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July 15, 1995 • 8:00 p.m. Caller, Jim Snyder Cuer, Peg Dockry West End Fire Company Quakertown, Pennsylvania

PA STATE CONVENTION August 11-12, 1995 Radison Hotel & Con. Center Camp Hill, Pennsylvania

M.E.P. SUMMER DANCE August 26, 1995 • 8:00 p.m. Caller, Bob Clark Cuer, Al Spinks West End Fire Company Quakertown, Pennsylvania

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34TH DVS&RD CONVENTION September 14-16, 1995 Mount Airy Lodge Mount Pocono, Pennsylvania

10TH CANADIAN NATIONAL July 18-20, 1996 Edmonton Convention Centre Edmonton, Alberta, Canada

FROM THE CHAIR

by John & Kathy Falter

We are in the midst of an eventful summer. With the New Grads and first Summer Dance under our belts, we look forward to many more dancing activities to attend.

The second Summer Dance will be held on July 15, followed by the Pennsylvania State Convention on August 11 and 12 and the third Summer Dance on August 26.

Crosstrail Travelers, Garden State, Rovin' Squares and the Yellow Rockers will be holding camping and dancing weekends in our area during the summer months. Many District clubs will also be holding picnics and summer dances.

We hope that after you enjoy your summer and take advantage of many dancing opportunities, that you will be ready for the 1995-1996 Membership Drive.



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CROSSTRAIL TRAVELERS

6/30-7/2 - Dancing/Camping Weekend Beechwood Campground Coatesville, PA Caller, Burl Lally

8/4-6 - Dancing/Camping Weekend Little Red Barn Campground Quakertown, PA Caller, Burl Lally

ROVIN SQUARES

7/28-30 - Dancing/Camping Weekend Holly Acres Egg Harbor, N.J.

8/18-20 - Dancing/Camping Weekend Thousand Trails Lebanon, PA

YELLOW ROCKERS

8/18-20 - Dancing/Camping Weekend Don Lane Campground Trachsville, PA Caller, Ted Knauss Cuer, Al Spinks

SPECIAL EVENTS

BACHELOR'S 'N' BACHELORETTES 7/9 - Stars and Stripes Sunday 7/23 - Sundae Sunday 7/29 - Cape Cod Caper 8/13 - Shipwreck Sunday BUCKAROOS 7/14 - Ice Cream Social 7/28 - Christmas in July 8/11 - Vacation Pictures Dance 8/25 - Crazy Hat Dance **DIXIE DERBYS'** 7/21 - Photographers of the Year Dance **MELODY LAKES BELLES & BEAUS** 8/15 - Ice Cream Social PERKY PROMENADERS 7/5 - Discover the Magic 7/19 - Anniversary Dance 8/2 - Ice Cream Social 8/16 - "T" Shirt Night **ROUND DANCE PARTIES** 7/29 - First Saturday Summer Dance SCHUYLKILL PROMANADES 7/16 - Melon and Fruit Social 8/6 - "Jack is Back" Dance 8/20 - Pot Luck Picnic

TUMBLEWEEDS

- 7/18 Patriotic Dance and Celebration of July Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries
- 8/15 Buttercup Dance and Celebration of August Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries



GUEST CALLERS AND CUERS

BACHELOR'S 'N' BACHELORETTES

- 7/9 Jim Snyder (S) Elaine Novak (R)
- 7/23 Dalt Young (S)
 - Steve Bradt (R)
- 7/29 Phil Kandrut (S) Jo Yakomowski (R)
- 8/13 Jim Snyder (S) Jo Yakomowski (R)
- 8/27 Ted Knauss (S) Elaine Novak (R)

BUCKAROOS

- 7/14 Pete Diven (S/R)
- 7/22 Tom Kovacevich (S)
- 7/28 Jerry LeBlanc (S) Elaine Novak (R)
- 8/11 Lyle Kirkendall (S) Al Spinks (R)
- 8/19 Jim Snyder (S)
- 8/25 Bob Gaunt (S) Lil Armstrong (R)

DIXIE DERBYS'

- 7/7 Glenn Matthew (S) Russ Booz (R)
- 7/8 Glenn Matthew (S)
- 7/21 Glenn Matthew (S) Lil Armstrong (R)
- 8/4 Glenn Matthew (S) Lil Armstrong (R)
- 8/12 Glenn Matthew (S) 8/18 - Glenn Matthew (S)
- Julie Dixon (R)

MELODY LAKES BELLES & BEAUS 7/18 - Dalt Young (S)

8/1 - Dalt Young (S) 8/15 - Jim Snyder (S) Frank Fertsch (R) 8/29 - Ed Kerns (S) PERKY PROMENADERS 7/5 - Burl Lally (S) Peg Dockry (R) 7/19 - Tom Kovacevich (S) Peg Dockry (R) 8/2 - Burl Lally (S) Peg Dockry (R) 8/16 - Dalt Young (S) Peg Dockry (R) **ROUND DANCE PARTIES** 7/29 - Pete & Mary McGee (R) Ron & Ree Rumble (R) SAUCON SQUARE AND ROUNDS 7/7 - Ted Knauss (S) Elaine Novak (R) 7/14 - Andy Glowach (S) Elaine Novak (R) 7/21 - Andy Glowach (S) Steve Bradt (R) 7/28 - Andy Glowach (S) Steve Bradt (R) 8/4 - Jim Snyder (S) Al Spinks (R) 8/11 - Ted Knauss (S) Steve Bradt (R) 8/25 - Dait Young (S) Steve Bradt (R) SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES 7/16 - Dave Kreiter (S) Elaine Novak (R) 8/6 - Jack O'Leary (S) Bob & Gloria Reaser (R) 8/20 - Henry Ferree (S) Gloria Reaser (R)

APPALACHIAN EXPRESSIONS: Hello everyone! We are a brand new clogging club which has just joined the Mid-East Penn Federation.

We dance every Sunday afternoon from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. at the Bethlehem Volunteer Firearm Home Association on North New Street in Bethlehem, PA.

Our officers are as follows: President,

Dale & Josie Fye; Vice President, Lynne Appleman; Secretary, Delores Kilpatrick; and Treasurer, Peggy Stark.

For more information about our club activities, contact Josie Fye at (610) 253-0538.



BACHELOR'S 'N' BACHELORET-

TES: You can still find us dancing at the SS Simon and Jude School Auditorium on the corner of Sixth Avenue and W. North Street in Bethlehem, PA. Prerounds are held from 2:30 to 3:00 p.m. with 2x2 dancing from 3:00 to 5:30 p.m. DBD Workshops are held on the first, third and fifth Sundays starting at 6:00 p.m., A-1 Workshops are held on the second and fourth Sundays starting at 6:00 p.m., and Plus Workshops are held every Sunday starting at 7:30 p.m.

