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THE GAVEL

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HI EVERYONE

he September issue of Footnotes was the first electronic only version and I think it was fantastic. Thank you Kathy for such a good job. Thank you to all the 2015/2016 board and committee chairmen for the past year. Also thank you the membership for electing me to another year as your President. I promise to do my best.

October is a month for new dancer lessons so I hope you all do everything you can to bring new people in to our great activity. I am sure there are lessons available somewhere nearby. And please try to angel when you can. It makes it so much easier to learn when there are plenty of angels at the lessons.

The State Festival in Longview was a success and we had a great time. The Leadership weekend was also a great time and thank you to the committee for doing such a good job. Tanya and I attended the Labor Day Weekend at Gorst and had a wonderful time dancing and listening to the Oldtime Fiddlers.

I am looking forward to working with the new Board. The Flash Mob that took place at the Puyallup Fairgrounds happened on the 10th of September to publicize our Square Dance Activity. I know that there are a lot of dancers that signed up to participate and I want to thank Lane Johnston for all the hard work he did. Hopefully we will get new dancers involved in our activity.

Happy Dancing, Gene and Tanya Currier

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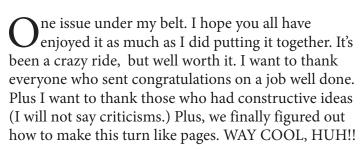
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A WORD FROM YOUR EDITOR

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Now, what to talk about. How about the Mob Squad that was held just a few weeks ago at the Puyallup Fair. It was a huge success. A crazy number of people (over 550 in total) were there in support of it and dancing for the cause. It was probably the busiest and hottest day at the fair. We were all melting by the time we were done with our 8 minute set. It was so cool to be involved in this event. Just standing around people watching, then join up in a square, dance a bit, then off like it never happened. AWESOME!! They also had a great crown at the no-experience event that evening. Sounds like all had a wonderful time with the whole day.

Question for you though. Why is it that we can get such a wonderful number of people from all over the state and even Oregon on only a few months notice to come dance for this cause, which, don't get me wrong, it was well worth it, but we can't get many more than that to the State Festivals which is planned years in advance???

Don't forget – October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Help fight this terrible disease and/or any other forms of cancer.

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

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SYNAPSES FROM SEPTEMBER STATE MEETING

The meeting called to order by President Gene Currier.

Web Master requests that you get her lesson & dance information.

Education & Leadership reported 107 attendees this year with 31 campers for 73 camp nights. We printed 21 books & made 12 CD's & sent 11 Emails.

The 2016 Festival "Tall Timber Calling" in Longview had 744 dancers in attendance. Profit appears to be around \$2000.00 to \$3000.00 to split with the State Federation.

The 2017 Festival will be in Spokane June 16-17, 2017. They have 250 dancers registered. Make your hotel reservations by May 1 for the advertised rates. Festival fabric is available. Featured caller is Mike Seastrom. June 15 trail-in dance will feature Kevin Thomaier & Steve Noseck.

The 2018 Festival in Kennewick will feature Jerry Junck as caller.

The 2019 Festival Jackie Meyers reports will be June 21-22.

Heritage Center has new forms & new Trifolds.

Historian/Librarian Shirley Spain needs pictures and flyers.

Membership/Insurance Richard Snyder reports we have 2,745 dancers in the state of WA.

Footnotes – Kathy Chase reports that the first issue is out. Go to state web site & click on magazine.

Publicity & Promotion reports "Flash Mob" on September 10 at the Puyallup State Fair had 550 dancers. The program lasted 7 minutes & was well received.

XP Chair reported that a collection was taken up for Hazel Pomraning. She recently passed away.

SECACP is another music organization starting to raise it's head. We currently pay BMI/ASCAP at festivals & callers & cuers have licenses thru CallerLab & Round-a-Lab covering the two.

New License Plate person is Dick Blewett.

Don & Cheryl Pruitt reported that The National in Des Moines had a little over 4000 dancers. Cincinnati has 1,522 registered for 2017. Kansas City has 795 registered for 2018, Atlanta has 1063 registered for 2019 & Spokane has a little over 200 registered for 2020. There are 15 couples on the NEC that are putting on the Convention in 2020. The NEC will keep only their normal 18% of the registrations. The rest will be disbursed to National square dance entities – not individual states. Workers are coming from every where in the US. If you are interested in working on 2020, contact Don & Cheryl & they will send you to the appropriate chair.

Round dance Chair Joyce Sebree returned \$52.36 from her \$250.00 advance.

In Area Delegate reports we learned that Spokane Councils Hall of Fame was won by Dave & Darby Forsberg. Saturday, April 8, 2017 will be the dance for Merri Anne Huber (MacGregor Award) & Bill & Neva Reid (Parker Award) winners. Columbia River Squares has folded in Blue Mountain Council. John Neverdowski, cuer & Pat Coleman, callers wife passed away in Mt. Baker Council. George Graddy in No. Central Council is battling cancer & taking Chemo. Peninsula Council had 45 new students first nite – age 8 to 60's. Rainer Council President Lynn Red passed away. To add to this at the dance Saturday night after the meeting Jim & Paula Raupp were presented with Sou'Wester Councils Hall of Fame award.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Moved & 2nd to untable motion on 2 year terms for officers. Motion carried. The original motion was defeated & the committee disbanded – so things will stay as they are.

SYNAPSES FROM SEPTEMBER STATE MEETING, continued

INSTALLATION OF NEW OFFICERS.

NEW BUSINESS:

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- to purchase new State Festival badges & increase the price to \$3.00 each as of 2018. Order 500.

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- to allow Footnotes to purchase their own web site. Cost will be \$12.95 per year from Google Domain.

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- to allow Footnotes to purchase a new Laptop & In Design Suite softwear – not to exceed \$1500.00.

President Gene Currier appointed a new Special Committee – Frank Chase as Sound Chair.

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- to purchase a new power supply for \$12.95.

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- to purchase a new mixer for up to \$100.00.

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- for a stand for the speakers the State Federation was given.

President Gene Currier set up a new special committee to update by-laws & Articles of Incorporation.

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- to put a half page Washington State ad in the National magazine.

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- to reimburse Sou'Wester Council for \$222.26 to stabilize the state owned stage.

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- to advance Mary Parsons, round dance coordinator \$250.00.

Motion made, 2nd & carried

- to cover expenses for Flash Mob of \$628.71.

Next meeting is January 21, 2017 at Kent Meridian Grange.

May meeting 19 & 20 in Clarkston, Washington (Spokane Council)

Respectfully submitted, Darlene Jolly

















MEMBERSHIP & INSURANCE

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

We have lost five clubs in the federation:
Columbia River Squares from Blue Mountain
Council;; Timberlane Cloggers, from CPS Council;
Legion Squares and South Sound Singles from Rainier
Council; Spokane Tapeworms from Spokane Area
Council. These clubs have folded. That leaves us with
108 clubs, and 2,759 members as of August 31, 2016,
a loss of about 200 members from last year. This is a
tentative figure until we complete the audit.



For the second year, instead of handing out paper at the fall state meeting we will be emailing updated club membership information to each council treasurer. We are asking each council to print off the membership list of their clubs and distribute them accordingly.

We have reviewed the "Frequently Asked Questions" on the state web site under the M&I tab and have up-dated them. Check out this page for answers to your insurance and/or membership questions. As always, give us a call if you have any questions.

The teacher asked little Sally if she would use "I" in a sentence. Sally began "I is ...". The teacher quickly interrupted Sally "You never begin a sentence with 'I is ...' it should be 'I am ...". Sally continued, "I am the ninth letter of the alphabet".

Take care, Richard & Barbara



We would love to come of dance with you - Give-us-arcall=

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A nother dance season is getting underway, hopefully all your classes are full of folks wanting to learn how to Square Dance. Perhaps you have some back for a refresher after being out for a few years.

Our summer dancing(in Mount Baker Council) was courtesy of our Callers and Round teachers, a dance each Thursday evening with two different Callers and a Cuer each night. The hall was air conditioned that made for comfortable dancing.

We don't want to forget the fun we had at Circle 8 at the Education and Leadership Seminar weekend. Despite it's name the Seminar is not just for your club leaders but for EVERYONE, to enjoy the fellowship and to pick up pointers that will enhance your club.

Hope to see you next year.

Respectfully, Mickey & Barbara Franz



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WILD WILLY'S FOOD FOR THOUGHT!

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We hope this finds you well and enjoying our favorite contact sport (dancing). A great many of you had fun participating in the Flash Mob at the Puyallup Fair September 10, 2016. We believe that such exposure as the Flash Mob will help the public to know that Square Dancing is a super fun, friendly and healthy alternative in this fast-paced, stressful world in which we live.

FACTS:

- Washington is the 13th most populous state with over 7,000,000 people.
- The state dance, adopted in 1979, is the Square Dance.
- There are less than 3,000 member dancers in the Square & Folk Dance Federation of Washington; there are additional Square Dancers in Washington State that are not members of the Federation.

For sake of argument let's say there are 4,000 Square Dancers in Washington State. That means (assuming the math is correct), that only one twentieth of one percent (that's not very much) of the people in the State of Washington Square Dance. But, that also means that there are a whole lot of people out there that just might be interested in Square Dancing. So, let's get a bunch of those non-square dancers to dancing, then the Square Dance will truly be the state dance.

SCHISM:

The Wallowa Mountain Rendezvous (formerly the Wallowa Mountain Hoedown until Jay Leno and company made fun of the term "hoedown" in their segment on the 54th National Square Dance Convention) took place the weekend after Labor Day at Wallowa Lake, Oregon. The Wallowas are one of Oregon's Seven Wonders; a tourist attraction and destination resort. Every year we have tourists that stop by while we are decorating the hall for our

dances, and those interested ask if they can come and watch us dance. We have had many "visitors" come to watch through the years, and have made it a practice to get them on the floor for a tip or two so that they can experience the fun of Square Dancing. Two of the "visitors" that danced this year were excited enough about dancing to ask for information on clubs in their area; one from the Tri-Cities and one from the Willamette Valley in Oregon.

