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Happy February Dancers

This is the season of Valentines and cupids, Kris and I are looking forward to finding a special Valentines day dance to attend we hope you are doing the same.

We have a busy month this February with lots of traveling for the Kiser's and a lot of other people as well. We have Pre-Convention, State meeting and the Alzheimer's Dances around the state. at the end of the month. You should see ads for all these upcoming weekends. Let's not forget the Rainier Council Summer Rendezvous this summer June 20-22, 2019, Rainier Council is planning some big things if you are not registered you need to, it will be a great weekend.

Leadership Seminar is coming up, July 12,13 &14, 2019. The caller and keynote address speaker is Gary Shoemake. The Cuer is Nina Leisi. This should be another great weekend of dancing.

This is a month of love and I find myself thinking of all the friends because of square dancing and the lifelong relationships I have made. It's been a lifetime of loving my square dance family. With that being said, we have lost a lot of our longtime friends along the way. We miss them all and truly cherish all the memories.

We have had a very mild winter in Kennewick, which is OK by me, but everyone says we need snow, I think not, lol.

Guess what! Lets remember all clubs, councils, and the State Federation are looking for dancers to step up and help

EDITOR Send Ad changes to: Square & Folk Dance Federation Kathy Chase at footnotes_wa@yahoo.com Send Ads payment to Kay Mahan at PO Box 11160 • Yakima, WA 98909-2160 out by running for officers or serving on committees. So pretty please, when someone asks just say 'how can I help' with a smile and come on and jump on the wagon, Its been a great ride for us. We have met thousands of people in the last 45 years of dancing.

Happy Valentine's Day everyone. Enjoy your chocolates and red wine, but especially enjoy your dancing opportunities with your square dance family.

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The Peoples (dancers) President Always, Margaret & Kris

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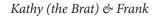
A h – the sweet month of February. When we take just a little extra time to say, "I Love You" to those people who are special to us. Gotta love it! There are several Valentine dances being help throughout the state. So, don't miss out on attending one or more of them.

I want to give a "Special" SHOUT OUT to my Co-Editor in Training, Cynda. She is learning quickly how the magazine works and is put together.

My apologies to Don and Cheryl Pruitt, General Chairmen of the 2020 National Square Dance Convention. I neglected to put in their items regarding the 2020 National Pre-Convention meeting that is coming up this month in Spokane. If you weren't involved in the 2012 Pre-Convention, you should really plan on attending this one. It's amazing what you can learn about how these Nationals are put on. Sure, it's a lot of work, but it's also a bunch of fun as well as meeting and getting to know so many great people from all over the country this of ours. See the article and ad on page 24 & 25.

Don't forget, State Meeting is the weekend after Pre-Convention, also in Spokane. I am sure our State Nominating people are out there trying to recruit officers for next year's board. I know a lot of you, including myself, at one time, say to yourself "Why do I need to run for an office, someone else will do it" or "I wouldn't know what to do as a State Officer", or even "I don't have time for that stuff" Well, think again. I truly enjoyed the time that I was on the Board. I have held the offices of Corresponding Secretary, Vice President and President. Other than it being a lot of fun, I got to know so much about how the state runs and, the best part, made so many new friends throughout the state. It's not as hard as you may think and there are only 3-1/2 meetings during the year. Who doesn't have just a little bit of time for that? Please think about putting your name into the hat for a State Officer. You won't regret it.

Take care everyone. Have a Happy Valentine's Day. See you next month.







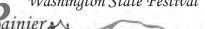


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A WORD FROM YOUR CO-EDITOR Cynda & Larry Clark

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O ne month gone already. Time has a way of getting away from me. I guess, I just procrastinate too much. The weather is getting warmer and it's almost time to plant flowers. Since I'm from Montana, it's hard to think of planting anything until May. I'm always the last one in the neighborhood to plant flowers. June if I'm lucky. I want to make sure there is no chance of frost! I keep waiting for snow so I know we've had winter, but this year I don't think that will happen.

Taking over for Footnotes has been a real challenge for me, but it's getting easier. Every month seems to be a new adventure. Kathy has been so patient with all my frustrations, but I think I'm getting better. What you get to see is all Kathy. Look out, when I get to the point of taking over part of the publication of the magazine. So far, it's been all practice and play, and that's a good thing, for all of us.

You can meet me at the State Meeting in Spokane, at Apple Blossom Festival in Cashmere or at the Rainier Rendezvous State Festival. I look forward to meeting you!

Cynda & Larry



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FRIDAY NIGHT BLACK LIGHT DANCE

Friday, February 15™

WESTERN DANCE CENTER (1901 SULLIVAN ROAD, SPOKANE VALLEY, WA 99216) PLUS 7:00-8:00 WITH PHASE 3 ROUNDS BETWEEN MAINSTREAM 8:00-10:00 WITH PHASE 2 ROUNDS BETWEEN Dance is hosted by Dancing Shadows and Cheney Hi-Flyers Caller- Dan Preedy Cuer- Carol Shopbell

SATURDAY NIGHT SWEETHEART DANCE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH

NORTH SPOKANE DANCE CENTER (7424 N FREYA ST, SPOKANE, WA 99217) PLUS 7:00-8:00 WITH PHASE 3 ROUNDS BETWEEN MAINSTREAM 8:00-10:00 WITH PHASE 2 ROUNDS BETWEEN Dance is hosted by Jacks & Jennys and Valley Crosstrailers Caller-Bob Amsbury & Doug Davis Cuer-Claudia Amsbury

Questions: Contact Joshua Strickler, Spokane Area Delegate/Meeting Coordinator 509-954-7238 / JoshuaE.Strickler@gmail.com



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In this issue we are explaining the club renewals which are handled through each council. We realize that each council makes out their own instructions due to the fact they all have different regulations



and fees for their clubs. Therefore, we will email the renewal notification to each council treasurer with a 'cc' to the council president. We will include a generic sample that they are welcome to use in handling the renewals of their clubs. We intend to email these notifications out the first part of February. These club renewals will still be due back to us the 31st of May, so we are hoping this method will give the councils a little more time to complete this renewal process. And remember, all clubs, councils and associations are included in this renewal process.

The above process has nothing to do with the individual process of membership and insurance that we send out in March to each club treasurer. We will address that in the next "Footnotes" issue.

> Take care, Richard and Barbara



A guy calls home from work. A strange woman answers. The guy says "Who is this?" "This is the maid" answers the woman. "We don't have a maid." "I was just hired this morning by the lady of the house." "Well, this is her husband, is she there?" "Umm . . . she's upstairs in the bedroom with someone I just

figured was her husband." Guy is fuming, he says to the maid "Listen, would you like to make \$50,000?" "What do I have to do?" "I want you to get my gun from my desk in the den. Go upstairs and shoot that woman and the guy she's with!" The maid puts down the phone; the guy hears footsteps, followed by some

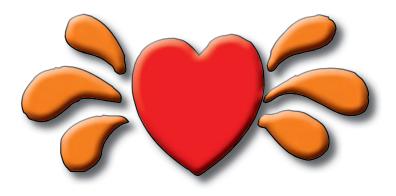




gun shots. The maid comes back to the phone "What should I do with the bodies?" "Throw them into the swimming pool!" "Uhhhhh . . . there's no pool here." Long pause "Uhhhh . . . is this 555-4821?"

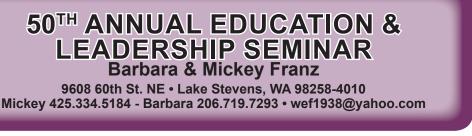


Remember our fallen heros. They are the reason that we are free.



FOOTNOTES DEADLINE(S)

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



Think Summer - Think Seminar

Your students will be graduating soon and The Education and Leadership Seminal is an excellent first out of town dance the group is forgiving, friendly and they are a lot of fun, also they can get an idea how the clubs are run. As an additional bonus this year we have a nationally known caller. Plus at the Friday night dance they will dance to some fine Washington state callers that they probably had not heard before.

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

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

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

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

Will be looking forward to meeting you.

Respectfully, Barb and Mickey Franz





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

July 13 - 14, 2018



Gary Shoemake Caller/Keynote Speaker Seviervillde, TN





Nina Leisi Cuer/State Round Dance Coordinator Cheney, WA



Registration Information

Tamie & Glen Shaw 7114 278th St. NW Stanwood, WA 98292-4737 360-387-5055 tamiperry@msn.com



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

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

From Seattle:

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

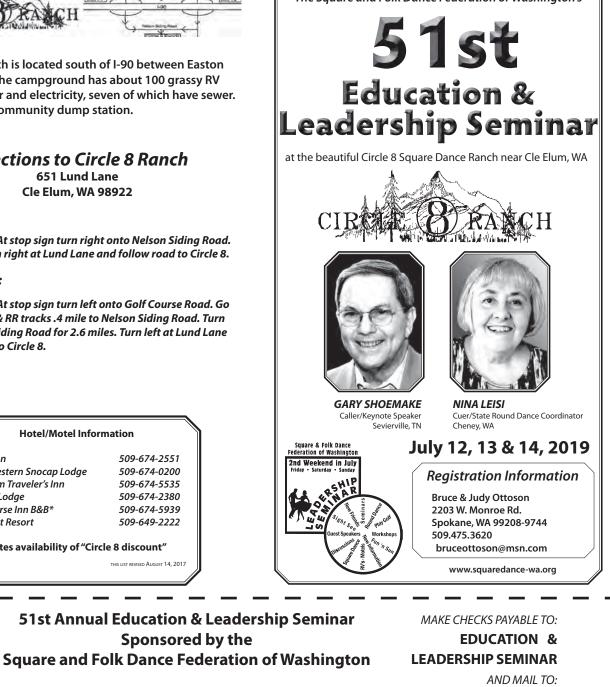
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Take exit 78. At stop sign turn left onto Golf Course Road. Go back across I-90 & RR tracks .4 mile to Nelson Siding Road. Turn right on Nelson Siding Road for 2.6 miles. Turn left at Lund Lane and follow road to Circle 8.

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If you arrive early (Thursday) Circle 8 offers activities for all to enjoy Potluck in Main Hall: 5:30 PM

Friday GOLF – If you want to play Golf call Sun Country Golf & RV at 509-674-2226 to make your own reservations.

Pre-Rounds with Nina Leisi Mainstream Dance – Squares MC – Jim Sw	7:30 PM anson
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Washington State Callers and Cuers	8 -10:30 PM
After Party	10:30 PM
Saturday Information/Education Sessions	
Coffee & Rolls	8:00 AM
Welcome and Introductions	8:30 AM
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	8:45-9:30 AM
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Lunch Break - Fundraiser By Donation	12-1:15 PM
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TBA	3:00 PM
Buzz Session with State President, Margaret Kiser, Moderat Round Dance Workshop by Nina Leisi Square Dance Workshop by Gary Shoema	2:15-3:45 PM
Dinner Break - Potluck in Main Hall	5:30 PM
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51st

Mainstream Dance with Caller: Gary Shoemake

Cuer: Nina Leisi

7:30 PM
8:00-10:30 PM
10:30 PM

Sunday Breakfast – Circle 8

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

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

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

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

DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH

FOR ALL CAMPING QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL WAGON MASTER. PLEASE DO NOT CALL CIRCLE 8 AS THEY DO NOT COORDINATE CAMPING FOR EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP.

Wagon Masters: Madalyn & Lewis Cato 206.244.4746 206.898.0945 Cell

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

IF YOU MUST COMPLAIN - VOLUNTEER!

Do you want the
Seminar Booklet?
The booklet, in any form, is

Yes _____Via Email (reverse) _____Paper Copy

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ded in the registration fee _____No - I do not want the book.

REGISTRATION

Fees: \$15.00 Per Person • \$30.00	Per Couple/Family	<u>ې</u>
Camping: Per night - RV \$30.00 (full); \$25.00 W&E - Ter	nts \$20.00
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Do you plan on having lunch at Leadership Seminar on Saturday? Yes____No___ Sponsor and Menu TBA ed 9-13-18



JIM'S SQUARE DANCE CALLER CORNER Jim & Thelma Swanson

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Most clubs will be having Valentines/ Sweetheart Dances this month. Some of these dances will be All-Singing-Call Dances. Here are a few **M/S** and **Plus** Singing-Call figures that might be of use.

(*= Swing and Promenade) Mainstream (Corner Progression)

- Heads/Sides Square Thru; Right & Left Thru; Veer Left; Chain Down the Line; Pass Thru; Tag the Line; Face Out; Bend the Line; Slide Thru; *
- Heads/Sides Promenade 1/2 Way Around; Square Thru 4; Swing Thru; Men Run; Couples Circulate; 1/2 Tag; Scoot Back; *
- Heads/Sides Touch1/4; Same Men Run; Right & Left Thru; Veer Left; Couples Circulate (2X); Wheel & Deal; 8 Chain 4; *
- Heads/Sides Promenade 1/2 Way Around; Pass the Ocean; Extend; Swing Thru; Spin the Top; Square Thru 5; *
- Hd. / Sd. Ladies Lead with a Flutter Wheel; Sweep 1/4 more; Pass Thru; Swing Thru; Men run; Tag the Line; Face Right; Wheel & Deal; Turn Thru; Left Allemande; *
- All 4 Couples Promenade 1/2 Way Around; Heads/Sides Touch 1/4; Walk & Dodge; Ladies Lead Flutter Wheel; 8 Chain 5; *
- Heads/Sides Square Thru; Touch to a Wave; Spin Chain Thru; Ladies Circulate Once; Spin Chain Thru; Men Circulate Once; *

Singing Breaks (Mainstream)

- All 4 Ladies Chain 3/4; Chain Straight Across; Sides Face Grand Square 6 steps; Allemande Left; Weave the Ring;...... *......
- Heads/Sides Pass Thru; Cloverleaf; Double Pass Thru; Centers In; Cast Off 3/4; Pass Thru; Tag the Line; Leaders Cloverleaf; Others Partner Trade; Allemande Left; *
- Heads/Sides Square Thru 4; Square thru 5; Centers Do Sa Do; Square Thru 4; all Cloverleaf; Allemande Left; *.....

