

SQUARES and ROUNDS

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EDUCATION REPORT

by Frank & Terry Kaiss

Our Summer Dances were very well attended -- approximately 14 squares at each dance. Everyone had a great time at all of these dances.

Don't forget to help new class members by assisting them in learning and letting them know where they can dance and have a good time.

Remember our Membership Dance on November 3 from 2:00-5:00 p.m. at Benner Hall in Richlandtown.

Class notes are available to those who need them. Contact our staff editors, Bob & Charlotte Goerlich, Ed & Marilyn Linkiewicz or John & Kathy Falter.



FROM THE CHAIR

by Bob & Ellen Williams

A new dance season is off to a great start and now we are looking forward to a wonderful holiday season. We wish all of the dancers and clubs a very happy holiday season.

The Dixie Derbys are to be commended for the tremendous publicity for square dancing resulting from their participation in the Miss America parade in Atlantic City on September 13, 1991. They paraded with 12 squares dancing and many extra dancers taking part. Glenn Matthew was the caller. For

square dancing in general, we thank them for a job well done.

A wonderful time was had by all who attended the 30th DVS&RD Convention in September. Congratu lations to the committee for conducting an outstanding convention. Plan now to attend the 31st Convention in September of 1992.

The District Officers and Committee Chairmen are here to serve you. Support us by joining the Federation and coming to the Free Members hip Dance on November 3.

By now, square and round dance classes are well underway. Make the class members feel welcome so that they will be encouraged to continue in the pastime we all enjoy so much.

INSURANCE REMINDER

Just a reminder to insurance representatives of all clubs. Please collect and return your insurance dues to Marian McKinney, 4251 County Line Rd., Box 76, Chalfont, PA 18914, as soon as possible. All dues must be turned over to the Federation in December for insurance coverage.

M.E.P.D. MEETING

November 10, 1991 • 2:30 p.m. First Federal Bank 6th & Market Sts., Perkasie, PA

M.E.P.D. MEMBERSHIP DANCE

November 3, 1991 • 2:00-5:00 p.m. Benner Hall, Richlandtown, PA

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SPECIAL EVENTS/LOCATIONS

BUCKAROOS

11/8 - Honor The Vets

11/22 - 400th Dance Celebration

12/13 - Christmas Dinner Dance

12/27 - Goodbye '91 Dance

12/31 - New Year's Eve Party Dance

CH SMOOTH SQUARES

12/31 - Annual New Year's Eve Dance

COLONIAL SQUARES

12/20 - Christmas Party

CURLI-Q'S

11/10 - Turkey Shoot

DIXIE DERBYS

11/15 - 11th Anniversary Dinner Dance

12/31 - New Year's Eve Dinner Dance

EASTONAIRES

11/4 - Fashion Show & Dance

11/18 - Pot Luck Dinner Dance

12/16 - Christmas Dance/Gift Exchange

12/31 - New Year's Eve Dance

EDGE HILL SQUARES

11/9 - Autumn Leaves

11/23 - Pumpkin Festival

12/14 - Christmas Party Dance

12/31 - New Year's Eve Dinner Dance

GUYS & DOLLS

12/1 - 14th Annual Dinner Dance

LEISURE SQUARES

11/2 - Dinner Dance

LENTZ'S LOFTERS

12/15 - Christmas Dinner Dance

MAINSTREAMERS

12/21 - Pot Luck Dinner Dance

MELODY LAKES BELLES & BEAUS

12/17 - Christmas Covered-Dish Dinner Dance

PERKY PROMENADERS

11/6 - Soup Night

11/20 - Badge Night

12/4 - Christmas Dinner Dance

QUAKER EIGHTS

11/30 - Special 5th Saturday Dance

12/14 - Christmas Covered-Dish Dinner Dance

R & R SQUARES

11/8 - Dinner Dance

RAINBOW STROLLERS

11/8 - Polka Party

11/22 - Bring 'Ur Turkey

12/13 - Christmas Party

12/31 - New Year's Eve Party

RED HOT HATTERS

12/14 - Christmas Dance

SAUCON SQUARES & ROUNDS

11/8 - 24th Anniversary Dance

12/20 - Christmas Dance

12/31 - New Year's Eve Dance

SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES

11/15 - Souvenir Dance

12/20 - Christmas Covered-Dish Dinner Dance

STARDUSTERS

12/6 - Toys For Tots Dance

12/21 - Covered-Dish Dinner Dance

TUMBLEWEEDS

11/20 - Thanksgiving Dance

12/18 - Christmas Dance

YELLOW ROCKERS

11/2 - Anniversary Dance (Wine &

Cheese Party)

12/21 - Christmas Dance



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GUEST CALLERS & CUERS

BUCKAROOS

11/8 - Russ Booz (R)

11/22 - Elaine Novak (R)

12/13 - Elaine Novak (R)

12/27 - Russ Booz (R)

12/31 - Jane Styer (R)

CH SMOOTH SQUARES

12/31 - Betty Hanks (R)

DIXIE DERBYS

11/1 - Brian Fugere (S) Russ Booz (R)

11/9 - Glenn Matthew (S)

11/15 - Glenn Matthew (S) Mary McGee (R)

