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	Belles & Beaux	Student
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	Y Squares	Student
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25	NJ Square & Round Dance	Convention
April:		
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Q	Al'e'Mo Squares	Student

9	Al'e'Mo Squares	Student
	Belles & Beaux	Student
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19	Belles & Beaux	Graduation
23	Al'e'Mo Squares	Graduation
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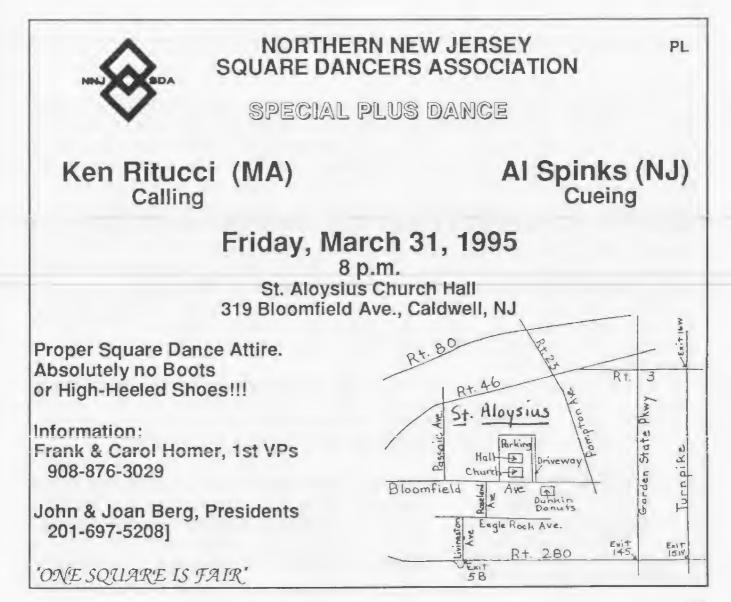


Congratulations new dancers!!! You have worked hard over the past year and soon will be dancing the Mainstream program. You will be joining your friends in what we call "the world's best kept secret." Square dancing is "friendship put to ,music." You will be able to dance at any

club dancing the Mainstream program, anywhere in the world. There are weekend trips, camping jamborees, cruises, conventions, and clubs dancing throughout the world. If you are planning a vacation, take your square dancing clothes. More than likely, there is a club nearby. Check the *National (& International) Square Dance Directory* for the nearest club. Make square dancing an integral part of your life.

The most important thing is that you dance every opportunity you get, especially this coming summer. NNJSDA will be holding 10 summer dances just for you, the new dancer. The more you dance, and the more different callers you are exposed to, the more proficient you will become. You have spent the past year acquiring your new skills. Do not let them slip away by inactivity. It is only natural for you to be hesitant to dance, just remember we all started the same way. Every dancer is here to help you. Do not be embarrassed if your square "breaks down" just try to continue dancing. Remember, square dancing is "fun."

Now is the time for all experienced dancers to attend the various graduation balls and NNJSDA Summer Dances. We all must do our part to see that each and every new dancer learns why we call square dancing "friendship put to music" Let's all make these new dancers feel welcome to this "wonderful world of square dancing."



NNJSDA CALENDAR

March : 12 - NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.

- Grand Square Distribution
- 17 Grand Square Deadline
- 25 NJ State Convention (All Prog.) Trenton State, Ewing, NJ
- 31 NNJSDA Special (PL) Ritucci (MA)/Spinks St. Aloysius, Caldwell, NJ
- April:
- 23 Student Spring Fling (MS)
- 29 NNJSDA Special (PL)
- Young & Knauss/Raspa May:
- 7 Delegates Meeting VFW, Elmwood Park, NJ *Grand Square* Distribution

June :

- 4 NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.
- 21 NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 21-24 NSDC, Birmingham, AL
- 28 NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)

July:

- 5 NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 12 NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 17 Grand Square Deadline
- 19 NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 26 NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)

August:

- 2 NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 13 NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.
- 16 NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 23 NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 30 NNJSDA Warm-Up Dance (PL) Grand Square Distribution

September:

- 17 Delegates Meeting Grand Square Deadline
- 30 NNJSDA Special (PL)

November:

12 21st Mini-Festival

- 17 *Grand Square* Deadline **December**:
- 3 NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.

'ONE SQUARE IS FAIR'

Presidents' Letter continued from page 3

On January 22nd, the NNJSDA held its annual "Mid-Term Class Level Dance" This is a dance that has had very poor attendance for the past several years. In fact, your Executive Board had discussed canceling this dance because of what we thought was lack of interest on the dancer's part. Well, we were wrong. This last dance had nearly 200 in attendance, of which about 100 were students. You proved that with the proper publicity, the dance will be a success. We owe all this to 2nd VPs Sal & Mary Alessi. They worked very hard to make this a success and have proved "hard work" still pays. Also let's not forget the outstanding calling of John Kaltenthaler. Sal & Mary's planning and John's calling made this dance one of the highlights of the year. THANKS.

In closing, let me remind you that your Executive Board is still in need of officers. Please do your part to help keep this great activity alive. WE NEED YOUR HELP! PLEASE DO YOUR PART. See you at the Graduation Ball on Sunday, April 23, 1995.

John & Joan Berg, NNJSDA Presidents

HELP WANTED HELP WANTED HELP WANTED



If you are driving to the NSDC in Birmingham, AL this year, please consider carrying the NNJSDA Display or boxes of *Grand Square*. Contact Ralph & Marilyn Neibart, 3rd VPs at 201-762-8481 or the Editors at 718-448-9761.

WELCOME NEW DANCERS



You are reading Grand Square, the Official Publication of the Northern New Jersey Square Dancers Association (NNJSDA).

What is the NNJSDA?

It is an organization of dancers who belong to member clubs. These clubs appoint Delegates, who attend 3

meetings a dance season, usually the 3rd Sunday in September and January, and the 1st Sunday in May. Anyone may attend a meeting, but only Delegates can vote. Each club has one vote. Every spring, the Delegates elect officers for the coming dance season.

What area is covered by the NNJSDA?

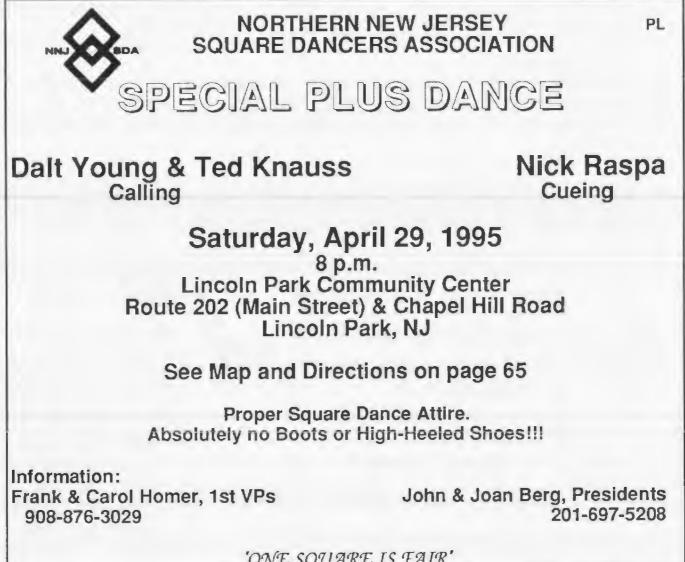
NNJSDA's area begins in the south with Mercer County (Princeton Squares), and goes north all the way to Rockland County in New York State (Rockytops and Rockland Promenaders). In the east, the area begins in Brooklyn (Al'e'Mo Squares and Kings Squares) and continues west to eastern Pennsylvania's Pike and Monroe Counties (Leisure Squares and Dingman Dancers).

How do I become a member of the NNJSDA?

You automatically become a member when you join a member club. There are currently 35 member clubs.

What does the NNJSDA do for you?

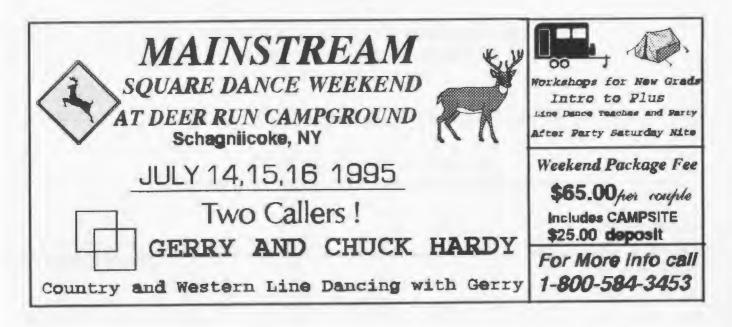
- Publishes Grand Square five (5) times a year, which prints club and 1. Association news, a dance calendar, regular and guest columnists, as well as information on the many other facets of the square dance activity. Look for copies at your club.
- Provides insurance for the dances and classes of member clubs (exception: 2. New York clubs). Please turn to page 6



'ONE SQUARE IS FAIR"

Welcome New Graduates continued from page 5

- 3. Holds a special Summer Mainstream Dance Program for new graduates, beginning the last Wednesday in June and continuing for 10 weeks.
- 4. Has a Freeloader Program for new dancers, which is earned by attending 8 of the 10 Summer Dances. The Freeloader entitles you to attend 6 Association Dances FREE during the next two years. A blank Freeloader card is in your graduation packet. Have it signed by the NNJSDA Treasurer at every Summer Dance you attend.
- 5. Has a Patron's Award for visiting 26 member clubs on their regular dance night. A blank Patron's card is in your graduation packet. When you visit a member club, have their treasurer or president sign and date the card.
- 6. Has a "One Square is Fair" Award (presented twice a year) to member clubs who have at least one square in attendance at Association Specials and Summer Dances.
- 7. Holds Special Plus Dance Programs on the 5th Fridays or 5th Saturdays of the dance season, usually with national callers and cuers.
- 8. Hold a Mini-Festival, featuring Mainstream through Challenge dancing, every November for a full day of dancing. Next Mini-Festival is November 12, 1995.
- 9. Sponsors a biennial leadership program, in even numbered years. The next program in scheduled for October 6, 1996.
- 10. The Association makes available instruction booklets for Mainstream and Plus classes and diplomas for graduation.
- 11. Assembles special packets of information for new graduates which are presented at graduation by an Association Officer. The Association also awards a special dangle for perfect attendance at classes.
- 12. The Association provides Dance Clearance, through the Recording Secretary, of all club dances and specials to prevent conflicts.
- 13. A Blood Bank Program, #9192, provides coverage for all members and their immediate families.
- 14. Sponsors a Poster Contest (see page 10) every year to foster interest in square dancing, and distributes publicity packets.
- 15. Provides a forum for discussion and dissemination of flyers at the Delegates Meetings.
- 16. Has a NJ State Dress Chairman, who has the patterns and fabrics for the green and white NJ State Outfit (see page 57). This outfit is worn at National Square Dance Conventions for the parade of states, as well as other special occasions when the dancer wishes to be identified from NJ.



LOCATION CHANGE

NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION

GRADUATION BALL

Sunday, April 23, 1995 2:00 - 5:00 PM

Caller: JOE LANDI

Location: Lincoln Park Community Center Route 202 (Main Street) & Chapel Hill Road Lincoln Park, NJ

See Map and Directions on page 65

Sponsored by The Association for all Dancers Graduating This Season and Their Supporters Fee: \$2.50 per person

Soft Soled Shoes Required. Wear your Name Badges

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APRIL 30th

May 14th

June 11th

July 11th

April 9th

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STATEN ISLAND'S 90-YEAR-OLD SQUARE DANCER



Oscar Michaud turned 90-yearsold on January 8th. By most standards that is quite an accomplishment of itself, but add to the fact that Oscar is an active dancing member of both Ocean Waves and Richmond Dancers, that he bowls 2-3 times a week and, when the weather permits, golfs 3-4 times a week, you begin to see the picture of a very unique 90-year-old.

Oscar is a well-known figure to Staten Islanders. Brought to the Island at the age of five, he became a basketball legend while playing on the Curtis High School basketball team, as well as the baseball team, the soccer team, and the football team. He attended Panzer College in Orange, NJ, which boasts another famous alumnus, Dick Pasvolsky. Although his first wish was to return to Curtis

as a coach, he was called for the NYC Parks & Recreation Department. For the next 33 years he was a prominent figure in the Parks Department, serving in the Recreation area for first for 10 years, then as Superintendent of LaTourette Golf Course for next 20 years, and finally a 3-year stint as Assistant Commissioner for Staten Island. Under Oscar's care, LaTourette became one of the finest public golf courses in the country.

During the 1940s, eastern-style square dancing was very popular. Oscar was the Director of the Staten Island Center for Servicemen for 14 months during 1945-1946. Eastern-style square dancing was one of the favorite activities at the Center, and Oscar was always available to join in and dance when needed. He also incorporated it into his planned recreational activities. An August 23, 1948 issue of *The Staten Island Advance*, shows hundreds of dancers doing the Virginia Reel at a Parks Department dance festival.

Tiny Clark was a caller at the famous Village Barn in Manhattan and a Staten Island resident. Tiny taught Oscar how to call eastern-style square dancing, and for the next 20 years Oscar had a second career as a caller. He called "oneniters" in nearly every American Legion, church hall, and catering hall in Staten Island, and many in Brooklyn, Bayonne, and Jersey City, often with his own live band. He also worked with many of the well-known bands of the time including the McAlpin Hotel's Society Band, the Francis Band, and Danny Miranda.

Oscar's love of sports and service to his community have always walked hand-in-hand. He served as a coach for the CYO for many years even coaching budding baseball great, Bobby Thomson, at the age of 15. The pages of Oscar's scrapbook are filled with awards and certificates testifying to his love of the youth of Staten Island and his devotion to the community. He is also a poetry writer and won Con Edison Poetry Awards in 1986 and 1987 for his energy conservation poetry. *Grand Square* printed Oscar's poem "A Perfect Tip" in 1989. Oscar was an accomplished Barber Shop Quartet singer, too.

In 1980 at the age of 75, Oscar shot a hole-in-one on the 7th hole of LaTourette Golf Course. In 1983 at the age of 78, he graduated from westernstyle square dance lessons and became a member of Ocean Waves. He served

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1995 Poster Contest Rules

OBJECT OF THE CONTEST: TO STIMULATE INTEREST IN SQUARE DANCING.