Plus (Corner Progression)

- Heads/Sides Pass the Ocean; Extend; Acey Duecey; Spin Chain & Exchange the Gears; *
- Heads/Sides Promenade 1/2 Way Around; Sides/Heads Pass the Ocean; Extend; Relay the Duecey; *
- Heads/Sides Touch 1/4 & Roll; Slide Thru; Swing Thru; Men Run; Ladies Hinge; Diamond Circulate; Cut the Diamond; Men Run; Hinge & Roll; *
- 4) Head/Side Ladies Chain;
 Side/Head couples Lead Right;
 Right & Left Thru; Extend;
 Spin Chain the Gears; *
- 5) Heads/Sides Promenade 1/2 Way Around; Right & Left Thru; Pass the Ocean; Ping Pong Circulate; Extend; Explode & Load the Boat; *
- Heads/Sides Touch 1/4; Walk & Dodge; Pass the Ocean; Grand Swing Thru (2X); Fan the Top; Dixie Grand; *
- Heads/Sides Lead Right; Veer Left; Men Trade; Crossfire; Coordinate; Ferris Wheel; Centers Pass the Ocean; Explode the Wave; *
- All 4 Couples Promenade 1/2 Way Around; Heads/Sides Single Circle to a Wave; Slide Thru; Pass the Ocean; Grand Swing Thru (2X); Linear Cycle; *

Singing Breaks (Plus)

- Head Ladies Center for a Teacup Chain; Men Promenade; *.....
- 2) All 4 Ladies Center for a Teacup Chain; Ladies Promenade; *.....
- 3) Circle Left;.....Allemande Left; All 8 Spin the Top (2X); *.....

Let's keep helping each other be the best that we can be, so Square Dancing can be the best it can be.

Jim Swanson 2018/2019 Square Dance Editor. paintedswan@frontier.com; 509-539-2660



NOTES FROM NINA

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2019 is off and running. Lots activities for our wonderful activity are on the horizon. I look forward to seeing you in Spokane in February. February 9th is the Pre-Convention Dance at the Spokane Convention Center. Let's dance to Dan Preedy and Debbie Taylor as we kick off the preparations for the 2020 National Convention. The National Committee is already hard at work and they need all of our help to show off Washington once again.

February 15th and 16th is our winter state meeting. It finds us back in Spokane. The Friday evening dance is a Black Light Dance at the Western Dance Center. The meeting on Saturday and the dance that evening are at the North Spokane Dance Center. I'll be watching for you that weekend, too. Thankfully our winter weather forecast is wonderful compared to much of the rest of the country. So I hope the roads to Spokane are great for your travels.

I'm also looking forward to our 67th Washington State Festival, Rainier Rendezvous, June 20-22, in Puyallup, and the annual Leadership Seminar at Circle 8 outside Cle Elum, July 12-14. Gary Shoemake will be calling the Saturday night dance and giving the keynote address on Sunday morning. I am grateful for the opportunity as your Round Dance Coordinator to be your Cuer MC on Friday night, and Cuer on Saturday night. Dan Bailly and I will present a round dance workshop for you on Saturday afternoon.

There is another special event that may not appear to be important to all dancers but is important to all of you. Northwest Round Dance Teachers Association is presenting a Cuer Seminar. If you want keep round dancing, you will need cuers and teachers. This event will include something for every cuer. The seminar will be at Circle 8, on June 28-30. The cost is only \$40 per person and this includes the seminar, dances on both Friday and Saturday, Saturday lunch and Sunday morning Pancake Breakfast. Lodging and other meals are not included in the registration fee. Topics will include technology, cueing, teaching, and etiquette. The clinicians will be nationally-known John and Karen Herr. I hope your club will consider sponsoring a new cuer for this event, by covering their registration fee and/ or reimbursing some of their expenses. This will help all of us continue to have cuers for our activity. You will be hearing more about this as the event gets closer.

The Round of the Month for February is "Someday My Prince Will Come 2" by our own Shawn and Wendy Cavness. Other dances considered were "Kind of Woman" by Randy and Lorraine Pratt, and "Aspenglow" by TJ and Bruce Chadd. Next month we will be selecting a Classic Two-Step.

Nina



FEBRUARY DANCE OF THE MONTH

SOMEDAY MY PRINCE WILL COME 2

CHOREO:	Shawn and Wendy Cavness, 34403 56 th Ave So.	, Auburn, WA 98001
	(253) 929-8161 shawn@rounddancing.org	www.rounddancing.org
RECORD:	Song Name: Someday My Prince Will Come	Artist: Gaby Goldberg
	CD: Cartoon Songs for Dancing	Track: 6
	Download from ITunes	Time: 2:54 (as Downloaded)
	Music Modifications: Speed Up 11%	
FOOTWORK:	Woman Opposite unless noted (Women's footw	work in Parentheses)
RHYTHM:	Roundalab Waltz Phase: 2 + 1 (Pivot)	DIFFICULTY: Moderate
SEQUENCE:	Intro, A, B, Inter, A, C, End	Released: January 17, 2018

<u>Intro</u>

1-4 Wait 2 Measures ; ; Apart Point ; Together Touch to BFLY WALL ;

- (1-2) BFLY WALL wait 2 meas;;
- (3-4) apt L, pt R twd ptr, -; rec R, tch L to BFLY WALL, -;

5-8 Vine 3; Through Face Close to BFLY WALL; Sway Left and Right;;

- (5-6) sd L, XRib (XLib), sd L; thru R twd LOD, fwd and sd L trng twd ptr to BFLY WALL, cl R;
- (7-8) sd L taking partial weight stretching left side of body, cont xfer weight to L & straightening body, comp xfer of weight to L foot drawing R foot slightly; sd R taking partial weight stretching right side of body, cont xfer weight to R and straightening body, comp xfer of weight to R foot drawing L foot slightly;

Part A

1-4 Waltz Away and Together to BFLY WALL;; Balance Left; Side Draw Touch to CP WALL;

(1-2) releasing lead hands and retaining trail hands and turning away from partner fwd L, sd and fwd R, cl L; sd and fwd R turning to face partner, sd and fwd L, cl R to BFLY WALL;
(3-4) sd L, XRib rising on toe, rec L; sd R, draw L to R, tch L;

5-8 Dip Back; Maneuver to CP RLOD; 2 Right Turns to BFLY WALL;;

- (5-6) bk L (fwd R) with knee flexed leaving R fwd (L bk) , , ; fwd R beg RF upr bdy trn , cont RF trn sd L , cl R (bk L beg RF upr bdy trn , sd R , cl L) to CP RLOD ;
- (7-8) bk L comm trn up to 1/4 RF , sd R cont RF trn up to 1/4 , cl L ; fwd R comm trn up to 1/4 RF , sd L cont RF trn up to 1/4 to BFLY WALL , cl R ;

9-12 Balance Left; Reverse Twirl; Through Twinkle; Through Face Close to CP WALL;

- (9-10) sd L, XRib rising on toe, rec L; fwd R, fwd L, cl R (Fwd L trn, bk R trn, sd L);
- (11-12) thru L , sd R trn LF , to BFLY WALL cl L ; thru R twd LOD, fwd and sd L trng twd ptr to CP WALL , cl R ;

13-16 Side Draw Touch ; Back Turn 1/4 ; Two Left Turns ; ;

- (13-14) sd L, draw R to L, tch R; bk R comm 1/4 LF trn, sd L, cl R;
- (15-16) fwd L comm up to 1/4 LF trn , cont trn up to 1/8 sd R diag across LOD , cl L ; bk R comm up to 1/4 LF trn , cont trn up to 1/8 sd L twd LOD to CP WALL , cl R ;

FEBRURARY DANCE OF THE MONTH

SOMEDAY MY PRINCE WILL COME 2

Shawn & Wendy Cavness Phase II+1 (pivot 3 SCP) Waltz Intro AB Int AC End

Increase Speed 11%

- *I* Wait 2 Meas;; Apt Pt; Tog BFLY Tch; Vine 3; Thru Fc CI BFLY; Sway L & R;
- A Dip Bk; Manu; 2 R Trn BFLY;; Bal L; Revrs Twrl; Thru Twnkl; Thru Fc CP; Sd Draw Tch; Bk Trn L 1/4; 2 L Trns;; Wz Awy & Tog BFLY;; Bal L; Sd Draw Tch CP;
- B Wz Awy; Wrap; Fwd Wz; PU; 2 L Trns BFLY;; Cir Awy & Tog L Tamara;; Wheel 3; Unwrap BFLY Wall; Twrl Vin 3; Thru Fc CP; L Trng Box;;;;
- Int Dip Bk & Kiss; Recvr BFLY;
- A Dip Bk; Manu; 2 R Trn BFLY;;
 Bal L; Revrs Twrl; Thru Twnkl; Thru Fc CP;
 Sd Draw Tch; Bk Trn L 1/4; 2 L Trns;;
 Wz Awy & Tog BFLY;; Bal L; Sd Draw Tch CP;
- C Wz Awy & Tog BFLY;; Bal L & R;; Step Swing; Spin Manu; 2 R Trns SCAR LOD; 3 Prog Twnkls **CP/LOD**;;; Fwd Tch; Dip Bk; Manu; Pivot 3 SCP; Thru Fc CP;
- End 1/2 Box Fwd SCP; PU; 2 L Trns BFLY;; Twrl Vine 3; Thru Fc CP; Dip Bk Twist & Kiss;;



SEW TOGETHER Karen & Dave Reichardt

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The term bodkin has a variety of different meanings. The basic one is 'to pierce' or 'go through'. Daggers and arrow points are sometimes called bodkins. "God's bodkins" was a reference to the nails used in the crucifixion and an oath used in Shakespeare's Hamlet to show frustration.



The fabric worker's bodkin is a large dull tipped needle with a large eye that is used to pull cord or lacing through a casing or eyelet. Their skinny shape and greater length make the job go quickly.

In the days before elastic, when clothing was held up by drawstrings, every woman's work basket contained several

bodkins. They were made from a variety of materials, from wood and ox bone to sterling silver. Antique bodkins are collectors items.



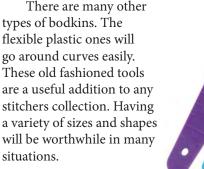
Most stitchers use a large safety pin

when they want to pull a piece of elastic or a cord through a casing. A safety pin usually works, but they are not always the right size and occasionally come open while in use. A bodkin's length makes the job go much faster. Place the safety pin crosswise on the other end of the elastic to prevent it from being pulling into the casing.

These flat plastic bodkins are called elastic threaders and prevent the elastic (or ribbons) from twisting when being inserted. They look and work just like the antique silver ones.

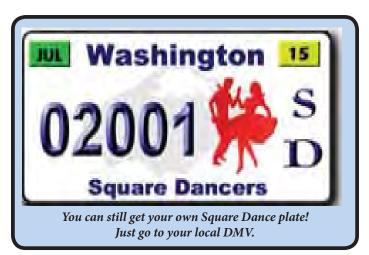
Bodkins

The tweezers type grips the elastic when the ring is pushed down to tighten. This is very helpful for a cord or elastic that is too bulky to be doubled over.











SOLO CORNER Marsha Sullivan solo@dosido2go.com

In talking to different club callers and to dancers in general, there are a lot of different opinions regarding the process of solo dancers attending regular club dances with regard to getting on the floor without a partner. It would seem that the world of solo dancing has evolved in much of the same manner as allowing women to work outside of the home.

I had the wonderful experience of discussing this with a veteran dancer who has always, until very recently, danced only with her husband. If she was asked to dance, she would refuse, and explain that she was with her husband. I didn't ask if her husband felt the same, but I suppose he did, and that had probably been their practice for 70 or more years. As they aged, and he was less able to dance more than one tip without needing to rest, she would sit with him, and continue to refuse offers from other dancers, answering that "If he is sitting out, then I am sitting out." The other dancers missed seeing them on the floor until someone came up with the idea, that although she may not want to dance with a grown man, maybe she wouldn't mind a young boy. One of the 13-year-olds asked her if she would please dance the next tip with him, as he didn't have a partner. Because she is a kind lady, and liked the kid, she agreed. That tip helped to change her opinion on whether or not she should be dancing with only her husband. Today she is happily dancing every tip, different partner in each, while her husband comes to the dances to sit and watch, feeling part of the social group they have spent so many happy years with, even though he can no longer join in a tip.

Many of our dancers find themselves in the situation of needing to fill in a tip with a different partner if their spouse or significant other is unable to get on the floor. Because this has become so common, there are very few clubs left that expect dancers to come only as a couple, and dance only as a couple. As such, we find that if a couple decides to sit out a tip, but there is a dancer on the floor that does not have a partner, then either the man or the woman will gladly go to the aid of the square and dance that tip.