Now comes the rub. More recently we have had some disgruntled dancers because we include "visitors" in the dancing. This year we had one dancer that actually walked out of a Square because there was a "visitor" in the Square. We've also had a comment from a caller that "it is an advertised Mainstream Dance, you know".

And so we face the dilemma; the schism that now exists between those that know and those that don't know how to Square Dance is wide and getter wider. Most of us "trained" dancers have advanced to a level of Plus or beyond, and are adept at executing some 97 moves of the Callerlab Basic, Mainstream and Plus Programs from a wide variety of positions. We have put in the time and energy to learn all those moves. We like what we have achieved and crave the challenge of it. We believe we are "better" dancers as we progress through the Callerlab Programs.

So, if, in fact, we have to have something like "Load the Boat from Inverted Lines" to truly have a good time, then maybe, just maybe, we are no longer enjoying our activity for the pure, simple joy of dancing. Let's all remember how it was when we began our wonderful Square Dancing experience. Let's provide an opportunity whenever possible for others to join in the fun. Let's welcome with open arms those that show interest, for certainly we all know that we need dancers.

Dance, whether on the floor or in your heart! As always, I welcome your comments and questions.

WW (Bill Reid)



ROUND OUT YOUR LIFE

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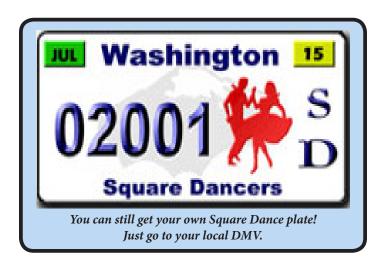
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et me introduce myself. My name is Mary Parsons and I am the new Round Dance Coordinator for Washington State. My husband Scott and I live in Olympia Washington. We cue and teach Phase II for the Round-A-Bouts, Teach Phase 3 & 4 for the Rhythm Rounders and cue the Round-A-Bout dances on First Tuesdays and Third Fridays, the Rhythm Rounder TGIF dance on Second Fridays and cue for the Flutterwheels the third Sat of the month.

We started dancing in 1980 when we moved here from Seattle and have been dancing on and off ever since. When we first moved here we could only get one TV station and didn't have much money so we started dancing for something to do. There were no cell phones, video games, VCR's or Computers competing for our attention. It was fun to join other people and learn to dance. It was our date night and it gave us something to look forward to. We now have way too many toys competing for our attention. This of course makes it difficult to get people interested in learning to dance. It seems to work best if we as graduated dancers bring someone with us to learn. In Square Dancing we use Angles all the time but in rounds we usually only come when asked to fill in for a missing partner but it also helps to have people on the floor that know what to do that everyone can follow. So come out to your local lessons and support the new people. You might meet some really nice people along the way. That will also make the new dancers feel at home when they start coming to dances.

Dancing should be above all fun, so come and play with us and make it your date night.

> Happy Dancing, Mary Parsons





Speakin' Of the Devil

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Footwork: Opposite, (except when W's part in parentheses)
Sequence Intro-A-B-Inll-Bmod-Intl2-A-B-Intl-Bmod-A-B-Intl-Bmod-End
Intro:
           1-4:
                  Wait 2;; Apt-Pt; PU Tch;
                  [OP/Fcg] Wait; Wait; Bk L, -, Pt R, -; Fwd R trng to fc LOD, -, Tch L- (W Fwd L trng to
                   fc ptnr, Tch R) [CP/LOD];
A:
           1-4: 2 Fwd TS;; 2 Prog Scis [Bjo] chkg;;
                  Fwd L, Cl R, Fwd L, -; Fwd R, Cl L, Fwd R, -; Sd L, Cl R, XLIFR (W XRIBL),
                   -; Sd R, Cl L, XRIFL (W XLIBR), -w/chkg action;
           <u>5-8:</u>
                  Fishtail; Walk 2; Fwd Hitch; Hitch/Scis/w PU;
                   XLIBR (W XRIFL) w/ slt fwd action, Sd R w/ sm RF trn, Fwd L, XRIBL (W XRIFL);
                   Fwd L , - , Fwd R , - ; Fwd L, CL R, Bk L,-; Bk R, Cl L, Fwd R , - (W Sd & Bk L, Cl R, XLIFR,- trng to fc
                  RLOD) [CP/LOD];
           9-12: 2 Fwd TS;; 2 Prog Scis [Bjo] chkg;;
           9-12: Repeat Meas 1-4 Part A;;;;
           13-16: Fishtail; Walk 2; Fwd Hitch; Hitch/Scis [BFLY/WALL];
           13-16: Repeat Meas 9-12 Part A except to end {BFLY/Wall];;;;
B:
                  Fc to Fc; Bk to Bk; BBall Trn [OP/LOD];;
                  Sd L, Cl R, Fwd L, - trng awy f/ptnr to a Bk to Bk pos; Sd R, -, rec L, -; Sd R, Cl
                  L, Fwd R, trng to fc ptnr, -;; Fwd
                                                            L trng ¼ RF twd ptnr, -, rec R fcg RLOD, -; Fwd L
                  trn ¼ RF twds COH, -, rec R, - [OP/LOD];
                  Scoot 4; Walk & Fc; 2 Trng TS [SCP];;
                  Fwd L, ClR, Fwd L, ClR; Fwd L, -, Fwd R trng to fc ptnr, - [CP/WALL]; Sd L, ClR,
                   Bk L trng ½ RF, -; Sd R, Cl L, Fwd R bet W's feet trng ½ RF - to fc [SCP];
           9-12: Lc Acss; Fwd TS; Hitch Dble;;
           9-12: Fwd L, Cl R, Fwd L diag twds Wall while ldg W und jnd lead hnds [LOP/LOD]; Fwd
           R, Cl L, Fwd R trn to fc [OP/LOD]; Fwd L (W Fwd R), Cl R, Bk L, -; Bk R, Cl L, Fwd R, -;
           13-16: Lc Bk; Fwd TS; Hitch Dble to Fc [BFLY/WALL];;
           13-16: diag, fwd L, fwd R, fwd L, - (W diag. Fwd, R L, R, - und jnd trailing hnds [OP/LOD]
                  ; Fwd R, Cl L, fwd R, - [OP/LOD]; Repeat Meas 11-12 Part B trng to fc ptnr [BFLY/WALL];
                  Tryling Doors [CP/WALL];;;; 5-8: Tryling Box to Fc [BFLY];;;
Intl:
                  Rk Sd L, - rec R, -; XLIFR, SD R, XLIFR, -; Rk Sd R, -, r4ec L, -; XRIFL, Sd L
                   , XRIFL, -;
           5-8:
                  Sd L, Cl R, Fwd L trng to fc RLOD -; Fwd R, -, Fwd L, -; Sd R trng to fc ptnr, Cl L, Fwd
                   R trng to fc LOD, -; Fwd L, -, Fwd R, - [BFLY/WALL];
Bmod:
           1-4:
                  Fc to Fc; Bk to Bk; BBall Trn OP/LOD;;
           1-4:
                  Repeat Meas 1-4 Part B;;
           5-8:
                  Scoot 4; Walk & Fc; Twrl/Vin 2; Walk & PU; 3d time thru Walk
                  Repeat Meas 5-6 Part B;; Sd L, - XRIBL, - (W RF twrl und jnd lead hnds Fwd R, -, Fwd L, -
                   to fc ptnr); Fwd L, Fwd R trng to fc ptnr & LOD (W Fwd L trng to fc ptnr & RLOD), Tch L, -
                  [CP/LOD]; { 3d time thru trng to CP/WALL};
Intl 2:
           1-4:
                  Left Trng Box;;;
                  Sd L, Cl R, Fwd L-, cmpltg ¼ LF trn, -; Bk R, Cl L, Bk R, - cmpltg another ¼ LF trn;
                  Repeat Meas 1-2 Intl 2;;
End:
           1-8:
                  Brkn Box BfLY/WALL\};;;; Traveling Doors;;;;
                  Sd L, Cl R, Fwd L, -; Rk Fwd R, -, rec L, -; Sd R, Cl L, Bk R, -; Rk Bk L, - rec R
                   , [BFLY/Wall];;;; Repeat Meas 1-4 Intl;;;;
           9-10: <u>Twrl//Vin 2</u>; <u>Apt-Pt</u>;
           9-10: Repeat Meas 7 B mod; BkL, -, Bk R, -;
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THE SOLO CORNER

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I hope everyone, solos and couples had a great summer. Mine is always perfect, because I spend many weekends at Circle 8. It's a great place for solos, as a rule, since the staff and owners support our presence and don't mind us dancing either part, which often helps fill squares and gets everyone on the floor. Often the caller's spouses fill squares, so it's just natural for other solos to feel comfortable squaring up.

For those who don't know Circle 8, it's located east of Snoqualmie Pass about 25miles on I-90. The nearest towns are Cle Elum and Rosylin, both small and fun to explore. The ranch has both week long and weekend programs, with varied callers and cuers, in most levels of square and round dancing. There are A frames that sleep as many as six, and occasionally there's room at the two-story house. There are nearly 100 camping spots for RV's or tents.

Along with a great dance hall and rest rooms w/ showers, there's a small lake for swimming or boating and endless woods and trails. Some dancers bring their bikes or quads to enjoy the trails.

The weekends generally run Friday through Sunday morning, with some having Thursday trail in dances. The dances include home baked cookies, root beer floats and after parties. There's a big pot luck on Saturday, before the dance and on Sundays, there's often a gospel dance and a chance for all the visiting callers and cuers to take the stage. The season begins in early June with an Advanced weekend and ends over Labor Day weekend with a Plus program that includes a wiffle ball golf tournament, a picnic in the meadow with peach daiquiris, and great after parties. In between are many Mainstream and round dance programs.

Many of the solos are teenagers, and do they ever add to the energy level and quality of dancing!

