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 As we approach the summer months, let us keep in mind that square dancing is a 12 -month activity. Although your thoughts will soon turn to outdoor activities, it is still a pleasure to "Square Up" and dance in air-conditioned comfort. Please remember that your club need your support throughout the year.

Once again this summer the NNJSDA will be holding 10 Summer Dances during Juiy and August. The first 5 of these dances wili be held in İselin and the second 5 in Paramus. We have changed our dance location to give the northern area clubs an opportunity to dance closer to home. Remember, these dances are for everyone. They are FUN and they will give you the opportunity to renew old friendships as well as help the new dancers.

On April 16, 1994 New Jersey square dancers attended the annual Convention at Trenton State College. We hope you had the opportunity to attend. It is hard to visualize exactly how popular square dancing is until you see several thousand dancers assembled at one location. Speaking of conventions, the National Convention will be held June 22-25 in Portland, Oregon. Over 25,000 square dancers are expected to attend. We personally guarantee that you will enjoy yourself.

On April 23rd, the NNJSDA held the "Spring Fling." Once again we tried something new. Instead of having many local callers, we gave you a caller from out of the area. Randy Page called a very enjoyable dance and everyone had a great time. The THANKS for this fantastic event goes to 2nd VPs, Ralph \& Marilyn Neibart.

One week later, Randy Page was joined by Brian Fugere and called a wellContinued on page 4


## 1993-1994 NNJSDA CALENDAR

## May:

1- Delegates Meeting Grand Square Distribution 22 - NNJSDA Executive Board Mtg. June:
22 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
Summers/Summers; Iselin
22-25-43rd National SD Convention Portland, OR
29 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
Kaltenthaler/Tristram; Iselin
July:
6 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS) Amor/Testa; Iselin
13 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
Landi/Roberts; Iselin
17 - Grand Square Deadline
20 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
Gotta/Gotta; Iselin
27 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
Richman/Bichler; Paramus

## August:

3- NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS) KoftKoft; Paramus
10 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS) Dougherty/Wagenhoffer; Paramus
14 - NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.
17 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS) Mazziotti/Kushla; Paramus
24 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS) Conklin/Dockery; Paramus
31 - NNJSDA Warm-Up Dance (+) Matthew/Spinks; Iselin Grand Square Distribution

## September:

18 - Delegates Meeting
30 - NNJSDA Special Dance (+) Mike Callahan (NY)

## October:

2-L.U.S.T.
29- NNJSDA Special ( + ) Cliff Brodeur (MA) "ONE SQUARE IS FAIR"

Presidents' Letter continued from page 3
choreographed dance for all the Plus level dancers. THANKS for this outstanding event go to 1st VPs, Frank \& Carol Homer. At this dance the NNJSDA Executive Board presented Past Presidents, Fred \& Kathryn Hill, with a plaque and an "Honorary Life Membership" in the Association. Fred \& Kathryn have served on the Executive Board as Insurance Coordinators ever since leaving the Presidency. It is solely through their efforts that the member clubs of the Association have been able to obtain such a favorable insurance rate.

As you plañ summer vacations, rememier io inciude square dancing in them. No matter where you travel, you will find a square dance club near by. Familiarize yourself with the National Square Dance Directory, which lists clubs throughout the world. For many of us, square dancing has become a way of life. A day seldom passes that square dancing does not have an effect on our life.

Clubs, don't forget to send us your completed Raid Cards. We've already received several and know many more are almost full. You don't want to pay dues next year because you forgot to mail the completed card.

Congratulations to Cross Trail Squares and $Y$ Squares. These clubs were raided by the Executive Board and presented with a "One Square is Fair" Award for the 1993 Summer Dances. Thanks for your support.....what about all the other clubs, where are you?

In closing, on behalf of the entire Executive Board, we hope that you will have an enjoyable summer and we hope that you will honor us by dancing in our square. SQUARE 'EM UP!


1994 POSTER CONTEST RULES
Object of the contest: to stimulate interest in square dancing.

1. Anyone is eligible to enter whether or not they are square dancers.
2. Any number of entries may be submitted.
3. ALL posters MUST be $11^{\prime \prime} \times 17, "$ done in black ink on white paper or poster board.
4. Subject may be any square dance theme, but MUST include:
a. National Square Dance Month - September
b. Sufficient space left for each club to fill in their own class or open house information.
5. Avoid "localizing" the poster to any one geographic area as it will be used in New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania.
6. Mail or deliver entries to the 3rd VPs, Sal \& Mary Alessi, 5 Villa Road, Little Falls, NJ 07424 (Tel: 201-256-1647).
7. All entries MUST be received by Friday, May 20, 1994. Judging will be Sunday, May 22, 1994by the NNJSDA Executive Board.
8. All entries become the property of the NNJSDA and may be displayed at National and State Square Dance Conventions.
9. The winning poster will be reprinted by the NNJSDA and distributed during the Summer Dances for use in promoting classes.
10. The winning poster will be featured on the cover of the September issue of Grand Square.
11. The winning artist(s) will receive appropriate recognition at an NNJSDA Summer Dance.
Contact Sal \& Mary Alessi at the above number if you have any questions.

## L.U.S.T. '94 is coming October 2nd.

$>$ For all dancers both new and experienced >Interesting discussion sessions
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Full details in the next issue and flyers. Advance registration is necessary. L.U.S.T.'94 is being funded by the NNJSDA and a grant from the Square Dance Council of New Jersey.

# COOL SUMMER DANCES 1994 

VFW Auditorium<br>465 Lincoln Highway (Route 27), Iselin, NJ<br>2nd and 4th Fridays<br>Air Conditioned

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| Jun 24 | Plus | Will Larsen / Ellen Dees |
| Jul 8 | Plus | Steve Forman / Al Spinks |
| Jul 22 | MS | Jim Snyder / Karen Kushla |
| Aug 12 | Plus | Don Coy / Kathy Koft |
| Aug 26 | Plus | Dick Mazziotti \& Bill Heyman / <br> Al Spinks |

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This season club news will be in alpfiabetical order from $\mathcal{A} \cdot \mathcal{Z}$.
AL'e'MO SQUARES -- Brooklyn, NY
(MS w/+ tips)

## 2 \& 4 Sundays

Menorah Home, 1516 Oriental Blvd.
The snow has stopped! We're back on a regular schedule. When we would see snow, we knew it was Wednesday. We missed three class nights and it vecarne very depressing, but we wiil spring back (in the spring).

Our "Toys for Children" Dance was very successful. As you see, we call it Toys for Children because we look to give to the older child. Our other benefit dance was "Food for the Needy." Our resident artist, Shirley Anger (who is just as much at home in So-Ho as she is on the dance floor), painted a beautiful prospectus of the need for food that we displayed on the wall of our dance hall. We donated a respectable amount of food to a Battered Women's Center. The other themes of the season have been very invigorating and we enjoyed the evenings even more so. All the credit for that goes to our two hostesses; Fredda Kerner and Esther Rood.

One of the highlights for this season was a visitor from Munich, Germany. A gentleman staying in Manhattan, came to dance with us at our Sunday night dance. Very interesting!

Another impressive event of our season was the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Grace \& Morris Schneider. Of course, we had a cake for them and we sang our best wishes for another 50 .

Our raid program is going great guns with at least two squares at each raid. All thanks to the great job done by Vincent Nuniziato. We also celebrated Dot Coy's birthday this March but we were not told which one it was. Something about 39 plus or minus. Speaking about the Coys, we are so fortunate to have them with us and we try to support Don at the dances he calls in the area.

We have plans to have the biggest Graduation of all time with 36 graduates, all doing great, and a tribute to our club. We are also planning to have our annual "End of the Season Dinner" that will include the installation of new officers.
(Ad on page 24)

## GOING TO PORTLAND? WANT A ROOMMATE?

I'd like to share room costs and chitchat at the National Convention in Portland with another woman.

Non-smoking a must. 201-947-5211

# ATTENTION CLUB PRESIDENTS <br> Look for the special envelope addressed to you distributed at the May 2nd Delegates Meeting.containing the '94-'95 NNJSDA Qestionnaire. Please fill it out and return to the Editors by June 15th. 

bEE SHARPS -- Somerville, NJ

## 2 \& 4 Fridays

St. John's Episcopal Church, 158 West High St.
Winter is just a memory now and spring is here. We also have another dance season drawing to a close. The Bee Sharps would like to congratulate each and every student graduating. We welcome you to the wonderful world of square dancing and we look forward to dancing with all of you.

Several of our dances had to be canceled due to the bad weather we had. It seemed like the snow always came in on a weekend. But many of us were able to dance on other nights at other clubs. We enjoyed meeting and dancing with a lot of new friends.

We would like to thank this season's Executive Board for all the hard work they did and we also wish good luck to the new incoming group. We also would like to remind everyone that now is the time to begin recruiting new students for the fall. It is never too early to start.

Bee Sharps will be having Summer Dances, so please come and dance with us. We love having guests and we dance for fun and enjoyment. See you in a square.
(Ad on page 17,55)
Lillian Davis
908-722-1747


beLLES \& BEAUX -- Glen Rock, NJ (MS w+ tip)

1 \& 3, Wednesdays
2 \& 4 Tuesdays (Jul \& Aug)

As I write this, I'm thinking of the record-breaking winter and canceled dances; spring barely starting to burst, but spirits are lifting; clubs are again dancing, and newly graduated dancers are learning for themselves that the more dances you attend, the better it gets. Our congratulations to all!

Our Sunday afternoon student dances were a great success. Only one fell victim to that winter white stuft, but three out of four isn't bad. Following March's dance, past presidents Ken \& Edna Franz welcomed our students to their annual soup and salad supper (not to mention those divine desserts!). Their hospitality was enjoyed and appreciated by all. As of press time, we are still looking forward to our April student-level dance with our first national caller.

This spring's annual mystery bus raid has a new twist. We added an extra attraction which was advertised: a stop at the NJ State Aquarium in Camden. And we had permission to dance at the aquarium, not underwater though. At press time, we already had one bus almost full, and with a month yet before the deadline, we will probably "set sail" with two buses.

Still a mystery is the restaurant (fish was definitely not on the menu!) and the final destination - the club where we will dance. According to our president, no one has yet accurately guessed where we will be dancing. Now you can ask anyone who went!

We're happy to say Pat Broderick recovered from one ailment; we're sorry to say it was followed a few weeks later by another, but Pat is now on the mend. Also, by the time you read this, Jackie Jasinski is hopefully up and around after doing damage to not one, but both her ankles - at the same time! (Ad on page 11)

Arlene Morin
201-427-7012


COUNTRY PROMENADERS -- Edison, NJ

## 2 \& 4 Saturdays <br> Stelton Community Center, Plainfield Ave. (Rt. 529)

A quick check of the Grand Square schedule tells me this is to be the summer issue. This means people who read this should be thinking about mowing the grass and what to do about the hot weather. Well, as this is written, the last of the snow has not melted, and I don't think it will ever melt. The winter weather took quite a toll on both dancing and dancers. Our presidents, Bob \& Mary Nilan, had a bad spill on the ice that injured both of them. Mike \& Mary Adelman are also not dancing because of Mike's ankle infury. There should be a special dangle for those whi survived the winter of '93-'94 and kept on dancing.