We are looking forward to the 25th National Single Square Dance Convention in Boston, MA over the Labor Day weekend. We are hoping to have over 25 people from the Lehigh Valley attending this event.

We will be holding a dance entitled Stars and Stripes Sunday on July 9 with caller, Jim Snyder and cuer, Elaine Novak. This dance will be followed by our Sundae Sunday on July 23 with caller, Dalt Young and cuer, Steve Bradt.

We will be holding a special dance entitled Cape Cod Caper on July 29 from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m. at the Dewey Fire House in Hellertown, PA. Caller, Phil Kandrut and cuer, Jo Yakomowski, both from Massachusetts, will be featured at this event.

On August 13, we will be holding a dance entitled Shipwreck Sunday with caller, Jim Snyder and cuer, Jo Yokamowski. This dance will be followed by a dance on August 27 featuring caller, Ted

DAVOE DERBYS? Square Dance Club, Inc.

IPLIUS 2X2 DAINCIES

July 07	PLUS DANCE Hot Hash Tip	Glenn Matthew Location:	
July 21	Photographer of the Year Night	Glenn Matthew	/ Lil Armstrong
	Surprize Tip	Location:	HEILMAN HALL
Aug. 04	PLUS DANCE	Glenn Matthew	/ Lil Armstrong
	Star Tip	Location:	HEILMAN HALL
Aug. 18	PLUS DANCE	Glenn Matthew	/ Julie Dixon
	Surprize Tip	Location:	HEILMAN HALL
Sept. 01	PLUS DANCE	Glenn Matthew	/ Rich & Alison Lock
	Surprize Tip	Location:	HEILMAN HALL

Summer Plus Dances at Heilman Hall, Bryn Athyn Church Society Bldg, 600 Tomlinson Road, Bryn Athyn

8:00 PM - 10:30 PM, Pre-Rounds 8:00 PM 1st- 3rd - 5th Fridays Squares 8:15 PM

MAUNSTREAM DANCES

July 08

August 12

Mainstream with Plus Tip

Glenn Matthew

Mainstream with Plus Tip

Glenn Matthew

September 09

Mainstream; Easy Level Plus

Glenn Matthew

ALL DANCERS ARE CORDIALLY INVITED Lehman United Methodist Church, Lehman Ave and Old York Road, Hatboro, PA 7:45 - 10:15 PM 2nd Saturday Knauss and cuer, Elaine Novak.

Be sure to set aside the weekend of April 12-14, 1996 for our '96 Weekend Visit to Davey Jone's Locker. This event will be held at the Pocono Manor with callers, Ted Knauss and Dalt Young and cuers, Pete & Mary McGee.

BUCKAROOS: We sincerely hope that everyone is enjoying the long, lazy hot days of summer. Why not join us at one of our summer dances?

On July 14, we will be holding our Annual Ice Cream Social with guest caller and cuer, Pete Diven. Come on out and make your own specialty with all the varieties of toppings.

On July 22, we are offering something new — a Mainstream with a Plus Workshop. This dance will be held at the Edge Hill Fire Hall on Limekiln Pike and Cricket Avenue in North Hills, PA from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m. with guest caller, Tom Kovacevich.

On July 28, we will be dancing to the great sounds of guest caller, Jerry Le-Blanc and cuer, Elaine Novak as we celebrate Christmas in July.

On August 11, we will be celebrating with guest caller, Lyle Kirkendall and cuer, Al Spinks at our Vacation Pictures Dance. Join us for a fun evening of dancing and share your vacation experiences with us.

Our second Mainstream Dance with a Plus Workshop will be held on August 19 with guest caller, Jim Snyder. This event will take place at St. Paul's Church on Shetland and Palomino Drive in Warrington, PA from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m.

On August 25, we will be holding our Crazy Hat Dance with guest caller, Bob Gaunt and cuer, Lillian Armstrong. Wear your zaniest or most unusual hat. The attire for the evening is optional. Both casual attire and square dance attire is acceptable for this dance.

We look forward to dancing with you at these dances!

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BUCKINGHAM DANCERS: We are excited with our club's progress on all fronts. We have the nicest people, great music and excellent refreshments.

We will be holding dances on July 2, July 16, July 30, August 6, and August 20.

Workshops will be held on July 3, July 10, July 17, July 24, August 7, August 14, August 21, and August 28.

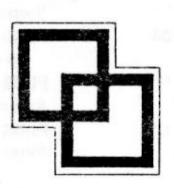
Come out and join us on our recently enlarged dance floor.

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CH SMOOTH SQUARES: Our caller, Carl will be continuing his events schedule throughout the months of July and August — the first, third and fifth Tuesdays.

Dances will be held on July 18, August 1, August 15, and August 29. (Please note that there will be no dance held on July 4 due to the holiday.)

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CROSSTRAIL TRAVELERS: There is always plenty of food, fun and great dancing at our camping weekends. Our caller, Burl Lally holds a Workshop at the campground on Saturday morning that gives the dancers a clue of what to expect at the Saturday night dance.

We will be camping and dancing at the Beechwood Campground in Coatesville, PA on June 30 through July 2. Following this event, we will be hitting the road to attend the National Camporee in Indiana on July 11-13.

Once we get back, join us for a camping and dancing weekend at the Little Red Barn Campground in Quakertown, PA on August 4-6. A great time is in store for everyone!

For additional information and directions on any of our camping weekends, contact Dick & Janet at 323-7878, Walt & Priscilla at 326-4905 or Barry & Pat at 582-1274.

A lot of things are brewing for the fall and winter dance season. Check us out in the September/October issue of "Squares and Rounds" magazine.

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DIXIE DERBYS': Our club runs a full program of activities right through the summer months. Square and round dance classes continue at new locations because of public school vacation closings. Full details of schedules and a map of all locations are available at any of our regular club dances. If you can't find the information you want, call John & Vicky Schussler at (215) 822-0358 or Les & Shirlie Hummel at (215) 675-8814.