If you're interested in checking out this great dance venue, they will be happy to mail you a schedule for next year. They're e-mail address is: camp@circle8ranch.net

Kathy Rooney, Happy Solo Dancer



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Decorative Stitches

A lmost all sewing machines have a variety of stitches that can be used to embellish fabric. The type of decorative work done in a straight line by the sewing machine is stitching. Each flower or other motif is one stitch. Embroidery is done with the fabric in a hoop. Read the decorative stitching instructions in your machine manual.

The first thing to consider when doing decorative stitches is time. Many are very dense and will take a long while to get around the bottom edge of a skirt. This cannot be done in a hurry. Always - always stitch at least 12 inches of the design you have chosen so that you can get a good look at it and get a feel for how long it takes. Always -always stitch out the practice on exactly the same fabric as the garment you are going to be embellishing. Use the same number of layers of fabric, the same thread, needle and stabilizer. It is almost impossible to get some of these stitches out after they have been made. They are so dense and intricate that trying to pick them out will ruin the fabric.

Do NOT sew with your hand behind the needle pulling on the fabric. That extra force will distort the design. Support the fabric on all sides. It should not



be hanging off the front so that the feed dogs have to work harder to pull it through, nor hanging off the back so that the weight of the fabric distorts the design. Let the machine do the work of moving the fabric, your job is to gently support and guide the fabric.

If the practice design doesn't look like the one pictured in the book it may be because the timing of the machine is off. That is one of the ways the techs at the repair shop test the machines, they run through certain of the decorative stitches looking for distortion in the design. The other problem can be the tension. The top thread should be pulled a little to the back side so that it is just barely showing on the back. This reduces puckering and makes the top look smoother. The top tension may have to be loosened to allow this, see the manual. Some newer machines automatically loosen the top tension when these stitches are selected. Go ahead and mess with the tension knob, your high school home economics teacher isn't watching. The tension is made to be adjusted for different techniques.

Look at the rayon embroidery threads when planning the stitching. They are a little more

expensive but they give a lot more value. They are spun to reflect the light and come an endless variety of colors. In the bobbin use embroidery bobbin thread or fine lingerie thread. This reduces the amount of bulk in the stitching. Keep these threads in a separate place and do not use them for regular sewing.

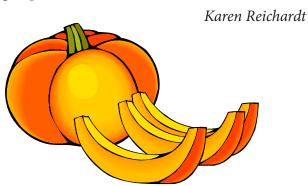
A brand new needle is required. It may need to be an embroidery or top-stitch style to make the best design. The needle must be chosen with the fabric and the thread in mind. Thread must to slide through the eye fast and smooth. Larger eyes on top-stitch

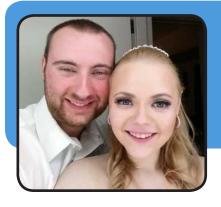


needles will accommodate two rayon threads at the same time. Two threads will fill out the design and make it look richer.

Stabilizers can look like interfacing but, are not the same thing. They have different properties, especially after laundering. Interfacing is designed to support the garment and add body to places like cuffs and collars. It retains these properties throughout the life of the garment. Stabilizer is made to support the fabric while it is being embroidered or stitched. After stitching it may be cut away, torn away or washed away depending on the type. Even the type that remains behind the embroidery, in hooped work, becomes softer with water. One inch wide strips of wash-away stabilizer behind the fabric is often all that is needed to keep the fabric from shifting and puckering during stitching.

With so many types of fabric, stabilizer, needles thread and designs whole books have been written about using this feature of your machine. There are many online resources for ideas. The key is experimentation. Keep a notebook of the stitches you have used with all of the information written on the page next to the samples. Expand your skills and enjoy creating a special effect outfit.





YOUTH COORDINATOR

Tiffany & Matthew Richard

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Now this is not the only way the clubs fundraise to get there. Please find out if your teen clubs have fundraisers

throughout the dance season and help in anyway possible. Competition has been going on for almost 70 years and if these kids can't get there then it as well as the future of our hobby will die! So please go out and support a youth club!

If you need help finding a club or a fundraiser to support please feel free to contact me.

-Tiffany Richard,

It feels like this year has come and gone in the blink of an eye, which means that the teen competition will be here before we know it and clubs have already started practice and this mean badges will be out soon. I know many people cannot attend competition because it is in Canada but I urge you to buy a badge anyways. These kids (and their parents) pay their way to competition every year. This includes the fee to compete, the cost of outfits, hotel, travel and food whole there. This is a huge cost and many families need help to do this each year and that's what these badges do. They help get kids to competition and all the costs that come with it. Badges are \$3 which is less than a cup of coffee so please help support these kids.



BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL

Area Reporter Merri Anne Huber

merrianneh@charter.net



Hello from the Milton-Freewater Muddy Frogs!
The M-F Community Building, 109 NE 5th, home

MUDDY FROGS SQUARE DANCE CLUB

Caller: Bill Reid
Cuer: Neva Reid
3rd Sundays • 3 to 5 PM

Milton-Freewater Community Center 105 NE 5th Milton-Freewater, OR For info • e-mail: merrianneh@charter.net of the Muddy
Frogs, will be the
site of a dance on
Saturday, April
8th honoring
Bill and Neva
Reid for the
Parker Award

and Merri Anne Huber for the MacGregor Award. We are a small club, so we are especially proud that half

the awards at the last Washington State Festival went to Muddy Frogs! The dance, which will be sponsored by the Blue Mountain Council, will begin at 2:00 p.m. and will be called by Jim Swanson. We would love to see your smiling faces! For further information, please call Merri Anne at 541-861-9055.

Keep on dancin'! Barb Walter

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PLUS 7:00 - 8:00 PM
MAINSTREAM 8 - 10:30 PM
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December 31st - 9:00 - 12:00
DARON TANDGERG/BILL HOLM
January 15th-TINA ALLAWAY, MC & 4x8 YOUTH CALLERS/

BILL HOLM 509-628-0354 or 509-783-1521





BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL DANCE SCHEDULE

Sunday -Muddy Frogs: Mainstream & Rounds........ 3rd Sunday Year Around Teachers and Caller/Cuer Bill & Neva Reid Milton-Freewater Community Center • 109 NW 5th Milton-Freewater, OR Contact: Merri Anne Huber 541-861-9055 or merrianneh@charter.net Tuesday -Melody Mixers: Rounds Ph 2-4 Every Tuesday Year Around Cuer Bill & Karen Holm Shuffler's Shanty • 717 N Irving, Kennewick, WA Contact: Karen Holm 509-542-1310 or bkholm@charter.net Thursday -Tri-City Circulators: Plus and Rounds...... Every Thursday Year Around Caller Jim Swanson Eagles Lodge #2485 115 Fruitland St. • Kennewick, WA Contact: Thelma Swanson 509-539-2660 or paintedswan@frontier.com Friday or Saturday -**Prairie Shufflers:** Mainstream with Plus and Rounds 1st & 3rd September thru July, (See Prairie Shufflers Ad for dates) Guest Callers and Cuer Bill Holm Shuffler's Shanty 717 N Irving • Kennewick, WA 509-783-4222 Contact: Jonnie Jenquin 509-628-0354 or jenquin.uj@gmail.com

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CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL

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Carel & Michael Edgerly

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CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL will have a meeting on October 1st at 6 pm in Moxee. It is open to all council club members.

Our 2016/2017 officers are: Kay (Roger) Mahan, President; Cynthia Silicki, Vice President; Paula Heine, Secretary; Holly (Paul) Gonseth, Treasurer. Thanks so much to our out-going Secretary, Carel (Mike) Edgerly, for her years of keeping our minutes in order.

We will be hosting a 5th Saturday dance on October 29th to be held in Cle Elum--see ad this issue for details--Bill & Neva Reid, caller/cuer couple.

Kay Mahan mahanrk@aol.com

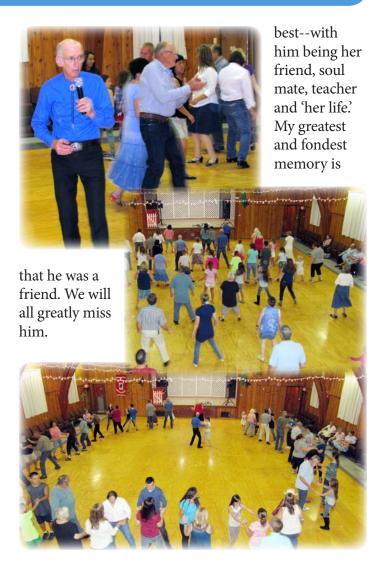
The GATESWINGERS have had the sad news of



the passing away of Tom Ogard. He and Jeanette Owen had been valued and cherished members of our club for many years. Tom passed away at Harborview Medical Center on June 16th from internal injuries suffered during a fall. The accident happened at Pacific

Beach, while he and Jeanette were camped at a RV park. He was born on March 22, 1938, and served honorably in the Navy as a Hospital Corpsman for 21 years, and was a Seattle Letter Carrier for 22 years. In 1999 he moved to Yakima to begin his life with Jeanette, 'the delight of his life.' He loved Square and Round Dancing, camping and traveling with Jeanette. He also enjoyed the holidays, potlucks, playing cards with family or friends and he never turned down an offer of chocolate cake.

Tom was such an important member of the Gateswingers' club. There was not anything that he and Jeanette would not do for us. Our club would not be what it is today without their many contributions! People will always remember his big hugs and his friendly smiles. Jeanette said she got the most and the



Dancing Opportunities: On Oct 1st Orvin Logan returns as a guest caller for his famous Hat Dance.

You will hear great songs and see a hat to go with each one. Susan Morris joins us Oct 15th as we dance to the theme of Autumn Leaves. And don't forget our Friday Round dance is Oct 28th.

A REMINDER: The Gateswingers are starting dances at 7:00pm alternating either half hour of prerounds or pre-plus dancing. The mainstream square dance will be 7:30 to 9:30pm.