A specia! thanks is in order for the group of people who once belonged to MT Squares and now attend our dances. Our club, like so many others, is struggling to keep going and that extra square sure heips.

This summer the place to be is the FIVE CLUBS dances, so you can keep up your dancing skills and be ready to come dance with us in September.
(Ad on page 6, 43)
Hank \& Lillian Comeau
908-463-0255


43rd Nationa!<br>Square Dance Convention<br>Advance Registration<br>PO Box 5906, Salem, OR 97304-0906

43rd National Square Dance Convention Portland, Oregon June 22-25, 1994

If it's WEDNESDAY, it must be snow! Mother Nature has reliably and systematically dumped a fresh blanket of the "white stuff" on us every Wednesday since December. So what, you say? Well, just ask any CTS dancer about this WEDNESDAY ritual which has brought regular scheduled club dances to a complete halt. That meant Winter Wonderiand, Fuii Moon, Valentines', and Presidents' Day theme dances were just left in suspended animation. The decorations were made, the mixers were planned and ready to go, but never to be used.

Square dancers are a tenacious bunch, so when WEDNESDAY storms "froze" CTS dances, the students just picked up the thread and kept on going. When their Tuesday class was snowed out, they just spin chained thru to Bergenfield for a make-up class, and passed thru to a student dance at Harmony Dancers where they raided along with CTS angels. There was no stopping them. They danced at CCNJ, and to top it off, a baker's dozen earned their purple hearts at that dance.

Fortunately, in addition to the dreaded WEDNESDAYS, there were Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays in each week. On Friday, we raided Ironia Reelers, on Saturday, we did a demo at the West Caldwell Nursing Home; and on the following Sunday, had our Annual Dinner Dance. This year it was held at the Russian Hall with Bill \& Joan Wagner calling. Great food, fun and dancing for everyone.

I looked out the window this morning and saw something strange. It wasn't white, it didn't look like snow - I think it might be GRASS.

Elaine Edelman
201-325-0706


Welcome new dancers! You've recently graduated after months of hard work and FUN, and can now DANCE at any club listed as Mainstream. FAD stands for FUN AT DANCING, so this is one club you should include in your travels. We dance all summer in air-conditioned comfort. Come on down! You'll be welcome, and soon feel like family.

As outgoing Presidents, Don \& I appreciate all the work and cooperation given us by fellow officers and other dancers. We hope the incoming presidents will enjoy it as much as we have. On a personal note: we've all missed Daisy Orlove, and have noticed that anyone who sits in her chair usually wins the 50-50. George and Dot Loewenstein now have a total of 16 grandkids (G: 11; D: 5). No, Dot does not plan on catching up! We made raids to Belles \& Beaux and Tenafly Squares and received raids from Tenafly, Circle Eights, and Covered Bridge Squares.

Attention new graduates from all clubs: Don't lose the skills you've learned. Take advantage of the NNJSDA Wednesday evening dances all summer. Check Grand Square ads for other clubs that dance Mainstream during the summer; look for flyers advertising Mainstream weekends. Get to know other dancers. Invite them to join you for coffee after a dance; car pool to save gas on longer trips; SMILE a lot. And when your square breaks down, never apologize, simply SMILE and glance toward the caller, everyone else will assume (s)he made the error, not you! We are all dancers now; it is a cooperative venture, not competitive. For success, we all help each other. Don't be afraid of the caller, introduce yourself. You may find a new friend! (Ad on page 56)

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## 1 \& 3 Saturdays

Chisholm School, S. Springfield Ave. \& Shunpike
It's Thursday night. We should be on a raid to Valley Squares, so why are we at home writing this article for the Grand Square? Sore muscles and piles of white stuff outside are the answer. Our raid has been snowed out - again!

Harmony Dancers, who have attended four raids, received a free dance ticket. So far the Biermanns and the Eckmanns have qualified. Several others are almost there, but we can't raid a canceled dance. Fortunately, we have been luckier with our regular dances since we haven't had to cancel any so far, up to mid-March, that is.

Our annual Ron Rumble Round Dance took place between storms. More than 40 couples enjoy ?d an afternoon of round dancing. We look forward to doing it again next January. Our Presidents' Dance was also well attended. Nine club Presidents and an NNJSDA Vice President accepted our invitation and our hospitality. We reciprocated by visiting as many clubs as possible. It's a great opportunity to dance at clubs that we normally don't get to.

We were especially pleased by the turnout at our Mainstream class-level dance. More than 8 squares, about half angels, danced to Dick Mazziotti's calling and learned lines from Lois Bichler. Belles \& Beaux and Cross Trail Squares had enough attendees for a club-class raid! We especially want to thank those Harmony Dancers who came out to angel.
(Ad on page 6, 46)
Jim \& Kate Malcolm
201-377-3202
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## Friday, June 10, 1994-8:00-10:30 PM Alpine Boat Basin Pavition

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HIX \& CHIX -- Elmwood Park, NJ
(MS \& PL) MS - 1 \& 3 Thursdays (May-Aug)
PL - 2, 4, 5 Thursdays (Sept-Aug)
VFW Hall, 6 Veterans Place
Hix \& Chix started the New Year a little late - January 13 to be exact. Steve Forman called for the "celebration" and Nick Raspa cued. Then came the 27th and our Birthday Nite got buried in the snow and sleet. We'll try again next year. Mardi Gras night in early February was a big hit, thanks to Len Anfinsen, Nick, and a Mardi Gras special treat courtesy of Pauline Robinson, "dirty rice," and decorations by the Bachmanns.

Nick Raspa got a night off when Dan Koft called and his wife, Kathy, cued February 24th, and yours truly went to Florida for some sunshine. Our illustrious President, Mike Pavy, was already long gone there.

Our annual Dinner Dance was held at the Brownstone Inn, Paterson, on March 6. John Kaltenthaler and Nick Raspa satisfied our restless feet. A generous buffet of choice entrees and other dishes satisfied the taste buds. Our thanks to the Wymans, the Huettemanns, Kay Lisa and helpers for another fun afternoon.

With some help at last from the weather (a Thursday without a storm), we had a great evening March 10, dancing to Buckskin Records recording artist Hank Lutcher. He and his wife, Janet, made the round trip from up around Williamsport, PA, and we certainly appreciated it.

Note our ad please, our schedule changes in May!
(Ad on page 49)
Brenda \& Dick Dexter
201-529-3372

## 1 \& 3 Fridays

Ironia Elem. School, Rt. 513, Dover-Chester Rd.
Despite the fact several dances were canceled due to the never-ending snow storms this past winter, we managed to keep our dancing shoes moving.

In January, 9 couples raided Bee Sharps. Our February 4th Pie Night was a big success. What a variety of calorie-free pies! We were raided that evening by the Warren Wheelers with their mechanical wagon leading the way. Two more Reelers have left for distant territory; John \& Renee Kaiser moved to Collinsville, Illinois. We wish them well in their new venture.

March 1st, 12 couples raided Lakeland Squares and then we had the pleasure of Cross Trails raiding us on March 4th. It was puppet night with Dalt Young calling with his ever popular puppets. Several couples displayed their puppets trying to out-do Dalt's.

Our thanks to the outgoing Executive Board Members for their hard work in making our club so successful.

With much sorrow, we extend our condolences to the family of Jim Williams. Jim passed away after major heart surgery.

Congratulations to the new Graduates. Everyone keep those dancing shoes moving and enjoy the summer dances. See you in September.
(Ad on page 10)
Marion \& Bill Grady
908-879-4920

# Western Wheelers S/D Club 

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## Nick Raspa, Club Cuer

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## PAUL BRODY SCHOLARSHIP

All callers, new or experienced, are invited to apply for funds to subsidize attendance at a Callerlab accredited callers' school. Application must be made by June 30. Send to: Dot Loewenstein, 77 Lincoln Ave., Elmwood Park, NJ 07470-201-797-1934.


KINGS SQUARES -- Brooklyn, NY
1 \& 3 Sundays Redeemer St. John Church, 939 83rd St.
We hope all of our square dancing friends have enjoyed their holidays of St. Patrick's Day, Palm Sunday, Passover, and Easter in good health.

Congratulations to all anniversary and birthday celebrants; to Ruth Cohen on the birth of her grandson, Joshua; to the new graduates, who will enjoy the life of square dancing.

Kings Squares was the first club in the NNJSDA to complete the Raid Program this season with 7 raids to the other clubs.

Join us in square dancing camaraderie for both our May dances. The first Sunday is our Graduation and on the third Sunday is our last dance of the season, our Ice Cream Social.

We wish all of you a wonderful and healthy summer. See you dancing!
Ruth Cohen
718-449-0037
(Ad on page 18)
Regina McCourt
718-434-2581

## RECRUITING TIP

- Confirm date for Open Houses in September NOW!!!
- Put, date, time, place and contact person on a flyer, with a tear-off section. Distribute at demos, parades, etc.
- Have prospective dancers fill out the bottom section with their name, address and telephone. Give them back the top portion.
- 2-3 weeks before Open House, send an invitation or postcard to " remind them.

Hopefully we're having a real spring heat wave when you read this. As I write this, the flurries are getting thicker and thicker. Many of our club dates were canceled this season, but we had a big helping of fun and fellowship anyway. Lakeland Squares raided us on a clear night. It was good to see everyone. We completed our raid schedule with Leisure Squares in PA. What a nice drive! We welcome you all to raid us in beautiful northern New Jersey.

Our students joined us at our Christmas Dance and handled themselves very well. Being new dancers ourselves, we know how important it is to include our students and build their confidence. The lady that does that best is Mickey McFarland. She brings her rare and wonderful qualities of teaching to our club and students. We are all richer for having her with us. Thanks Mickey!

Thirteen lucky Rangers went to Virginia Beach for a Sweethearts Weekend in February.. Our own Paula \& Roy Lawrence and Donna Poyer \& Chuck Conklin were among the dancers who demonstrated the Advanced program in the hotel lobby. Besides great callers and dancing for every program, plus contras and rounds, there were other added pleasures. It was green, warm, sunny, and pansies were in bloom. Our little "extras" included beach walking, bicycle riding, and a whale watch. What a sight to see 400 dancers' smiling faces.

Linda \& Wes Jacobus of Boots \& Spurs are teaching country-western every 1st Friday of the month at our club. What fun! Please come.