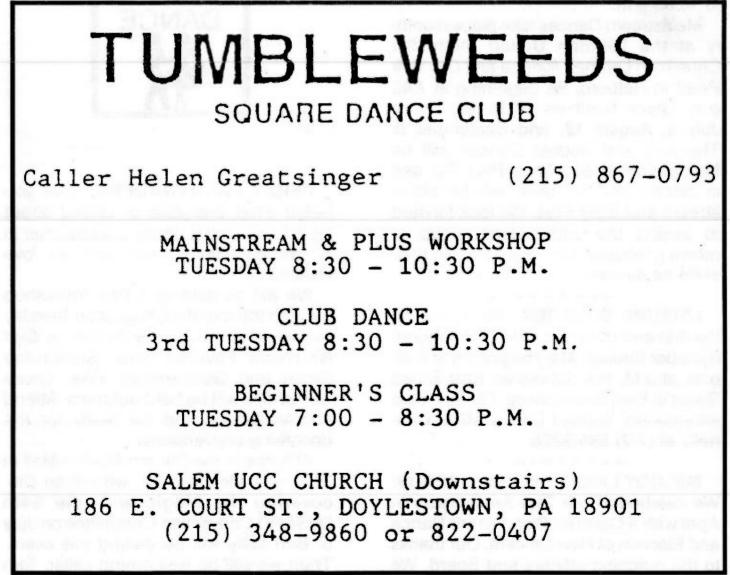
Square Dance Classes are held on Tuesday evenings. During the summer, Glenn Matthew, club caller and instructor, teaches the Plus Program at 8:00 p.m., and precedes the class with a DBD Plus Session at 7:00 p.m. Classes are held at the Lehman United Methodist Church on Lehman Avenue and Old York Road in Hatboro, PA.

A new Square Dance Class will begin with a Square Dance Jamboree on September 12 at 8:00 p.m. Classes will be held at the Upper Moreland Middle School on Orangemans Road (north of Byberry Road) in Upper Moreland, PA. Now is the time to get your friends who have not tried square dancing to get with the program. Mark the date on your calendar and ask them during the summer.

Round Dance Classes continue on Monday evenings with Pete & Mary McGee teaching Beginner Rounds and Phase II at 8:30 p.m. preceded by Phases II-III at 7:00 p.m. at Warminster Presbyterian Church in Warminster, PA. Phase IV-V classes are taught by Pete & Mary McGee at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday evenings followed by Phase II-IV at 9:00 p.m. This class is held at the Hatboro Methodist Church on Old York Road in Hatboro, PA.

A new Round Dance Class will begin with a Round Dance Jamboree on September 11 at 8:00 p.m. Classes will be held at Round Meadow Elementary School. Plan to be there.

Our Plus Program Dances began at a new location at our dance held on June 30th. Heilman Hall at 600 Tomlinson



Road in Bryn Athyn, PA is the location of our Summer Dances through September 1, 1995. The hall is just east of Huntingdon Pike near the Bryn Athyn Catherdral. Air conditioning, a wooden floor, great acoustics and a friendly crowd of square dancers are the main features of our summer series.

Glenn Matthew will be calling on July 7 with Russ Booz cueing the rounds. A Hot Hash Tip will be featured at this dance.

The dance on July 21 will be entitled Photographer of the Year Night. Dancers are urged to bring photographs to be judged and prizes will be given for the best picture. Glenn Matthew will be calling at this dance along with cuer, Lil Armstrong.

Glenn Matthew will be calling the dances on August 4, August 18, and September 1. He is planning some special surprise tips for these dances. Cuers scheduled are Lil Armstrong on August 4, Julie Dixon on August 18, and Rich & Alison Lock on September 1. Plus Dances begin with Pre-Rounds at 8:00 p.m. followed by 2x2 Squares from 8:15 to 10:30 p.m.

Mainstream Dances take place monthly at the Lehman United Methodist Church on Lehman Avenue and Old York Road in Hatboro, PA beginning at 7:45 p.m. Glenn Matthew will be calling on July 8, August 12, and September 9. The July and August Dances will be Mainstream level with a Plus Tip and in September the level will be Mainstream and Easy Plus. We look forward to seeing the enthusiastic group of recent graduates continue to polish their skills as dancers.

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LEISURE SQUARES: We dance on the first and third Saturday of the month (October through May) beginning at 8:00 p.m. at J.M. Hill School on East Broad Street in East Stroudsburg, PA. For more information, contact Don & Millie Connelly at (717) 588-9226.

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MELODY LAKES BELLES & BEAUS: We celebrated our 21st Anniversary in April with a Covered Dish Dinner Dance and Election of New Officers. Our thanks to the outgoing officers and Board. We welcome back our snowbirds and members who have been unable to attend our dances for a while.

No dance will be held on July 4 due to the holiday, but join us on July 18 and dance to the calling of Dalt Young.

Workshops for the month of May will be held on the 11th and 25th with instructor, Jim Snyder.

Come out and join us on August 1 when we will be hosting caller, Dalt Young. Following this dance, we will be holding an Ice Cream Social on August 15 with caller, Jim Snyder and cuer, Frank Fertsch. This dance is always a treat for everyone! On August 29, we will be hosting guest caller, Ed Kerns.

Workshops for the month of August will be held on the 8th and 22nd with instructor, Jim Snyder.

We hope everyone is enjoying the summer. Our hall is air conditioned, so come on out and have a great time!



PERKY PROMENADERS: Have you heard what everyone is talking about lately? Our club is dancing all summer in an air conditioned hall and we love visitors!

We will be holding a Plus Workshop through the month of August on Tuesday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in East Norriton's Pavillion near Stanbridge Street and Germantown Pike. These workshops will be held outdoors. Attend our workshops and be ready for the upcoming conventions!

At home in the Church-On-The-Mall in Plymouth Meeting, PA, we will be Discovering the Magic with the 34th DVS&RD Convention Committee on July 5. Burl Lally will be calling this event. Then we will be welcoming caller, Tom Kovacevich for the first time at our Anniversary Dance on July 19.

On August 2, come join in the fun at our Ice Cream Social with caller, Burl Lally. Delightful treats are in store for everyone! The dance will be followed by our "T" Shirt Night on Auguts 16. Dalt Young will be calling this dance. Wear your favorite T-shirt — the crazier the better!

Keep in mind that our Fun Night will be held on September 6. Come out and see what games we have cooked up for you!

Peg Dockry will be cueing for all of the above mentioned dances with her usual energetic flair.

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QUAKER EIGHTS: We thank everyone for their support. It was fun having everyone dance with us this past season.

We were visited by Colonial Squares and Saucon Squares at our April Showers Dance on April 8. They successfully retreived their banners from our club. The Dixie Derbys' attended our Dinner Dance to pick up their banner raincheck. It was great to have so many guests from other clubs.