Jan Logan, ojlogan@charter.net

The **BLUE AGATES** are off to a good start dancing. As mentioned last month, since our caller Daron

Tandberg will be traveling this winter, we have Tom Clymer doing most of our 2nd Friday dances, and Don Jackson

BLUE AGATE SQUARES

2nd Friday, 4th Saturday 7:00 - 9:30 p.m. Guest Callers- Tom Clymer & Don Jackson Cyndi Silicki - Cuer Swauk-Teanaway Grange, Cle Elum 509-304-4478 or 509-304-8040

doing our 4th Saturday dances. Our October 14 dance is canceled due to a Grange activity, but we'll be there on the 22nd for Daron's last time till Spring. And don't forget, we start Rounds at 7:00 pm and 7:30 to 9:30 with Squares.

We were pleased to have a good weekend at Indian John in August serving up coffee and cookies to all the

GATESWINGERS

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

Dave & Sharon Boggs, Caller & Cuer

Summer Dance -- 4th Saturday in July caller & cuer to be announced Yakima Valley Square Dance Center Moxee, WA Info: (509) 949-6712 Gateswingers@ Circle 8 Ranch 2nd Weekend In August eastbound travelers on I-90. It's hard work but we enjoy talking to the people who talk about the fun events they've attended, or where they're headed.

Our lessons are due to start October 9 with Paul Gonseth teaching. Hope to have a good group this year, and several of our newer dancers are anxious to refresh their skills being angels.

Enjoy the fall colors but be sure to get battened down for winter before it's too late.

Carel Edgerly, carel@centurylink.net

September brought the **SILHOUETTE DANCERS** dancing to a regular schedule again. We are reviewing

SILHOUETTE DANCERS

Ist Thursday Intermediate
Thurs - Ph 2 + 7:30-8:30 pm some intermediate
Ph3/4 lessons 6:30-7:30 pm Dance/Workshop 8:30-9:30 pm
Cuer: DEBBIE & PAUL TAYLOR

Fruitvale Grange, 2908 Castlevale Road Yakima, WA 98907 509-965-3015 • Visitors Welcome many songs, as being off for about three months affects memories! Anyway, that's our excuse.

Since we need to get back into the "swing of things"...we decided to start jive lessons in October. That gives us time to advertise.

Dorothy Crosslin, dotif55@live.com







CENTRAL AREA COUNCIL DANCE

Saturday—October 29th, 2016

Swauk-Teanaway Grange 1361 Ballard Hill Rd—Cle Elum WA 98922

Featured Caller & Cuer Couple

Bill & Neva Reid

Pre-Rounds 7:30-8PM

Mainstream 8:00-10:00PM

Dance Donation—\$7 per Person

\$1 per person goes to caller/cuer scholarship fund

Bring a Treat to Share @ After Dance Social

Information Contact:
509-654-4789 or email cynthiasilicki@yahoo.com

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CENTRAL PUGET SOUND COUNCIL

Area Reporter
Donna & Tom Rohde

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It is so good to be back on the dance floor and spending time with our dancing friends again after our summer break.

Beginning with our first dance on September 16, 2016, **BOOTS & LACES** have a new dance format which is as follows:

7:00 - 8:00 pm - Plus with Higher Level Rounds 8:00 - 10:00 pm - Mainstream Dance Steve Noseck will be Calling and Debbie Taylor Cueing.

PLEASE JOIN US!

On Friday, September 9th, we Caravan to the Spinners in Buckley at 127 River Ave N. They have Pre-Rounds at 7:30 and Mainstream from 8:00 - 10:00 or 10:30. Dave Percy is Calling. It is the only time we could find to go see them since they dance the same day we do, except for September.

Beginner Square Dance Lessons with Steve Noseck will start on Wednesday, October 5th from 7:00 - 9:00 pm at the Meridian Grange Hall in Kent, WA. We look forward to helping some new dancers who saw us at the Square Dance Flash Mob, Saturday, September 10th at the Washington State Fairgrounds in Puyallup.

Alice Hayden, lighthousegal60@gmail.com

The **PI-R SQUARES** invite you to their first square dance of October on 10-08-16. The theme is *OCTOBERFEST*. Andy Garboden and Kyle Quande will be calling and cueing. Our Square Dance Workshop is at 7:30 and mainstream dance from 8:00 to 10:30 pm.

Our Square Dance Lessons started in September and will run for 20 weeks on the 1st, 3rd, & 5th Thursdays at 7:00 pm and the 2nd and 4th Saturdays before our dance at 6:00 pm. Thursday, October 6th, is our 4th lesson night and if you know anyone who wants to get back into square dancing or need a brush up, Andy is an excellent teacher!

Our second dance in October will be on Saturday, October 22nd and the theme is **DO THE MONSTER MASH** dance. Andy & Kyle will do this dance with a Round Dance Workshop starting at 7:30 pm.

The Pi-R Squares had a fun camp-out in July in the Anacortes area. About 35 campers attended the event and had a great time. Fun games, visiting and even some square dancing. We had a potluck dinner at one of our members house in August enjoying fresh Dungeness crab for a treat. Many dancers came and brought things to share. Square dance potlucks are the best!

Come and dance with the Pi-R Squares any 2nd or 4th Saturday at Meridian Grange in Kent.

Terry & Marilyn Quinnett, mvjunkdealer@juno.com

What a fun time **WAGON WHEELS** and about 500 square dancers from across the State of Washington had at the Flash Mob Square Dance at the Puyallup Fairgrounds on September 10th!!! Thank you to Lane and Gail Johnston from Rainier Council and their many committee members for putting together and planning this fun-filled day for our "love of square dancing"! It was interesting observing the crowds of people watching our fun activity and hopefully, many people will want to join in on our great activity!!!

Beginning Square Dance Lessons taught by Wayne Easton are every Tuesday at the Meridian Grange in Kent from 7:30 - 9:30 pm. Our first lesson was held on September 13th with a good turnout.

Our first dance of the new dance season began on Saturday, September 17th, with a "No Experience Necessary" dance with a good turnout of people wanting to give it a try.

We are looking forward to our first Caravan to the Do-Si-Do's at Lac-a-Do Hall in Olympia on Saturday, October 8th.

Please join us on Saturday, October 1st for our "BARN DANCE" and/or on Saturday, October 15th for our "OKTOBERFEST DANCE" called by Wayne Easton and cued by Lorraine Rouse. Wagon Wheels dance at the Meridian Grange located at 15422 SE 272nd St on Kent-Kangley from 7:30 to 10:00 with workshops beginning at 7:00.

Enjoy the many Fall and Halloween Dances this month!!!

Donna Rohde, donnalou13@comcast.net





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EVERGREEN COUNCIL

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Buzzin' Bees MS Square Dance Club

1st & 3rd Sat. at Hazel Dell Grange Pre-Rounds at 7:30 Squares at 8:00 7509 NE Hazel Dell Ave. Vancouver, WA 98665

Caller: K.C. Curtis & Cuer: Debbie Combs

Questions? (360) 253-3820

PI-R SQUARES

Sept 10th (2nd Saturday):
"What Happened to Summer ...
Let's Dance"
Andy Garboden, caller ~ Kyle Quande, cuer

Come dance with us!

Sept 24th (4th Saturday):

"6th Annual PIE Contest & Dance"
Andy Garboden, caller ~ Kyle Quande, cuer
See who wins, and enjoy "homemade" pie!

W/S 7:30 - 8:00 pm • MS 8:00-10:30 pm Good floor • Hearing enhancement • 425-432-0138 Meridian Grange ~ 15422 Kent-Kangley Rd, Kent www.pi-r-squares.org



PLUS CLUB



JIM HATTRICK

caller/cuer jhattrick@iglide.net happy-hoppers.com

First & Third Saturday

Clark County
Square Dance Center
10713 NE 117th Ave. • Vancouver, WA

Info: 360-573-5886

PEANUT BUTTER & PUMPKIN DOG TREATS

- 2 1/2 cups whole-wheat flour
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 cup canned pumpkin
- 2 Tablespoons peanut butter
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon



Heat oven to 250 degrees F. Mix together the flours, eggs, pumpkin, peanut butter, salt and cinnamon in a bowl. Add just enough water to help make the dough workable, but the dough should be dry and stiff. Roll the dough into a 1/2-inch thick roll. Cut into 1/2-inch pieces. Bake until hard (about 40 minutes).

Servings 25 treats. Per treat: 48 calories, 1.2 grams fat, 14.8 grams cholesterol, 17.6 mg sodium, 7 grams, 2 grams protein.



Square Dance Club

Hazel Dell Grange Vancouver, Washington Caller: Chuck Garner, 2nd Sat. Caller: Darrell Kalmbach, 4th Sat. Cuer: Dorothy Lowder 7:00 Plus 8:00 Mainstream

Dark July & August
Info: 360.600.1804 & 360.573.0446
Website: www.silverssquaredance.org

MOUNT BAKER COUNCIL

Area Reporter Leslie Keyes

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T. BAKER COUNCIL extends our deepest sympathy to Karen Neverdowski at the passing of her husband and round dance cuer, John Neverdowski in August. He will be greatly missed by so many in the square dance community around our state. His kind and gracious presence will be long remembered by all the dancers he touched over the

Congratulations to the Footnotes team for all the work they put into creating the first online edition of Footnotes in September! It looks great, very colorful and full of valuable content. Keep up the great work!

years.

Watch for our report in the November issue on the success of our fall council dance held on October 29th. We're once again planning a no experience necessary dance at the same time as the regular dancing with Dave Harry providing the introduction to square dancing for non-dancers.

Leslie Keyes, L_a_keyes@msn.com

SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS had its annual summer picnic at the home of Dennis and Nancy Bass on August 6th. They have a lovely setting for a gathering. After a brief club meeting we enjoyed a wonderful potluck. Some members even stayed late into the evening playing dominoes.

We will start our dance season off in September with our annual Corn Feed dance. Craig Abercrombie will be calling the dance. It is with sad hearts though that the club will be dancing as our club cuer John Neverdowski passed away. He has been our club cuer for many years and will be deeply missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with his wife Karen.