11/23 - Dalt Young (S)

11/29 - Glenn Matthew (S) Peg Dockry (R)

12/6 - Richie Rich (S) Russ Booz (R)

12/14 - Richie Rich (S)

12/20 - Glenn Matthew (S) Rich Lock (R)

12/28 - Dalt Young (S)

12/31 - Glenn Matthew (S)

Ellen McCabe (Fury) (R)

LENTZ'S LOFTERS 11/1 - Ron Weiss (S)

Peg Dockry (R)

11/15 - Bob Clark (S)

Peg Dockry (R)

11/29 - Mark Franks (S)

Rich Lock (R)

12/6 - Rich Kell (S) Peg Dockry (R) 12/15 - Mark Franks (S) Peg Dockry (R)

12/20 - Mark Franks (S) Peg Dockry (R)

MAINSTREAMERS

11/2 - Larry Davenport (S)

11/16 - Jim Snyder (S)

11/30 - Dalt Young (S)

12/7 - Rich Kell (S)

12/21 - Jim Snyder (S)

MELODY LAKES BELLES & BEAUS

11/19 - Mike Walsh (S)

PERKY PROMENADERS

11/6 - Jim Snyder (S)

Peg Dockry (R)

11/20 - Rob Bissey (S)

Peg Dockry (R)

12/4 - Rob Bissey (S) Peg Dockry (R)

QUAKER EIGHTS

11/9 - Dalt Young (S)

11/23 - Jim Snyder (S)

11/30 - Carl Hanks (S)

12/14 - Burl Lally (S)

R & R SQUARES

11/8 - Mike Walsh (S)

11/22 - Mike Walsh (S)

12/13 - Ed Kerns (S)

RAINBOW STROLLERS

12/20 - Carter Ackerman (S)

SAUCON SQUARES & ROUNDS

11/1 - Andy Glowach (S)

Gloria Reaser (R)

11/8 - Elaine Novak (R)

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11/15 - Dave Kreiter (S) Betty Peters (R)

12/20 - Paul Andrews (S/R)

STARDUSTERS (BERKS)

11/1 - Dave Kreiter (S) Elaine Novak (R)

11/16 - Ralph Stapenell (S) Bob Reaser (R)

12/6 - Dalt Young (S) Gloria Reaser (R)

12/21 - Martin McLain (S) Mary McGee (R)



DANCING LIMELIGHT

by the Chair

The months of July and August had square and round dancing in the "Limelight".

Publicity and educating the public on our activities keeps life in dancing.

Thanks to some very dedicated dancers, the locked showcase at the Warminster Township Free Library was decorated for this purpose.

July represented a local club, the Buckaroos and August featured the Mid-East Penn District.

Both displays included the highlights of upcoming classes and contacts for all area clubs.

This was an outstanding example of good publicity and many thanks are given to the "unnamed dancers" and the Warminster Library.

We bring this to the attention of all clubs in the District, to stimulate other possibilities for publicity for a great activity.

BUCKAROOS: Come and join us for lots of fun dancing with Buck Fish as our caller and Russ Booz as our cuer on November 8 and December 27; and Elaine Novak on November 22 and December 13.

Get your tickets early for our Christmas Dinner Dance. If you attended last year you know how great it was. (We will have the same caterers as last year.) Tickets are \$28.00 per couple.

We will also be having a New Year's Eve Party on December 31 with caller Buck Fish and cuer Jane Styer. Tickets are \$15.00 per couple for members and \$20.00 per couple for non-members (includes dancing, door prizes, and coffee and danish for breakfast). Bring finger snacks. For more information, call Frank & Terry Kaiss at 843-9968.

Have a safe and happy holiday!

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CH SMOOTH SQUARES: We are planning our 2nd Annual New Year's Eve Dance at the Church-on-the-Mall in Plymouth Meeting. There will be Plus dancing with A-2 star tips with Betty Hanks on rounds. Tickets are \$15.00 per couple.

Since November 5 is Election Day, we are unable to have the church for our regular dance.

DIXIE DERBYS: The months of November and December will bring two special dances. On November 15, we will celebrate our 11th Anniversary with a Dinner Dance beginning at 6:30 p.m. Those not attending dinner may dance with us at 8:00 p.m. December 31 will bring our Annual New Year's Eve Dinner Dance at Maternity BVM Church in Bustleton.

We will parade in the Annual Santa Parade in Hatboro around Thanksgiving time. And, by the way, Mary McGee, who cued for the Tim Marriner Special (hosting 36 squares) is now our club cuer and teacher for the Thursday night PIV workshop.

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EDGE HILL SQUARES: You are most welcome to attend our Christmas Party on December 14. We expect Santa to arrive and distribute the gifts. We exchange \$3.00 Pollyanna gifts (his and hers). Each single or couple is asked to bring a plate of cookies. It is a fun time, hope to see you!

LEHIGH VALLEY CLOGGERS: Our members worked very hard all summer getting ready for and putting on shows. Our biggest thrill was to dance at the Musikfest. We may be starting another class in January, if you are interested please call.

LENTZ'S LOFTERS: We wish everyone a healthy, happy and prosperous New Year. Our thanks to all our members and guests for attending dances and activities and by doing so help to make our club the success that it is.

