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## THE GAVEL Kay and Roger Mahan 206-612-1781 mahanrk@aol.com







R and om summer thoughts – Safe travels, family & friend gatherings, enjoying the summer beauty & sunshine.

Having lost two siblings in 2020 (neither due to COVID), and not being able to be there for my family, we will be travelling to an outdoor family reunion early June for many long overdue hugs. Tho we've had our vaccinations, we'll still be cautious with following safety protocol.

With the summer weather and with close family & friends having had their vaccinations, we feel it safer to start having small gatherings in our home again. We've really missed that part of our lives.

With time on our hands, we have been working on our backyard – I have rather eclectic ideas with planting & outdoor décor, so it's been fun coming up with what to plant, wild colors to paint, and tasking Roger with special build & irrigation projects!! Looking forward to enjoying our shady back patio during the hot summer evenings.

We're ready for a safe return to dancing – and wish you all to be kind, to stay happy & to stay well...

Kay & Roger



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Square & Folk Dance Federation of Washington

Recommendations for Safe Return to Dancing

#### Revised 03/30/21

by executive officers of the SFDFofWA

Following Phase 3, square dancing would qualify as a high contact sports activity and may resume following the safety guidelines as outlined below:

- Indoor activities subject to 50% capacity
- Health Monitor Participants should stay home when sick or have been in close contact with someone with COVID-19
- Face coverings required for all participants. Although the guidelines do allow that persons with certain medical conditions are not required to wear masks, with those medical conditions they probably should refrain from dancing at this time.
- Physical distance maintained when not engaged in dancing.
- Wash hands frequently if soap & water not available, use hand sanitizer with 60-90% alcohol content.
- Keep a sign-in roster of every participant in case contact tracing is necessary
- Shared food is not recommended dancers should bring their own food and beverages in their own containers.

The club/organization holding the event can and should set and enforce the requirements for that event and area. It is suggested to post those requirements.

Each dancer should be considerate & respectful of others

Each group should keep in communication with membership with up to date recommendations & ask for their input to determine what is best for their organization

#### A WORD FROM YOUR EDITOR

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#### IBLAVIE A WONIDERUL SUMMER STETE YOU IN STEPTIEMBER

We are another step closer todancing and becoming normal. Do we even know or remember what that is? At least we can breathe and see our families. If you are traveling this summer please travel (drive) carefully but most of all enjoy.

I also hope more dancers will be able to attend the State Festival since things are beginning to open up. The winner of Find me will be announced at Leadership this year. Not many entered this year's drawing for a paid (up to \$50.00) registration to Spokane's Festival 2022. This is your last chance, entries must be received by June 30. see page 8 for more information.

#### Now for the important information!

Clubs that decide to start up their dancing over the summer, after the June issue is posted, I'm willing to send a Mail Chimp email to all (1400) members of our dancng community for \$2.00 (payable to WSDF OR WASHINGTON SQUARE DANCE FEDERATION) Send information to footnotes\_wa @yahoo.com and the check to Marsha.

Please send your inofrmation by Saturday nights as I will compile the email on Sundays and send out on Monday. It is best to call and let me know you have sent something for Mail Chimp as I have plans for the summer and may not be where I have internet.

I want you to be able to get the word out, so those who are traveling around the state over the summer, know your club is dancing. Let's return to safe dancing and follow the rules of club you are attending.

Cynda and Larry May, 2021

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#### HAPPY SPRING EVERYONE,

By now I am sure everyone has heard, the Kiser's have relocated to Tucson, Arizona. We love the hot summer days every day. My arthritis really likes it, we miss everyone terribly, but then again we haven't seen any of our dancing family in over a year. I truly appreciate all the messages and calls checking on us.

We hope every is staying safe and healthy. For our dancing family that is still losing precious loved ones to COVID my heart breaks. There is still no dancing in Tucson, but things are great.

We pray that this pandemic is over very soon, but then reality sets in.

We want to Thank the federation for everyone and everything, that has been given to me over the years. Hundreds of people have touched me and my family.

George Broom I miss you and love you, thank you for all the great memories, Happy Father's Day, 20 years George!!!

Doug Keyes, I have known you since I was about 10, back in Yakima. I love and miss you both. Happy Father's Day!!!

Washington square and round dancers have given me some of the greatest memories in my life, I love and miss you all. I cannot forget Don and Cheryl Pruitt you both changed our lives in 2012 and leading up to 2020.

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#### DID YOU KNOW?

by Lane Johnston

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#### Did You Know...?

...that your opinion matters?...at least it's supposed to! That's why I'm going to take advantage of the opportunity this forum presents to express mine!

[Full disclosure: this is my opinion and is not intended to suggest an approval, recommendation, or endorsement by the WA State Square Dance Federation leadership.]

If you took the time to read Don Wood's open letter in last month's issue of Footnotes regarding Social Square Dancing ("SSD"), you already have a "hint" regarding where I stand...I'm "all-in" for SSD! That would not have been the case a year ago. At the risk of repeating something I have said before, I was not strongly against the SSD concept, but I wasn't for it either. I figured it would take a decade or more for SSD to "catch on" (and waiting a decade for anything less than a dramatic, rapid improvement and reversal of our declining membership trends seemed problematic and not worth the effort. In an ironic twist of fate, the Covid-19 pandemic changes the calculus substantially. It is clear to me there is no better time or opportunity to implement a wholesale, dramatic contribution to square dancing than right now!

I'm aware of anecdotal evidence that similar programs (B51, Club 50, Basic, and some individual/independent efforts without the benefit of a catchy "name") have had success in attracting new dancers, and there's even anecdotal evidence that new dancer retention is "up" in some cases where those programs have been implemented. That's fine, and to be commended. But success on a local or a regional basis does little to enhance or contribute to the success of the activity overall.

In my opinion, a system-wide "solution" is what is needed. Look at it this way: in any team sport, "success" (winning) depends on every individual member of the team knowing his/her individual role/responsibility for all the plays in "the playbook". When a quarterback calls a play, if even one member of the team doesn't know what he's supposed to do, the chances of a successful outcome

are compromised. That should be pretty obvious to anyone. When a square dance caller calls several "plays" in the middle of a patter tip that some dancers aren't familiar with, the odds of having squares break down goes up dramatically (also pretty obvious). Virtually any "50-ish" call program works as long as long as everyone who shows up at the door knows all 50 of the calls in the playbook. And there is the rub...if successful local or regional 50call program advocates insist on being stubborn about their 50-call program being "best" versus selecting a single system-wide program, we'll still be having this discussion a decade from now and will still be suffering from declining membership in our activity. Dancers who travel (what retiree doesn't?) who find they can't dance while traveling are more likely to drop out of the activity altogether than those who can dance anywhere, anytime they choose. If every dancer in the country knows the same 50 calls, problem solved.

That, in part, is why I'm in favor of the SSD "solution" over any of the others that, for whatever-reason, have not gained broad-based support. It's not that they're necessarily inferior to SSD. But SSD has garnered broad-based attention recently, while others have not. SSD has captured the attention of Caller Lab as well and has a verifiable track record. If any of the other "successful" 50-ish call programs had managed to lobby more effectively for their 50-call version, perhaps we would be settling on theirs rather than SSD as the system-wide solution. We have a narrow window of opportunity right now to hit the "reset button" for square dancing. I sincerely hope we make the right choice...and soon!

Lane Johnston, <u>lanej@chessmenkastle.com</u>

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June 17-19, 2021

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## LAST CHANCE TO ENTER TO WIN A PAID REGISTRATION TO SPOKANE FESTIVAL 2022

ne of my goals, when I took over Footnotes, was to increase the viewing of our Magazine. I've put some thought into this and would like to GIVE BACK to the dancers who read our magazine.

There are many snowflakes through out this issue. Find 7 to get 1 entry in the final drawing and all of the FLOWERS to get 2 entries.

Drawing will be held at 2021 LEADERSHIPl for a paid registration to the 2022 festival in Spokane. Send your entries to the address below.

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## Club Renewals and Individual Membership Renewals were due on May 31st.

If your club has not completed these processes, they need to be done immediately. We will be contacting the delinquent clubs to assist with any problems you may have. The deadlines for membership and insurance renewals are set in the bylaws. The deadline of May 31st is to allow our committee the time to create an accurate Membership and Insurance database to take effect on September 1st. Although it is set in the bylaws, there is no consequence if you don't meet it.

We are asking the clubs and councils to do the best they can under these trying circumstances. This means, use alternate means of communication such as email, telephone, social media, and so forth instead of your usual club meetings. Gather as much information as you can and get it to us as soon as you can. We can always add members later. We say this because our square dance year expires on August 31, 2021. Remember, this year there are no state fees due for the renewals for 2021-2022. Therefore, all renewal processes can be done by email if you like.

As we have just explained, there is no serious consequence to missing the May 31st deadline, but the August 31st deadline is set in stone as that is the end of our insurance year.

Clubs must also remember to renew their club within their council. This is where the club turns in their club officers' information to make up the state directory. This process has to go through the council before it comes to us. We are urging council leaders to communicate with your clubs to gather this information so we can receive it no later than August 31st.

Please keep us informed of your situations and problems so that we may help in any way that we can and alleviate problems before August 31st.

Take Care, Richard and Barbara Snyder Membership and Insurance Chairmen richlsnyder@gmail.com





## 52<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP SEMINAR TINA ALLAWAY

**PUBLICITY AND PROMOTIONS** 

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Asy, do you have that check list ready for your summertime dancing? Shirts and blouses, skirts and petty coats. Ladies don't forget petty pants, pantyhose, socks, shoes, belts. Most of all don't forget your badges. Check off all the things you will need for the summer and dance weekends on your list. Should have the 68th Washington State Square and Folk Dance Festival June 17th thru 19th, Everett, WA. and the 52nd Leadership/ Education Seminar July 9th thru 11th at Circle 8 Ranch in Cle Elum, WA.

That is a lot of years of education and dancing all starting on September 6, 1969, at the Triple "L" Ranch near Cle Elum. It was January of 1969 When Bob McNut, Publicity and Promotion Chairman, made the proposal for the Leadership Seminar. The mission purpose for the weekend would be as follows:

A panel will be formed of square dancers who are or have been successful in their various fields, such as business, public relations, recreation, education, government, tax consultant, etc. Each panelist will express his or her views on how his or her knowledge can best be used in square dance leadership. A question-and-answer session will follow each panelist and questions sent in by clubs and leaders will be answered.

So that is the way it has been for 52 years. I believe Washington state is the only state that offers training for new dancers who are thinking about becoming square dance leaders or just square dancers looking for ideas that will help to build their clubs. I have not found anything like it anywhere in the many years that I myself have danced.

The wonderful volunteers come from all over the state to form the leadership committee. We have as our Chairperson Linda Willand & Dan Bailly from Spokane Council, Co-Chairman is David & Sharon Boggs from Blue Mt. Council, Treasurer/Registration Bruce & Judy Ottoson. Publicity & Promotion Tina from Blue Mt. Council and the Wagon Master in charge of those huge RV's is Gene & Tanya Currier from Sou' Wester Council and Facilities Judy & Steve Sworen. Would like to mention Lewis & Madalyn Cato from Central Puget Council seem

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to always be there with a helping hand with the Leadership/ Education weekend keeping us on track with their advice and guidance. They are all volunteers like I said and if participating on this committee is something you would like to do talk to the President of the Square & Folk-Dance Federation, Kay Mayhan and she will recommend you to the group. New blood is always welcome tohelps to keep things fresh and up to date and we would love to have you join us.

That's all for now. Looking forward to seeing you July 9 – 11 at Circle 8 Ranch in Cle Elum. You won't want to miss it, I promise!

Here's to a Safe Return to Dancing,

Tina



Leadership & Education Seminar July 9-11, 2021 Circle 8 Ranch, Cle Elum, WA



## Start planning now for the 52nd Annual Education and Leadership Seminar

July, 10-11 2021 WITH:







**BOB & LINDA** BERKA



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#### Craig Abercrombie

**Featured MC** Friday evening Leadership Weekend July 9, 2021 Circle 8 Ranch





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

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

right on Nelson Siding Road for 2.6 miles. Turn left at Lund Lane and follow road to Circle 8. Golf Course Road. Go back across 1-90 & RR Take exit 78. At stop sign turn left onto tracks . 4 mile to Nelson Siding Road. Turn

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Cuer/State Round Dance Coordinator Oak Harbor, WA **BOB (LINDA)BERKA** 

West Springfield, MA

# **REGISTRATION**

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

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2 Do you plan on having lunch at Leadership Seminar on Saturday? Yes Donations gratefully accepted.