As we were discussing this evolution at Elmer's (on the third Wednesday, a group of dancers meet for lunch), many stories came out about clubs that were formerly couples only. It seems that only dancing with your partner doesn't keep people from being attracted to their corner (or their opposite).

January is the month that our September students are graduating. Congratulations to all of you, and we are looking forward to seeing you in a square, with or without a partner.

Marsha Sullivan







YOUTH COORDINATOR Caleb Hatch 206-227.7184 caleb@hatch.net

A re you a youth square dancer in the state of Washington between the ages of 16 and 21 that will be seeking a postsecondary education in the fall? Then this message is for you!

The Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington is accepting applications for the \$1000 Timothy Dale Boggs Memorial Youth Scholarship. Three awards are given out annually at the state festival in June. Just fill out the application and send it in before April 30th! Required documents are listed on the application. You can find the application in this issue of Footnotes magazine and on http:// www.squaredance-wa.org/. Click the "Awards" tab on the left and scroll down to the Youth Scholarship Award.

Mail application, summary, cover letter and one or more letters of recommendation to:

Timothy Dale Boggs Memorial Scholarship

c/o Caleb Hatch 4102 SW 328th St. Federal Way, WA 98023

Or email to youthcoordinator@hatchbrothers.dance

Questions? Please e-mail me at youthcoordinator@hatchbrothers.dance

Please share this information with all the youth in your clubs and councils!

Thank you! Caleb



Square Dancing is Friendship Set to Music!

TIMOTHY DALE BOGGS YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP

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

Please send donations to:

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

Attn:

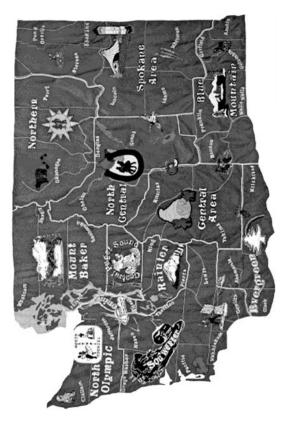
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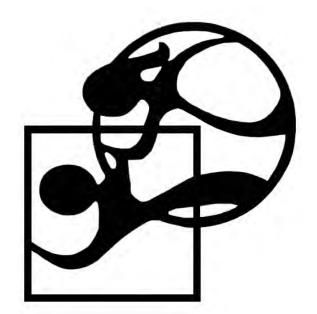
Scholarships are awarded at the Washington State Square & Folk Dance Festival held in June each year. Monies are paid directly to the winner's college or trade school.



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

For more information, go to <u>www.squaredance-wa.org</u> Federation is a 501 c 3 not for profit.

Timothy Dale Boggs Memorial Youth Scholarship



Supporting our Leaders of Tomorrow!

Square and Folk Dance Federation of Washington, Inc.

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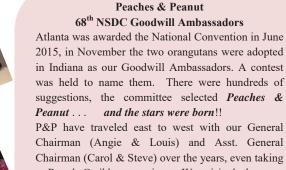
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Email:



68th NSDC Convention / June 26-29, 2019





a Royal Caribbean cruise. We visited the new Atlanta Braves Baseball stadium and attended a game. P&P have been photographed at some breathtaking locations and with some amazing people over the years. P&P danced with a visiting group of Japanese dancers at Pride Resort in North Carolina.

In Fall of 2016, the baby orangutans were introduced on our Ways & Means table. This saved P&P from being kidnapped by toddlers.

P&P even met some of their distant cousins at a NEC Advisors meeting... Uncles Lee & John and Grandpa Lee who Peanut favors.

The 68th NSDC Peach Pits have had a blast sharing Peaches & Peanut all over the country at many festivals and conventions.



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Having a great winter. The 69th National Square Dance Convention has been working hard for you. As of now we only have 570 registered, 87 are from Washington. Are you one of the 87? If not you can to to www.69nsdc.org and click on the registration tab and download the form or you can fill it in from there. Right now, it is \$50.00. It will go up to \$60.00 after Pre-Convention which is the 6th-9th. of February 2019.

Come to the Pre-Convention-you will learn a lot. Support our local callers Dan Preedy & Steve Noseck with cuer Debbie Taylor at the Saturday night dance February 9th. We will also have Petticoat Junction Square Dance Shop there for you. Have also heard there may be a Bigfoot sighting.

If you don't want a specific job you can always volunteer time. Your club will earn money, if there is any after bills, if you volunteer to help. Go on to the Federation web site www.squaredance-wa.org then go to the links tab to see how the disbursement will work.

We sure hope to see you in Spokane for Pre-Convention in February. Hopefully the pass will be passable!



PARKER AWARD



Just being nominated for the Almon F. Parker award is a great honor. Receiving it was a humbling experience. We thank those who nominated us and having Dick & Charlene present it to us was the best.

We are certain that there are others who are deserving of this award.

Please submit nominations to: Doug & Priscilla Davis

18825 N. Dunn Rd. Colbert, WA 99005-5032

Or send email to: DDavisP@aol.com

From the Square & Folk Dance Federation of WA website http://www.squaredance-wa.org/awards.htm

The recipient of the "Inspirational Award" Cup has

been cited for having done an outstanding job of teaching and promoting folk dancing as a wholesome recreation of young and old alike. He/she is a member of the Folk Dance Federation of Washington and subscribes to its principles and the principles of folk dancing in general – that democracy and fair play are as important as having fun. He/she taught both European (International) and American dances to children (or young people) as well as adults.

Even if someone has been nominated in past years an updated nomination must be sent in again. Past nominations are not considered for the current year. All nominations must be received by April 1, 2019 for consideration.

69th National Pre-Convention Dance



Dan Preedy Caller

Steve Noseck Caller



Debbie and Paul Taylor Cuers

February 9, 2019 Spokane Convention Center-Room 100B Spokane, WA Pre-rounds 7:30pm Mainstream 8pm

Registration for 69th National Square Dance Convention in 2020 is required to attend pre-convention dance. Pre-convention dance is free with completed convention registration. Registration for the 69th national convention in 2020 can be done at the pre-convention dance.

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BC FESTIVAL 2019

BC Square & Round Dance Federation Thompson-Shuswap & Okanagan Square & Round Dance Associations



Co-hosted by Region 3, The Okanagan Square & Round Dance Assn.

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SALMON ARM '19 BRITISH COLUMBIA

Enclosed Indicate levels you would be willing to participate Community Fee Rounds IV Rounds III Rounds II Rounds V Clogging Contra Line Yes/No **Programming Preferences** Youth OPACING'S FINE IN REGION \square \square SALMON ARM 2019 Workshop - level: Total Received: _____ BRITISH COLUMBIA CANADA as caller, cuer or leader Mainstream Condensed Westcoast/ Basic First Name: Participant Plus Co-Chairpersons: Bill Morey 250-462-5217 & Jean Wood 250-833-9227 **A**2 A Community Rounds IV SPONSORED BY THE BC SQUARE & ROUND DANCE FEDERATION HOSTED BY THE THOMPSON-SHUSWAP & OKANAGAN SQUARE & ROUND DANCE ASSOCIATIONS Rounds III Rounds V Rounds II **BC FESTIVAL 2019 Registration Form** For Office Use Only: Date Received: Date Confirmation Sent: JULY 10TH - 14TH Participant Last Name: Indicate number of dancers for each: **Festival Dance Preferences** Mainstream Condensed Westcoast/ Contra Basic Plus **A**2 Ł PC/Zip: \$60 \$65 \$70 \$75 Trail-In & Trail-Out Dances not included Please send completed registration West Kelowna, BC V4T 4J3 Fees for 3-Day Main Festival Before December 31, 2018 payable to BC Festival 2019 1313 – 3833 Brown Rd May 1 to July 10, 2019 Jan 1 to Apr 30, 2019 Fees in Canadian Funds **BC Festival 2019** c/o Carla Gyle MAILING ADDRESS At the Door Prov/State: Per Dancer forms to: Street: Phone: Email: Club:

KIRKLAND MAN SASHAYS TO KEEP DEMENTIA AWAY



by Brian Calvert KOMO NewsRadio

Aired Friday, February 1, 2019 <u>https://komonews.com/news/local/kirkland-man-</u> <u>sashays-to-keep-dementia-away</u>

KIRKLAND, Wash. -- A local man is on a crusade against Alzheimer's Disease, in memory of his brother.

"He was getting very forgetful," Joe Bahr recalls, referring to his brother Marty. Before Marty passed away at the age of 58, he made a deal with Joe.

"He said, 'if I donate my brain to research, will you continue to do this, to find a cure? And it will make my life worth something.' And I said, 'you're on!' "Joe remembers.

That was years ago, and Joe has kept his word by moving his feet ever since. You see, Joe Bahr is a square-dancer, and he loves being a member of the Sky Valley Whirlwinds Square Dance Club. He dances for fun, and he dances for his brother.

Joe organizes yearly dances up and down the West Coast, each one a benefit for Alzheimer's research.

"In 2008, we brought in \$4,022.30," he recalls of that first fundraising dance.

Over a decade later, Joe has raised over \$50,000, much of it benefiting The Alzheimer's Disease Research Center at the University of Washington, where Joe works closely with Doctor Thomas Grabowski.

"We think highly of him," Grabowski tells KOMO News. "He's a model of commitment." The good doctor is also pleased with the way Joe Bahr raises research dollars. Grabowski says square dancing is a good workout for a brain fighting with dementia.

"There's special processing that happens, task switching, a lot of mental flexibility that's required to follow the caller," Grabowski says.

That's the technical side of this story. Here comes Joe's heart:

"I'm not only doing it for Marty, but I'm doing it for every soul walking on this Earth," Bahr says. "It is a nasty disease."

His goal is to host more fundraising dances across the country.

There are several dances coming up soon, including one on February 24th at the Juanita Community Center in Kirkland. For more information on this and other dances to raise money for local dementia research, visit the website RememberToDance.org.

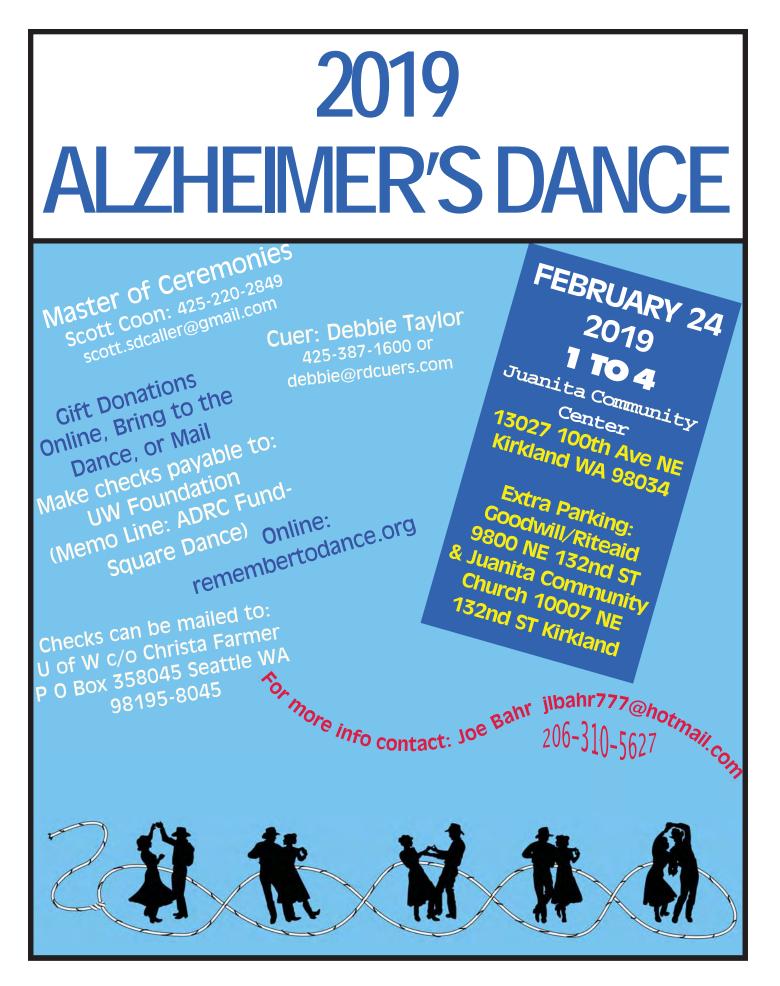
"There is a cure for Alzheimer's," Joe adds. "We just have to find it."