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Presidents Jack McFadden and Marion McKinney announced the representatives for this season to the Mid-East Penn District of the Federation -- Betsy Steinmetz and Neri Snyder.

On December 15, we will have our Annual Christmas Dinner Dance at the Warrington Inn. Mark Franks will be calling with Peg Dockry cueing rounds. For tickets and information, call Fred Mueller at 675-2137 or Doris McCrossin at 674-1653.

We are happy to annouce that this year we will have two callers at our Annual Pocono Weekend -- Larry Kanniard and Mark Franks -- with Joe & Peg Dockry cueing rounds. May 1-3, 1992 at the Mountain Lake Resort. For more information, call Bernie & Joan Marcus at 275-8255.

MAINSTREAMERS: We wish to thank all the dancers that have supported us over the years. Come out and join the fun with our various callers.

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We will have a Pot Luck Dinner Dance on December 21 with caller Jim Snyder. Sign up now so we have a good variety of food. Dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. followed by Christmas Carols and dancing at 8:00 p.m.

In January, all new class members are invited to join in on the fun. So let them

know where we are and bring them out. We wish everyone a safe and happy

holiday!

We are presenting a guest caller on November 19 -- Mike Walsh. On December 17, bring a dish of food and join us for our Christmas Covered-Dish Dinner at 6:30 p.m. -- always a good meal and a good dance.

We wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and a Merry and Blessed Christmas!

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PERKY PROMENADERS: There's a chill in the air, and what better way to warm up than with a hot bowl of soup! Join us on November 6 for Soup Night. Lots of good homemade soups and deserts. Please bring soup or desert and utensils. For more information, call Joan Hawkins at 584-8315.

On November 20, we'll be sporting the badges of all the clubs we belong to. Come along on "Badge Night" wearing your club badges.

Please plan to attend our Holiday Dinner Dance on December 4 at the Church-on-the-Mall in Plymouth Meeting. For more information, call Joan Hawkins at 584-8315.

Beginner's classes are being held each Monday evening in the Quakertown Elementary School with caller Jim Snyder.

On November 30, we will have a Special 5th Saturday Dance with caller Carl Hanks; followed by a Christmas Covered-Dish Dinner Dance with caller Burl Lally on December 14.

RAINBOW ROUNDS: It's been a real treat for our new beginner's class. They are now dancing on Tuesdays and at St. John's Lutheran Church in Sinking Spring. There are special events taking place once a month with the dancers. Also, our Wednesday night workshops are enjoying their monthly parties. Join us at Nativity Lutheran Church, 13th and Amity Sts. in Reading for rounds.

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CHRISTMAS DINNER DANCE

DECEMBER 13 1991

SING-A-LONG AT 6: 30 PM DINNER AT 7: 00 PM

DANCING INCLUDED

CALLER - BUCK & EDIE FISH

CUER - ELAINE NOVAK

TICKETS \$28 PER COUPLE

LOCATION: ST PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH IN PALOMINO FARMS

INFORMATION CALL -

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1991 - 1992 SEASON DANCES

NOV. 8 Honor The Vet's

JAN. 10 Snow Flake Dance

NOV. 22.400th Dance Celebration JAN. 24 Fashion Show

DEC. 13 Christmas Dinner Dance FEB. 14 Red & White Night

DEC. 27 GoodBye "91" Dance

FEB. 28 Hawaiian Fantasy

DEC. 31 New Years Eve Dance Party MAR. 13 St. Patty's Dance

RAINBOW STROLLERS: Our much talked about Polka Party will be held on November 8 instead of early in the year as in the past. We are looking forward to dancing to Carter Ackerman of State College on December 20. This year, we expect a special event to take place when Carter arrives. Join us. Don't forget our New Year's Eve Party is being held at the Nativity Luthern Church, 13th & Amity Sts., in Reading. Entertainment will be the big feature in this year's event. We don't know until the last minute if Baby New Year will arrive on the scene as in the past. Keep your cameras ready, however, because this year's surprise will be worth a photo.

RED HOT HATTERS: We hosted national caller Steve Sullivan on August 3 and had a great crowd and much enthusiasm. We look forward to having him back in the future.

December 14 is our Christmas Dance with holiday food, music and presents. Hope to see you there!

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SAUCON SQUARES & ROUNDS:
Join us on November 8 and help celebrate our 24th Anniversary of dancing.

Our Christmas Dance will be held on December 20; followed by our terrific New Year's Eve Dance on December 31.

We wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a very happy and healthy New Year.

SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES: Starting with January 1992, we will be changing our dances to Saturday evenings. In January, the dance will be held on the 25th with Bill Appleby calling and Betty Peters cueing. Sauerkraut, hot dogs and rolls will be the refreshments. As usual, the dance will be held at the Schuylkill Haven Senior Citizen's Building, Haven St., Schuylkill Haven.

TUMBLEWEEDS: On November 20, we will be holding our Thanksgiving Dance where many surprises are in store for everyone. Also, remember to attend the Mid-East Penn Membership Dance on November 3.

Our Christmas Dance will be held on

December 18. Santa Claus will be there with lots of presents for all. There will be a sing-a-long of many Christmas Carols. Also, we will be celebrating the December birthdays of our members.