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Anyone is eligible to enter whether or not they are 1. square dancers. Any number of entries may be submitted. All posters must be 8-1/2" X 11," done in black ink on 2. white paper or poster board. 3. 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. Must not be "localized" to any one geographic area. C. The winning poster will be featured on the cover of the 4. oster Contest September Issue of Grand Square. The winning artist(s) will receive appropriate recognition at an NNJSDA Summer Dance. 5. The winning poster will be reprinted by the NNJSDA. Posters will be distributed to the clubs during the Summer Dances for use in promoting classes in NJ, NY, and PA. Deadline for all entries is Saturday, June 3, 1995. Mail 6. or deliver entries to the 3rd VPs, Ralph & Marilyn Neibart, 11 Lewis Drive, Maplewood, NJ 07040 (tel: 201-762-8481). Judging will be Sunday, June 4, 1995, by the NNJSDA 7. Executive Board. All entries become the property of the ~* NNJSDA and may be displayed at National and State Square Dance Conventions. **1995 Poster Contest Rules**

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as Co-President in 1989-1990. For 10 years he was an Angel at every RIOS class (RIOS is composed of students from the 3 Island square dance clubs: Richmond Dancers, Ocean Waves, and Staten Square Set). Since his graduation, he Angels and shares calling duties with two other callers every Thursday for the Colonial Pals, a handicappable square dance group for developmentally disabled adults. He continues to bowl, and is usually available for a round of golf, with some excellent coaching. Oscar says he's a much better coach than a player these days, but his recent induction into the Basketball Hall of Fame All-Time Dream Team and the Curtis High School Hall of Fame proves that people still remember his youthful accomplishments.

Oscar was married for more than 50 years to his lovely wife, Gertrude, who died in 1990. Their son William, daughter-in-law Sheila, and granddaughters Karen and Tricia are very much a part of his life. Oscar says his son is a much better golfer than he is.

Ocean Waves honored Oscar at a special party on January 6th and Judie Dahl choreographed a new line dance called "The Oscar," which describes his daily activities. Oscar shows little sign of changing his schedule. A kind and gentle man, Oscar is a remarkable person whose life has been a testament to helping his fellow man, working at a job he loved, and exercising for good health. He belies his age.

See Oscar's Poem, 'A Perfect Tip' on page 43 and 'The Oscar' line dance on page 53

This season club news will be in reverse alphabetical order Z-A.

Y SQUARES -- Clark, NJ

2 & 4 Fri. Sept-May

Carl Kumpf School, Mildred Terr.

MS

Hi everyone, Happy New Year. I'm sure you all were busy during the Holidays. In November, Y Squares' members provided Clark Welfare with three boxes of food, including turkey and hams. We invited the Director of Welfare, Cindy Siessel, to our November 11th dance. Cindy is the daughter of Kay & Wayne Schroeder, so she was right at home. At our December dance, we provided toys for children of Clark. The club also brought in coats, hats, sweaters, and blankets for the homeless in Plainfield. The project is ongoing.

Y Squares, as part of the Five Clubs, enjoyed a wonderful New Years Eve Dance. Will Larson called squares and Ellen Dees cued rounds. Karen & Greg Kushla were able to join us along with Helene and Matthew Joseph, who was born December 16th. He is our youngest square dance member enjoying squares and rounds in his Mom's kangaroo pouch. It was wonderful being with friends to welcome in the New Year. I hope it's a great year for everyone.

Come visit us. We are always glad to renew friendships. See you in a square. Ad on page 21 Jean Koenig 908-276-8049





You can earn a Purple Heart Dangle by dancing in a square with 3 callers. Don't be bashful about asking a caller if there are 3 callers available for a Purple Heart tip. It will be great fun and you will have earned that Heart. Some callers carry a supply of Hearts with them but you can buy one from any badge dealer and some square dance shops.

WESTERN WHEELERS – Oradell, NJ

PL/A-1 tips

2 & 4 Sat. Sept-June Refrmd Ch of Oradell, 641 Church St (cor. Kinderkamack) I wish there was some Nobel Prize for loyalty and dedication to a square dance club, because the W/W membership could certainly quality for the award. We've had a year of many adjustments in planning, deciding, and time consuming work. Help is there, only for the asking. A big thank you to Western Wheelers and to all you dancers who are supporting our efforts.

Results of this pulling together is seen at our wonderful, well attended dances. On his way to call for us at our Christmas dance, Doug Kaufmann met Santa and invited him to stop by. Refreshments were outstanding; Margaret's pineapple treat - yumm! Upon moving our location, we found in our storage area a small door that previously had been transferred from club to club. We started "passing the door" again by presenting it to our raiding club, Bee Sharps. It was an uncanny coincidence that Lola Szekula, from Kittatinny Rangers and the originator of this custom, happened to be at this dance. She was ecstatic that we started the door on its journey again. Thanks go to our Raid Chairpersons, Walt Britt & Aline Hoyle, for delivering (even though Walt was ill) our banner to us at the See Saw dance location so we could carry out our raid. Dedication? Caring?

Twenty-two people showed up to help set up and decorate for our New Year's Eve Gala. One of the highlights of our gourmet menu was Nick Raspa's outstanding homemade soup, served Raspa style. Eileen Leber's aurora of lights and her '95 sign at midnight provided the icing on the cake. You can't surpass Roy Leber's calling and Eileen's bunny hop! The Raspas set the musical moods in rounds, and the "after midnight let your hair down mixers." Chinese Auction night entertained 10 rip-roaring squares. Love to all for their support and interest. Ad on page 38 Marilyn & Gus Bachmann 201-261-3921



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March	9 23	International Night President's Dance and Chinese Auction		Dan Koft Betsy Gotta & Dan Koft
April	13 27	Silly Hat Dance 4th Annual Potluck Sup	per	Betsy Gotta Dan Koft
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WARREN WHEELERS -- Port Murray, NJ MS/PL tips

1 & 3 Thurs. Sept-June Mansfield Twnshp Sch, Pt. Murray Rd & Rt. 57

Our masked ball was a real blast, with prizes for the best ghouls, goblins and monsters. We even had a three-eyed lady! Harmony dancers raided us and won several of the prizes. Lovely decorations and leis provided the atmosphere for our Hawaiian night. Dick Pasvolsky has an extensive repertoire of Hawaiian songs.

We thank Muriel & Jim Breslin for our successful clothing sale. It was abig help for our treasury. Hunterdon Flutterwheels and Kittatinny Rangers brought their students and raided us at our Christmas dance. Belles & Beaux and Eastonnaires visited us that night also. We had a merry time in harmony with the season.

Look for us at raids in the future with Warren Wheelers vests on the ladies. We're all busy cutting our fabrics now. Look for flyers for our summer dance in July.

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Joe & Mary Alice McGinley

908-852-0824



The Perfect Attendance Dangle is awarded by the NNJSDA to graduates of member clubs who attended **every** class. Class Coordinators keep the records and a representative of the NNJSDA presents the dangle at graduation along with a packet of special information for every graduate.

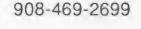
VALLEY SQUARES -- Watchung, NJ

1 & 3 Thurs. Sept-June Bayberry School, Bayberry Lane The Five Clubs' New Year's Eve dinner dance was celebrated by a bumper crop of enthusiastic square dancers. Next year it should be even better.

Maurie reports our Plus students will soon be ready to graduate. Many of these students will be joining our club. Let's really welcome these newcomers, and encourage them to become active members.

Our raids continue with a jaunt on Friday, January 6, to Ironia Reelers. Lessthan-wonderful weather kept the numbers down. It's not too early to mark your calendars for the SDCNJ Convention on Saturday, March 25, at Trenton State College. It's a full day of dancing and fun. As in past years, there'll be dozens of callers, great shopping, sewing seminars, exhibition dancing and more. Send in your reservation now. Keep dancing.

Ad on page 23 Max & Mary Niederle





TENAKILL TWIRLERS -- Cresskill, NJMS/PL tips3rd Fri. Oct-MayBryan School, Brookside Ave.We've had only one dance since the last issue of Grand Square, our holidaydance with John Kaltenthaler calling and Nick Raspa cueing, so there's no newsto report. We welcome visitors to come and dance with us and have a chance tobe a winner in our "Lucky 10" club, every 10th visitor wins a free dance pass forthe next visit. There's an exciting list of callers for the rest of the season. Wehope you'll come over and join in the fun. See you soon.Ad on page 59Frank Poole

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TENAFLY SQUARES -- Haworth, NJ

MS

2nd Fri. Sept-Jun

St. Luke's Episcopal Ch, Mass. & Grant Aves. We welcomed in the holiday season at our annual Cookies Dance in

December. We had advertised Manny Amor as caller, but there was a mix-up in our calendars, and we had a surprise for our dancers, Howard Richman. Dancing on January 13th wasn't unlucky this year - it didn't snow and we didn't have to cancel the dance. We had a great time with Bob Mitchell calling. Nick Raspa cued the rounds at both dances.

Since we're a small club, we're always glad to welcome visitors and raiders. We thank the clubs that have raided us and we're trying to schedule return raids. As we don't dance on Good Friday in April, there are only two more dances before the season ends. We're looking forward to seeing new graduate at those dances. They are most welcome. Happy dancin'. Frank Poole 201-342-3375 Ad on page 31

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PLUS - 2nd & 4th Fridays	
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Mar 24 Howard Richman \ Tom Denniston	May 26 Joe Bradshaw \ Tom Denniston
Apr 14 • No Dance - Apr 28 John Cariton \ <i>Tom Denniston</i>	Jun 9 Glenn Matthew \ Karen Kushla Jun 23 Manny Amor \ Karen Kushla
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Mar 1 Brian Fugere - Teddy Bear	May 3 Brian Fugere - Sports Nite
Mar 15 Ed Kerns - St. Patrick	May 17 Ed Kerns - Red / White / Blue
Apr 5 Brian Fugere - Spring Colors	
Apr 19 Wes Beaumont - Easter Egg Hunt	June 7 Brian Fugere - Picnic
Apr 26 John Carlton - Hawaiian Nite	June 21 - No Dance -
	Sq (Restored wood floor - Soft-soled shoes ONLY) Dancing - 8:00 - 10:00
Princeton ROUNDS - Every Tuesday	INFO: Call Gordon & Barbara - 609/466-3408
Party Nite: May 30 & TBA	No Dance: May 23; June 6 Ree Rumble
Dancing & Works	shops - Casual Dress
Lawrence Rd Fire House - 1252 R	t 206 (South of I-295) - Lawrenceville

STATEN SQUARE SET -- Staten Island, NY

1 & 3 Sat. Oct-June

St. Alban's Ch, 76 St. Alban's Pl. Now that we've been through the winter weather and March winds, we're looking forward to some great dancing in the spring. Thanks to Al'e'Mo Squares for raiding us. The beautiful snowflakes made by the Pearsons and Selugas were a hit at our Winter Wonderland Dance. The President's dance was enjoyed by all.

Good luck and happy retirement to Al Tachine. Speaking of retirement, we wish Bill Anderson, one of our local callers, much happiness in his retirement and the same for Shirley Bellotti, who has retired from cueing rounds and is enjoying "work free" dancing. Congratulations to Red & Lois Stevenson, our Past Presidents, who received the Blue Jay Award for outstanding service to our club. The Stevensons are also celebrating the engagement of their son. The Bevans, Seligsohns, and Wielands are all planning weddings for their children. We're happy to report that Bernadette Bevan bounced right back after gall bladder surgery.

We're getting the horses decorated and ready for our Kentucky Derby Dance in May and hope to have you join us at Post Time. Even though our RIOS classes were for Plus students, we wish them and all new graduates many happy vears of square dancing and look forward to dancing with them. Happy dancing and love to all. Ad on page 48

Marie & Bill Dudley

718-442-2561

PL

Don't fret over what you'd do with your time	
if you could live it over again	
get busy with what you have left.	

SPINNING WHEELS of WAYNE -- Wayne, NJ MS/PL tip/CW Every Mon. Sept-June Wayne Civic Center.

2 & 4 Mon. July & Aug Hamburg Turnpike & Church Lane Happy New Year! As of this writing the weather has been great and it seems we won't have a repeat of last year's snow and ice. Hopefully, we will be able to dance as much as we'd like this winter without any bad weather worries.

I hope that you tried the recipe for my mother's cheesecake in our last issue and that you enjoyed it. Isn't it easy to make and delicious to eat?

Our recipe for this issue is "Introduction to Plus." This is a recipe for all square dancers which is our format at Spinning Wheels. Each week a Plus figure is introduced by the caller of the evening, and the previous week's figure is reviewed. The complete Callerlab Plus program is introduced and reviewed during the year as Spinning Wheels is a club which dances every Monday night. Come and enhance both your Mainstream and Plus skills and have a fun time with friendly people, great callers and good food. Ad on page 24

Dolores Gesumaria

201-337-8365



GET WELL WISHES

We send our prayers and get well wishes to former NNJSDA Presidents, Gabe & Sila Dell'Angelo. Gabe is undergoing chemotherapy for a recurrence of a cancer he had 20 years ago. Sila broke her hip and has undergone a complete hip replacement. She is up and walking with a walker and should be home by the time you read this article. Gabe has been unable to visit her because of his chemotherapy. These wonderful people have been great supporters of square dancing and the NNJSDA for more than 20 years. They rarely miss an NNJSDA function. Send cards to them at 50 Fort Place, Staten Island, NY 10301.

SEE SAW SQUARES -- Upper Saddle River, NJMS/PL/CWMS - 1 Sat. Sept-JuneOld Stone Ch. Ed. CenterPL - 3 Sat. Sept-June500 East Saddle River Rd.

Okay, we all know it is winter. The weather stinks. We agree, BUT where were you when See Saws had their December 11 Christmas Dance with Manny Amor calling? We were there, even Santa Claus showed up (he even bought a ticket). Santa had gifts for all the good boys and girls that square dance. You missed out. Shame on you. There were 7 squares dancing and having fun.

See Saws is growing. Since the start of our dancing season, we have signed up four new couples for our club. It just goes to show that if you have a good product, the world will beat a path to your door (and even come to dance with the "Friendly Club"). You can also dance with the "Friendly Club" and you don't have to join if you don't want to.

Dancing-By-Definition Mainstream dances are attracting more and more Mainstreamers interested in good dancing, fun, and learning the more involved Mainstream. Gerry Hardy keeps things moving with a terrific sense of humor and interesting choreography. Come join the fun, the first Saturday of the month. Call your reporter for directions.

Dick Mazziotti has a very simple idea of square dance calling. He only wants his dancers to have fun. We did on January 21. The hall was crowded but there remained enough room to dance to Dick.

Carolyn Monahan, our Raid Chairperson, has organized a raid to an out-ofstate D.B.D. Mainstream club. Along with Carolyn, we hope all See Saw members join us.

Ad on page 56

Irwin D. Kupferman

914-429-4931

	MOUNTAIN Strian Church, 494	SQUARES 4 Route 10W, Whipp	bany
Joe Landi, Club Caller	A-2 7:45 - 10	:15 pm 1st &	3rd Wednesdays
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ROCKYTOPS of ROCKLAND – Pearl River, NY PL/A-1 tip 1st Fri. Sept-June Pearl River United Meth. Ch., John St. at Franklin In spite of some bad weather, our January dance saw a nice crowd of 11 squares with Todd Fellegy calling and Nick Raspa as our cuer. We want to say welcome to all the new graduates that came to dance with us and are doing so well. Now we look forward to a beautiful spring with wonderful dancing and, as always, top regional callers.

Congratulations to Lenny & Fran Himelfarb upon their daughter's engagement and the birth of their new granddaughter. Congratulations to Natalie & Herby Horowitz on their son's engagement. Get well wishes to Rita Schildwachter on her recent eye operation.