The last of our news is on our dinner dance. The "Cruise to Nowhere" sailed off on the sea of good times with a full crew of happy sailors. Get your reservation in early next year. They go fast.
(Ad on page 52)
John \& Ruth Seaman
201-764-7134



LAKELAND SQUARES -- Parsippany, NJ (MS w/+ tip) Every Tuesday Temple Beth Am, 879 S. Beverwyck Rd.
We're all "stompin' at the bit" to the rhythm of the music, hoping each week that we will be able to dance. With all the snow this year, plans are subject to a sudden change! Spring is here, or so saith the calendar. Butch Conklin has kept us going with Raid plans. A square and a half raided Leisure Squares in E. Stroudsburg, PA, and some of us ventured forth to Staten Island to dance with Richmond Dancers.

Our Dinner Dance in May should be a huge success, with wonderful food, fellowship and dancing. We all look forward eagerly to this annual event.

We mourn the loss of Jim Williams. He leaves a great void in our lives. Our prayers and love go out to his family.

Remember, we dance each Tuesday through the end of July. During one of our June dances, we plan to conduct a Chinese Auction. We look forward to seeing you at our dances.
(Ad on page 25)
Margaret Brownell
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## LEISURE SQUARES -- E. Stroudsburg, PA (MS w/+ tips)

 1 \& 3 Saturdays J.M. Hill School, E. Broad St.As we write this, the sun is shining, the snow is melting, and spring is almost here. Despite the bad weather, which resulted in a smaller attendance than usual, our Crazy Hat Dance inspired some dancers to go all out. The winners were Alberta \& Bob Decker. Their theme was Winter \& Spring, so her hat was covered with icicles and his decorated with flowers, birds, a rake, etc. A very creative couple.

At our Pie Dance this year, we auctioned off several pies by enlisting the aid of Chuck Hatfield as auctioneer. He did a fine job keeping the bidding moving at a very lively pace resulting in a sizeable contribution to our treasury.

At our Presidents' Dance, we had the pleasure of welcoming John \& Joan Berg, Presidents of the NNJSDA, and the Presidents of Lakeland Squares, Valley Squares, and Kittatinny Rangers, who also raided us. We realized there were three callers among the dancers presents, Mickey McFarland, Len Anfinsen, and Tom Moss. Our club caller, Dalt Young, invited them to join him in calling a tip to the delight of everyone.

We wish to thank all of you who many times braved the winter weather to join us on the dance floor, proving once again that square dancers are a hearty breed.

Our dance season ends May 21st and we wish everyone a great summer. See you all in the fall.
(Ad on page 34)
Millie Connelly
717-588-9226

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## 1 \& 3 Wednesdays First Presbyt. Church, 494 Rt. 10 West

Our best news for this issue is that it is spring! And not a moment too soon! In the "Did you know" Department: Did you know that Mountain Squares was represented in Lillehammer? Yes! Our own Ina Minor and her daughter, Ellen, appeared at the Olympics and won a team gold in the event called "Having a good time!" Ina and Ellen topped off their trip with a few days at Petersburg.

Our Raid Program is dancing along on schedule. We led over 3 squares to Ironia Reelers and had a very good time. Raids to Cross Trails and Western Wheelers will complete our program.

As a special event, we are hosting an Advanced program student dance at the end of March, with John Kaltenthaler calling. We expect a good turnout of new Advanced dancers eager to show their stuff. We invite all Advanced graduates, recent and not so recent, to come out and enjoy our regular club caller, Joe Landi. The welcome mat is always out, and a warm reception is guaranteed.

As our regular dance season draws to a close, we look forward to our covered-dish supper. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy the fellowship of a sumptuous dinner before our last dance.

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## SEE OUR AD ON PAGE 13 IN THIS ISSUE FOR DETAILS ABOUT OUR SUMMER SPECIAL


#### Abstract

PRINCETON SQUARES -- Hamilton Sq. \& Lawrenceville, NJ MS - Every Wed. (Oct-May) Mercerville School, 60 Regina Ave, Hamilton Sq. (Jun-Sept) see Lawrenceville Fire House address below $+-2 \& 4$ Fri. Fire House, 1252 Lawrenceville Rd. (Rt. 206), Lawrenceville

I imagine by this time, everyone is fed up with the weather and winter. Between the weather and illnesses, our dancing has been the pits. Spring is on the way; Dick saw about 15 robins in the yard recently.

The MS club on Wednesday, although not as well attended as we would like, is a real fun group. Since we are the only active MS club in this area, we are hoping that those dancers not yet ready for Plus will come dance with us. After all, practice makes perfect.

The Monday class is down to approximately one square. They are very enthusiastic and having lots of fun. We do have a need for Angels. The Thursday class is coming along.

The "Arc Angels" some of us have been helping are an excited group and are doing very well. The benefit for this group was a great success and the support from all of you is appreciated. The two class dances in January and February went very well and the students who did attend kept up and had a great time. The callers, as usual, did a fantastic job of keeping everyone on the go. Hope to see everyone at the next class dance and don't forget that you are all welcome to come and get a big "yellow rock" from us anytime. Remember to check out the flyers for more dancing fun.

^[ Jim \& Ona Davis 609-586-6879 Dick \& Dee Evans 609-585-5697 ] (Ad on page 29)


## 2 \& 4 Saturdays

All Saints Church, 2329 Victory Blvd.
I know you have been waiting for this new issue, and I know you immediately turned to this column. No crossword puzzles, no stock information, just plain wholesome news....

May...The graduates are ready to go. Do those "funny clothes" fit? How do I look? Oh, it's so good to see you smile. Zip me up and let's get on with it. New dancers and Angels too should attend the NNJSDA Summer Dances. We all need the experience of dancing with other club dancers. Remember, every Wednesday evening the NNJSDA schedules these dances for your pleasure and experience.

Richmond Dancers have been on raids and "thank you" to the clubs who have raided us. So many of them never knew how nice it is on this side of the bridge.

Our condolences to Susan Reid on the passing of her father. It was good to see Terry \& Mario Clemente out dancing again. Hang in there.

Mark your calendars for the third Saturday in June when the Staten Island Clubs will have a Family Picnic. We will all get together at Nansen Lodge Picnic Park. There will be some square dancing, rounds, and western dancing to help work off the calories. Everyone is invited. Hope to see you there.

This column has had me in the dictionary more times than during high school days.
(Ad on page 27,62 )
Ray O'Neill
718-987-0257


GOOD NEWS! Bergen County (North Jersey Blood Services) has established a blood bank for NNJSDA and its number is also 9192, just like the rest of the area.

ROCKYTOPS OF ROCKLAND -- Pearl River, NY (+ w/A tip)

## 1st Fridays

 Pearl River United Meth. Church, Franklin \& John Sts.The new year got off to a bad start with the cancellation of our January dance due to a snow storm. The weather for our February and March dances was much better and the dances were well attended with 11 squares in February and ten and half squares in March. Now that spring is here, we look forward to a great season with top regional callers.

Presented in recognition of outstanding achievements, we honor Micky Lisak's and Patsy Cassavaugh's dedicated performance of the Treasurers' functions. Their innovative ideas and implementation of special projects such as the RockyTop Newsletter, the design of our badges and RockyTop jackets, as well as the dinner theater functions, and their continuing support of Mainstream and Plus dancing in Rockland County, are some of their accomplishments.

Some of our members are taking "A" lessons with Roy Leber and will be graduating in April. They are very anxious to join in our "A" aftertips. Good luck.

Our condolences to Bob Bourassa on the loss of his wife and to Rita Schildwachter on the loss of her mother. Get well wishes to Francis Himelfarb. Looking forward to seeing all of you at our dances. Come join us for a fun night. We are only 10 minutes from Exit 172 on the GSP.
(Ad on page 20) Herb \& Natalie Horowitz
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RUTGERS PROMENADERS -- N. Brunswick, NJ
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## 2 \& 4 Thursdays

 American Legion Hall, 1015 Linwood PI.It's been an exciting 40th Anniversary Season for Rutgers Promenaders. Not only have we planned a festive Live Music Special to celebrate in May, but also some fun spring events: a Chinese Auction/Presidents' Dance in March, and a Pot-Luck Dinner in April. Hope you were able to participate. Once the snow finally disappears (will there be any remaining by the time you read this?), we plan to be back on the road for raids.

If you enjoyed the recent NJ Convention, you may be interested to know that several members of our club were very involved with this event - beginning with Dan \& Kathy Kott, General Chairmen. So you see, some of us have been kept very busy this winter, even if dances were snowed out!

In spite of the snow, we've managed to have some fun dances, including Animal Night (ask about the Zoo Tip!), and another installment of "Songs You Never Thought You Could Dance To." Our callers, Betsy Gotta \& Dan Koft, have been entertaining us with interesting Mainstream calling, along with creative ideas for each evening's "unusual" tip. We invite all spring graduates to come over and join the fun!

Hope everyone has a great summer, full of happy dancing! See you at the NNJSDA Summer Dances, the Five Clubs Dances, and again in the fall. (Ad on page 6, 39) Helena Robinson 908-874-5830

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# CALLING NEW GRADUATES!!! <br> Be sure to have your Freeloader Card signed by the Treasurers at the NNJSDA Summer Dances. <br> The card is in the packet you received from the NNJSDA at your graduation. 

SEE SAW SQUARES -- Upper Saddle River, NJ (1 MS; $3+$ ) 1 \& 3 Saturdays Old Stone Church Education Ctr., E. Saddle River Rd.

As I sit down in early March to write this for the Summer Issue, our 15 th winter storm is on its way. What a winter it has been!

But in cold, snowy February, hearts were warmed at our Valentine's Dance by the lively calling of Gerry Hardy, and on our Presidents' Night, by the equally lively calling and cueing of Dan \& Kathy Koft. Fourteen Presidents, or their representatives, received "medals of honor" created by our own Madam President, Hillela Ward.

A fitting time is this to pay tribute to our Co-Presidents of 1993-94, Bob \& Hillela Ward, and Irwin Kupferman, for their dedication and hard work. Thank you to our Delegates, the faithful Forgashes, Norman \& Phyllis, always there when needed. Our trusty Treasurers, Arlene \& Steve Reiss, not only kept the books and manned the treasury table, but often stayed late to help clean up as well. Others who often lent a hand in the kitchen included our Raid Chair Carolyn Monahan, Sunshine Lady Helen Geoghegan (pronounced "gay-gen"), and the ever-loyal Jeannette Novak.
Thank you to Chuck Hardy for super See Saw flyers, and to Arthur Kupferman for attractive ads in Grand Square. My apologies to anyone I have not thanked specifically; we appreciate the support of all our members, including those who joined us for the first time this season.
We look forward to finishing up the season by meeting new Mainstream dancers at our Grad Dance the first Saturday in May; new round dancers the third Saturday in May, and, new Plus dancers the third Saturday in June when we celebrate Fathers' Day with John Kaltenthaler calling and Nick Raspa on rounds. Don't forget our annual Re-Sale Night on the first Saturday in June, where you will find bargains galore.

