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3RD FREEDOM VALLEY FROLIC

March 1, 1998 • 1:30 p.m.
Nottingham Ballroom
Hamilton Square, New Jersey
Caller, Mark Franks
Cuers, Ron & Ree Rumble

M.E.P. BOARD MEETING

March 8, 1998 • 1:15 p.m.
First Savings Bank
Perkasie, Pennsylvania

M.E.P. DISTRICT MEETING

March 8, 1998 • 2:30 p.m.
First Savings Bank
Perkasie, Pennsylvania

M.E.P. THREE-QUARTER DANCE

March 21, 1998 • 8:00 p.m.
West End Fire Hall
Quakertown, Pennsylvania
Caller, Burl Lally

14TH ANNUAL WILDWOOD WEEKEND

April 24-26, 1998
Wildwood Crest, New Jersey
Callers, John Marshall & Tom Miller
Cuers, Rich & Alison Lock

First Savings Bank at 600 Market Street in Perkasie, PA. This will be the most important meeting of the year. The MED dues will be set for 1999 and we will review the publishing of "Squares and Rounds" for the coming year. Last year many people came to me and voiced their opinion about having two local dance magazines. If you would like to help decide how the district will be run in 1999, please attend this meeting.

The Three-Quarter Dance will be held on March 21 at the West End Fire House in Quakertown, PA. Please encourage your class members to attend this dance. This will help the new dancers sharpen their dancing skills by hearing different callers.

Barbara Siftar, the new Class Newsletter Editor, is asking all class coordinators to please send her all class news and listings of class level dances so she can share this information with all the classes in the district. Please give her a call at (610) 433-7987.

I am still looking for a First Vice Chairperson and a Refreshment Chairperson. If you are interested in either of these positions, please give me a call.

FROM THE CHAIR

by Henry Buffington, Jr.
Mid-East Penn Chairman

I want to take this opportunity to invite everyone to the Mid-East Penn District Meeting on March 8 at 2:30 p.m. at the

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Opening Dates For New Classes**

SPECIAL EVENTS

BACHELOR'S 'N' BACHELORETTES

- 3/22 - Blue Jean Jamboree
- 4/26 - Wrong Way Dance

BUCKAROOS

- 3/13 - St. Patrick's Dance
- 3/27 - Badge Night
- 4/27 - Garden Dance

BUCKINGHAM DANCERS

- 4/26 - Welcome Snowbirds Dance

CROSSTRAIL TRAVELERS

- 3/1 - Banquet and Kick-Off Dance for
Camping and Dancing Season
- 3/20 - Fur, Fin and Feather Frolic
- 4/17 - Easter Bonnet Dance

DIXIE DERBYS'

- 3/4 - Executive Board Meeting
- 3/6 - St. Patrick's Dance
Plus Dance with Star Tip
Round Meadow Elem. School
- 3/14 - Class Level Dance
Lehman Memorial UM Church
- 3/20 - Plus Dance with Star Tip
Round Meadow Elem. School
- 4/1 - Executive Board Meeting

- 4/3 - April Showers Dance
Plus Dance with Star Tip
Upper Moreland Middle School
- 4/17 - Plus Dance with Star Tip
Upper Moreland Middle School
- 4/25 - Mainstream Dance
Lehman Memorial UM Church

EASTONAIRES

- 3/16 - Wearin' of the Green

EDGE HILL SQUARES

- 3/14 - St. Patty's Dance
- 3/28 - Antique Old Times' Night
- 4/25 - Everyone's Birthday

LIBERTY STARS

- 3/7 - Plus DBD Dance
- 3/22 - 7th Annual Salute to America
Nottingham Ballroom
Hamilton Square, NJ
- 4/4 - Plus DBD Dance
- 4/18 - A-2 Dance

MELODY LAKES BELLES & BEAUS

- 3/17 - Wearing of the Green
- 3/31 - All Singing Calls
- 4/21 - Covered Dish Dinner Dance and
Election of Officers

PERKY PROMENADERS

- 3/4 - Crazy Hat Dance
- 3/18 - Pot of Gold
- 4/1 - April Showers
- 4/15 - Perky Appreciation Dance

QUAKER EIGHTS

- 3/6 - St. Patty's Dance
Quakertown Elementary School
- 3/20 - Solstice Swing
Tohickon Valley School

**EVERY
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FRIDAY**

**2x2 PLUS
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**GUEST
CALLERS**



BUCKAROO'S

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7:30**

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- 3/28 - 28th Dinner Dance
 "Come to the Mardi Gras"
 East Greenville Fire Co.
 Banquet Hall
 4/3 - Bunny Hop
 Quakertown Elementary School
 4/17 - April Showers Dance
 Tohickon Valley School

SAUCON SQUARES & ROUNDS

- 3/21 - Spring Fling Dance

SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES

- 3/15 - St. Patty's Dance
 Cressona Fire Co. #1
 4/19 - Spring Jamboree
 Schuylkill Haven Senior
 Citizen's Building

TUMBLEWEEDS

- 3/24 - Wearing of the Green and Celebration of March Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries
 4/28 - Easter Dance and Celebration of April Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries



GUEST CALLERS & CUERS

BACHELOR'S 'N' BACHELORETTEs

- 3/8 - Marion Pearce (S)
 Mary McGee (R)
 3/22 - Betsy Gotta (S)
 Roy Gotta (R)
 4/26 - Jim Snyder (S)
 Lil Armstrong (R)

BUCKAROOS

- 3/13 - Bob Gaunt (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)
 3/27 - Chick Stone (S)
 Lil Armstrong (R)
 4/24 - Burl Lally (S)
 Lil Armstrong (R)

BUCKINGHAM DANCERS

- 4/26 - Ralph Stapenell (S)

COLONIAL WOODS

- 3/1 - Caller To Be Announced (S)

- Peg Dockry (R)
 3/15 - Caller To Be Announced (S)
 Peg Dockry (S)
 4/5 - Caller To Be Announced (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)
 4/19 - Caller To Be Announced (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)

DIXIE DERBYS'

- 3/6 - Glenn Matthew (S)
 Pete & Mary McGee (R)
 3/14 - Glenn Matthew (S)
 3/20 - Glenn Matthew (S)
 Pete & Mary McGee (R)
 4/3 - Mark Franks (S)
 Julie Dixon (R)
 4/17 - Glenn Matthew (S)
 Pete & Mary McGee (R)
 4/25 - Bob Clark (S)

EDGE HILL SQUARES

- 3/14 - Pete Classetti (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)
 3/28 - Bob Clark (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)
 4/25 - Ralph Stapenell (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)

LIBERTY STARS

- 3/7 - Joseph Landi (S)
 3/22 - Steve Kopman (S)
 Rich & Alison Lock (R)
 4/4 - Roy Leber (S)
 4/18 - John Sweeney (S)

MELODY LAKES BELLES & BEAUS

- 3/3 - Jim Snyder (S)
 Frank Fertsch (R)
 3/17 - Caller To Be Announced (S)
 Frank Fertsch (R)
 3/31 - Ed Kerns (S)
 Frank Fertsch (R)
 4/7 - Jim Snyder (S)
 Frank Fertsch (R)
 4/21 - Caller To Be Announced (S)
 Frank Fertsch (R)

PERKY PROMENADERS

- 3/4 - Burl Lally (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)
 3/18 - Chick Stone (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)
 4/1 - Burl Lally (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)
 4/15 - Guest Caller (S)
 Peg Dockry (R)