We wish one and all a joyous holiday.

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YELLOW ROCKERS: We have just finished a very enjoyable and successful camping season. Why not come out and join us at our dances. November 2 is our Anniversary Dance followed by a Wine and Cheese Party. Our annual Christmas Dance will be held on December 21.

Don't forget to get your tickets for the Ron Libby Dance on January 19, 1992 at St. Joseph's Church in Orefield, and the Greatest Little Dinner Dance at the Hellertown American Legion Hall on February 2, 1992. Tickets are available from any club officer.

NOT TO EARLY TO THINK ABOUT INSURANCE

From past experience, we know no club in the Federation should be dancing in the new year ahead without Liability and Accident Medical Insurance coverage.

For the very nominal fee of \$2.00 per person (unchanged from this year) just the medical coverage is worth the price. In addition, to have your square dance club insured against any possible liability legal suit relieves the officers of a great responsibility; to have all members receive compensation for medical expenses they may incur through an injury on the dance floor, or in the parking area at the dance, provides a warm feeling of safety.

There are certain rules and procedures worth noting at this time (relatively no change from this year):

1) For a club and its officers to be insured, all members (100%) must sign up. If belonging to more than one club, members need only pay the one fee, but must indicate having paid when approached by the second club.

2) Clubs with less than two squares (16 persons) as members, must pay the minimum fee of \$30.00, even though the

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ROUND DANCE PROGRAM

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Dec. 6 T. Knauss & E. Novak

Nov. 8 T. Knauss & E. Novak

Dec. 13 T. Knauss & M. McGee Dec. 20 T. Knauss & M. HcGee

Nov. 15 T. Knauss & E. Novak Nov. 22 T. Knauss & F. Fertsch

Dec. 27 No Dance

Nov. 29 D. Young & A. Spinks

majority of members have paid their fee at other clubs. This gives the club liability protection.

3) Class members, sponsored by an insured club, are automatically covered

and do not pay the fee.

4) All insurance matters should be handled through District Insurance Chairmen. Check your District officers as to who this representative may be in the coming year.

5) District and Federation officers are insured, provided they have paid their

fees with an insured club.

Deadline for completion of insurance matters is November 30 -- this early date is necessary in order that clubs requiring Certificates of Additional Insured, requested by individual dance locations by early January 1992, can be satisfied.

Required forms and instructions are in the hands of District Insurance Representatives -- make your needs as well as your questions, known to him.

If more immediate information is needed, contact Roger Owings, Federation Insurance Chairman, 1511 Lakewood Drive, Wilmington, DE 19803 or call him at (302) 478-6280.

Dance insured in 1992 without worrysome financial problems that can spoil the fun and pleasure of square and round dancing. Don't delay!

ROUNDALAB'S 15TH ANNUAL CONVENTION

284 round dance teachers, representing 152 teaching units from 34 states in the United States, two Canadian provinces and New Zealand attended the 15th Annual Convention of Roundalab, the International Association of Round Dance Teachers, Inc., in Salt Lake City, Utah last June.

Also in attendance were Herb & Cathy Egender representing Callerlab; Walt & Louise Cole from Contralab; Pres & Kay Minnick, Chairmen of Legacy; Don & Shirley Blanchard from the National Executive Committee of the National Square Dance Convention; John & Mary Macuci representing URDC; and Walt & Sally Baechle, Vice Presidents of the

Eastern Region of the United Square Dancers of America.

It was a very busy three days as leaders from various backgrounds shared their expertise and knowledge in a free interchange of ideas. Roundalab attendees added a new category of membership to their organization -- that of "cuer" membership. This will enable those who only "cue" rounds to join Roundalab and receive its printed materials, partake of its educational opportunities, be covered by insurance and secure their BMI/ASCAP licensing.

New figures, including some from the Mambo rhythm, were phased and descriptions written. A tentative Phase III Teaching Progression Guideline was adopted. The herculean task of standardizing the cues for the Roundalab Golden Classic Listing was accomplished. These cues were adopted as a tentative standard for a two year period.

Five tuition scholarships were awarded to members planning to attend round dance teacher's schools. At the Awards Banquet, Ann McCreary accepted the Distinguished Service Award for George & Johnnie Eddins who were unable to attend the ceremonies. The Silver Circle Award was presented to Charlie & Edith Capon and Harmon & Betty Jorritsma. The Silver Halo was awarded to Wayne & Norma Wylie, Roundalab's first chairman.

While at the convention, all teachers had the opportunity to attend teacher training seminars and workshops, figure execution sessions in various rhythms and phases and a clinic on Argentine Tango. The Wednesday Teacher's Seminar concentrated on figures in the Foxtrot and Mambo rhythms.

Roundalab also conducted its usual daily two-hour seminars at the National Square Dance Convention. These sessions were also very well attended. About 92% of the Roundalab teaching units remained in Salt Lake City to share their talents at the 40th National Square Dance Convention.