Then, watch for flyers of our 1994-95 season, including a barn dance for your non-dancer friends. Till we resume dancing in September, have a safe and happy summer!
(Ad on page 51)
Joan Schierlitz
914-353-2987

| May | 14- Bob Gaunt |
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| 2nd \& 4th Saturdays |  |

We have been very fortunate this winter at Spinning Wheels. So far, we have not lost one night's dance due to the snow. We did have to postpone our Presidents' Dance because the Civic Center closed, but we have had one great dance after another.

Our mystery caller was Ray Lehberger, who, as you may remember, was a rising young caller before he decided to limit his calling dates, and is even better now, if that is possible. We felt really honored that he called for us.

Our Chinese Auction featured many wonderful items. Our caller was Herb Conklin, who is feeling much better now. He had his granddaughter join him for his last tip, which was a real treat.

Our Presidents' Dance featured 4 CCNJ callers: Jim Broderick, Gerry Hardy, Bob Kozarek, and Fran Wadell. This was emceed by our own very capable and fun-to-dance-to caller, Bob Robinson. We had 2 additional callers in attendance, Len Anfinsen, as President of Valley Squares and Herb Conklin, who joined in to do a tip with Bob Kozarek. Seven callers, (what an honor) and many of the dancers lined up to get these callers to sign their cards. Purple hearts were given out, compliments of Spinning Wheels, to those dancers who had never danced with 3 callers before. With so many callers, even Gerry Hardy received one.

We have many wonderful callers scheduled and we have many special, funloving people who dance with us on Monday nights. Come join us. You'll be glad you did.
(Ad on page 21)
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John Kaltenthaler
Caller
John Kaltenthaler


# Get your Poster Contest entry ready! All entries must be received by the NNJSDA 3rd VPs, Sal \& Mary Álessi no later than Friday, May 20. 

## STATEN SQUARE SET -- Staten Island, NY

1 \& 3 Saturdays
St. Alban's Church, 76 St. Albans PI. John Emma is back on his feet after surgery on them. Our Mardi Gras, chaired by Sila \& Gabe Dell'Angelo and Barbara \& Jim Thoma, was a huge success. We may do this once again next year. Our "King Cake" came all the way from Louisiana as did our beads. Our King and Queen of the night were Monica \& Charlie Pearson.

Lois Stevenson gave our club a real treat by throwing a surprise birthday party for Red at our dangle dance. Thank you, Lois, for all the decorations and refreshments, and to Red, congratulations and many, many more. Incidently, I met Red \& Lois sipping wine at Pal Joey's. Red says he's getting pretty close to retirement. Elaine Evers is expecting a grandchild any day now. Shelly Schumer is a new grandfather. Annette \& Tony Cursio just celebrated the birth of granddaughter number four.

Condolences to Frank Pulice on the loss of his wife, Lillian. She was a lovely lady and will be missed.

We recently had our St. Patrick's Dance with our Leprechaun caller, Manny Amor, and Lois Bichler on country-western. The country-western lines have been a great success thanks to Lois' expertise in teaching. Happy dancing! (Ad on page 19, 62)

Ron Hirshon
718-698-1184

'94-'95 NNJSDA OFFICER NOMINATIONS
At the May 1st Delegates Meeting, the following names will be placed in nomination as officers of the NNJSDA:
Pres: John \& Joan Berg $\quad 21$ Crescent Rd. West Milford, NJ 07480; 201-697-5208 1st VP: Frank \& Carol Homer Box 149, Long Valley, NJ 07853; 908-876-3029 2nd VP: Sal \& Mary Alessi 5 Villa Road, Little Falls, NJ 07424; 201-256-1647 3rd VP: Ralph \& Marilyn Neibart 11 Lewis Dr, Maplewood, NJ 07040; 201-762-8481 Rec Secy: Don \& Fern Walker 873 Garrison Ave, Teaneck, NJ 07666; 201-692-8350 Cor Secy: Gus \& Marilyn Bachmann 258 Stvns. Ct, Nw Milford, NJ 07646; 201-261-3921 Treas: Roy \& Paula Lawrence 12 Echo Drive, Sparta, NJ 07871; 201-726-9463 Asst Treas: Open

In addition to the above, nominations will be accepted from the floor in accordance with the NNJSDA Constitution and By-Laws.

## Mike Jacobs <br> Labor Day Weekend '94 <br> Sept. 2,3,4,5 1994 <br> Betsy Gotta

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TENAFLY SQUARES -- Haworth, NJ
(MS) 2nd Friday St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Massachusetts \& Grant Aves.

The 12th snow of the seasun, with a foot of the white stuff, forced us to cancel our February Sweetie Pie Dance, disappointing many dancers who were looking forward to an evening with Steve Forman. However, the bakers had an opportunity to show their skills by bringing the pies to our March Shamrock Hop when Manny Amor called in his usual great style, wearing an assortment of green hats. Raiders from Western Wheelers and F.A.D. gave us a packed hall, a welcome sight.

The fame of our club has spread so far that we even had a visitor from the Aberdeen (Scotland) Kilt Kickers. We have been raiding other clubs whenever the weather cooperated. Now we're looking forward to our final two dances of the season, and we hope that you're checking our flyers and plan to attend.
(Ad on page 14,45 )
Frank Poole
201-342-3375

## SPECIAL GRADUATES' DANCE

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 1994<br>MAINSTREAM DANCING FROM 2:00 to 5:00 pm<br>SPONSORED BY<br>\section*{SPINNING WHEELS of WAYNe}

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 (the othei half of Squares)Beginner's Rounds starting in the fall at Waldwick High School, Waldwick NJ

Call Ruth Woerner (201) 261-1047 for starting date and information

3rd Fridays
TENAKILL TWIRLERS -- Cresskill, NJ (MS w/+tip)
Bryan School, Brookside Ave.
While all around us other clubs were cancelling dances because of the snow, we were lucky, and our January and February dances attracted happy square dancers with John Kaltenthaler putting them through their paces. While attendance has not been good in recent months, we hope it improves with the improved weather. We need dancers if the club is to continue for Mainstream dancers. C'mon over, one and all.

Frank Poole
201-342-3375


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## 1 \& 3 Thursdays

Bayberry School, Bayberry Lane
There are only a few dances left to the '93-'94 club year. We've had a few cancellations due to the severe winter weather. Let's hope we get a chance to dance up a storm for the rest of the season.

Peg Tristram and Adele Widin are preparing a slate of officers for the upcoming year. They have most of the slots filled, but still need a few more members to complete the roster.

We've been asked to do a demo at the Adult Day Care Center in Basking Ridge. We'll be using Len Anfinsen's tape for direction. This is a "first" for us, but if this works out, we may be able to expand our demo schedule.

Here's a good news item.... look for Dick \& Doris Prince at the National Square Dance Convention in Portland, Oregon, if you are going.

We'll miss our old friends the Kennedys and Torreysons, who have hung up their dancing shoes. It's been great dancing with you folks!

Hope you had a ball at the NJ Convention in April. Keep dancing! (Ad on page 6,26) Max \& Mary Niederle 908-469-2699


## GRADUATES, DID YOU KNOW???

You may join ANY club after graduation, but you should always remain loyal to your "mother" club. Be an ange! next year. Tell all your friends about square dancing and encourage them to take lessons in the fall. Every club needs new members. Be an active and helpful member of your club. Help set up and take down chairs and tables; offer to bring refreshments; volunteer to help decorate. Do you have skills that would help your club such as creating ads or flyers? Do you have access to a copy machine? Offer to run copies of flyers. Your club needs you!

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May 11 Herb Conklin - GRADUATION Mainstream Level - No Rounds
May 25 Stuart Summers - Squares (Alternate Mainstream \& Plus) Lois Bichler - Lines \& Western ALL NEW GRADUATES WELCOME
June 8 Bob Mitchell - ICE CREAM SOCIAL (Alternate Mainstream \& Plus)

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* Sept. 14 Bob Mitchell - TAKE OFF DANCE Lois Bichler - Lines \& Western
*Sept. 28 Brian Fugere - AUTUMN SPLENDOR Peg Dockery - Rounds


WESTERN WHEELERS -- Westwood, NJ
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## 2 \& 4 Saturdays Westwood United Meth., Kinderkamack Rd. \& Bergen St.

We are happy to see that the "better half" of our new Presidency, Gloria Wyman, has been able to discard her crutches. We will really be happy when we see her join our square again. She and Bob are doing a great job leading Western Wheelers.

Our first dance of the new year with Bruce McCue was cancelled due to the storm. The weather man must have known that we did not need all those calories of pie night. Todd Fellegy gave us a real treat on January 22. Motiv8ors raided and enjoyed the A-2 tip at the end of the evening.

Once again, icy roads and banks of snow cancelled our dance with Bill Harrison. Jim Snyder called for us on our second dance night in February when we welcomed the Presidents of various clubs.

Randy Page commanded us around those squares in March when Hix \& Chix raided. We finally got to eat those delicious pies! We also welcomed Norman Shepherd, President of the Kilt Kickers of Aberdeen, Scotland.

Nick Raspa, our ever faithful cuer, is always with us to offer interesting and challenging rounds. Bill \& Shirley Sherlock of North Carolina have been visiting in the area. We have missed you.
(Ad on page 16)
John \& Shirley Lenio
201-262-3224

## RECRUITING TIP

- Use the NNJSDA pamphlet "What is Modern American Square Dancing" or the colorful Callerlab pamphlet.
- Contact the 3rd VPs, Sal \& Mary Alessi for a supply.

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Y SQUARES -- Clark, NJ
(MS)
2 \& 4 Fridays
Carl Kumpf School, Mildred Terr.
Thanks to the weather, our Pie Night was creamed and our Forget-Me-Not Dance was forgotten, but the Winter That Wouldn't Go Away seems finally to be on its last legs in mid-March.

Y Squares had a good turnout on its raid to Harmony Dancers on February 19. Everyone was so eager to get out and dance! We managed to meet for Hero Night and St. Patrick's Day, and we're all very pleased to see spring on its way.
(Ad on page 6, 15) Melanie \& Paul Axel-Lute 201-762-4947



I write this column as I sit watching a body toning class. Oh, that's going to do a lot of good, right? Well, I've just spent 2 hrs. straight teaching Country Western line dancing to a mob of women at the April Women's Wellness Weekend at the Granite (as a guest of the Women's Health Exchange of S.I. Hospital, working with the YMCA), and they still want more, more, more - so I'm resting up for the next onslaught of dancers. Ism having a lot of fun here.