QUAKER EIGHTS

- 3/6 - Betsy Gotta (S)
 Roy Gotta (R)
 3/20 - Ted Knauss (S)
 Elaine Novak (R)

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- 3/28 - Jim Snyder (S)
Julie Dixon (R)
- 4/3 - Hank Lutcher (S)
Bill Clayton (R)
- 4/17 - Bob Clark (S)
Lil Armstrong (R)

ROUND DANCE PARTIES

- 3/7 - Ron & Ree Rumble (R)
Pete & Mary McGee (R)
- 4/4 - Ron & Ree Rumble (R)
Pete & Mary McGee (R)

SAUCON SQUARES & ROUNDS

- 3/13 - Ted Knauss (S)
Mary McGee (R)
- 3/21 - Ted Knauss (S)
- 3/27 - Caller To Be Announced (S)
Elaine Novak (R)
- 4/24 - Ralph Stapenell (S)
Ed Miller (R)

SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES

- 3/15 - Ed Kerns (S)
- 4/19 - Roy Leber (S)
Bob Reaser (R)

SIMPLY SQUARES

- 3/1 - Roy Leber (S)
- 3/15 - Clay Goss (S)
- 4/5 - Jim Snyder (S)
- 4/19 - Ralph Stapenell (S)

STARDUSTERS

- 3/6 - Clay Goss (S)
Dolores Procopio (R)
- 3/21 - Dave Kreiter (S)
Elaine Novak (S)
- 4/3 - Caller To Be Announced (S)
Deb Barbe (R)
- 4/18 - Bruce Williamson (S)
Eileen Williamson (R)

DANCE WEEKENDS

BACHELOR'S 'N' BACHELORETTE

- 4/3-5 - Annual Spring Weekend
Jukebox Saturday Night
Pocono Manor Inn & Golf
Resort
Pocono Manor, PA
Jack Ingle (S)
Carroll Dickenson (S)
Steve & Wendy Bradt (R)

YELLOW ROCKERS

- 4/17-19 - Camping & Dancing Weekend
Old Mill Stream
Lancaster, PA
Ted Knauss (S/R)



APPALACHIAN EXPRESSIONS: We are in the process of setting up our summer show schedule.

We will be holding regular dances on the following dates: March 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29, and April 19 and 26. We will not be dancing on April 5 and 12 due to the Easter holiday.

On May 9, our group will be attending the Garden State Stomp Clogging Workshop in Mount Holly, NJ which will be sponsored by the Renegade Cloggers.

Our group dances every Sunday afternoon at the Bethlehem Volunteer Fireman's Home Association, N. New Street, Bethlehem, PA. Beginner Classes are held from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. followed by a Dance or Workshop from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. On the first Sunday of the month, our Workshop is held from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Our group is available to dance at demonstrations or special events. For more information call Josie Fye at (610) 253-0538.

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BACHELOR'S 'N' BACHELORETTE: Spring will soon be here! Join us for our Annual Spring Weekend on April 3-5 at the Pocono Manor Inn and Golf Resort in Pocono Manor, PA. This year the theme is "Jukebox Saturday Night." Calling squares at this weekend will be Jack Ingle and Carroll Dickenson, both of Virginia and cueing will be Steve & Wendy Bradt of Pennsylvania.

On March 8, Marion Pearce will be

calling squares at our club along with Mary McGee cueing rounds.

On March 22, make sure you wear your blue jeans to our Blue Jean Jamboree. Betsy Gotta will be at the mike for this dance along with Roy Gotta cueing rounds.

No dance will be held on April 12 due to the Easter holiday.

On April 26, we will be holding our Wrong Way Dance with Jim Snyder entertaining us on squares along with Lil Armstrong cueing rounds.

Our dances are held every second and fourth Sunday of the month. Pre-rounds are held from 2:30 to 3:00 p.m. followed by Advanced dancing from 3:00 to 3:15 p.m. and 2x2 dancing from 3:15 to 5:30 p.m. A DBD Workshop is held on the first, third and fifth Sunday at 4:30 p.m. and an A-1 Workshop is held every Sunday at 6:00 p.m. followed by a Mainstream Class at 7:30 p.m.

All dances, workshops and classes are held at Christ Lutheran Church, 69 Main Street, Hellertown, PA. For more

information call Bruce at (610) 678-4929 or Fred at (610) 865-3438.

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BUCKAROOS: As March rolls in "like a lion" come join us in celebrating our annual St. Patrick's Dance on March 13. We will be hosting the talented Bob Gaunt as caller and the ever charming Peg Dockry as cuer. It is certain to be an evening of great dancing... so be sure to wear a touch of green and come join us the fun!

On March 27, we will welcome the popular Chick Stone as our caller and the delightful Lil Armstrong as cuer. We just know it will be a fun night as we celebrate with Badge Night. Be sure to gather all your badges and dangles from days gone by and join us.

We will not be dancing on April 10 in respect for Good Friday. We wish everyone a blessed and joyous Easter!

Our Garden Dance will be held on April 24 as we host the fun-loving Burl Lally as caller and the delightful Lil Armstrong as cuer. We hope you join us

TUMBLEWEEDS

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Unless there is an exception, we continue to dance every second and fourth Friday of the month. All dances are held at St. Paul's Church, Shetland and Palomino Drives, Warrington, PA. Pre-rounds are held from 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. followed by squares from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m. For more information call Ralph & Helen Watkins at (215) 886-4537.

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BUCKINGHAM DANCERS: No club dances will be held during the month of March, but we wish to extend our invitation to all snowbirds to join us on April 26 for our Welcome Snowbirds Dance with caller, Ralph Stapenell.

We dance relaxed Mainstream and Plus every second and fourth Sunday of the month from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. For more information call Ralph Stapenell at (215) 794-8180.

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COLONIAL SQUARES: We will be holding regular club dances on March 6, 13, 20 and 27, and on April 3, 17 and 24. No dance will be held on April 10 due to Good Friday.

Our dances are held every Friday evening at the YMCA, S. Main Street, Nazareth, PA from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m.

If you have a free evening, we would love to have you join us. For more information call Vernon Messenger at (610) 759-8256.

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COLONIAL WOODS: The log in the huge fireplace at the dance hall at Colonial Woods still warms our dancers with spring just over the hill. Come join us for the warmth of friendly dancers and good fellowship on March 1 and 15, and April 5 and 19.

We dance Plus level squares at the Colonial Woods Camping Resort in Upper Black Eddy, PA from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m. For more information call Barbara Young at (610) 838-0651.

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CROSSTRAIL TRAVELERS: Come on out and join us for our Banquet and Kick-Off Dance for the Camping/Dancing Season on March 1, followed by our Fur, Fin and Feather Frolic on March 20, our Easter Bonnet Dance on April 17, and finally, our All New Grads Dance on May 8.

On April 3-5, we will be camping and dancing at Warwick Wood Campground on Route 23. Come on out and join us for a fun weekend!

Beginner Classes are held at Owen J. Roberts School, Routes 23 and 100, Buckstown, PA every Tuesday evening from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. followed by a Plus DBD Workshop from 8:30 to 10:00 p.m. with caller, Burl Lally.

All Dances are held at St. Peter's Lutheran Church Hall in (Stowe) Pottstown, PA. Class level dancing is held from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. followed by club level dancing until 10:30 p.m. For more information call Chuck Finn at (215) 233-5214.