Come dance with us for a warm, friendly evening. Our Pearl River location is 20 minutes from the intersection of the GSP and Rt. 80 in Saddle Brook and only 10 minutes from Exit 172 of the GSP.

Ad on page 55 Herby & Natalie Horowitz

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1995 Myrtle_Beach CONVENTION CENTER MYRTLE BEACH, SOUTH CAROLINA APRIL 20, 21, & 22 1995 SEPTEMBER 13, 14, 15, & 16 1995 April TONY OXENDINE, JERRY STORY, & TOM MILLER and **JACK & GENIE WHETSELL MARK & PAM PROW** MAINSTREAM, PLUS, PLUS DBD, ADVANCE, & C-1 SQUARES: PHASES II, III, & IV in PLUS HALL; ROUNDS: PHASES V & VI in ROUND DANCE HALL

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MAINSTREAM, PLUS, PLUS DBD, ADVANCE, & C-1 2 PLUS HALLS on Sept. 15 & 16 PHASES II, III, IV, V, & VI

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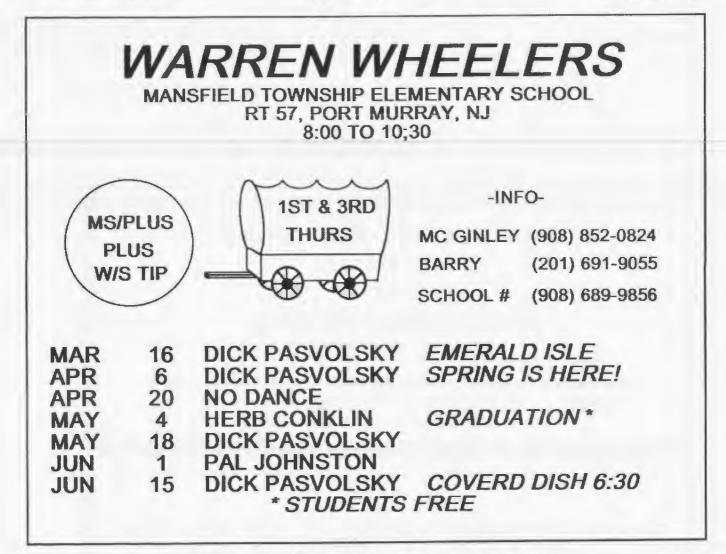
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BARBARA HARRELSON 1604 Grays Inn Road, Columbia, SC 29210 Tel. 1-803-731-4885 Fax 1-803-750-7222

ROCKLAND PROMENADERS -- Chestnut Ridge, NY MS/CW 2nd Sunday All Year Green Meadow Waldorf Sch, Rt. 45 & Hungry Hollow Greetings to all! If you have been supporting the student dances, then you have met many of our students and know how enthusiatic they are and how well they dance. They will add to our wonderful world of square dancing.

By now you have heard of our circus theme dance. The committee has been working hard to make this a great event. A few surprises are in the works, so be sure to buy a ticket. You will not be disappointed. See our ad. Ad on page 8, 66 Peg McGowan

201-664-4847



RICHMOND DANCERS --Staten Island, NY

All Saints Church, 2329 Victory Blvd. 2 & 4 Sat. Sept-June At this time of the year students have or are graduating. Each of us square and round dancers, should make every effort to greet these new members of our family. Help them through the motions. Don't pull them; don't ignore them; don't instruct them while we are dancing. Their concentration should center on the words of the caller. You will be best remembered if you SMILE and encourage them.

While I'm composing this column, our Presidents, Leo & Lois Bichler, are enjoying the sun and fun of Florida. They are very pleased that Charlie & Kathy Porter will fill in for them during their vacation. Richmond Dancers have been raiding each month and the clubs of the Association have been coming "over the bridge" to reciprocate. I look forward to seeing Greg Kushla holding both Helene AND Matthew as he dances rounds while their Mom is cueing.

Our condolences to Patty Connors. Her mother passed away recently after a long illness.

Just think, five more years to 2000. Back to the present: let's meet at the spring dances.

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Ray O'Neill

718-987-0257

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You have to know yourself before you can share that self with someone else.

MOUNTAIN SQUARES -- Whippany, NJ

1 & 3 Wed. Sept-June

First Presbyterian Ch., 494 Route 10

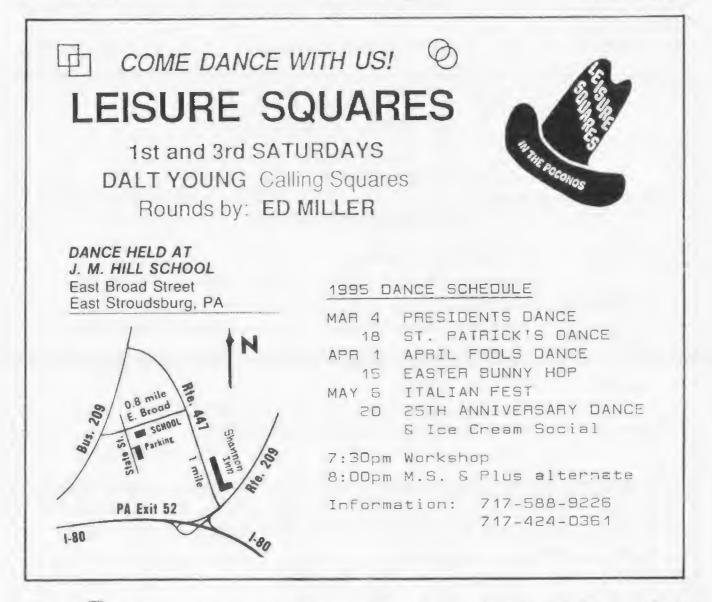
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It's graduation time. Mountain Squares members and friends congratulate all new graduates upon completion of lessons and welcome you into the wonderful, wacky world of square dancing. John Kaltenthaler's Advanced class in Wharton is finishing their current series of lessons, and our club is honoring them with an A-1 Special on the fifth Wednesday in March. All Advanced dancers are invited to attend. Please check our ad in this issue and watch for flyers for details.

Our friend, Marge Stottmeister, is recovering from her second knee surgery. We earnestly hope that she will be able to move about freely without pain very soon. We also have Ina Minor's sister in our thoughts and prayers.

Although some of us have flown south for the winter months, we continue have good attendance at our dances. Thank you all for coming out, and thank you, Joe Landi, for making that long journey to call for us.

Hi Taws raided us recently with their snappy group; and we, too, are traveling around. At the end of January, we are off to Richmond Dancers, and Motiv8ors is on our agenda for February. The "new" raid program is certainly sending us out into new territory. We hope that you a find you way to Mountain Squares' territory where friendship and good dancing are always on the program. Ad on page 18 Bob & Liz Sly 201-391-0248





Earn your Patron's Dangle by dancing at 26 member clubs of the NNJSDA. A blank Patron's Card is in every graduate's packet with complete directions on the back. There is no time limit and some people have earned their Patron's Dangle several times.

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1 & 3 Fri, All Year

MERRI EIGHTS -- Spotswood, NJ (Oct-May) Appleby School, Vliet Street

PL

(June-Sept) Knights of Columbus, Pine St., Old Bridge Congratulations to Greg & Karen Kushla on the birth of their new son. Karen is a frequent and very popular cuer for the Merri Eights, and we're very happy for them. Kathy Koft, another of our frequent and popular cuers, had an appendectomy on December 30th. What a way to end the old year! We're glad to report that she is recovering very nicely.

Merri Eights' member Howard Johnson recently celebrated his 80th birthday, and brought a lovely cake to our dance to celebrate. It turned out to be our biggest dance of the year with 11 squares dancing and Randy Page calling. We were raided by two clubs that night and it was really great to have so many people present to help celebrate the birthday of one of our most faithful members!

The Merri Eights had to cancel its New Year's Eve Dance this year due to a lack of interest on the part of our members. Our Toys for Tots Dance fared somewhat better. The two Marines who came to pick up the toys showed an interest in square dancing, were included in a couple of dances, and appeared to really enjoy themselves.

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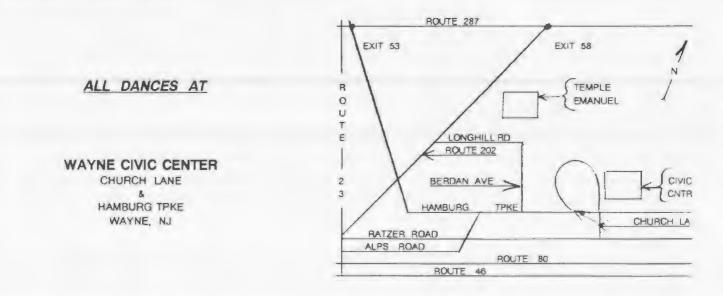
Barry & Evelyn Williams

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ATTENTION NEW GRADUATES Be sure to read that special packet of information you receive at graduation from the NNJSDA representative.

SPINNING WHEELS of WAYNE MAINSTREAM ON MONDAY NIGHTS / 8:00 to 10:30 * INTRODUCTION TO PLUS: 8:00 to 8:30 * THIRD TIP IS PLUS * REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED BY MEMBERS * WESTERN DANCING BETWEEN TIPS CALLER SCHEDULE MAR 6 BOB ROBINSON BOB MITCHELL ST PATRICK'S DAY DANCE 13 SPRING DANCE 20 DON COY 27 PAL JOHNSON BOB ROBINSON APRIL 3 10 HERB CONKLIN 17 LEN AFFINSON PIE NIGHT JIM SNYDER 24 1 BOB ROBINSON MAY 8 JIM EMORY DICK PASVOLSKY 15 1950's DANCE 22 ANDY WOERNER

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u>. Our weekly program, "Introduction to plus" is for ALL SQUARE DANCERS and introduces the complete callerlab plus program. Each week the caller for the evening introduces one new figure and reviews the figure introduced the previous week. Because we dance each Monday night, all figures on the callerlab plus list will be presented and repeated. This program gives dancers plus instruction from many callers for the price of a mainstream dance.



TO THE CIVIC CENTER FROM ROUTE 287 N or S: Take Exit 53 in Pompton Lakes. Turn Right at the bottom of the ramp. Not counting this traffic signal drive 5.5 mi through 12 traffic lights (follow Hospital signs). Immediately after passing through the 12th light turn Right into the Church Lane Jug-Handle, cross over Hamburg Tpke (Civic Center will be on a right diagonal) and turn into the Jug-Handle on the opposite side of Hamburg Tpke. Go 3/4 of the way around this second leg of the Jug-Handle and turn left into the Civic Center parking lot.

TO TEMPLE EMANUEL FROM ROUTE 287 N or S: Take Exit 58 in Oakland and follow signs for Route 202 South. Go over the Railroad tracks, past a Mobil Gas Station on the right and through the next traffic light. About 1/4 mile on the left is Temple Emanuel, just before the Dairy Queen.

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A GREAT PLACE TO DANCE

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LEISURE SQUARES -- E. Stroudsburg, PA Alt. MS/PL J.M. Hill School, East Broad St.

1 & 3 Sat. Oct-May Our season continues to be successful with a good turnout for our Thanksgiving Dance. As usual, we asked that those attending bring a can of food for the needy. Our donation was given to the Bushkill Outreach Program. They sent us a thank you stating that our contribution totaled almost 40 pounds. We thank all who made this possible.

At our Cardinal Dance, everyone sang a rousing Happy Birthday to Dalt Young, who was celebrating his 60th. That night he sang songs previously chosen by dancers from his extensive collection. It was fairly obvious when the dancer's choice was being sung by the way they sang along with Dalt. We were raided by Al'e'Mo Squares from Brooklyn, NY. Don Coy, who is a frequent caller for them, called a tip to everyone's delight.

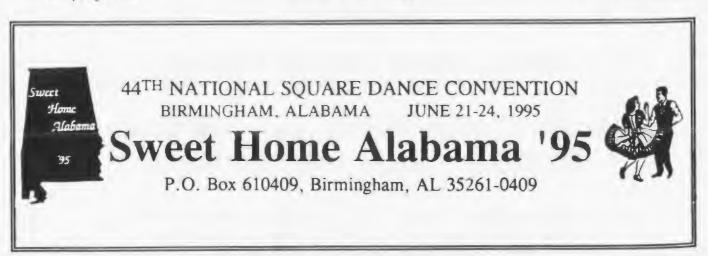
The highlight of our Christmas Dance was a return visit by Mr. & Mrs. Santa Claus (former members Norm & Flo Stockinger). After greeting everyone, they sat in front of the platform. Two lines were formed with the men visiting Mrs. Claus and the ladies visiting Mr. Claus. They all received a personal greeting and a candy cane.

Due to icy weather, we had a smaller than usual turnout for our New Year's Resolution Dance. We had guests from Warren Wheelers, Kittatinny Rangers and Pocono Mountain Squares. Colonial Squares was represented by their caller Ed Kern, who seemed to enjoy the opportunity to dance all night. Hope to see you all soon.

Ad on page 22

Millie Connelly

717-588-9226



LAKELAND SQUARES -- Parsippany, NJ

MS/PL tip

Every Tues. Sept-July Temple Beth Am, 879 S. Beverwyck Rd. Now that it is March, we hope to see our snowbirds returning soon. We have missed them. We have had six raids so far and are looking forward to the next one that Butch Conklin has scheduled for us. We like to get out to see all of you in your home clubs and hope that you will come to see us, too.

In honor of the Super Bowl, we had our Souper-er Bowl Party. Many people made a great variety of soups. It was fun tasting them all. Lakelanders are great cooks!!! Red was the color of the evening for Valentine's Day. Special Flowers were given for everyone to wear. We were decked out in red, white, and blue for Presidents' Day. Bob Mitchell had some special "mixers" for us to keep us on our toes.

Our 28 students will be graduating soon. Pal Johnson has done a great job teaching them. We welcome them into our club and hope to see them dancing regularly with us. We certainly hope to see all of you dancing with us, too. Very quickly, square dancers become great friends and we miss you when we don't see you for awhile. Keep well and come dance with us. Ad on page 45 Margaret Brownell

201-584-5969

 KITTATINNY RANGERS -- Andover, NJ
 MS/PL tip

 2 & 4 Fri. Sept-June
 Long Pond School, Lime Crest Road

 Our thoughts are on spring and flowers and conventions and making a new

 skirt and dancing, dancing, dancing. Our students have done well and are ready

 to graduate.
 Our class wasn't big but it was happy.

 Many thanks to Mickey

 McFarland and the Angels.

Seems like we just met at the Sunset Christmas Tree Farm in Blairstown (great trees!), and then we were off and running around Bucks County on a Mystery Ride followed by a great dance and a marvelous dinner back in NJ.