# The Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington's

at the beautiful Circle 8 Square Dance Ranch near Cle Elum, WA









# July 9, 10 & 11, 2021

# Registration Information

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# **EDUCATION &**

## **LEADERSHIP SEMINAR** Schedule

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

# Friday evening events

7:30 PM Mainstream Dance – Squares MC – Craig Abercrombie Pre-Rounds with Bob Berka

Rounds MC - Bob Berka

Washington State Callers and Cuers

8 -10:30 PM 10:30 PM After Party presented by the 2023 State Festival

# Saturday Information/Education Sessions

8:00 AM 8:30 AM Welcome and Introductions Coffee & Rolls

## IN Main Hall:

WheresTheDance.com" by Lane Johnston 8:45-9:30 AM "How To Promote Your Club's Events FOR FREE on

by Letricia Hatch 9:45-10:30 AM "Social Media - Strategies for Square Dance Clubs"

by Paul Gonseth 10:45-11:30 AM "Promote Safety - dancers, facilities, and still have fun"

12-1:15 PM

Lunch (Fundraiser by Donation)

IN Main Hall:

Buzz Session with

1:15 PM State President, Kay Mahan, Moderator 1:30 PM IN the Cook Shack: "Ruffles" by Karen Reichart 2:15-3:45 PM 3:45-5:00 PM Round Dance Workshop by Bob Berka Square Dance Workshop by Ken Ritucci

Dinner Break - Potluck in Main Hall

Mainstream Dance with Caller: Ken Ritucci

Cuer: Bob Berka

Pre-Rounds

7:30 PM

8:00-10:30 PM 10:30 PM After Party presented by the 2022 State Festival Dance

# Sunday Breakfast – Circle 8

Introductions and Acknowledgements Keynote address by Ken Ritucci (Donations gratefully accepted)

Q & A Share your ideas Summary and Closing

12:00 PM 9:15 AM 9:00 AM 10:45 AM

8:00 AM

**Either Square Dance Attire or Casual Attire** is appropriate for all activities SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. CHECK THE STATE **FOR THE MOST UP TO DATE INFORMATION** www.squaredance-wa.org **FEDERATION WEBSITE** 

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#### **CRAIG'S** CALLER CORNER CRAIG ABERCROMBIE

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Thope that you and your family are doing well in these Livery hard times. We miss all our friends.

I have been staying in for the most part and keeping my distance. It is sad to have missed all our Calling events this dance season.

I had hope that the vaccines were our way out of this pandemic. I did not realize how this was going to divide us. It is a shame that this turned political. I do not see where our future is with dancing and a lot of our favorite things that we have been looking forward to returning to.

One thing that most of us have gotten back into is visiting Grandchildren. What a JOY!

As I write this for our summer issue, we are hopeful that our National Convention, our State Festival and Leadership Seminar will go on as scheduled.

My hope for you is that you are able to have a GREAT summer!

> Craig Craigabercrombie14@gmail.com



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#### Craig **Abercrombie**

**Featured MC** Friday evening Leadership Weekend July 9, 2021 Circle 8 Ranch





#### FISHTAILING FOR ROUNDS

#### **Bob and Linda Berka**

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#### "SOCIAL SUPPORT".....we all need it!

We must tell you....we had the most relaxing week of fishing, visiting with friends, no masks, eating with the company of friends......outside, sitting next to each other, communicating face-to-face and enjoying life and the unrestricted "emotional break". Each couple had their own boat, we helped one another when necessary and life was good. Thanking GOD for all of HIS gifts and the air we breathe.

Brings to mind the title of....." SOCIAL SUPPORT". We all need it you know. Social support means having friends and other people including family to turn to in times of need or crisis, to give you a broader focus and positive self-image. Social support enhances the quality of life and provides a buffer against adverse life events. We need to tap "this tool" to beat stress. Being in tune with your emotions serves a social purpose connecting you to whatever in life.

Presently, with the coronivirus pandemic and troubled economy, many people are living in crisis. The need for each other can be helpful. Square dancers have a special family-styled support system. It's an amazing act of belonging, the need to be helpful, to celebrate and enjoy a family recreation.

As leaders of our activity, we need to be strong in our leadership. Dancing will return and flourish with patience once again. Strong social skills are essential for success in life. We, as teachers need to lead with welcoming positive attitudes. Some backing up may be required in our calling and cueing. Classes may have to be placed on hold until club members feel confident again at dancing, but WE CAN DO IT! Together we can accomplish and bring back our recreation. We need to be gentle and provide easy routines building from there at a slow repetitive speed gradually producing confidence and the ability to expand further. Let the dancers determine how fast we progress in teaching. Most of us have not danced for over a year and some are very skeptical in getting together due to the virus. Be aware that some of the callers and cuers haven't called or cued for over a year either so, experienced dancers, be gentle with these leaders as well.

We recommend these 2 ideas: (1) SMILE, it truly creates a good feeling and is a great beginning to every dance....(2) Teachers.....teach as if you have 2 special people in the class, one, being deaf and the other blind. To the deaf person you must show each step accurately and more than once. To the blind person you must explain in detail as you demonstrate. You are encouraged to repeat the process more than once, each step and/or figure. Classes we took in learning to teach round dancing, this particular method was strongly stressed. We teach all classes remembering to keep this idea in mind always.

Thank you for reading our articles for the last two years. We hope that we have brought to you both, the dancer and teacher/instructors, helpful information.

Be kind and considerate Be happy Smile Stay safe and dance, dance, dance. Bob and Linda Berka

#### JUNE'S ROUND OF THE MONTH

#### YOU'RE THE FIRST TIME

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COMPOSERS: Birgit & Richard Maguire, 75 Norman Rd., Brockton, MA 02302Tel:

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RECORD: "You're the First Time I Thought about Leaving" Reba McIntire, 2:58 downloadable

SPEED: Slow as desired

FOOTWORK: Opposite, except where noted PHASE: II+1 (interrupted box)

SEQUENCE: INTRO, A, B, INTL, A, B, END RHYTHM: Waltz

**INTRO** 

#### 1 - 8 WAIT 2 MEAS;; ACKNL (CP);; L TRNG BOX (BFLY);;;

1] wait; 2] wait; 3] apt L, -, pt R; 4] tog CP, -, tch; 5] fwd L trng ¼ LF, sd, cl; 6] bk R trng ¼ LF, sd, cl;

7] fwd L trng ¼ LF, sd, cl; 8] bl R trng ¼ LF, sd, cl to BFLY;

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#### 1 – 4 WALTZ AWAY & TOG;; BALANCE L & R;;

1] fwd L to OP, fwd R slightly away from ptr, cl L; 2] fwd R slightly twd ptnr, sd L to fc, cl R BFLY; 3] sd L, XRB risingon ball ft, stp L in plc; 4] sd R, XLB rising on ball ft, stp R in plc;

#### 5 – 8 TWIRL VINE; PICK UP; 2 L TURNS;;

5] sd L, XRB, sd L (sd and fwd R trng ½ RF, sd and bk L trng ½ RF sd R); 6] Fwd R, sd L, cl R (Fwd L starting to step in frnt of M, cont LF trn sd R to CP, cl L); 7] fwd L trng up to ¼ LF, sd R diag XLD trng up to ¼ left LF, cl L (Bk R trng up to ¼ LF, sd L cont trng up to ¼ LF, cl R); 8] bk trng up to ¼ LF, sd L trng up to ¼ LF, cl R (fwd L trng up to ¼ LF, sd R trng up to ¼ LF, cl L);

#### 9 -12 BOX;; LACE ACROSS;;

9] Fwd L, sd R, cl L; 10] bk R, sd L, cl R; 11] Ld hnds jnd passing bhnd W crossing LOD to LOP fwd L, fwd R, cl L (crossing in frnt of M undr jnd ld hnds fwd R, fwd L, cl R); 12] in LOP fwd R, fwd L, cl R;

#### 13-16 LACE BACK to CP;; CANTER 2X CP;;

13] trl hnds jnd passing bhnd W crossing LOD to OP fwd L, fwd R, cl L (crossing in frnt of M undr jnd trl hnds fwd R, fwd L, cl R); 14] fwd R, sd L to CPW, cl R;

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#### 1 – 4 INTERUPTED BOX;;;;

1] fwd L, sd R, cl L; 2] bk R, sd L, cl R (starting a RF circl undr jnd ld hnds fwd R, fwd L, fwd R); 3] fwd L, sd R, cl L (cont RF circl fwd L, fwd R, cl L to fc M); 4] bk R, sd L, cl R to BFLY;

#### 5 – 8 BFLY BAL L & R;; STEP SWING; SPIN MANUVER;

5] repeat meas 3 part A; 6] repeat meas 4 part A; 7] stp DLCOH fwd L, brush R across L, hold; 8] Fwd R stg RF upper bdy trn, cont RF to fc ptr sd L, cl R to CP RLOD (stg LF spin in place L, R, L to fc LOD and ptr);

#### 9 - 12 1 R TURN; FWD WTZ; FWD WTZ; DRIFT APT;

9] Stg upper bd RF bd trn bk L trng up to ¼ RF, sd R LOD trng up to ¼ RF, cl L to fc LOD (Fwd R trng up to ¼ RF, sd L cont to trn ¼ RF, cl R); 10] In CP fwd R, fwd and slightly sd L, cl R; 11] fwd L, fwd and slightly sd R, cl L; 12] taking smaller stps FOOTNOTES

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#### 13-16 TWINKKE THRU 2X;; 2 L TURNS;;

13] Fwd L btwn ptrs w/ Xg stp, sd R to fc ptr, cl L to fc DLC; 14] Fwd R btwn ptrs w/ Xg stp, sd L to fc ptr, cl R CP LOD; 15] repeat meas 7 part A; 16] repeat meeas 8 part A to BFLY;

#### **INTERLUDE**

#### 1 – 4 WALTZ AWAY & TOG BFLY;; SOLO TURNS 6;

1] repeat meas 1 part A; 2] repeat meas 2 part A; 3] Fwd L trng away from ptr, sd R cont trn, cl L to finish ½ trn L (Fwd R trng away from ptr, side L cont trn, cl R to finish ½ trn R); 4] bk R cont LF trn, sd L, cl R to BFLY WLL (bk L cont RF trn, sd R, cl L);

#### 5 – 6 CANTER 2X;;

5] repeat meas 15 part A; 6] repeat meas 16 part A to BFLY;

RFPFAT A

REPEAT B

#### **ENDING**

#### 1 – 4 WALTZ AWAY & TOG BFLY;; SOLO TURNS 6;

1] repeat meas 1 part A; 2] repeat meas 2 part A; 3] repeat meas 3 of interlude; 4] repeat meas 4 of interlude;

#### 5 – 6 CANTER; DIP BACK & HOLD;

5] repeat meas 15 part A to CP; 6] dip bk L trng upper body slightly L and hold (fwd R shaping body to M);



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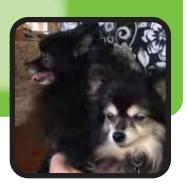
#### SEW MUCH FUN Karen Reichardt squarelyyoursicloud.com www.squaredancesewing.com







#### SOLO CORNER Marsha Sullivan solo@dosido2go.com



## HAVE FUN AT NATIONALS IN JACKSON MS Marsha will be attending the Media Breakfast on behalf of Footnotes.



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#### YOUTH COORDINATOR

Sierra Weber

P.Dolphin1110@comcast.net 253-445-6692

ell, another year of competition was missed. I sure do miss everyone. I hope to see you soon at the State Festival in a couple weeks!

If you want to help the youth around Washington State then you can donate to the funds of this scholarship. Any amount helps. 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. Please send donations to:

Tom Rohde Washington State Federation Treasurer 31429 114th Pl. SE Auburn, WA 98092 Attn: Youth Scholarship

Ouestions? Future article ideas? Please e-mail me at P.Dolphin1110@comcast.net









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Attn:

Youth Scholarship

On January 15, 2000, the Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington, Inc. voted to award an annual Youth Scholarship. Scholarships are awarded at the Washington State Square and Folk Dance Festival in June of each year. Monies are paid directly to the winner's college or trade school.



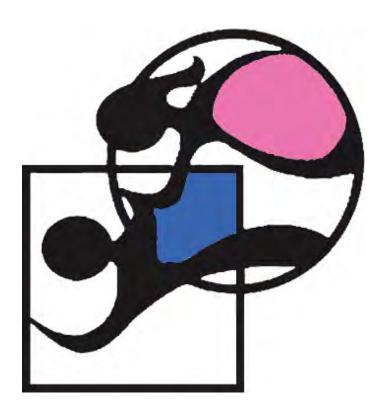
Tax deductible donations to this scholarship may be made through the Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington, Inc. State Treasurer.

For more information to to:

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# Federation of Washington, Inc. Square and Folk Dance

# Youth Scholarship Fund



## Supporting our Leaders Of Tomorrow!

Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington, Inc.

# Federation of Washington, Inc. Square and Folk Dance

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

# Eligibility Requirements

- Applicants must be active members in good standing of a Washington State Federated Club.
- Applicants must be 17 through 22 years of age.

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- Applicants must show a commitment to the promotion of square dancing.
- Funds must be used to further education beyond high school.

# Application Procedures

The following items are required:

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

# Applications must be postmarked no later than April 30<sup>th</sup>

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

Coordinator:

Sierra Weber Mail to: 1717 Wildflower Ct.

Puyallup, WA 98374-1403

253-686-2133

p.dolphin1110@comcast.net Email:

# Youth Scholarship Application

Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington, Inc.

			Age:	) )	
			Birth Date:	City:	Email:
Name:	Address:	City, State, Zip:	Phone:	High School:	Graduation Year:

College or Trade School you will be attending:

Name:

Area of study or major:\_

City & State:\_

Club Affiliation(s):

Number of years danced: Council:

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

All material must be received by April 30th.