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DIXIE DERBYS': We will be having an early celebration for St. Patrick's Dance on March 6 and welcome the arrival of spring with an April Showers Dance on April 3. Glenn Matthew will be calling squares with Pete & Mary McGee cueing rounds at the St. Patrick's Dance. The April Showers Dance will be a "brother and sister act" featuring caller, Mark Franks and cuer, Julie Dixon. Glenn Matthew will be calling Plus Dances on March 20, April 17 and May 1 with Pete & Mary McGee cueing rounds. All Plus dances are held at the Upper Moreland Middle School except the dances on March 6 and 20 which will be held at the Round Meadow Elementary School. Both schools are located on Orange-man's Road in Hatboro, PA. Pre-rounds begin at 8:00 p.m. followed by 2+2 squares from 8:15 to 10:30 p.m. which will include a Star Tip. For more information call Dorothy Smith at (215) 343-1142.



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The Easy Level Dance on March 14 will be the last class level dance because graduation is just around the corner! The program will then progress to Mainstream and later in the summer some Easy Plus will be called. Come to the Class Level Dance on March 14 and dance to caller, Glenn Matthew. The Mainstream Dance on April 25 will feature "Mr. Smooth" Bob Clark. Both dances will be held at Lehman Methodist Church in Hatboro, PA. Our easy level program offers an opportunity for new dancers to sharpen their skills. Encourage your new graduates to come out and dance to a variety of callers that will provide assistance when needed. Call Mike & Mary Nickels at (215) 785-2505 for more information.

Our Square Dance Class is looking forward to graduation in April. After graduation, Plus level lessons will begin. Graduates from other basic classes are welcome to join these classes. For more information call Carol at (215) 675-9476.

Phase III/IV Round Dance Classes are held every Monday at 7:00 p.m. On Thursdays, Phase IV/V classes are held at 7:00 p.m. followed by classes for New Grads at 8:30 p.m. New dancers are always welcome. Pete & Mary McGee provide the instruction for both evenings. Monday classes are held at Round Meadow Elementary School and Thursday classes are held at the Upper Moreland Middle School. Both schools are located on Orangeman's Road in Hatboro, PA. For more information call Marty & Pat Flaherty at (215) 674-2630 or Rowland & Lois Dudley at (215) 674-8320.

Don't forget to mark your calendars for the dances with Tom Miller on June 19, Ed Foote on August 21, and Craig Rowe on October 30. We like to bring a variety of callers to our area. Your support determines how many and how often we can do this.

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EASTONAIRES: We would like to welcome back our snowbirds who have ventured north and we hope to see all of our winter friends.

Regular club dances will be held on March 2, 9, 23 and 30 and April 6, 13, 20 and 27. On March 16, we will be celebrating St. Patrick's Day with the

Wearin' of the Green.

Our group dances Plus level and Quarterly Selections every Monday evening at 8:00 p.m. Dances are held at the First Methodist Church, 34 S. Second Street, Easton, PA. For more information call Barbara Young at (610) 838-0651.

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"Let's go
Dancing"

EASTONAIRES: Our St. Patty's Dance on March 14 will bring out the green decorations and caller, Pete Classetti and cuer, Peg Dockry will provide a fun night for all.

On March 28, bring an antique item for show and tell and join in the Antique Old Time's Night. Bob Clark will be calling squares and Peg Dockry will be cueing rounds.

Caller, Ralph Stapenell and cuer, Peg Dockry will be with us as cake and goodies will appear as we celebrate Everyone's Birthday on April 25. Bring along an early picture of yourself... framed on not... alone or with others... to our birthday party. (Due to the Easter holiday, no dance will be held on April 11.)

Our dances are held on every second and fourth Saturday of the month at the Edge Hill Firehall, Limekiln Pike and Cricket Avenue, North Hills, PA from 8:30 to 11:00 p.m. Workshops are held on Mondays at 7:30 p.m. with instructor, George Polk. For more information call (215) 379-8839.

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GUYS AND DOLLS: We will be holding regular club dances on March 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, and April 6, 13, 20 and 27.

Our group dances Phase III/IV level rounds every Monday from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. in the gymnasium of the Bryn Athyn

Society Building, 600 Tomlinson Road, Bryn Athyn, PA. For more information call Peg Dockry at (908) 995-2133.

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LEHIGH VALLEY CLOGGERS: We had a wonderful turnout at our Traditional Workshop on November 1, 1997, with Bob Johnson and the Flatland Cloggers.

Several members are planning to attend the Northeast Clogging Convention on March 26-29 in New Hampshire and also the Garden State Stomp in May.

We are now working on several new dances. Requests for spring, summer and fall shows are steadily coming in.

We will be dancing at the Ice House, Sand Island, Bethlehem, PA on March 8 and 15, and April 5, 19 and 26. The location for dances on March 1, 22 and 29 will be announced. Beginner Children start at 1:30 p.m., Beginner Teens and Adults start at 2:30 p.m., and Intermediate Classes start at 3:30 p.m.

Our group is available to dance at your special event. For more information call Mary at (908) 735-CLOG or (610) 435-2172.

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LIBERTY STARS: Our first Plus DBD Dance will be held on March 7 with caller, Joe Landi. There will be an A-2 Star Tip at the end of this dance. Our dance on March 21 has been cancelled.

On March 22, our 7th Annual Salute to America will be held at the Nottingham

Ballroom in Hamilton Square, NJ from 1:30 to 4:15 p.m. Our guest caller will be Steve Kopman from Tennessee along with Rich Lock cueing rounds. There will also be a special appearance of the Clay Figures. The program will be 2x2 with pre-rounds at 1:30 p.m. and Star Tips at the end of the dance. Cost is \$11.00/couple and \$5.50/ single in advance or \$12.00/couple and \$6.00/single at the door. For advanced tickets, send a self-addressed stamped envelope and payment made out to Liberty Stars to Donald & Carolyn O'Bott, 3275 Hillside Drive, Chalfont, PA 18914-3405 or call them at (215) 343-3483.

On April 4, we will hold a Plus DBD Dance with caller Roy Leber, who makes dancing fun and exciting for everyone.

On April 18, we will hold an A-2 Dance with caller, John Sweeney. This will be John's first time calling at our club. Let's put out the red carpet and give him a big welcome.

Our club dances every first and third Saturday of the month from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m. First Saturday dances are Plus DBD level and third Saturday dances are A-2 level. Dances are held at St. Paul's Methodist Church, Palomino Drive, Warrington, PA. The church is just four miles north of the Willow Grove exit of the PA Turnpike on Route 611. If your are coming from I-95, use PA 132 (Street Road) about 15 miles west of Route 611. For

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We would like to wish all dancers a Blessed Easter Holiday!

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MELODY LAKES BELLES AND BEAUS: On March 3, Jim Snyder will be calling squares along with cuer, Frank Fertsch.

Wear something green and come out and dance with us on March 17 to celebrate St. Patrick's Day. We will have a guest caller with Frank Fertsch cueing the rounds.

All Singing Calls is the theme for our dance on March 31 with caller, Ed Kerns and cuer, Frank Fertsch.

On April 7, Jim Snyder will be calling squares along with cuer, Frank Fertsch.

Bring a covered dish and join us for our Covered Dish Dinner and Election of Officers on April 21. We will have a guest caller with Frank Fertsch cueing the rounds.

Workshops with instructor, Jim Snyder will be held on March 10 and 24, and April 14 and 28.

We hope to see everyone on the dance floor. For more information call Kas Egner at (215) 538-2683.

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PERKY PROMENADERS: The March winds may be howling, but it will be nice and cozy at our club. Our Crazy Hat Dance will be held on March 4 with caller, Burl Lally. The wackier the hat, the better your chances are for a great prize.