Let's see - our Pie Nite was like a "magic nite," now you see them, now you don't. Delicious! Our last activity was to raid Lakeland Squares with Bob Mitchell calling. Honestly, that Donna Poyer keeps us moving and happy. That's the great togetherness of square dancing. Go Yellow Rock your partner, people. Ad on page 46 John & Ruth Seaman 201-764-7134

Mexican Fiesta Weekend

March 31, April 1 & 2, 1995

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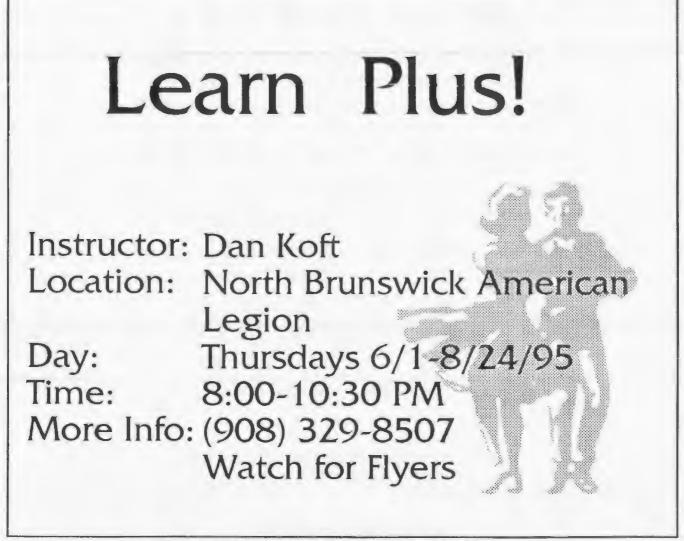
For more information, call: CHRIS (610) 777-5278 or JUDY (610) 863-5149

KINGS SQUARES -- Brooklyn, NY

PL

1 & 3 Sun. Sept-June As we are now into the second half of our square dancing year, we again extend an open invitation to join us in our future activities of square dancing. Some of our recent past activities have been: a country weekend at Tesslers, a street festival, various raids, a New Year's Eve Party in NJ, meetings, and all our own exciting dances. See our ad for a list of our future dances. We look forward to having you with us.

We hope you celebrate this special time of the year, namely St. Patrick's Day,Easter, Passover, and Mother's Day, in good health and in happiness. See youdancing.Ruth CohenAd on page 53Regina McCourt718-434-2581



IRONIA REELERS -- Randolph, NJ

1 & 3 Fri. Sept-June

Ironia Elem. Sch., Dover-Chester Rd., Rt. 513 It was a busy fall. Beside our regular dances, we raided Western Wheelers on November 12 and went to the Mini-Festival the next day. On December 2, we welcomed the Garden State Campers. Many of them are also Reelers.

We capped our Christmas dance on the 16th with an after-party at the home of the Hastons. The price of admission was to help hang ornaments on the Christmas tree. We'll have to remember that labor-saving idea when it's our turn to host. Food, camaraderie, and caroling with a live combo made it a delightful evening. On behalf of all who came, thanks to Cleo and Jennifer for their hospitality.

More camaraderie followed on New Year's Eve as a number of Reelers gathered at the Bowyers' house for refreshments and conversation before going to Cross Trail Squares' New Year's Eve Gala in Caldwell. The roads were going to be icy, but weren't. The Gala was better than ever. It was a night we will remember fondly.

Our Wednesday night Plus workshop continues with 10-12 students coming regularly. As you read this, spring is almost here. We hope you have survived the winter in good health and spirits.

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Jean & Inars Gruntals

201-543-7792



Earn your Freeloader Dangle by attending 8 of the 10 NNJSDA Summer Dances. This dangle and your Freeloader card are awarded at the 10th Summer Dance. The card entitles you to attend 6 Association dances FREE over the next 2 years. Look for the blank form in your graduation packet.

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Motiv8ors

A-2 Level Dancing - Sundays 7:30 to 10:00 pm **Jewish Community Center of Paramus** Midland Avenue and Spring Valley Road - Paramus, NJ

Nick and Carole Raspa on Rounds starting at 7:00 pm

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Feb	5	Mike Jacobs *
Mar	5	Mark Franks
Mar	26	Roy Leber *
Apr	9	TBA
May	7	Lou Flego
May	21	Mike Callahan *

*C-1 Aftertip with these callers only

Conrad & Janet: 201-470-8563 Beth: 718-601-1902

Sid & Marianne: 908-757-8374 George & Fanny: 201-385-3263

Hall Phone: 201-262-9860

HUNTERDON FLUTTERWHEELS -- Stanton Sta., NJ Alt MS/PL 1 & 3 Fri. Sept-June (Jan & Feb.) Echo Hill, Lilac Drive

(Mar, Apr, May) Flemington Baptist Ch, Church & Main, Flemington We have been fortunate up to this time weatherwise, so we have had all our dances. We shall see what the next two months will bring. We had a great turnout at our Christmas dance with much fun and many door prizes. With the hint of ice on January 6, we had one square +1. Those who attended had a real fun time and were glad we went.

We managed two raids, Princeton Squares in November and Warren Wheelers in December. The weather will dictate whether we complete the two scheduled in January.

We are very excited with our class this year. The two couples are doing so well and progressing so fast that they are already able to dance with us.

Please note from our schedule that we will be at Flemington Baptist Church in Flemington through March, April, and May as Echo Hill will be paving the driveway and completing the lighting in the parking area. Beginning in September, all our dances will be at Echo Hill.

Good luck to all the clubs during next two months that the weather cooperates. Hope to see you all soon. Ad on page 67

Pat Elliott

908-782-0696

See you at the New Jersey Square & Round Dance Convention on Saturday, March 25, 1995 Trenton State College, Ewing, NJ Info: 800-892-8828 or 908-249-2086

HIX & CHIX -- Elmwood Park, NJ

PL - 2 & 4 Thurs. All Year (5th June-Aug)

MS - 1 & 3 Thurs. May-Aug

Hix & Chix held their annual Toys for Kids dances December 8 and 15. Thanks to the generosity of members and visitors, Mary & Frank Boss were able to deliver 34 Christmas gifts to Holly House, a home for children from dysfunctional families. Once again, the mid December Christmas dance was honored by a visit from Santa Clausette (in the person of the very personable Liz Bradley). Maybe we can make this a tradition also.

As this is written, we have just finished our first dance of 1995. How nice it was - no snow, no rain, no freezing temperature. We had enjoyable guests, Western Wheelers raiders and visitors from other clubs. Dalt Young called a good dance and entertained us with one of his hand puppets. There was smooth cueing by Nick Raspa. Mulled cider and a full dessert table refreshed us. So join us; there will be many fun evenings of dance.

Ad on page 50 Dick & Brenda Dexter

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HI TAW TWIRLERS -- New Milford, NJ

1, 3, 5 Tues. Sept-June New Milford Middle Sch., Roslyn Ave. Our Plus square dance class, under the tutelage of Howie Richman, graduated with full honors on Monday, January 16. They have been attending our regularly scheduled Plus dances for the last month and have displayed outstanding skills. Congratulations to all and a hearty thank you to Howie Richman for providing skilled teaching and hours of enjoyment.

If you are in the area, please join us any 1st, 3rd or 5th Tuesday evening for Plus dancing with energy, verve and enjoyment. Ad on page 49 Caroline Sutton 201-262-0616 Editors' Note: Howard Richman tells us that he had 4 <u>squares</u> of very enthusiastic Plus students, not 4 students as reported in the last issue.

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HARMONY DANCERS -- Springfield, NJ

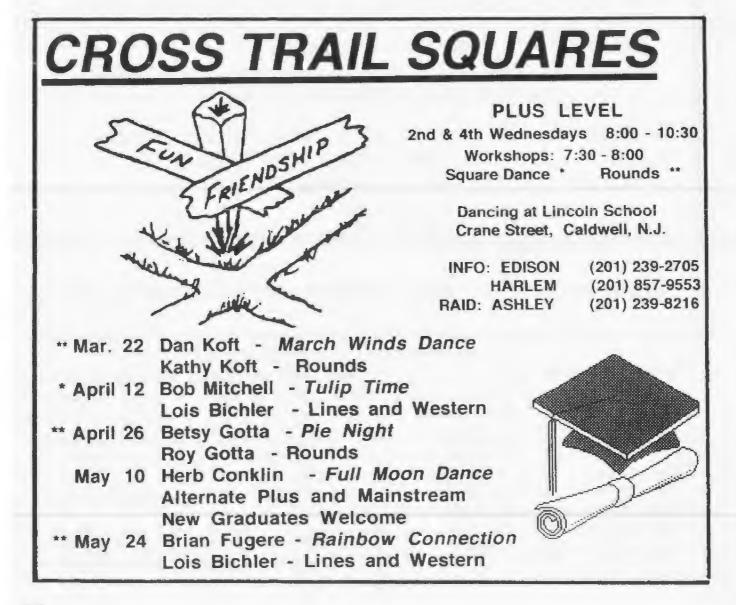
1 & 3 Sat. Sept-May Chisholm Sch., S. Springfield Ave. at Shunpike As we write this, the holiday season has passed and, although the temperature outside seems spring-like, there is still a lot of winter yet to go. Our Holiday Dance was joyous and well attended. Every couple and single attending received a tree ornament, a hand-made present that the Trainors have given to attendees of our Holiday Dance since the inception of Harmony Dancers. This year's ornament was a lady square dancer made from a rainbow of silk carnations. Our tree would certainly not be as interesting without their ornaments. Every year it is interesting to see their "newest" creation. Thank Sallie & Jack.

Our raid calendar has been busy. Despite the busy holiday season, we raided Country Promenaders and Richmond Dancers. That completes five of our seven "for credit" raids, but we expect to continue on until summer to visit more of you. We believe raiding to be an important part of square dancing, so Harmony has a policy of encouraging our members to come and raid. We recently awarded a free dance ticket to the Eckmanns, the Malcolms, Sylvia Gambony, Helen Young, and Sue Zaccagnio for attending four raids. We especially extend our appreciation to those clubs who have raided us.

We extend our best wishes to Bill Boileau for a complete recovery. Bill & Thelma are charter members of Harmony Dancers. They are our Secretaries, although they don't get to dances since Bill has a foot injury. It took a turn for the worse recently and Bill spent a part of the holidays in a very non-merry hospital room. Best wishes, Bill, for a much better 1995. Ad on page 41 Jim & Kate Malcolm

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F.A.D. (Fun At Dancing) invites you to dance with us, and while we may not offer you overnight accommodations, we can tell you we'll probably still be friends with you 15 years from now. Come on down and find out why F.A.D. is called the Friendly Club - you'll be glad you did.

Our new hall is easy to reach. If you are familiar with the old location on Passaic Street in Maywood, Paramus Road is the SAME street, just further north. There is a traffic light at the intersection with Midland Avenue. Those coming from Rockland will find GSP Exit "From Road" best; it leads right into Midland Avenue. It's a larger hall to accommodate all you new dancers.

Ad on page 12 George Loewenstein

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IT'S POSTER CONTEST TIME!!! Start thinking about your poster entry now. See the revised rules on page 10

2 & 4 Tues, Mar-Dec

DINGMAN DANCERS -- Milford, PA MS/PL tip Delaware Valley H.S., Routes 206 & 6 (mid Jun-Aug) American Legion Hall, Wilson Hill Rd. We are back from hiatus on the second Tuesday in March with our St. Patrick's Dance. We have a full schedule planned right through December. Spring is a great time to visit this area, so plan your raids now. Remember also, we dance through the summer at the air-conditioned American Legion Hall.

A hearty welcome to all the new graduates, especially our own. New graduates are welcome at our Mainstream dances. Come and visit us; we love company.

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Charlie & Peg Scholtes

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CROSS TRAIL SQUARES -- Caldwell, NJ

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2 & 4 Wed. Sept-June Lincoln School, Crane St. Shhhhhhhhhhh--it's winter, but PLEASE don't tell Mother Nature. It may just remind her of the winter ritual of the "white stuff" of yesteryear, which to date CTS dancers are very happy she has skipped.

With cold, clear weather and dry roads, we headed out to a ham dinner followed by a raid to Harmony Dancers. That just got us going, so we followed it with a raid to Richmond Dancers, and to top it off we took four squares to a raid at Lakeland Squares. All those raids put us in a holiday mood as we glided right into our Holiday Dance which was complete with Santa Claus dancing from square to square around the hall.

And then it was on to the famous CTS New Year's celebration. The hours before midnight were spent feasting at a buffet dinner, which included selections that ranged from plain to the exotic. They square danced to the calls of Brian Fugere and round danced to the cues of Al Spinks. The highlight of the evening was an exhibition by Al & Gale. There were door prizes galore, and of course, a 50/50. The champagne toast ushering in 1995 was shared by dancers from all of the NNJSDA areas.

So, please don't tell Mother Nature it's winter. We want to dance our way to spring, and we want YOU to join us. Ad on page 30

Elaine Edelman

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HALLS, HALLS, HALLS!

We have found a new hall in Lincoln Park, NJ, but we are still on lookout for more. If you know of a reasonably priced, air-conditioned hall, preferably with a wood floor, please contact 1VPs Frank & Carol Homer at 908-876-3029.



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COUNTRY PROMENADERS -- Edison, NJ

2 & 4 Sat. Sept-May

Stelton Comm. Ctr., Plainfield Ave. (Rt. 529) When our November 26th dance had to be cancelled due to unavailability of our hall, we took it as an opportunity to raid Western Wheelers, a club we normally wouldn't visit since they dance the same night we do. The raid gave us a chance to make new friends.

Our December 10th dance, International Finger Food Night, found us eating and dancing up a storm (or shouldn't I use that word in the middle of winter?). We enjoyed the always fun calling of Joe Landi, who introduced us to Cycle To A Wave (a take off on Linear Cycle), and the excellent smooth cueing of Steve Bradt. We were privileged to welcome four raids and many other clubs that evening, all willing to help us feast on our smorgasbord. Thanks go to Harmony Dancers, Rutgers Promenaders, Valley Squares and Y Squares for joining us in celebrating the holiday season.

December 31st found us celebrating at the Five Clubs New Year's Eve Dinner/Dance. The new year was welcomed in with the enjoyable calling of Will & Beth Larsen (who are expecting their first child in mid-March), the impeccable cueing of Ellen & Steve Dees, and the company of Karen & Greg Kushla (accompanied by Helene and 2-week old Matthew). Louis and I danced in a 10person square with the Kushlas - it worked out since two were being carried. Is there a special dangle for that?

We hope you were among the many squares of guests who participated in our Carnivale on March 11th and enjoyed the beautiful singing voice and lively calling of National Caller, Bill Harrison (MD).

Remember our change of schedule: we will again have the pleasure of dancing to the fun, innovative calling of Will Larsen (CT) on the 4th Saturday in April.

We now have boutonnieres for the solo dancers to wear so that we can see to it that you have the opportunity to dance throughout the evening. Whether eating, dancing, or socializing is your "thing," the Country Promenaders is the fun place to be.