#### WASHINGTON STATE FESTIVAL **TONS OF FUN IN 2021**



2021 Washington 68th State Square Dance Festival Tons of Fun 2021 June 18-19, 2021 9am - 10pm Delta Hotel 3105 Pine St. Everett, WA

Register on-line with PayPal @ https://festival.wasdf.org/

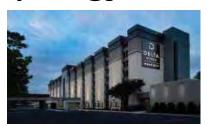
#### **ENTERTAINER INFORMATION:**

Caller Coordinator Steve Noseck connorst 1@msn.com

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Vendor Coordinator Doug Keyes KeyesDL7@gmail.com





Thursday, June 17th (see below)

Friday, June 18th 9:00 am - 10:00 pm ALL DANCE HALLS OPEN MS. Plus. Advanced. Rounds. Youth/High Energy and Specialty Halls REGISTRATION OPEN 10:00 am - 10:00 pm VENDORS, SEWING. & HERITAGE 11:30 am - 12:30 pm HALLS CLOSED FOR LUNCH PRE-BUY YOUR BOXED LUNCH Glacier Room 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

HALLS CLOSED FOR DINNER

PRE-BUY YOUR DINNER TICKETS

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President's, McNutt, Parker, & Youth Awards

Saturday, June 19th

TRAIL IN DANCE

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at Host Delta Hotel

7 to 10pm on Thursday 6/17/21 7 to 10pm on Thursday 6/17/21

**CALLERS: Steve Edlund, Brent Mawdsley, Steve Noseck and Kevin Thomaier CUER: Karen Neverdowski** 

> M/S with 2 PLUS tips \$10.00 each at the door only

## The TONS OF FUN STATE SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE FESTIVAL IS STILL GOING FORWARD...

The CDC reported today that if you are fully vaccinated you DO NOT need to wear a mask indoors and you DO NOT need to stay 6 feet apart. But at this time, Dr Fauci says we can't trust the CDC. *Our* plan is to follow the Guidelines from Washington State that will be in effect June 17-19, regardless of what others may say.

We will definitely have a smaller number at the Delta Hotel than we would have liked. But, hopefully, it will be the most talked about Festival ever! We are planning it to be fun for everyone who attends.

There are some things we need to yet work out. And we definitely will need more help. So please plan on coming, and sign up for the Festival, food, and at least one night's stay -- possibly Friday night. That will really help us out.

Judy Corning, Chairman judyseatrvl@comcast.net



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Redmond, WA 98052

Make checks payable to: 2021 WA State Festival

#### **ENTERTAINER INFORMATION:**

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Vendor Coordinator Doug Keyes

keyesDL7@gmail.com



CALLERS & CUERS (check all levels you want to call/cue)

Caller Cuer M/S Plus Advanced 2/3 4/5 Rounds

#### **HOTEL ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION:**

**HOST HOTEL Delta Hotels by Marriott** (425) 339-2000

Ask for "Square Dance Festival 2021 RATE: \$155/night FREE parking & breakfast book at Jennifer.Leyda@Marriott.com or https://tinyurl.com/TonsofFun2021Hotel

Courtyard by Marriott Everett 3003 Colby Av. Everett, WA 98201 (425) 259-2200 (0.8mi.) RATE: \$139.00/night king \$159.00/night 2 queens NO BREAKFAST

**Hampton Inn Seattle/Everett** 2931 W Marine View Dr. Everett, WA 98201 (425)349-4466 (1.1mi) RATE: \$140.00/night FREE breakfast

**Best Western Cascadia Inn** 2800 Pacific Av. Everett, WA 98201 (425) 258-4141 (1.5 blks) RATE: \$119.00/night FREE breakfast

No Camping on site. Find available camping on-line.

#### **NOTES:**

\*Refunds available until May 31st, 2021 less \$10.00

\*Ribbons will be mailed to the address listed above

\*Festival Bars are included with registration

\*WA State Badge available for \$5.00 purchase

FOLLOW US: Web:https://festival.wasdf.org/

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# 19th USAWEST SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION®

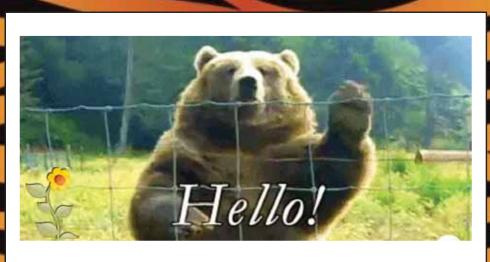
San Diego, California california.usawest.net August 17-20, 2022 **Handlery Hotel** 



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REGISTRATION FEES	WEDNESDAY NIGHT EVENTS (see other side for further information)
Pre-Registration (July 1, 2020 through July 15, 2022): Adult \$65.00 / Youth \$32.50 Door Registration (Beginning July 16, 2022): Adult \$70.00 / Youth \$35.00 **Check website for \$60.00 State Convention Travel Specials**	San Diego Twilight Trolley Tour # @ \$25.00 \$
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Jim Maczko & Patty Wilcox, PO Box 712918, San Diego, Ca 92171-2918	Registration Received:

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12/05/20



#### **BREAKING NEWS - DATE CHANGE**

In the best interest of the square dance family and dancer's health, the USAWest Chairmen have decided to postpone the 2021 Convention

#### 19th USAWest Square Dance Convention

"Dance ... on the Wild Side!"

August 17-20, 2022

Handlery Hotel, San Diego, California

**Registered dancers** should watch for an email regarding rollovers/refunds.

**Pre-Registration -** Continues to be available online at <u>California.usawest.net</u>

PLEASE SAVE THE NEW DATES

AND PLAN TO JOIN US –

Come for the dancing,

Stay for the Zoo – San Diego in 2022!



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DATES



#### 70<sup>TH</sup> NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION -- JACKSON, MS JUNE 23-26, 2021



#### **Convention Committee**

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#### **NEWS RELEASE**

For Immediate Release

Contact Information: Connie Ernst 504.390.2137 publicitychair@70NSDC.com

#### Learn something new in Jackson!

Squares, rounds, lines, it's all here

May, 2021—If you're a long-time dancer, or you've been dancing just a few months, the 70<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention® in Jackson, MS will have new things for you to learn.

Intro classes to all levels of dancing will be running Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of the convention. Whether you want to try plus, advanced, challenge, challenge 2, mainstream DBD, plus DBD or hex, classes with qualified callers who will walk you through the steps will be available.

Are you curious about the old calls before modern square dancing? Come learn about them on Thursday and Friday with Jon Jones. He'll have you Chasing the Rabbit and doing the Virginia Reel before you know it. Discovering the history of dancing can give you a better perspective on today's choreography, so come and learn these moves.

Is round dancing or line dancing more your speed? More than 20 hours of line dancing is planned, including beginner level classes. Round dance beginner classes will also be available.

Contra and clogging classes will also be available from qualified instructors on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

So many types of dancing are available, so what are you waiting for? You don't need to know how to do everything to attend and have a great time. Our instructors will teach you everything you need to know. Register for the convention, which will be June 23-26, at www.70nsdc.com.

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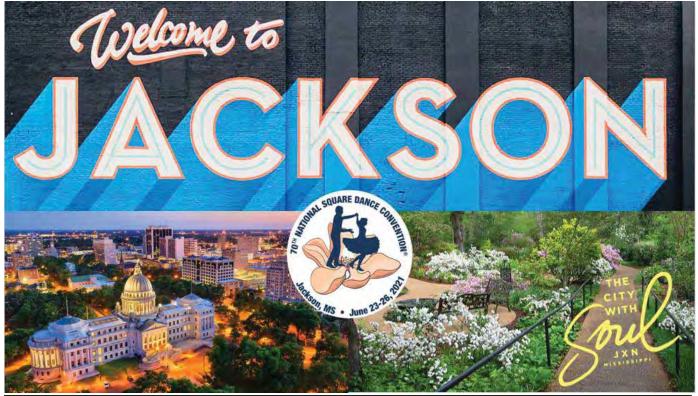


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June 23 – 26, 2021 Jackson, Mississippi www.70nsdc.com



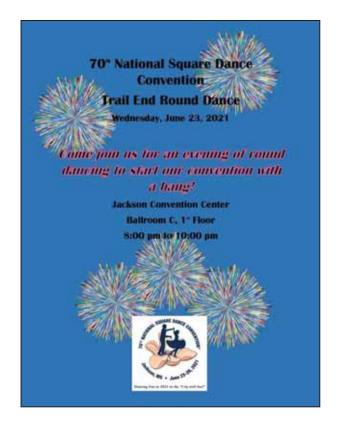




















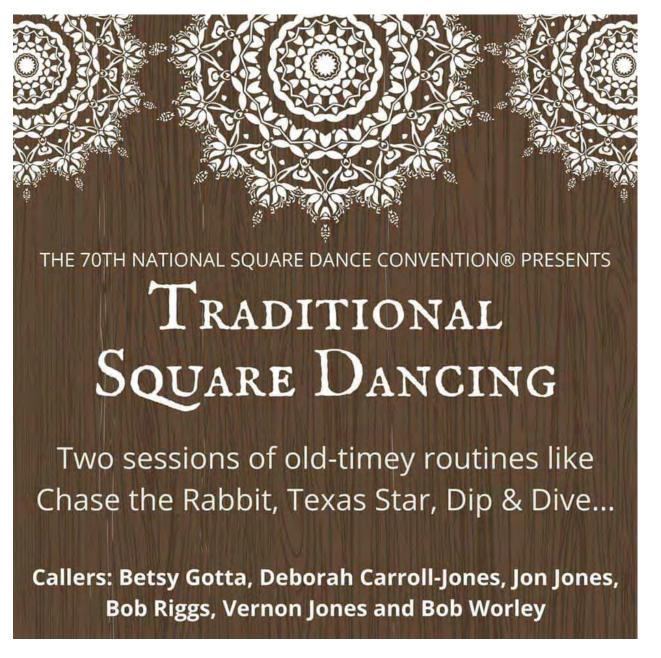












70<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention®
dancing from 10:00 am until 10:00 pm
After Parties (Squares, Rounds, Youth Hall) 10:00 – 11:00 pm
One of the Specialty Dance Hours will be *Traditional Square Dancing*.
Come learn some old routines that were popular before Modern Square Dancing.





Winners from the 68th NSDC in Atlanta

FOR MORE INFO LIKE US ON FACEBOOK





#### 70th NSDC Phone App Coming mid-June!

#### Using the 70th NSDC App attendees can:

Search through the more than 2,000 events of the 70<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention® in Jackson, the City with Soul!

Personalize a schedule of your favorite events AND receive reminders before the event starts.

Locate nearby restaurants, stores, and other services near the Jackson Convention Center.

#### Dance Leaders need the App, too!

A complete list of your assigned events

Online check-in. Skip the daily trip to the Dance Leader Coordination Room! After your initial arrival, check-in each day on the 70<sup>th</sup> NSDC App.

#### Download your copy through an App Store in mid-June!





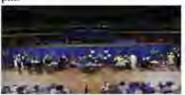
Pick up your souvenir water bottle when you check-in at Registration.





#### FASHION SHOW

Not just a Fashion Show! Come and enjoy an entertaining program. Saturday, June 26th at 1:00 pm in the 3rd Floor Theater. Entertainment at 12:30



#### AFTER PARTIES

Enjoy one hour of great dancing, both rounds and squares, from 10-11pm each night for adults. There is separate nightly After Parties in the Youth Hall for younger dancers.

#### PANELS & SEMINARS

Participate in a variety of topics on ...

- · Recruiting and retaining new dancers
- Social Square Dancing (SSD)
- The future of dancing
- Engaging youth

#### LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATION

#### PROGRAM (LCP)

- Insurance
- Social Media
- Taxation
- And Much More!

#### AVAILABLE DANCING



CONTRA CLOGGING LINE DANCING ROUND DANCE HEX SQUARES PROGRESSIVE SQUARES MAINSTREAM & PLUS DBD, A1 & A2 CHALLENGE 1 & 2

#### DO YOU WANT TO BE A CALLER OR CUER?

Don't miss the sessions on becoming a Caller or a Cuerl



SO, YOU THINK YOU WANT TO BE A CALLER?





#### KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Mike Seastrom

Mike is a very upbeat International caller who started dancing at age ten and called his first dance three years later. After getting his Doctorate, he joined CALLERLAB in 1977 and has served in numerous positions. Mike submits monthly CALLERLAB Viewpoint articles to the American Square Dance Magazine and his articles have appeared in various publications around the world. Mike teaches and calls from Basic through Challenge and also prompts Contra Dances. He has called in nine countries and all over the U.S. and records for Rhythm Records. Mike was the recipient of the "Milestone" award CALLERLAB'S highest honor.



#### ROUNDALAB CONVENTION

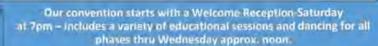
June 19th - June 23rd 2021

Jackson, Mississippi

Marriott Downtown

#### Who Can Attend the ROUNDALAB Convention? Round Dance Teachers, Cuers, & Dancers Anyone seeking to improve their

Anyone seeking to improve their cueing, teaching, and dancing skills.



If you are attending NSDC (immediately following our convention) you may request to NSDC to stay in the same hotel for both conventions. The Marriott is an NSDC Headquarters hotel and 3 blocks from the NSDC.



Jackson Marriott
Downtown
200 East Amite Street
Jackson, MS 39201

#### Why Attend ROUNDALAB?

Your ROUNDALAB registration includes: Dancing on wood floors, Saturday evening reception, 3 Evening dances, 2 beverage breaks each day, Tuesday evening awards banquet, Dancing/education for all phases, Fabulous education from leading Round Dance instructors, An electronic version of the Education Syllabus,

Networking opportunities with Round Dance instructors, and much more......

#### Jackson, Mississippi Attractions



Mississippi Civil Rights Museum



Eudora Welty House & Garden



Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame & Musuem



Old Capitol Museum

Jackson, the "City with Soul", is the capital city of Mississippi and is known for true southern hospitality, nationally recognized institutions of higher learning, a mecca of Art Deco architecture, and the home of internationally-renowned author, Eudora Welty. The statewide Mississippi Freedom Trail runs through the city, encompassing a number of historic sites that were significant in the civil rights movement. These include the Medgar Evers Home Museum and the landmark Mississippi State Capitol building.