Tammy Comeau, tcomeau05@msn.com

The **WHIRLYBIRDS** first dance of October is in the form of a Caravan to the Freewheelers, who dance at the Mountlake Terrace Community Senior Center, from 7:00 - 10:00 pm. We'll be joining them on Sunday, the 2nd of October. Oh yes, the address: the Senior Center is located at 23000 Lakeview Drive, Mountlake Terrace.

Come Dance with us as we kick off the new dance season. WhirlyBirds



Our Main Stream Dances will start in October on the 2nd Saturday of the month. So set aside October 8th for our first Mainstream Dance with Dave Harry (squares) and Roxanne Boelter (rounds). 7:30 Plus, 8:00 Mainstream

Hayloft - 15320 35th Ave, Lynnwood Large Hall--Bus Caravans Welcome Finger Food Potluck

Info: Jim Burnside 425-335-4324

Then we'll host the monthly First Friday Fun Fest on the 7th. Remember, that's a chance for you to bring your non-dancer friends to help introduce them to the fun. 7:30 pm at The Hayloft.

The club's regular mainstream dance is now on the SECOND Saturday each month, which is the 8th this month. It's going to be a "Pumpkin Patch Party". Plus Dancing, with Rounds, is from 7:30 to 8:00; then Mainstream Dancing gets going from 8:00 to 10:30. Invited Guest Glenn Raiha, from Olympia, will join Dave Harry for the calling while our own Roxanne Boelter will be cueing the rounds.

Also, the current series of lessons is underway on Thursdays, 7:00 pm at the Hayloft, 15320 35th Ave. W., Lynnwood.

Jim Erickson; charjim2213@gmail.com

The FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS started our dance season off in September with a fun Club potluck dinner followed by Adam Christman calling and Bob and Linda Berka cueing. John Corrigan also started our Plus lessons at the Mt Vernon Senior Center.

September was a fun filled month for the Fogcutters. We caravanned to the Cascade Crossfires and joined other clubs at the Puyallup Fair for the 'Flash Mob'. They also traveled to the Winthrop Barn Dance. Ron and Gailyn Ploeg will miss our annual Prawn Dinner Dance as they will be traveling to Australia and New Zealand during October. There are many square dance clubs for them to explore in both Countries. We look forward to hearing all about their experiences. More news about their trip will follow.

Snookie Carlson, snookie@karuson.com

WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS report that we had a very successful yard sale in July. We are grateful for all the "stuff" donated to the cause by our square dance friends. Our summer dances were fun and well attended. We look forward to the new dance season and to new students!

Lynn Von Seggern, lynnvs@cablespeed.com

DUDES & DOLLS kicked off their 2016-17 dance season with several fun dances and an outgoing caravan in September. Our Skool Daze dance on September 9 was well attended and we collected school supplies for needy children in the local school district and enjoyed seeing everyone on the dance floor again. Thanks to Woodinville Square Crows for their incoming caravan and everyone who generously donated the school supplies!

Then we were off for our caravan to Skagit Squares on September 17. We enjoyed their Tuscan Harvest potluck dinner and had a great time at the dance that evening. They're always such gracious hosts!

Special thanks to Carol Hammer of our club for arranging all the caravans for us the past few years. We wish her the best as she recovers from hip surgery in September. Hoping she will be back on the dance floor before too long.

On September 23rd we enjoyed an Autumn themed dance and had a great time with the Happy Hoppers who caravaned in for the evening.

On September 30th we enjoyed the calling of Steve Noseck at our King of the Road dance. He always makes the evening fun with great music selections.

Thanks to Samena Squares and Sky Valley Whirlwinds for caravanning. We always enjoy your company!

Leslie Keyes, L_a_keyes@msn.com on behalf of Warren Funnell

The **CASCADE CROSSFIRES** resumed Monday Awesome Plus and workshops September 12th from 7:30-9:00. We will continue to offer an Awesome Plus (all-position) workshop, from 6:30 to 7:30pm, prior to Monday lessons/workshops. Every 4th Monday is our Workshop Extravaganza dance (rather than a workshop.

Crossfires held a special plus dance on Friday, September 30th, with Dan Preedy and Susan Morris calling and Lynn Peltola cueing.

The Crossfires Plus lessons start at 7:30 p.m. on October 3rd at the Sammamish Valley Grange in Woodinville.

Check us out at CascadeCrossfires.org.

Diana Freyfogle; freyf@comcast.net

Fall is here and the **FREEWHEELERS** are ready to dance. We kicked off the new season September 18th with our 50's dance. This was the first time for our new format. The Freewheelers are now dancing Mainstream on the 1st Sunday of the month and dance Plus on the 3rd Sunday of the month dance. Poodle Skirts and 50's Attire were in attendance with Roger Spiese and Debbie Taylor entertaining us with the music of the era. We caravaned, September 30th, to the Cascade Crossfires.

Our new dancer class started on Wednesday, September 14th from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at the Mountlake Terrace Community Senior Center. Caller/Teacher is Dennis "Spyder" Webb. For more information contact: Trisha Porter at 206-523-1769 or email: seattlesquare@ aol.com. We look forward to helping our new dancers learn this new activity that we all enjoy so much!

Please join us in October at the Mountlake Terrace Community Senior Center for a Mainstream dance on October 2nd and a Plus dance on October 17th.

> Yellow Rocks! Ruth Jester; ruthjester@frontier.com

It was the perfect summer for dance, fellowship, and play for **SAMENA SQUARES** members. Some of us were spotted at the Thursday night Mt. Baker Council dances at Juanita Community Club. It was especially heartening to see our newer dancers

there, keeping their skills fresh. Others were seen in Penticton, both on the dance floor there and floating down the river. Samenas were spotted socializing together at the Kirkland Marina in late August as we were preparing for a new dance year. Recruitment plans were made for our fall lessons and new people stepped into position to give a hand.

Our summer had much laughter, but also a time of sorrow as John Neverdowski, one of our cuers, passed away in late August. Our condolences to his wife Karen. We will miss him. It is like the Neverdowskis are part of the family so we joined with others in hosting a service for him. I love the way dancers rise together to love on each other.

Barbara Hubert; hubertones@hotmail.com

Susan Morris

Square Dance Caller
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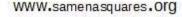
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Guest Caller: Brett Kappenman Guest Cuer: Karen Neverdowski







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R Square D-Oct 14-8:00PM (PLUS 7:00PM)

PAJAMA DANCE

Kelso Senior Center, Kelso, WA

Sunset Promenaders-Oct 15-8:00PM (PLUS 7:00PM) IOOF Hall, Hillsboro, OR

R Square D-Oct 22-8:00PM (PLUS 7:00PM)

HOBO DANCE

Kelso Senior Center, Kelso, WA

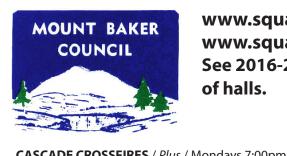
Swinging Mountainers-Oct 28-6:30PM

Pine Forest Grange, Bend, OR

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DANCING SHADOWS / Rounds / 1st & 3rd Saturday / 7:00-9:30 pm Juanita Community Club, Kirkland Debbie & Paul Taylor	425-478-5128
DUDES AND DOLLS / Mainstream / 2nd, 4th & 5th Friday / 7:30-10:30 pm Cedar Valley Grange, LynnwoodScott Coon & Guest Callers/Debbie Taylor	425-337-2906
FERN BLUFF SQUARES / Mainstream / Family, 2nd Saturday / 7:30-10:30 pm South Lake Stevens Senior Center, Lake Stevens	425-334-5184
FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS / Plus / 1st & 3rd Friday / 7:30-10:00 pm Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley John Corrigan-1st Fri & Guest Callers-3rd F 360-387-8727	ri, Bob Berka
FREEWHEELERS / Mainstream / 1st & 3rd (some 5th) Sunday / 7-10 pm Mountlake Terrace Senior Center, Mountlake Terrace Roger Spiese/Debbie Taylor	206-992-4932
HAPPY HOPPERS / Mainstream / 1st & 3rd Saturday 7:30 –10:30 pm Stillaguamish Senior Center, Arlington	425-367-7645
HAPPY ROUNDERS / Rounds-Ph 3-4 / Tuesdays / 7:30-9:30 pm The Hayloft, LynnwoodRandy Preskitt 425-348-6030), 206-364-4173
MT. BAKER SINGLES / Mainstream / 2nd Friday / 7:30-10:30 pm Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-WoolleyDave & Bonnie Harry; Roxanne & Matt Boel	ter360-391-5620
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NORTH CENTRAL COUNCIL

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t this time WHEATLAND WHIRLERS does **1** not have much to report, but next month should be a good report of how our first dance went and our INTRODUCTION TO SQUARE DANCING. Hopefully we will get new dancers.

October 8th we are canceling to go to Appleland Promenaders anniversary dance and on October 22 we will be having our caller and cuer, Jim Compton and Noelle Miller with us to share our good time.

Noelle Miller

APPLELAND PROMENADERS begin the dance season with their Anniversary Dance, October 8th with Ray Brendzy calling and Bill Holm cueing. Rounds are at 7:30 and Mainstream starts at 8:00 p.m. Plans are being made for the "Dam Dance" at Rocky Reach Dam in the afternoon that day, contact a club officer for details. Club is looking forward to dancing on freshly polished finished floor.

End of summer brings the North Central Washington District Fair in Waterville, August 24, 25, 26 and 27. AP members volunteered their time to work in the Grange hamburger booth at the fair. This is always a fun event; rain, wind, or dust storm the burgers are flipped and served with a smile.

Apple blossom purple shirts were well represented at Circle 8 this summer. This group was at Hot August Nights weekend.

Teena Hauck

Well by the time this is read the 4 x 8's lessons will be in full swing and the fall season is well upon us.

Our fair booth and fair demo went well and we had many people to call and remind of lessons that started Sept 15. A great big thank you to all who so beautifully decorated the booth. Some of our members manned the booth for sometimes many hours a day and many days in a row. Again thank you.