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Jan & Louis Thompson

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CIRCLE EIGHTS -- Haworth, NJ

4th Fri. Sept-June

St. Luke's Episcopal Ch., Mass. & Grant Aves. All is going along great at Circle Eights. Our students are doing very well and

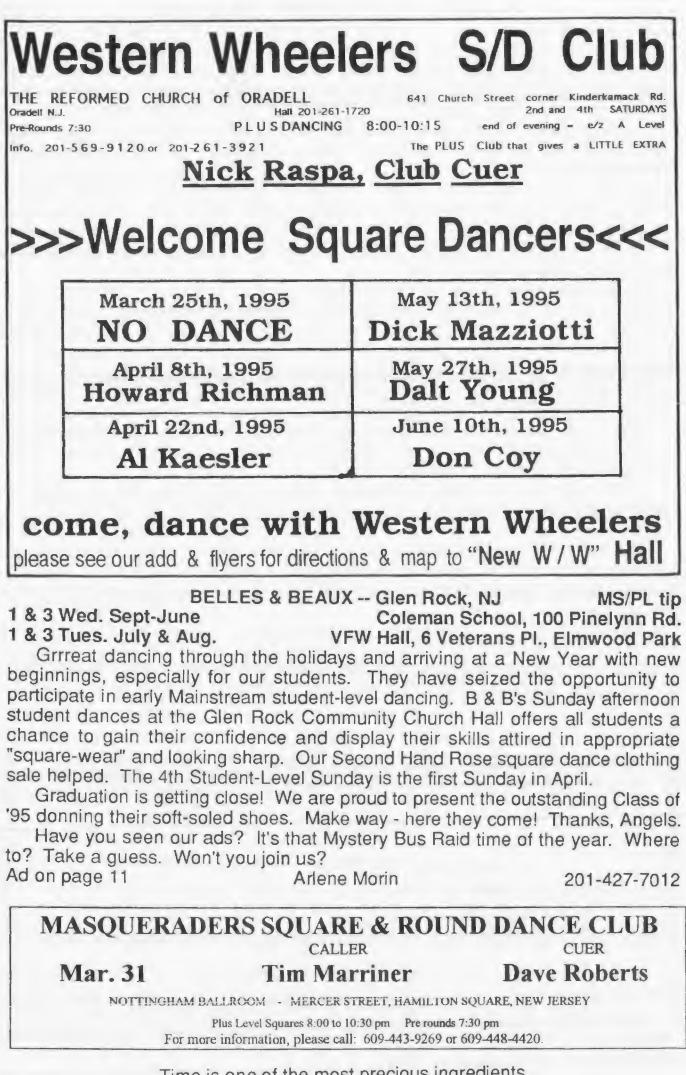
enjoying all the student dances. We look forward to their graduating from Mainstream and adding to our club. As you know, our dances are on Friday evening - a great night for staying up

late. Please join us and support Mainstream.

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BEE SHARPS -- Somerville, NJ

2 & 4 Fri. Sept-June

St. John's Episcopal Ch., 158 W. High St. How fast the time has gone since the beginning of the new square dance season and the beginning of the new year. The Bee Sharps managed to keep busy and to get a lot done. We have been going on raids, going to classes, and dancing at club dances. We also managed to have five couples do a demo for the Hunterdon Nursing Home. They were: Nancy & Victor Ammons, Lillian & Don Davis, Mary & Bob King, Irma & John McCarthy, and Kathleen & John Robinson. The residents of the Nursing Home had big smiles on their faces, and they served us some real good refreshments. Len Anfinsen did the calling for us and he was really great. A big thank you goes to Len.

Our Christmas Dance this year was a big success and was enjoyed by everyone. Dan Koft did the calling and Kathy Koft did the cueing. Students from our classes were invited to come and dance with us. This makes it possible for students and club members to get acquainted and for students to experience a club dance and to see what square dancing is all about.

1995 is still new and the Bee Sharps would like to wish everyone a happy, healthy and prosperous new year. Please come and dance with us. We love having guests and our refreshments are always good. Especially the chocolate brownies. See you in a square.

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Lillian Davis

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I have a spelling checker, It came with my PC. It plainly marx for my revue, Mistakes I cannot sea.

I've run this poem threw it, I'm sure your please to no. Its letter perfect in it's weigh, My checker tolled me sew!

AL'e'MO SQUARES -- Brooklyn, NY

Ft. Hamilton Comm. Rec. Bldg., Ft. Hamilton 2 & 4 Sun. Sept-June We note with pride that 39 Al'e'Mo students will be graduating this year. Credit goes to our dedicated leadership of wise philosophers-kings, who constantly emphasize that we are a Friendship Club as well as having square dance expertise. "And the Angels Sing!"

From time to time, new calls are proposed to enter our repertoire. The latest was: "Skating On Thin Ice Without A Moral Compass." This is a very controversial call; as some of us recall, we barely survived the Golden Calf experiment. Moses cautioned us not to "Turn Back" or we'd never get where we were going, and that we were not supposed to "Follow Your Neighbor" home just to make a push-in robbery. But opinions differ; some opine that a friendship club is not the appropriate forum to discuss what constitutes friendship. Go know?

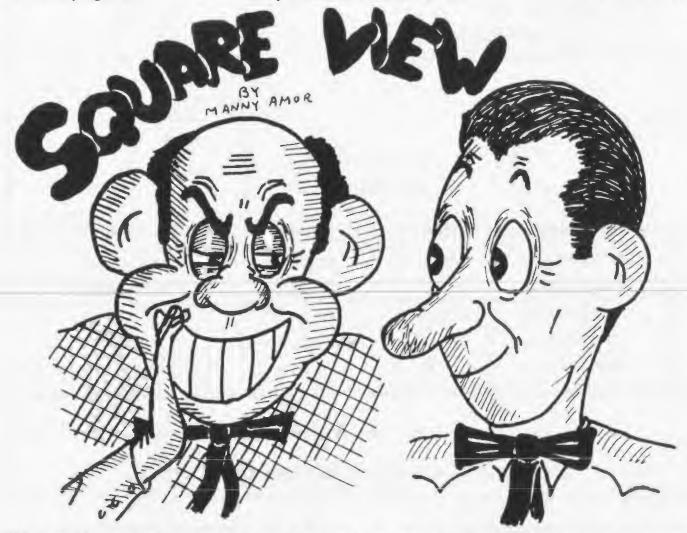
Such matters might well be discussed at L.U.S.T. Lest anyone get the wrong impression, this stands for Let Us Speak Together. These are seminars sponsored by the NNJSDA to help potential leaders understand the workings of a square dance club.

Our Barbara Kandrach complains that upon hearing our Al'e'Mo Players were rehearsing skits, she considered joining the cast - not being put in one. Now come on, Barbara, no one would honestly make such an obvious misinterpretation.

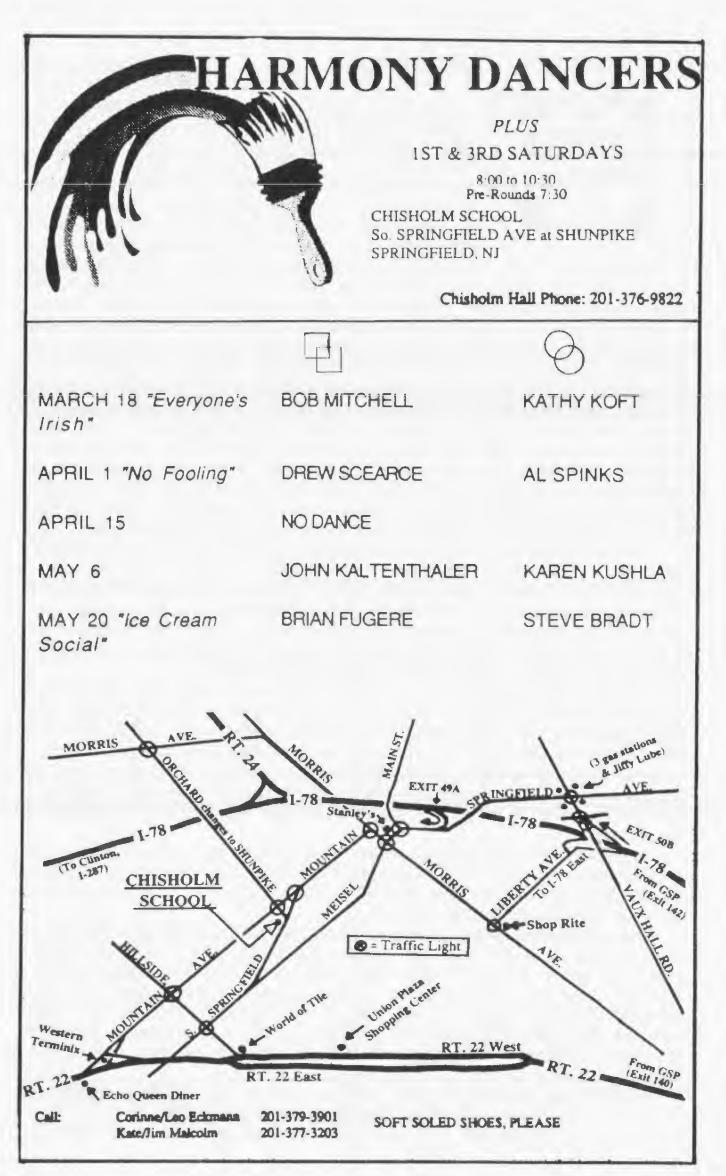
A dancing tip from our files: Upon completing a Right & Left Thru, quickly let go of the other dancer's hand. Experience has shown that most calls go more smoothly when arms are allowed to remain in their sockets. It also avoids lawsuits and bad publicity. Isn't square dancing interesting? Jerry & Estelle Abramowitz Ad on page 33

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MS/PL tips



"LET'S GO DANCE WITH THE BEGINNERS SO WE CAN BLAME ALL OUR MISTAKES ON THEM"



March, 1995



by Rusty Ball

This month we will address hemlines for square dance skirts. Believe it or not, it is the bottom of a dancer's full skirt that we become aware of first. Not only is it out front nearest to us, but it is swirled and twirled before us, catching our eye constantly. That is what we wear them for after all. What, therefore, should concern us about the hemline on a full skirt?

First and foremost is the length. How long should a full skirt be? I am not referring to personal preferences, but artistic balance in a dancer's profile.

Let us step back and see ourselves as others see us--in motion and from a distance of about ten feet. The fashion rule that applies is proportion. When a full-skirted figure is looked at from a distance of ten feet, the proper ratio of skirt-to-leg gives us a view that is artistically balanced; to enhance a figure, the waist-to-hem measurement should equal or slightly exceed the hem-to-floor measurement. This places the hemline at the back of the knee for most women. The bottom of the crinoline will brush the top of the calf at its point of meeting the knee. The higher the hem is above the knee, the more the eye of the observer is drawn to the knee joint, not the leg as we might wish. The skirt (and figure) appears stiff, and an unflattering "Kewpie Doll in a Tutu" image results: appreciation of the shape of the leg is replaced by awareness of the awkwardly angular bones of the knee. On the other hand, the graceful motion of a lifting, flowing skirt attracts the eye away form the knee joint to the revealed leg.

The next thing we see is the crinoline/skirt relationship. Plan the length of the skirt to match the crinoline you will wear with it. There should be no more than an 1/2" difference between the bottom of the skirt and the bottom of the crinoline. More than 1/2" of skirt below the crinoline has the appearance of a shelf. (Color association between skirt and crinoline is totally invisible, as well.) It is actually OK to have the crinoline longer than the skirt, to show that expensive crinoline as trim peeking from the skirt edge.

The hem finish is the final punctuation to a skirt. Choose a hem for sewing ease and fashion balance; after all, who will really see it except in motion and from a distance? (No one would fault a hand-stitched hem on a skirt, but no one will appreciate the hours of work you put in either, except your mother, of course.) A machine hem is subtle and faster: try using a rolled hem foot for light fabrics or ruffles; serge along the edge, turn it under one width, and top stitch a 1/4" frm the edge; or try pinking the edge, turn it under 3/8" and do two rows of top stitching.

Top stitch with contrasting thread for a fancy look; copy a design in the fabric--use a zig-zag if the pattern is geometric, or a machine embroidered flower stitch for flowered print; straight stitch or embroidery with metallic thread on those lovely metallic/print fabrics.

Sew contrasting lace or eyelet under the hem; sew it half its width up from the finished edge, with half of it peeking out--this give a delightful country "petticoat" look. Another factor in maintaining the grace of a flowing skirt is having some weight around the bottom edge; for this reason, a bottom contrasting or matching 1' or 1-1/2" ruffle make a great balance when you twirl-the skirt will float like a cloud. (All of these additions can instantly correct the discrepancy between a skirt hem and your favorite crinoline, too, if the skirt is a little too short.)

Look for our sewing flyers, and see you all at the Fashion Show and Sewing Seminars in Trenton!!!!

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Write for directions and more information

Northern New Jersey Round Dance Leaders Council



Helene Kushla is bursting with pride as she introduces her new baby brother, Mattew Joseph, who was born December 16, 1994 to her proud parents, Karen & Greg. It is made plain to all that he is her brother and no one else is welcome to take him home.

The Spring Festival of Rounds was held on the 5th of March, at the VFW in Elmwood Park. Round dancers were again provided an afternoon of excellent dancing to their favorite NNJRDLC cuers. The annual afternoon of rounds are the primary means of support for the Council. Once again, the fine talents of our own Roy & Betsy Gotta were skillfully displayed when they encored their prior success as Round Program Chairpeople as they filled in for Jean Kellogg. Your Council members put in a good deal of effort to provide a good, solid, and enjoyable program for you. Your local cuer is also anxious to hear any and all comments. Your sharing with us will help ensure a continued fine round dance program.

Only days away is the NJ State Convention on the 25th of March. Many of your leaders and dancing comrades have put a great deal of hard work and effort into bringing you an even bigger and better Convention this year. Remember, it can't work without your support and that's little much to ask when the return is so high. As an extra treat, look for the round dance demos to be performed in the square dance halls. They promise to be a fine addition to what is already a pleasurable day. Regularly scheduled rounds and teaches will once again be in the North Gym which permits you to distribute your time and include other activities with your round dancing pleasure.

We welcome the opportunity to remind you that 8 of your Council members are actively involved in the 8th NJ Convention as Committee members: Roy & Betsy, Registrars; Kathy & Dan Koft, Advisors; Nick & Carole Raspa, Round

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Dance Chairpersons, and Dave & Wendy Roberts, General Chairmen. These tasks are taken on in conjunction with their current area responsibilities and the aforementioned jobs often have tight deadlines that have to be met. We commend them for assuming these additional responsibilities.