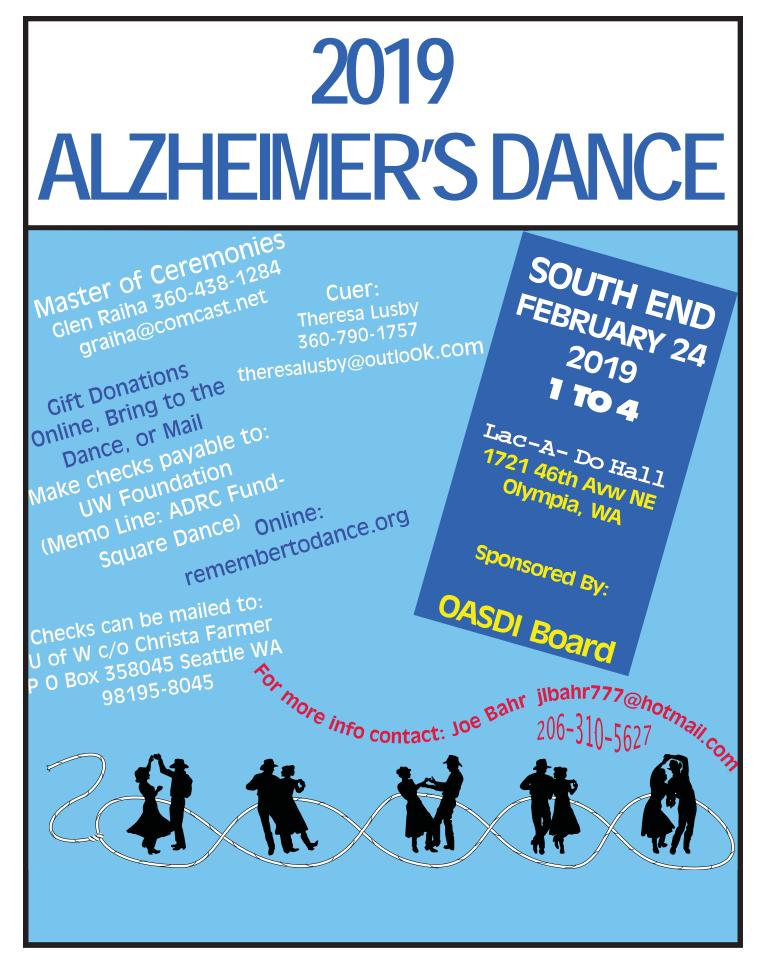
Respectfully, Joe Bahr



Alzheimer's Disease Research Center









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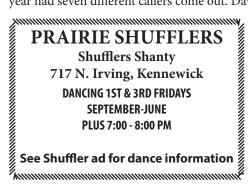
BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL Area Reporter Fran Delozier

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The next **BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL** meeting will be at 1 pm, on Saturday, March 30, 2019. The meeting will be followed by a Council dance, hosted by the Muddy Frogs and held at the Shufflers Shanty in Kennewick, Washington, at 2:30 pm. The caller will be Scott Coon and the cuer will be Bill Holm. All are welcome to join us. The weather in the TriCities should be spring-like by then, and with the dance during the early afternoon, most can drive in the daylight. We will be advertising this dance in the Footnotes for the next two months.

Wow, the **PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS** opened the new year with a bang! After having a great holiday season, our first dance of the year had seven different callers come out. Dave Boggs, and our



newest caller to the area, George Knox, Tina Allaway MC, Jim Swanson, Paul Gonseth, Bill Holm(cuer) and Daron Tandberg. The floor was rocking all night long. Thanks to all. Tina generously

donated the proceeds to the club. Thank You Tina.

Our schedule is full with great callers. Check our schedule or call with questions. (509) 308-1925. We dance the first and third Fridays most months. Plus is at 7pm, followed by mainstream from 8-10pm. We start out in February with Doug (Priscilla) Davis, who is always entertaining. On Feb 15, our new comer to the area, George Knox will call. George, along with his wife Martha, have been calling for many years, coming to us from California. We hope everyone will come out and give him a big welcome. Bill (Karen) Holm will cue our dances. Thank You Bill. Keep dancing-- it's good for your health, both mental and physical. Hope to see you on the dance floor.

MELODY MIXERS Round Dance Club continues to dance on Tuesday evenings at the Shufflers Shanty. Advanced dancing is from 5:30 to 6:30 pm, beginning waltz from 6:30 to 7:30, and open dancing by request or short workshops on new or infrequently used steps from 7:30 to 9 or 9:30. A beginning Slow 2-Step workshop started on January 15 in the 5:30 to 6:30 time slot. All Round Dancers are welcome to join us. Dancing is \$5 per week. On the second Tuesday of each month, we typically forgo lessons and have a party dance, with shared refreshments and dance requests welcomed. Bill and Karen Holm provide the cueing and lessons for Melody Mixers.

TRI-CITY CIRCULATORS enjoy Plus Dancing every Thursday, from 6 to 8 pm at the Eagles in Kennewick. Tacos are available for \$2. Anyone interested should contact Thelma at 509-539-2660.

The **MUDDY FROGS** will celebrate their anniversary with a dance on Sun., February 17, from 2:00-4:00 at the Milton-Freewater Community Building, with Jim Swanson calling. A potluck dinner will follow. Hope to see your smiling faces at our anniversary dance! Lessons have been suspended for now,

with a possibility of restarting in February. It is planned to continue to have 3rd Sunday dances each month at the Community Building.

MUDDY FROGS SQUARE DANCE CLUB

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



This 4 foot x 8 foot banner was hand painted by Tina and Chloe Allaway and hangs proudly in the Shuffler Shanty



BLUE MOUNTAIN COUNCIL



Sunday -

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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

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Contact: Jonnie Jenquin 509-628-0354 or jenquin.uj@gmail.com

PRAIRIE SHUFFLERS CALLER SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 2018 to JULY 2019

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

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 1ST

DOUG DAVIS

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 15th

DAN PREEDY

GEORGE KNOX

FRIDAY MARCH 15TH

FRIDAY MARCH 1ST

DARON TANDBERG

DARRELL KALMBACH

BMC COUNCIL DANCE MARCH 30TH w/ Scott Coons

FRIDAY APRIL 5

THURSDAY APRIL 11TH

MIKE SIKORSKY

FRIDAY APRIL 19TH

TOM CLYMER

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

SATURDAY: May 18th Anniversary Dances DAN NORDBYE & BILL HOLM Plus 3:00 Potluck 5:30 Pre-Rounds7:30 Mainstream 8:00

FRIDAY JUNE 7TH

ROB KRUM

BMC Dance JUNE 29TH?

SATURDAY JULY 20TH

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

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

PLUS WORKSHOP on Sundays 3-5 with DAVE BOGGS

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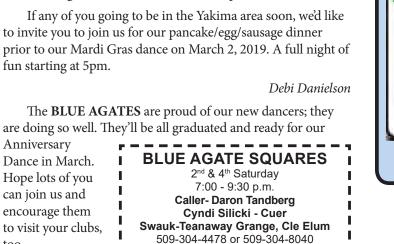
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stayed with it and we look forward to them graduating and becoming a vital part of our club. Be sure to invite your new students to go along when some of your members go visit hall by dancing in the square with them for some of the tips.

another club. Help them to feel at ease while dancing in a new Let's not forget what it's like to be a new square dancer.

way to show love Gateswingers@ Circle 8 Ranch and appreciation to 2nd Weekend In August others. Who knows, it might be catchy, and wouldn't that be a great thing? Our lessons are almost finished. All of our students have

Kay Mahan, CAC President you well and all the flu bug/sickness his been left far behind. Here it is: already the second

the love to family, friends and anyone you meet. Time passes so fast that we shouldn't miss any opportunity to do this. Wishing

Tappy Valentines Day and happy dancing from **CENTRAL**

AREA COUNCIL! February is a good month to spread

you safe and happy dance travels.

The **GATESWINGERS** are hoping this time of year finds

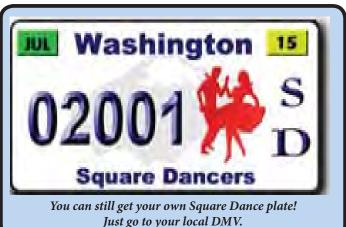
As to the Anniversary Dance, it will be March 23 at the beautiful Swauk-Teanaway Grange in Cle Elum. Our ad is somewhere in this edition, so check it out for the details. Tom Clymer and Don Jackson from the Wenatchee area will be calling and our own Cyndi Silicki cueing. Our theme is the 70's, so join in with appropriate attire if you wish.

Hope the worst of the weather is behind us. We've had quite a bit of snow, but then it warms up into the 40s and melts it all. Hasn't helped keeping the Pass open, it gets closed a lot, but it has helped our snowpack for summer irrigation water--a very important factor around here!

Meanwhile, hope you all have a special Valentine to take to a special dance. And don't ever miss a chance to tell those you love that you do.

Carel Edgerly

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The BOOTS & LACES have been busy with the usual Square/Round Dance Activities; Club Dances, Classes and Caravans. Our active members are small in numbers and we do the best we can. Class members have been learning more each week, having fun and are more at ease about their dancing abilities.

We will host another New Dancer dance on February 1st and invite other recent graduates or other newbies to attend and have fun with us. Graduation will take place soon.

Members donated many toys at our December 7th dance and were taken to the local Fire Station to be given to local families with children in need.

On December 21st, we had a great time with Craig Abercrombie as our Caller. He used Christmas music all evening and used different combination of moves to keep us on our toes as long as the dancers were listening and not anticipating what might be called. Cuer, Debbie Taylor continues to do a great job and we had a few more round dancers on the floor. We had three squares on the floor most of the time and enjoyed having guests from local clubs plus a couple from Wenatchee and one from Spokane.

We are looking forward to Spring, flowers blooming and warmer temperatures. Join us if you are in the area. We dance at Meridian Grange at 15422 SE 272nd, Kent, WA 908042.

Jan Emerson for Pat Hoot, hootpnr@yahoo.com

Happy New Year from **JACKS and JILLS**! It's that time of year when teens competing in square dancing begin to think desperately about selling their badges. Every year, a different colored round button badge is released to be sold by the teen clubs entering Competition. The purpose of these badges are not only to be a fundraiser, but they're also tickets to get into PNTSDF (Pacific Northwest Teen Square Dance Festival) to be held in Silverton, Oregon the first weekend of May. This button is also a ticket to attend the dance the night before Competition.

Even if you are not competing, you can most definitely still come to Competition and watch. If you're not interested in watching, your support by buying a badge is still appreciated. Each competing teen has to sell a minimum of 10 badges. If you hear an announcement at a local dance, feel free to buy a button badge! You can receive one for a minimum donation of \$2, but if you wanted to really blow our socks off, buying more badges is welcome!

Ava DeBusschere, sunshinesparklee@gmail.com

Come and dance with the **JET STEPPERS** at our two dances in February. Our "President's" dance will be on February 2nd and our "Sweethearts" dance will be February 16th. Our club looks forward to Caravaning to the Pi-R Squares Spaghetti Feed dance on February 9th. We dance at the Cedar Grange in Maple Valley with Chuck Martin as our Caller and Linda Nold as our Cuer.

Dave Smith, daves787@comcast.net

The **PI-R SQUARES** would like to welcome you to our annual Spaghetti Feed Dinner/Valentine Dance on Saturday,

February 9th at the Meridian Grange in Kent at 6:15 for the Dinner and 7:00 pm for the Round Dance workshop with Kyle Quande and 7:30 to 10:00 for the Student Level Dance. Please bring your students and all will have a great time at the Dinner and Dance.

Pi-R-Squares Dance Club 2nd & 4th Saturday at Meridian Grange 15422 SE 272nd St Kent, WA 7:30-10pm MAINSTREAM Come early for our 7-7:30pm: PLUS Dance—Sept 8th ROUND Dance Teach—Sept 22nd Caller: Andy Garboden Cuer: Kyle Quande

We hope Andy Garboden will be the

caller that evening unless he has not recovered enough from his knee replacement surgery in January or some other caller if Andy is not available who will show you and your students a great time. The Wagon Wheels are caravaning to us for this dance and they always have a great time and are fun dancers!

Our February 23rd dance with Andy and Kyle will be a mainstream dance with the Samena Squares joining us. Plus dancing is from 7:00 pm with mainstream from 7:30 to 10:00.

Just a reminder that our "69th" Anniversary Dance on Saturday, March 23rd, will be a great dance at the Meridian Grange in Kent. Andy and Kyle will help us celebrate this special event. Please come to this dance and enjoy yourself. An update on one of our members, Jean Huffman, who as of this writing is in the process of moving into an assisted living facility as her back and legs are giving her trouble. We ask for your prayers and good thoughts that might able Jean to move back to her home and feel more comfortable and safe again. Good luck Jean.

Keep square dancing and have fun doing whatever you plan or not plan.

Terry & Marilyn Quinnett, mvjunkdealer@juno.com

February brings a time of dance and romance, warming many hearts and countering the chilly air outside. **WAGON WHEELS** Square Dance Club will be warming things up with two fun dances and a caravan. Square and Round dance lessons continue too. Help us heat things up and join us at the Kent Meridian Grange on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month. Dances start at 7:30 pm and go to 10:00 pm with a Plus tip at 10 if there are enough Plus dancers. At 7:00 pm, on the first Saturday, Lorraine Rouse, our Cuer with the assist of her husband John, will hold a workshop and Rob Sax, our Caller, will hold a square dance workshop at 7:00 pm on the 3rd Saturday. Potluck is served at the break at every dance.

February 2nd: TEAM SPIRIT DANCE - Its Super Bowl time so here is your chance to celebrate your favorite team. Wear your favorite sports team attire, score some points with your fellow dancers and get ready for the Super Bowl the next day. Our Club will be holding a bi-annual business meeting for members only prior to this dance.

February 16th: SWEETHEART DANCE - Love is in the air as we dance the day after Valentine's Day, so bring your warm heart, do lots of dancing and maybe a little romancing?! There is always a warm glow at the Kent Meridian Grange as we square up together for more fun and frolic.

