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## M.E.P. DISTRICT MEETING

May 4, 1997 • 4:30 p.m. West End Fire Hall
Quakertown, Pennsylvania

## PENNSYLVANIA STATE CAMPOREE

 May 16-18, 1997 Various Callers and Cuers Centre Hall, PennsylvaniaM.E.P. SUMMER DANCE

June 14, 1997•8:00 p.m.
Glenn Matthew \& Lil Armstrong Plymouth Meeting Mall
Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania
46TH NATIONAL CONVENTION June 25-28, 1997
Orange County Convention Center Orlando, Florida

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(NSDCA Members Only)
Various Callers and Cuers
Sussex County, New Jersey
M.E.P. SUMMER DANCE

July 19, 1997 • 8:00 p.m. West End Fire Hall Quakertown, Pennsylvania

## FROM THE CHAIR

by John \& Kathy Falter Mid-East Penn Chairmen

This past March, Kathy and I completed our term as Mid-East Penn District Chairmen. Please let us express our sincere "thanks" to all of the callers and cuers who helped the District during our term. We also wish to thank all of the dancers who participated in and helped us with the many District functions.

We must thank and acknowledge the District Officers and Committee Leaders who made the last two years of MidEast Penn activities possible.

Henry Buffington served as First Vice Chairman and arranged to get coffee pots and supplies to our many District dances.

Rich \& Joyce Scargill served as Second Vice Chairmen and co-chaired the Membership Committee.

Marlene Hughes served as Secretary, Mid-East Penn Correspondent to the "Freedom Valley Dancer" and the Sunshine Committee.
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Marion Dugan co-chaired the Membership Committee and looked after the "Squares and Rounds" magazine circulation.

Charlotte Goerlich co-edited the District's "Student Newsletter" and reported on Delaware Valley Federation meetings.

Roy \& Marion Goerlich represented the Mid-East Penn District at the Pennsylvania State Federation meetings and reported on them.

Frank \& Terry Kaiss chaired the District's busy Education Committee, and the Property and Showcase of Ideas Committees.

Ed \& Marilyn Linkiewicz co-chaired the "Student Newsletter".

Ruth McLay co-chaired the Membership Committee.

Jack McFadden \& Marion McKinney chaired the Insurance Committee.

Aaron Silverstein was the "Squares and Rounds" Business Manager, solicited articles for the magazine and chaired the Dance to Benefit the Friends of the Handicapped for 20 years.

Kathy Falter put up with me!

## FEDERATION HOTLINE 1-800-892-8828



## DANCING WEEKENDS

## CROSSTRAIL TRAVELERS

5/2-4 - Dancing/Camping Weekend
Camp Swarta
Bethel, PA
Caller, Burl Lally
Cuers, Bob \& Gloria Reaser
5/16-18 - Members Attending The
PA State Camporee
Centre Hall, PA
Various Callers and Cuers
6/6-8 - Dancing/Camping Weekend
Schlegel's Grove
Campground
Bechtelsville, PA
Caller, Burl Lally
Cuers, Bob \& Gloria Reaser

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ROVIN' SQUARES
5/16-18 - Members Attending The PA State Camporee Centre Hall, PA Various Callers and Cuers
6/20-22 - Dancing/Camping Weekend Holly Acres Egg Harbor, NJ
YELLOW ROCKERS
5/16-18 - Members Attending The PA State Camporee Centre Hall, PA Various Callers and Cuers
6/20-22 - Dancing/Camping Weekend Don Laine Campground Trachsville, PA Caller and Cuer, Ted Knauss


SPECIAL EVENTS
APPALACHIAN EXPRESSIONS
5/10 - Garden State Stomp Mount Holly, NJ
BACHELOR'S 'N' BACHELORETTES
5/11 - Square and Line Dancing
5/31-10th Annual All Nighter Beach Bash
Dewey Fire Hall Hellertown, PA
6/22 - Strawberry Shortcake Sunday BUCKAROOS
5/9 - Honor Mother's Dance
5/23 - Grand Parade Dance
6/13 - Flag Day Dance
6/27-All Request Square and Round Dance
CROSSTRAIL TRAVELERS
5/6 - Class Graduation
DIXIE DERBYS'
5/2 - Plus 2+2 Dance with Star Tip
5/10 - Mainstream Dance with Class Level Tip
5/16 - Plus 2+2 Dance with Special Tip 5/30 - Patriotic Dance