The traveling season is upon us again, so since many of you are taking off to various parts unknown to dance your way around the world, may I digress from sewing hints this issue \& make a few suggestions? I'm finally choosing \& packing clothing properly for traveling after all these years. I usually took too much, never wore half of what I carried \& always vowed to never do that again. On an average dancers' excursion I find I need: - Dancewear; 1 crush-proof slip, 2 petti pants or jazz briefs, 1 stretch belt the color of your shoes or slip, 2 skirts \& 2 blouses (a print \& a solid of each) for mixing \& matching in one color scheme of wringle resistant fabric with no ruffles or "excesses" that would need pressing. Without the slip, this clothing can be worn to a respectable restaurant for dinner. - Footwear; (all the same color) dance heels(which can be worn to the forementioned dinner place), dance flats (which can double as slipperse \& walking shoes if you don't like sneakers), sneakers (if you'll walk on cement or wet ground a lot), \& cowboy boots 'if you'll country western dance or stroll on terrain where snakes and/or ticks might be met). - Casual wear; 1 pr. of jeans or slacks, 1 pr. of shorts (if you wear them) \& 2 or 3 T-shirts. - Stockings; 2 nr. (rinse \& dry 1 pr. while wearing the other.) If you get a run you can buy these "on the road". - Socks; ladies 2 pr., men figure 1 pr. each day plus $2 \mathrm{pr} .-$ P.J.s; $1 \mathrm{pr} .(I$ like lite flannel) -Underwear; a pr. for each day \& 2 pr . for security. If it's a long trip visit a laundromat. - Personal items; "trial size" bottles \& tubes of everything. You can always buy more "trial size" stuff "on the road" if you run out, just make sure you start with enough. - Hair dryers, alarm clocks, shavers, etc.; I get the smallest I can find \& leave them \& all the "trial size" things in my luggage for trips only. - Makeup; at home I keep it in a travel kit. so all $T$ need do is zip it up e remember to pack it. - Outerwear; 1 basic jacket that will go with everything.

Oh well, they want more dancing \& this batch of words should fill column when I get home to type it Next time I'll get back to sewing hints, I promise. Hope to see you "On The Road Again" somewhere.


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As the regular dance season ebbs, we urge you to attend all of the summer dances you are able to and reinforce all the wonderful steps you were taught as well as share good fellowship with other dancers. Surprise your teacher by "remembering" all that you learned when you rejoin your class in the fall (we won't tell if you won't). Check the many flyers and the Grand Square ads and you will find that many of the summer dances do have round dancing available. P.S. : You are allowed to ask the cuer to "do" the dances you know. Cuers enjoy dancers who dance, and will do all they can to promote your dancing pleasure.

We would once again encourage those dancers who have enjoyed the New Jersey State Convention to consider attending the National Square Dance Convention to be heid in Portland, Oregon this year. Attending the Convention and concentrating on the Round Dance program can only enhance what is always great fun. Each date starts with the showcase of rounds where you are afforded a wonderful opportunity to see choreographers exhibit their dances. The afternoon can be spent by attending a teach workshop on the dances that you especially liked in the showcase. A syllabus is available to help you in following the program and to choose (that's the killer) which of the many teaches you might want to attend. In between times, if you elect to skip lunch and have a very late dinner, clinics are held during those times for the hearty. Of course, the many square and round dance friends you see will understand that contented smile you are wearing as you wave and promise to visit with them real soon.

Nick \& Carole Raspa
201-896-1891

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1/7/94 - Bill Anderson

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2/4/94 - Dalt Young
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Round Dance Clubs. . .

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Tuesdays Rumble, 908-657-0212; Lawrence Rd. Fire House, Rt. 206
Our St. Patrick's Party was a great success with good food and good dancing. We look forward to another party night in May before vacations and other distractions are upon us.

For the last few weeks, we have been brushing up on the Bolero and Slow Two-Step dances we have learned this year. We have also added the International Fox Trot, Somewhere in Time, to our repertoire.

Our Tuesday night dances continue to be a high point of the week for most of us because of the compatibility of the group and the quality of the cueing and teaching. Visitors are always welcome. Come and dance with us.
(Ad on page 29) Norm \& Marion Atwater 609-466-3408

## RAMAPO RHYTHMAIRES -- Rutherford, NJ

## Mondays

Changes at the heim required our moving our location from Waldwick to Rutherford. The avaiiability of facilities aiso required that we change our dance night from Wednesday to Monday. The wily winter of '93-'94 compounded any attempt we made to steer this transition smoothly and we do wish to thank all of you who hung in and persevered through that awful muddle. The ship now seems to be on course, steady as she goes. We are reasonably confident that for at least one hour from this reading, weather will not be a factor for cancelling a class. Get well wishes for John Kerner and Loretta Lang were successful and they are now out and about and dancing.

Nick \& Carole Raspa
201-896-1891
RECRUITING TIP

- Have inexpensive paper placemats printed advertising your Open House. Include date, time, address and contact person.
- Donate the placemats to local diners and restaurants.


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# "PROPER" SQUARE DANCE ATTIRE (or Fun vs. Finery) by Dick Mazziotti, Caller/Teacher 

Even considering the just graduated dancer, can any of you factually pursue a little walk through the innermost regions of your brain and remember your first impression of square dancers? Even those of us who are not yet among the Memory Disadvantaged now have a hard time bringing back the shock, the smirks, the utter utterness of that first look at a bunch of grown people in those clothes!

Now I can just hear a fair portion of the square dance world's indignation heating up when I question such a square dance shibboleth as "proper square dance attire." Please don't write me nasty letters or tell my friends or enemies what you really think of me until you have read the rest of this column. Then write the nasty letters.

Here's the thing. "Proper Square Dance Attire" in its proper place is a wonderful thing to behold. The rhythmic rise and fall of skirt edges, the flash and glitter of badges and dangles, and the sheen of lame shirts and crinolines can bring tears of joy to the eyes of the caller, especially when the dancers choose to do some of the calls he or she is calling. When we are among other dancers, as at club dances, festivals, weekends, conventions, etc., there is nothing nicer than seeing and being among those wearing square dance attire in all its fulsomeness.

But to the uninitiated, friendliness, fun and companionship don't fare well on the visibility scale when confronted with short skirts showing (how shall I put this?) gravitationally disadvantaged legs, or in the face of spring-loaded towels dangling freely below overhanging paunches. Uh oh! I hear the entire square dance world gathering its collective ire. Well, read on.

I suggest that there are times when the full panoply may not be quite the cat's meow. For example, at an open house dance where we try to coerce

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## COUNTRY PROMENADERS

Stelton Community Center Plainfield Avenue, Edison, NJ
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newcomers into our wonderful wacky world, especially, dare I say it, some younger people; or, perhaps at a public demonstration where recruitment of new dancers enters the realm of possibility. Are we not, maybe, frightening off potential dancers, especially those of the younger persuasions, when they are suddenly confronted with the shock value of a couple in full regalia who says, "Oh yes, we'd really like you to join us." (...and dress like that??? You gotta be kidding!!!)

It has been postulated that much of the success of the Western Dance movement has to do with the fact that the dancers can wear "cool" clothes. We square dancers are, on the other hand, forcing people to notice that we still dress like the fifties when we were in our twenties even though we are in our fifties (the math isn't accurate, but the idea is).

A general rule of social behavior says that up to age 10 or so, we try desperately to look and act like our elders. From 10 to about 18 or 20, we try to look like our friends. From 20 or so on up, we have tendencies to want to look like those younger than we are. It also says that if we keep on dressing like square dancers dressed in 1950, but put those clothes on bodies only the AARP can love, we might be said to look silly at times. Looking silly among ourselves can be part of our fun. Looking silly to those we are trying to recruit can be damaging to our social health.

Would it be such a terrible crime for us to dress in prairie skirts (the ladies) and western shirts without assorted attachments (the men) when doing a demo in public or at a recruitment open house dance? Might it not be a good idea to let the fresh young minds of our prospective dancers find out about the FUN before we dazzle them with the FINERY? I would be interested in hearing from any clubs that try this or have tried this as a policy.

And before the more irate among you write letters, go back and read paragraph \#3.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS
Greg \& Karen Kushla have moved. Their new address is: 71 Townsend Drive Florham Park, NJ 07932
Their phone number is the same: 201-593-8440

ASSEMBLY OF "TRUSTEES" OF THE
souare dance activity
Once again, Legacy, the International Assembly of "Trustees" of the Square Dance Activity, will be conducting two one-hour long seminars daily at the National Square Dance Convention in Portland, Oregon this June. Legacy tries not to duplicate the other educational sessions or topics programmed by the NSDC Education Committee or other major organizations.

In an attempt to identify the most pressing areas of concern, the Legacy Education Committee polled all Legacy trustees for their topics. Six areas of consideration were clearly indicated and these educational seminars will be held between 1 and 3 PM daily in Room C-122 at the Convention Center.

The first hour topic on Thursday will be "Attracting-Keeping-Assimilating Dancers," while the second hour will be devoted to "Leadership - The Way to Grow - The Way to Go." On Friday afternoon at 1 PM, the discussion will center around "Recruiting the Young - Maintaining the Young at Heart." At 2 PM, Dr. Lee Walker and his "patients," will present "Dancing for the Health of It."

Saturday's first session will be devoted to "Reaching Out to More Thank Just Couples," discussing the activity in relation to singles, handicapables, families and others. The last seminar will deal with "Getting Square Dancing into the School System" with three school teachers who have had success in this endeavor as panelists.

All NSDC attendees are welcome to attend all six or just those of special interest. Handouts will be available at each session. Information about Legacy is available from the executive secretaries, Al \& Vera Schreiner, 1100 Revere Dr., Oconomowoc, WI 53066; 414-567-3454.


## HARMONY DANCERS



| HARMONY Dance Dates | Caller | Cuer |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| May 7, 1994 | Drew Scearce | John Kaltenthaler |
| May 21, 1994 | Mary McGee |  |
| See everyone at the 5 Clubs Summer Dances! | Nushla |  |
| September 17, 1994 | Dalt Young | Wave Roberts Larsen |
| October 1,1994 | Glenn Matthew | Nick Raspa |
| October 15,1994 | Steve Bradt |  |

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Editors' Note: The last issue of Grand Square sadly announced the sudden passing of former $\mathcal{N O}(\mathcal{O D D A}$ President, Lorraine Mooney. The following article will help those that did not know her to understand whiat a treasure she was to the square dance community, and to those who knew her, danced witf her, and called her friend, this article will help them remember those wonderful years they spent together. $\mathcal{M a n y}$ thanks to Peg \& $\mathfrak{D}$ oc $\operatorname{Tirrell}$ for sending us this expressive picture of a beautiful, caring, delightful person, whom we fad the pleasure of knowing for all too short a time...

## LORRAINE MOONEY

We sit here staring at a birthday card we had saved for Lorraine's March birthday. And wonder, "How does one get mail to heaven?"

Newer dancers in the northern NJ area may not have had the pleasure of her company and friendship as Lorraine \& Frank retired from the activity a number of years ago, but their legacy lives on. Discovering square dancing in '67, they quickly became involved wholeheartedly in spreading its warmth, fun and friendliness, not only in the western regions of NJ but everywhere they went. Founders and former officers of Sussex Spinners, they were one of the NNJSDA's original Freeloaders, earning their Patron's Badge in record time, followed by their first Century Badge. Their motto was, "If you enjoy the activity, don't be a taker, become involved, be a do-er." And they did, serving as 2nd, 3rd and 1st VPs before being elected NNJSDA Presidents in 1973.