Elected to the Board of Directors were Barbara & Jim Connelly (VT), Betty & Irv Easterday (MD), Sharon & Casey Parker (CA) and Larry & Pam Wacker (KS). Continuing on the Board are Ray & Anne



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DECEMBER 13 ED KERNS
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Bob Reaser

* Dec. 6 Fri. ... Toys for Tots... Dalt Young (bring toy unwrapped) Gloria Reaser Dec. 21 Sat. .. covered dish... Marty McLain \frac{1}{2}-way dance for classes Mary McGee

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Ralph & Joan Collipi were elected Chairman with Irv & Betty Easterday as Vice Chairman. Continuing on as Executive Secretary will be Peg & Doc Tirrell. Barbara & Jim Connelly will remain as Journal Editors.

Roundalab's 16th Annual Convention will be held June 21-23, 1992 at the Holiday Inn Eastgate in Cincinnati, Ohio.

DEDICATED PHONE NUMBER

1-609-298-8828 — This phone number is for information on square dancing. A brochure in now in the hands of Pennsylvania, Delaware and shortly New Jersey for use at tourist centers stating this phone number. Hopefully, travelers entering these states will find them helpful in locating a time and place to dance.

CLUBS OF THE MONTH

by Ruth & Rick Jastrzemski

PERKY PROMENADERS

The Perky's began square dancing in Mike Law's basement in Oaks, PA, 27 years ago, in 1964. At that time, there was no list of calls to learn, or teaching order, so it was difficult to dance to a caller other than your own.

Caller Gene Pulcher was joined in 1969 by cuer George Potts, who after a few years began sharing the calling with Gene, becoming both caller and cuer for the Perky's in 1973.

At one time, many members shared George & Elaine Pott's interest in square dancing/camping, and for a time the "Perky Ramblers" were very active. Also during that period the club often entertained - at Coatesville and Norristown State Hospitals especially - and at other hospitals and nursing homes.

Beginning in 1985, various callers

were hired, and in 1986, Mark Franks and Peg Dockry were first Wednesday regulars, with Peg becoming club cuer in 1987, and Mark calling through 1990. Burl Lally will begin in 1992 as Perky's first Wednesday caller, and he will also teach their class.

Club traditions include Soup Night in November, a Christmas Party, and often, but not every year, a Perky Picnic. Service to the square dance organization seems to be another tradition, as several Perky members have served in various offices in our District, as well as the Delaware Valley Federation, and are continuing as leaders in our region. Here's a big "Yellow Rock" to them, and to all the others who volunteer their time and talents to keep it all going!

Please see the Perky Promenaders ad in this issue for specific information, and come dance at the Church-on-the-Mall on the first or third Wednesday soon. Tell them we sent you!

GRAND SPIN SQUARES

The Grand Spin Squares were also scheduled for "Clubs of the Month" for this issue, but have not responded to our request for information. We will try to re-schedule them for a future issue.

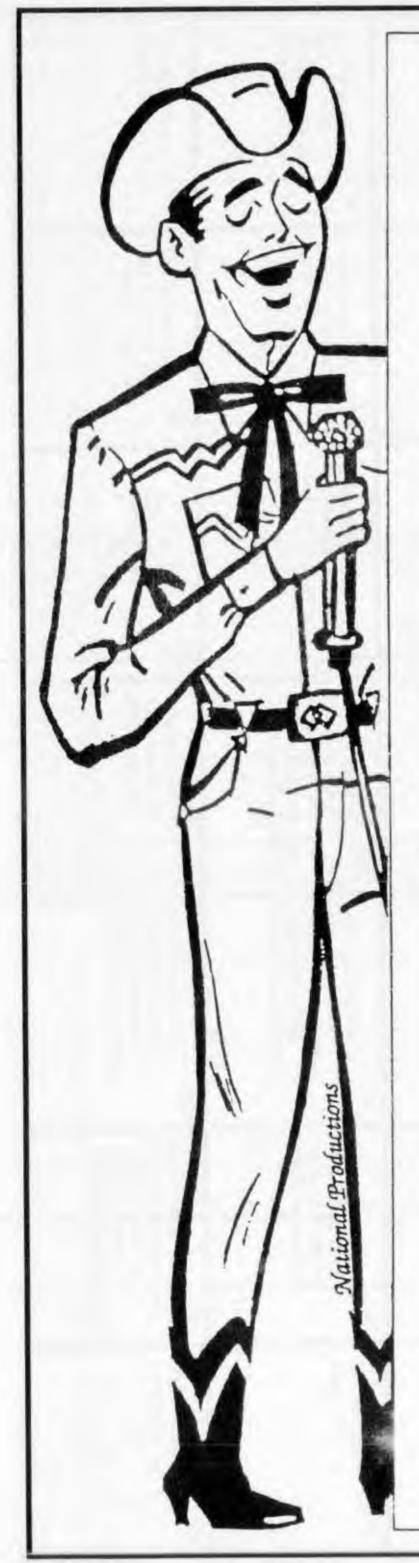
IN OUR OPINION

by Dalt & Barbara Young

Summer is a pleasant memory, classes are well underway, and already the holidays are in sight. Before you know it the turkey will be reduced to barbecue and casseroles.

Guess that means that shopping time is just around the corner. Why not remember your favorite dancing partner and friends with something from one of our square dance shops. They work very hard for us all year to provide the items we want and need for our activity.

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Part of the fun of this activity is the clothes we wear. Let's not forget the people who supply them.

