi.net

Buds & Blossoms – *Mixed Level* 2nd Friday; 1st & 3st Saturday

East Wenatchee Grange • 3400 Sunset Hwy., East Wenatchee *Info:* Don Jackson - 509-670-3540 or imt655@hotmail.com

Cascade Twirlers – Mainstream

1st & 3rd Saturday East Wenatchee Grange • 3400 Sunset Hwy., East Wenatchee *Info:* Randy & Sheila Ogle - 509-663-2395

Moses Lake 4x8's - Mainstream

1st & 3rd Saturday Moses Lake Senior Center • 608 E. 3rd Ave., Moses Lake *Info:* Del & Jackie Chase - 509-764-4254

or deljackiechase@nctv.com

Plus Bunch – Plus Level

Every Wednesday East Wenatchee Grange • 3400 Sunset Hwy., East Wenatchee *Info:* Tom & Chris Clymer - 509-293-3516 or Tom.Clymer@charter.net

Wheatland Whirlers - Mainstream •

2nd Saturday; Sept.-Dec. 2nd & 4th Saturday; Jan.- June Ephrata Senior Center • 124 C Street NW, Ephrata *Info:* Judy & Harold Schock - 509-754-4803 or jaschock@homenetnw.net

ALL CLUBS DANCE SEPTEMBER THROUGH MAY WITH SOME SUMMER DANCES.







NORTH OLYMPIC COUNCIL Area Reporter **Trish Gaine** 360-683-2409 fasolard@olypen.com

other Nature has a funny way of reminding us who's in control. Due to the 1-3 feet of snow received around the Olympic Peninsula, the RHODY O's and 4PLUS4 clubs had to cancel their Blues Chaser Weekend in February. After talking with multiple people in Washington and British Columbia it was decided that it was too dangerous for many dancers to safely traverse the road conditions. A big 'Thank You" to all those that pre-registered or planned to attend the 2019 Blues Chaser - we truly appreciate your support. But don't close your calendars quite yet. Optimistically speaking,

next year will be better and we look forward to dancing with a record breaking crowd for Blues Chaser 2020. The 2020 event will be held February 21 & 22, 2020. Kevin Thomaier, Lynn Peltola and Steve Edlund

will be entertaining. The 2020 Mid Winter Blues Chaser flyer will be distributed soon. Be looking for it as you enjoy the remainder of 2019 square dancing in the Pacific Northwest.

And another big "Thank You" goes out to all those dancers that helped the Rhody O's celebrate 40 years of dancing at the Gardiner Community Center on last Jan. 18th.We had six squares of members, retired members and friends (thank you KSDC) to share our bountiful potluck with and also to dance with caller Thell Rooney and cuer Janolyn Keller.Our March square dances will be held on March 1st & 15th - same time, same channel. Any questions you know who you can e-mail. Trish Gaine,

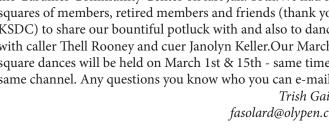
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PENINSULA COUNCIL Area Reporter **Kitty & Paul Ogg** 360-692-6032 kjoggpr@aol.com

Sweetheart Rounds is a perspective new club. They were given the courtsey of submitting an article for this issue before they are considered a club of The Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington.

C WEETHEART ROUNDS' Valentines dance had to be

Dostponed because of snow but 2 weeks later we had a very successful, fun and well-attended dance. We danced with our Valentines and graduated 13 brand new Phase 2 Waltz dancers. Phase 2 waltz is a significant



accomplishment which takes many weeks of practice - we are so proud of our students who worked so hard to hit this milestone.

With our Valentines dance so late in February it was only two weeks before we danced again in March to a Mardi Gras theme. John Jurgens found the baby in the King Cake and rather than having to buy next year's cake was rewarded with a free dance.

Our next dance is an Easter themed dance which will be



phase 3 from 7:00 - 8:00 and Phase 2 from 8:00 - 10:00. We are suggesting that dancers wear lavender or their Easter finest if they choose to. Easter bonnets are optional.

on Friday April 12th. As always we will dance

We continue to be so very excited about the growth of Round Dancing on the Kitsap Peninsula and thank the Bremerton area dancers for being so supportive of our new club. We couldn't do it without you. Sweetheart Round Dance club is cued by Shawn and Wendy Cavness. Lessons are taught on Thursday nights. Dances are usually on 2nd Fridays from 7:00 - 10:00.

Shawn and Wendy - shawn@cavnessfamily.com

ROUND SQUARES see our flyer for the Memorial Day Campout as we are planning for another fun filled weekend with all our friends.

Kitty Ogg – oggkitty@aol.com



PAWS AND TAWS Geoduck Pluckers dance was held March 2nd with lots of fun. Caller Roger used all his special dances. Walt and Debbie Jaynes were crowned the King and Queen.