Caller, Chick Stone will be with us for our St. Patty's Dance on March 18. The theme will be "Pot of Gold." Please be sure to wear your green to this dance.

For our April Showers Dance on April

1, we won't be pulling any April Fool's stunts, but don't count on our caller, Burl Lally to refrain from cutting up a little.

April 15 will be our Perky Appreciation Dance. This dance will feature a guest caller, and like all of our callers, it is sure to be a great one.

Our cuer for all of our dances is Joe & Peg Dockry, who will be happy to accommodate you with requests.

We are an active club that participates in banner stealing, and we will be visiting many clubs during 1998.

We dance at the Church on the Mall at the Plymouth Meeting Mall in Plymouth Meeting, PA on the first and third Wednesdays of the month from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m. There is always plenty of parking and a beautiful wood floor which is completely refurbished for smooth dancing. For more information call Hugh Miller at (610) 275-1790.

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QUAKER EIGHTS: Come out and join us at our St. Patty's Day Dance on March 6. Betsy & Roy Gotta will be helping us celebrate the wearin' of the green at the Quakertown Elementary School from 7:30 to 10:00 p.m.

We will celebrate on March 20 with a Solstice Swing. Caller, Ted Knauss and cuer, Elaine Novak will be with us at the Tohickon Valley School for this dance.

You are invited to our 28th Dinner Dance and Mardi Gras on March 28 at the East Greenville Fire Company Banquet Hall. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. You don't want to miss this great meal - roast beef and turkey with potato filling, gravy, fruit cup, cole slaw, corn, green beans, celery, carrots, coffee and tea, rolls, and ice cream for desert. At 8:00 p.m., we will be dancing to caller, Jim Snyder and Julie Dixon on rounds. Tickets are \$17.00/person and can be obtained from any club member. Please get your tickets before March 14. Our chairman, Dot Breisch has a wonderful evening planned for all of us, so please try to attend.

On April 3, we are planning a Bunny Hop with caller, Hank Lutchter and cuer, Bill Clayton at the Quakertown Elementary School.

It's back to Tohickon Valley School on April 17 for our April Showers Dance.

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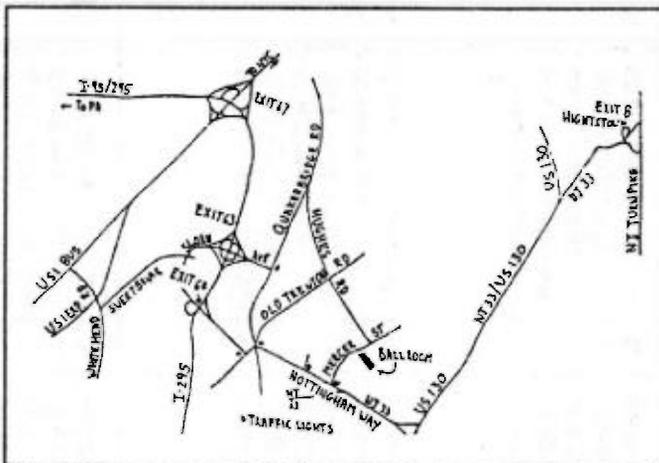
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1 LV Cloggers • Saucon Rds ★★ Simply Sqs App Expressions ★★ Colonial Woods •/(c) Bach 'n' B-ettes ★ Crosstrail Travelers Freedom Valley Frolic	2 Eastonaires • Edge Hill Sqs • Saucon C & W Guys and Dolls (c) Dixie Derby Rds	3 • Tumbleweeds (c) Dixie Derbys' • Fantastic Bears ★★ Mel Lakes B & B (c)• Crosstrail Travelers	4 ★ Dixie Derbys' •/(c) Sweetheart Rds ★★ Perky Prom'ders	5 (c) Dixie Derby Rds	6 Colonial Sqs ★★ Stardusters ★/★★ Dixie Derbys' ★/★★ Quaker Eights	7 ★★ RD Parties ★/★★ Liberty Stars
8 Trademarks LV Cloggers • Saucon Rds App Expressions ★★ Bach 'n' B-ettes •/(c) Bach 'n' B-ettes M.E.P. Board Meeting M.E.P. District Meeting	9 Eastonaires • Edge Hill Sqs • Saucon C & W Guys and Dolls (c) Dixie Derby Rds	10 • Tumbleweeds (c) Dixie Derbys' • Fantastic Bears • Mel Lakes B & B (c)• Crosstrail Travelers	11 •/(c) Sweetheart Rds	12 (c) Dixie Derby Rds	13 Colonial Sqs ★★ Saucon Sqs ★/★★ Buckaroos	14 ★/★★ Dixie Derbys' ★/★★ Edge Hill Sqs
15 LV Cloggers • Saucon Rds ★★ Simply Sqs App Expressions ★★ Colonial Woods •/(c) Bach 'n' B-ettes ★/★★ Schuykill Prom	16 ★ Eastonaires • Edge Hill Sqs • Saucon C & W Guys and Dolls (c) Dixie Derby Rds	17 (c) Dixie Derbys' • Fantastic Bears ★/★★ Mel Lakes B & B (c)• Crosstrail Travelers	18 •/(c) Sweetheart Rds ★/★★ Perky Prom'ders	19 (c) Dixie Derby Rds	20 Colonial Sqs ★/★★ Dixie Derbys' ★/★★ Quaker Eights ★ Crosstrail Travelers	21 ★★ Stardusters ★/★★ Saucon Sqs MEP Three-Quarter Dance
22 Trademarks LV Cloggers • Saucon Rds App Expressions ★/★★ Liberty Stars •/(c) Bach 'n' B-ettes ★/★★ Bach 'n' B-ettes	23 Eastonaires • Edge Hill Sqs • Saucon C & W Guys and Dolls (c) Dixie Derby Rds	24 ★ Tumbleweeds (c) Dixie Derbys' • Fantastic Bears • Mel Lakes B & B (c)• Crosstrail Travelers	25 •/(c) Sweetheart Rds	26 (c) Dixie Derby Rds	27 Colonial Sqs ★★ Saucon Sqs ★/★★ Buckaroos	28 ★/★★ Edge Hill Sqs
29 LV Cloggers • Saucon Rds App Expressions •/(c) Bach 'n' B-ettes	30 Eastonaires • Edge Hill Sqs • Saucon C & W Guys and Dolls (c) Dixie Derby Rds	31 • Tumbleweeds (c) Dixie Derbys' • Fantastic Bears ★/★★ Mel Lakes B & B (c)• Crosstrail Travelers		★ Special Event ★★ Guest Caller and/or Cuer • Workshop (c) Class (w) Weekend		MARCH CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
APRIL CALENDAR						
5 LV Cloggers • Saucon Rds ★★ Simply Sqs (w) Bach 'n' B-ettes ★★ Colonial Woods •/(c) Bach 'n' B-ettes (w) Crosstrail Travelers	6 Eastonaires • Edge Hill Sqs • Saucon C & W Guys and Dolls (c) Dixie Derby Rds	7 • Tumbleweeds (c) Dixie Derbys' • Fantastic Bears ★★ Mel Lakes B & B (c)• Crosstrail Travelers	8 •/(c) Sweetheart Rds	9	10	11
12 Easter	13 Eastonaires • Edge Hill Sqs • Saucon C & W Guys and Dolls (c) Dixie Derby Rds	14 • Tumbleweeds (c) Dixie Derbys' • Fantastic Bears • Mel Lakes B & B (c)• Crosstrail Travelers	15 •/(c) Sweetheart Rds ★★ Perky Prom'ders	16 (c) Dixie Derby Rds	17 Colonial Sqs (w) Yellow Rockers ★★ Dixie Derbys' ★★ Quaker Eights ★ Crosstrail Travelers	18 ★★ Stardusters (w) Yellow Rockers ★★ Liberty Stars
19 LV Cloggers • Saucon Rds ★★ Simply Sqs App Expressions (w) Yellow Rockers ★★ Colonial Woods •/(c) Bach 'n' B-ettes ★★ Schuykill Prom	20 Eastonaires • Edge Hill Sqs • Saucon C & W Guys and Dolls (c) Dixie Derby Rds	21 (c) Dixie Derbys' • Fantastic Bears ★★ Mel Lakes B & B (c)• Crosstrail Travelers	22 •/(c) Sweetheart Rds	23 (c) Dixie Derby Rds	24 Colonial Sqs ★★ Saucon Sqs ★★ Buckaroos (w) 14th Wildwood Wknd	25 ★★ Dixie Derbys' ★★ Edge Hill Sqs (w) 14th Wildwood Wknd
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WHERE TO DANCE