At our 25th Annual Dinner Dance on April 22, our members squared up with many quests to dance to the calling of Jim Snyder and Mike Walsh. Roy Gotta kept everyone busy round dancing in between tips. Many dancers received door prizes and African Violets as table prizes. Milford Township Fire Hall served a delicious meal including a fruit cup, beef and turkey, stuffing, gravy, lettuce with hot bacon dressing, cranberry sauce, pease, corn, celery and carrot sticks, coffee, tea, and ice cream for desert. The meal was served family style, so everyone could eat as much as they wanted to. Everyone left with a full stomach after this dance.

At our Fifth Saturday Dance on April 29, we hosted caller, Carl Hanks and cuer, Elaine Novak. A great time was had by all.

We finished out our season with a Covered Dish Dinner Dance on May 13. Sunny Duprey from Tennessee called a great dance with Elaine Novak cueing everyone's favorite rounds. We hope everyone has a great, funfilled summer full of square dancing. We also hope to see everyone at the Second Pennsylvania Square and Round Dance Convetion on August 11-12 in Camp Hill, PA. Remember: Keep square dancing, it's fun and good exercise for all.

In September, we will begin our new season by hosting Elmo Troiani on square and rounds. Also, don't forget to attend the Delaware Valley Square and Round Dance Convention on September 14-16 at Mount Airy Lodge in Mt. Pocono, PA. On September 23, we will be featuring an upcoming couple in the square dance world: Joe & Casey Bradshaw, a caller/cuer team from Delaware. Come on out, they're lots of fun to dance to. Then on September 30, we will be hosting a favorite caller from Northern Pennsylvania, Mike Conning. He will keep your feet moving to a very nice rhythm. Elaine Novak will have you dancing to all levels of your favorite round dances.

See you on the dance floor at Quakertown Elementary School on Seventh and Park Avenues in Quakertown, PA. Come out and dance with us!

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ROUND DANCE PARTIES: Come out and join us on the first Saturday of every month from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m. at the Church-on-the-Mall in Plymouth Meeting, PA for a wonderful night of round dancing.

We will only be holding one Round Dance Party during the summer months. It has been scheduled for July 29, which is the fifth Saturday of the month. Cuers will be Pete & Mary McGee and Ron & Ree Rumble. No dances will be held in August.

Come out and enjoy your favorite

rounds programmed by you. Bring your favorite list of round dances, put them on the request board and enjoy your evening of round dancing — Classic Rounds and Phase IV, V and VI.

Have fun with your friends and see you on July 29!

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"Let's 90 " Dancing"

ROVIN' SQUARES: Our first camping/dancing weekend of the season was held at Chestnut Lake Resort in Port Republic, NJ on April 21-23. 24 camping units attended this event. Caller, Joe Landi and cuer, Russ Booz kept the floor moving at all times with great music. The Chuckwagon breakfast was attended by 28 dancers on Saturday morning. The Square Dance Workshop learned five new routines while the Round Dance Workshop learned the dance "The Lion Sleeps Tonight" from the movie The Lion King.

Some of our members attended the Pennsylvania State Camporee in Coatesville, PA in May and had a great time. Our members also had a wonderful time at our camping/dancing weekend on June 23-25 at Birchview Campground in Coatesville, PA. Squares were called by Burl Lally and rounds were cued by Gloria Reaser.

Our next camping/dancing weekend will be held on July 28-30 at Holly Acres Campground in Egg Harbor, NJ followed by a camping/dancing weekend at Thousand Trails in Lebanon, PA on August 18-20. We hope to see you there. A good time is is store for everyone!

We are currently accepting applications for membership. If you are interested in camping and dancing once a month from April until October, contact Mitch Cytacki at (215) 736-1436 or Dave Mayer at (215) 855-7769.

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SAUCON SQUARES AND ROUNDS: We invite you to join us for our Summer Dances in our air conditioned hall at Salem Lutheran Church in Bethlehem, PA.

Join us on July 7, where we will be dancing to caller, Ted Knauss and cuer, Elaine Novak. Following this dance, we will be treated to the sounds of caller, Andy Glowach and cuer, Elaine Novak on July 14. Our dances on July 21 and 28 will host caller, Andy Glowach and cuer, Steve Bradt.

On August 4, we will be enjoying the calling of Jim Snyder and the cueing of Al Spinks. On August 11, the sweet sounds of caller, Ted Knauss and cuer, Steve Bradt will fill the hall as we dance. Finally, on August 25, we will be hosting caller, Dalt Young and cuer, Steve Bradt.

We hope that everyone has a wonderful summer. See you on the dance floor!

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SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES: Come out and join us on July 16 for our Melon and Fruit Social. Dave Kreiter will be calling this dance along with cuer, Elaine Novak.

On August 6, we will be holding a special ticket dance entitled Jack is Back. Jack O'Leary from Connecticut will be calling squares with Bob & Gloria Reaser cueing your favorite rounds. Tickets for this dance are \$6.50 in advance and \$7.00 at the door. We will be holding a drawing for special items, so get your tickets now.

On August 20, we will be holding a Pot Luck Picnic and Dance at Bubeck Park. Clothing by Fabean's of Boyertown will also be on sale at this dance. Henry Ferree will be calling ths squares for this dance along with Gloria Reaser cueing rounds. Please bring a pot luck dish and join in the fun.

All of our afternoon dances are held from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m. at the Schuylkill Haven Senior Citizen's Building on Haven Street in Schuylkill Haven, PA. Our hall is air conditioned for cool dancing. We hope to see you soon.

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CAPE COD CAPER

Bachelors 'N' Bachelorettes Lehigh Valley Chapter

Starring

Caller: Phil Kandrut (Massachusetts) Cuer: Jo Yakomowski (Massachusetts)

Saturday, July 29, 1995 8 to 11 p.m.

Donation: \$5.00 person

Dewey Fire House

502 Durham Street Hellertown PA I-78 to right on 412S (Main Street) to Lost River Caverns sign in Hellertown

> For more info, call: Betty at (610) 433-2714 Bruce at (610) 678-4929

STARDUSTERS (BERKS COUNTY):

We do not hold any dances during the summer season, but we have a great list of guest callers and cuers lined up for the 1995-1996 season starting in September. We hope to see everyone there. Look for our schedule in the September/October issue of "Squares and Rounds" magazine.



TRADEMARKS: We dance to the great calling of Mark Franks and the cueing of Joe & Peg Dockry on the second and fourth Sunday of every month, with exceptions.

For the month of July, a dance has been scheduled for July 9.

For the month of August, dances have been scheduled for August 13 and August 27.

Advanced level (A-2) dancing begins promptly at 7:00 p.m. with a C-1 Star Tip added in during the night. Dances are held at the Church-on-the-Mall (cinema entrance) in Plymouth Meeting, PA.