Prices & Registration Form on Reverse Side



# INSTRUCTIONS FOR REGISTRATION (LEFT FRONT SIDE OF FORM)

- legibly all names, address, city, state, zip code, country, and B/D of youth (age 5-17 by June 26, 2021 discounted price) to ensure correct registration
  - nformation, check or money order payable in U.S. funds to the 70th National Square Dance Correctly enter all amounts in the Subtotals, including registration fee for each dancer plus Convention® and return it with the Registration Form. Do Not Send Cash. No Single Day quantity and amounts for all other materials. Calculate the Total and include credit card Registrations
    - A \$10.00 fee per registrant will be assessed for cancellation. No refunds after April 30, 2021 S.
      - mportant! Daily schedules are only available with the purchase of a Program Book. Daily schedules will not be available separately at the Convention. Most dancers will want to ourchase the Program Book 4
- directly to: Dream Vacations (70th NSDC), 8538 Lotticks Corner Rd SE, Elizabeth IN 47117. For FOUR FORM AND PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete the Tour Order Form and mail any questions call 812-969-2307 or email to c.schoen@dreamvacations.com. For Tour information and Order Form go to <a href="www.70nsdc.com">www.70nsdc.com</a> and click "TOURS'

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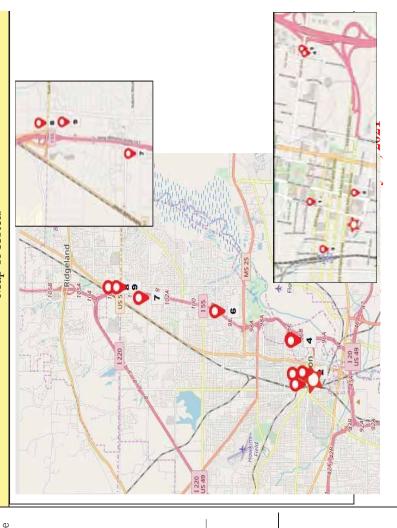
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Indicate RV Camping on your registration form and enclose the required fees (4-night minimum) to cover the nights that you intend to stay. 30 or 50 Amp and water available at all sites with sewer at most sites. Free dump station on site. If you plan to camp together, you must arrive together. For more information contact RV Vice-Chairman, John & Dolly Ide regcampingry@70nsdc.com

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR HOUSING (RIGHT FRONT SIDE OF FORM)

- provided on front side of this form; otherwise complete the entire housing portion on the right side of the front of this form. This form must be received by May 15, 2021 to guarantee the The 70th NSDC Housing Committee is pleased to offer website online access for housing eservations available after March 1, 2020. If you book your room online, check the box 70th NSDC pricing.
- ndicate three (3) choices of hotel preference by specifying hotel code number. Also, be sure to ndicate 1 bed (Standard King) or 2 beds (Queen). Hotels will be assigned on a first-come, firstserve basis according to availability. Z.
  - Only one person per room should complete a hotel reservation request on the front of this orm. Please list all room occupants. (The Housing Committee does not find or assign roommates.) 3
- Shared Room or Same Hotel Requests can be made through the online site OR forward registrations together in the same envelope. 4
- All Block Housing requests staying in the same hotel are due by January 2, 2021, include the name and telephone number of Block Leader to reghousing@70nsdc.com 2
- refundable processing fee. The hotel may require an advance deposit for 1st night. The balance will be paid at the hotel. An alternative form of payment may be presented at check in. Ensure Hotel Reservations: Your reservations must be guaranteed with a credit card and a \$3.50 nonexpiration date is after July 2021. 9
- Hotel Confirmations: You will receive a hotel confirmation from the 70th NSDC via email or mail. A Hotel confirmation will be sent after March 1, 2021. If you do not receive your confirmation
- oy March 30, 2021, please contact the Housing Committee by email at reghousing@70nsdc.com Hotel Changes: After receiving Hotel Confirmation, if you need to modify your hotel reservation
  - Hotel Cancellations: Your confirmed hotel will assess a one-night room/tax charge for vou must contact the 70th NSDC Housing Committee, reghousing@70nsdc.com cancellations received less than 72 hours prior to arrival. 6
- Hotel Early Departure: An early departure fee may be charged unless the 70th NSDC Housing Committee reghousing@70nsdc.com is notified at least 72 hours prior to a change in the olanned stay. 10.

## Map of Hotels



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2	Holiday Inn Express **	\$129	\$129	\$129	\$129	1.4 mile
9	Residence Inn	\$120	\$150	\$150	\$150	3.7 miles
7	Oyo Townhouse **	08\$	\$80	\$80	\$80	7.7 miles
8	Hilton Jackson	\$119	\$124	\$129	\$134	9 miles
6	Courtyard Jackson/Ridgeland	\$129	\$129	\$129	\$139	7 miles

# Jackson Convention Complex 105 E Pascagoula St, Jackson, MS 39201

## 70th NSDC, 5252 McIngvale Rd., Hernando, MS 38632 Return completed form with payment to: Any questions, please call 901-628-4356

Come Early or Stay Late! The Soul Team of the 70th NSDC is committed to making our Convention fun and memorable experience for you. Please email us if you have a concern or suggestion. Dan and Glinda Torvik, General Chairman, generalchair@70nsdc.com

## 70<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention® I'd like to volunteer, please contact me.

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#### *71st NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE 2022* EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

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#### **NEWS RELEASE**

#### For Immediate Release

71st NSDC to have Dueling Pianos as opening act

EVANSVILLE – Get ready for some fun and fancy music playing as Felix and Fingers Dueling Pianos will be the opening show for the 71st National Square Dance Convention in Evansville. Dinner will begin at 5:30 p.m. Central Time at the Tropicana Hotel and Casino and the show will begin at 7 p.m. The cost is \$50 for the dinner and show, or \$25 for show only.

Dueling Pianos is a high-energy show that thrives on audience participation. Performers go into a show having little to no idea what songs they will play, and the audience requests songs for them to perform. Their musicians can play in all genres, from country to classical to hip hop to jazz to rock, so there are many songs they can play. Performers also work comedy into the act. The goal of Dueling Pianos is to entertain as many people as possible.

According to Felix and Fingers' website, dueling piano shows started in the late 19th century with two pianists on stage taking requests and seeing which one could play the song better and faster.

The format has evolved since then. Now, many of the shows include humor and even more improvisation, but that core purpose remains.

Learn more about Felix and Fingers dueling pianos at felixandfingers.com. Register for the 71st NSDC at 71NSDC.org.



#### River Rat Raps

This is Rizzo Rat Tat, your roving ratporter for the 71<sup>st</sup> National Square Dance Convention®, which will be held June 22-25, 2022 in Evansville, IN U.S.A.

#### **Exploring Evansville**

Dancing your heart away is always the number one fun at our National Square Dance Conventions®, but when you are ready for a little dance down time Evansville offers a variety of interesting and fun things to do and see.

Here are just a couple of them.



**The Willard Library** is the oldest library in Indiana and shhhhh don't tell anyone, but the word is out...it's haunted!

The Reitze Home Museum is a beautiful Victorian Home and Carriage House located in Evansville's famous Historic District. Built in the French Second Empire style of architecture this turn of the century gem is a must see.





The Old Vanderburgh County Courthouse is a unique place to explore and enjoy the history of Evansville. Built in the nineteenth century government architectural style it is constructed of native Indiana limestone with pink marble wainscots and at 216 feet to the bell tower is the focal point of downtown Evansville.

Go to <u>71nsdc.org</u> for the most current 71st NSDC convention information.



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Return completed forms to Jill Stanley, 21 Boots Trail, Greenfield, IN 46140 by June 5, 2022.

Registration & Housing Chair: Richard & Nancy Fulaytar registration@71nsdc.org (765-662-2553)

## Room Rate Distance **Code Hotel Name Print legibly** all names and complete addresses plus birth date of youth (age 5-17 on June 25 Instructions for Registration and RV Camping (front left side of the form)

information, check, or money order payable in U.S. funds to the 71st National Square Dance Enter all amounts in Subtotals including registration fee for each dancer plus quantity and amount for all other materials and tours. Calculate the Total and include credit card 2022 discounted price) to ensure correct registration.

Convention and return it with the Registration Form. Do Not Send Cash. No Single Day Registrations

MPORTANT! Daily schedules are only available with the purchase of a Program Book. Daily schedules will not be available separately at the Convention. 3

logether, you must arrive together. For more information contact RV Vice-Chairman, Larry and Circle the days you will be RV Camping on your registration form and enclose the required available on first-come, first-served basis. Free sewage dump station. If you plan to camp fees (4-night minimum base fee plus additional days). 50 Amp with water and sewer are Most dancers will want to purchase the Program Book. Paula McCleary campvchair@71nsdc.org

There is NO BUS PASS because parking is free at the convention center. 5.

Tour form and payments are to be mailed directly to: 71st NSDC Tours, 5509 Timberlake Court, Evansville, IN 47710. For any questions email tour@71nsdc.org. For Tour information and order form go to www.71nsdc.org and click "Tours."

A \$10 fee per registrant will be assessed for cancellation. No refunds after April 30, 2022. Mail completed forms by June 5, 2022. Email or online registration by June 12, 2022. ~ 8

**Instructions for Housing** (front right side of form)

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Online access for housing reservations are available after March 1, 2021. If you book your room online, check the box provided on the front side of this form; otherwise complete the entire housing portion. This form must be received, and rooms must be booked by May 15, 2022 to guarantee the 71st NSDC pricing.

Hotels will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis according to availability.

Only one person per room should complete a hotel reservation request. Please list all room occupants, the Housing Committee does not assign find/assign roommates. 2 %

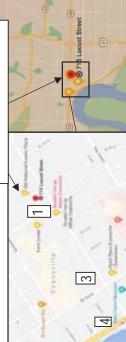
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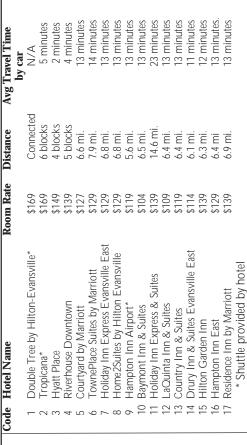
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Hotel changes before May 15, 2022 may be made online or through ω.

2 Return completed forms to: 71st NSDC c/o Jill Stanley 21 Boots Trail





Cut-off date for housing: May 15, 2022

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#### 72nd & 73rd NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE 2023 & 2024

Information taken from "National Squares Online E-Magazine"





#### VISIT MILWAUKEE FOR GREAT FOOD & GREAT DRINK



If you're hungry or thirsty. Milwaukee has you covered. This is a city where beer flows freely, where the farms are closer to the tables, and where upscale gourmet cuisine lives side by side with deep-fried cheese. To help you find the dining or drinking establishment that will best suit your appetites, we've created curetted lists of some of Milwaukee's best bars and restaurants. Just follow your gut, and you'll find Great spots all mapped out for you.

#### COMFORT FOOD

Nothing warms you up like some good of fashioned comfort food, and luckily, Milwaukee has you covered. Check out these local spots for some of the cheesiest, gooiest, stick-to-your-ribsiest comfort food around.



#### Balzac Wine Bar

Comfort food doesn't have to be low-key. Treat yourself to Balzac Wine Bar's signature "Sac Mac," made with five cheeses and topped with bleu cheese and toasted panko bread crumbs.



#### Comet Café

Home style meatloaf? It's a comfort-food dream. You'll find that and more satisfying, from-scratch dishes at East Side mainstay Comet Café



#### Maxie's

Southern comfort is the name of the game at Maxie's, which also serves white cheddar mac n' n cheese (as a side) in addition to shrimp and grits, red beans and rice, and more.

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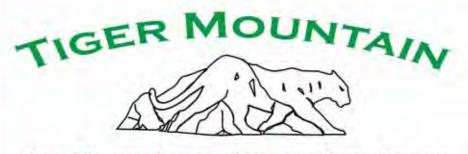


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#### MEMBERS NEEDING HEAL-IUM



Terri Graff - Dudes and Dolls - Mt Baker

And all of the dancers recovering from Covid-19

#### IN MEMORY



Lonnie Graff - Dudes and Dolls - Mt. Baker Council

Marie Hanson - Prairie Shufflers - Blue Mountain Council

Honor your dancers with a memorial donation to the Heritage Center.

Contact Ellen Ostrum (425-308-9559) or Doug Keyes (425-478-3397)

passed away March for 2more information

This will be a regular page in Footnotes. I hope it's a blank page always! If your club would like to include dancers on this page please send a separate email to *footnotes wa@yahoo.com*. If their names are in the articles only they may be missed when compiling the magazine. A separate email will help ensure they are included so healing thoughts and prayers may be sent their way.

#### **BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL** Area Reporter



There is not a **BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL** meeting scheduled at this time.

All **PRAIRIE SHUFFLER** activities are canceled

We are opening slowly

throughJune. We are hopful we can dance in July for our WaterFollies Dance. See flyer next page.

following guidelines from State Federation and requiring masks at our Monday night worrkshop refreshers for club members and guests,

Garry Benfield

TRI CITIES CIRCULATORS and FAMILY-A-FAIR are not meeting for dances or lessons at this time.

#### PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS

**Shufflers Shanty** 717 N. Irving, Kennewick

DANCING 1ST & 3RD FRIDAYS SEPTEMBER-JUNE PLUS 7:00 - 8:00 PM MAINSTREAM 8:00 - 10:00 PM CHECK OUT OUR AD FOLLOWING THE REPORT

See Shuffler ad for dance information

The MUDDY FROGS, of Milton-Freewater, are dark until next season or later depending on the "stay at home" orders



**MUDDY FROGS** SQUARE DANCE CLUB

Caller: Guest Cuer: Guest 3rd Sundays • 2-4 PM Milton-Freewater Community Center 105 NE 5th Milton-Freewater, OR For info • e-mail: merrianneh@charter.net

in Washington and Oregon. However, The Milton-Freewater Muddy Frogs plan to welccome in 2021 a soon as we can. For further information, please call Merri Anne Huber at 541-861-9055.