A - Advanced APD - All Position Dancing EB - Extended Basics MS Mainstream
 QS - Quarterly Selections (Experimental) PL - Plus R - Rounds CL - Clogging

CL	APPALACHIAN EXPRESSIONS.....	Bethlehem Fireman's Home Assoc., N. New St., Bethlehem, PA.....	1:00-4:00	Josie Fye.....	610-253-0538
QS	BACHELOR'S 'N' B-ETTES.....	Christ Lutheran Church, Main Street, Hellertown, PA.....	2:30-5:30	Henry Buffington.....	610-838-6390
PL	BUCKAROOS.....	St. Paul's Church, Shetland & Palomino Drive, Warrington, PA.....	7:30-10:30	Ralph Watkins.....	215-886-4537
MS	BUCKINGHAM DANCERS.....	Buckingham Springs, Rt. 413, Buckingham, PA.....	7:00-9:30	Ralph Stapenell.....	215-794-8180
A	"CH" SMOOTH SQUARES.....	Church on the Mall, Plymouth Meeting, PA.....	8:00-10:30	Mary Anne Keen.....	610-326-3489
R	CLOUD NINE ROUNDS.....	Temple Beth Am., S. Beverwyck Rd., Parsippany, NJ.....	Varied	Mary Pickett.....	908-322-4148
	COLONIAL SQUARES.....	YMCA, S. Main St., Nazareth, PA.....	8:00-10:30	Vernon Messenger.....	610-759-8256
PL	COLONIAL WOODS.....	Colonial Woods Camping Resort, Upper Black Eddy, PA.....	2:00-4:30	Barbara Young.....	610-838-0651
PL	CROSSTRAIL TRAVELERS.....	St. Peter's Lutheran Church Hall, Stowe, PA.....	8:00-10:30	Chuck Finn.....	215-233-5214
PL	DIXIE DERBYS'.....	Upper Moreland Middle School, Orangemans Rd. (North of Byberry).....	7:30-10:30	Dottie Smith.....	215-343-1142
MS	DIXIE DERBYS'.....	Lehman Meth. Church, Old York Rd. & Lehman Ave., Hatboro, PA.....	7:45-10:15	Bruno Langewouter.....	215-646-5617
QS	EASTONAIRES.....	First United Methodist Church, 34 Second St., Easton, PA.....	8:00-10:00	Barbara Young.....	610-838-0651
PL	EDGE HILL SQUARES.....	Edge Hill Fire Hall, Limekiln Pk. & Cricket Ave., North Hills, PA.....	8:00-11:00	Mary Stanislaw.....	215-379-8839
APD	FANTASTIC BEARS.....	Salem Lutheran Church, 134 E. Broad St., Bethlehem, PA.....	7:30-10:00	Bob Henry.....	610-867-2351
R	GUYS & DOLLS.....	Bryn Athyn Society Gym, Bryn Athyn, PA.....	8:00-10:00	Peg Dockry.....	908-995-2133
	HANDICAPABLE SQUARES.....	Yardville Heights Elementary School, Yardville, NJ.....	6:30-8:00	Joan Mayers.....	215-766-7879
CL	LEHIGH VALLEY CLOGGERS.....	The Ice House, Sand Island, Bethlehem, PA.....	12:00-7:00	Mary Snyder.....	908-537-2564
PL/DBD	LIBERTY STARS (1st Sat.).....	St. Paul's Methodist Church, Palomino Dr., Warrington, PA.....	8:00-10:30	Donald O'Bott.....	215-343-3483
A2	LIBERTY STARS (3rd Sat.).....	St. Paul's Methodist Church, Palomino Dr., Warrington, PA.....	8:00-10:30	Donald O'Bott.....	215-343-3483
PL	MELODY LAKES BELLES & BEAUS.....	Rt. 309 (Across from New Orleans Restaurant), Quakertown, PA.....	7:30-10:00	Kas Egner.....	215-538-2683
R	P.D. CUES.....	Poquessing Jr. High School & Bryn Athyn Church, Feasterville, PA.....	8:00-10:00	Dorothy Booz.....	215-675-0472
PL	PERKY PROMENADERS.....	Church on the Mall (Cinema Entrance), Plymouth Meeting, PA.....	8:00-10:30	Hugh Miller.....	610-275-1790
PL	QUAKER EIGHTS.....	Quakertown Elem. School, 7th & Park Aves., Quakertown, PA.....	7:30-10:00	Katie Grohowski.....	215-538-0242
PL	QUAKER EIGHTS.....	Tohickon Valley School, 2360 Old Bethlehem Pike, Quakertown, PA.....	7:30-10:00	Katie Grohowski.....	215-538-0242
PL	RED HOT HATTERS.....	Adamstown YMCA, Adamstown, PA.....	7:30-10:30	Jim Snyder.....	215-256-6522
R	ROUND DANCE PARTIES.....	Church on the Mall, Plymouth Meeting, PA.....	8:00-11:00	Sally Guenther.....	646-8410
	ROVIN' SQUARES.....	Various Campgrounds (April through October)		Terry Kaiss.....	215-843-9968
R	SAUCON ROUNDS.....	Salem Lutheran Church, 134 E. Broad St., Bethlehem, PA.....	7:30-10:30	Bob Henry.....	610-867-2351
PL	SAUCON SQUARES.....	Salem Lutheran Church, 134 E. Broad St., Bethlehem, PA.....	7:30-9:30	Bill Vreeland.....	610-261-0610
PL/RD	SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES.....	Schuykill Haven Sr. Citizen's Bldg., Haven St., Schuykill Haven, PA.....	2:00-4:30	Willie Kramer.....	717-366-1873
PL	SIMPLY SQUARES.....	Wayne Senior Center Bldg., 108 Station Rd., Wayne, PA (By Septa).....	7:30-9:30	Information.....	610-964-8857
PL	STARDUSTERS (BERKS).....	Immanuel UCC Church, Waverly & Brobst St., Shillington, PA.....	8:00-10:30	Bob Wendel.....	610-385-6140
R	SWEETHEART ROUNDS.....	Salem Lutheran Church, 134 E. Broad St., Bethlehem, PA.....	6:30-10:00	Mary McGee.....	610-866-7432
A	TRADEMARKS.....	Bryn Athyn School, Bryn Athyn, PA.....	7:00-9:00	Mark Franks.....	609-927-5671
R	TENDERFOOT ROUNDS.....	Church on the Mall, Plymouth Meeting, PA.....	6:30-8:00	Peg Dockry.....	908-995-2133
MS	TENDERFOOT SQUARES.....	Salem Lutheran Church, 134 E. Broad St., Bethlehem, PA.....	7:30-10:00	Ted Knauss.....	610-266-6397
PL	TUMBLEWEEDS.....	Salem UCC, 186 E. Court St., Doylestown, PA.....	8:00-10:00	Helen Greatsinger.....	610-867-0793
PL	YELLOW ROCKERS.....	Christ Lutheran Church, Main St., Hellertown, PA.....	7:30-10:30	Charlie Watters.....	610-398-2743

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ROUND DANCE PARTIES: Come on out and join us on March 7 and April 4 when we will have cuers, Ron & Ree Rumble and Pete & Mary McGee.