For more information on any of our dances, please contact Bernie & Joan Marcus at (610) 275-8255.

TUMBLEWEEDS: On July 18, we will be holding a Patriotic Dance. Please wear your special combination of red, white and blue. To go along with the theme of this dance, the singing calls will consist of patriotic music. Also at this dance, we will be celebrating all of the birthdays and wedding anniversaries that fall in July.

August 11-12 is the date for the second year of the Pennsylvania State Convention to be held at the Radisson Hotel and Convention Center in Camp Hill, PA. Our dancers are going to be there to help support our great caller, Helen Greatsinger, who has once again been asked to participate in this event. We hope to see everyone there with their dancing shoes on!

On August 15, we will be holding a Buttercup Dance. The refreshments served at this dance will be all kinds of delicious and scrumptious cheese cakes. All birthdays and wedding anniversaries that fall in August will also be celebrated at this dance.

For a fun night, come out and dance to the great calling of our club caller, Helen Greatsinger every Tuesday evening. We dance at the Salem United Church of Christ on 186 East Court Street in Doylestown, PA. On the first, second, fourth and fifth Tuesday of each month, a Mainstream and Plus Workshop is held from 8:30 to 10:00 p.m., and the third Tuesday of each month is set aside for a special dance. Beginner's Classes are held every Tuesday evening from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. See you on the dance floor!

YELLOW ROCKERS: It was great to see so many familiar faces and to meet some new people at the Pennsylvania State Campout at Beechwood Campground during the month of May. If you weren't there, you missed a wonderful time!

Our campout in June at Robin Hill in Lenhartsville, PA was a great success. There was plenty of great dancing with caller, Ted Knauss and cuer, Al Spinks. The committee for this campout also planned an excellent fare for everyone to enjoy.

People are getting their campers and motor homes ready to attend the National Campout in South Bend, IN in July. Some people are leaving early to catch a little sightseeing along the way while others plan to leave the Campout a little later so they can make a few side stops along their route home. Whatever your plans are, don't miss this exciting event.

Hopefully everyone will be back in time for our trek to Don Lane Campground in Trachsville, PA on August 18-20. The committee for this event has a special agenda planned. Calling squares for this

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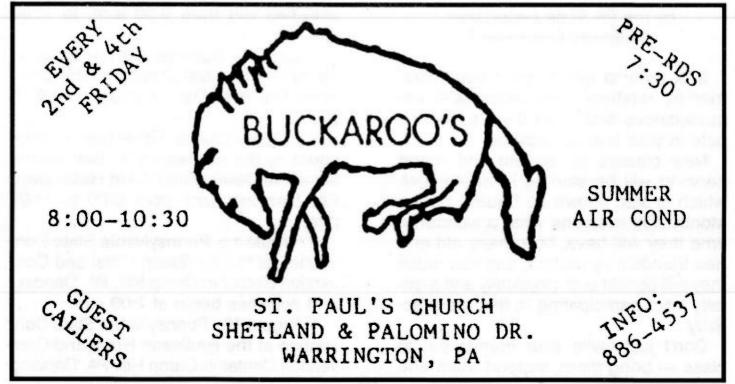
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A TEXAS WELCOME TO THE 45TH NATIONAL CONVENTION ON JUNE 26-29, 1996

San Antonio, Texas is a city you don't just visit, but a place which you experience. San Antonio's old Spanish flavor, not only it's food, but it's multicultured citizens make it one of the nation's most picturesque cities. San Antonio was established at the southern edge of the Texas Hill Country in a pleasant wooded area with spring-fed streams and now modern skyscrapers co-exist harmoniously with 18th century restorations of historical mission churches. The original settlers were Mexican and Spanish Canary Islanders. German builders and businessmen were prominent settlers in the 19th century and have contributed to the flavor of the city.

Through the heart of the downtown Convention Center runs a six mile loop of the San Antonio River and symbolizes the beauty and romance of the city and the homesickness felt by those who have left. Visitors will be drawn to the Riverwalk, or Paseo del Rio. A tree lined footpath, romantically lit at night, follows the riverpark, which is landscaped with lush subtropical foliage and bordered by restaurants and shops.

You can experience the rich cultural diversity of the city by visiting the Institute of Texas Cultures where history is not concerned with dry events, but with people who lived them — the people who created what Texas is today. Twentysix ethnic and cultural groups featured in a rich variety of exhibits. Where they came from; what they did, their food and clothing, their music and festivals. The Mexican Cultural Institute exhibits contemporary Mexican artists. These two areas are located in HemisFair Park, site



of the 1968 Texas Worlds Fair, now a focal point of downtown entertainment and recreation. The 750-foot Tower of the Americas offers two sky high dining levels plus an observation deck with a panoramic view of the city.

The city offers some of the best dining with its myraid of restaurants located along the Riverwalk, featuring many different types of specialty foods — Mexican, French, German, Tex-Mex, Greek and, of course, Texas Barbecue.

El Mercado, La Villita and the Rivercenter offer "shop till you drop" enthusiasts the most varied types of merchandise you can find anywhere.

Experience Texas history with a short walk from the Convention Center to The Alamo, the "Cradle of Texas Liberty." This historical site is open to the public seven days a week.

We want to welcome you to Texas when "YOU" Cross Trail Thru!



NOW IS THE HOUR!

by the PA State Federation Publicity Chairmen

It is time to talk to your neighbors, friends, relatives, co-workers and acquaintances and invite them to participate in your favorite pastime.

New classes for square and round dancing will be starting in September, which is also known as Square Dance Month. Tell everyone what a wonderful time they will have, how many old and new friends they will find, and how much they will benefit both physically and mentally from participating in this great activity.

Don't just invite your friends out to class — bring them, support them and

introduce them to your caller and/or cuer.

Your friends can video tape television programs they have missed or catch up during the summer by watching reruns, but they cannot reap the square and round dance benefits if they remain couch potatoes.

Just remember... "Square Dancing is Friendship Set to Music."

UPCOMING EVENTS

Take a look and see what is happening in your area during the months of July, August and September.

• July 15 - Summer Dance sponsored by the Mid-East Penn District at the West End Fire Company in Quakertown, PA. Dancing Begins at 8:00 p.m. with Jim Snyder calling squares and Peg Dockry cueing rounds.

• July 16 - 34th DVS&RD Convention Meeting. Time and location to be announced.

• July 20 - 32nd Star Spangled Banner Convention in Hunt Valley, MD. Dancing and activities run from 7:30 to 11:00 p.m.