March 16th was our St Patrick's dance with caller Steve Mazel and Cuer Shawn (Wendy) Cavness. Always a great showing of the green.

Because of the snow our theater tickets were moved to March 29th. Dinner and play in Poulsbo to see "Fox on the Fairway" - a comedy.

Our mainstream class is doing great and we are looking forward to spring weather.

Leota Lewis - Leotal@msn.com

SQUARE STEPPERS wish everyone a happy spring time. The snow is all gone and spring has finally gotten here. Our

April dance will be on the 13th. Roger Spiese will be calling for the dance. Come join us for the fun.



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

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

Barb Pennington -7 baldeldry@gmail.com

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

Kitty Ogg – oggkitty@aol.com

CALLERS & CUERS Held their monthly practice on March 30th with the assistance of some square dance volunteers to come out that Saturday morning.

Kitty Ogg, oggkitty@aol.com

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

Kitty Ogg, oggkitty@aol.com

GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS hope everyone is looking forward to welcoming Spring to the Pacific Northwest. I love the snow, except when dances are cancelled due to, too much of it.

The Gig Harbor Twirlers had a great dance in February with Larry Small (Calling & Cueing) on our 40th Birthday Dance, we had



about four squares of dancers. We got to celebrate before the arrival of the first snowfall on Super Bowl Sunday. See some pictures.

Our dance in March was great; with a family visiting from Shelton, Washington we had two squares on the floor. Hope to see more dancers as we "Hop Into Spring".

John McGannon - jmtmcg@hotmail.com







KITSAP SQUARE DANCE ASSOCIATION 2nd Life Clothing Sale finished up on March 22nd. The snow played a little with getting people to the hall so the profits are a little low this year – but just wait till next year and plan ahead to get out early to check out the great prices we have

on these great clothes and petticoats.

Kitty Ogg – oggkitty@aol.com







Round Squares Memorial Day Festival and Campout





May 24 -27, 2019

Mainstream/Plus Round Dancing Phase II - IV

Featuring



Cuer: Joyce Sebree

Caller: Steve Edlund

Weekend Schedule

Friday Dance: 7-8 Plus 8-10 MS With Rounds Throughout Saturday Morning Plus Workshop 10-11:30 Saturday Afternoon MS Workshop with Rounds 2-4 Saturday Dance: 7-8 Plus 8-10 MS With Rounds Throughout Sunday Fun Mainstream Workshop 2-4 Sunday Pot Luck Dinner at 5PM Sunday Dance: 7-8 Plus 8-10 MS With Rounds Throughout Monday Morning Pancake Breakfast

After Parties and Bonfires Nightly

KSDC 6800 W Belfair Valley Rd Bremerton, WA

Local Hotels where you can make your own reservations

Comfort Inn Port Orchard	1121 Bay St	855-849-1513
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The Clubs of Peninsula Council - 6800 W. Belfair Valley Rd, Bremerton Kitsap Square Dance Center in Gorst – kitsapsquaredance.com

DUDES AND DOLLS	SQUARE STEPPERS
Mondays from 2nd Monday in Sept to 2nd Monday in June	2nd Saturday each month
Plus Dancing – 1-3PM	Plus Dancing – 7:30 - 10PM
Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst	Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst
Caller: Don Smith filling in for Willie Sewell	GUEST CALLERS
More info call: Russ Richardson – 360-373-1822	Caravans/Mystery Trips/Camping
	More info call: 360-377-9494
GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS	KITSAP SQUARE DANCE CENTER
1st Saturday each month except	Gorst (Bremerton)
1st & 3rd in January & 3rd Saturday in September	RV Camping; \$15.00 per Night
7:30-8PM Plus – 8-10PM Mainstream	For Square Dancers
Lessons, Student Level Dance, Mainstream & Rounds	Water & Electric Available
Caller: Roger Spiese, Cuers Carolyn & Larry Small	Come Dance the Gig Harbor Twirlers, ,
Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst	Paws & Taws , Dudes & Dolls Plus,
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ROUND SQUARES	PAW AND TAWS
4th Saturday, 3rd Saturday December only	1st & 3rd Fri. September-June except March, 1st Fri. & 3rd Sat.
7:30-8PM Plus; 8-10PM Mainstream, Rounds	3rd Saturday only in July & August
Guest Callers	7:30-10PM Mainstream, Rounds, Plus Tip
Cuer: Joyce Sebree	Caller: Roger Spiese, Cuer, Shawn (Wendy) Cavness
Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst	Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst
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RAINIER COUNCIL

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their skills and build their confidence in order to assure that their first State Festival participation will be a positive experience.

We began something entirely new for our club in March! Marie Wood providing us with an introduction to Round Dancing, spending 45 minutes at the end of our Fun Shop evenings with an initial focus on Rhumba! With any luck, some of us will be able to round dance a little during State Festival. After Rhumba, we'll try our hand (feet) at Cha.