This month we will hold our annual, 3 day, highway fund-raiser at the Schrag rest stop on I 90 West bound. Many of our members bake delicious cookies for the road weary travelers and we also serve coffee and tea. We enjoy visiting the many people who stop by and their varied origins and destinations and stories. Later in the month we will do our semi-annual hwy 17 clean up. So we will have a busy month.

Respectfully submitted, Patti Roberts







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

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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

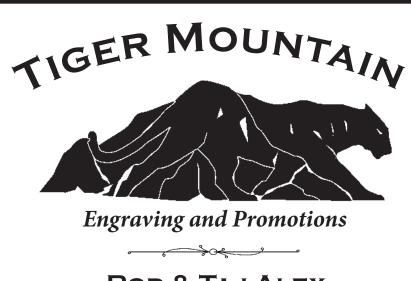
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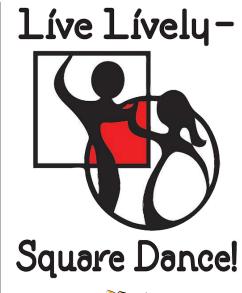
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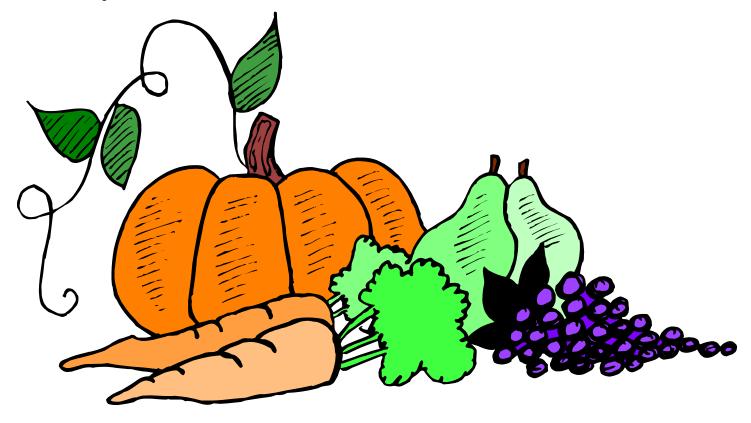
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The **RHODY O'S** had a busy summer with lots of well attended workshops, dancers going to Circle 8 and a beautiful July 4th celebration. But now it's October and time to get ready to spread the good news about Square Dancing. The Rhody O's began lessons on Sept. 13th with a pretty full house. We had an Ice Cream Social that seems to bring out the fun in people. Our lessons are open to new dancers until Oct. 4th and then we will 'circle the wagons' and begin lessons in earnest. Spike Reid is our caller/cuer and we couldn't ask for a better mentor. He is so good with those of us with two left feet - he just keeps us moving until we fall into place. The Rhody O's still dance a the Gardiner Community Center - at the crossroads of Hwy 101 and the Old School House Rd in Gardiner, WA. So angels, it's time to gather round to help our students enjoy all the great things that square dancing brings to our bodies and souls - laughter, good health and friendship.

The Rhody O's still dance on the first and third Fridays of every month. Round Workshop at 6:00, MS Workshop at 7:00 with dancing from 7:30-9:30. So come join us if you are in our 'neck of the woods' and share our love of dancing.

Trish Gaine, fasolard@olypen.com





PENINSULA COUNCIL

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SQUARE STEPPERS' October 8th dance will be our Birthday Dance. To celebrate our Birthday, we will be having main stream tips, plus tips and round dancing. Our guest caller-cuer will be Spike Reed. Dancing will start at 7:30 PM and we will be dancing until 10 PM. Come and have some birthday cake and enjoy the celebration.

Barb Pennington, bardeldry@gmail.com

PAWS AND TAWS enjoyed the great dance Labor Day with Roger Spiese (our Caller) calling on Friday night to start the weekend off. The weather didn't start off to good but improved and the dancers were in good spirits. Old Time Fiddlers and Don Cochrane finished the weekend off.

Looking forward to all the dancing to get back on schedule after the long hot summer.

Leota Lewis, Leotal@msn.com

The **GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS** had a great dance in August and the Annual Potluck Social/ Meeting at the club's president house in Vaughn was well attended.

Gig Harbor Twirlers hosted the Annual KSDA Labor Day Camp-out with live music on September 3rd (Saturday night) by the Old Time Fiddlers.

Gunter Monroe called for us on September 17th with Larry Small cueing.

Hope everyone had a great summer and safe Labor Day Weekend and will be out to support the students at classes.

John McGannon, jmtmcg@hotmail.com

The **ROUND SQUARES** September mustache dance was quite fun. The Round Squares club members were terribly disappointed not to be able to perform our skit over the Labor Day weekend; however, we will make sure to perform it for everyone at a later date.

I can't believe that summer is over and the dance opportunities were everywhere. Round Squares' members traveled all over the state.

Round Squares is looking forward to a successful new class of students and a great time dancing this fall. See you on the dance floor.

Jennifer Rooney, jenniroo@gmail.com

DUDES AND DOLLS keep dancing on Monday afternoons to the calling of Don Smith at the Kitsap Square Dance Center.

KITSAP SQUARE DANCE ASSOCIATION held their annual Labor Day Campout with the calling of Roger Spiese and cueing of Joyce Sebree on Friday followed by a weekend of calling by Don Cochrane and cueing by Joyce Sebree. The weekend was very special in that we continue to dance to the fiddlers playing while Don does a fine job of calling.

Now this is one weekend that everyone will remember; we had an electrical short in one of the meters and had to cut off a good portion on the power to the hall. But that didn't stop the dancing as the fiddlers played and Don got down on the floor and used his hands like a megaphone and called.

We want to that all the great friends who helped out and those that lent us generators so that we could finish the weekend with enough power to have the potluck and dance on Sunday. And the trails out breakfast was a success with feeding the hungry dancers before then set out for home.

Included below are a couple of pictures of the weekend and the power outage. See everyone next year.

PENINSULA COUNCIL held an open house on Wednesday, September 14th for all the people who signed up at the Kitsap County Fair and by those other means of contact. Good time was had as we introduced people to a little about square dancing and when lessons will be in September and January.

Round dancing to Joyce Sebree on Labor Day Camp-out.

Then the Square Dance Hall only had partial power – that is Don Cochrane standing on the floor calling to the dancers with the fiddle music as the background music.

Round dancing to Joyce Sebree on Sunday the 4th of September – with a lot of help such as the loan of 2 generators – the night of dancing went on as scheduled.

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

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Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst
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RAINIER COUNCIL

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RAINIER COUNCIL is looking forward to the 2016/2017 dance season!

The new Board of Officers took office in June, and was almost immediately followed by news of the Council's immediate Past President Lynn Red passing. Lynn served as President for the past several years and did much to update the Council's Policies, Procedures and By-Laws.

The **AMERICAN LEGION SQUAREs** club has officially folded after a short run of just a few years. Some members had moved out of the local area, making the challenge to maintain viability insurmountable.

But not all news is disheartening! For the 17th year in a row, Rainier Council has staffed a booth at the Puyallup Fair in September (now officially the Washington State Fair). This year had special significance since what we believe to be the largest square-dance-themed flash-mob ever assembled took place on September 10th, with approximately 550+ dancers at the Fair, right in Rainier Council's "backyard". The "Mob Squad 2016" flash-mob involved over 60 clubs from all across Washington State (and even Oregon). Three simultaneous "mobs", each with close to 200 dancers, took place at different locations within the Fair's boundaries, and each with a "live" caller (Brett Kappenman, Don Wood, and Greg Weber) overseeing and directing their respective mob. Later the same evening, a "no experience necessary" dance was held at the Fair, with non-dancer fairgoers actively participating in the fun!

Lane Johnston, lanej@chessmenkastle.com

The **SWINGNUTS** dance at the Sumner Valley Dance Hall, 1705 Willow Street in Sumner, WA.

It was a pleasure working with all the callers and dancers during the summer during our Thursday-Nite Lites series. The turnout for these dances held "steady" all summer long, averaging about 4 squares each night.

It was a pleasure working with all the Rainier Council Clubs during the time with the Fair Booth and Demonstrations.

It was a terrific experience working with those from the State for our Mob Squad. What a blast!

Saturday, October 1sth- Mainstream Dance Tom Tomlinson will Call and Cue. 7:00pm Pre-rounds 7:30pm Mainstream. On Saturday, October 15th (our "3rd Saturday" dance) the theme will be Octoberfest, with Don Wood calling and Marie Wood cueing. After "experimenting with several dance formats last season, we've settled on a ½ hour of "pre-Plus" starting a 7:00 pm for our 3rd Saturday dances, followed by a standard Mainstream with Rounds format beginning at 8:00pm.

Gail Johnston, gailj@chessmenkastle.com

ROAMIN TACOMANS have a busy month in October. We will be having Plus lessons every Sunday from 5:30 to 7:30 pm starting on Oct. 2. Cost is \$4 for adults and \$3 for kids. Tom is a great teacher. Angels are always welcome. We are hosting the Rainier Council's Halloween mainstream dance at our hall on Sat. Oct. 29. Tom Tomlinson will be emcee with The Old Time Fiddlers providing live music.

Oct. 8 and Oct. 22 we will be having Plus dances. On Oct. 8 we will be supporting the Bonney Lads and Lassies cancer dance by collecting donations for them. Oct. 22 will be our annual Hob Goblin Boogie Bones Bash Halloween dance. Pre-rounds are at 7:30 and dances are from 8 to 10pm. Costumes are encouraged and welcome at both Halloween dances. We are planning an October full of fun so come and join us. Our hall is at 1705 Willow St. in Sumner and Tom Tomlinson is our Caller/Cuer.

Sharon Herman, tonysharherm@yahoo.com

YOUNG BUNCH has changed a few things. We have some fun new themes planned this year including Mardi Gras & Disney. You can find our dance schedule on our section of the council website. We will be going dark in July and August again. We are planning to caravan more to Rainier Council Clubs and would love to have clubs caravan back.