• July 21 - 32nd Star Spangled Banner Convention continues. Dancing and activities run from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

• July 22 - 32nd Star Spangled Banner Convention continues. Dancing and activities run from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

• July 22 - Summer Dance sponsored by the Pen-Del District at the Claymont Fire Hall. Dancing begins at 2:00 p.m.

• July 29 - Special Ticket Dance sponsored by the Bachelor's 'n' Bachelorettes at the Dewey Fire Hall in Hellertown, PA. Dancing runs from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m.

• August 11 - Pennsylvania State Convention at the Radisson Hotel and Convention Center in Camp Hill, PA. Dancing and activities begin at 7:00 p.m.

• August 12 - Pennsylvania State Convention at the Radisson Hotel and Convention Center in Camp Hill, PA. Dancing

SAUCON SQUARE & ROUND

DANCERS

Salem Lutheran Church 134 E Broad St. Bethlehem Pa

ROUND DANCE PROGRAM

<u>Sunday</u> 7:30 PM <u>SAUCON ROUNDS</u> Intermediate Rounds Workshop, Phase III & IV Cuer, Steve & Wendy Bradt (610) 867-2351

Wednesday 6:30 PM ROUNDS WORKSHOP

Easy/Intermediate Level, Phase III Cuer, Mary & Pete McGee (610) 866-7432

Wednesday 8:00 Pm <u>ROUND DANCE CLASS</u> Cuer, Mary & Pete McGee (610) 866-7432

SQUARE DANCE PROGRAM

Tuesday

Advanced I+2 Workshop & Dance Caller, Ted Knauss (610) 266-6397 Information-(610) 867-2351

Fridays 7:30 PM 2X2 program

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AUG 4 J.Snyder & A.Spinks AUG 11 T.Knauss & S.Bradt AUG 18 no dance (Music Fest) AUG 25 D.Young & S.Bradt and activities run from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

• August 26 - Summer Dance sponsored by the Mid-East Penn District at the West End Fire Company in Quakertown, PA. Dancing begins at 8:00 p.m. with Bob Clark calling squares and Al Spinks cueing rounds.

 August 27 - 34th DVS&RD Convention Meeting. Time and location to be announced.

• September 3 - 34th DVS&RD Convention Meeting. Time and location to be announced.

• September 10 - Mid-East Penn District Meeting at the First Federal Savings and Loan Bank in Perkasie, PA. The meeting will begin at 2:30 p.m.

• September 14 - 34th DVS&RD Convention at Mount Airy Lodge in Mt. Pocono, PA. Dancing and activities run from 3:00 to 11:00 p.m.

• September 15 - 34th DVS&RD Convention at Mount Airy Lodge in Mt. Pocono, PA continues. Dancing and activities run from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

• September 16 - 34th DVS&RD Convention at Mount Airy Lodge in Mt. Pocono, PA continues. Dancing and activities run from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.



BLOOPERS FROM A CHURCH BULLETIN

1. This afternoon there will be meetings in the south and north ends of the church. Children will be baptized at both ends.

2. Thursday at 5:00 p.m. there will be a meeting of the Little Mother's Club. All wishing to become little mothers will please meet the pastor in his study. 3. This being Easter Sunday, we will ask Mrs. Brown to come forward and lay an egg on the altar.

4. Ladies of the church have cast off clothing of every kind and can be seen in the church basement on Friday afternoon.

5. On Sunday, a special collection will be taken to defray the expenses of a new carpet. All wishing to do something on the carpet, please come forward and get a piece of paper.

6. Tonight's sermon: "What is Hell?" Come early and listen to our choir practicing.

7. Another marriage encounter weekend is being offered. It's a chance for a weekend away for you and your souse.

THANKS FROM THE FRIENDS OF THE HANDICAPPED

There were few minor problems at this year's dance to benefit the Friends of the Handicapped. We started out the day by having three halls without equipment. Now how did that happen? Luckily, Jow Bradshaw had two extra sets of equipment and Ed Kerns had his set, so everything worked out okay.

The total income to benefit the Friends of the Handicapped in 1995 is \$1,700.00. Thanks to everyone who attended the dance and a special thanks to all of you who worked at making this event such a great success.

CORRECT ZIP CODES

We are requesting that everyone submit their up-to-date ten digit zip codes to their club leaders. The post office is using "Zip + 4," which is making delivery easier and much faster. If the four digit part of your zip code is not in our records, your mail may be delayed by the post office.

Here is how to do it. Use your standard five digit zip code, add a hyphen, and

then add your new four digit code. It should look comething like this: 12345-6789.

If you don't know what your ten digit "Zip + 4" code is, just call your local post office, check your bills, or look through your junk mail to get the last four digits.

We suggest that everyone use their new ten digit code on everything they mail so the post office does not delay your mail delivery.



PENNSYLVANIA STATE SQUARE DANCE FEDERATION

by Charlotte Goerlich

The semi-annual meeting of the State Federation was held at State College, PA. To date, there is a treasury total in all accounts of \$14,652.65.

The first State Convention was very successful, with a profit of \$3,735.95. Of this amount, \$2,500.00 was allocated to publicize September as Square Dance Month in Pennsylvania.

Four possible convention locations were visited by the committee to select a site for the 1996 Convention. These locations were the Radisson Penn Harris, Embers Inn and Convention Center, Penn State Scanticon and Shippensburg University. The delegates who attended the meeting voted for the Scanticon, which is a comparitively new facility at Penn State.

The 1995 Convention Chairman reported that there have been 1,065 sent in so far, with only 35 more needed to to capacity.

The Delaware Valley Federation is the largest in the State Federation with 2,500 members. It was reported that they are working with WASCA to bring the National Convention to Baltimore, MD in the year 2000. Also bidding for the Convention are Atlanta, GA and Detroit, MI.

The original manufacturers of the new state dress are out of business and another manufacturer has since been selected, with some changes in the dress. It is still a two-piece dress with a peasant blouse, which has a small ruffle over which the detachable collar will fit.

The Ways and Means Committee Chairman reported that 833 state square dance license plates have been processed as of March 31.

An Election of Officers for the 1995-1996 season were held. The following people have been elected: Presidents, John & Mary Ellen Lachenmayer; First Vice Presidents, Craig & Susan Allen; Second Vice Presidents, Rocky & Margaret Mary Rocchi; Treasurers, Ted & Joan Hawkins; and Secretaries, Cy & Ione Hammacher.

The next meeting of the Pennsylvania State Federation will be held on October 8 at State College, PA.