Our group dances Phase IV/VI and all dances are programmed by you, the dancer from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m. at the Church on the Mall at the Plymouth Meeting Mall in Plymouth Meeting, PA. For more information call Sally Guenther at (215) 646-8410.

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SAUCON SQUARES & ROUNDS: As you read this, hopefully winter will be past and thoughts of spring are in the air.

On March 13, Ted Knauss will be calling squares along with Mary McGee cueing rounds.

On March 27, we will have a guest caller along with Elaine Novak cueing rounds.

Are you in the mood for a fling? Come out and join us on March 21 at 7:30 p.m. for our Spring Fling Dance with caller, Ted Knauss. This is a great way to welcome in the spring!

April 24 brings caller, Ralph Stapenell to our club along with Ed Miller as cuer. This is bound to be a fun night of dancing.

We dance 2x2 squares every second and fourth Friday of the month from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m. with pre-rounds at 7:30 p.m. Saucon Rounds holds a workshop every Sunday, Country Western and Line Dancing is held on every Monday, Tuesday is the Fantastic Bears workshop, and Sweetheart Rounds holds their workshop every Wednesday.

Come out and visit us at 134 E. Broad Street in Bethlehem, PA for a great evening of dancing. For more information call (610) 865-4072.

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SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES: After our winter break from holding dances, we are anxious to begin our new year.

As usual we are planning to have a great time at our St. Patty's Dance on March 15 with caller, Ed Kerns. This dance will be held at the Cressona Fire Company #1, S. Second Street, Cressona, PA.

Our Annual Spring Jamboree will take place on April 19 at our regular dance location with Roy Leber calling squares and Bob Reaser cueing rounds. Fun and surprises are in store for everyone at this dance.

Our dances are held on the third Sunday of the month from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m. Our regular dance location is Schuylkill Haven Senior Citizen Community Center in Schuylkill Haven, PA. For more information call (717) 366-1873.

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SIMPLY SQUARES: Welcome in spring with a spring in your step at our club! We are looking forward to being joined by any confident, experienced plus dancers that look for a little aerobics along with their dancing. With only two to five minute breaks, we waste no time sitting around between tips. We urge you to come a little early so no time is wasted squaring up and dancing by 7:30 p.m.!

We have some great callers on our line up. Roy Leber will be calling on March 1 followed by Clay Goss on March 15, Jim Snyder on April 5, Ralph Stapenell on April 19, and Mark Franks on May 3. Don't miss them!

We meet at the Wayne Senior Center Building, 108 Station Road, Wayne, PA from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. on the first and third Sunday of the month. Cost is \$3.50/person and you may dress "simply as you please." For more information call (610) 964-8857.

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Plus Workshop, and the fourth Tuesday of the month is set aside for a special dance and the celebration of that month's birthdays and wedding anniversaries.

Our dances and workshops are held from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the Salem UCC Church, 186 E. Court Street, Bethlehem, PA. For more information call our club caller, Helen Greatsinger at (610) 867-0793.

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YELLOW ROCKERS: In January, we all had a great time at our National Caller Dance with Pete Diven. What a nice way to start a New Yellow Rocker Year! Our Annual Dinner Dance in February entitled the "Fabulous 50's" was a day of dancing fun. The committee did a great job with decorations and poodle skirts were the dress of the day. Great dancing was called by Ted Knauss and Dalt Young and cuer, Mary McGee.

Our camping season will begin on April 17-19 at Old Mill Stream Campground in Lancaster, PA. Our caller, cuer and line dance instructor for the weekend will be Ted Knauss.

Regular club dances are held at the Christ Lutheran Church in Hellertown, PA. For more information call (610) 298-2743.



M.E.P. MEMBERSHIP DANCE

by Rich & Joyce Scargill

It rained... football games were on television... and we kept our fingers crossed! It worked! The dancers knew through our advertisement that we had great callers and cuers lined up and they didn't want to miss this wonderful opportunity, so they came. They were not

disappointed either. If you missed it, it was your loss.

We were delighted to have Ray Ayers, Burl Lally, Ralph Stapenell and Dalt Young calling squares for this dance along with cuers, Lil Armstrong, Russ Booz, Frank Fertsch, Pete & Mary McGee, and Bob & Gloria Reaser. Who could ask for a better selection of callers and cuers? Ralph Stapenell used his wit, charm and attention to the dancing schedule to keep the dance fun and always moving. The dancers responded to the music and danced the afternoon away. Most of all, the different club members were able to communicate on and off the dance floor and got to meet other club members of the M.E.P. District.

We were honored to have Vice Presidents of the Federation, Mitch & Carin Cytacki, join us at the dance as well as the 1998 Convention Committee with their super sleuth John Toll (in his Sam Spade raincoat), who used his distinctive boot telephone to encourage everyone to sign up early and come out to the Federation Convention in Cherry Hill next year.

Mainstream Plus Square Dance Shop was on hand to sell square dance apparel and even round dance books for the Intermediate level. Refreshments were varied, delicious and in good quantity.

DANCING BY THE SEA

Okay, so there is snow on the ground. The weather is cold and rotten. Now think sand, surf, and sunshine! It is not too soon to begin to plan to "Dance By The Sea" at the Federation's 14th Annual Wildwood Weekend on April 24-26, 1998 at the Wildwood Crest Pier in Wildwood Crest, NJ.

Think of great square dancing to callers, John Marshall of Virginia and Tom Miller of Pennsylvania and graceful round dancing with cuers, Rich & Alison Lock of Pennsylvania. Think of a spacious hall with a wooden dance floor. Think of square dancing at the Plus or A-2 level starting on Friday evening with workshops all day Saturday and again



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Mar 6	Glenn Matthew	Mary & Pete McGee	Round Meadow St Patrick's Dance
Mar 20	Glenn Matthew	Mary & Pete McGee	Round Meadow
Apr 3	Mark Franks	Julie Dixon	Middle School April Showers
Apr 17	Glenn Matthew	Mary & Pete McGee	Middle School
May 1	Glenn Matthew	Mary & Pete McGee	Middle School
May 15	Evan Pauley	Mary & Pete McGee	Round Meadow

EASY LEVEL DANCES

Class Level - Mainstream - Easy Plus - 7:45 to 10:15 PM
Lehman Methodist, Hatboro, Pa. - Info Call: Mary & Mike 215-785-2505

Mar 14	Class Level	Glenn Mathew	Apr 25	Mainstream	Bob Clark
Apr 11	No Dance	Happy Easter	May 9	Mainstream	Bob Clark

ROUND DANCE CLASSES

MONDAY NIGHTS

Round Meadow School

7:00 - Phase III/IV

8:30 - Beginners

Info Call: Pat & Marty
215-674-2630

THURSDAY NIGHTS

UM Middle School

7:00 - Phase IV/V

8:30 - New Grads

Info Call: Rowland & Lois
215-674-8320

SQUARE DANCE CLASSES

Tuesdays, 7:30 PM, Upper Moreland Middle School

PLUS LEVEL CLASSES BEGIN IN APRIL

Info Call: Carol 215-675-9476

Mark Your Calendars

TOM MILLER
June 19, 1998

ED FOOTE
August 21, 1998

CRAIG ROWE
October 30, 1998

on Sunday morning. Think of round dancing up to the Phase V level on the same dance schedule. Think of buying new spring dance apparel at the Total Image Square Dance Shop. Think of walking on the boardwalk and inhaling the sea air before it starts carrying great clouds of pollen.