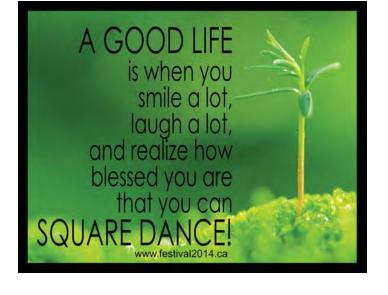
February 9th: CARAVAN TO PI-R SQUARES - Club members will caravan to Pi-R Squares for their annual Spaghetti Feed dance at Kent Meridian Grange. Please give us a chance to square up with you at this dance and help support the Pi-R's.

Wagon Wheel members had a fun month of January with our Hangover Pajama Dance, wearing crazy, casual and comfortable pajamas to help get dancers over their New Year's over indulgences. The Club, founded in 1968, celebrated our "51st" Anniversary on January 19th with our elegant Black and White Dance; yes, the "Wheels Keep Rolling on at Wagon Wheels"!

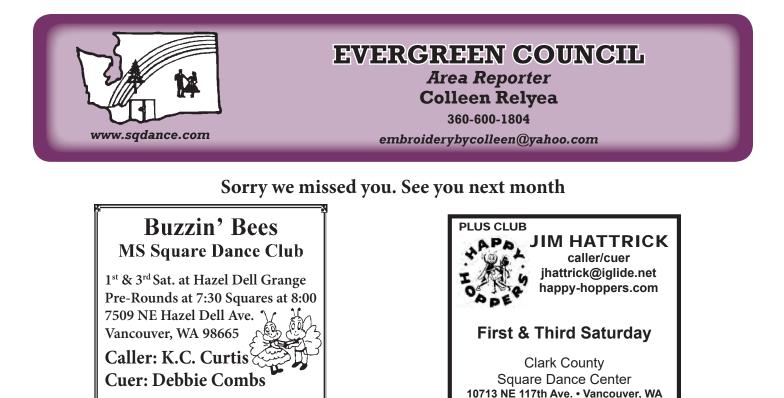
A new session of Basic Square Dance lessons started in January, as well as a second class of Mainstream Dance lessons so our Club is working to increase the square dance family, so vital to the future of our activity.

We hope to square up with you on the dance floor and help us spread the warmth of fun and friendship in our square dance community in this wintery month of February.

Geri Kraft, pinefox@comcast.net







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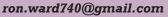
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R Square D – Feb 23-8:00PM (7:00PM PLUS) Kelso Senior Center, Kelso

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MOUNT BAKER COUNCIL Area Reporter Ronald A. Ward





The MOUNT BAKER COUNCIL ended 2018 with three different NY Eve dances at widely divergent locations, each targeted to a different audience: new square dancers, high-level round dancers, and experienced mainstream and plus dancers -- something for everyone. And now that we've reached February, our dance themes reflect the weather (e.g. Snowflake and Frosty Frolic), special occasions or celebrations (Valentines and President's Day), and perhaps outside-thelines dances (Hobo, Sports Jersey, We love Disney, and Thrift Shop Boogie)!

In the teaching arena, many mainstream students have recently graduated and are moving to "strengthening" or "booster" workshops; some clubs are starting new mainstream classes with a free dinner and first lesson; and other clubs are offering plus workshops and even plus level- dances. Again, the focus is on providing something appropriate for everyone. And in the special category department, we offer the 11th annual Alzheimer's dance on February 24 to support research efforts. Eleven club reports follow to extend specific invitations to dance with us.

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The **STANWOOD SASHAYERS** welcomed in the new year 2019 dancing at the New Year's Eve Gala. We then opened the season by moving our dance nights to the first Saturday of each month.

February 2, 2019 is our Hobo dance: come out with your stories and your old carpet bags to enjoy a night riding the rails and escaping from the flatfeet.

March 2, 2019 brings back our Elvis Chicken Dinner dance. Come and reminisce with the songs of the King. Dino Macris will be gracing our ears with his voice and moves. Get your tickets from a Sashayer soon before they sell out. Tickets are available for Dinner, dance and show for \$18. The dinner and show alone are only \$12. If you can only make the dance, come and swivel your hips to our Jailhouse rock

Lonny Graff, blgj@wwdb.org

The **FREEWHEELERS** first dance for 2019 was our "Snowflake Dance" on January 6th with Debbie Taylor and Roger Spiese. This is one of Debbie's favorite dances since she loves everything snow related. The music was wonderful and in the spirit of the theme. On January 20th we hosted a Plus "Sports Jersey Night" with guest caller Stephen Cole and cuer Debbie Taylor. Lots of teams were represented by our guests and members. Our "New Dancer" class continued on Jan. 2nd [after a brief holiday break] at Cedar Valley Grange from 7 - 9 pm. We invite other new dancers to join us if they would like some additional dance time with our caller Spyder Webb.

Normally our first dance in February would be on the 3rd but since it is Super Bowl Sunday we have decided to cancel our dance so that all of you can enjoy watching the game. Our only dance in February will be on the 17th when we celebrate President's Day with a pie and ice cream social. Gary Monday will be calling this Plus dance and Debbie Taylor will be cueing.

Please remember to support the 11th Annual Alzheimer's Benefit Dance on Sunday, February 24th to be held at the Juanita Community Center in Kirkland from 1 - 4 pm. There will be quite a lineup of callers and cuers volunteering their time, and of course your donations go to a very worthy cause. Yellow Rocks!

Ruth Jester, ruthjester@frontier.com

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

Our next dance will be a Tropical-themed Plus dance with Steve Noseck calling and Debbie Taylor cueing on February 23 at the Juanita Community Club in Kirkland.

Please join us! Check us out at CascadeCrossfires.org

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

The **HAPPY HOPPERS** dance the second and fourth Sunday each month at the Stillaguamish Senior Center in Smokey Point. Pre-Plus is 6:00-6:30 and Mainstream with Rounds 6:30-9:00p.m. On February 10 the Happy Hoppers have our Thrift Shop Boogie (mix and match attire) Student Level Dance with Gary Monday and Caron Grasso. On February 24 we have our Frosty Frolic with Adam Cristman calling and cueing.

Our class graduates on February 11. We ask that you welcome all new graduates as they step out into the world of Mainstream square dancing. Again this year the Happy Hoppers will follow our lessons with four "Mainstream Strengthening" workshops featuring Steve Noseck, beginning February 18. This is a great set of workshops for new graduates or anyone who would like to improve their Mainstream dancing skills. Times and location are the same as our lessons: Monday evenings 7-9 p.m. at Totem Middle School in Marysville. Check our website for more information on the workshop and other Happy Hoppers activities: www.happyhoppers.org.

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

The **DUDES & DOLLS** February dances are Friday Feb. 8th, "Will you be our Valentine?," and Friday Feb. 22nd, "When the Saints go Marching in."

The Fern Bluff Squares are our In-coming caravan for our Mardi Gras themed Feb. 22nd dance. Our one Outgoing caravan for February is Sat. Feb. 23rd to the Cascade Crossfires with Steve Noseck calling.

Our 1st Booster Workshop for new dancers on Tuesday Jan. 22nd with Scott Coon, went well. We have another Booster Workshop on Tuesday Feb. 12th.

Our Flourish Workshop on Tuesday Jan. 29th with Gary Monday really got everyone excited about embellishing their dancing. The 2nd Flourish Workshop is Tuesday Feb. 5th with Gary Monday.

Our Right Hand/Left Hand dancers Workshop starts on Tuesday Feb. 19th, and the 2nd class is on Tuesday Feb. 26th with Scott Coon. This class will help you understand dancing from your partner's position.

D & D collected \$217.00 at their Veterans Day Dance and added \$300.00 from their Treasury to make a total of \$517.00 that they donated to Fisher House. Four D & D members met and personally delivered the \$517.00 to Fisher House at the V.A. Hospital in Seattle on Beacon Hill. Vicki Lieske, vbluec@ hotmail.com

SKY VALLEY WHIRLWINDS started lessons in January. As usual the first night was free and featured a free dinner in advance. The club will be focusing on advertising thru social media this year. There are many neighborhood sites online now so we will be posting there. We will also be taking a poll of new students to see how they heard about lessons. All of us want to know what works best and what doesn't. We will share what we learn.

Tammy Comeau, Tcomeau05@msn.com

WOODINVILLE SQUARE CROWS: The Square Crows are hoping everyone had a wonderful and safe New Year! Our February dance is the 15th -- A 50's All Singing Call Dance. Scott Coon and Karen Neverdowski will be on stage. Dust off that poodle skirt (if you can find it) and get those brown and white oxford shoes polished up and join the fun. We'll start at 6:45 PM with a refresher workshop; Rounds start at 7:30 and Mainstream at 8:00. Our lessons, which started Jan. 8, are in full swing at the Horseshoe Grange in Snohomish. We welcome any and all angels who can come out, especially new dancers who would like to refine their skills! Like I always say "a girl can't have too many diamonds and square dancers can't have too many lessons/refreshers!" We look forward to a great year in our new home at the Maltby Community Club and we would love to see everyone at our dances this year!

Lynn Von Seggern, lynnvs@cablespeed.com

SAMENA SQUARES had so much fun in December. It was an excellent opportunity for the class to meet members who aren't available to be angels. One of those ways was through our Christmas party. Our meal was catered by Olive Garden and was delicious. Once again, we had an ugly sweater contest and newcomer Dan Estes was definitely the winner. I wouldn't be surprised if his wife, April, wasn't far behind in votes. We were pleased to have former members Mike and Susan Muhm visit from Oregon, and also former member Ellen Davis came over from Spokane. During the gift exchange, we were up to our usual shenanigans with stealing. Who would have thought a singing pickle would have been so popular!

We had eleven squares attend the New Years Eve party. Callers Dave Harry and Susan Morris provided a great night of dancing. Unlike last year, our restrooms were working, and despite a number of wind storms at this time of year, power stayed on. It was a calm evening and a good time to celebrate with close friends.

Lessons are going along well. Of course it is always difficult to have that break over the holidays, but the students came back and remembered everything and got back into the swing of things quite well. It was a very positive night.

We hope you will be able to join us in March as Roger Spiese calls for our "Lucky Charms" (St. Patrick's Day) dance and Jim Hattrick calls for our "Red Nose" Dance. Contributions will be accepted for various Red Nose charities at that dance. These are charities that raised support for programs that ensure children in need are safe, healthy, and educated.

Barbara Hubert, hubertones@hotmail.com

The **MOUNT BAKER SINGLES** held their first ever themed Jamaican January Dance on January 11, 2019 when our incoming caravan, Skagit Squares, warmed up with the return of pre-rounds with Bob & Linda Berka before dancing some reggae square dancing with Dave Harry. Our 3rd tip mixer focused on things Jamaica is famous for such as Bob Marley and Usain Bolt.

The Mount Baker Singles and the Skagit Squares cosponsored a new beginning mainstream class on January 8 at the Mount Vernon Senior Center between 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., while our new dancers from the beginning September class started learning the final mainstream moves from 8:30 to 9 p.m.

On January 23 several of the Mount Baker Singles, who became honorary members of the Fogcutters after completing the plus level program taught by Gary Monday, attended the first of twice a month plus workshops again sponsored by the Fogcutters and taught by Gary Monday.

The Mount Baker Singles celebrated their 35th anniversary in January, but due to possible inclement weather

such as that white fluffy stuff, the celebration dance isn't until March when Dave & Bonnie Harry bring their "a-live sound" to the Skagit Valley Grange dance floor on March 8. The club's original objective was "to provide a friendly, positive square dance environment for singles to easily find dance partners and enjoy the fun of square dancing. Those club members comfortable with mixing are encouraged to keep the wall flowers (male and female) to a minimum." Since inception of the club there have not only been solo members, but couples & families enjoying membership in the club as well and everyone is welcome to our dances.

Happy Valentine's Day and for those attending the Aloha State Square Dance Festival, like I am, may you have a great time and enjoy the Hawaiian breezes.

Gini Johnson, danceinmv@comcast.net

RAINBOW SQUARES kicks off February with our famous "We ♥Disney" Dance with Brent calling all Disney tunes, and Amanda Mawdsley cueing, on February 9th. We welcome Skagit Squares caravanning in for this dance.

On February 23rd is Rainbow's "Perfectly Purple Mardi Gras" dance with dancers encouraged to wear Mardi Gras colors and masks. Our 10 students are progressing very well thanks to Oren Gaskill, Teacher/Caller for Rainbow, and they have been attending some of the local level dances.