The MELODY MIXERS Round Dance club has canceled all dances and lessons through the rest of the fall season, but that will be dependent on the status of the COVID 19 closures and restrictions.

Dancing will certainly be different when we resume. I assume that food and drink may be restricted to personal water bottles. Hand washing or sanitizing will be a must between tips or sets. Will we all be wearing face coverings? Maybe. Probably. I can't figure out a way that we can dance and still comply with Social Distancing – 6 feet strictions are lifted.



#### PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS WATERFOLLIES DANCE JULY 17<sup>TH</sup>



#### **ADAM CHRISTMAN-Caller TINA ALLAWAY-Cuer**

3-5 PLUS DANCE

6:30 PRE-ROUNDS

7-9:30 MAINSTREAM DANCE

with some HEX SQUARES

SHUFFLER SHANTY 717 N IRVING KENNEWICK, WA

FOLLOWING COVID-19 SAFE RETURN TO DANCING GUIDELINES

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EAVE Message for Call Back: Garry Benfield 509 585-0548 or Urban Jenguin 509 628-0354.

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#### BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL **DANCE SCHEDULE**



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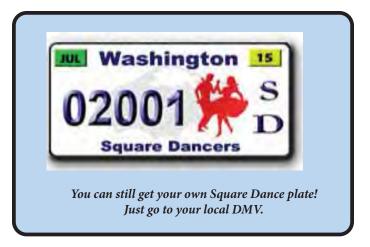
#### **CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL**

Area Reporter
Carel & Michael Edgerly

carel@centurylink.net







#### Central Area Council

invites you to dance with us

BLUE AGATE SQUARES

1st & 3rd Saturday

7:00—9:30PM

Daron Tandberg, Caller

Cyndi Silicki, Cuer

Swauk-Teanaway Grange—

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509-304-4478

Or

509-304-8040

GATESWINGERS
2nd & 4th Saturdays
7:00—9:30PM
Daron Tandberg, Caller
Debbie Taylor, Cuer
Summer Dance
4th Saturday July
Dave & Sharon Boggs—
Caller/Cuer
Yakima Square & Round
Dance Center—
Moxee
509-949-6712

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#### SILHOUETTE DANCERS

Thursdays
Ph 3-5 Rounds
6:00-7:30PM
Debbie & Paul Taylor
Yakima Square & Round
Dance Center—Moxee
509-965-3015



Silhouette Dancers
will have a
Graduation Dances
June 24th &
July 22nd
7:00 - 9:00

### Choreographed Ballroom (Round Dancing)

## Learn Two-Step or Waltz In A Week Dance Boot-Camp 12 Sessions



Education Sessions:

Sunday 6:30 - 9:00

Mon, Tues, Wed

9:30 - 12:00, 1:30 - 4:00,

6:30 - 9:00

Thurs

9:30 - 12:00, 1:30 - 4:00

#### Instructors:

#### Debbie & Paul Taylor

Two-Step in-a-week: June 20 - 24, 2021 Waltz in-a-week: July 18 - 22, 2021

Program starts on Sunday at 6:30 pm at Yakima Square & Round Dance Center

207 E. Charron Road, Moxee, Washington

Date(s) of attendance	
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Email	_# Couple(s) @ \$155.00 \$
Club Affiliation?	# Single(s) @ \$77.50 \$
RV Space No RV/Electrical Yes No	# of Nights @ \$20.00 \$
Size Slide Out	_ Total Amount Enclosed \$
Please mail checks to: Gateswingers of Yakima - PO Box 1	10559, Yakima, WA 98909

Self-contained RV's are welcome to park at the hall for \$8 a night. Hookups (power & water) are \$20.00 per night.



## 18th Annual Mid-Summer Nights

#### ROUND DANCES AND WORKSHOPS

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#### **Debbie & Paul Taylor**

#### SILHOUETTE DANCERS

WHEN: July 15th, 16th & 17th 2021

**WHERE:** Yakima Square & Round Dance Center

207 E. Charron Road, Moxee, WA 98936

<u>TIMES:</u> <u>Thursday</u> -7:00-7:30 pm Phase 4-5-6 Pre-Round Requests

7:30 – 9:30 pm Trail-In Dance – Program Shared With All Cuers

Separate Charge - \$7 Per Person at the door

Friday - 10:00 am - Noon Phase 3 - 4 - 5 Workshop 2:00 - 4:00 pm Phase 3 - 4 - 5 Workshop Friday Evening 7:30pm - Welcome Dance Requests Phase 4 - 5 - 6 8:00pm - 10:00pm Phase 3 - 4 - 5 Programed Party Dance



Saturday - 10:00 am - Noon Phase 5 - 6 Workshop 2:00pm - 4:00pm Phase 3 - 4 Workshop Saturday Evening - 7:30pm - Phase 4 - 5 - 6 Pre-Round Requests 8:00pm - 10:00pm Phase 3 - 4 - 5 Party Dance 10:00pm - Social Get-together

COST: \$85 Per Couple Pre-Registered - OR \$20 Per Couple Per Session Or \$95 Per Couple At The Door

For Motel & R.V. Parking Information Contact Jill Rogers at 509-965-3015

Make checks payable to Silhouette Dancers and Return to: Silhouette Dancers 3503 MARKS RD.

YAKIMA, WA 98903 Phone: 509-965-3015



#### **CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL**

#### Area Reporter **Donna & Tom Rohde**

253-833-2825

donnalou13@comcast.net

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The BOOTS & LACES wish everyone a very safe and L healthy summer. Also, a very HAPPY 4th of July. We are all anxious to get back to dancing and seeing our square dance family. We have missed everyone and our fun times together.

> Pat Hoot, hootpnr@yahoo.com

All activities for June have been canceled due to Covid-19 restrictions placed upon Cedar Valley Grange where the **JET STEPPERS** dance in Maple Valley. The Jet Steppers hold monthly gatherings the third Thursday of each month via ZOOM. These virtual gatherings will continue until we are able to resume normal activity again.

> Dave Smith. daves787@comcast.net

The **PI-R SQUARES** wish everyone a great summer. We hope we at least stay in Phase 3 or maybe even Phase 4. Andy Garboden has been having mainstream workshops at Meridian Grange from 6:30 to 8:30 pm and his Maple Valley Plus (MPV) dance at the Cedar Grange in Maple Valley from 7:00 to 9:00 pm on the 4th Friday of each

Pi-R-Squares

Dance Club

month. If we stay in at least Phase 3, Andy will continue. The PI-R Squares are thinking about having a dance or two this summer. We will let you know if we are able to depending on what Phase we are in.

2nd & 4th saturday 7:30-10pm MAINSTREA Caller, Andy Garboden Cuer: Kyle Quande CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEBSITE: WWW.PLR-SQUARES.ORG

The PI-R Campout is going to be at the Circle 8 Ranch in

Cle Elum the second weekend of August and our plan is to have Andy Garboden and Kyle Quande call the dance on Saturday night and maybe Friday night. We will keep you informed as we have not heard back from the Circle 8 Ranch yet on their plans. Keep smiling and we all hope to be back on our regular schedule of dancing on the 2nd & 4th Saturdays at Meridian Grange starting in September.

> Terry & Marilyn Quinnett, mvjunkdealer@juno.com

> > www.squaredance-wa.org

Feet are hitting the dance floor at the WAGON WHEELS Square Dance Club in Kent. With the lifting of the most onerous Covid 19 restrictions, Wagon Wheels has resumed Round Dance lessons on Tuesday nights taught by Lorraine Rouse with the assistance of her husband John at the Kent Meridian Grange from 7 to 8 pm. Social distancing and masking up is required, but everyone seems happy to do so to get back on the dance floor. Lorraine will continue to hold classes as long as there are interested students, so please contact Melanie Berg, Wagon Wheel Club President if you are interested. Her email address is: perkymel@ comcast.net. The cost is \$5.00 per class per person. No plans have been made for square dancing, but we are hoping by September, we will be given the go-ahead for dances and classes, so watch for announcements toward the end of summer.

Although Wagon Wheels is not hosting any square dances, Andy Garboden from Pi-R Squares held square dance workshops and is also resuming his Maple Valley Plus Club at Cedar Grange in Maple Valley. Check with Andy to see if he will be continuing through the summer. I am sure he would love to hear from you.

Wagon Wheel Club members continue to keep in touch with each other through regular club zoom meetings, social media, email and the old-fashioned telephone! Many have been vaccinated and are anxious to square up again soon. Time should make it easier and safer as more are vaccinated. Although we have been unable to dance, others have suffered far worse restrictions and so prayers are still needed for all the families and businesses for whom it is and has been such a difficult time. Things are changing and better times are ahead, so be well, enjoy the summer and don't forget how to "Spin Your Top!"

> Geri Kraft, pinefox@comcast.net



Donna Rohde CPSC Area Reporter Central Puget Sound Council

#### **CLUBS OF CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL**







#### JACKS & JILLS - KENT

Caller: Brett Kappenman

Cuer: Kyle Quande

Every Sunday - Meridian Grange 6:00 - 8:30 pm - Teen Club - M/S

#### **BOOTS & LACES - TRAVELING CLUB**

If you are having a Special Dance, Anniversary, Fundraiser, Dinner, etc. contact us so we can plan on coming to support your dance.

RON & PAT HOOT - 206-784-9796 hootpnr@yahoo.com

#### PI-R SQUARES - KENT

Caller: Andy Garboden Cuer: Kyle Quande

2nd & 4th Sat - Meridian Grange 2nd Sat - 7:00 RD W/S or Teach 4th Sat - 7:00 - "Plus" Dance

7:30 - 10:00 - Mainstream Dance

#### **JET STEPPERS - MAPLE VALLEY**

Caller: Chuck Martin Cuer: Rochelle Catt

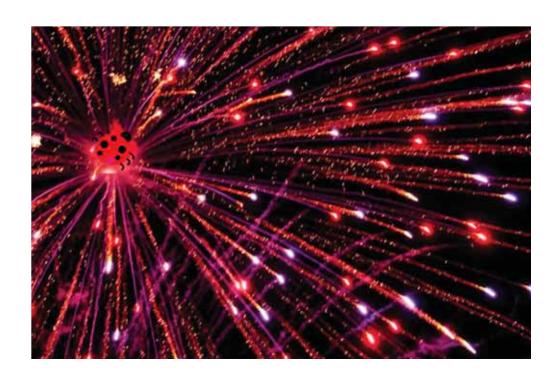
1st & 3rd Saturday - Cedar Grange 1st Sat - 7:00 - Round Dance W/S 3rd Sat - 7:00 - Square Dance W/S 7:30 - 9:30 - Mainstream Dance

#### **WAGON WHEEL SQUARES**

Caller: Scott Coon / Stephen Cole Cuer: Lorraine & John Rouse 1st & 3rd Sat - Meridian Grange 1st Sat - 7:00 - "Plus" Dance 3rd Sat - 7:00 - Round Dance W/S

7:30 to 10:00 - M/S & 1 Plus Tip

"No Dances until Further Notice Due to the Corona Virus"





#### **EVERGREEN COUNCIL**

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Columbia River Dancers

2nd & 4th Saturdays
Hazel Dell Grange
Vancouver, WA
7-8 Plus 8-10 Mainstream
Lessons Tuesdays @ 7PM

Jim Hattrick & Guest Callers

Q's 360-606-8849

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

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>Sat. at Hazel Dell Grange Pre-Rounds at 7:00 MS & 3rd tip Plus 7:30 7509 NE Hazel Dell Ave. Vancouver, WA 98665

Caller: K.C. Curtis

**Cuer: Guest** 

Questions? (360) 903-2139



Craig Abercrombie, Caller Lonnie Sycks, Cuer

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

Plus 7:00-8:00; Mainstream 8:00-9:30

Annual Octoberfest 2nd Weekend in October

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

> 360.749.3964 (Dick) www.r-square-d.info



#### First & Third Saturday

Washington Grange #82 7701 NE Ward Road. Vancouver, WA

#### JIM HATTRICK

caller/cuer jimandjudyhattrick@gmail.com

wwwhappy-hoppers.com

Info: 360-573-5886

#### **FEDERATION TRAVEL CLUB**



Poulsbo Promenaders, *Peninsula Council* 206-842-5147





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#### **MOUNT BAKER COUNCIL**

Area Reporter Ronald A. Ward

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Because this is the last report from the MT. BAKER COUNCIL prior to the State Festival in June, I'm going to begin with a report (current as of May 10) from the State Festival Committee Chair. That will be followed by reports from seven of our clubs.

Ronald A. Ward ron.ward740@gmail.com

#### The **TONS OF FUN STATE SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE FESTIVAL** IS STILL GOING FORWARD...

The CDC reported today that if you are fully vaccinated you DO NOT need to wear a mask indoors and you DO NOT need to stay 6 feet apart. But at this time, Dr Fauci says we can't trust the CDC. *Our* plan is to follow the Guidelines from Washington State that will be in effect June 17-19, regardless of what others may say.

We will definitely have a smaller number at the Delta Hotel than we would have liked. But, hopefully, it will be the most talked about Festival ever! We are planning it to be fun for everyone who attends.

There are some things we need to yet work out. And we definitely will need more help. So please plan on coming, and sign up for the Festival, food, and at least one night's stay -- possibly Friday night. That will really help us out.