ROUNDALAB ROUNDS OF THE QUARTER

Rounds of the Quarter for the third quarter of 1991 are:

1) Phase III - "Non Dimenticar" (Roper JH-421) by Ron & Ree Rumble.

2) Phase IV - "Witchcraft" (Hoctor 652A) by Ken & Irene Slater.

3) Phase V and VI - "Tequila" (Collectable 3154 or Eric 267) by Bob & Mary Ann Rother.

4) Classic - "Roses for Elizabeth" (Hi Hat 877) by Pat & Bill Bliss.

Rounds of the Quarter for the fourth quarter of 1991 are:

1) Phase II - "My Josephine" (Windsor 4737) by Jerry & Perry LeFeavers.

2) Phase III - "Heartaches '91" (Roper JH-420B) by Doc & Peg Tirrell.

3) Phase IV - "Roy G. Biv Foxtrot" (Special Pressing DE-003-1) by Don Waldal & Ellie Bushue.

4) Phase V - "Hot, Hot, Hot" (RCA Special Products URC-1200) by George & Mady D'Aloiso.

5) Phase VI - "The Sound of Music" (Telemark 4005A) by Peter & Beryl Barton.

6) Classic - "Lazy Sugarfoot" (Roper 390B) by Charley & Bettye Proctor.

Cue sheets are available from several publications and/or round dance record suppliers.

STARTING ROUND DANCING

by Joe & Peg Dockry

In the fall, we usually see the start of basic round dance classes. The student's choice of a group can depend on the class being held on a "free" night, a convenient location, or the teacher's being the cuer for the student's square dance club. Most of our round dance students come from square dance clubs, and although this square dance experience is not necessary to round dancing, it would appear to be of some intangible assistance (1) in relating to the musical beat and (2) in having square dancing friends in the round dance class, rather than entering a group "cold".

What can the beginner do to make his round dance course easier? Firstly, one should avoid taking two types of lessons at once. During our square dance lessons 20 years ago, we saw round dancing for the first time and, wanting to take that too, were cautioned not to do so. Now that I teach, I can appreciate the wisdom of concentrating on one course at a time. Taking two courses at once can be done, be the subtle difficulties presented and the various weaknesses ensuing may not always be apparent to the dancer. The person who graduates from mainstream square dancing, dances through the summertime, and gets a solid grounding in plus dancing is ready for round dancing.

Secondly, the round dance student should make all reasonable efforts to avoid missing lessons. To miss an early lesson or a series of lessons can be devastating to the beginner. This consideration ties in with my third point—that of cassette or video recording lessons as an assist to learning. If you must miss a round dance lesson, perhaps a friend can record the class material for you. During the course of our lessons, frequently we did not have a chance to practice, but our playing the cassette at suppertime before our class was a helpful reminder.

Lastly, how far do we go with round dancing? To start as a student does not mean that our eventual goal is the Phase

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VI level. There is an unfortunate human tendency (and not only in dance circles) to identify the highest with the best, or most desirable. The helpful innovation of classifying dance levels should not carry over into classifying dancers as "most" or "least" accomplished. How often has the reminder from our cuer (or caller) of "Smile -- this is your recreation!" brought us down to earth? Round dancing or square dancing, we should enter the activity with the goal in mind that we are going to dance the level at which we are comfortable. Such a goal is not a settling for second best; it should be a happy achievement. A teacher could ask for no more for his or her students.

1991 ORGANIZATION DINNER

During the National Convention in Salt Lake City, Utah, chairmen and representatives of national square dance organizations met for an informal planning session. Attending were Dave Fisher and Mary Adams, Single Square Dancers U.S.A.; Earl & Joy Hoyt, United Square Dancers of America; Art Harvey, Contralab; Ralph & Joan Collipi, Roundalab Chairmen; Doc & Peg Tirrell, Roundalab Executive Secretaries; Mae & Len Sprosty, National Square Dance Campers Association; and Stan & Cathie Burdick, Legacy.

These meetings were instituted by Legacy to seek ways in which national organizations may complement each other and work cooperatively. Next year the meeting will be expanded in time and called a "Summit" meeting. A project to pursue for the betterment of square dancing and its annual national showcase was suggested unanimously by those attending this year.

Each organizational representative reported on major new projects and goals. Single Square Dancers U.S.A.'s goal is increased recruitment and promotion of singles, with recognition of singles' programs. They are involved in BMI/ASCAP discussions.

Roundalab offers an educational program to leaders and dancers, and now

has a membership classification for cuers as well as teachers. They promote rounds and squares together and are working on publicity and the BMI/ASCAP situation.

United Square Dancers of America has a plan to secure BMI/ASCAP licensing for those not covered elsewhere. They are developing a strong program aimed at youth and are working to gain recognition at national conventions.

National Square Dance Campers Association's goal is to recruit more camper/dancers. Three new chapters were formed in each of the last two years. The organization now stands at 166 chapters, with 15 couples needed to start a chapter. They feel camping and square dancing go hand in hand. They have an attractive magazine and place ads in other publications.

Contralab is designing a new badge incorporating the square, circle and line emblem, working toward a "better marriage" of square, round and contra dancing. A booklet on "What is Contra?" is being developed.