We are looking forward to attending the Big Dance on April 5th with the Spinners at Buckley Hall.

We are pleased to announce that the schedule is set for the 6th season of our Thursday-Nite Lites summer series. The series begins on the first Thursday after the Washington State Festival in June, and will continue for 10 consecutive weeks, finishing up just before Labor Day.

June 27th Don Wood July 4th Steve Mazel July 11th Greg Weber July 18th Andy Garboden July 25th Steve Mazel August 1st Stephen Cole August 8th Mike Sikorsky August 15th Tom Tomlinson August 22th Brett Kappenman August 29th Greg Weber



We host one weekend dance per month on the 3rd Saturday during the regular dance season. The theme for the dance on April 20th is Easter Parade. Feel free to wear a big bonnet! Don Wood will call, and Marie Wood will cue. The dance starts a 7pm with a half-hour "pre-plus" segment, then goes to Mainstream with Rounds at 8 pm, and for the rest of the evening.

We welcome all to come and join us dancing.

Gail Johnston, gailj@chessmenkastle.com

The BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES, a mainstream club, will join area dancers for the Big Dance at the Spinners on Friday April 5, and on Sunday April 7 we'll have a used clothing sale during our 4:30 - 7:00 pm lessons. Our annual tax-season Hobo Dance will be April 13. Preceding our April 27 no-theme dance we'll have a club meeting to elect our officers.



RAINIER COUNCIL. The 67th WA State Square Dance Festival, the Rainier Rendezvous, is less than three months away. Don't wait until "crunch time" to register for this extravaganza! Rainier is the host council for the event. We are working hard (it was a huge undertaking to begin with, and a first-time effort for many of us on the planning committee). We need the support of our entire square dance community statewide to make this festival successful.

Lane Johnston, lanej@chessmenkastle.com

ROAMIN' TACOMANS start the month off with a caravan to Spinners for the "Big Dance" on Friday April 5th.



The first dance that the Roamin Tacomans have planned for April is our "Daffodil" plus dance on Saturday April 13th. Pre-rounds start at 7:30 pm and the plus dance is from 8 to 10pm. On April 27th we are having a plus/

mainstream dance with a different start time and format. The theme is April Showers. We will be dancing plus from 7 to 8 pm and Mainstream from 8 to 10 pm. We will be welcoming a caravan from Wagon Wheel Squares. Tom Tomlinson is our caller/cuer and we dance at the VFW hall at 1705 Willow St. in Sumner.

Roamin Tacomans is a growing club. March is membership month and we had seven new members the week before March began. We always have a good time at our dances and hope you will come and dance with us and meet our new members.

Looking forward: Roamin Tacomans will be celebrating our 58th anniversary in May and will also be having another Sunday Plus dance in May.

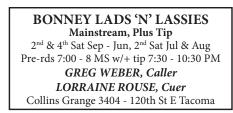
Sharon Herman, tonysharherm@yahoo.com

The SWINGNUTS will continue to have Fun Shops from 7-9:00pm every Thursday until the Thursday before



the 2019 State Festival. The Fun Shops are held at the Sumner VFW Hall (1705 Willow Street, Sumner WA 98390). Don Wood is reviewing all the basic and mainstream moves to help our newer dancers cement

We dance the 2nd and 4th Saturdays at Collins Grange, 3404 120th St. E., Tacoma, with pre-rounds at 7:00



pm and squares from 7:30 to 10:00 pm. Greg Weber calls and Lorraine Rouse cues.

Club Reporter is Sandy Anderson, sandy@pobox.com

The **YOUNG BUNCH** teens/pre-teens have been busy gearing up and practicing for **PNTSDF** coming up next month in May. Our sewing committee has made a huge dent in getting their outfits ready. The parents, are exhausted or maybe it's just me? It seems like this time of year comes up so quickly but much as the kids complain about it, it's what they look forward to each year. I've caught on to you ALL! I find myself reflecting a lot around this time of year, I try to check in with most, if not all kids because I know you're all feeling the pressure. I want to remind you all to SMILE and most of all, HAVE FUN! I'm personally so proud (I know your parents and others are proud of you too) of all our kids and how far they come each year.



In talking with our older 'teens' who are going to be aging out of competition this year and next year, we're finding that they want to stay involved and help out with competition and become more active in the club. One of

our teens (Kiana), who is still involved square dancing but isn't able to participate in competition this year because of her other activities in 4-H, has been chosen as one of this years Pierce County Princesses. Kiana had to complete in different activities, one of which was showing off a special talent. Kiana chose Round Dancing as her specialty and was the only Princess that chose dance as their talent pick. She and Patrick (another of our teen dancers) did an amazing job! It's great to see the older teens help out the younger ones. Look for more updates on Kiana on our Facebook page, and come out to the Pierce County Fair, Thursday, August 8th to see who is crowned the Pierce County Queen.