Guidelines when dancing with youth dancers:

- 1) Never physically pick them up off the floor unless you are a close personal friend or family member.
- 2) Please do not use styling with them, as many of them are getting ready for "Comp".
- 3) Do not push or pull on a youth in the square.
- 4) Please don't get angry with them if the square breaks down. Remember we are there to have fun.
- 5) If you are having issues with a youth dancer, please talk to the adult club leadership.

Our October dance is our annual Halloween/Black Light Dance. Time to get those costumes out and DANCE!

Leslie Young, polyanna1962@gmail.com

BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES

Mainstream, Plus Tip

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Collins Grange 3404 - 120th St E Tacoma

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

South Sound Singles

1st & 3rd Sat. Dark: 6/18/16 & 7/2/16

Pre Rounds 7:30PM • Dance 8-10:30PM

Caller: Jess Thomas

Cuer: Guest Cuers

Mainstream/Plus tip at end

Info: 253-851-5773 Collins Grange 3404 - 120th St. E., Tacoma

PUMPKIN-CHOCOLATE CHIP BROWNIES A "Cake Boss" Recipe

- 2-1/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 1/8 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2-1/2 cups canned pumpkin puree
- 1-2/3 cups sweet unsalted butter, melted
- 1/4 cup heavy cream

- 1-1/4 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 9 large eggs
- 4-1/3 cups granulated sugar
- 2 cups semisweet chocolate chips, divided
- 1 Tablespoon corn syrup
- 1. Preheat oven to 350°. Sift together flour, cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg and salt. Using an electric mixer, beat eggs and pumpkin on medium speed until well combined. Beat in sugar.
- 2. With mixer running, pour in melted butter in a steady stream. Gradually add flour mixture until fully incorporated, stopping to scrape sides of bowl as necessary. Stir in 1-1/2 cups chocolate chips.
- 3. Spread batter into a greased 18 x 12 inch rimmed baking sheet. Bake until a wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean, about 45 minutes. Cool completely.
- 4. While brownies cool, combine cream, corn syrup and the remaining 1/2 cup chocolate chips in a microwave-safe bowl. Microwave on high until chocolate is completely melted and smooth, stirring every 30 seconds. Drizzle chocolate sauce on brownies, and serve immediately.

Servings 16 brownies

Dance with Rainer Council Clubs!

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

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Every	ROUSE-A-ROUNDS Lorraine & John Rouse	Collins Grange 6:30 Beginners, 8-9:30 Phase 2/EZ3 Dance 4th Monday, 7-10 253-846-8203
WEDNESDAY -		
Every, except 3rd	Tom Tomlinson, Charles Morehead	Riverside Grange 6:30-8 Teach, 8-9 P2-3, 9-10 P4-5 253-927-2887, 253-229-9443
THURSDAY -		
2nd & 4th (OctMay)	SWINGNUTS Don Wood	Sumner Valley Square Dance Hall 8:30-10 B-51/MS (squares only) 253-200-2566
FRIDAY -		
1st	SPINNERS	
(SeptJune)	Greg Weber/Sue Weber	7:30 Pre-Rds, 8-10:30 MS/Rds 360-829-0251
2nd	YOUNG BUNCH Mark Sebree/Sue Weber	Collins Grange 6:30 Pre-Rds, 7-9 MS/Rds 253-472-9092
2nd & 4th (SeptJune)	SWINGING SQUARESAndy Garboden/Lorraine Rouse	Sumner Valley Square Dance Hall 7:30 Pre-Rds, 8-10:30 Plus/Rds break at 9:15 / 253-841-9656
SATURDAY -		
1st	NW CALLERS ASSOCIATION	Cedar Grange 253-445-4691; mtg; dances TBA
1st & 3rd	SOUTH SOUND SINGLES Jess Thomas/Guest Cuers	Collins Grange 7:30 Pre-Rds, 8-10:30 MS/Rds/Plus T 253-851-5773
3rd	SWINGNUTS Don Wood/Marie Wood	Sumner Valley Square Dance Hall 6-8 MS (squares only) 8-10 Plus/Rds 253-200-4566
2nd & 4th	BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES	Collins Grange
(July & Aug 2nd Sat.		7:00 Pre-Rds, 7:30-10 MS/Rds Plus T 253-875-5380
2nd & 4th	ROAMIN' TACOMANS Tom Tomlinson – Caller/Cuer	Sumner Valley Square Dance Hall 7:30 Pre-Rds, 8-10:30 MS/Plus/Rds 253-848-7073 (2nd Sat Plus; 4th Sat.
SUNDAY -		
2nd	LEGION SQUARES Jeff Graeff/cuer TBA (Please call about dances)	American Legion Post 138 6-9 MS/Rnds; W Lessons 253-720-2788

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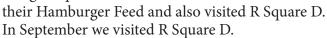
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SOU'WESTER COUNCIL clubs are glad to be back to regularly scheduled dancing. We love the summers, but routine is also great! Be sure to check out all the special dances that clubs are offering throughout the dance year. Each club has at least one very special dance planned. Please join them and support this great recreation.

HARBOR HAYLOFTERS

are having their
Anniversary Dance
on October 15th. We
will have our annual
cakewalk with hot dogs
during the break. This
month we are planning
to visit the Prairie
Steppers and attend
the Seaside Sashay in
Seaside, Oregon.

In August we traveled down to the Cougar Square for



We dance at the American Legion Hall, West 1st Street, Aberdeen. We dance the 3rd weekend September - May and in June the 2nd weekend.

Ann

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Wow! **THE DO SI DO'S** had a great September. We gathered a large variety of school supplies to share with the North Thurston School District for their distribution. Thanks to everyone who donated supplies! We also appreciated the Vancouver, WA square dancers that Jim Hattrick and Craig Abercrombie brought to dance with us after participating in the Western Washington Fair Flash Mob!



Do Si Do's celebrate our 67th anniversary with a "Doo Wop" theme in October. It was our first blacklight dance for the winter. We appreciated the Wagon Wheels joining us for the evening!

November is our "Freedom Dance" with Craig Abercrombie as guest caller. Come join us as we honor our men and women in uniform.

It's not too early to consider how to spend New Year's Eve! We suggest joining the Do Si Do's as they sponsor the annual OASDI New Year's Eve dance on December 31st with a theme of "It's a Grand Affair". The 20's themed dance will be 'all the rage'. More information to come and tickets will be on sale soon, so think about joining us!

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

Katherine Deuel

Where has the summer gone? **R SQUARE D** had a busy summer. In August we had two "Demo" dances. One was at Canterbury Park where one of our members, Jean Turner, lives. The next day we danced for the Castle Rock Senior Center's annual picnic. Food was served at both of these demos and you know how square dancers love to eat. Some of our members also visited River City Dancers and enjoyed the calling of Les Seeley and Rene Rudd and cueing of Tami Helms.

At our Back to School Dance on August 24 we collected over \$100 worth of school supplies to be donated to a local school. Also that evening our Caller Craig Abercrombie work-shopped the dance "Running Bear". We had fun with it and hope that we

will be able to play with it again at a later date. We had visitors from Las Vegas and Cougar Squares.

Lessons are starting this month. Craig will be teaching "fun" starting on September 19th. Let's see how many lessons people we can share the fun with.

Toni Carroll

RUFF AND RUFFLES have been rather quiet. July found Neil & Eileen Rosevear spending two weeks in Idaho riding around in their quads and Lavon Hirsch traveling with her daughter in Canada. August we helped Dalton & Paula Pfau celebrate their "50th Wedding Anniversary". It was nice to see all their family and all grown up now. As for square dancing Fred and Peggy Rolf enjoyed dancing at the Oregon Summer Festival in Seaside and at the Central Oregon Roundup in Sisters, Oregon

With a heavy heart I (Betty Cliffton) lost my 4-year-old great grand daughter Addy Jo on August 8th after a 2-year battle with "Acute Myeloid Leukemia". (AML) A precious pretty child with brown curly hair, blue eyes and an infectious smile that charmed so many hearts and united the community of Longview. She will be forever in our hearts.

Other sad news, Gladys Williams (87), wife of Walt Williams, a former square dance caller for Square & Circle for some 35 years, died July 28th. Also Ethel Mayclin (98) wife of the late Rolly Mayclin who was a round dance cuer locally here for many years. We will miss them both.

Since Ruff and Ruffles will only be dancing twice a year, our next dance will be our Annual Pie Dance on Saturday, November 19, at the Catlin Grange Building in Kelso with caller Jim Raupp and Cuer Susan Healea. Put the date on your calendar and come join us, not only hopefully to buy a pie but to eat pie too. Doesn't that sound like a great evening! All are welcome. All proceeds will go to a selected charity.

Betty Cliffton, sqkats@q.com

The **PRAIRIE STEPPERS** welcome the cooler fall weather. We also welcome you to our Trick or Treat dance on October 8 to be hosted by Mary Niccoli, Pat Colton and Gretchen Kunkel. Costumes are encouraged but optional. Note that effective with this dance, the donation will be \$7.00 each for adults.

Thanks so much to Mary Niccoli and her daughter Sandy Lund for hosting our August meeting and feeding us so well. Guests were Gene and Alice Coakley representing the Oakview Grange. Prairie Steppers Bob Spain, Mike Freels and Tim Palumbo are Grange members. As secretary of the Oakview Grange Alice thanked the Prairie Steppers for all the work done and improvements made at the Grange. The Oakview Grange nominated the Prairie Steppers Square and Round Dance Club for a Community Volunteer award. Following that the State Grange awarded the State Volunteer of the Year to the Prairie Steppers. Gene and Alice formally presented the award to our club at our August meeting.

Five Prairie Steppers traveled to USA West in Pocatello Idaho in August. Square Dancing was held at the Red Lion Inn and Round Dancing was held at the Clarion Inn. Don Wood called and Marie Wood cued but they did manage to spend some time together. Prairie Steppers Sandy and Nina O'Keefe serve on the USA West Policy Board, which is planning for USA West 2017 to be held in Rock Springs, Wyoming.

Our square dance lessons started on September 14 and will continue on Wednesdays through December 14 with no lessons on October 12 or November 23. Don Wood is our instructor but Glenn Raiha will substitute for Don while he is on a square dance cruise in early November.