Plus 2+2 Dance with Special Tip
6/6 - Plus 2+2 Dance with Star Tip
$6 / 14$ - Hosting the Mid-East Penn Summer Dance Church on the Mall Plymouth Meeting, PA
6/20 - Special Ticket Dance Plus 2+2 Dance with Star Tip Heilman Hall Bryn Athyn, PA
EDGE HILL SQUARES
5/10 - Blossom Time
$5 / 24$ - Red, White and Blue Dance
6/14 - Covered Dish Dinner Dance
LEISURE SQUARES
5/3- Welcome Spring
5/17 - Ice Cream Social
LIBERTY STARS
5/3 - Plus D.B.D. Dance
5/17 - Advance-2 Dance
6/7 - Plus D.B.D. Dance
6/21 - Advance-2 Dance
MELODY LAKES BELLES \& BEAUS
5/6 - Mayflower Dance
6/17 - Strawberry Festival
PERKY PROMENADERS
5/7-Graduation Dance
5/21 - Flowers in Bloom
5/31 - Special Saturday Dance
6/4 - Strawberry Shortcake
6/18 - Wedding Pictures

## QUAKER EIGHTS

5/10 - May Day Dance, Covered Dish Dinner and Election of Officers
SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES
5/18 - Banner Dance
$6 / 15$ - Father's Day Strawberry Social
STARDUSTERS
6/14-Rebel Yell
TUMBLEWEEDS
5/20 - Mother's Day Dance and Celebration of May Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries
6/17 - Father's Day Dance and Celebration of June Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries

## GUEST CALLERS/CUERS

## BACHELOR'S 'N' BACHELORETTES

5/11 - Jim Snyder (S)
5/25 - Dalt Young (S)
Gloria Reaser (R)
5/31 - Jim Snyder (S)

Bruce Williamson (S)
Ted \& Elaine Novak (R)
Russ Booz (R)
$6 / 8$ - Ted Knauss (S)
Mary McGee (R)
6/22 - Jim Snyder (S)
Steve Bradt (R)
BUCKAROOS
5/9 - Bob Engle (S) Peg Dockry (R)
5/23 - Georgeb Polk (S) Lil Armstrong (R)
6/13 - Bob Clark (S)
Peg Dockry (R)
6/27 - Ralph Stapenell (S)
Gloria Reaser (R)
DIXIE DERBYS'
5/2 - Glenn Mathew (S)
Pete \& Mary McGee (R)
5/10 - Bob Clark (S)
5/16-Glenn Matthew (S)
Pete \& Mary McGee (R)
5/30 - Glenn Matthew (S)
Pete \& Mary McGee (R)
6/6-Glenn Matthew (S)
Pete \& Mary McGee (R)
6/14 - Glenn Matthew (S)
Lil Armstrong (R)
6/20 - Tom Miller (S)
Pete \& Mary McGee (R)
EDGE HILL SQUARES
5/10 - Ralph Stapenell (S)
Peg Dockry (R)
5/24 - Joe Bradshaw (S)
Peg Dockry (R)
6/14 - Pete Classetti (S)
Peg Dockry (R)
MELODY LAKES BELLES \& BEAUS
5/6-Jim Snyder (S)
Frank Fertsch (R)
5/20 - Dalt Young (S)
Frank Fertsch (R)
6/3 - Jim Snyder (S)
Frank Fertsch (R)
6/17 - Dalt Young (S) Frank Fertsch (R)
PERKY PROMENADERS
5/7-Burl Lally (S) Joe \& Peg Dockry (R)
5/21 - Bob Clark (S) Joe \& Peg Dockry (R)
5/31 - Joe Landi (S) Gloria Reaser (R)
6/4-Burl Lally (S)
Joe \& Peg Dockry (R)
6/18 - Jim Snyder (S)

Joe \& Peg Dockry (R)
QUAKER EIGHTS
5/10 - Hank Lutcher (S) Lii Armstrong (R)
ROUND DANCE PARTIES
$5 / 3$ - Ron \& Ree Rumble (R)
6/7 - Pete \& Mary McGee (R) Ron \& Ree Rumble (R)
SAUCON SQUARES \& ROUNDS
5/2 - Ted Knauss (S)
Steve Bradt (R)
5/9-Ted Knauss (S)
Mary McGee (R)
5/16 - Dalt Young (S)
Steve Bradt (R)
5/30 - Ted Knauss (S) Al Spinks (R)
6/6 - Ted Knauss (S) Elaine Novak (R)
6/13 - Ralph Stapenell (S) Mary McGee (R)
6/20 - Dalt Young (S) Steve Bradt (R)
6/27-Ted Knauss (S) Elaine Novak (R)
SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES
5/18-Bob Clark (S)
6/15 - Dan Prosser (S) Linda Prosser (R)