Judy Corning, Chairman judyseatrvl@comcast.net

While staying within the Phase 3 guidelines, **DUDES** & **DOLLS** held their first Mainstream Square Dance Workshop, Tuesday, April 27th with Scott Coon calling, at the Cedar Valley Grange. The Workshop was an immediate success with 3 squares dancing and people from 6 different clubs. Dudes and Dolls scheduled a total of 6 Workshops on successive Tuesday Nights from 7- 8:30pm. Each dancer's temperature is taken upon arrival, they must wear a mask the entire time in the hall, and sanitize hands after each tip. No Food is allowed, the Fountain is disabled so if you want something to drink you must bring your own water bottle, which is not allowed on the dance floor.

Dudes & Dolls will continue to hold the workshops on Tuesday nights through June 1st as long as Snohomish County Covid Rules will allow.

The Dudes & Dolls have some fun Summer Activities Planned: July 29th through August 1st we have our annual club campout at Howard Miller Steelhead Park located in Rockport, Washington. August finds us holding our annual Club Picnic at the Cedar Valley Grange in Lynnwood.

Hopefully, life will be back to normal by Spring of 2022 for our annual club Mystery Caravan, where we all meet at the grange in the morning, load up on a bus and head to???? Well only the Committee Chairman knows. Usually we have lots of snacks on the bus that we share as we travel together to visit an attraction in the afternoon, stop at a restaurant for a group dinner, then off again to hit a dance somewhere that night. After the dance if it is close enough, we ride back to the Grange arriving usually around midnight. Some years we go farther away and stay overnight at an unknown planned hotel near the dance, have breakfast in the morning, then load up on the bus again and head back to the Grange. It's always a real blast.

Unfortunately, the Square Dance World has lost another dancer to Covid in April: Lonnie Graff and his wife, Terry, both came down with Covid. Terry is recovering; however, Lonnie passed away. He will be missed both for his optimistic outlook on life and the wonderful pictures he took for the Stanwood Sashayers and Square Dance Events all over! We all offer Terry our sincere sympathies for her loss and wish her a speedy recovery.

Debbie and Paul Taylor are still cueing round dance and West Coast Swing lessons on Sundays, as well as cueing for Dancing Shadows on Saturday nights through May 16th. Their events are also held at the Cedar Valley Grange in Lynnwood.

Karen Neverdowski is cueing round dancing at 7pm Wednesday evenings at the Juanita Community Hall in Kirkland.



The State Federation is still planning to go ahead with our State Festival to be held in Everett, Washington at the Delta Marriott Hotel, June 17th through June 19th. Don't forget to get your registration sent in.

At this time Circle 8 is anticipated to be open and dancing this summer. Go online to find your favorite camping site, and get your registrations in before someone else beats you to it. So Vicki and I really do hope to see YOU out on the dance floor dancing SOON.

> Robert Reichle & Vicki Lieske robert r r52@yahoo.com

The **SQUARE CROWS**' leadership held a meeting in early April to make some plans for restarting dancing, lessons, etc. Because of the current Covid situation, we were not able to set any dates, but did put some plans in place (pending state restrictions) so that when things do "loosen" up we'll have a plan. Keep your eye on the Mt. Baker website for any updates this summer. Have a wonderful summer and we hope to see you on the dance floor in the fall.

> Lynn Von Seggern, Secretary lynnvonseggern@gmail.com

**FREEWHEELERS** had a zoom membership meeting on April 28th with 8 members attending. We spent some time remembering members we lost recently, including: Ken Sharp, Bob Wright and Dorothy McReynolds. None of these members succumbed to Covid 19. 2020 and the beginning of 2021 was a difficult time for all of us.

Roger Spiese has been in touch with us and has decided to continue as our club caller in 2021. Our club cuers, Debbie and Paul Taylor, have been having Round Dance workshops on Sundays at the Cedar Valley Grange. The workshops will end May 16th but will begin again in September. FREEWHEELERS will not be dancing this Spring/Summer, but hope to return to our club dances in the Fall, if conditions permit. We are not planning to have any lessons in the Fall.

Several of our members are registered for the WA State Festival "Tons of Fun in 2021" in June and we are looking forward to seeing many other clubs in attendance. There will be other dance activities over the Summer months that we are all looking forward to if things continue to improve and we all get vaccinated. We're sending all of you wishes for continued good health, and hope to see you all dancing in 2021.



Ruth Jester ruthjester@frontier.com

The **HAPPY HOPPERS** have been having monthly Zoom meetings and things are progressing toward the 2021-2022 season.

In March, officers were elected for next season, and business continues. Thank you to all who volunteered, and to our Nominating Committee of one, Bertha Davidson, for strong-arming them into it.

Cindy Selby has filled the schedule with a great slate of callers and cuers. It will be published in a future issue of Footnotes, once we get the official go ahead. Patty Schiller will be meeting soon to put together the caravan schedule.

Dave Harry will begin teaching our fall lessons in October, Jay Inslee willing and the crick don't rise. We're hoping lots of folks will be itching to make new, in-person social connections once restrictions are lifted. And what better way to do that than square dancing?

Steve Thompkins was awarded the Hopper of the Year trophy. As club Secretary, he earned it; figuring out and presiding over Zoom meetings for some rather technically challenged dancers!

Here's hoping to see everyone at the State Festival, June 18-19 at the Delta Hotel in Everett. And don't forget the Trail-In Dance on June 17. Maybe we'll share a tip at Circle 8. If not, see you in September. Have great summer!

> Melody Scalzo melscalz10@gmail.com

HAPPY ROUNDERS club will begin holding dances in June, unless permissions change. We will dance every Tuesday night to Randy Preskitt, at the Hayloft, featuring phase 3 & 4 rounds.

> Larry Mercer, President larry mercer02@outlook.com

All of us in **RAINBOW SQUARES** hope you all have a nice summer, and we look forward to seeing you again on the dance floor in the Fall. Stay healthy.

> Lew Gaskill olgaskill@comcast.net



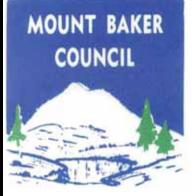
As a preliminary step to preparing for a return to dancing, the **FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS** developed and distributed an email survey on members' general intentions on when they plan to restart their personal dance activities. Results are still being finalized and will be briefed to the Club leadership at the next Executive Board Meeting, which is scheduled to be held on 18 May in a Zoom meeting.

Like so many other dancers within the Mt. Baker Council, we are looking forward to our upcoming State Festival at the Delta Marriott Hotel in Everett, June 17-19. We've also been encouraged by the distribution of the Circle 8 Ranch's tentative dancing schedule starting in late May, and by plans for the Education and Leadership Seminar in July. Let's hope we can all return to dancing very soon.

Ronald A. Ward ron.ward740@gmail.com







<u>Council Website</u> www.sqdance.org

State Website www.squaredance-wa.org

**See Washington State Square Dance Directory for hall addresses** 

**Council information**: Council President Doug Keyes 425 478-3397

Council Meeting 1st Wednesday - September thru June Marysville School District - Board Room 7:30-9:30 PM

4220 80<sup>th</sup> St NE Marysville, WA

A BLAST / A1-A2 / 1st & 3rd Saturdays (Check Council Website)- 11:00 AM-1:30 PM Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood Guest Callers & Cuers	206 369-7131
CASCADE CROSSFIRES / Plus / Mondays - 6:30-9:00 PM  Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood Susan Morris & Guest Callers	425 739-6096
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	425 308-3950
FERN BLUFF SQUARES / Mainstream / Family, 2nd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM South Lake Stevens Grange, Lake Stevens Robert Sax/Karen Neverdowski	360 926-6673
FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS / Plus / 3rd Friday - 7:00-10:00 PM Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley Guest Callers/Bob Berka	360 682-5348
FREEWHEELERS /1st Sunday Mainstream/3rd Sunday Plus/Advanced Rounds 6:30 PM Dance 7:30PN Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood Roger Spiese/Debbie Taylor	19:30PM 206 367-9219
HAPPY HOPPERS / Mainstream / 2nd & 4th Sundays 6:00- 9:00 PM The Hayloft, Lynnwood Guest Callers/Guest Cuers	425 238-7870
HAPPY ROUNDERS / Rounds / Phase 3 & 4, Tuesday - 7:30-9:30 PM  The Hayloft, Lynnwood Randy Preskitt	206 365-8095
MT BAKER TEACHERS, CALLERS & CUERS  stephen@isquaredance.com  Information: Steven Cole	206 769-4959
RAINBOW SQUARES / Mainstream / 2nd & 4th Saturday - 7:00-9:30 PM Ten Mile Grange, Lynden Brent Mawdsley	360 961-6170
SAMENA SQUARES / Mainstream / 2nd & 4th Friday - 7:30-10:00 PM  Juanita Community Club, Kirkland Guest Callers/Cuers	425 686-2488
SKAGIT SQUARES / Mainstream / 3rd Saturday - 7:30-10:00 PM  Mount Vernon Senior Center, Mount Vernon John Corrigan/Bob Berka	360 630-4378
SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS / Mainstream, 3rd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM Tri-way Grange, Mill Creek Guest Callers/Karen Neverdowski	360 805-1902
SQUARE CROWS / Mainstream / 3rd Friday - 7:30-10:00 PM  Maltby Community Center, Maltby Guest Callers/Karen Neverdowski	206 914-2253
STANWOOD SASHAYERS / Mainstream, 1st Sat - 7:30-10:00 PM Stillaguamish Grange Hall, Stanwood Eddie Harry/Bob Berka	206 383-4977
WHIRLYBIRDS / Mainstream / 1st Friday (Floor Level) & 2nd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM The Hayloft, Lynnwood Dave Harry/Roxanne Boelter	206 687-3308
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#### NERTH CENTRAL COUNCIL

#### **NORTH CENTRAL COUNCIL**

Area Reporter **Jackie Chase** 

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#### 4X8'S

We held our first meeting in over a year last week. It was so good to see our friends and fellow dancers. After the meeting we squared up and danced in our driveway and open garage. Can't tell you how good that felt. Just when I was relaxing a bit, and happy to see some dancing starting to appear, it seems we are inevitably heading back to phase 2. Sad, so, so sad. Not much else new in our area to report. We are just hoping to be back to dancing on a regular basis soon.

Patti Roberts 4x8's

#### WHEATLAND WHIRLERS

#### KRIS KISER

I started dancing when I was just 15 years old in the summer and started calling when I was 16 years old.

Wes Holman encouraged me to work on singing calls. And by the fall I was doing tip calling at the dances in Wednesday nights with the Alamanders teen club the following year. I had been invited to dance at the barn with Leonard McCurry, as we called him Mac, he gave me the opportunity to split a tip with Chris Mc Curry on a regular basis. Other dance groups would offer me the same opportunity to split a tip at there regular club dances of course in North Central Council.

But in the mid 70's the competition was so intense with callers and the opportunity to learn to call patter was a very hush-hush secret deal the adults discouraged me against patter calling. Then a couple of years went by, I went to college and got married. My first wife was not a dancer and she did not want to be either. 13 years later I divorced

her and met my dear wife Margaret. We danced here and there while we finished raising the kids. Then we became very serious about calling and dancing. We joined up with the Gateswingers, danced with them and Orvin Logan and Daron Tandberg worked with me when we all had time.

We were in Yakima about 10 years, when we moved to Aberdeen to help our daughter with the kids. We joined the Harbor Haylofters, and Randy Carlson was a great encourager. Randy loved his Raymond girl's basketball FOOTNOTES

team. So, in order to still dance on Tuesday nights I picked up the mic again, Randy was a great support system and great teacher and wonderful man in general. Randy and I worked together for a few years. It really was a match made in heaven.

Then the Longview Festival was planned and Bob Spain asked me to MC the badge dances. What an honor and scary event, for me, at the same time. That is when Craig Abercrombie came into the picture.

Craig gave me so many opportunities to get ready for the big event. He gave me homework to work on every week and was available when I had questions. So, I just continued to practice and practice some more. We then moved to Kennewick where Jim Swanson was kind enough to show me how to dissect a figure from there. At that point,

Margaret and I always knew we wanted to teach some sort of square dancing, after she was done with all her political jobs with the State Federation.

We also got to work with Jim Hattrick he taught us how to make lessons entertaining so the dancers didn't realize it was actually a class. All the dancers in Ephrata loved it. That is how we came up with great fun classes with the Wheatland Whirlers, in Ephrata.

We were making wonderful strides in Ephrata with the community when COVID-19 happened and changed everything. It was a great honor to teach and call for the Wheatland Whirlers, a club that we both danced to years ago. We will always hold a special place in our heart for the Wheatland Whirlers in Ephrata, Wa.

Thank you! Judy and Harold Schock for believing in us.

Kris and Margaret Kiser

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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.Clvmer@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.

#### Craig Abercrombie

Featured MC
Friday evening
Leadership Weekend
July 9, 2021
Circle 8 Ranch



#### NORTH OLYMPIC COUNCIL



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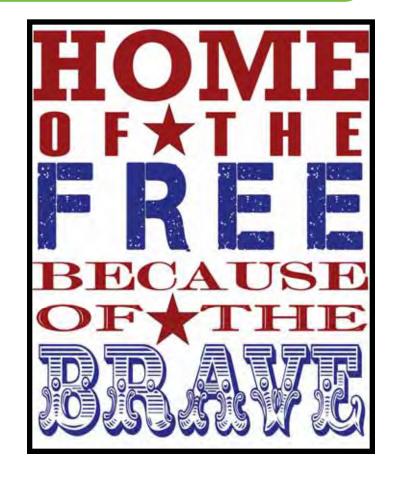
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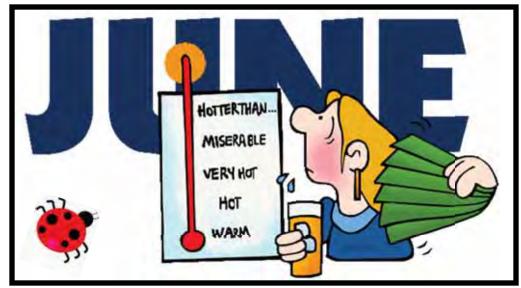


The Rhody O's would like to say "have a great summer" to our whole Square Dance Family. Square Dancing in September seems like it might become a reality so let's keep our fingers crossed and those vaccinations coming!!