Plan to dance with the Prairie Steppers on the second Saturday this year from October through April with the Chicken Dance on the second Saturday in May. Our program is Plus from 7 to 8 PM and Mainstream with Rounds from 8 to 10:30 PM with a dinner break at 9:15 PM.

Marion Freels, M_librarion@yahoo.com

SQUARE ONE members have been very active and enjoying some great dancing at Circle 8, as well as at our own club, and other venues. We recently provided lunch for the State meeting at Lac-A-Do, where our own Gene (Tanya) Currier was inducted as the State Federation President. (Congrats, Gene!!)

In October, we are going on a Mystery Caravan. It will be our first one in a long time and everyone is looking forward to it. It will be a great time for socializing and getting to know each other better, and will be topped off by dinner and dancing -- what's not to like?

Square One dances on the first Friday and third Sunday of every month. Our caller, Gunter Monroe, does a great job of calling Plus with some DBD thrown in, and we would love to see you at our dances at Lac-A-Do Hall.

We are dark the first Friday in September. There will be a Round Dance Weekend at Lac-A-Do over the Labor Day weekend.

Ken Moller, ckmoller@outlook.com

COUGAR SQUARES is getting back to the normal routine with lessons in Salkum on Tuesdays and in Napavine on Thursdays, both beginning at 7:00 p.m. Jim Raupp is our caller/teacher for square dance lessons.

Round Dance lessons also began at the end of September with Susan Healea our cuer/teacher. They are held at Baw Faw Grange in beautiful Curtis Washington, right next to the Boistfort School. Beginning two-step is being taught as well as some intermediate lessons for people with previous round dance experience. Come out to Baw Faw Grange and see where you can fit into these lessons.

Our first dance of the 2016-17-dance year was on Labor Day weekend, September 3rd. It was hosted by Cindy and Fred Turner and Debbie and Jack DeGoede with the theme of "Apples". We had a variety of wonderful apple desserts at break time. Sorry if you missed it!

Speaking of DeGoede's, they are our new president couple. Connie Alvord is our new VP. Judy Wilson continues as secretary and Dave Doern is treasurer. Cougar's have their refreshment break at 10:00 p.m. or at the end of the dance again this year. It seems to have worked out well last year.

It isn't too early to think about the Thankful Christmas Dance, this year to be held on December 3rd. Look for Cougars with pre-sale tickets at dances beginning soon. Jim Raupp is our caller and Susan Healea is our "special" cuer for that dance.

Cougar's Squares dance the first Saturday of each month beginning in September through June with Jim Raupp, caller/cuer. We round dance with Stardust Dancers on the first and third Thursdays of each month at Catlin Grange in Longview. Hope you can

Don & Judy Wilson, donjudywilson22@gmail.com

FLUTTERWHEELS

1st Saturday 7-10 pm Mainstream + 3rd Saturday 7:00-9:30 pm Student Level

Don Wood, Caller • Ron Woolcock, Cuer + Glenn Raiha, Caller Guest Cuer

Lac-A-Do Hall-1721 46th NE, Olympia, WA Sound Enhancement + All Dancers Welcome

HARBOR HAYLOFTERS 3rd Saturday monthly except 2nd Saturday in June Caller: Randy & Chris Carlson Pre Rounds 7:00 Ms Dance 8 -10:00 NEW LOCATION American Legion Hall 112 W 1st St. - Aberdeen, WA

RUFF & RUFFLES

3rd Saturdays, 7:30 pre-rounds; 8-10:00 p.m. MS

Jim Raupp, Caller Susan Healea, Cuer

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

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

STARDUST DANCERS Round Dance Club

SUSAN HEALEA, Cuer

1st & 3rd Thursday 7:30 - 9:30 PM Catlin Grange #199

205 Shawnee St., Kelso, Washington

R SQUARE D 2nd Friday & 4th Saturday Plus 7:00 - Lonnie Sycks, Cuer Mainstream Dance 8 - 10 PM Craig Abercrombie, Caller Annual OCTOBERFEST 1st weekend Oct. 360-425-0583 or 360-636-3358 Kelso Senior Ctr., 106 NW 8th Ave., Longview, WA

COUGAR SQUARES

1st Sat Sep-June PLUS 7:30 MS 8 - 10:30 PM 3rdThurs 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



ROUND-A-BOUT

Lac-A-Do Hall -- Olympia

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

Prairie Steppers

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

> Don Wood, caller • Lonnie Sycks, cuer Chicken Dance TBA watch for ad in Footnotes

Come Dance with Sou'Wester Council Clubs

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

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 / 7:30-10:30 PLUS
2nd	RHYTHM ROUNDERS FUN DANCERandy Wulf, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00 ROUNDS, Phase 2-5
2nd	R SQUARE D Craig Abercrombie, caller; Lonnie Sycks, cuer	
3rd	ROUND-A-BOUTS	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-9:30 ROUNDS, Phase 2-3
4th	CAPITAL SQUARES Don Wood, caller; Randy Wulf, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
SATURDAY -	•	
1st	COUGAR SQUARES	St. Francis Parish Hall / 7:30-10:3 SQUARES & ROUNDS
1st	FLUTTERWHEELS Don Wood, caller; Ron Woolcock, cuer	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 / 7:30-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd	HARBOR HAYLOFTERSRandy & Chris Carlson	American Legion Hall / 7:00-10:0 SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd Feb. & Nov.	RUFF & RUFFLES	Catlin Grange / 8:00-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd	FLUTTERWHEELSGlenn Raiha, caller; Ron Woolcock, cuer	
4th	R SQUARE D Craig Abercrombie, caller; Lonnie Sycks, cuer	Kelso Senior Center / 7:30-10:00 SQUARES & ROUNDS
4th	RHYTHM ROUNDERS FUN DANCEGuest cuers	
SUNDAY -		
Every	DOUBLE A'S	Lac-A-Do Hall / 4:30-6:30 ADVANCED
3rd	SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB	Lac-A-Do Hall / 6:30-9:00 PLUS
ADDR	ESSES FOR PLACES WHERE THERE ARE MORE T	HAN ONE DANCE A MONTH
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Caller: Butch Suttey
Curer: Lorrayne Kennedy

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Coeur'ly Q's - 1st Saturday 7:00 Plus; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Harding Family Center / 411 N 15th St. • Coeur d'Alene, ID	Shirts n' Skirts - 3rd Friday 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Calvary Lutheran Church / 1011 N Compton St. • Post Falls, ID	
Dancing Shadows - 3rd Friday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center / 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA	Spokane Area Council - 10/29/16 at WDC 4/29/17 at NSDC / 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center / 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA 9 or North Spokane Dance Center / 7424 N Freya St. • Spokane, WA Spokane Callers & Cuers - 2nd Friday 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center / 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA	
Diamond Squares - 2nd Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds		
Western Dance Center / 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA Heartbeats - Wednesdays except 5th 8:30am Beginner/Intermediate/Advanced Clogging		
Knechtel's Shop / 211 E Zigler Ln. • Colbert, WA Hi-Flyers - 3rd Fridays 7:00 Mainstream & Rounds	Spokane Carousels - 1st & 3rd Saturday 7:30 Rounds III-VI East Spokane Grange / 1621 N Park Rd. • Spokane Valley, WA	
Cheney City Hall / 112 Anderson Rd. • Cheney, WA Hoodoo Valley Hoedowners - 3rd Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds III; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds	Spurs & Skirts- 4th Friday 7:30 Rounds, 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds North Spokane Dance Center / 7424 N Freya St. • Spokane, WA	
Various Locations Call for information: 208-946-0741 Special dances during year	Star Shooters - 4th Saturday 7:00 Rounds III-IV; 7:30 R II; 8:00 Mainstream & 3rd tip Plus & Rounds	
Jacks & Jenny's - 3rd Saturday 7:30 Mainstream & Rounds; last tip Plus North Spokane Dance Center / 7424 N Freya St. • Spokane, WA	Western Dance Center / 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA Twin City Twirlers - 1st & 3rd Saturday 7:30 Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Twin City Square Dance Center / 2130 5th Ave. • Clarkston, WA	
Krazy 8's - 1st Friday 7:00 Plus & Rounds III; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center / 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA	Valley Crosstrailers - 3rd Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center / 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA	
Model T's - 2nd Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center / 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA	Wag Arounds - 1st Sunday 7:00 Rounds II-III Western Dance Center/ 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA 2nd Friday 8:00 Rounds III-V North Spokane Dance Center/ 7424 N Freya St. • Spokane, WA	
North Spokane Dance Association - September 30, 2016 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds North Spokane Dance Center / 7424 N Freya St. • Spokane, WA		
Octo-Plus Squares - Tuesday 7:00 Plus Workshop East Spokane Grange / 1621 N Park Rd, Spokane Valley, WA	Western Dance Association -March 31, 2017 7:00 Plus & Rounds; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds Western Dance Center / 1901 N. Sullivan Rd. • Spokane, WA	
Plus & Stuff - Mondays 6:30 Advanced; 8:00 Plus; 4th Friday - 7:00 Advanced & R; 8:00 Plus & R	Wild Rose Ramblers - 1st Saturday 7:00 Plus & Rounds III; 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds North Spokane Dance Center / 7424 N Freya St. • Spokane, WA	

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Roundup Workshop - Tuesdays

7:30 Rounds III-VI



3 Hour Dance and Cruise on Lake Coeur d' Alene

Wednesday, June 14, 2017

Boarding at 5:30 p.m. (PDT) at Independence Point

Featured Callers



Dan Preedy



Adam Christman

Featured Cuers
Theresa Ray & Justine Litzko

Admission: \$20 per person before May 1, 2017 (\$30 Per Person after May 1, 2017)

For more information: Kari Franks, 208-704-9760 email: frankskl73@yahoo.com
Come to Idaho State Festival in Wallace, ID on June 9, 10, 11, 2017. Stay and dance in Coeur d'
Alene on Wednesday, June, 14 and then on to Spokane, WA, for the Washington State Festival
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