## SIMPLY SQUARES

5/4 - Larry Kanniard (S)
5/18 - Ralph Stapenell (S)
6/1 - John Sweeney (S)

## STARDUSTERS

$5 / 2$ - Bob Clark (S) Jane Styer (R)
5/17-Jim Snyder (S) Bob Reaser (R)
6/14 - Greg Jones (S) Jim Snyder (S) Matt Worley (S) Bob \& Gloria Reaser (R)


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APPALACHIAN EXPRESSIONS: Our beginner dancers are doing very well. They are working on beginning level dances and are also getting into some intermediate dances. They have also joined the regular dances in our last two performances. Our regular club dancers are also learning new dances. The group will be traveling to Mount Holly, NJ on May 10 for the Garden State Stomp.

Our group dances every Sunday afternoon from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. at the Bethlehem Volunteer Fireman's Home Association on North New Street in Bethlehem, PA. Beginner Classes are held from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. followed by a Workshop or Dance from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Come out and join in the fun and get some invigorating exercise while you are at it!

For more information on any of our activities, please contact Josie Fye at (610) 253-0538.

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BACHELOR'S ‘N’ BACHELORETTES: On May 11, we will be dancing to the great calling of Jim Snyder. This dance will feature square dancing and line dancing. All class level dancers are invited to this dance. Then on May 25, we will be hosting a very entertaining caller, Dalt Young and a great cuer, Gloria Reaser.

Would you like to try something a little different in square dancing? Then come on out and dance the night away with us on May 31 at our 10th Annual All Nighter entitled "Beach Bash" at Dewey Fire House on 502 Durham Street in Hellertown, PA from 8:00 p.m. to $3: 30$ a.m. Callers featured will be Jim Snyder and Bruce Williams and cuers will be Elaine Novak and Russ Booz. Everyone always enjoys the food that is served at our picnic at 11:30 p.m. and all the other little surprises that we have planned during the evening. After we wrap up the dancing at 3:30 a.m., we end the
night with a great breakfast at the Breakfast Nook on 1180 Main Street in Hellertown, PA. If you are coming from out of town we can provide you with motel information. For more information about our Beach Bash see our ad on page 19 of this issue.

On June 8, we will be dancing to the fantastic calling of Ted Knauss and the wonderful cueing of Mary McGee.

On June 22, we will be holding our Strawberry Shortcake Sunday with caller, Jim Snyder and cuer, Steve Bradt. Come on out and help us eat some of our great strawberry shortcake!

A-1 Workshops are held each Sunday from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. and D.B.D. Workshops are held on the first, third and fifth Sundays of each month.

See you on the dance floor!


BUCKAROOS: As we enjoy the pleasant spring weather and move into summer, we welcome you to join us as we celebrate our special dances.

On May 9, we will be hosting guest caller, Bob Engle and cuer, Peg Dockry as we celebrate with our Honor Mothers' Dance. Each lady attending this dance will receive a flower in honor of the occasion. Please do join us in the fun.

On May 23, we will be celebrating with our Grand Parade Dance. Calling squares for this dance will be George Polk along with cuer, Lil Armstrong. We hope to see you there for a great night of fun dancing.

On June 13, we will be honoring our country with our Flag Dance. Our caller will be Bob Clark and our cuer will be Peg Dockry. Be sure to wear your patri-

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## Mark Your Calendars

October 17, 1887 ANNE UEBELACKER
Plus Dance W/Star Tip - 2 Callers Anne Uebelacker \& Glenn Matthew

Rounds - Linda Prosser

October 18, 1997 ANNE UEBELACKER
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otic colors and join us for a great evening of dancing.

On June 27, we will be holding our All Request Square and Round Dance. Ralph Stapenell will be calling squares and Gloria Reaser will be cueing rounds. This will be a great chance for you to dance to some of your favorite dances. At our dances on May 23 and June 13, we will have request forms on which you can make your special requests.