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In the most recent Keep/Drop ballot of the Mainstream Quarterly Selection, Single Circle To A Wave was voted to be kept. The Quarterley Selection Wahoo was voted to be dropped. The other current Mainstream Quarterly Selection is Grand Parade

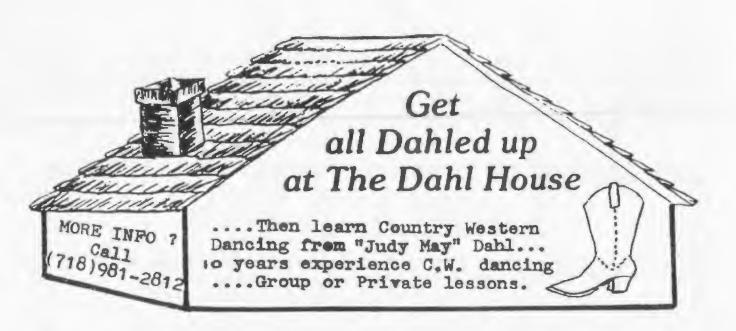
The Plus Quarterly is Split Ping Pong Circulate for the

period March 1 to July 1, 1995. Start: 1/4 Tag. Definition: Each dancer Circulates, or moves forward one position along the path shown in Figure 1. The movement may also be called when there is a left-hand wave in the center. End: 1/4 Tag. Timing: 4 beats. The other Plus Quarterly

Selections are Double Your Neighbor, and Follow Thru. The Plus Emphasis Call is Load the Boat.

The current Advanced Quarterly Selections are Scatter Scoot, Chase Chain Thru, and Relay The Top.

Quarterly Selections are provided as optional material for those callers and/or clubs that wish to include a workshop in their dance programs. They are not a part of the Mainstream, Plus or Advanced Programs. No dancer should be required to know the Quarterly Selections to attend a dance. If a Quarterly Selection is used, the callers should walk through or workshop it first.



Round Dance Clubs . . .

PRINCETON ROUNDS -- Lawrenceville, NJ

Tuesdays

Lawrenceville Firehouse, Rt. 206 It's a good thing the Princeton Rounds are meeting at the Lawrenceville Firehouse otherwise we'd worry about the "red hot" teaching schedule Ron & Ree Rumble are conducting every Tuesday evening. In the past few months, we've had superb sessions on Laurann, Spinning Wheel, and Perhaps, plus a number of other new treats done to cues. Come join us! It's never too late to start dancing with possibly the best cuer/teacher couple in the US.

Ad on page 16 Gordon & Barbara Jacobson Ron & Ree Rumble

609-799-1987 908-657-0212

RAMAPO RHYTHMAIRES -- Rutherford, NJ

Mondays

Annuciation Ukrainian Church, Home Ave. The early group has been concentrating on learning Phase II waltz, foxtrot, and cha cha steps. Review, review, review seems to be the name of the game. The pace of this enthusiastic group has been much faster than in earlier years as they do retain well. We have stolen Roy Gotta's idea and are now freelancing the first Monday of the month as a "What would you want to learn and/or review day?" We have been indulging the seasoned group's desire for less teaching and more dancing time. The new formula occasionally does get sidetracked when the teacher forgets to mind the clock. You are welcome to come join this "ambitious," fun group any time.

Nick & Carole Raspa

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2 & A Fridays MS with Plus Tip Long Pond School

MAR 24 APR 14 **APR 28 MAY 12 MAY 26**

Mickey McFarland NO DANCE Dick Mazziotti Mickey McFarland **Rich Murphy**

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Rounds - Al Spinks

INFO: Dorothy Jaworski 201-729-1203



SQUARE DANCE ACTIVITY

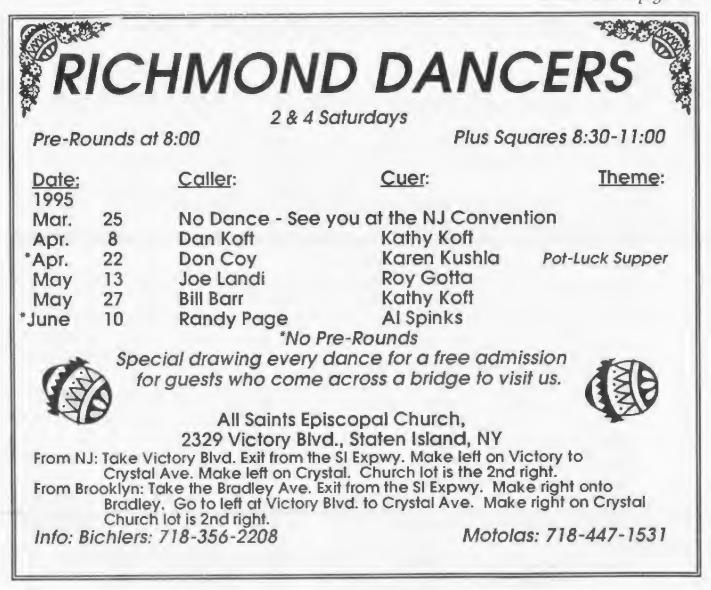
It was ironic that the educational seminar that Legacy, the International Assembly of "Trustees" of the Square Dance Activity, presented in conjunction with the National Executive Committee at the NSDC in Portland, Oregon, entitled "Dancing for the Health of It" had a serious health problem.

Moderator Dr. Lee Walker and several of his panelist "patients" became seriously ill and were unable to participate. This session began with a discussion on emergency preparedness and questions to answer. Various types of emergency situations were discussed as well as suggested procedures to follow. Questions included: Does your club maintain (and always have available) a current listing of members trained in CPR or who are nurses, doctors, members of ambulance squads or trained in EMT? Do you know who to call for emergencies? What is ECMA - the Emergency Call for Medical Aid? How does ECMA work? Does your club have insurance? Who do you contact about insurance? What followup to emergency situations does your club follow?

Several clubs, who have members with handicaps, told of how their club has made adjustments to fit their needs. One caller mentioned how the hearing impairment sound enhancement device he carries as standard equipment is often utilized. Also discussed were "Sunshine" chairmen responsible for keeping in touch with missing dancers. Another told of the "emergency repair kit" (including an eyeglass screw kit!) their club always placed in both the men's and women's bathrooms at their dances.

The session then concentrated on the healthful benefits of the square dancing

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activity with Jim Connelly, RN, NA, concentrating on weight loss and fitness tips. While no one there had a surefire method to develop the will power necessary to avoid those delicious refreshments so many clubs serve at their dances, it was heartening to hear that veggie platters and healthier foods are becoming more popular items.



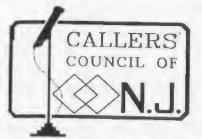
THE GRADUATE

We have many graduates in the New Jersey region and we have a few suggestions to help them succeed in their dancing:

- Don't be scared to go out and dance; the best way to become more proficient is to dance on a regular basis.
- Many clubs offer New Graduates' Nights; these are a perfect opportunity for you to meet new people and dance to new callers.
- Don't dance with the same people all the time; part of the enjoyment of square dancing is the opportunity to meet new people. Also, if you dance with people from your own class, you lose out on all the help that others can give you.
- · If your club offers an extended class or workshop, make sure you take it.
- If you have difficultly with a call, don't be scared to ask the caller for assistance. Callers want you to be able to succeed.
- Keep dancing during the summer; you will find that by next fall you have become a much better dancer.

Enjoy Square Dancing! You will find that it is a great activity. Now is the time to tell your friends about the fun you have had and offer them the chance to join us this fall.

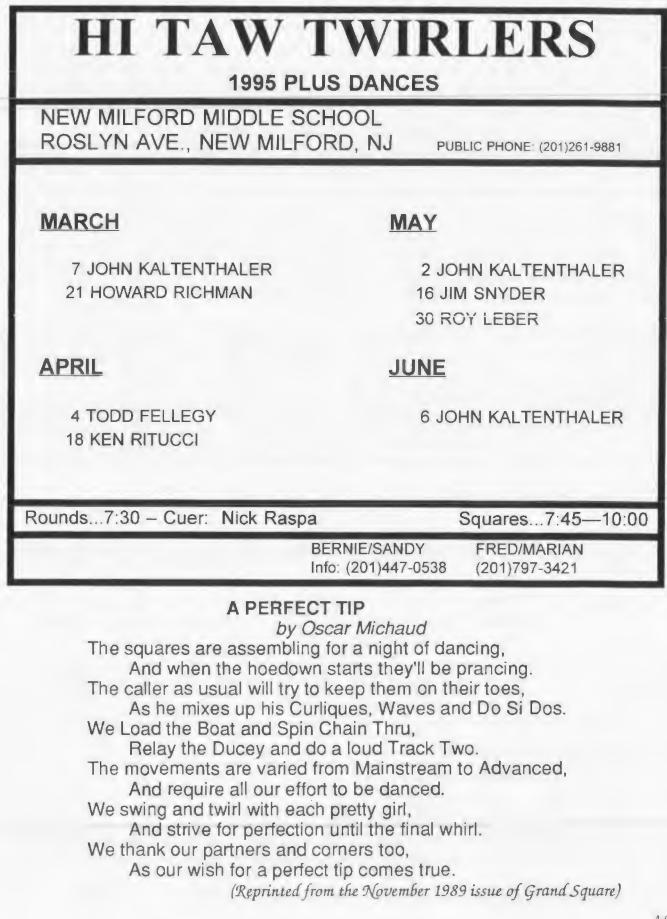
Randy Page, Square Dance Caller, Callerlab Accreditted Caller Coach



Welcome to all new graduates and those soon to graduate. We know that you will really enjoy this activity. Please be sure to dance often and keep dancing through the summer. We especially recommend that you attend the Wednesday night dances sponsored by the NNJSDA during the summer. (Most of these dances feature callers who

are members of CCNJ.) Please start to think now about your fall classes. Many times we wait until August and that is too late to talk to your friends. Start talking to them now and let them know how much fun you are having.

Randy & Fran Page, Presidents, CCNJ



MEDICAL ALERT!!!

by Dick Mazziotti, Caller/Teacher

Dear new dancers, there are some things, now that you are ready to graduate, that your callers and angels have been keeping from you. It's not that they wanted to deny the ugly little secrets, but they all hoped that by now you would be better prepared to handle the awesome responsibilities of having fun on your own as graduated Mainstream dancers.

But it's time to fess up. There are some things about square dancing that are best spoken of only among consenting adults, in the privacy of their own home, blinds drawn, and children put to bed. I now take it upon myself to introduce you to some of the medical maladies brought on by square dancing.

Gallapologies: Etiology: often attacks new dancers upon joining a square peopled by the dreaded Perfect Dancers! Newer dancers start to apologize for the mistakes they are going to make, for being there in the first place, for presuming they would be able to keep up with Perfect Dancers, and for the state of the economy. There are only two known remedies for the gallapologies: Imagine everyone else in the square with no clothes on...or...remember that the PDs were new dancers once also. As a prophylactic measure, newer dancers can indicate they are new dancers, but please do not apologize for it.

Millarounds: This particular disease strikes high and low, old and young, dancers and wannables. It usually strikes an entire square at once. Evidence that a square has been infected is usually obvious by the continued random movements of its members. Only known cure: Get into facing lines during patter or get home in a singing call. Millarounds are often accompanied by loud noises.

Cavomania: Symptoms: dancers dance only at their home club. They do not accompany their club on raids, parties, picnics, bus rides, etc. They don't dance at other clubs, near or far. The disease rapidly progresses into a non-dance

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Ocean Waves Square Dance Club c/o Christ United Methodist Church 1890 Forest Ave. Staten Island, NY 10303



1995 Dances First & Third Fridays 8:30 to 11:00 PM Mainstream (+ Tip) March 17 Jim Emory

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Recent Graduates and Students are invited.

Contact: Jim & Barabara Thoma 718-948-3056

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state. The only known cure is to accompany the Cavomanic to dances. Wear protective clothing.

Plusitis: The most deadly of the square dance diseases. It is brought on by listening to the siren song of ego massaged by callers or other dancers. It is manifested by joining a Plus class before dancing long enough and well enough to be competent in the Mainstream program. All caller groups, including Callers Council of New Jersey and Callerlab, support a curative program of dancing at least one full year in the Mainstream program before attempting another program.

Touchectomies: While not strictly a disease, this condition is a result of having had one's touch removed. It leads to dancers avoiding holding hands with their adjacent dancer or dancers, thereby leaving the dancer in a weakened condition regarding "Where in the square am I?" (For more on the results of touchectomies, see Millarounds.)

Brain Stroll: A curiosity disease mentioned in *Gotta's Book of Strange Happenings*. This is a universal disease affecting all dancers at one time or another. The dancer's brain takes a short stroll, often leaving the body in strange positions. There is no known cure. Expect it to strike at any time and any place. It occurs often at the beginning of a tip when people with obviously adequate hearing refuse to hear a call. For example, after "Bow to the Partner and the Corner too," one might expect to hear an action call addressed to all 8, or the heads or the sides. Nevertheless, there are always some people caught by surprise at the beginning of a tip. Of all the diseases, this is the most innocuous disease as the rest of the dancers usually apply remedial motion.

SURGEON CORPORAL'S WARNING: Please note that in the face of medical testimony to the contrary, the NNJSDA's battery of lawyers have told us that dancing has not been 100% proven to cause these diseases. Their researchers have not been able to confirm a definite, provable link between dancing and the above diseases. Ad on page 43

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"THE OSCAR" (or: If Oscar Can Dance I Can Too!) Choreographed by Judie Dahl

This is a 4-wall line dance choreographed to honor Oscar Michaud for his 90th birthday party at Ocean Waves on January 6, 1995. The steps tell the story of Oscar's typical day - I don't know about the nights. As you start each repeat, the new wall will be the one on the left. These song titles might suggest the secret to Oscar's longevity.

Goal Song:

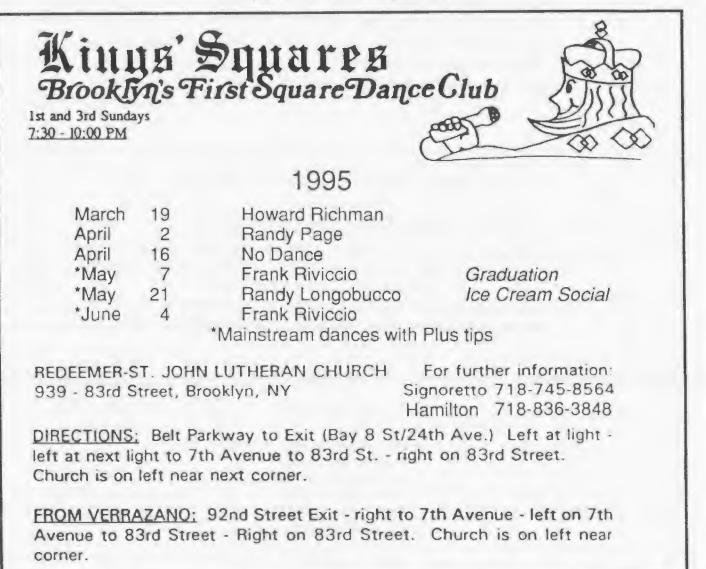
If Bubba Can Dance I Can Too, by Shenandoah (Quick-128 Beats Per Minute) Practice Songs:

My Life's Been Grand, by Merle Haggard (Slow-76 BPM) I Don't Need Your Rockin' Chair, by George Jones (Med/Slow 96 BPM) Lovers Live Longer, by the Bellamy Brothers (Med-104 BPM) Never Say Never, by T. Graham Brown (Quick/Med-112 BPM)

Oscar's Day:	Beat:	Step Description:
The Mornng Stretch	1 2 3 4	Right heel stretch and touch forward Right step in place Left heel stretch and touch forward Left touch in place
Walk on the Golf Course	1 2 3 4	Left step forward Right step forward Left step forward Right step forward and 1/4 left turn (keep left on floor-both feet are planted for a tee-off) Please turn to page 53

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Tee-Off Time	1 & 2 3 & 4	Right-handed golf swing Left step back and 1/4 left turn (put left hand over eyebrows as your eyes "follow the ball")
Bowling At The Lanes	1 2 3 4	Right step forward Left step forward Right step forward Left step forward (arms pretend to bowl right- handed)
Square Dance Time	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Right step to right side Left touch next to right as you 1/4 left turn Left step to left side Right touch next to left as you 1/4 left turn Right step to right side Left touch next to right as you 1/4 left turn Left step to left side Right touch next to left beat from the beginning.