Stephanie Schaewe, sschaewe@gmail.com

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

Club Reporter is Dave Pearcy, skidave@comcast.net

EVERGREEN ROUNDS is a Round Dance club, and dances in Puyallup, WA at the Sans Souci Mobile Home Estates Club House. Round instruction and dancing are offered every Wednesday night. Tom Tomlinson is the cuer/instructor.

Club Reporter is Lu Simmons, simmlu@yahoo.com

SOUTH SOUND SQUARES is a Mainstream club, and dances in East Tacoma, WA at Collins Grange. Regular dances are held on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays each month. Jess Thomas is the club caller and the club cuer role alternates

between Charles Morehead on the 1st Saturday and Shawn Cavness on the 3rd Saturday. Check WheresTheDance for times, details, and flyers.



Other Rainier Council clubs/organizations include:

• ROUSE-A-ROUNDS

• NORTHWEST CALLERS ASSOCIATION





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

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

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

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

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

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





Rainier Council Clubs Website: squaredance-rainier.org (check Calendar link for latest info.)

MOND	AY		
WEDNE	Every	ROUSE-A-ROUNDS Lorraine & John Rouse	Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 6:30 Beginners, 8-9:30 Ph2/EZ3 Dance 4 th Monday, 7-10 (253) 846-8203 Lorraine Rouse
	Every	EVERGREEN ROUNDS	Sans Souci Mobile Estates (Puyallup, WA)
	Lvery	Tom Tomlinson	6:30-7:30 Teach, 7:30-10 Ph2-4 (253) 229-0443 Tom Tomlinson
THURSI	DAY		
	Every	SWINGNUTS Don & Marie Wood	Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA) 8-9:30 MS Dance w/Rds (253) 200-4566 Lane Johnston
FRIDAY			
<u></u>	1 st	SPINNERS Greg & Sue Weber	Buckley Hall (Buckley WA) 7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10:30 MS/Rounds (360) 829-0251 Dave Pearcy
	2 nd	YOUNG BUNCH Mark Sebree/Sue Weber	Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rounds (253) 472-9092 Mark Seebree
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	1 st &2 nd	ROAMIN' TACOMANS Tom Tomlinson	Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA) 7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10 Plus/Rounds (253) 848-7073 Sharon Herman
	1 st &3 rd	SOUTH SOUND SINGLES Jesse Thomas/Shawn Cavness or Charles Morehead	Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rds/+Tip (253) 851-5773 Al Tokin
	2 nd &4 th	BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES Greg Weber/Lorraine Rouse	Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rds/+Tip (253) 875-5380 Dave Vigus
	3 rd	SWINGNUTS Don & Marie Wood	Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA) 7:00 Plus, 7:30-9:30 MS/Round/+Tip (253) 200-4566 lane Johnston
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	3 rd	RAINIER CALLERS & CUERS	Sans Souci Mobile Estates (Puyallup, WA) 1:00 Monthly Meeting, Workshop (253) 229-9443 Tom Tomlinson



Ahoy, Maties! Do you know your Port from your Starboard? Ever done a Port Alamand or a Starboard and Port Grand?

Then set sail for the annual Salty Sashayers'

OLD SALTS' Anniversary Dance Saturday, April 27

A Clam Chowder dinner will be served in the galley at 1830 hours (that's 6:30 PM for you landlubbers), followed by a mainstream dance from 2000 - 2230 hours (8:00 PM to 10:30 PM). \$12 per person for dinner and dance; \$7 for the dance only.

Our skipper will be Capt. Greg Weber at the helm for squares and Lt. Sue Weber navigating the rounds

PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF MARINA

Dock at Lac-A-Do Hall 1721 46th Avenue NE Olympia

Pie served at break

Want to plan a visitation or mystery trip? Call Dick and Bonnie Blewett at 360-877-5907 or Gene and Tanya Currier at 360-427-3261.



SOU'WESTER COUNCIL Area Reporter Don & Judy Wilson

donjudywilson22@gmail.com

Sou'WESTER COUNCIL clubs are very happy to have some warmer weather and longer daylight hours so we can travel a little farther and dance a lot more. Clubs have planned many activities that they would like to see guests attend. It is always a pleasure to see people we know, but it is equally pleasant to welcome new faces into a square.

In February **HARBOR HAYLOFTERS** were dark, we had so many of our members go south. Because of the cold and snowy weather most of the club dances were canceled.

March 16th, we had our St. Patrick's dance. We visited Cougar Squares, Prairie Steppers and R Square D. Bill and Linda High have been taking round dance lessons from Susan Healea, they are doing great and we all enjoy



watching them. Our students are doing good and hope to graduate them in June.



April 20 is our Spring dance. We visited Cougar Squares and Prairie Steppers. The last weekend of the month some of our members visited Salty Sashayers for their Anniversary Dance, while others traveled over the pass for

the Spring Sashay in Yakima.