Lew Gaskill, olgaskill@comcast.net

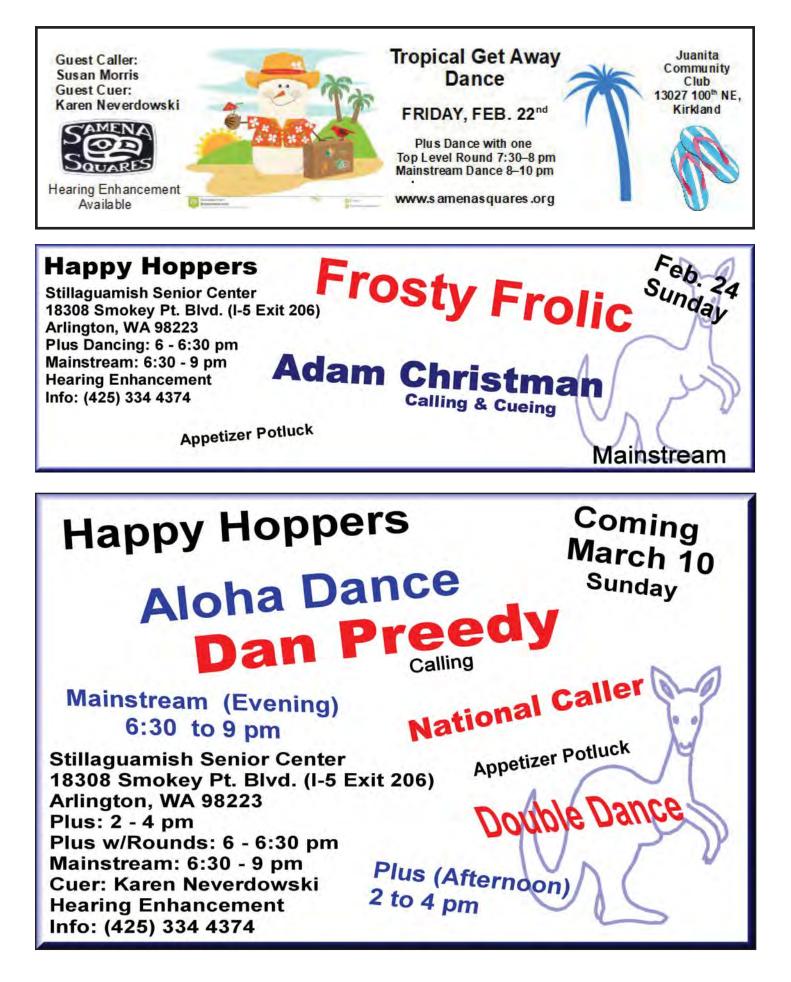
The **FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS** started off the New Year by hosting the New Year's Eve Gala, sponsored along with three other clubs: Rainbow Squares, Skagit Squares, and Stanwood Sashayers. This is the 20th consecutive year the clubs in the North End of our Council have held such a dance. Stephen Cole and Bob Berka called and cued, respectively. Throughout January we then caravanned to two clubs in the Council, hosted our annual Red and Purple dance with guest caller Anne Uebelacker from Ontario, Canada, and started a series of Plus workshops with Gary Monday.

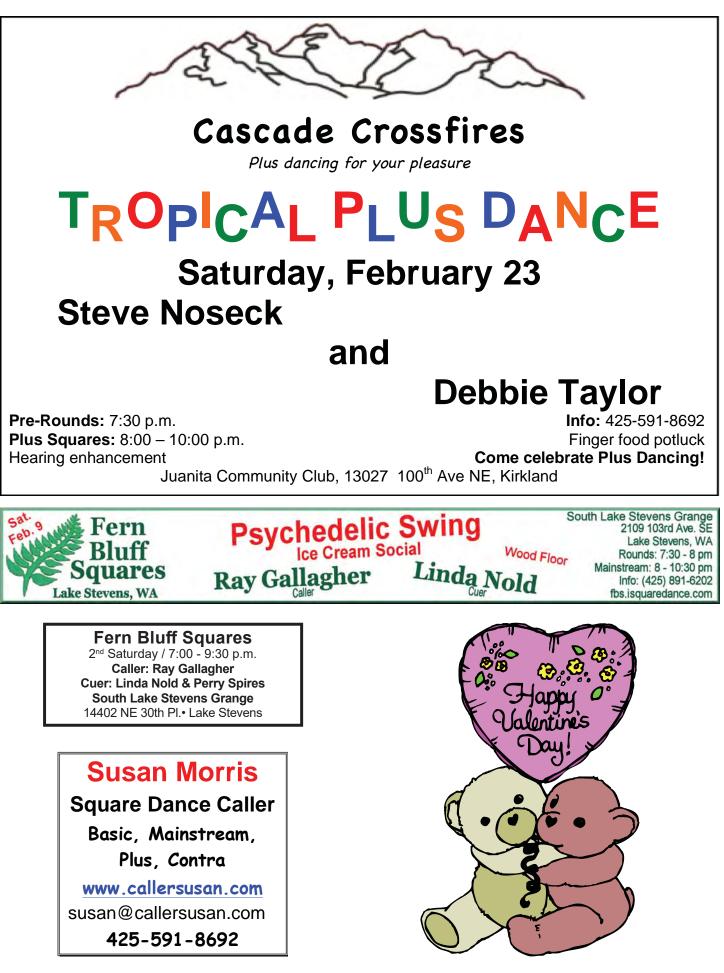
In February, we will host a 3rd Friday Plus dance with guest caller Don Wood, caravan to the Dudes & Dolls for their "When the Saints go Marching in" dance with caller Scott Coon and cuer Debbie Taylor, and continue our 2nd and 4th Wednesdays Plus workshops with Gary Monday. Our Club cuer-couple for all our dances is Bob & Linda Berka; we dance at the Skagit Valley Grange in Sedro Wooley; and offer workshops at the Masonic Hall in Mt. Vernon.

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February 2019

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DUDES AND DOLLS / Mainstream / 2nd, 4th, some Cedar Valley Grange, Lynnwood	5th Friday - 7:00-10:30 PM Scott Coon/Debbie Taylor	425 337-2906
FERN BLUFF SQUARES / Mainstream / Family, 2nd South Lake Stevens Grange, Lake Stevens		425 981-6202
FIDALGO FOGCUTTERS / Plus / 3rd Friday - 7:00-10 Skagit Valley Grange, Sedro-Woolley	:00 PM Guest Callers/Bob Berka	360 766-6729
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HAPPY ROUNDERS / Rounds, Phase 3 & 4, Tuesday The Hayloft, Lynnwood	- 7:30-9:30 PM Randy Preskitt	206 365-8095
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SAMENA SQUARES / Mainstream, 2nd & 4th Friday Juanita Community Club, Kirkland	- 7:30-10:00 PM Guest Callers/Cuers	206 271-0654
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WHIRLYBIRDS / Mainstream, 1st Friday (Floor Leve The Hayloft, Lynnwood	el) & 2nd Saturday - 7:30-10:30 PM Dave Harry/Roxanne Boelter	425 347-3847
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CASCADE TWIRLERS welcomed 2019 with "A Slice of American Pie" dance on January 5th! If the rest of the 2019 dances are as much fun as this dance was you won't want to miss a single dance. In addition to delicious pie at the end of the dance, there was lots of fun and frivolity ! Caller Don Jackson creatively maneuvered the men into the women's position and the men had so much fun trying this out that they gave a second try to conclude the dance.

February 2nd we are having a Ground Hog Breakfast dance with Buds and Blossoms. We look forward to seeing you at the dance/breakfast (breakfast served after the dance at a reasonable cost).

Cascade Twirlers will cancel their February 16th dance and instead will caravan to the Blue Agates on February 23rd for their very popular Soup Supper dance,

March 2nd will find us celebrating 4 x 8s anniversary!

We will be back at the East Wenatchee grange on Saturday, March 16th for our 70th anniversary dance which will feature Greg and Sue Weber and Black Lights. Randy and Shelia Ogle have been traveling the state and beyond inviting dancers to come and celebrate with Cascade Twirlers. You will want to be there, chances are you may see some square dancing friends you may not have seen for a while.

Sandy Briggs

All of at the **4X8S** hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a safe and dance full New Year!

We have had some wonderful dances last month. Our first dance of the month was Larry (Cynda) Clark, and Noelle Miller. It was a fun dance.

Our Christmas party was a wonderful event with lots of food games and fellowship. We got to visit with new friends and class members and others we don't get to see very often.

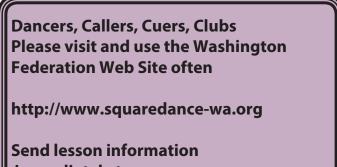
The second dance of the month was Kris (Margaret) Kiser calling, and Kathryn (Tom) Jones Cueing. The club president, Jack Roberts made a puzzle box and presented it to Kris Kiser with his calling fee Locked inside. Key? Key? Who has the key? Then when the key was "found" there was still a puzzle as to how to get into the box. What fun! Kathryn cued all Christmas rounds at the Christmas dance. It was wonderfully festive.

Patti Roberts

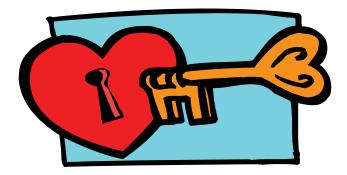
On January 12th the **WHEATLAND WHIRLERS** had a friendship evening with soup potluck and game. The game was SPOONS and we were able to play at one table, great fun. The soups were exceptional. It is nice to be able to get together and visit and get to know each other and what has been happening in our lives. On a sad note a long time member passed away on Friday the 11th, Jim Eaton has been active in our club until this last year. He will be missed. Our Prayers are with June February 9th Dave and Sharon Boggs will be calling and cueing our Sweet Heart dance. Dave met and proposed to Sharon at our dance many years ago and has been calling and cueing every February since. They are a fun couple.

February 23rd, Paul Gonseth will be calling for us and we are looking forward to another great dance with him. We continue to dance 2nd and 3th Saturday, at Ephrata Senior Center and love to have visitors from in and out of the area.

Happy dancing to all. Noelle Miller



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

Moses Lake 4x8's - Mainstream

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

Plus Bunch – Plus Level

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

Wheatland Whirlers - Mainstream •

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

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What is happening at the NORTH OLYMPIC COUNCIL in February you might ask??

- 1. Round and Mainstream lessons every Tuesday evening at the Gardiner Community Center. 6:30 pm Rounds with Janolyn Keller and 7:30pm Mainstream lessons with Thell Rooney.
- 2. Friday, February 1st, our only Club dance for the month of February. Pre-rounds at 6:00, Mainstream Workshop at 7:00, with dancing from 7:30-9:30pm.
- 3. Thursday, February 14th, the 4PLUS4's are dancing A2 and PLUS to Kevin Thomaier at GCC.
- 4. The Rhody O's and 4PLUS4's are hosting the annual Mid-Winter Blues Chaser Dance Feb. 15th & 16th. See the FLIER in the February Footnotes.

ATTENTION BLUES CHASER ATTENDEES

On Monday, Jan. 15, 2019, the Blues Chaser Committee was informed of a problem with the Friday, Feb. 15, 2019 venue. We are working on an alternate location for just the Friday Night Trail in Dance. We will e-mail all pre-registered dancers with details and also get this change out to all the councils in the Federation. Please contact Mike at mbsteffen3@outlook.com or 541-404-0228 before arriving in Port Townsend. Dance time remains unchanged but there will be an adjustment to the location. All dance activities for Saturday, Feb. 16th are unchanged !! See the flier for Saturday activities. Please e-mail with any questions. Keep on dancing !!!

Trish Gaine fasolard@olypen.com



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FEDERATION TRAVEL CLUBS

We would love to come dance with you - *G<u>ive us a call</u> -*

- Ruff & Ruffles, Sou'Wester Council
 360-423-3463
- Poulsbo Promenaders, *Peninsula Council* 206-842-5147
 - Salty Sashayers, *Sou'Wester Council* 360-877-5907

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TBLUES CHASER			
Wooden Dance Floor Great Sound Throughout			
Jefferson County Fairgrounds, Port Townsend			
Saturday, Feb. 16, 2019 Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds			
KEVIN & IVNN & STEVE			
THOMAIER PELTOLA EDLUND II - IV Rounds 10:00 - 11:00 Plus WS / Dance 3:00 - 4:30			
MS Sq. Workshop 11:00 - 12:30 Dinner (on your own) 4:30 - 7:00 Lunch (on your own) 12:30 - 2:00 II - IV Pre-Rounds 7:00 - 7:30 II - IV Round Workshop 2:00 - 3:00 Mainstream Dance 7:30 - 9:30			
DECORATION Trail-In DANCE, Friday Night, Feb. 15, 2019			
Erickson Dance Hall, Jefferson County Fairgrounds Thomaier, Peltola, & Edlund Entertainers Hosts: Rhody O's & 4PLUS4's 6:30 Pre-Rounds, 7:00 MS Workshop, 7:30 - 9:30 Mainstream Dance			
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DIRECTIONS TO HALL AND LODGING INFORMATION ON BACK			



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

On January 7th the **PAWS AND TAWS** graduated their mainstream class. With a great turnout of members, council and Kitsap Square Dance Association (KSDA) to welcome them there was lots of fun. On January 14th a new mainstream class started.

Our regular two dances in January had good turnouts. Looking forward to what will come next month.

Leota Lewis - Leotal@msn.com

SQUARE STEPPERS' January dance was on the 12th and Gunter Monroe called for us. Gunter calls a fast pace

dance and kept us thinking and enjoying ourselves. Roger Spiese is calling for our Valentine's Day Dance on the 10th of February. Come join us.



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



between tips.

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

Barbara Pennington – bardeldry@gmail.com

ROUND SQUARES is ramping up plans for their next Memorial Day Campout – stay tuned.

Kitty Ogg – oggkitty@aol.com

GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS had a good dance on January 5th with the Calling and Cueing by Larry Small. Would have been a great dance if the same number of dancers

that came to our Teddy Bear Dance in December



could have made it. For those of us who were there, we all had fun. Looking forward to our second dance in January and our Birthday Dance on February 2nd.

John McGannon – jmtmcg@hotmail.com

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

Kitty Ogg – oggkitty@aol.com

SWEETHEART ROUNDS held their round dance lessons on January 3rd and 10th with beginning waltz from 7 – 8PM, waltz 3-4A from 8 – 9"M with Shawn Cavness as cuer/teacher.