From all the corners of the Olympic Peninsula - Discovery Bay, Blyn, Diamond Point, Port Townsend, Port Hadlock, Port Ludlow, Chimacum, Quilcene, Shelton, Bainbridge Island, Bremerton, Gorst, Sequim, Port Angeles and Forks - the Rhody O's say, "have a great summer and let's polish up those dancing shoes." We hope September becomes a reality for all of us.

Take Care, Trish Gaine fasolard@olypen.com







#### **PENINSULA COUNCIL**

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#### **OOPS SORRY WE MISSED YOU**





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

#### **DUDES AND DOLLS**

Mondays from 2nd Monday in Sept to 2nd Monday in June

Plus Dancing - 1-3PM

Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst

Caller: Don Smith filling in for Willie Sewell

More info call: Russ Richardson - 360-373-1822

#### **GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS**

1st Saturday each month except

1st & 3rd in January & 3rd Saturday in September

7:30-8PM Plus - 8-10PM Mainstream

Lessons, Student Level Dance, Mainstream & Rounds

Caller: Roger Spiese, Cuers Carolyn & Larry Small

Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst

More info call: 360-692-3723

#### **ROUND SQUARES**

4th Saturday, 3rd Saturday December only

7:30-8PM Plus; 8-10PM Mainstream, Rounds

**Guest Callers** 

Cuer: Joyce Sebree

Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst

Caravans-Mystery Trips-Camping \$15.00 per Night

More info call: 360-307-8460

#### **SWEETHEART ROUNDS**

Lessons Thursdays 7:00-9:00 PM

Dances on 2nd Fridays 7:00-10:00

Cuer- Shawn Cavness

Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst

#### **SQUARE STEPPERS**

2nd Saturday each month

Plus Dancing - 7:30 - 10PM

Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst

**GUEST CALLERS** 

Caravans/Mystery Trips/Camping

More info call: 360-377-9494

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#### **PAW AND TAWS**

1st & 3rd Fri. September-June except March, 1st Fri. & 3rd Sat.

3rd Saturday only in July & August

7:30-10PM Mainstream, Rounds, Plus Tip

Caller: Roger Spiese, Cuer, Shawn (Wendy) Cavness

Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst

Caravans-Mystery Trips-All Dancers Welcome

More info call: 360-930-5277





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#### **RAINIER COUNCIL**

#### Area Reporter Lane Johnston

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#### **RAINIER COUNCIL**

Will implementing an SSD-style ("Social Square Dancing") model become a reality in our region at the Club level, at the Council level...and State Federation level?

This is a question that should be at the top of the list of important decisions dancers need to make. While there are compelling reasons for making SSD "standard" (versus Mainstream), there's also entrenched resistance within the Mainstream population. It is up to each of us to become fully-informed about the alternatives and avoid making rash judgements in favor of (or against) any current or proposed dance format.

Square dancing's future in our state will depend upon the strength of the commitment offered to support the decision(s) we make. [Please see my "Did You Know...?" article in this issue of Footnotes for an "opinion" editorial on the topic.]

> Lane Johnston, <u>lanej@chessmenkastle.com</u>

The **SWINGNUTS** club is a mainstream club that typically dances in Sumner WA on the THIRD Saturday\* of

the month for our themed dances, and year-round we meet every Thursday for lessons or workshops, and for our popular Thursday-Nite Lites summer series. We dance at the



Sumner VFW Hall, 1705 Willow Street. Our caller is the incomparable Don Wood, and his fabulous wife Marie Wood is our cuer.

\*We're moving our monthly Saturday dances back to the 3rd Saturday (instead of the 1st) effective October 2021! Weekly Round Dance Lessons for Phase 1 & 2 Waltz with Marie Wood as our cuer/instructor are ongoing for the first two weeks of June. We can happily report that we have 7 couples in our small but dedicated class!

Compliance with WA State "Reopening" mandates will, of course, affect plans going forward, but we still expect that our 10 week Thursday-Nite Lites summer program will start the week after the State Festival (weekly, June 24th through August 27th). We have a different caller scheduled each week! See our ad in this issue of *Footnotes* for details (but don't forget to check the Events listing on WheresTheDance.com for the most up-to-date information before going to any dance).

We are looking forward to getting back to in-person dancing!

Gail Johnston, gailj@chessmenkastle.com

The **BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES** dance mainstream at Collins Grange with Greg Weber calling and Lorraine

#### BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES Mainstream, Plus Tip

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sat Sep - Jun, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat Jul & Aug Pre-rds 7:00 - 8 MS w/+ tip 7:30 - 10:30 PM GREG WEBER, Caller LORRAINE ROUSE, Cuer Collins Grange 3404 - 120th St E Tacoma Rouse cuing.
While we continue to visit together monthly on Zoom, we anticipate dancing again

before too long. If authorities permit, we'll resume our club dances the second Saturdays of July and August. If our normal venue, Collins Grange, is unavailable, then we may find an outdoor venue for those dances. We'll provide updates on WheresTheDance.com and our club's *Facebook* page: www.facebook.com/groups/BonneyLads/. We intend to resume our normal second and fourth Saturday dances in the Fall, if authorities permit.

And by the time you read this, weather permitting we will have held our annual yard sale on May 22-23 at our usual Parkland location, Pacific Ave. and Tule Lake Rd (about 130th S.). If cancelled due to bad weather, we'll hold it in early June. Again, check our *Facebook* page. Our garages have been accumulating saleable stuff for two years, and we're desperate to stock our yard sale with our no longer wanted items. It's always been a great fundraiser

for our club. We are especially thankful for the yard sale leadership and salesmanship of Len and Jeanette Howe and their daughter Sherry.

Stay safe everyone, so we can reunite on a dance floor.

Sandy Anderson,

sandy@pobox.com

The **SPINNERS** would love to dance again, and we will! Just as soon as we get the go-ahead from "on high". In the meantime, we will do more zoom dances. We normally dance and have lessons at Buckley Hall which is owned by the city of Buckley, and is currently being renovated. The next time you see Buckley Hall, it will be "different" and, we believe, better than ever!

Neil Andrews, neilc42@yahoo.com

The **ROAMIN' TACOMANS** and the **EVERGREEN ROUNDS** clubs want to wish everyone a wonderful summer. Hoping we will all be able to get out a little more

Caller/Cuer: Tom Tomlinson
We are not currently dancing
Please check Wheresthedance.com

or call Sharon Herman at 206-510-1984 to find out when

& where our next dance will be

Roamin' Tacomans

and enjoy the things we like to do this summer. We still do not know when we will be able to start dancing again but our caller/cuer, Tom Tomlinson and the clubs are ready to go as soon as we get the approval. We miss you all and are looking forward to seeing everyone on the dance floor.

Sharon Herman, tonysharherm@yahoo.com

The **YOUNG BUNCH** is "checking in" following a not-so-short hiatus! It is so difficult to write something we haven't already read when the only thing on everyone's mind is this pandemic...and, when can we get back to some sense of normal? For a square dancer that means socializing, traveling, and having dancing fun with friends.

May was mental health awareness month. For some of us, dancing helps to decrease depression or mental health issues. My hope while writing this those of you who struggle with mental health issues have a great support system or tools to help you until you can get back dancing.

For me, YouTube is one of my favorite places to surf. I get to look for and listen to all the music that makes my heart happy. For some of my friends they love being able to meet and dance via Zoom. Others love Tik Tok for the fun it brings. My granddaughter loves her Instagram because it keeps her in touch with her friends. Some like to meet on video games and connect with friends. I have to admit for the short time I play "Animal Crossing", which was a lot of fun.

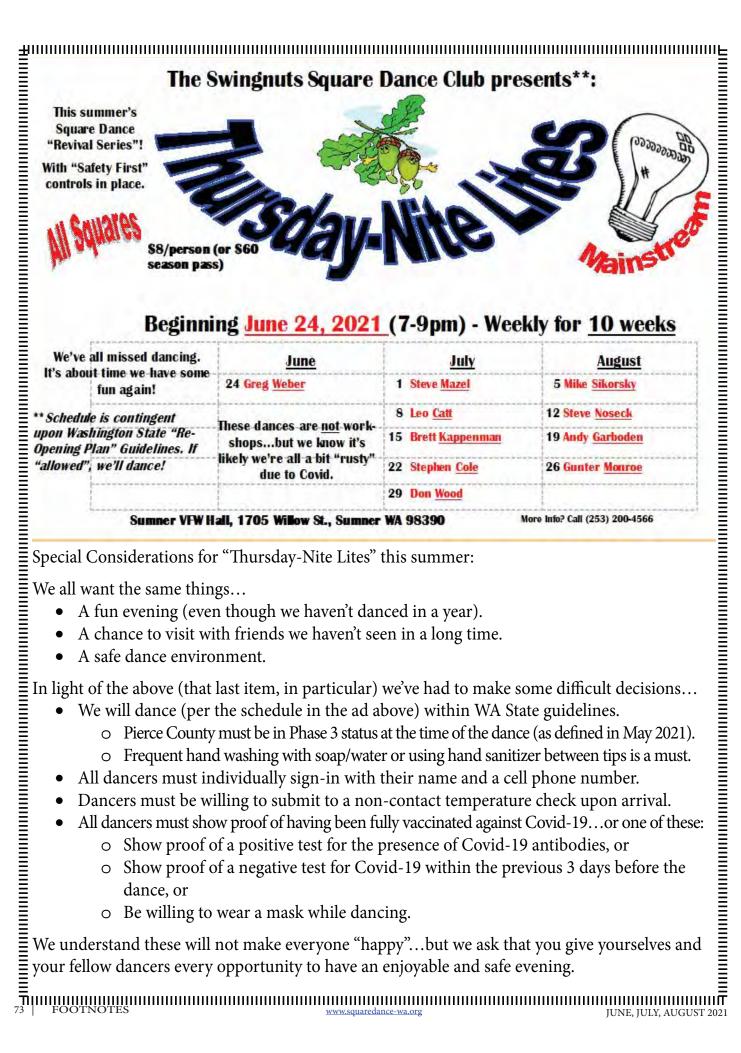
No matter what...find your happy places, keep them close to your heart, and visit them often.... BECAUSE we will dance again. We will see friends again. And yes, we will be able to hug those we have missed.

Stay safe and we will see ya'll soon. Hopefully!

Leslie Young,

Pollyanna1962@gmail.com





We've all missed dancing. It's about time we have some	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	August
fun again!	24 Greg Weber	1 Steve Mazel	5 Mike <u>Sikorsky</u>
Opening Plan" Guidelines, If	These dances are <u>not</u> work- shopsbut we know it's	8 Leo <u>Catt</u>	12 Steve Noseck
		15 Brett Kappenman	19 Andy Garboden
llowed", we'll dance!	likely we're all a bit "rusty" due to Covid.	22 Stephen Cole	26 Gunter Monroe
1	1	29 Don Wood	



#### Rainier Council Clubs

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

#### ALERT: DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, CLUBS ARE NOT DANCING UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE!

MONDAY			
<u>MONDAY</u> Every	ROUSE-A-ROUNDS Lorraine & John Rouse		Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 6:30 Beginners, 8-9:30 Ph2/EZ3 Dance 4 <sup>th</sup> Monday, 7-10 (253) 846-8203
<u>WEDNESDAY</u> Every	EVERGREEN ROUNDS Cuer: Tom Tomlinson		Sans Souci Estates (Puyallup, WA) 6:30-8 Teach, 8-9 Ph2-3, 9-10 Ph4-5 (253) 906-9949 or (253) 229-9443
FRIDAY			
1 <sup>st</sup>	SPINNERS Caller: Greg Weber Cuer: Sue Weber	(Mainstream)	Buckley Hall (Buckley WA) 7:00 Pre-Rnds, 7:30-10 MS/Rnds/+Tip (360) 829-0251
2 <sup>nd</sup>	YOUNG BUNCH Caller: TBA Cuer: Sue Weber	( <u>Mainstream</u> )	Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rounds (206) 240-2624
SATURDAYS 1 <sup>st</sup>	SWINGNUTS  Caller: Don Wood  Cuer: Marie Wood	( <u>Mainstream</u> )	Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA) 7:00 Pre-Plus/Rnd, 8-10 MS/Rnds/+Tip (253) 200-4566
1 <sup>st</sup>	NW CALLER ASSOCIATION		Cedar Grange (Maple Valley, WA) Monthly Meeting, Dances TBA (253) 445-4691
3 <sup>rd</sup>	*No longer dancing ("folded" in 2020)		
2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup>	BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES (Mainstream) Greg Weber/Lorraine Rouse		Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 7:00 Pre-Rnds, 7:30-10 MS/Rnds/+Tip (253) 431-5156
2 <sup>nd</sup> (&/or) 4 <sup>th</sup> Variescheck WheresTheDance	ROAMIN' TACOMANS Tom Tomlinson	( <u>Plus</u> )	Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA) 7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10 Plus/Rounds (253) 848-7073

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#### SOU'WESTER COUNCIL

#### Area Reporter Don & Judy Wilson

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OU' WESTER dance clubs wish you a safe and happy Summer. We hope to resume dancing when people feel safe and comfortable around others. That is a decision each family will need to make on their own. Now that the vaccines are available, we hope to return to dancing sometime in 2021, but at this writing cases are still going up. Keep up the safety precautions, get vaccinated.

