## **Rutgers Promenaders**

It's been another fun-filled dance season here in North Brunswick, starting with our regular August dance and September intro dance. Thanks to the dedicated efforts of our new Raid coordinators, Tony Milito and Maureen Moynihan, we've actively stepped up our game. So far, we have raided Hunterdon Flutterwheels, Middletown Ramblers, and Western Wheelers/Hix & Chix.

In November and December, we held our traditional Thanksgiving food drive and Toys for Tots dances.

Winter has brought some sad and significant losses to our club and the square dance community. International caller Lee Kopman passed away in November. Many Promenaders had the great pleasure of dancing to his innovative choreography, whether at regular events or one of the many festivals and conventions where he performed. In January, longtime member Nina Gerhold passed away unexpectedly. Her kind nature and love of dancing will always be remembered. Our deepest condolences go to her husband, Albert, and son, Joseph.

Keep us in mind if you are looking for Sunday afternoon dancing pleasure – we're always happy to have visitors. The more, the merrier!