Kitty Ogg – oggkitty@aol.com

CALLERS & CUERS held a student level dance on December 29th that would include the Basic classes that just graduated along with the mainstream class members. A great time was had by everyone. It is great to see the hall full with people enjoying the art of square dancing and also round dancing.

Kitty Ogg, oggkitty@aol.com

PENINSULA COUNCIL held their second "FUN NIGHT" of square dancing on January 11th. We had 18 prospective dancers show up for the fun night. Hope to see them come back for the mainstream class that Paws and Taws are starting on January 14th or Peninsula Council's 3rd session of Basic on January 16th.

Kitty Ogg, oggkitty@aol.com

KITSAP SQUARE DANCE ASSOCIATION had their first meeting of the year and elected board members who will take office in April. The current board was re-elected for another term. Chairman John Batchlor, Vice Chairman Mike Zeitner, Treasurer Dan Dubiak, Recording Secretary Jennifer Rooney, Corresponding Secretary Carol Zeitner and Parliamentarian Kitty Ogg.

The Second Life Clothing sale (used square dance clothes at great prices) is coming to our Hall on February 5th!

Kitty Ogg, oggkitty@aol.com

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

DUDES AND DOLLS	SQUARE STEPPERS
Mondays from 2nd Monday in Sept to 2nd Monday in June	2nd Saturday each month
Plus Dancing – 1-3PM	Plus Dancing – 7:30 - 10PM
Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst	Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst
Caller: Don Smith filling in for Willie Sewell	GUEST CALLERS
More info call: Russ Richardson – 360-373-1822	Caravans/Mystery Trips/Camping
	More info call: 360-377-9494
GIG HARBOR TWIRLERS	KITSAP SQUARE DANCE CENTER
1st Saturday each month except	Gorst (Bremerton)
1st & 3rd in January & 3rd Saturday in September	RV Camping; \$15.00 per Night
7:30-8PM Plus – 8-10PM Mainstream	For Square Dancers
Lessons, Student Level Dance, Mainstream & Rounds	Water & Electric Available
Caller: Roger Spiese, Cuers Carolyn & Larry Small	Come Dance the Gig Harbor Twirlers, ,
Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst	Paws & Taws , Dudes & Dolls Plus,
More info call: 360-692-3723	Rounds Squares & Square Steppers Plus
ROUND SQUARES	PAW AND TAWS
4th Saturday, 3rd Saturday December only	1st & 3rd Fri. September-June except March, 1st Fri. & 3rd Sat.
7:30-8PM Plus; 8-10PM Mainstream, Rounds	3rd Saturday only in July & August
Guest Callers	7:30-10PM Mainstream, Rounds, Plus Tip
Cuer: Joyce Sebree	Caller: Roger Spiese, Cuer, Shawn (Wendy) Cavness
Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst	Kitsap Square Dance Center, Gorst
Caravans-Mystery Trips-Camping \$15.00 per Night	Caravans-Mystery Trips-All Dancers Welcome
More info call: 360-307-8460	More info call: 360-930-5277





Multi-Council "Spring" Dance

Central Puget Sound, Peninsula, Rainier, & Sou'Wester present the



Saturday, March 30, 2019 7:30 –10:00 pm Caller: Ray Brendzy - Burnaby, B.C. Cuer: Roxanne Boelter - Lynnwood , WA **Pre-sale :** \$10 adults / \$8 youth (split-the-pot entry incl.) Mainstream w/single rounds & Plus "Finale"

KSDA Hall (Gorst)

6800 W. Belfair Valley Rd. Nood Floor, Cookies, Coffee Bremerton, WA 98312 (RV w/ hookups available arrange separately w/KSDA)



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RAINIER COUNCIL Area Reporter Doug Schafer 253-431-5156 schafer@pobox.com

RAINIER COUNCIL finished up 2018 with a very successful "pre-New-Years-Eve" dance. The Raise The Ball dance was well-attended, drawing dancers from all around the Sound. Two of the Hatch Brothers (Christian and Caleb) called the dance. The third member of the usual Hatch trio, Joshua, joined-in at the end for one last tip, prior to heading off for Basic Training, having volunteered for military service. Kyle Quande cued the rounds. By all accounts, it was a very enjoyable evening of dancing.

And now it's full steam ahead with 2019 priorities. On the immediate horizon is February's Big Dance, hosted on the 1st Saturday of the month by the South Sound Squares. A bit further out, we'll join with three neighboring councils to host the 3rd Annual Lollapalooza dance on the last Saturday in March.

The Rainier Rendezvous is, of course, the most notable of our 2019 priorities. It's 6 months out on the horizon, but that time will fly by as we prepare for this, the 67th WA State Square Dance Festival. If you haven't already registered, you are encouraged to do so sooner rather than later! Our council is the host council for the event, so a good showing of Rainier Council dancers will be greatly appreciated and will set a good example for other to follow.

It's going to be a heck of a year for our council! We hope you'll participate and help make it a successful one.

Lane Johnston, lanej@chessmenkastle.com

ROAMIN' TACOMANS are having three dances in February; two Plus dances, and one Mainstream and Plus dance (preceded by dinner). We will start off with our Valentine plus dance on February 9th with pre-Rounds at 7:30 and Plus dance fro 8 to10 pm.

Then we will have a special Sunday Plus dance on February 17th, with an earlier start time. The dance will be from 5:30 to 7:30 pm, and the theme is "I Wish It Were Spring."

Our last dance of the month will be on February 23rd. It's our annual " Baked Potato/Chili Feed" Mainstream dance. In addition to it being a chance to dance with all our Mainstream friends, it is also a fund-raiser for our club. For \$4 you can have baked potatoes with ALL the trimmings, homemade chili, cornbread, salad and dessert. For \$10 you can have dinner AND a dance. Dinner will start at 6:30. From 7 to 8 will be Plus, and from 8 to 10 it will be Mainstream. All our dances in February will be at our hall, 1705 Willow St. in Sumner. Our great caller, Tom Tomlinson will be calling and cueing. It's going to be a fun month with lots of dancing. See you at a dance.

Sharon Herman, tonysharherm@yahoo.com

SWINGNUTS are pleased to announce that we graduated over a dozen new Mainstream dancers at the end of January.

It's the largest graduating class we have ever had!

Our club dances every Thursday evening for beginners classes and workshops, and we hold a themed dance each month on the 3rd Saturday.



7-7:30 pm is "pre-Plus", and 7:30-9:30 pm is Mainstream with Rounds. We dance at the VFW hall at 1705 Willow Street, Sumner WA 98390.

The 3rd Saturday dance on February 16th is called "Love Story". Come and dance with Don and Marie Calling and Cueing. 7-7:30pm is Plus and 7:30-9:30 is Mainstream and Rounds. This Dance is at the Sumner VFW Hall.

We've begun having "Fun Shops" every Thursday starting at 7pm at the Sumner VFW hall. During the "workshop" portion of these weekly dance nights, we'll focus on introducing extended Mainstream applications to our recently graduated dancers in order to prepare them for the WA State Festival in June.

We welcome all to come and dance with us.

Gail Johnston, gailj@chessmenkastle.com

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

Dave Pearcy, skidave@comcast.net

BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES is a Mainstream club, and dances in East Tacoma, WA at Collins Grange. Regular dances

are held on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays each month. Greg Weber is the club caller and Lorraine Rouse is the club cuer. Check

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

WheresTheDance for times, details, and flyers.

Sandy Anderson, sandy@pobox.com

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

Lu Simmons, simmlu@yahoo.com

YOUNG BUNCH is a Mainstream club, predominantly focused on youth square dancing. The club dances in East Tacoma, WA at Collins Grange. Regular dances are held on the 2nd Friday each month. Mark Sebree is the club caller and Sue Weber is the club cuer. Check WheresTheDance for times, details, and flyers.

The February 8th dance will be a "Graduation Dance" with guest caller Kenny Freeman. The dance is being promoted as a Potato Potluck as well.

Leslie Dwyer Young, youngbunchsquaredance@gmail.com

SOUTH SOUND SQUARES is a Mainstream club, and dances in East Tacoma, WA at Collins Grange. Regular dances are held on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays each month. Jess Thomas is the club caller and the club cuer role alternates between Charles Morehead on the 1st Saturday and Shawn Cavness on the 3rd Saturday. Check WheresTheDance for times, details, and flyers.

The club will host February's Big Dance on the 1st Saturday (2/2/19) of the month.

Club Reporter position is currently open.

Other Rainier Council clubs/organizations include:

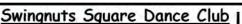
- **ROUSE-A-ROUNDS**
- NORTHWEST CALLERS ASSOCIATION



Roamin' Tacomans

Sumner VFW Hall 1705 Willow St., Sumner, WA

Caller/Cuer: Tom Tomlinson



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

ove Story February 16, 2019 7:00-7:30pm "pre-Plus" 7:30-9:30 MS w/Rounds Info: (253) 200-4566

Saturday, February 9, Valentine dance

Sunday, February 17, Wish it Were Spring

contact: Sharon Herman 206-510-1984

Saturday, February 23, Chili Baked Potato feed

New Dancers Welcome Caller: Don Wood Cuer: Marie Wood

7:30 pm to 8 pm pre-rounds, 8 pm to 10 pm Plus dance

7:00 pm to 8 pm Plus, 8 pm to 10 pm Mainstream



5:30 - 7:30 pm Plus

dinner starts at 6:30 pm





6:30 - 8:00 PM Phase II (presently Two Step Class) January we will be into Waltz's

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

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

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

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

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





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

MOND	ΑY		
WEDNE	Every	ROUSE-A-ROUNDS Lorraine & John Rouse	Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 6:30 Beginners, 8-9:30 Ph2/EZ3 Dance 4 th Monday, 7-10 (253) 846-8203 Lorraine Rouse
WEDNE	Every	EVERGREEN ROUNDS Tom Tomlinson	Sans Souci Mobile Estates (Puyallup, WA) 6:30-7:30 Teach, 7:30-10 Ph2-4 (253) 229-0443 Tom Tomlinson
THURSI	DAY		
	Every	SWINGNUTS Don & Marie Wood	Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA) 8-9:30 MS Dance w/Rds (253) 200-4566 Lane Johnston
FRIDAY			
	1 st	SPINNERS Greg & Sue Weber	Buckley Hall (Buckley WA) 7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10:30 MS/Rounds (360) 829-0251 Dave Pearcy
	2 nd	YOUNG BUNCH Mark Sebree/Sue Weber	Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rounds (253) 472-9092 Mark Seebree
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<u>371011</u>	1 st	NW CALLERS ASSOCIATION	Cedar Grange (Maple Valley, WA) Monthly Meeting, Dances TBA (425) 778-6032 Rem Remington
	1 st &2 nd	ROAMIN' TACOMANS Tom Tomlinson	Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA) 7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10 Plus/Rounds (253) 848-7073 Sharon Herman
	1 st &3 rd	SOUTH SOUND SINGLES Jesse Thomas/Shawn Cavness or Charles Morehead	Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rds/+Tip (253) 851-5773 Al Tokin
	2 nd &4 th	BONNEY LADS 'N' LASSIES Greg Weber/Lorraine Rouse	Collins Grange (East Tacoma, WA) 7:00 Pre-Rounds, 7:30-10 MS/Rds/+Tip (253) 875-5380 Dave Vigus
	3 rd	SWINGNUTS Don & Marie Wood	Sumner Valley VFW Hall (Sumner, WA) 7:00 Plus, 7:30-9:30 MS/Round/+Tip (253) 200-4566 lane Johnston
<u>SUNDA</u>	<u>Y</u>		
	3 rd	RAINIER CALLERS & CUERS	Sans Souci Mobile Estates (Puyallup, WA) 1:00 Monthly Meeting, Workshop (253) 229-9443 Tom Tomlinson





SOU'WESTER COUNCIL Area Reporter Don & Judy Wilson

donjudywilson22@gmail.com

SOU'WESTER COUNCIL clubs wish everyone a happy Valentine's Day. This is a great month to take your favorite partner dancing as many times as possible. Some clubs have Valentine theme and others have great ideas for having a wonderful evening. Be sure to visit as many clubs as possible on this the shortest month of the year!

December the **HARBOR HAYLOFTERS** Christmas Dance was a great success, with visitors from Cougar Squares,

Prairie Steppers and Independent dancers. We attended the Thankful Christmas dinner and dance at the Cougar Squares and also visited R Square D and Prairie Steppers. We collected food for the local food bank and had our Christmas party



honoring our caller Randy and Kris Carlson. Bill and Linda High are taking round dance lessons from Susan Healea, they are doing very well, and enjoying the new dances they are learning.

Our Saturday night dance was dark in January, we visited Cougar Squares and Prairie Steppers and some of our members traveled to Albany, Oregon for their Mid-Winter festival.

We were also dark in February, but visited Cougar Squares, Prairie Steppers and R Square D.

Ann Kilwien sqcamper@comcast.net

It's Mardi Gras time with the DO SI DO'S!

Our February 9th dance is all about Mardi Gras and it's our first black light dance of 2019. If you have never danced under black lights, now is your chance! In the past, Jim Hattrick has moved us throughout the Hall, dancing from square to square under the black lights. We provide white gloves to wear during, so we can all wave and take advantage of the black lights! It's an experience you will want to add to your repertoire. January was a wonderful reminder that there is a warm sun out there, somewhere! We celebrated the Jimmy Buffett spirit with warmth and lots of dancing!