Ann Kilwien, sqcamper@comcast.net

April is a 'dark' month for the **DO SI DO'S** as Lac A Do Hall is infused with the calling of Mike Sikorsky and Dan Preedy. The PS Promenade is always an enjoyable treat to experience.

So, this article is about our May 11th dance and another update about our 70th Anniversary dance on October 12th! First of all, we really appreciate everyone who made our March "Wild, Wild West" dance such a success. This is always a fun theme as we explore the roots of our square dancing traditions. It was good to be dancing, especially as weather forced cancellation of our February Mardi Gras themed dance.

May is our annual Cinco de Mayo dance! Okay, so we're stretching the party out a bit since the dance is actually on

May 11th. We figure that's the Cinco de Mayo way! Get rested up because this is generally a high-energy dance. Jim Hattrick moves us throughout the dance floor and Joyce Sebree keeps the round dancers twirling around and around and around . . . You get the picture!

We have a theme for our 70th Anniversary Dance on October 12th: Relive the 70's with the Do Si Do's! Jim Hattrick and Steve Noseck will team up as we start the day

with a plus dance from 3:30 to 5:30 pm. After a short break, Club members will serve Pork sliders, sides and a special anniversary cake from 6 to 7 pm. We will appreciate donations for the meal. Joyce



Sebree will start the evening with pre-rounds at 7:30 pm and then Jim and Steve will call a mainstream dance under the black lights from 8 to 10:30 pm.

Dance entry is at the door and will be \$8 per individual for one dance or \$15 for both dances. As we firm up more of the details, you will be the first to know!

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

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

Katherine Deuel

The **PRAIRIE STEPPERS** wish you a Happy Easter. We hope you'll join us for our American Pie Hop on Saturday,



April 13th to be hosted by Carol Thompson and Larry Hanna. They plan to serve pizza pie. Club members will bring any other type of pie that we can imagine.

We canceled our February dance due to the snowy weather and bad driving conditions, but we hope you enjoyed our Any Day is a Great Day to be Irish dance on March 9. Larry and Andrea Kershner planned a silent auction with proceeds to benefit Safe Family Ministries, a local charity based in Chehalis, WA.

Fifteen Prairie Steppers traveled to the Ruff & Ruffles 66th Anniversary dance on February 16. They had a great turnout. It was a grand celebration but bittersweet because it was their last dance. Jim Raupp and Susan Healea told many stories of past callers and club members.

We planned to travel to the Harbor Haylofters dance on March 16th and the Salty Sashayers 60thAnniversary Dinner/ Pie Auction dance on April 27th at Lac A Do Hall.

Prairie Stepper square dance lessons were cancelled on February 12 due to the snow and again on February 19 due to a WA State Farm Bureau meeting at the grange. Lessons were scheduled to start again on February 26th. We still plan to graduate our new dancers in late April.

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

When you dance, enjoy each step along the way.

Marion Freels, M_librarion@yahoo.com

The snow did not stop us!! SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB celebrated its 37th Anniversary on Saturday February 23 rd. We had a wonderful turkey dinner preceding our dance,

served over 50 people and then had over 7 squares on the dance floor dancing to our Guest caller Randy Dibble from Newberg,

SQUARE 1 PLUS 1st Friday - 7:30 - 10:00 PM 3rd Sunday - 6:30 - 9:00 PM Gunter Monroe Caller Guest Cuers Lac-a-do Hall, Olympia, WA Info: 360-754-1830

Oregon and cues by Lynn Peltola from Bonney Lake WA. The



decorations of a Mexican Fiesta were wonderful, and we had a Marquee lighted reader board announcing our guest caller and cuer. Thank you to club member Geoff Gowens for making the marquee.

Our PLUS lessons are going very well with over 20 students on Sunday nights. Our caller/teacher Gunter Monroe is doing a great job and we hope to have them finished by mid- April. Then they will be able to dance at the PLUS level with Memorial Day activities coming up.

Square One PLUS now dances three times a month at Lac-A-Do hall in Olympia; the first Friday with Gunter Monroe and Joyce Sebree, the third Sundays with Gunter Monroe and guest Cuers and the fourth Saturday with Guest caller and Guest Cuers. In April we will be dark and have given our fourth Saturday night to help the Salty Sashayers with their 60th Anniversary clam chowder dinner and dance.

Please keep in mind that we do dance all year long and we now have air conditioning at Lac-A-Do so summer dances will be comfortable

Hope to see you on the dance floor somewhere.