Just signing up for the Wildwood Weekend should relieve the winter doldrums. Call Mitch & Carin Cytacki at (215) 736-7436 for reservations. (Please remember to wear soft-soled shoes on the polished wood gymnasium floor at Wildwood Crest's Pier.)

THANK YOU

by Barbara Young

The outpouring of cards and messages of sympathy, monetary gifts, baking of cakes, and attendance at the memorial service for Dalt was a great tribute to him and most appreciated by me and my family. It just proves that square dancers are the best, and I thank you all.



SHOP TO YOU DROP WITH THE 47TH NATIONAL

There are many "outlet stores" around the two Carolinas, in fact, "outlet shopping" started in our area as the many textile sought markets for their "seconds." Now "outlet shopping" is nation wide and world wide and you have to look hard to find those bargain "seconds" or "irregulars." Among the many, many locations you will find as you visit the Carolinas are the following:

Carolina Factory Shops, located in Gaffney, SC at the intersection on I-85 and Route 105 (Exit 90), just 55 miles from Charlotte, NC, offers a day of money saving shopping at the many outlet stores. You will find the finest quality merchandise at prices substantially lower than everyday department and specialty store prices. Not only does the variety and selection of merchandise prove to be unbeatable, you will find a play area for the children as well as a food court and ATM's. Stroller rentals, wheelchairs, copy and fax services, and gift certificates are also available. Carolina Factory Shops are open Monday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. and Sunday from 1:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Call (864) 902-9900 for further information.

Cannon Village, located 27 miles north of Charlotte on I-85 (Exit 58) in Kannapolis, offers fine shopping and bargain hunting which is complemented by the atmosphere and pleasures of a simpler time. While browsing through this collection of factory direct and specialty stores, take time to enjoy the charm and beauty of the colonial surroundings. You will delight in the abundance of shopping opportunities offered here. Wares include fashions for the entire family, gifts, furnishings and home decor, linens, luggage, jewelry, and more. Several restaurants, including a K & W Cafeteria, can be found along the brick sidewalks.

Get a glimpse back in time by visiting the Cannon Village Visitor's Center. Here you will see the history of Cannon Mills which grew to be one of the nation's largest manufacturers of household textiles.

If you believe that shopping should be a special event, visit out fine outlets while dancing at the 47th National Convention in Charlotte, NC on June 24-28, 1998.

AMERICAN FOLK DANCE STATUS

Mississippi is in! North Dakota is in! South Dakota is in! Missouri is in! Connecticut is in! Georgia is in! And Ne-

braska is in!

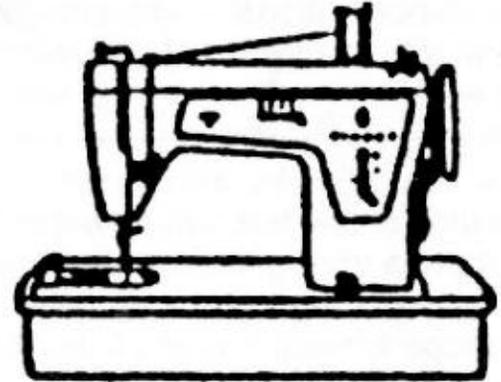
These states have joined the other 23 states in designating the "SQUARE DANCE" as their official American Folk Dance of their state! Now, 30 of the 50 states in the USA have this honor. Another 14 states are busily working on obtaining this status and just a handful are inactive on this project.

Those states that have the designation are as follows: Kentucky, Oregon, Washington, Tennessee, Alabama, New Jersey, Florida, West Virginia, Oklahoma, California, Idaho, Massachusetts, Illinois, Arizona, Arkansas, Virginia, Montana, Texas, Colorado, Delaware, South Carolina, Maryland, Utah, Mississippi, North Dakota, South Dakota, Missouri, Connecticut, Georgia and Nebraska. Great job gang!

The Folk Dance Committees of the United Square Dancers of America and Legacy are working together in a nationwide campaign at the state level to designate the Square Dance as the Folk Dance in as many states as possible. When a good foundation of state victories has been attained, United Square Dancers of America and Legacy will introduce a new National Bill in Congress to make the Square Dance our National Folk Dance. But first — the states campaign!

For additional information concerning the American Folk Dance campaign, con-

tact: USDA National Folk Dance Chairmen, Duke & Doris McCleskey, P.O. Box 372633, Satellite Beach, FL 32937; (407) 773-9157 or Legacy American Folk Dance Chairmen, Frank & Helen Cavanaugh, 20 Wooton Drive, Vincentown, NJ 08088; (609) 859-1937.



RUTHIE'S SEWING BASKET

by Ruth McLay

Hopefully by the time you read this article, we will be into warmer weather and starting to think of our flower and vegetable gardens. Think spring, shall we say!

Perhaps you would like to change your wardrobe. Why not add a few changes to your dress ruffles, such as color, using a contrasting bias tape or ric-rac on the edge of the ruffle. You could also trim the sleeve and neckline of your dress to match the ruffle. This can make you feel

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like a new person without creating too much expense.

Why not try to make a new skirt by using bits and pieces of some old skirts that you no longer wear. Be creative. It may surprise you what you can come up with.

Finally, you can try trimming the bottom of your petticoat. If you trim your petticoat with a bright colored bias tape, this will change the effect of your petticoat when you twirl around the dance floor. You can also use several colors of bias tape at one time which will give your petticoat a variegated effect. When you tire of one color, you can take off the bias tape without too much trouble and change your petticoat again.

May you enjoy this new season and let's do plenty of square dancing! See you next issue.



ALTERNATIVE DANCE PROGRAMS (TARGET 2000 PROPOSAL)

There has been much discussion in the last few months regarding Callerlab dance program changes. An ad-hoc committee was established to study the feasibility of redesigning our programs for the purpose of increasing new dancer participation and improving dancer retention. This committee presented a proposal to the Callerlab membership at the 1997 Convention in Los Angeles, CA.

This proposal, entitled Target 2000, is now being studied by the Callerlab membership. It is the main topic of discussion scheduled for the 1998 Callerlab Convention in Cincinnati, OH. The proposal is in resolution form and will be presented to the Callerlab membership

for their approval or disapproval on April 8, 1998 in Cincinnati, OH. All dancers, dancer associations, callers, caller associations, and all other interested parties may receive and review the proposal in order to formulate their own opinions and perhaps relay those opinions to Callerlab members who will be voting on the issue. Informational packets containing the proposal may be acquired by writing to: Callerlab Target 2000 Proposal, 829 3rd Avenue SW, Suite 285, Rochester, MN 55904-7313. Enclose a #10 size self-addressed envelope stamped with enough postage for three ounces of domestic delivery (78¢ domestic USA).