Our lineup for the first half of 2019 is:

February 9 – Mardi Gras / **May 11** – Cinco de Mayo **March 9** – It's the Wild, Wild West / **June 8** – Surfin' USA *April – Dark*

Join us whenever the dancing 'mood' grabs you!

Our 70th Anniversary Dance Update (Oct 12): We have decided to expand our dance celebration! We will start the day with a plus dance from 3:30 to 5:30 pm and a mainstream dance from 7:30 to 10:30 pm. Jim Hattrick and Steve Noseck will join forces to call throughout the day's events! Dinner will be served in between sessions, more to come on that subject!

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

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

Katherine Deuel, kcd1952@gmail.com

STARDUST DANCERS are looking forward to Valentine's Day and the days getting longer. We continue to dance on the first and third Thursdays of each month at Catlin Grange in Kelso beginning at 7:30 p.m. Susan Healea

is our cuer/teacher and cues a dance that everyone from new dancers to experienced dancers will enjoy. We dance phases II and III from 7:30

STARDUST DANCERS **Round Dance Club** SUSAN HEALEA, Cuer 1st & 3rd Thursday 7:30 - 9:30 PM Catlin Grange #199 205 Shawnee St., Kelso, Washington

to 9:30 and phase IV from 9:30 to 10:00. The dress is casual, and we have a short refreshment break about 8:45. Come and join us and have some floor time at whichever level you dance.

Don and Judy Wilson, donjudywilson22@gmail.com

COUGAR SQUARES enjoyed a fun dance on January 5th. The theme was "Ugly Christmas Sweaters" and we found



some! We also found some very nice Christmas sweaters and they are mingled together. Our hosts were Sandra and Don Mitchell

and Melody and Don Butterton. We thank them for the great these and a good start to 2019.

We invite you to join us for our February 2nd dance hosted by Karen and Rocky Reed and Marti and Dick Piesch. Dancing begins at 7:30 with plus and 8:00 with mainstream and rounds. Jim Raupp is our caller/cuer and he will call tips for all abilities during the evening. Cougars dance at St. Francis Parish Hall just north of Toledo on Jackson Hiway at the blinking yellow light. Square dance attire is suggested and admired, but not required.

Cougars continue to sponsor Round Dance lessons on

Sunday evenings at Baw Faw Grange just out of Curtis. Susan Healea is our cuer/ teacher. This year the lessons include Cha and Rumba and beginning waltz. On the third Sunday of each month from 4:45 to 6:00 is a dance with mixed rhythms and phases. This is a great chance to

accumulate floor time. The dress is casual and there is finger food for grazing all evening. Phase II Waltz lessons continue following the dance.

Cougars wish everyone a Happy Valentine's Day and are very grateful for the longer daylight hours. We hope to see you on the dance floor soon.

Don and Judy Wilson, donjudywilson22@gmail.com

R SQUARE D reports the kiddies have some toys thanks to the toy dance donations. Even with the holiday events four

squares were on the floor. This was our only dance in December, however our club did celebrate together with a meal and gift exchange. Some of our members are talented and provided gifts that were "stolen" and passed around to the great enjoyment of us all.



On a sad note, two of our precious members recently passed away: Joy Westervelt and Glenn Faires. They will be missed. February 8 will be our Valentine's dance, we will be a little ahead of the day for sweethearts, but we will be lovin' the dancing (smiley/wink). Fourth Saturday dance is in honor of President's Day.

Please remember that our dances are ending at 9:30pm. 7-8 Plus and advanced rounds, 8-9:30pm Mainstream with rounds. The address is 106 NW 8th, Kelso/Longview intersection on Ocean Beach Hwy, in the hall at the water park. Our website www.r-square-d.info is a great way to keep track of our club and events or friend us on Facebook. Our Caller is Craig Abercrombie and our Cuer is Lonnie Sycks.

Annie Tietze

SALTY SASHAYERS will have their annual Clam Chowder and Pie dance on April 27, 2019 at Lac-a-do hall, a new venue for us. Please come and help us fill the hall. We will eat, then dance, then eat pie and finally dance to work off excess pounds from dinner and dessert. See you there.

Walt Crothran

The **PRAIRIE STEPPERS** look forward to longer days and more sunshine as the days get longer. We hope you

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

enjoyed our Remembering the 60s dance along Route 66 in January. We invite you to bring your Valentine to our Love Is In The Air dance on Saturday, February 9th.

We plan to travel to the Flutterwheels dance on Saturday, February 16th inviting our five new Mainstream graduates to continue enjoying their newly acquired dancing skills.

Our fall square dance lessons concluded on December 18th and we graduated the following new Mainstream dancers: Marcia Brady, Lucie and Randy Cobb, Ernie Hickox and Joe Hickox. We began a new set of Basic and Mainstream lessons on Tuesday, January 8th.

Now it is time to plan to attend the Prairie Steppers 38th Annual Chicken Dance to be held on Friday and Saturday, May 10th and 11th at the Oakview Grange with Canadian caller Ray Brendzy sharing the stage with our own Don Wood and Lonnie Sycks cueing the rounds.

The Friday night dance will be Basic 51 with Phase 2 and 3 rounds cued by guest Marie Wood for \$8.00 each. On Saturday, we'll have Plus with rounds from 2 to 5 PM for \$5.00 each, Chicken Dinner at 5:30 PM, Plus from 7:30 to 8 PM and All Singing Calls Mainstream from 8 to 10 PM. Pre-sale tickets are available for \$15.00 each for dinner and Saturday dance. Price at the door will be \$8.00 each for dinner, \$8.00 each for the evening dance.

> *Give your Valentine a hug and dance! Marion Freels, M_librarion@yahoo.com*



The New Year's Eve Dance at Lac-a-Do with Kevin Thomaier and Steve Noseck Calling with Lynn Peltola Cueing. There are various pictures of a wonderful "Marquee" board that a square dancer named Jeff Gowens from Olympia created for this New Year's Eve dance.

Come Dance with Sou'Wester Council Clubs

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

<u>MONDAY -</u>		
Every	TANGLEFOOT CLOGGERS Mary Dart, Instructor	Brighton Park Grange / 4-8:00 Clogging / All levels
TUESDAY -		
1st	ROUND-A-BOUTS Mary Parsons cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-9:00 ROUNDS, Phase 2-3
THURSDAY-		
1st & 3rd	STARDUST DANCERS Susan Healea, cuer	Catlin Grange / 7:30-9:30 ROUNDS, Phase 2-4
FRIDAY -		
1st	SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB Gunter Monroe, caller; Joyce Sebree, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:30 PLUS
2nd	RHYTHM ROUNDERS FUN DANCE Guest cuers	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:00 ROUNDS, Phase 2-5
2nd	R SQUARE D Craig Abercrombie, caller; Lonnie Sycks, cuer	Kelso Senior Center / 7:00-10:00 SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd	ROUND-A-BOUTS Mary Parsons, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-9:30 ROUNDS, Phase 2-3
4th	CAPITAL SQUARES Don Wood, caller; Marie Wood, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
<u>SATURDAY</u> -		
lst	COUGAR SQUARES Jim Raupp, caller/cuer	St. Francis Parish Hall / 7:30-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
lst	FLUTTERWHEELS Don Wood, caller; Marie Wood & MaryParsons,	
2nd	OLYMPIA DO-SI-DOS Jim Hattrick, caller; Joyce Sebree, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:00-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
2nd	PRAIRIE STEPPERS Don Wood, cuer; Lonnie Sycks, cuer	Oakview Grange / 7:00-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd	HARBOR HAYLOFTERS Randy & Chris Carlson	American Legion Hall / 7:00-10:00 SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd Feb. & Nov.	RUFF & RUFFLES Jim Raupp, caller; Susan Healea, cuer	Catlin Grange / 8:00-10:30 SQUARES & ROUNDS
3rd	FLUTTERWHEELS Glenn Raiha, caller; Marie Wood & MaryParson	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:00-10:00 s, cuers SQUARES & ROUNDS
4th	R SQUARE D Craig Abercrombie, caller; Lonnie Sycks, cuer	Kelso Senior Center / 7:00-10:00 SQUARES & ROUNDS
4th	SQUARE ONE PLUS Gunter Monroe, caller; Guest cuers	Lac-A-Do Hall / 7:30-10:30 PLUS
<u>SUNDAY</u> -		
Every	DOUBLE A'S Jack Hardin, Caller; Lynn Petola, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 4:30-6:30 ADVANCED
3rd	SQUARE ONE PLUS CLUB Gunter Monroe, caller; Spike Reid, cuer	Lac-A-Do Hall / 6:30-9:00 PLUS
AD	DRESSES FOR PLACES WHERE THERE ARE MO	ORE THAN ONE DANCE A MONTH:
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Catlin Grange		rican Legion Hall112 W 1st St. Aberdeen
St. Francis Parish H	Hall 139 Spencer Rd., Toledo Oakv	view Grange 2700 N. Pearl, Centralia

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It may be winter, but **COEURLY Q'S** club members are keeping warm sharing squares and smiles with dancers at our own dance and at other clubs.

After a short break for the holidays, our lessons have resumed and everyone enjoys the refresher tips. The students are mastering more calls each week and it's fun to see that spark of "I've got this!" as they move to the music. We continue to make sure they get to the council Party Dances and emphasize each lesson night is important.

We always hope the winter weather cooperates for our dances, so we'll be keeping the way clear to **"SHARE THE LOVE"** on February 2nd. We welcome Ed Holyoke from Lewiston, ID as our caller and Theresa Ray will cue rounds.

Please join us at the Harding Family Center (1st Saturday of each month)

411 N. 15th St. Coeur d'Alene7:00pm - 8:00pm -- Plus and Rounds;8:00pm - 10:00pm -- Mainstream and Rounds.Hearing Enhancement available Finger Food Welcome

Donna Seil Reporter

DANCING SHADOWS January theme was Mexican – the club served chips and salsa, and other finger foods brought by our dancers. Guest caller Ed Schiffner and our own cuer, Carol Shopbell kept the dancers entertained.

As part of the State meeting in Spokane February 15 – 17 the Dancing Shadows and Cheney Hi-Flyers are combining dances – the **"Black Light Dance"** with Dan Preedy calling and Carol Shopbell cueing. A sight to see with only white hands and other white clothing visible—if you've never been to a Black Light Dance this is the one to come to!

Iris Pehan, Reporter

The JACKS AND JENNYS had a very nice Christmas dance. The hall was beautifully decorated by the NSDC, Christmas lights were shining all over the hall. It was a party level dance and there were many class members from different clubs in attendance. Everyone had a wonderful time dancing to Bob Amsbury's calling and Claudia Amsbury's cueing. The dance was followed by a White Elephant Auction. It was really fun bidding on wrapped packages with no idea what one might end with, including a bed pan which is "decorated" with the signatures of previous years' "winners". We are looking forward to our annual Prime Rib Dinner and Dance in January. We are also excited to be co-hosting the Saturday night dance for the State Meeting in February. The Valley Cross Trailers along with their caller Doug Davis will join us at the NSDC for a Sweetheart themed dance at the North Spokane Dance Center. Happy Dancing!

Bev Mustard, Reporter

VALLEY CROSS TRAILERS held the "Chili Cook Off" dance on January 25nd which was after the FOOTNOTES deadline so we'll let you know who the Dancers' Choice winner was in the March issue. This dance was called by Chili Hot Caller Doug Davis and Chili Hot Cuer Claudia Amsbury.

We are going dark for our 3rd Saturday dance on February 16th for the State Meeting being held in Spokane. The Jacks and Jennys and Valley Cross Trailers will host the February 16th dance with Bob Amsbury and Doug Davis calling and Claudia Amsbury cueing. February 22nd will be a Dance to Benefit Alzheimer's with Doug and Adam as MC and callers and cuers from the floor. Let's all dance and raise some money to help find a cure for Alzheimer's.

March 16th is our next 3rd Saturday Plus/Advanced Dance and March 22th is our 61st Anniversary and the Pajama Stomp Marathon Dance.

Our January new dancer class has 8 adults and 5 kiddos what fun they are having. Our caller, Doug, called for the Shirts and Skirts January Anniversary dance and then again for their February dance.

We wish get well wishes to club members who have been sick over the past month and Happy Anniversary to Dean and Jayne. We'd love to have you visit us.

Priscilla Davis, Reporter

The **WAG AROUNDS** dance club has had a good start to 2019, with regular club dances on the 6th and 11th of January. They were both well attended and made for a fun evening of round dancing. For February, our dances are on February 3rd, 7:00-9:00 PM at the Western Dance Center. This is a phase II, III, and some IV level dance with Nina Leisi cueing. Then the following Friday Feb. 8th, we will dance at the North Spokane Dance Center from 8:00-10:30, phase III, IV, and V, with Jack DeChenne cueing. Come join in the fun and keep away the winter blues—with good music and great friends.

Teresa Dixon, Reporter



Marguerite's 97th birthday party!! Wow what a crowd. Wonderful party put on by her family. It was held at the NSDC in Spokane, on January 26. What a charming lady, so appreciative to everyone that came to her party, she said it was the best day of her life.

All her dancing friend's and family that came together and gave her a cash gift. She was so appreciative for the gift, she is always thinking about the next donation. She donated the money back to be used on the parking lot fund.

Happy Birthday Marguerite!!

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

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