Peggy Smith, pegscott29@comcast.net

Prairie Steppers 2nd Saturday, 7 - 8 Plus • 8 - 10:30 Mainstream

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

DON WOOD, CALLER • LONNIE SYCKS, CUER *Chicken Dance TBA watch for ad in Footnotes*

The really bad weather seems to be skirting around **R SQUARE D**, except for the night of our second Friday

R SQUARE D

Craig Abercrombie, Caller Lonnie Sycks, Cuer

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

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

Annual Octoberfest 2nd Weekend in October Kelso Senior Center 106 NW 8th Ave, Kelso, WA 360.431.7553 (Vic) or 360.636.3358 (Toni)

60.431.7553 (Vic) or 360.636.3358 (Toni) www.r-square-d.info dance which was to be our Valentine's dance. It seemed prudent to cancel the dance due to the winter weather advisory. By the fourth Saturday we were eager to be dancing again, very few were left sitting on the sidelines and the floor was full!

Plus Dancers! Here is something to plan for in April and May: Plus lessons on Wednesday evenings 7 - 9. This will be a mix of lessons and workshop so there will be dancing for everyone. Beginning April 10th through May 22th. The cost will be \$2.50 per person. We hope you will enjoy this opportunity. Thank you Craig.

In April don't miss our first dance on Friday the 12th, this is our April Showers dance and the ONLY dance in April. We will be dark for April 27th freeing you up to attend Salty Sashayers or Yakima Sashay. We hope you will enjoy those dances then join us again



We hope you will enjoy those dances then join us again the second Friday of May.

We dance from 7-8 Plus and advanced rounds, 8-9:30pm Mainstream with rounds. Our address is106 NW 8th, Kelso/ Longview intersection on Ocean Beach Hwy, in the hall at the water park.

Our website www.r-square-d.info is a great way to keep track of our club and events or friend us on Facebook. Our Caller is Craig Abercrombie and our Cuer is Lonnie Sycks.

Annie Tietze

STARDUST DANCERS is a round dance only club and we dance the first and third Thursdays of each month, unless notified. Dancing begins at 7:30 p.m. at the Catlin Grange

with Susan Healea cueing. We dance phases II through IV, with a strong emphasis on phases II and III. At 9:30, Susan will cue

STARDUST DANCERS **Round Dance Club** SUSAN HEALEA, Cuer 1st & 3rd Thursday 7:30 - 9:30 PM Catlin Grange #199

205 Shawnee St., Kelso, Washington



phase IV rounds for anyone that cares to stay. The dress is casual, and refreshments are served part way through the evening. If you enjoy round dancing this is a great way to start the weekend. Also, if you would like to improve your round dancing skills, plans are in the beginning stages for next fall, so let a Stardust Dancer know what rhythm and/or phase you would be interested in working on. Stardust lessons are held on Tuesdays at the Kelso Senior Center from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Susan Healea is the cuer/teacher.

Stardust is very happy to see spring and we wish everyone a happy Easter and happy dancing!

Don and Judy Wilson, donjudywilson22@gmail.com

COUGAR SQUARES is ready for spring and looking forward to Easter with all its warmth and new life. Cougars didn't miss dancing this winter due to weather, but we were still very happy to see winter end. We did miss our February meeting due to weather, but not the dance.

Cougars dance at St Francis Mission. This is just outside

of Toledo at the blinking yellow light. We dance on the first Saturday of each month from September to June. In April this will be April



6th beginning at 7:30 with plus and 8:00 with mainstream and rounds. Jim Raupp is our caller/cuer. The theme for the

April dance is "Luau", so come and join us for this warm weather theme. Debra and Jim Armstrong are the hosts for this dance.



Our lessons for this dance year will end just before Easter. The new dancers will have time to practice their new skills during the springtime

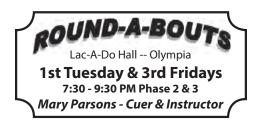
and be ready for the State Festival in June. Hope you have registered, if not it is not too late.

Come and join us on the first Saturday of the next three months for a great night of dancing and good fellowship.

Judy Wilson, donjudywilson22@gmail.com



Catlin Grange, 205 Shawnee Street, Kelso Using Williams Sound System LAST SCHEDULED DANCE FEBRUARY 20TH, 2016





FLUTTERWHEELS

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

Dancers, Callers, Cuers, Clubs Please visit and use the Washington Federation Web Site often http://www.squaredance-wa.org