So many memories come flooding back: summer Thanksgiving dinner Executive Board meetings at their home; the first Mini-Festival in '74; the beginning of L.U.S.T.; and the enthusiasm and encouragement they generated in support of the 26th National Square Dance Convention held in Atlantic City in '77. During their two years as Presidents, the NNJSDA sponsored a class for 13 aspiring callers and the Callers' Council of New Jersey was formed; the NNJSDA revamped the Square Dance Basic Figures Booklet given to all class members (this was before Callerlab developed their Programs); and the Constitution and ByLaws were updated. All this and they still devoted much time to their family of four teenagers and their church.

While Frank was the spokesman, it was Lorraine who wrote their upbeat messages for Grand Square. Never a woman of few words, Lorraine's messages repeated the same theme in many different ways, "The activity is as much fun as you make it; get involved; many hands make light work; the more you put into this 'tremendous couple activity,' the more you and everyone else will benefit from it. Enjoy, enjoy, enjoy!!!" Cooperation and communication was their byline.

When the 26th NSDC was awarded to the Delaware Valley Federation, it was natural that the Mooneys should become the NNJSDA Liaisons and Hospitality Chairmen. As Lorraine said, "What else with so many hospitable square dancers in the NNJSDA." Once again Lorraine wrote volumes in Grand Square encouraging all to become involved in the largest square dance event on the East Coast in years. They helped se!! early-bird certificates and cookbooks. They formed a committee to trace patterns, cut material and sold do-it-yourself convention "costume" kits for NNJSDA dancers to sew and wear to publicize the 26th NSDC. They chaired and mother-henned the group who were dancing the special demo at the 25th NSDC in California that kicked off the Atlantic City Convention. They masterminded a most successful Booster


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Ball to raise moneys for the 26th NSDC. Thanks to their leadership, northern NJ provided over a 1,000 dancers to help with hospitality needs for this 3-day Convention, as well as encouraging many other area dancers to donate their expertise and assistance in a variety of ways.

When the 26th NSDC was over, the General Chairmen, Dorothy \& Steve Musial, graciously donated the Booster Ball moneys back to northern NJ and the Mooneys were asked to chair the NNJSDA "Use of Excess Funds" Committee for the disposition of this unexpected windfall. The Committee recommended setting aside funds to establish an Emergency Loan Committee for financially depressed clubs in need of temporary aid. The Committee also suggested donating $\$ 1,000$ over the next four years, along with the proceeds from one Association special dance during this period, to the New Jersey Association for Retarded Citizens. Both suggestions were accepted by the NNJSDA delegates.

Time marches on, new dancers come and share their expertise for a period of time, put their mark on the activity, and then move on. But friendships formed during these times last on, and on, and on. As a Girl Scout song says, "Make new friends, but keep the old. Some are silver and others are gold." In Olympic terms, Lorraine was GOLD.

## RECRUITING TIP

- Contact several callers who may be doing one-niters over the next few months.
- Offer to bring a demo square to their one-niter. Have plenty of flyers ready to sign up prospect dancers


## RULES FOR SQUARE DANCES 100 YEARS AGO

## by Bob March, New England Caller

1. Admittance $\$ .50$, refreshments included.
2. The music is to consist of a fiddle, a pipe or tabor, a hurdy gurdy. No chorus is to be sung until the dancing is over.
3. No lady to dance in black stockings, nor have her elbows bare.
4. Every lady to come with a handkerchief with name marked.
5. To prevent spitting, no gentlemen will chew tobacco or smoke.
6. No gentleman will dance in a great coat unless his under one be torn.
7. No lady will dress her hair in tallow candle nor must she have a bunch of hair sticking up top of her head.
8. Leather small clothes except newly washed are forbidden, as they might soil the ladies' gowns. To prevent tearing of the planking, no gentlemen will dance in nailed shoes or boots.
9. No whispering to be allowed. If anyone shall be found to make insidious remarks about anyone's dancing, he or she shall be put out of the room.
10. No gentleman will appear with a cravat that has been worn more than a week or a fortnight.
11. No scissors or gimlets are to be brought either by ladies or gentlemen unless their pockets are whole.
12. Long beards are forbidden, as they would be very disagreeable if a gentleman should happen to put his cheek beside a lady's.
13. Those ladies who have not white stockings and black morocco shoes will not be admitted under any pretense whatever. Two old ladies to examine all who enter.

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## MERRI-EIGHTS

EAST BRUNSMICK, NJ


Squares 8:00
Pre Rounds 7:30

Appleby School. Spotswood Oct. - May $K$ of $C$, Old Bridge June - Sept.
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| Mar 18 | Randy Page | Karen Kushla |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Apr 15 | Richie Rich | Karen Kushla |
| May 6 | Cliff Brodeur | Karen Kushla |
| May 20 | Betsy Gotta | Roy Gotta |
| June $3 *$ | Al Kaesler | Karen Kushla |
| June 17 | Bill Harrison | Karen Kushla |
| Annual Dinner Dance. | Advance tickets required. |  |
| Info: | $821-9178$ |  |

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14. No lady must appear with a veil on even if it be turned aside, as the gentleman will not have an opportunity of looking at her face distinct.
15. No gentleman must squeeze his partner's hand, nor look earnestly upon her; and furthermore he must not pick up her handkerchief, provided it were to fall. The first denotes he loves her, the second he wishes to kiss her and the last that she makes a sign for both.
16. For distinction sake, the master of ceremonies is to wear a red coat, buff small clothes, black stockings, green shoes and a furtout.
So wipe off your chin, pull down your vest, dance with the girls that you love best.
Editors' $\mathcal{N o t e : ~ T h e ~ a b o v e ~ a r t i c l e ~ a p p e a r e d ~ i n ~ t h e ~ S p r i n g ~ ' ~} 77$ issue of Mike and Monitor, a square dance magazine for the Washington, $\mathcal{D C}$ area. It's interesting to note that even 100 years ago, there were strictly enforced rules regarding the correct shoes to wear to dances. However, we are sure that Carol Homer and Shirley White would take exception to the "two old ladies" line. Does anyone out there know what a furtout is? Maybe today's callers would look marvelous in one.


| Oid Stone Church Educ Center E. Saddle River Road Upper Saddle River, NJ 201-327-9601 |  |  | Info: 201-377-1794 or |
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| Graduate's Night | AY 21 ( + ) | JUN 18(+) $\quad$ Father'sJohn Kaltenthaler <br> Nick Raspa Day Dance |  |
|  | Marv Northrup Nick Raspa |  |  |
| Mainstream: May 7, June 4 |  |  |  |

## SQUARE DANCE - AMERICAN FOLK DANCE OF THE STATES

Legislators in 1993 plagued efforts in some states, called square dance bills frivolous in other states, and others were indicted on bribery charges. Colorado dancers, with help from their legislators, proved the ACLU wrong.

This year has gotten off to a roaring start with Delaware's bill already signed. Utah, South Carolina, and Maryland all have had their bills passed by the legislators and are awaiting the governors' signatures.

With the addition of Utah, South Carolina and Maryland, $42 \%$ of the states have square dancing as their American Folk Dance (AFD): Oregon, Washington, Tennessee, Alabama, New Jersey, Florida, West Virginia, Oklahoma, California, Idaho, Massachusetts, Illinois, Arkansas, Virginia, Montana, and against all odds, legislation was approved in Texas, Colorado, and Delaware. When more states approve the AFD, we will go to Washington, DC for national legislation making the "square dance," and all it's allied dance forms, the American Folk Dance of the U.S.A., in perpetuity. This campaign is spearheaded by Frank \& Helen Cavanaugh, National Chairmen of the Legacy Committee of the American Folk Dance of the States, 20 Wooton Drive, Southampton, NJ 08088; 609-859-1937

## MASQUERADERS

| May | 6 | Caller: Al Kacsler | Cuer: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| May 20 | Caller: Gary Potts | Cuer: Bradt |  |
| Steve Bradt |  |  |  |
| Prerounds $7: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ |  |  |  |

TUESDAYS - BEGINNING JUNE 7, 1994 from 8:00 $\mathrm{pm}-10: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ AIR CONDITIONED HALL - CALLER: AL KAESLER - WOOD FLOOR
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RECRUITING TIP

- Use the NNJSDA Posters that are distributed at the Summer Dances.
- Hang them in health clubs, supermarkets, banks, beauty and nail salons, employee and church activity boards, etc.
- Have additional posters printed as flyers and distribute.


## KITTATINNY RANGERS

1 \& 3 Fridays
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| APR 1 | NO DANCE |
| :--- | :--- |
| APR 15 | NO DANCE |
| MAY 6 | Mickoy McFarland |
| MAY 20 | Mickey McFarland |
| JUNE 3 | Mickey McFarland |

INFO: Dorothy Jaworski

Long Pond School
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Good Friday<br>State Convention next day Disney World<br>Mother's Day<br>Pot Luck Dinner<br>201-729-1203

Letters to the Editors. . .
I want to share these past few months with someone who will understand. Last Seplember miy husband and I took those first novice steps into a square dance class. We were looking forward to some exercise and entertainment on one night a week. If I only knew what awaited us!

What started out as one night blossomed into four and five nights a week. We became people possessed. No place was too far, and no television show too scared to miss. I know if our car hadn't started, we would have galloped to our dance, bolos and petticoats flying. The sound of the call was like the pull of a full moon. And imagine our surprise to find other couples exactly like ourselves. We were all rehearsing calls in our head, watching Betsy Gotta tapes, and checking through our square dance instruction books.

Our lives were not our own anymore. We never met these people before September and now we were dancing with them almost every night. My old friends were calling and leaving messages: "Where are you?" And when we did see them, how could we tell them of the warm wonderful people, the fun, the accomplishment and good feeling of a square well danced. We wanted to drag them with us so they too could become part of the world within the square.

Thank you for listening.
Peggy McGowan, Circle Eights

## HOW HOT DO YOU LIKE YOUR CHILI !!!

Sunday, June 19 will see Dragon Fire Chili being prepared by Bill and Donna Anderson at the New York City Chili Cook-Off on Madison Avenue between 34th \& 57th Streets. Proceeds from purchases of tasting kits (to let you try all $30+$ chili recipes) and straight monetary donations go to the Kidney Foundation.

Please come and vote for Dragon Fire Chili to help Bill and Donna win the People's Choice Award! After you vote for Dragon Fire, go and taste the rest of the chili recipes. (And don't forget the Pepto!)

Info? 718-727-5141

WHAT DO ALL THOSE LETTERS MEAN???
The following abbreviations are used frequently in Grand Square:
NNJSDA - Northern New Jersey Square Dancers Association
SDCNJ - Square Dance Council of New Jersey
CCNJ - Callers' Council of New Jersey
NNJRDLC - Northern New Jersey Square Dancers Association NSDC - National Square Dance Convention
CNJSDA - Central New Jersey Square Dance Association


A dancer survey was recently mailed to organization leaders, editors, and dancers. Although mentioned as a coordinating participant, Callerlab was not consulted, informed or involved in the formation of this survey. This is a very general survey, to be answered by a show of hands. Callerlab is concerned and questions how accurately it will reflect the dancer's opinions. The results can vary depending on how it is presented and by whom.