CENTURY CLUB PIN

You can earn a Century Club Award (pin) by obtaining the signatures of 100 different callers. A Century Club Book is available at most square dance shops and badge makers. You may have as many as 3 callers sign your book in one day. If you forget the book, you can use a blank piece of paper and insert it later. Tip: the first page is usually reserved for your instructor.

LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

The following idea will be presented at Legacy by John Kaltenthaler on my behalf: National Square Dance Awareness Week

(proposed: August 20-26, 1995)

Suppose every square dancer in the country (even the world), during National Square Dance Awareness Week, dresses for a dance each day, whether it is to go to work, or the supermarket, or the bank, or the Post Office, or especially shopping in the mall - wherever our normal day takes us. How many people could become interested in joining September classes?

Obviously, we would be carrying handouts with details of our first open dance to encourage those who speak to us. To be successful, this plan would have to be carried out by all square dancers, everywhere, during the same week (all 7 days, even on vacation or at a diner). Public visibility may be the answer. Let's try it - August 20-26, 1995!

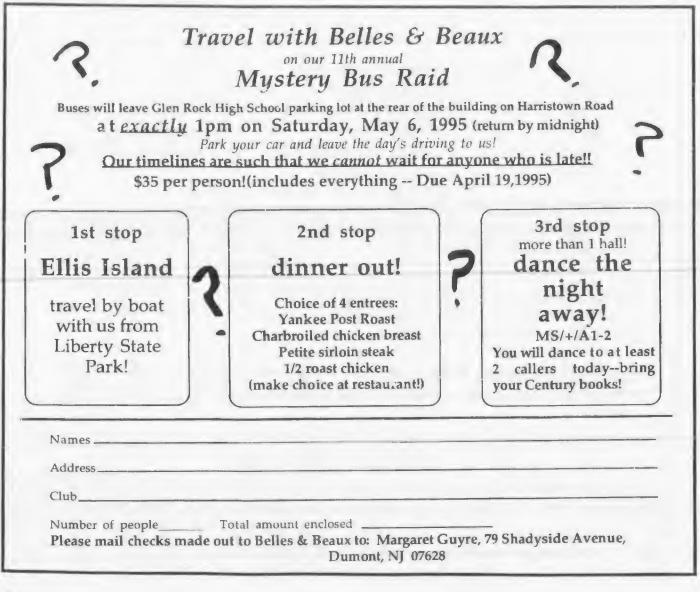
Together, quietly, we may be able to influence many new dancers, and this coming year have a larger class than ever before. No hard sell, no demo, just ordinary people going about our everyday lives in square dance attire.

Stranger: "I didn't know anyone square danced around here."

Dancer: "Yes, we have an active club nearby, and I'd like to invite you to our free dance next week. Here is a flyer with all the details and a map. Would you give me your phone number? I'll remind you, and drive you to the dance that evening, if you come. Please join us.

If successful, National Square Dance Awareness Week would be held during the 3rd week of August annually, to attract dancers to our first free dance.

Dot Loewenstein, NJ Caller





First Friday of Month -- Rounds at 8:00pm -- Squares from 8:30 to 11pm United Methodist Church -- John Street at Franklin Avenue -- Pearl River, New York

Friday, February 3	MIKE CALLAHAN	NY
Friday, March 3	TIM CRAWFORD ***	CANADA
Friday, April 7	GLENN MATTHEW	РА
Friday, May 5	RANDY PAGE	CT
Friday, June 2	BRIAN FUGERE	NJ

ROUNDS BY NICK AND CAROLE RASPA

March 3, 1995 dance will be held at Old Stone Church Education Center, Upper Saddle River, NJ

	For Further Infor	mation, Please Call:	
Adele & Dave	(914) 352-0627	Roz & Ron	(201) 664-9356
Sandy & Art	(914) 352-7631	Beverly & Marty	(201) 391-3592

LETTERS TO THE EDITORS Continued...

Back in early November, Joan Lechner called us to get some background information about the Federation of Delaware Valley. In the course of her conversation with Doris, she found out that I had been battling melanoma for about 20 months and the month before I had finished chemotherapy. At the end of October, I had a seizure and was out of it for about three hours.

I'm not sure who all Joan told, but Doris and I received many get well cards from those in the Delaware Valley and Northern New Jersey. We are very thankful for them.

In November and December, I began to feel better and was regaining my strength. The spot on my brain they found was followed and monitored. In mid-January, it disappeared. The experts had not yet identified it and a biopsy was not done because it was too small. We felt good about this.

Also in early December, I found another bump under my left arm. It was removed, and, yes, it was melanoma. We still went to Houston for a Christmas with my sister and her family.

In mid-January, about a week after the good news about the brain, they ran a CAT scan of the chest and abdomen and found two nodules in the left lung and one in the kidney. This was devastating. Dr. Siegler of Duke University Clinic and Dr. Cronin of Lexington Clinic here in Kentucky decided to try INTRON A. I now give myself an injection 3 times a week. I gave many a pig a shot when Doris and I were raising them on the farm, but never thought I would end up giving myself one. The side effects are that of a flu in the first couple of weeks, and I know it. If this latest treatment works, we should be able to get on the road again and see you all again.

Thank you again for the cards. May God with you all.

Jim Howatt, 4155 Carpenter Rd., Carlisle, KY 40311-9712

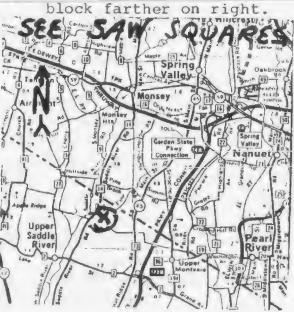


SEE SAW SQUARES Plus & Mainstream "We welcome new plus dancers to our friendly club."

"PLUS" SQUARES WITH WESTERN DANCING (Third Saturday of the Month) WESTERN DANCING BEGINS AT 8:00 P.M. FIRST SQUARE DANCE TIP AT 8:30 P.M. (Advanced" after tip at 10:30 P.M.) Info: 201-327-9274 or 914-356-4666

SHAMROCK POT LUCK	MARCH 18 "PLUS" CALLER: ROY LEBER with Western Dancing*
	APRIL 1 "PLUS" CALLER: GERRY HARDY with Western Dancing
(April	15 dance canceled.)
RE-SALE NIGHT	MAY 6 "MAINSTREAM" CALLER: GERRY HARDY with Western Dancing
MAY FLOWERS	MAY 20 "PLUS" CALLER: DAN KOFT with Western Dancing*
(June	3 dance canceled)
CREAM	JUNE 17 "PLUS" CALLER: RANDY PAGE with Western Dancing*
* Western	led by Marge Cumiskey

All dances at Old Stone Church Education Center 500 E. Saddle River Rd. Upper Saddle River, N.J. (Hall: 201-327-9601) From Garden State Pkwy Take Exit 172. Go West on Grand Ave. At second light turn Right onto East Saddle River Road. Travel past church with beautiful steeple. Education Center is one



"STATE DRESS" -- WHAT IS IT, AND WHY DO I CARE?

Square dance conventions and other gatherings usually hold a Parade of States or a Grand March, during which the dancers from each state march together. Frequently the dancers from a state will wear the same outfit or the same color combination. This gives a dancer a sense of belonging, an opportunity to exchange information about each state, and frequently pins that are representations of the state are traded back and forth. (Note: NJ Division of Travel & Tourism makes the NJ pins available free to residents requesting them. Send requests to: NJ Division of Tourism, CN 826, Trenton, NJ 08625.)

Does New Jersey have a "State Dress?" Yes, hence the need for the NNJSDA State Dress Coordinators.

Where did the idea come from? Several years ago, NNJSDA dancers at a national square dance convention realized that there was no NJ state dress. They put in a lot of effort networking with the various regional NJ square dance organizations and designed an outfit that is both practical and flexible. It is not cost-prohibitive, and it is comfortable for dancing. Except for the vest, it can frequently be put together from a basic wardrobe. The colors are Kelly green and white, based on the concept of the "Garden State."

What does it look like? For both dancers, a green vest (with white stitching and a 9" green and white state emblem on the back) is worn over a white shirt of blouse. Either white or green pants or skirts are acceptable. Most skirted dancers wear a white underskirt with a green overskirt/apron trimmed with white eyelet, and this overskirt has the state emblem repeated on it. Also attractive is an all-white dress worn with the vest.

Some vests and skirts have been made reversible, with the club colors on the inside. This makes a nice raid outfit. *Please turn to page 58*



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What is the gold star on the emblem for? Each dancer attaches an embroidered gold star on the state emblem at the location of his/her home club.

Where do I get these outfits? We have patterns available for both buttoned and unbuttoned vests, and overskirts. We also have available white and green poly-cotton broadcloth fabric at cost. The emblems are made in a green zig-zag outline on white broadcloth, and the NJ pattern, initials, and gold star are available as well.

"I can sew, but I would never try to zig-zag the state outline!" You are not alone! That is why we have had the emblems pre-embroidered and they are now available complete with initials and stars as a kit. They may be sewn on (straight stitch by hand), ironed on with fusible web, or attached with permanent fabric glue (available most sewing, craft, or dime stores).

To order: see order form below. For more information contact:

Rusty & Richard Ball, 52 Kiel Avenue, Kinnelon, NJ 07405 (201-838-0312)

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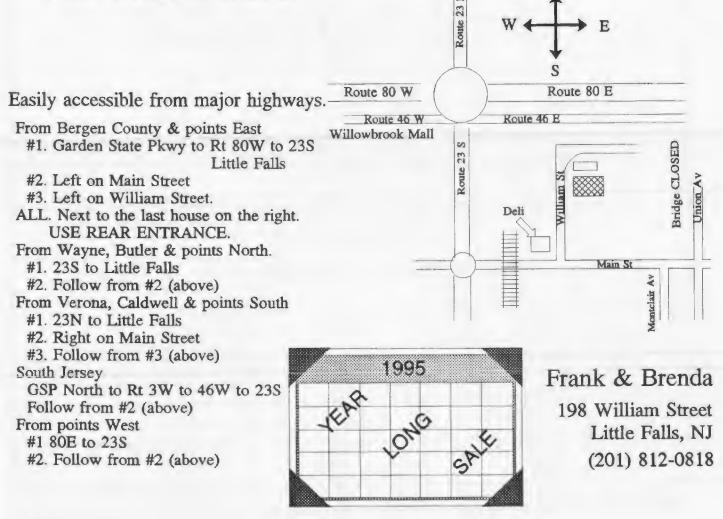
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Dance Calendar

Mid March to May 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; TBA=To Be Announced; WS=Workshop; CW=Country & Western