Send lesson information immediately to: Webmaster,Dick Beham

webmaster@squaredance-wa.org



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



Oakview Grange 2715 North Pearl St. Centralia, WA

Ray Brendzy & Don Wood, callers Lonnie Sycks, cuer

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

Marie Wood, guest cuer \$8.00 each

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



5:30 Chicken Dinner with all the trimmings

7:00-7:30 New Dancers FREE Dance

7:30-8:00 Plus with Intermediate Rounds

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

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

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



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

<u>MONDAY -</u>		
Every	TANGLEFOOT CLOGGERS Mary Dart, Instructor	Brighton Park Grange / 4-8:00 Clogging / All levels
TUESDAY -		
lst	ROUND-A-BOUTS Mary Parsons cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-9:00 ROUNDS, Phase 2-3
THURSDAY-		
1st & 3rd	STARDUST DANCERS Susan Healea, cuer	Catlin Grange / 7:30-9:30 ROUNDS, Phase 2-4
<u>FRIDAY</u> -		
1st	SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB Gunter Monroe, caller; Joyce Sebree, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00 PLUS
2nd	RHYTHM ROUNDERS FUN DANCE Guest cuers	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00 ROUNDS, Phase 2-5
2nd	R SQUARE D Craig Abercrombie, caller; Lonnie Sycks, cu	er SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd	ROUND-A-BOUTS Mary Parsons, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-9:30 ROUNDS, Phase 2-3
4th	CAPITAL SQUARES Don Wood, caller; Marie Wood, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
<u>SATURDAY</u> -		
1st	COUGAR SQUARES Jim Raupp, caller/cuer	St. Francis Parish Hall / 7:30-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
lst	FLUTTERWHEELS Don Wood, caller; Marie Wood & MaryPar	
2nd	OLYMPIA DO-SI-DOS Jim Hattrick, caller; Joyce Sebree, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:00-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
2nd	PRAIRIE STEPPERS Don Wood, cuer; Lonnie Sycks, cuer	Oakview Grange / 7:00-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd	HARBOR HAYLOFTERS Randy & Chris Carlson	
3rd Feb. & Nov.	RUFF & RUFFLES Jim Raupp, caller; Susan Healea, cuer	Catlin Grange / 8:00-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd	FLUTTERWHEELS Glenn Raiha, caller; Marie Wood & MaryPa	
4th	R SQUARE D Craig Abercrombie, caller; Lonnie Sycks, cu	er SQUARES & ROUNDS
4th	SQUARE ONE PLUS Guest Callers & Cuers	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00 PLUS
<u>SUNDAY</u> -		
Every	DOUBLE A'S Lac-A Jack Hardin, Caller; Lynn Petola, cuer	-Do Hall / 4:30-6:30 ADVANCED
3rd	SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB Gunter Monroe, caller; Spike Reid, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 6:30-9:00 PLUS
ADI	DRESSES FOR PLACES WHERE THERE AR	E MORE THAN ONE DANCE A MONTH:
Lac-A-Do Hall Catlin Grange	1721 46th Ave. NE, Olympia I 	Kelso Senior Center

SPOKANE COUNCIL Area Reporter Priscilla Davis

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Doing things in a different way can have stimulating results. Instead of our own club dance on March 2nd, the COEURLY Q'S joined the clubs of our Spokane Area Council to dance to Jerry Junck. The Wild Rose Ramblers hosted a great dance. Between the Washington State Federation representatives and the area clubs there were 13 squares! There were lots of good things about the night, but dancing with a variety of people, getting to know them, and sharing a square with old friends created an energy and appreciation of everyone's commitment to our square dance community.

The promise of spring and the hope of snow ending is helping us plan for travels to the St. Patrick's Day Dance in Bonner's Ferry, The Valley Cross Trailer's Anniversary Marathon, and the Diamond Square's Spring Fling which will include our newly promoted students.

We are also looking forward to hosting our own "Dancing to the Move/ies", Saturday, April 6th. Adam Christman will call and Justine Litzko will be cuing. The music is always fun since Adam and Justine keeps us moving to movie scores. Please join us at the Harding Family Center, 411 N. 15th St., Coeur d'Alene with Plus and Rounds at 7 p.m. and Mainstream and Rounds at 8 p.m.

Hearing Enhancement available; Finger Food Welcome.

Donna Seil, Reporting

The **DANCING SHADOWS** February "BLACK LIGHT DANCE" drew a great crowd in spite of the nasty weather. Caller was Dan Preedy and cuer, Carol Shopbell.



In March the Dancing Shadows Club went dark and did a visitation to Cheney Hi-Flyers for their Anniversary dance.

On April 19th the Dancing Shadows will celebrate their anniversary dance with Doug Davis, calling and Carol Shopbell, cueing.

Iris Pehan, Reporter

DIAMOND SQUARES March dance was a small group. Since we were dark in our February dance due to the pre-convention dance, we decided to give our Sweetheart recipient award in our March Dance. Joshua Strickler is our sweetheart recipient awardee for 2019 awarded by our 2018 awardees, Don and Valerie Kloefel.

Our club members and guests were so excited to see club member Jon Love propose to Deanne Balfe on the dance floor after the round dance music "Could I Have this Dance." It was a priceless and romantic moment. (*Check out their picture on page 71*).



Please join us in our annual Spaghetti feed Spring Fling dance on Friday, April 12th.