Callerlab is very much in favor of dancer surveys. Legacy has done a fine job in this area for many years. We realized that much effort has gone into the United Square Dancers of America project, but find it unfortunate that the format of this questionnaire and the methods of presentation were not determined by a joint effort of the national organizations involved, and market research professionals. Survey accuracy can only be assured when professionally accepted methods of design, distribution, tabulation, and analysis are followed.

It is our hope that all national organizations will continue to work together for the promotion and betterment of square dancing. Open lines of communication, written goals, and a mutually agreed upon action plan are essential to prevent fractionalization of the activity and duplication of our efforts. So much can be accomplished by working together.

The Mainstream Emphasis Call is Pass to the Center. The Plus Emphasis Call is $3 / 4$ Tag the Line. The Plus Quarterly Selection Committee voted to drop Transfer the Column and not to select a new Plus Quarterly for the period of March 1, 1994 to July 1, 1994. The only current Plus Quarterly Selection is Connect the Diamond.

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## PRAYERS AND LETTERS

Word has reached us that John Hartford, who used to square up at Mountain Squares, Covered Bridge Squares, and J \& M Squares and round dance with the Tirrells and the Spinkses, is seriously ill. In addition to the Parkinson's disease he has had for 15 years, he now has the rare fatal disease ALS, commonly known as Lou Gehrig's disease. John has completely lost the use of all his voluntary muscles below his neck, and is unable to speak. His mind is not affected though. John insists that Loretta continue to dance both squares and rounds and give him a detailed account of each dance. To all our dancers, please keep John in your prayers and send him a card or a note. He would be so happy to hear from his dancing friends. Mail should be sent to: John Hartford, 34 Stewart Ave., Nutley, NJ 07110.

## DINGMAN DANCERS

Rich Murphy, Club Caller 2 \& 4 Tuesdays

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The Callerlab office received the following letter from a concerned leader in the square dance activity. We certainly agree with his viewpoint and would appreciate your making it available to dancers and callers through your publication...
"It disturbs me to hear a square dancer say, "I'm just a Mainstream dancer." or round dancers say, "we only dance Phase II and some Phase III." Or a caller say, "I just call Mainstream." The words "just" and "only" seem to carry a connotation of apology - like, "Gee, I'm sorry, but I'm not very good because I just dance Mainstream."

There is no reason for anyone to apologize for the particular program of dancing he or she decides to participate in and enjoys, especially Mainstream squares and Phase II rounds. After all, those programs are the basis of all of our dance programs. Although there may be a few dancers who would want us to believe they came into this world as accomplished "upper level" (note the quotation marks) dancers, I have not met any in my many years of dancing/calling/cueing. I suggest that we dance for the pleasure it gives us. That pleasure comes from many different aspects of a dance program.

For some, the sociability and friendliness is more important than the steps. For others, it is the music that gives them pleasure. For still others, it is the challenge of executing more complex steps and figures. It obviously is inappropriate to say that one group has the only answer or is better than another group. The bottom line is to enjoy the program you have chosen and learn to do it well. Studies of human nature tell us that people enjoy most that which they do well.

There is no law that says one must move "up." Unfortunately, there are those who still think in terms of levels and equate higher numbers with higher quality. That is not how it is. There are many dancers who dance Mainstream and/or Phase II and do so with good executive and styling, who can be considered better dancers than some who fake at Advanced and/or Phase V and Vi. As an old singing call suggested, "Do What You Do Well" And ENJOY!"

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## Dance Calendar

May to mid-September listing of dances, weekends and workshops prepared from ads appearing in this issue. Please see ad for details.
Abbr: A=Advanced; Alt=Alternate; C=Challenge; MS=Mainstream; PL=Plus; RD=Rounds; TBA=To Be Announced; WS=Workshop; CW=Country \& Western *See caller/cuer ad for details.

| Date | Club | Caller/Cuer | Place | Program |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| May: <br> 1 | F.A.D. Sqs. | Loewenstein | Maywood, NJ | Graduation |
|  | Kings Sqs. | Riviccio | Brooklyn, NY | Graduation |
|  | Motiv80rs | Page/Raspa | Paramus, NJ | A-2 w/C-1 tip |
|  | Western Whirs. | Kauffman/Raspa | Westwood, NJ | PL w/A-2 tips |
| 2 | Spinning Whls. | Robinson | Wayne, NJ | MS w/CW |
| 3 | Hi Taw Twirlers | Fugere/Raspa | New Milford, NJ | PL |
|  | Lakeland Sqs. | Mitchell/Spinks | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| 4 | Belles \& Beaux | Hardy/Wadel | Glen Rock, NJ | MS |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Fugere | Hamilton Sq., NJ | MS |
| 5 | Hix \& Chix | Mazziotti/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | MS |
|  | Valley Sqs. | Hanks/Bradt | Watchung, NJ | PL |
|  | Warren Whirs. | Conklin | Port Murray, NJ | Graduation |
| 6 | Hunterdon Flut. | Hoff | Flemington, NJ | PL |
|  | Ironia Reelers | Wagner/Dees | Randolph, NJ | PL |
|  | Kittatinny Rngrs. | McFarland | Andover, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
|  | Masqueraders | Kaesler/Bradt | E. Windsor, NJ |  |
|  | Merri Eights | Brodeur/Kushla | Sputswood, NJ | PL |
|  | Ocean Waves | Kaufman | Staten Island, NY | MS w/+ tip |
|  | RockyTops | Ritucci/Raspa | Pearl River, NY | PL w/A-1 tip |
| 7 | Harmony Dncrs. | Scearce/McGee | Springfield, NJ | PL |
|  | Leisure Sqs. | Young/Miller | E. Stroudsburg, PA | Alt MS \& PL |
|  | See Saw Sqs. | Hardy/Raspa | Up. Saddle River, NJ | MS |
|  | Staten Sq. Set | Rich | Staten Island, NY | PL |
| 8 | Al'e'Mo Sqs. | Coy | Brooklyn, NY | MS w/+ tip |
| 9 | Spinning Whls. | Snyder | Wayne, NJ | MS w/CW |
| 10 | Dingman Dncrs. | Murphy | Milford, PA | MS w/+ tip |
|  | Lakeland Sqs. | Kaltentha!er | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/ + tip |
| 11 | Cross Trail Sqs. | Conklin | Caldwell, NJ | Graduation |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Walsh | Hamilton Sq., NJ | MS |
| 12 | Hix \& Chix | Kaltenthaler/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | PL |
|  | Plus Class | Mazziotti | Dumont, NJ | PL WS begins |
| 13 | Bee Sharps | Kaltenthaler/Bradt | Somerville, NJ | PL |
|  | Covered Bridge | Young | Nutley, NJ | PL |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Rich/Dees | Lawrenceville, NJ | PL |
|  | Tenafly Sqs. | Richman/Raspa | Haworth, NJ | MS |
|  | Y Squares | Koft/Koft | Clark, NJ | MS |
| 14 | Country Prom. | Koft/Bradt | Edison, NJ | PL |
|  | Pichmond Dicrs. | Gaunt/'Sellotit | Staten Isiand, NYY | PL |
|  | Western Whirs. | Lane/Raspa | Westwood, NJ | PL w/A-2 2 tips |
| 15 | F.A.D. Sqs. | Loewenstein | Maywood, NJ | MS w/+ tips |
|  | Kings Sqs. | Coy | Brooklyn, NY | MS w/+ tips |
|  | Motiv8ors | Lane/Raspa | Paramus, NJ | A-2 |
|  | Rutgers Prom. | Gotta/Gotta | Iselin, NJ |  |

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| Spinning Whis. | Ritucci | Wayne, NJ | MS w/CW |
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| Hi Taw Twirlers | Leber/Raspa | New Milford, NJ | PL |
| Lakeland Sqs. | Mitchell/Bichler | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| Belles \& Beaux | Mazziotti | Glen Rock, NJ | MS w/+ tips |
| Princeton Sqs. | Rich | Hamilton Sq., NJ | MS |
| Hix \& Chix | Mazziotti/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | MS |
| Valley Sqs. | Hanks/Bradt | Watchung, NJ | PL |
| Warren Whirs. | Pasvolsky | Port Murray, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| Hunterdon Flut. | Hoff | Flemington, NJ | PL |
| Ironia Reelers | Koft/Summers | Randolph, NJ | PL |
| Kittatinny Rngrs. | McFarland | Andover, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| Masqueraders | Potts/Bradt | E. Windsor, NJ | PL |
| Merri Eights | Gotta/Gotta | Spotswood, NJ | PL |
| Ocean Waves | Forman | Staten Island, NY | MS |
| Tenakill Twrlrs | Kaltenthaler/Raspa | Cresskill, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| Harmony Dncrs. | Kaltenthaler/Kushla | Springfield, NJ | PL |
| Leisure Sqs. | Young/Miller | E. Stroudsburg, PA | Alt. MS \& PL |
| See Saw Sas | Northrun/Raspa | IIf Saddle River, N.I | PI |
| Staten Sq. Set | Stapenell/Bichler | Staten Island, NY | PL |
| Al'e'Mo Sqs. | Kaesler | Brooklyn, NY | MS w/+ tips |
| Spinning Whls. | 8 callers | Oakland, NJ | MS |
| Spinning Whls. | Richman | Wayne, NJ | MS w/CW |
| Dingman Dncrs. | Murphy | Milford, PA | MS w/+ tip |
| Lakeland Sqs. | Pasvolsky/Spinks | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| Cross Trail Sqs. | Summers/Bichler | Caldwell, NJ | All MS/PL w/CW |
| Princeton Sqs. | Snyder | Hamilton Sq., NJ | MS |
| Hix \& Chix | Forman/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | PL |
| Bee Sharps | Rich/Bradt | Somerville, NJ | PL |
| Covered Bridge | Coy | Nutley, NJ | PL |
| Princeton Sqs. | Gittleman/Rumble | Lawrenceville, NJ | PL |
| Y Squares | Fugere/Kushla | Clark, NJ | MS |
| Country Prom. | Snyder/Bradt | Edison, NJ | PL |
| Richmond Dncrs. | Gittleman/Bellotti | Staten Island, NY | PL |
| Western Whirs. | Leber/Raspa | Westwood, NJ | PL w/A tip |
| Lakeland Sqs. | Gotta/Bichler | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| Belles \& Beaux | Koft | Glen Rock, NJ | MS w/+ tips |
| Princeton Sqs. | Fugere | Hamilton Sq., NJ | MS |
| Hix \& Chix | Hardy/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | MS |
| Valley Sqs. | Hanks/Bradt | Watchung, NJ | PL |
| Warren Whirs. | Walsh | Port Murray, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| Hunterdon Flut. | Pasvolsky/Rivkin | Flemington, NJ | PL |
| Ironia Reelers | Katenthaler/Spinks | Randolph, NJ | PL |
| Kittatinny Rngrs. | McFarland | Andover, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| Merri Eights | Kaesler/Kushla | Spotswood, NJ | PL |
| RockyTops | Fugere/Raspa | Pearl River, NY | PL w/A-1 tip |
| See Saw Sqs. | Hardy/Raspa | Up. Saddle River, NJ | PL |
| Staten Sq. Set | Matthew/Bichler | Staten Island, NY | PL |
| F.A.D. Sqs. | Loewenstein | Maywood, NJ | MS w/+ tips |
| Kings Sqs. | Riviccio | Brooklyn, NY | MS w/+ tips |
| Motiv8ors | Harrison/Raspa | Paramus, NJ | A-2 w/C-1 tip |