Callerlab, as reported by Stan Burdick, who is a member of the board of governors, has two additions to its continuing education program: a textbook for caller training and a CAC report which illustrates standard ways to teach all the Mainstream figures. To promote square dancing, a new promotional folder with a modern look is being developed.

Legacy's 1991 resolutions and recommendations were reviewed. Suggestions for "Summit" topics may be sent to Pres & Kay Minnick, chairmen, 6882 Garland St., Arvada, CO 80004.

SEASONS GREETINGS

by Roy Goerlich

'Tis the season to be jolly and the 31st DVS&RD Convention Committee wishes the best of everything for everyone. Make the season last until next September. Give your loved one a great weekend at the 31st DVS&RD Convention at the Cherry Hill Hyatt on September 17-19, 1992.

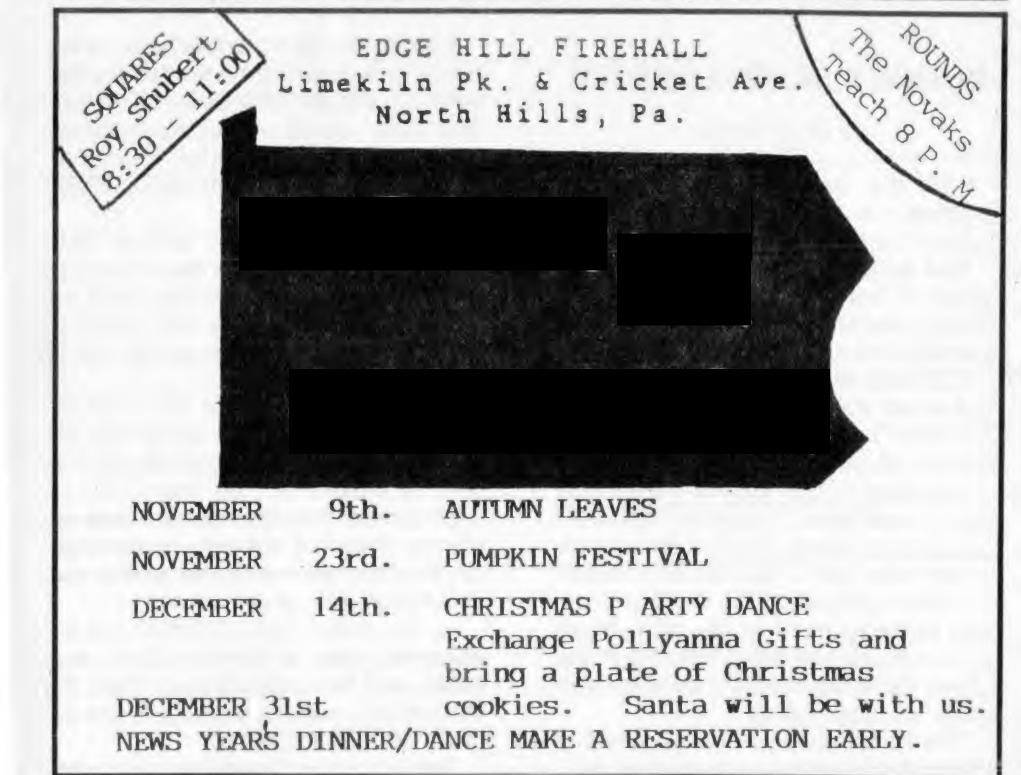
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WHO WORKS FOR YOU?

by John & Kathy Falter

In this issue our spotlight falls on our District Chairmen, Bob & Ellen Williams. They took lessons from John Kides in 1963, danced for six years with the Dudes and Dolls of Levittown and the Jolly Promenaders of New Jersey, took ten years off to concentrate on raising their five sons, then rejoined the dance community as Buckaroos and Dixie Derbys. They served five years on the Buckaroo's Board of Governors and two years organizing Dixie Derby's publicity.

Bob is a retired systems engineer. He designed products for GE - ranging from the sea floor to outer space. He now enjoys playing with his computer.

Ellen is a diet clerk and temporary materials manager at the Neshaminy Manner Warehouse. Her time is divided between family, work and dancing.

Along with their varied District responsibilities, the Williams' represent our Federation to the Square Dance Council of New Jersey.

RUTHIE'S SEWING BASKET

by Ruth McLay

With the holiday season upon us, perhaps you would like to orient your square dance attire accordingly.

How about a basic skirt made of red, green or white (or any color of your choice) made from "felt". This would eliminate hemming and some sewing.

Cut out a circular skirt requiring only one seam down the back, plus zipper and skirt band. Cut the skirt to your desired length.

Decorate the skirt by gluing appliques (bells, snowflakes, Christmas trees, etc.) cut out of different colors of felt. For an added little touch, glue sequins, beads or glitter scribbles to the appliques before applying them to the skirt. Make sure they are well dried first. (All of the above items can be purchased at craft shops or fabric stores.)

This type of skirt is not washable. But I do believe there is a "washable felt"

available. I, personally, have never used it, therefore, I cannot recommend it at this point for washing.

A felt bolero could be added to this idea using the same procedure as used for the skirt. But make sure to cut the armholes deep enough to avoid the bleeding of the felt onto your blouse when perspiring.