HARBOR HAYLOFTERS REPORT Here we are, when usually square-dancing shuts down for the summer, #mmmmmmm<u>⊾</u> we have not

HARBOR HAYLOFTERS

a year. With this virus starting to mutate hard telling when we will get together.

BRAND NEW LOCATION

ABERDEEN VFW

105 E HERON- Aberdeen, WA

we have not danced in over a year. With this virus starting to mutate hard telling when we will get together. Hoping by the time fall begins a few dances will start up time fall begins will start up

again. Some of us will need some lessons again.

I am headed out on a charter boat and hope to catch my limit of sea bass and ling cod. After that Les and I are camp hosting at beautiful Taidnapam Park on highway 12 just the other side of Morton on Rife Lake. If you are driving by stop and say hi, no discover card needed, the park is owned by Tacoma Power and Light. Hope all have a wonderful summer.

> Ann Kilwien sqcamper@comcast.net

**SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB** is looking forward to dancing in the fall. (As long as the restrictions are met, and we are in Phase 3 or possibly Phase 4). We plan on starting

#### **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

in September 2021. We dance on the first Friday, third Sunday and, fourth Saturday at Lac-A-Do Hall in Olympia.

There are the

makings of a fun weekend with guest caller for the third

weekend of September. (More to follow later). We might have some workshops since it has been so long that we danced, but that is still in discussion.

There will be a BIG garage sale at Lac-A-Do hall in Olympia on the weekend of May 22-23. Still need to pay the bills. There is a fund raiser for our hall since we have not danced in over a year and of course the Memorial Day dance weekend will not be happening.

The floor was completely refurnished last summer and really looks nice, just waiting for us to dance on it.

We hope that everyone has been able to get their vaccines. Please wear you mask and stay safe.

> Peggy Smith pegscott29@comcast.net

#### Prairie Steppers

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

Don Wood, caller • Lonnie Sycks, cuer

THE PRAIRIE STEPPERS hope you have enjoyed Spring and have plans for the Summer. Our club has decided to wait until Fall 2021 to resume dancing and lessons. We do have recommendations for safe return to dancing revised March 30, 2021 so clubs can make decisions about how and when to start dancing again. Hopefully most folks will have been fully vaccinated this Spring and Summer.

Larry and Andrea Kershner have been camping, kayaking, gardening, quilting and woodworking and plan to go camping at Sun Lakes-Dry Falls State Park near Coulee City the end of May.

Gretchen Kunkel plans to travel to Buckley and Puyallup area over Mother's Day weekend to help her grandson's family move. She's been doing physical therapy for her arthritic knee.

Marion Freels plans to travel to California to visit her son's family over Mother's Day weekend and stay for granddaughter Ruby's 6th birthday on May 13.

June is a popular month for weddings. There are several club member anniversaries in June including Mike and Marion Freels on June 10, Anthony and Danielle Ahrens on June 11 and Dick and Diane Russell on June 24.

Two Prairie Stepper honoree members celebrate 90th birthdays in May and June, Leora Mauel's birthday on May 1 and Leafy Lundin's birthday on June 10. We encourage club members to send them birthday cards to the addresses listed on our roster.

"Good music and dancing are essential for the soul"

Marion Freels

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While some areas are opening up, others are not quite ready. **THE DO SI DO SQUARE DANCE CLUB** has determined we will begin dancing in September, barring further complications.

A final decision will be made toward the end of summer (probably sometime during August). At that time, we will update our status, and any other changes that will need to happen to facilitate dancing!

In the meantime, have a wonderful summer. Hopefully the weather will encourage all of us to spend more time outside! And, as always, stay safe and healthy!

Jim Hattrick is our regular Caller and Joyce Sebree is our regular Cuer. 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

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Round Dance Club

SUSAN HEALEA, Cuer
Let 8x 3rd Thursday 7:30, 9:30 PM

1st & 3rd Thursday 7:30 - 9:30 PM Catlin Grange #199 205 Shawnee St., Kelso, Washington safe summer. We are hoping to be back to dancing in the fall, but no date has been set as of this report. We are a round dance

club and will dance the first and third Thursdays of each month. We are hoping or maybe wishing to start dancing in September or October. Susan Healea is our cuer/teacher. Dances will begin at 7:30 p.m. on Thursdays and go until 9:30. If there is interest, Susan will cue phase III, IV dances from 9:30 to 10:00. After this long hiatus from dancing, we will need lots of reminders (lessons).



Getting started again will take some communication, so watch Footnotes for opening invitations from the different clubs in the different areas of the state.

Enjoy the warmer and sunnier weather in the meantime and hope to see you on a dance floor in 2021.

Don and Judy Wilson donjudywilson22@gmail.com

#### COUGAR SQAURES should be getting ready for their

Anniversary
Dance on the
first Saturday
of June, but
not this year.
Cougars last
dance was
in March

#### **COUGAR SQUARES**

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

2020. Little did we know how long this pandemic would continue. Cougars are now thinking about starting back in the fall, but nothing is in stone. We are wishing but know that Covid will have the last word.

When we do begin dancing, Jim Raupp is our caller/teacher for squares and Susan Healea is our cuer/teacher for rounds. We will be dancing the first Saturday of each month September through June at St Francis Parish Hall beginning at 7:30 with plus and 8:00 mainstream. The dance ends at 10:00. We did have refreshments at 10:00, but this may change because of health regulations.

Cougars wish everyone a safe and healthy summer and hope to see you dancing on a dance floor somewhere in 2021.

Don and Judy Wilson

#### **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



1st Tuesday & 3rd Fridays 7:30 - 9:30 PM Phase 2 & 3 Mary Parsons - Cuer & Instructor

#### Come Dance with Sou'Wester Council Clubs

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	MONDAY - Every	TANGLEFOOT CLOGGERS	
	TUESDAY -		
	1st	ROUND-A-BOUTS	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-9:00 ROUNDS, Phase 2-3
	THURSDAY- 1st & 3rd	STARDUST DANCERSSusan Healea, cuer	Catlin Grange / 7:30-9:30 ROUNDS, Phase 2-4
	FRIDAY -		
	1st	SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00 PLUS
	2nd	RHYTHM ROUNDERS FUN DANCEGuest cuers	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00 ROUNDS, Phase 2-5
	3rd	ROUND-A-BOUTS Mary Parsons, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-9:30 ROUNDS, Phase 2-3
3r	d SALTY	SASHAYERSShelton Tim Blacksead, caller; Guest, cuer Mainstream	Senior Center / 7:00-9:00
	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
	1st	FLUTTERWHEELSGuest callers and cuers	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:00-10:00 SQUARES & ROUNDS
	2nd	OLYMPIA DO-SI-DOS	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:00-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
	2nd	PRAIRIE STEPPERS	Oakview Grange / 7:00-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
	3rd	HARBOR HAYLOFTERS	VFW 105 E Heron / 7:00-10:00 SQUARES & ROUNDS
	3rd	FLUTTERWHEELSGlenn Raiha, caller; various cuers	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:00-10:00 SQUARES & ROUNDS
	4th	SQUARE ONE PLUS	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00 PLUS
	SUNDAY -		
	Every	DOUBLE A'SLac-A-Do Hall / 4:30-6:30 Jack Hardin, Caller; Lynn Petola, cuer	ADVANCED
	3rd	SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB	Lac-A-Do Hall / 6:30-9:00 PLUS

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

Lac-A-Do Hall 1721 46th Ave. NE, Olympia	Kelso Senior Center106 NW 8th Ave., Kelso
Catlin Grange	American Legion Hall112 W 1st St. Aberdeen
St. Francis Parish Hall 139 Spencer Rd., Toledo	Oakview Grange2700 N. Pearl, Centralia

#### **SPOKANE COUNCIL**

Area Reporter Priscilla Davis

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As the warm sun of spring is here to stay, there's a burst of buds and new leaves everywhere. I think this year our square dance community is pushing forward as well, emerging from its long- forced sleep to begin new energy. Everyone is hopeful that it won't be long before our councils and clubs feel a more complete return to the events and friendship, we have all missed.

COUERLY Q'S are getting the word out to members about other clubs having activities in the council. The social gathering on May 12th was an opportunity to encourage club members to reinvest in our lessons, dances, and building relationships while we adapt to changes in our gathering.

Mainstream lessons will start mid-September, with an added "return and refresh" theme for everyone. A 15 minute "meet and greet" your square at the beginning of class will hopefully help everyone enjoy the time and grow friendships.

Donna Seil

HI-FLYERS have nothing new to report. We don't know when the city of Cheney will let us use our venue again—the last we heard, Spokane County needs to be in phase IV. However, things may change. We are planning a potluck meeting for August 8.

**Grant Smith** 

VALLEY CROSS TRAILERS are looking forward to when we can dance at our club location, Western Dance Center, which won't happen until Spokane Valley gives the ok! The VCT Board will have a meeting sometime in June to discuss getting back to dancing. Our first dance of the season will be in October but hope to see lots of dancers at the WDA Salmon BBQ (if it is held). June birthday greetings go out to Warren, Kiyomi and Elaine and July birthday greetings go out to Jim, Mark and Kirk. Anniversary wishes in June go to Kirk & Marilyn!!! We've seen many signs of spring weather, such as apricot and cherry blossoms and some apple blossoms. The lilacs are blooming earlier than usual and smell soooooo good!! Summer is on its way. We encourage dancers to take advantage of dances being held and go have some FUN.

WAG AROUNDS is hosting a Round Dance Adventure Day, Saturday, June 12th with Jack DeChenne and Daniel Bailly at the North Spokane Dance Center, 7424 N. Freya, Spokane WA--see flyer from May *Footnotes* for more details. Registration available at the door or mail your registration in today to Kelley Sweet at 1911B, 5th St. Cheney WA 99004. Note, we had to cancel the weekend Butterfly Ball and hope you can join us on the 12th.

We have enjoyed a few dances recently practicing social distancing and CDC protocols, and it was good to see everyone again after so long! Nina Leisi and Jack DeChenne are wonderful cuers. Daniel Bailly will be teaching beginner lessons this summer. Thank you to those that have joined us and hope to see you on the dance floor again soon. Stay healthy and safe.

Linda Willand

WILD ROSE RAMBLERS hosted a humungous "yard sale" in the Ottoson's shop building. Since 2020 wasn't an option, a lot of items have been accumulated during the two years since our previous yard sale. There hasn't been much dancing, but this community sale is a lot of fun, and helps cover costs of renting the hall, paying caller and cuer, etc. It's a good way to offer what items we have in excess to help fund the club's "favorite" activity. Here's hoping for a new dance season with (by the way) MORE DANCING!

Judy Ottoson

#### 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



Priscilla Davis, Reporter



Submitted by Priscilla Davis











#### To schedule a visit, please contact:

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#### Spokane Council Clubs Dance Schedules Come and Dance with our Clubs

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	SQUARE AND FOLK DANCE FEDERATION OF WASHINGTON
Coeurly Q's - 1st 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 <sup>th</sup> St., Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814	1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216
Dancing Shadows - 3 <sup>rd</sup> 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
1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216	
Diamond Squares - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday	Spokane Callers & Cuers - 2 <sup>nd</sup> 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 5th	Spokane Carousels - 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> 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 <sup>rd</sup> Friday	Star Shooters - 4 <sup>th</sup> 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 <sup>nd</sup> St, Cheney, WA 99004	1901 N. Sullivan Rd, Spokane, WA 99216
Hoodoo Valley Hoedowners - 3rd Saturday	Twin City Twirlers - 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday
7:00 Plus & Rounds III; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds	7:30 Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds
Various Locations	Twin City Square Dance Center
Call for information: 208-946-0741	2130 5 <sup>th</sup> Ave, Clarkston, WA 99403
Special dances during year	
Jacks & Jennys - 3rd Saturday	Valley Cross Trailers - 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday
7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds	7:00 Plus & Rounds
North Spokane Dance Center	4 <sup>th</sup> 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
<b>Krazy 8's</b> - 1 <sup>st</sup> Friday	Wag Arounds 1st Sunday 7:00 Rounds II-III. WDC
7:00 Plus & Rounds III; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds	2 <sup>nd</sup> 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 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday	<b>Western Dance Association</b> – 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 - 1st 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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Octo-Plus Squares - Tuesdays	
7:00 Plus Workshop	
East Spokane Grange	
1621 N Park Rd, Spokane Valley, WA 99212	
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June 2023-24_	72 <sup>ND</sup> 73 <sup>RD</sup> National Convention		47-48
June 18-19	Washington State Festival	Everett, WA	24
August 2022	USA West	San Diego, CA	28

#### **CLUB AND COUNCIL DANCES** – Depends on the "Phase" at the time of the event

June 4	Prairie Shufflers – 66 <sup>111</sup> Anniversary	<u>Kennewick</u>	CANCELLED
June 12	Wag Arounds – <b>Adventure Day</b>	Spokane	SEE MAY
June 20-24	Silhouette Dancers – Waltz	Moxee	55
June 24-Aug	Swingnuts – <b>Thursday-Nite Lites</b>	Sumner	
July 15-17	Silhouette Dancers – Mid Summer_	Moxee	56
July 17	PrairieShufflers – Water follies	Kenewick	42
July 18-22	Silhouette Dancers – Two-Step	Moxee	55

#### LEADERSHIP WEEKEND

July 10-11\_\_\_\_52<sup>nd</sup> Education & Leadership Seminar\_Cle Elum\_\_\_\_12-15

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