45TH NATIONAL CONVENTION TOURS

If you are planning to attend the 45th National Convention in San Antonio, TX on June 26-29, 1996, you might consider taking some time out to catch one of the following tours:

Tour 1 - Mission Trail: Tuesday through Friday (8:45 to 11:30 a.m.). Step back into the 18th century at Mission San Jose, known as the "Queen of the Missions." Learn of the days when the friars and Native Americans worked together to bring European civilization, culture and religion to Texas. Mission San Jose has been restored to provide an excellent overview to mission life. View Mission Espada and the Espada dam, acacia and aqueduct built in the early 1700's. Also see Mission San Juan and Mission Concepcion, the oldest unrestored stone church in the United States of America. Conclude at the Alamo and tour at your own pace, just two blocks from the Convention Center. Time: 2 hours and 45 minutes. Cost: \$16.00 per person.

Tour 2 - Romantic San Antonio: Tuesday through Friday (12:30 to 3:15 p.m.). Discover the reasons, past and present, why our city brings out the romance in all of us. Tour the lush landscape of Brackenridge Park and enjoy the enchanting Japanese Tea Garden. uniquely situated amidst an old rock quarry. Visit the McNay Art Museum featuring an original collection display in the magnificent Marion Koogler McNay mansion. Learn of the importance of the United States military presence in San Antonio at historic Fort Sam Houston. established in 1876. Enjoy an orientation visit to La Villita, one of the city's downtown historic districts. Time: 2 hours and 45 minutes. Cost \$16.00 per person.

Tour 3 - Trace of History: Tuesday through Friday (3:30 to 6:15 p.m.). Take a look back at the people and places which comprise the distinctive history of San Antonio. Visit the Institute of Texan Cultures, with unique exhibits representative of the many ethnic groups whose contributions have been woven into our state's rich multicultural tapestry. Drive through the King William Historic District, an elegant Victorian-era neighborhood. Tour the Lone Star Hall of Texas History Wax Museum, Hall of Horns, Fins and Feathers, and O'Henry's House. You may end your tour at El Mercado (the Mexican Market) or return to the Convention Center. Time: 2 hours and 45 minutes. Cost: \$16.00 per person.

Tour 4 - Combination of Tours 1 and 2: Tuesday through Friday (8:45 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.). There is an hour break between tours. Time: 6 hours and 30 minutes. Cost: \$26.00 per person.

Tour 5 - Combination of Tours 2 and 3: Tuesday through Friday (12:30 to 6:15 p.m.). Time: 5 hours and 45 minutes. Cost: \$26.00 per person.

Tour 6 - Combination of Tours 1 and 3: Tuesday through Friday (8:45 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.). With a four hour break on your own between tours (11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.) to enjoy the Riverwalk and the Alamo. Time: 9 hours and 30 minutes. Cost: \$26.00 per person. Tour 7 - Combination of Tours 1, 2 and 3: Tuesday through Friday (8:45 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.). Time: 9 hours and 30 minutes. Cost: \$36.00 per person.

Tour 8 - Texas Hill Country: Tuesday through Friday (8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.). Renowned for rolling vistas and beautiful natural serenity, the Texas Hill Country captures your heart. Take in the views on this scenic drive to the quaint German community of Fredericksburg and treat yourself to delicious ethnic cuisine. (Lunch in not included in the tour.) Shopping time is allotted at the boutiques displaving handcrafted wares and antiques. An optional visit to the Admiral Chester Nimitz Museum may also be arranged. Next visit the "Texas White House." home of the former United States President, Lyndon B. Johnson. This operating ranch is nestled on the banks of the Pedernales River, Time: 10 hours, Cost: \$36.00 per person.

Tour 9 - Laredo/Nuevo Laredo: Tuesday through Friday (8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.). Experience two exciting cities and countries for the price of one. Laredo is a fun loving place that opens its hearts to visitors as it links arms across the international bridge to Mexico. Our tour includes lunch at a fine Mexican restaurant. Cross the border to Nuevo Laredo for an exciting shopping experience. Enjoy bargains with the local vendors for Mexican jewelry, clothing, leather goods and curios. Citizens of the USA do not need a passport, but must carry some form of picture identification and citizenship. Non-USA citizens must carry a valid passport. US dollars are accepted in Nuevo Laredo. Time: 10 hours. Cost: \$36.00 per person.

Capacity for all tours is limited. Preregistration for all tours is May 15, 1996. If any tour is cancelled due to lack of participation, money will be refunded in full or put toward another tour of your choice based upon availability. No refunds will be given after May 15, 1996, unless tickets can be resold. All tours will depart from and return to the Convention Center unless otherwise specified.

Reserved tickets may be picked up at the Convention Center, Tuesday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. Tickets for all tours will also be sold **REGISTRATION FORM**

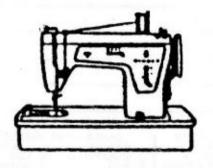
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on a space available basis at our Tour Booth.

For more information on the tours being offered by the 45th National Convention, write to: 45th National Square Dance Convention, P.O. Box 791047, San Antonio, TX 78279-1047.



RUTHIE'S SEWING BASKET

by Ruth McLay

If you are in the need of a good square dance dress pattern, Simplicity has a good pattern to use — #6452. There are also many others, but keep in mind that any bodice pattern can change the look of your dress.

There are several types of skirts that will look just great — gathered, gored, tiered or the circle pattern. The gored skirt gives fullness at the bottom but not at the waistline.

When making a skirt, make sure that you make the zipper opening long enough so you can slip right into it without disturbing your hairstyle.

Using cording when making your skirt adds a professional look at the waistline seam, neck, midriff, etc.

To add a special touch, you can also add a pocket in one of the side seams of the skirt.

Also use blending materials to avoid ironing. Don't use 100% cotton.

Experiment with your patterns. Use a sleeve from one pattern, a bodice from another. You can also add a ruffle or take one away. Be creative.

It takes about four and a half yards of material to make a dress with sleeves and a tiered skirt.

The lighter fabrics are good to use when making a tiered skirt. Heavier

fabrics are better to use when making circle and gored skirts. Your type of fabric will determine what style skirt or dress you will make.

You could also make your partner's shirt to match your dress or skirt. Choose a western style pattern with snaps on the sleeves, pockets and down the front of your shirt.

These are just a few ideas to think about when making your square dance attire. I hope they help you in your decisions.

See you next time!

ATTENTION FEDERATION DANCERS

by Ron & Dottie Smith Federation Presidents

How do rumors get started? It has been brought to our attention that several rumors are now being generated in our Federation that are not true. In the following article all of the facts from October of 1994 to the present are listed regarding our annual Convention and Wildwood Weekend.