Unless there is an exception, which will be announced, we continue to dance every second and fourth Friday of the month. Dances are held at St. Paul's Church on Shetland and Palomino Drives in Warrington, PA. Pre-rounds are held from 7:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. followed by squares from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m.

Just a reminder. We dance all summer long in an air conditioned hall.

We invite you to join us for some or all of our dances. See you on the dance floor!

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BUCKINGHAM DANCERS: We willing be holding dances on May 11, May 25, June 8, and June 22 with caller Ralph Stapenell.

We dance on the second and fourth Sundays of the month. Workshops are held from 7:00 to 7:30 p.m. followed by a dance from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Workshop material is also included in the dance that evening.

For more information on any of our dances or activities, please call (215) 794-8180.

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CROSSTRAIL TRAVELERS: Following our demonstration at the RV Show in King of Prussia, we received numerous requests for class information. As a
result, a new class was started on Monday nights from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. at the Augustus Lutheran Church on 7th Avenue and Main Street in Trappe, PA (enter from Main Street). This class will continue throughout the summer. The cost is $\$ 4.00$ per person and the instructor is Burl Lally. For more information, please contact Hugh \& Nancy Miller at (610) 275-1790 or Don \& Sally House at (610) 222-0358.

A Graduation Dance for our current class, which is one full square, will be held on May 6.

The last regularly scheduled dance held was our April Showers Dance which was held on April 18. However, our new camping season began on April 4-6 at Warwick Woods Campground in St. Peters, PA.

Our camping schedule is as follows: Our campout on May 2-4 will be held at Camp Swarta in Bethel, PA; the on May 16-18, we will be camping at the Pennsylvania State Camporee in Centre Hall, PA. On June 6-8, our campout will take place at Schlegels Grove Campground in Bechtelsville, PA followed by our campout on June 15-17 at the National Camporee in Sussex County, NJ (NSDCA members only). On August 13, we will be camping at Beechwood Campground in Coatesville, PA; then on September 12-14, our campout will be held at Birchview Campground in Coatesville, PA. The last campout for the season will be held on October 3-5 at White Oak Campground in Quarryville, PA.

Dances are held on Saturday nights during the camping weekend from 8:00 to $10: 30$ p.m. Dances are $2 \times 2$ format, squares and rounds. With the exception of the National Camporee, these dances are open to all camping and non-camping members. Those not camping will be charged a fee for the dance. The caller for these dances is Burl Lally and the cuers are Bob \& Gloria Reaser.

For more information, please contact Wagonmasters, Burl \& Pam Lally at (717) 394-1749, Walt \& Priscilla May at (610) 326-4985, or Donna Davey at (610) 3235888.

Caller, Burl Lally will be holding Plus Workshops at the East Norriton Park

Pavilion from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. on Thursday nights beginning on June 5 and continuing through August. For more information, please call Burl \& Pam Lally at (717) 394-1749.

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DIXIE DERBYS': We started a second square dance class in January. The class that started in September and this new class will be offered as mainstream lessons followed by plus lessons. In addition, Plus Workshops will be held during July and August at the Maple Village Recreation Hall (formerly the Orange Home). For more information regarding the Plus Workshops, please contact Glenn Matthew at (215) 884-4927.

Our Mainstream Dance being held on May 10 at Lehman Methodist Church will include tips for students that started lessons in January. Bob Clark will be calling this dance. The Mainstream Dance being held in June will be combined with the Mid-East Penn Summer Dance scheduled for June 14 at the Church on the Mall in Plymouth Meet-
ing, PA. We will be hosting this dance and Glenn Matthew will be calling squares along with Lil Armstrong cueing rounds. This is a great opportunity for recent square and round dance graduates, and experienced dancers, to enjoy an evening of great dancing in an air conditioned hall. Our Mainstream Dances in July and August will be held at Heilman Hall in Bryn Athyn, PA which is also air conditioned. For information regarding our Mainstream Dances, please contact Bruno Langewouters at (215) 646-5617.

Glenn Matthew will be calling squares along with Pete \& Mary McGee cueing rounds at our three Plus Dances in May. The Plus Dance on May 2 will be held at the Upper Moreland Middle School, the Plus Dance on May 16 will be held at Round Meadow Elementary School, and the Plus Dance on May 30 will be held at Upper Moreland Middle School. Come out and wear your patriotic square dance attire for our Patriotic Dance on May 30. Our Plus Dance on June 6 will

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be our last dance held at the Upper Moreland Middle School. Glenn Matthew will be calling squares at this dance along with Pete \& Mary McGee cueing rounds. On June 20 and during the months of July and August, we will be dancing at Heilman Hall in Bryn Athyn, PA which is air conditioned. For more information regarding our Plus Dances, please contact Dorothy Smith at (215) 343-1142.