Our theme is "Zodiac".We serve dinner at 6pm and dancing will follow at 7Pm. The following day which is Saturday April 13th is our 58th Club dance Anniversary. Caller and cuer-Bob and Claudia Amsbury at the Western Dance Center in Sullivan. Weather is a bit warmer now. Spring is right around the corner. We hope and love to see you on the dance floor. Have fun and keep smiling.

Nelly Christoffersen, Reporter

TWIN CITY TWIRLERS on Saturday, April 6th,

will have Daron Tandberg calling and Chloe Schmidt cueing.Prerounds at 7:30 pm Mainstream at 8pm.On April 20th Gary Baker calling and rounds from reco

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

and rounds from recordings.

Alayne Swanson, Reporter

VALLEY CROSS TRAILERS sponsor the 3rd Saturday dances at WDC. April 20th are Advanced at 7 and PLUS at 8. Doug Davis and Adam Christman are the callers with Adam doing





the cueing. No 3rd Saturday dance in May. Our 4th Friday dance on March 22th was our annual Marathon dance and Anniversary dance. Doug and Adam kept the calling lively and the dancers were able to do the marathon

from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. with breakfast at midnight!!!

Our next 4th Friday dance will be on May 24th so

dancers have a place to go dance starting the Memorial Day weekend. Dancers were very giving at the February Alzheimer's dance—we were able to collect \$446 for Alzheimer's Research.

Thursday night class nights will continue through May 2th. We've had a great group of



dancers and hope they will continue dancing and join a club (maybe Valley Cross Trailers!!) Club birthdays this month are Priscilla (4) and Adam (11) and anniversary Ryan & Brianna (7th).Get well wishes to Samantha and Kathy. Weather is getting better and we'll see you across a square somewhere.

Priscilla Davis, Reporter

The **WAG AROUNDS** dance club dances monthly on the first Sunday of the month at the Western Dance Center, 7-9 PM. This is a phase II, III, and easy IV round dance with Nina Leisi cueing.Bring your requests for favorite dances!

The other monthly Wag Arounds dance is every second Friday, this time at the North Spokane Dance Center, 8-10:30 PM. This dance is phase III, IV, and V intermediate level round dance, Jack Dechenne cueing. This dance is also by request.

We, as a club, do not have Special Dances, themes, or extensive programs during the regular monthly schedule. If you are someone who enjoys Round dancing,

this is the place to be. Come and join in the fun! The highlight and wrap-up dance of the year, the **BUTTERFLY BALL**, is upcoming June 14, 15, & 16, 2019 at the Western Dance



Center. This is a phase III, IV, and V round dance weekend with Ray and Sherry Garza instructing/cueing. This is a great opportunity to dress your best, learn some new dances, and practice all the rhythms we love before the club takes a break for the summer. Contact Debra Gruber for more information or to register for this event. Happy Dancing!

Teresa Dixon, Reporter





The **JACKS AND JENNYS** had a wonderful Prime Rib Dinner and Dance in January with Bob Amsbury calling and Claudia Amsbury cueing. The dance was a Party Level in order for new dancers to be able to join us in the festivities.

In February Bob and Claudia shared the stage with Doug Davis, caller for the Valley Cross Trailers. The Cross Trailers had gone dark in anticipation of the State Meeting which had been scheduled for that weekend.---but Mother Nature had other plans. Spokane and area had enjoyed almost spring like weather in January and then February came and snow, snow, and more snow came down. The meeting was postponed until March (which has not been much better weather wise). We are so-o-o looking forward to spring!

Our March dance is on the 16th which means that we



will be celebrating St Patrick's Day. Our class has graduated and we are looking forward to welcoming them to our regular dances. We have Plus with Phase III Rounds from 7 to 8 and Mainstream with Phase II rounds from 8 to 10.Come join us on 3rd Saturdays

from August to June at the NSDC in Spokane.

Bev Mustard, *Reporter*

VALLEY CROSS TRAILERS "Chili Cook Off" dance on January 25th was great—we had nine entries with all kinds of chili and the winner (chosen by the dancers) was Kathy Peake.



Congratulations to Kathy for her chicken chili. We went dark for our 3rd Saturday dance on February th for the State Meeting (which was postponed due to weather

conditions to March 2th). The Jacks and Jennys and Valley Cross Trailers held the dance anyways o



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the dance anyways on February 16th with Bob Amsbury and Doug Davis calling and Claudia Amsbury cueing. The Dance to Benefit Alzheimer's with Doug and Adam as MC and callers and

cuers from the floor had some very generous dancers attending. March 16th is our 3rd Saturday Plus/Advanced Dance and March 22th will be the popular Pajama Stomp Marathon Dance—also celebrating our 61st Anniversary. Our January new dancer class continues to have fun and are enjoying our activity. Happy Birthday to Jayne Seaboldt (she worked hard at the Chili Cook Off dance!) We'd love to have you visit us.

Priscilla Davis, Reporter



Spokane Council Clubs Dance Schedules

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