If you desire a white outfit, wear a coordinating color blouse (red or green) to set off your outfit.

The above ideas can also be used with regular blended fabric, it just involves a little more sewing.

You can also sew a complete dress and decorate just the skirt. Do your own thing - be creative. Also, you can coordinate your partners outfit with yours by making him a bolero, etc.

Have a happy holiday season and happy dancing!

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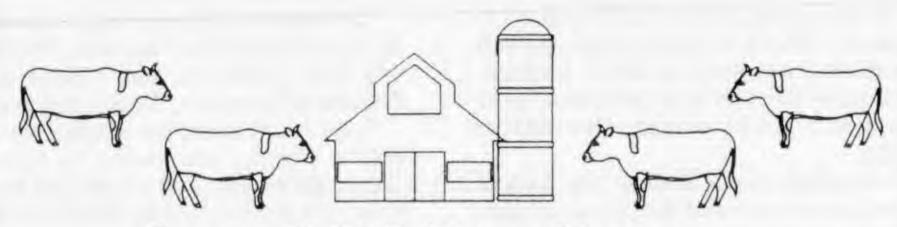
3,000 square and round dance callers, cuers, dancers and leaders attended the two-hour ASCAP/BMI Seminar in Salt Lake City sponsored by the National Square Dance Convention Executive Committee with its President, Ernie Stone as moderator.

Three National ASCAP and one BMI officials represented the two organizations in the special meeting held on Thursday evening of the 40th National Convention in the outstanding Symphony Hall.

General consensus of the meeting was that clubs, callers, cuers and organizations need to be licensed, but not both as a caller or cuer and a club or organization. The attending officials indicated they did not plan to penalize anyone until plans could be worked out satisfactorily to all concerned.

At the present time, Callerlab has an approved plan to license callers and cuers, and the United Square Dancers of America is seeking authority to license clubs and organizations.

The Executive Committee of the Na-



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tional Square Dance Convention endorses and supports the efforts of the United Square Dancers of America in its negotiations with ASCAP/BMI in obtaining a licensing agreement for clubs not utilizing licensed callers and cuers.

A tape of the entire meeting is available for \$6.00 including postage and handling by writing to Glenn Baldwin, Salt Lake City General Chairman, 3631 Spruce Dr., Salt Lake City, Utah 84124-3836.

In another major decision the Executive Committee ruled that all future conventions will be four-day events starting on the Wednesday preceding the fourth Thursday. This was done since already thousands of dancers are in convention cities for pre-convention dances and sightseeing, and this will encourage hotels to reserve rooms for four nights instead of three. Future date will be: Cincinnati - June 24-27, 1992; St. Louis - June 23-26, 1993; Portland - June 22-25, 1994; and Birmingham - June 21-24, 1995. Eight cities have indicated interest in future conventions.

Ernie & Barbara Stone will serve another year as National Executive Committee Presidents following the illness of Lee Reed. Lee & Lettie Reed of Houston have been elected as 1991-92 Honorary Presidents.

CONTRALAB VI

Contralab, the International Association of Contra Callers, met in Salt Lake City, Utah on June 26, 1991.

Educational sessions were conducted in the morning, a delightful lunch followed by an afternoon business meeting and a Board of Governors meeting.

Art Harvey and Chuck Quigley conducted a panel session with plenty of input from the members on where do we go from here. This was followed by three dances from unusual set upsets presented by Dick Meyers, Yona Chock and Boyd Rothenburger.

The Business Meeting in the afternoon included the election of Yona Chock, and the re-election of Art Harvey and Jim Howatt to the Board of Governors for three year terms. Many thanks to retiring Board member Tony Parks.

The Board decided that a brochure on Contralab will be produced. This should be available for general distribution by the next National Convention.

The current officers were re-elected for a one year term: Chairman, Art Harvey; Vice Chairman, Bob Walker; and Secretary/Treasurer, Chuck Quigley.

Callers, cuers and those interested in calling Contras are invited to contact Glenn Nickerson, 606 Woodland Way, Kent, WA 98031, for membership information.

Items for Contralab Quarterly should be sent to Jim Howatt, R.R. 2, 12 Stackhouse Lane, Columbus, NJ 08022.

Contralab is a non-profit organization dedicated to the exchange of information among Contra Callers/Prompters and the further education of its members.

COME SEE WHAT'S IN FOR '92

by Roy & Marion Goerlich

A committee has been diligently working individually and together behind closed doors, so that when the current DVS&RD Convention is history they can present to the square and round dancers of the Delaware Valley a program that will be in keeping with the fine tradition that our Federation has always enjoyed. We want you to know that we have been "hard" at work and hope you will not overlook us when the time comes to be involved in your future plans.





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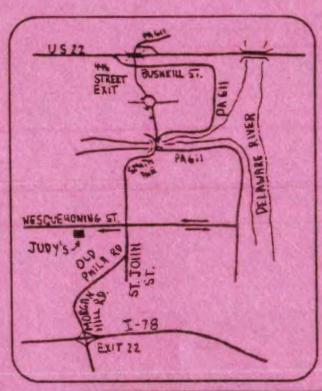
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