Our annual Convention demands the following minimum requirements from a hotel:

• Dancing space of 18,000 to 20,000 square feet with six dancing rooms (one equal to about 10,000 square feet).

350 peak room nights.

Room rates of under \$80.00 per couple, per night.

The Federation contracts with our host hotel two years in advance of our Convention.

After the Cherry Hill Hyatt closed in October of 1994, your Federation searched from the host resort in Lancaster, PA to the Hilton Towers in Brunswick, NJ and to the Mount Airy Lodge in Mount Pocono, PA. A hearty thank you goes out to the dedicated Advisory Board and Federation officers who traveled hundreds of miles at no cost to the Federation in an effort to obtain a suitable dance location for our Convention. Acceptable contracts could not be obtained in 1995, except for the beautiful Mount Airy Lodge in Mount Pocono, PA.

Again our date of September 19-21, 1996 was not available at any of the local hotels in the Delaware Valley unless we downsized both our square and round dance program.

It was recommended that we flip the Wildwood Weekend in April with the Convention in September. This was approved at our Federation Meeting on January 10, 1995.

Yes, we will be holding our 34th DVS&RD Convention, Discover the Magic, under the leadership of Tom & Lynn Baily at Mount Airy Lodge in Mount Pocono, PA in September of 1995.

Yes, we will be holding the Wildwood Weekend on April 26-28, 1996 in Wildwood Crest, NJ.

Yes, we will be holding a Freedom Valley Convention on May 1-3, 1997 under the leadership of two time General Chairpersons, Clarence & Juanita Dye. (The location was just recently approved at the Federation Meeting on April 4.)

The Federation is alive and will let us meet the challenge of getting new dancers involved in the fun of our activity. Remember the thrill when you graduated from class?

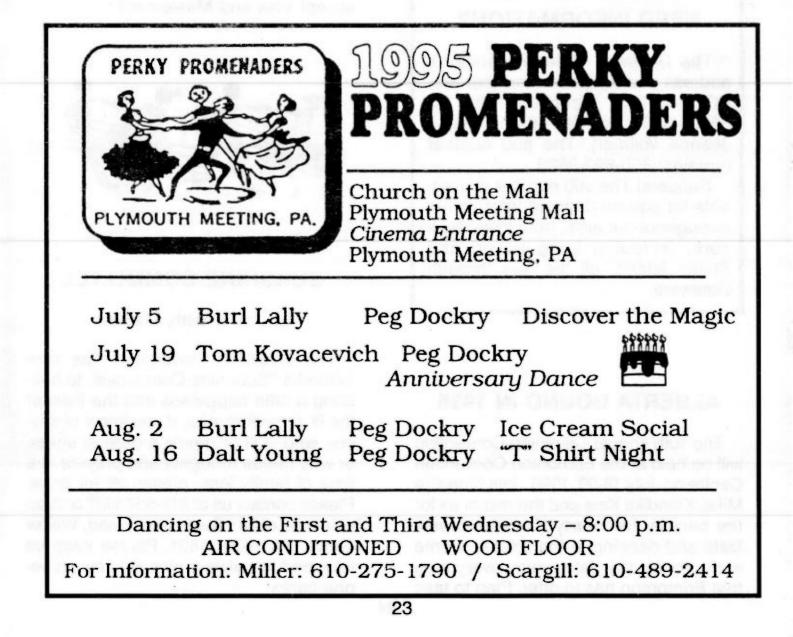
We hope this article resolves any questions that you may have had regarding the Federation's upcoming activities.

DELAWARE VALLEY FEDERATION UPDATE

by Charlotte Goerlich

Very good attendance was shown at the Federation Meeting held on April 4, which was hosted by the Bucks-Trenton District.

The treasurer reported a balance in all accounts of \$39,722.57. A major portion



of this balance is in the 26th National Education Fund.

At this time, the 1996 Wildwood Weekend will be held on April 26-28 and will be hosted by Chet & Shirley Lightcap. There is a possibility that this weekend will be moved to the month of September.

It was reported that the Mid-East Penn District is the largest of the four districts, with the Dixie Derbys' and Bachelor's 'n' Bachelorettes being the largest clubs in the Federation.

An Election of Officers was held with the following candidates bring elected: President, Mitch & Karin Cytacki; Vice President, Bernie & Joan Lechner; Treasurer, Jim & Sally Guenther; and Secretary, Tom & Karen Vogle.

Dance locator books were distributed at this meeting to the four districts. If you have not received your copy, contact your club president.

NEED INFORMATION?

The Delaware Valley Federation's address and telephone number are: P.O. Box 362, Gloucester City, NJ 08030-0362; 609-456-1949 (Doug & Jeanne Vollmer). The 800 number remains: 800-892-8828.

Dancers! The 800 number is available for square dancing information throughout our area, from lower New York, including Long Island and Staten Island, all the way through Delaware.

ALBERTA BOUND IN 1996

The 10th annual Canadian Convention will be held at the Edmonton Convention Centre on July 18-20, 1996. Join Klondike Mike, Klondike Kate and the rest of us for the parade, for hearty Klondike breakfasts and dancing in the streets. Come early and/or stay late, enjoy everything that Edmonton has to offer. Plan to take in Edmonton's many summer festivals, occuring before and after the Convention. Also enjoy our many parks and campgrounds.

Our phone system is now up and running. To make hotel reservations and get guaranteed Convention rates use our "hotline" within Northern America — 1-800-342-FIRE (1-800-342-3473). If you get a recording, leave a message or call back during office hours. Rooms are filling up fast. No down payments are needed until April of 1996. A hotel form will be available shortly. Note that the Convention Inn Hotel is only 6 km. from the Convention Centre.

Convention 1996 bus tours are bring arranged before, during and after the Convention. Advanced booking information will be sent to registrants at the end of 1995. Take some time out and take a bus tour!

Our US friends will be pleased to hear that the exchange rate is ranging from 30 to 40 cents on the dollar.

We're well on our way to 900 registrations to date. Are you registered? We accept Visa and Mastercard.



SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

by Joe & Betty Mathers

The DVS&RD Federation has now formed a "Sunshine Committee" to help bring a little happiness into the lives of the ill or misfortuned. If you know of anyone who is ill or needs a drop of cheer, or who needs thoughts and prayers at a time of family loss, please let us know. Please contact us at 215-657-1937 or drop us a note at 241 Buckboard Road, Willow Grove, PA 19090-1501. Please keep us informed, it's always nice to know someone cares!



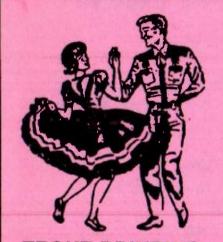
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