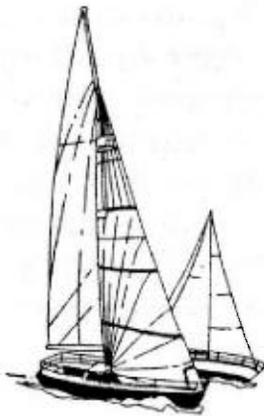
Any interested parties who have access to e-mail and the Internet may partake in an ongoing discussion regarding the proposal by send an e-mail to MAJORDOMO@DMSHOME.ORG. The body of the e-mail message need only contain one line as follows: Subscribe SD-2000 (your e-mail address). This will subscribe the sender to a mail list entitled SD-2000. This mail list is not restricted to callers. Everyone is encouraged to participate. Postings to this mail list are the opinions of the participants and not of Callerlab, the Callerlab Board of Governors or the Callerlab Executive Committee.

Callerlab has always been responsive to proposals submitted for study and consideration by its members. The proposal regarding changes to the existing dance programs will receive complete, objective and immediate consideration. The Callerlab membership will vote to accept or reject any proposed changes to the dance programs. If any changes are endorsed by a vote of the membership, Callerlab will issue the appropriate press release and notices advising all interested parties of the changes.

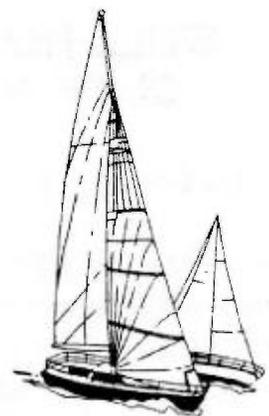
Until such time there are NO changes in the current Callerlab dance program structure. All programs remain intact at this time.

Throughout the years Callerlab has remained a major stabilizing factor in square dancing. Our dance programs will remain relatively stable to insure the continued growth and well being of the activity. The membership of Callerlab

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STILL NO SIGN OF CLIFF HANGER

by George & Bonnie Wilson

As of the deadline for this highly regarded publication, there is still no word on the fate of Cliff Hanger. Many leads have been followed with negative results. As you know, Cliff Hanger, the caller/cuer for the Who Dun It Squares, has been missing since September and the search has widened to all parts of the Square Dance World.

Cliff was to be an important part of the Delaware Valley's 37th Annual Convention Committee. The rest of the committee have been valiantly trying to continue on but it is difficult since Cliff not only provides refreshments for our dances but also for our committee meetings.

Our Registration Chairperson, Casey Bradshaw has been brushing aside her tears at the thought of losing Cliff and his chocolate chip cookies, but she is carrying on accepting registrations for the Convention. She tells me that registrations are coming in nicely, but she still hasn't heard from a lot of you that she has been counting on. Personally, I can think of no reason that anyone who claims to care about square dancing and the future of the square dancing world would not want to be at the Cherry Hill Hilton on September 10-12, 1998. We need your registration now to gain leverage with the hotel to get the dance halls we need. We have to be able to show them that a larger number of dancers that last year will be coming to the 37th Convention and stay at the hotel.

If you put off registering until next summer or until you are absolutely sure you can make it — it will be too late — the rooms we want will have already been rented out. So, if you think you are going to attend, but are waiting to make sure of your vacation, please send in your registration now. If things change and

you can't make it, we will refund your money minus \$5.00 up to August 15, 1998.

Also... remember this year the Convention is during the second weekend in September. We have heard from two clubs that normally dance during the second weekend that they have cancelled their dances so they can be in Cherry Hill with us. If your club falls into this category, tell your officers they should go dark to support the Delaware Valley Federation's Convention.

Break... News Flash... This just in... Investigators are rushing to Loretto, PA where someone fitting the description of caller-napping suspect Tom "Tiny" Miller was seen throwing a large object off a bridge into the river. Check your evening news for more on this late breaking story.

The members of the Who Dun It Squares have started visiting clubs in the area looking for clues into Cliff's disappearance. To those clubs we have visited, we thank you for your hospitality and for sharing your refreshments with us!



WHERE DO WE SEND OUR CHANGES?

To be assured that you will receive your copy of "Squares and Rounds" magazine, any changes of address must be forwarded to: Marian Dugan, 1188 Montgomery Avenue, Schwenksville, PA 19472-2514; (610) 489-1859.

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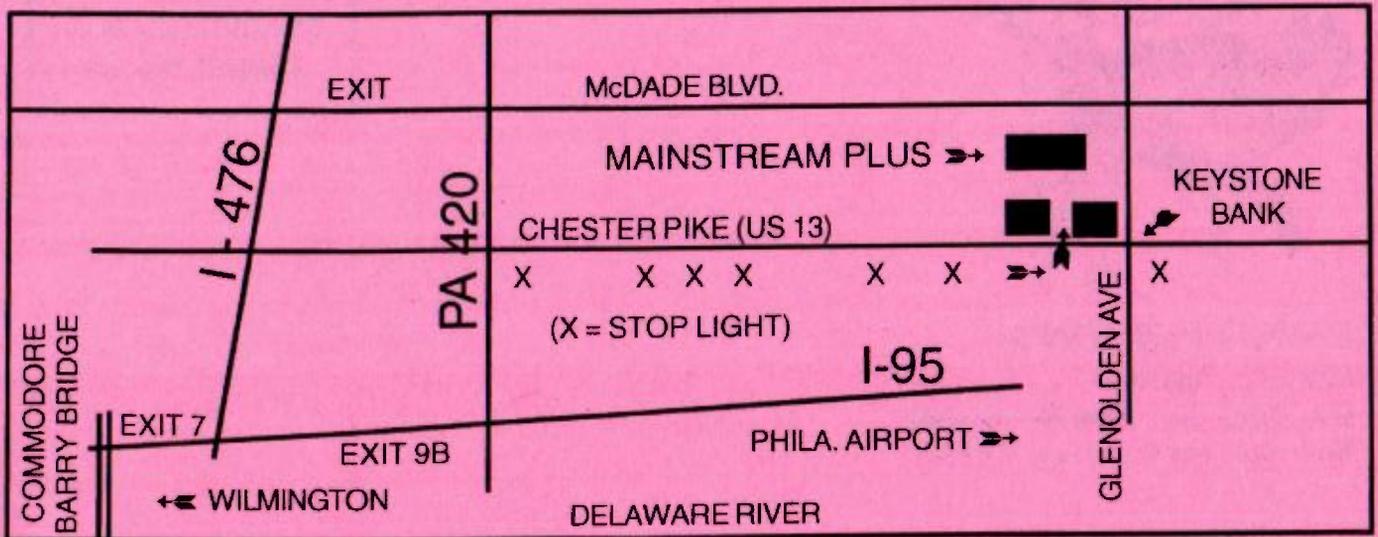
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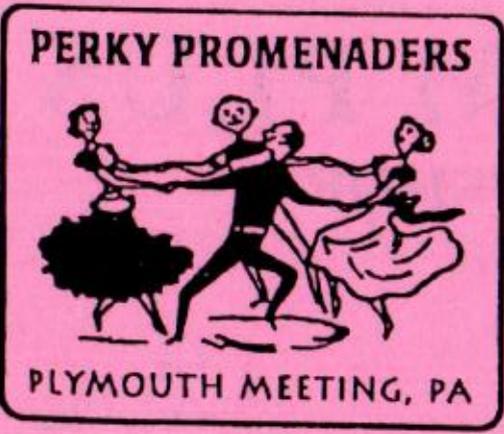
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