ate	Club	*See caller/cuer ad Caller/Cuer	for details. Place	Program
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2	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	Coy	Brooklyn, NY	Student
	Belles & Beaux	Mazziotti/Heyman	Glen Rock, NJ	Student
	Rockland Prom.	Mitchell	Chestnut Ridge, NY	MS/CW
3	Spinning Wheels	Mitchell	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
4	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tips
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mazziotti	Parsippany, NJ	Student
	*Times Sqs.	Koft	New York, NY	PL
5	Belles & Beaux	Amor	Glen Rock, NJ	MS
	Mountain Sqs.	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-2
	Princeton Sqs.	Kerns	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
6	Valley Sqs.	Hanks/TBA	Watchung, NJ	PL
	Warren Wheelers	Pasvolsky	Pt. Murray, NJ	MS/PL
7	Hunterdon Flut.	Hoff/Dockry	Flemington, NJ	Alt MS/PL
	Ironia Reelers	Snyder/Spinks	Randolph, NJ	PL
	Masqueraders	Mitchell/Kushla	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Merri Eights	Page/Dees	Spotswood, NJ	PL
	Ocean Waves	Emory	Staten Island, NY	MS/PL tip
	Tenakill Twirlers	Richman/Raspa	Cresskill, NJ	MS/PL tip
В	Harmony Dancers	Mitchell/Koft	Springfield, NJ	PL
	Leisure Sqs.	Young/Miller	E. Stroudsburg, PA	Alt MS/PL
	See Saw Sqs.	Leber/Cumiskey	Up. Saddle River, NJ	PL/CW/A-1 tip
	Staten Sq. Set	Amor/Bichler	Staten Island, NY	PL/CW
9	F.A.D. Sqs.	Loewenstein	Paramus, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Kings Sqs.	Richman	Brooklyn, NY	PL
С	Spinning Wheels	Соу	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
1	Hi Taw Twirlers	Richman/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
2	Cross Trail Sqs.	Koft/Koft	Caldwell, NJ	PL
2 3	Hix & Chix	Young/Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL
	Rutgers Prom.	Gottas/Kofts	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS
4	Bee Sharps	Walsh/Roberts	Somerville, NJ	PL
	Kittatinny Rangers	McFarland	Andover, NJ	MS/PL tip
	Princeton Sqs.	Richman/Denniston	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Y Squares	Fugere/Kushla	Clark, NJ	MS
5		lany callers/cuers	Ewing, NJ	All programs
6	Al'e'Mo Sqs	Woerner	Brooklyn, NY	MS/PL tips
	Motiv8ors	Leber/Raspa	Paramus, NJ	A-2/C-1 tip
7	Spinning Wheels	Johnson	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
B	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tips
	Lakeland Sqs.	Pasvolsky/Spinks	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
9	Mountain Sqs.	Kaltenthaler	Whippany, NJ	A-2
0	Hix & Chix	Page/Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL
1	NNJSDA Special	Ritucci/Spinks	Caldwell, NJ	PL
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1	Harmony Dancers Leisure Sqs. See Saw Sqs.	Scearce/Spinks Young/Miller Hardy/Cumiskey Woerner/Bichler	Springfield, NJ E. Stroudsburg, PA Up. Saddle River, NJ Staten Island, NY	PL Alt MS/PL PL/CW/A-1 tip PL/CW
2	Staten Sq. Set F.A.D. Sqs. Kings Sqs.	Loewenstein	Paramus, NJ Brooklyn, NY	MS/PL tips PL
3	Spinning Wheels	Robinson	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
4	Hi Taw Twirlers Lakeland Sqs.	Fellegy/Raspa Mitchell/Spinks	New Milford, NJ Parsippany, NJ	PL MS/PL tip
5	Belles & Beaux Mountain Sqs. Princeton Sqs.	Mitchell Landi Fugere	Glen Rock, NJ Whippany, NJ Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS A-2 MS
6	Valley Sqs. Warren Wheelers	Hanks/TBA Pasvolsky	Watchung, NJ Pt. Murray, NJ	PL MS/PL
7	Hunterdon Flut. Ironia Reelers Masqueraders	Hoff/Dockry Landi/Spinks Kaesler/Gotta	Flemington, NJ Randolph, NJ E. Windsor, NJ Spotswood, NJ	Alt MS/PL PL PL PL
	Merri Eights	Coy/Kushla	Pearl River, NY	PL/A-1 tip
8	Rockytops	Matthew/Raspa Franks/Bradt	Edison, NJ	PL
0	Country Prom. Richmond Dancers		Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers		Oradell, NJ	PL/A tip
9		Richman/Raspa	Brooklyn, NY	MS/PL tips
9	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	Flego Richmon/Mustory		Student
	Belles & Beaux	Richman/Mystery	Glen Rock, NJ	A-2
	Motiv8ors	TBA/Raspa	Paramus, NJ	
10	Rockland Prom.	Stapenell	Chestnut Ridge, NY	MS/CW
10	Spinning Wheels	Conklin	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
11	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tips
10	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
12	Cross Trail Sqs.	Mitchell/Bichler	Caldwell, NJ	PL/CW
13	Rutgers Prom.	Gotta/Gotta	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS
15	Leisure Sqs.	Young/Miller	E. Stroudsburg, PA	Alt MS/PL
17	Spinning Wheels	Anfinsen	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
18	Hi Taw Twirlers	Ritucci/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Johnson	Parsippany, NJ	Graduation
19	Belles & Beaux	Mazziotti/Davenport	Glen Rock, NJ	Graduation
	Mountain Sqs.	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-2
	Princeton Sqs.	Beaumont	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
20	Valley Sqs.	Hanks/TBA	Watchung, NJ	PL
21	Hunterdon Flut.	Hoff/Dockry	Flemington, NJ	Alt MS/PL
	Ironia Reelers	Barone/Dockry	Randolph, NJ	PL
	Masqueraders	Gotta/Gotta	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Merri Eights	Koft/Koft	Spotswood, NJ	PL
	Tenakill Twirlers	Mazziotti/Raspa	Cresskill, NJ	MS/PL tip
22	Country Prom.	Larsen/Bradt	Edison, NJ	PL
	Richmond Dancers	Coy/Kushla	Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers	Kaesler/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tip
23	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	Coy	Brooklyn, NY	Graduation
	NNJSDA	Landi	Lincoln Park, NJ	MS
	Graduation Ball			
24	Spinning Wheels	Snyder	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
25	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tips
	Lakeland Sqs.	Pasvolsky/Spinnks	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
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April:				
26	Cross Trail Sqs.	Gotta/Gotta	Caldwell, NJ	PL
	Princeton Sqs.	Carlton	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
27	Hix & Chix	Forman/Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL
	Rutgers Prom.	Koft/Koft	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS
28	Bee Sharps	Matthew/Spinks	Somerville, NJ	PL
	Kittatinny Rangers	Mazziotti	Andover, NJ	MS/PL tip
	Princeton Sqs.	Carlton/Denniston	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Y Squares	Fugere/Kushla	Clark, NJ	MS
29	NNJSDA Special	Young/Knauss/ Raspa	Caldwell, NJ	PL
30	Rockland Prom.	Richman	Chestnut Ridge, NY	MS/CW
May:				
1	Spinning Wheels	Robinson	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
2	Hi Taw Twirlers	Kaltenthaler/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Spinks	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
3	Belles & Beaux	Mazziotti	Glen Rock, NJ	MS
	Mountain Sqs.	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-2
	Princeton Sqs.	Fugere	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
4	Hix & Chix	Mazziotti/Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL
-	Valley Sqs.	Hanks/TBA	Watchung, NJ	PL
	Warren Wheelers	Conklin	Pt. Murray, NJ	Graduation
5	Hunterdon Flut.	Hoff/Dockry	Flemington, NJ	Alt MS/PL
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	Ironia Reelers	Matthew/Dees	Randolph, NJ	
	Masqueraders	Kaesler/Koft	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Merri Eights	Lee/Kushla	Spotswood, NJ	PL
	Ocean Waves	Coy	Staten Island, NY	MS/PL tip
	Rockytops	Page/Raspa	Pearl River, NY	PL/A-1 tip
6	Harmony Dancers	Kaltenthaler/Kushla	Springfield, NJ	PL
	Leisure Sqs.	Young/Miller	E. Stroudsburg, PA	Alt MS/PL
	See Saw Sqs.	Hardy/Cumiskey	Up. Saddle River, NJ	MS/CW
	Staten Sq. Set	Amor	Staten Island, NY	PL/CW
7	F.A.D. Sqs.	Coy	Paramus, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Kings Sqs.	Riviccio	Brooklyn, NY	Graduation
	Motiv8ors	Flego/Raspa	Paramus, NJ	A-2
8	Spinning Wheels	Emory	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
9	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tips
	Lakeland Sqs.	Kaltenthaler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
10	Cross Trail Sqs.	Conklin	Caldwell, NJ	Alt MS/PL
11	Hix & Chix	Young/Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	MS
	Rutgers Prom.	Gottas/Kofts	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS
12	Bee Sharps	Gotta/Gotta	Somerville, NJ	PL
12			Andover, NJ	
	Kittatinny Rangers	McFarland/Spinks		MS/PL tip
	Princeton Sqs.	Fugere/Rumble	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Tenafly Sqs.	Соу	Haworth, NJ	MS
10	Y Squares	Koft/Kushla	Clark, NJ	MS
13	Country Prom.	Fugere/Bradt	Edison, NJ	PL
	Richmond Dancers		Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers	Mazziotti/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tip
14	Rockland Prom.	Coy	Chestnut Ridge, NY	MS/CW
15	Spinning Wheels	Pasvolsky	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
16	Hi Taw Twirlers	Snyder/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
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May:				
17	Belles & Beaux Mountain Sqs. Princeton Sqs.	Koft Landi Kerns	Glen Rock, NJ Whippany, NJ Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS A-2 MS
18	Hix & Chix Valley Sqs. Warren Wheelers	Page/Raspa Hanks/TBA Pasvolsky	Elmwood Park, NJ Watchung, NJ Pt. Murray, NJ	MS PL MS/PL
19	Hunterdon Flut. Ironia Reelers Merri Eights Ocean Waves Tenakill Twirlers	Hoff/Dockry Koft/Koft Landi/Kushla Coy Mazziotti/Raspa	Flemington, NJ Randolph, NJ Spotswood, NJ Staten Island, NY Cresskill, NJ	Alt MS/PL PL PL MS/PL tip MS/PL tip
20	Harmony Dancers Leisure Sqs. See Saw Sqs. Staten Sq. Set	Fugere/Bradt Young/Miller Koft/Cumiskey Stapenell/Bichler	Springfield, NJ E. Stroudsburg, PA Up. Saddle River, NJ Staten Island, NY	PL Alt MS/PL PL/CW/A-1 tip PL/CW
21	F.A.D. Sqs. Kings Sqs. Motiv8ors	Loewenstein Longobucco Callahan/Raspa	Paramus, NJ Brooklyn, NY Paramus, NJ	MS/PL tips MS/PL tips A-2/C-1 tip
22	Spinning Wheels	Woerner	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
23	Dingman Dancers Lakeland Sqs.	Murphy Pasvolsky/Spinks	Milford, PA Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tips MS/PL tip
24	Cross Trail Sqs.	Fugere/Bichler	Caldwell, NJ	PL/CW
25	Hix & Chix Rutgers Prom.	KaltenthalerRaspa Gottas/Kofts	Elmwood Park, NJ N. Brunswick, NJ	MS MS
26	Bee Sharps Kittatinny Rangers Princeton Sqs. Y Squares	Young/Spinks Murphy Bradshaw/Denniston Koft/Kushla	Somerville, NJ Andover, NJ E. Windsor, NJ Clark, NJ	PL MS/PL tip PL Graduation
27	Country Prom. Richmond Dancers Western Wheelers	Snyder/Bradt Barr/Koft Young/Raspa	Edison, NJ Staten Island, NY Oradell, NJ	PL PL PL/A tip
30	Dingman Dancers Hi Taw Twirlers Lakeland Sqs.	Murphy Leber/Raspa McFarland/Bichler	Milford, PA New Milford, NJ Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tips PL MS/PL tip/CW

Weekends, Festivals, Specials & Conventions:

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25 31	NJS&RD Conv. Masqueraders	Many callers/cuers Marriner/Roberts	Ewing, NJ Hamilton Sq., NJ	All Programs PL
31-Apr 2 April:	Mexican Fiesta	2 callers/McGee	Pocono Manor, PA	MS/PL
20-22 30	Myrtle Beach Ball Rockland Prom.	3 callers/2 cuers Richman	Myrtle Beach, SC Chestnut Ridge, NY	All Programs MS/PL tip/CW
May:				
6	Belles & Beaux	Mystery Bus Ride	????	MS/PL/A
13	CNJSDA	Page/Bosze	Brick, NJ	PL
July:				
7-9	A-2 Weekend	Gotta/Gotta	Honesdale, PA	A-2/C-1 Tips
14-16	MS Weekend	Hardy/Hardy	Schagniicoke, NY	MSCW
August	:			
26-Sept 2	Dream Cruise	Kofts/Emorys	Bermuda	
Septem	ber:			
13-16	Myrtle Beach Ball	5 callers/2 cuers	Myrtle Beach, SC	All Programs
15-17	Big D Weekend	2 callers/cuer	Marshalls Creek, PA	

DIRECTIONS & MAP FOR THE FOLLOWING NNJSDA DANCES:

SUNDAY, APRIL 23, 1995 - GRADUATION BALL (see ad on page 7)

SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 1995 - SPECIAL PLUS DANCE (see ad on page 5)

AT LINCOLN PARK COMMUNITY CENTER Route 202 (BoontonTpk / Main Street) & Chapel Hill Road Lincoln Park, NJ

- GARDEN STATE PARKWAY NORTH EXIT 153B RT. 46 WEST: Take Route 46 West to Route 23 North/Butler.
 OImmediately get into slow lane Exit 202 South /Lincoln Park (Alt 511). Make a Left off the ramp. Take Rt. 202 South / Alt. 511 thru 4 Lights. (Street signs say Boonton Tpk.) At 4th light, (intersection of Route 202 and Chapel Hill Road) go through the light and make a Left at the Library. The Community Center is to the Right. Make a Left to go behind the Library for additional parking.
- GARDEN STATE PARKWAY SOUTH EXIT 154 RT. 46 WEST / CLIFTON: Follow directions above0.
- ROUTE 23 NORTH EXIT ROUTE 202 SOUTH / LINCOLN PARK. Make a Left off the ramp. Follow directions under GSP North 0.
- ROUTE 23 SOUTH EXIT ROUTE 202 SOUTH / LINCOLN PARK. Off the ramp at the first light (Mountain View Blvd.) make a left onto Route 202/Alt 511. Continue 3 more lights. Follow directions under GSP North **0**.

ROUTE 80 WEST - EXIT 53 - ROUTE 23 NORTH - BUTLER: Follow directions under GSP North 0.

- ROUTE 80 EAST EXIT 47B ROUTE 46 EAST. Proceed on Route 46 to Lincoln Park / Two Bridges Road Exit. Make a Left off the ramp to go over Route 46. Follow directions below under Route 46 West ⁽²⁾.
- ROUTE 46 WEST EXIT LINCOLN PARK / TWO BRIDGES ROAD: (1st exit beyond Willowbrook Mall). Right onto Passaic Ave. @Take Passaic Ave. to the bridge. Cross bridge and turn Left. Follow Two Bridges Road which becomes Chapel Hill Road to just before Route 202. Make a Left into the Municipal Building Driveway which takes you behind the Library and Firehouse.
- **ROUTE 46 EAST EXIT LINCOLN PARK / TWO BRIDGES ROAD:** Make a Left off the ramp and go over Route 46 (Passaic Avenue). Take Passaic Avenue to the bridge and follow directions above **9**.

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MAINSTREAM		PLUS	
	Weeks of the		Weeks of the
Sunday:	Month:	Sunday:	Month:
Al'e'Mo Sqs	2, 4 Sept-Jun	Kings Sqs.	1, 3 Sept-Jun
F.A.D. Sqs.	1, 3 All Year	0	
Rockland Prom.	2 All Year	Tuesday:	
Monday:		Hi Taw Twirlers	1,3, 5 Sept-Jun
	ry Wk.Sept-Jun	Wednesday:	
opining this	2, 4 Jul-Aug	Cross Trail Sqs.	2, 4 Sept-Jun
Tuesday:	_,	Thursday:	
Belles & Beaux	2, 4 Jul & Aug	Hix & Chix	2, 4, All Year
Dingman Dncrs	2, 4 Mar-Dec		5 Jul-Aug
	ery Wk Sept-Jul	Valley Sqs.	1, 3 Sept-Jun
Wednesday:		Warren Whirs.	1, 3 Sept-Jun
Belles & Beaux	1, 3 Sept-Jun		
Princeton Sqs.	1,3 All Year	Friday:	
Thursday:		Bee Sharps	2, 4 Sept-Jun
Hix & Chix	1, 3 May-Aug	Hunterdon Flutterwh.	1, 3 Sept-Jun
Rutgers Prom.	2, 4 Sept-May	Ironia Reelers	1, 3 Sept-Jun
Warren Whirs.	1, 3 Sept-Jun	Merri Eights	1, 3 All Year
Friday:		Princeton Sqs.	2, 4 All Year
Circle Eights	4 Sept-Jun	Rockytops	1 Sept-Jun
Hunterdon Flutterwh	1, 3 Sept-Jun		
Kittatinny Rangers	2, 4 Sept-Jun	Saturday:	
Ocean Waves	1, 3 Sept-May	Country Prom.	2, 4 Oct-May
Tenafly Sqs.	2 Sept-Jun	Harmony Dancers	1, 3 Sept-May
Tenakill Twirlers	3 Oct-May	Leisure Sqs	1, 3 Oct-May
Y Squares	2, 4 Sept-May	Richmond Dancers	2, 4 Sept-Jun
Saturday:		See Saw Sqs.	3 Sept-Jun
Leisure Sqs.	1, 3 Oct-May	Staten Square Set	1, 3 Oct-Jun
See Saw Sqs.	1Sept-Jun	Western Whire.	2. 4 Sept-Jun

ADVANCED

Sunday:		Wednesday:	
Motiv8ors (A-2)	1, 3 Sept-Jun Every Jul-Aug	Mountain Sqs. (A-2)	1, 3 Sept-Jun

March 25 - All Clubs for NJ Convention DANCES CANCELLED

April: 13 - Hix & Chix 14 - All Clubs 15 - All Clubs (Except Leisure Sqs.)

16 - All Clubs20 - Warren WhirsOcean Waves not dancing in April.

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