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| 6 | Spinning Whls. | Coy | Wayne, NJ | MS w/CW |
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| 7 | Hi Taw Twirlers | Kaltenthaler/Raspa | New Milford, NJ | PL |
|  | Lakeland Sqs. | Mitchell/Spinks | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
|  | Masqueraders | Kaesler | E. Windsor, NJ | PL WS begins |
| 8 | Cross Trail Sqs. | Mitchell | Caldwell, NJ | Alt MS \& PL |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Pearce | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| 9 | Hix \& Chix | Sparks/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | PL |
| 10 | Bee Sharps | Hoff/Bradt | Somerville, NJ | PL |
|  | Covered Bridge | Stapenell | Nutley, NJ | PL |
|  | Five Clubs | Kaitenthaler/Kushla | Iselin, NJ | MS |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Fugere/Rumble | Lawrenceville, NJ | PL |
|  | Tenafly Sqs. | Johnstone/Raspa | Alpine, NJ | MS |
| 11 | Richmond Dicrs. | s. Matthew/Bellotti | Staten Island, NY | PL |
|  | Western Whirs. | Page/Raspa | Westwood, NJ | PL w/A tip |
| 12 | Al'e'Mo Sqs. | Koft | Brooklyn, NY | MS w/+ tips |
|  | Rockland Prom. | Gaulke | Pearl River, NY | MS |
| 13 | Spinning Whls. | Robinson | Wayne, NJ | MS w/CW |
| 14 | Dingman Dncrs. | Murphy | Milford, PA | MS w/+ tip |
|  | Lakeland Sqs. | Kaltenthaler | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| 15 | Belles \& Beaux | Matthew | Elmwood Park, NJ | MS w/+ tips |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Rich | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| 16 | Hix \& Chix | Mazziotti/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | MS |
|  | Warren Whirs. | Pasvolsky | Port Murray, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| 17 | Merri Eights | Harrison/Kushla | Spotswood, NJ | PL |
| 18 | See Saw Sqs. | Kaltenthaler/Raspa | Up. Saddle River, NJ | PL |
|  | Staten Is. Picnic | Coy/Koft/Bichler | Staten Island, NY | Sqs/CW/Lines |
| 19 | F.A.D. Sqs. | Loewenstein | Maywood, NJ | MS w/+ tips |
| 20 | Spinning Whls. | McFarland | Wayne, NJ | MS w/CW |
| 21 | Lakeland Sqs. | Hardy/Bichler | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| 22 | NNJSDA Su | ummers/Summers | Iselin, NJ | MS |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Kerns | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| 23 | Hix \& Chix | Kaesler/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | PL |
| 24 | Five Clubs | Larsen/Dees | Iselin, NJ | PL |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Pasvolsky/Rumble | Lawrenceville, NJ | PL |
| 26 | Al'e'Mo Sqs. | Pasvolsky | Brookiyn, NY | MS w/+ tips |
| 27 | Spinning Whls. | 4 callers | Wayne, NJ | MS w/CW |
| 28 | Dingman Dncrs. | . Murphy | Milford, PA | MS w/+ tip |
|  | Lakeland Sqs. | Pasvolsky | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| 29 | NNJSDA K | Kaltenthaler/Kushla | Iselin, NJ | MS |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Young | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| 30 | Hix \& Chix | Young/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | PL |
| July: |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | F.A.D. Sqs. | Loewenstein | Maywood, NJ | MS w/+ tips |
| 5 | Lakeland Sqs. | Mazziotti | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| 6 | NNJSDA | Amor/Testa | Iselin, NJ | MS |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Fugere | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| 7 | Hix \& Chix | Lutcher/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | MS |
| 8 | Five Clubs | Forman/Spinks | Iselin, NJ | PL |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Matthew/Dees | Lawrenceville, NJ | PL |
| 10 | Motiv8ors | Fioretti/Raspa | Paramus, NJ | A-2 |
| 11 | Spinnina Whls. | Robinson | Oakland. NJ | MS w/CW |



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| 24 contd. <br> 25 <br> 26 | Princeton Sqs. | Walsh | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
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|  | Hix \& Chix | Kaesler/Raspa | Elmwood Park, NJ | PL |
|  | Five Clubs M | Mazziotti/Heyman/Spinks | Iselin, NJ | PL |
| 28 | Princeton Sqs. | Fugere/Rumble | Lawrenceville, NJ | PL |
|  | F.A.D. Sqs. | Loewenstein | Maywood, NJ | MS w/+ tips |
|  | Motiv8ors | Trainor/Raspa | Paramus, NJ | A-2 w/C-1 tip |
| 31 | NNJSDA | Matthew/Spinks | Paramus, NJ | $P L$ |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Pearce | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| September: |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | Lakeland Sqs. | TBA | Parsippany, NJ | MS w/+ tip |
| 7 | Princeton Sqs. | Fugere | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| 8 | Belles \& Beaux | $x$ Mazziotti | Glen Rock, NJ | Open House |
| 9 | Princeton Sqs. | Coy/Dees | Lawrenceville, NJ | PL |
|  | Tenafly Sqs. | Mitchell/Raspa | Haworth, NJ | MS |
|  | Y Squares | Fugere/TBA | Clark, NJ | Open House |
| 10 | Richmond Dicrs | rs. Franks/Bellotti | Staten Island, NY | PL |
| 13 | Dingman Dncrs. | s. Murphy | Milford, PA | MS w/+ tip |
| 14 | Cross Trail Sqs. | . Mitchell/Bichler | Caldwell, NJ | PL w/CW |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Ritucci | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| 16 | Ironia Reelers | Wagner/Wagner | Randolph, NJ | PL |
| 17 | Harmony Dncrs. | s. Young/Roberts | Springfield, NJ | PL |
| 18 | Motiv8ors | Leber/Raspa | Paramus, NJ | A-2 w/C-1 tip |
| 21 | Belles \& Beaux | $x$ Mazziotti | Glen Rock, NJ | MS w/+ tips |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Rich | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| 23 | Princeton Sqs. | Walsh/Rumble | Lawrenceville, NJ | PL |
|  | $Y$ Squares | Fugere/TBA | Clark, NJ | MS |
| 24 | Country Prom. | Kaesler | Edison, NJ | PL |
|  | Western Whlrs. | TBA | Westwood, NJ | PL w/A tip |
| 27 | Dingman Dncrs. | s. Murphy | Milford, PA | MS w/+ tip |
| 28 | Cross Trail Sqs. | . Fugere/Dockery | Caldwell, NJ | PL |
|  | Princeton Sqs. | Beaumont | E. Windsor, NJ | MS |
| 30 | NNJSDA | Callahan/TBA | TBA | $P L$ |

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June:
16-18 Natl. A \& C Conv. Many Callers Virginia Beach, VA A-2/C1-3B
September:
2-5 Labor Day Wknd. Jacobs/Gotta/Valenta/Gotta Honesdale, PA PL \& A
17 Crestwood/Hi Steppers Diven Whiting, NJ PL \& A-2
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30-Oct 1 Empire State Fest. 5 callers/2 cuers Syracuse, NY All Programs
October:
2 L.U.S.T. '94 Many Panelists Details to be announced
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## MAINSTREAM

Sunday:
Al'e'Mo Squares - 2, 4 (w/+ tips)
F.A.D. Squares - 1, 3 (w/+ tips)

Rockland Promenaders - 2 (w/+ tips)
Monday:
Spinning Wheels - every(w+ tips)
Tuesday:
Belles \& Beaux - 2, 4 (Jun \& Aug)
Dingman Dancers - 2, 4, 5 (Mar-Dec)
Lakeland Squares - every (w/+ tip)
Wednesday:
Belles \& Beaux - 1, 3 (Sep-May)
Princeton Squares - every
Thursday:
Hix \& Chix - 1, 3 (May-Aug)
Rutgers Promenaders - 2, 4
Warren Wheelers - 1, 3 (w/+ tips)
Friday:
Circle Eights - 4
Kittatinny Rangers - 1, 3 (Alt MS/+)
Ocean Waves - 1, 3 (w/+ tips)
Tenafly Squares - 2
Tenakill Twirlers - 3 (w/+ tip)
Y Squares - 2, 4
Saturday:
See Saw Squares - 1 (w/+ tip)

## PLUS

Sunday:
Kings Squares - 1, 3
Tuesday:
Hi Taw Twirlers - 1, 3, 5
Wednesday:
Cross Trail Squares - 2, 4
Thursday:
Hix \& Chix - 2, 4, 5
Valley Squares - 1, 3
Friday:
Bee Sharps - 2, 4
Covered Bridge Squares - 2, 4
Hunterdon Flutterwheels - 1, 3
Ironia Reelers - 1, 3
Kittatinny Rangers - 1, 3 (Alt. MS/+)
Merri Eights - 1, 3
Princeton Squares - 2, 4
RockyTops - 1 (w/A-1 tip)
Saturday:
Country Promenaders - 2,4
Harmony Dancers - 1, 3
Leisure Squares - 1, 3
Richmond Dancers - 2, 4
See Saw Squares - 3
Staten Square Set - 1, 3
Western Wheelers - 2, 4 (w/A-2 tips)

## ADVANCED

Wednesday:
Mountain Sqs. - 1, 3 (A-2)

Sunday:
Motiv8ors - 1, 3 (A-2)
(Every Sun. in Jul. \& Aug.)

DANCES CANCELLED

May:
8 - Rockland Prom
30-Spinning Whls.

June:
19-Motiv8ors July: 4 - All Clubs
31 - Motiv8ors

August:
21 - Motiv8ors September:
4 - F.A.D. Sqs.
Motiv8ors

Lakeland Squares does not dance in August. Leisure Squares does not dance from June thru September. Many clubs are closed for the summer. Check ads and call before travelling.

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[^0]:    A great place to dance BOB ROBINSON (201) 337-5544

[^2]:    NEED HELP RECRUITING
    Borrow a copy of the NNJSDA video tape, "Swing Your Partner," to show on your local cable TV channel.

[^3]:    IT'S AIR CONDITIONED - WE DANCE ALL SUMMER THERE IS NO VACATION FROM FUN