If you would like to join us and dance to the great calling of Tom Miller on June 20, get your tickets early! This special ticket dance will be held at Heilman Hall in Bryn Athyn, PA with Pete \& Mary McGee cueing rounds. Heilman Hall is air conditioned with a wooden floor but is restricted to 20 squares. Tickets are $\$ 5.00$ per person before June 13 and $\$ 6.00$ per person at the door. You may call or write for tickets. Please see our ad on page 5 of this issue for more details.

During July and August, we will be offering Easy Level Plus dancing from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. prior to each Friday night Plus Dance. Calls will be workshopped when needed. This will give new plus dancers an opportunity to dance and enjoy the atmosphere of a club dance. Check our flyers and future articles in this publication for more details.


EASTONAIRES: All of our summer dancers have been welcomed back from the sunny south, putting new life back into our dances. It's nice to see these friends again. We also welcome our class members as new club members.

We will be holding dances on May 5,

May 12, May 19, June 2, June 9, June 16, June 23, and June 30.

Our club dances Plus Level and Quarterly Selections every Monday evening beginning at 8:00 p.m. at the First Methodist Church on 34 S . Second Street in Easton, PA with Dalt Young as our club caller.
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EDGE HILL SQUARES: Expect a blooming good time at our Blossom Dance on May 10 with Ralph Stapenell calling squares and Peg Dockry cueing rounds.

Our dance on May 24 will honor the Red, White and Blue with Joe Bradshaw calling squares and Peg Dockry cueing rounds.

Our traditional Covered Dish Dinner and Dance will be held on June 14 with Pete Classetti calling squares and Peg Dockry cueing rounds. We provide the ham and all else, and you bring your favorite covered dish, including salads, a vegetable or a dessert. Also please bring eating and serving utensils. A sign up chart will be at all club dances or call 379-8839. Hors d'oeuvres will be served at 6:00 p.m. followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. Square dancing will begin at 8:30 p.m. as usual if you can not attend the dinner. Reservations are needed for table seatings, so please call early. All are welcome!

Workshops are continuing to be held on Monday nights beginning at 7:30 p.m. with DBD, APD, GFT, etc. Workshops are instructed by caller, George Polk.

We looking forward to seeing everyone at one or all of our dances!
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GUYS AND DOLLS: Regular club dances will be held on May 5, May 12, June 2, June 9, and June 23.

For more information on any of our club activities, please contact Joe \& Peg Dockry at (908) 995-2133.

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LEHIGH VALLEY CLOGGERS: We are starting to line up shows for the summer months. As of now, we will be dancing at the Blue Mountain Gas and Steam Engine Show on May 17 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., at the Kutztown Pennsylvania German Festival in Kutztown, PA on July 6, at Easton Heritage Days in Easton,

PA at 2:25 p.m. on July 13, at the Sussex Horse and Farm Show in Augusta, NJ at 2:00 p.m. on August 2, at the Magic of Alexandria Balloon Festival on August 3, at the Musikfest on August 11, and finally, at the Jackson Fair in Bangar, PA at 12:30 p.m. on October 19.

We have nine new members ready to join us as soon as they get their outfits and about nine more are working on their steps. Three of these new members are six years old and the other one is 80 years old! Our 80 -year-old is now wintering in Florida and he says he is practicing three times a week.

We will be dancing at the Unitarian Univerlistic Church on 424 Center Street in Bethlehem, PA on Sundays, May 4, 11, 18 and 25, and June 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29. Beginner Children (ages 6-12) start at 1:30 p.m., Beginner Teens and Adults start at 2:30 p.m., and Intermediate Classes start at 3:30 p.m.

We will be dancing at the Belvidere High School in Room 12 on Oxford Avenue in Belvidere, NJ on Tuesdays, May $6,13,20$ and 27. Beginner Children (ages 6-12) start at 6:30 p.m., Beginner Teens and Adults start at 7:30 p.m., and Intermediate Classes start at 8:30 p.m.

Our group is available to dance at your special event. For more information, please contact Mary at (908) 735CLOG or (610) 435-2172.

LEISURE SQUARES: We dance on the first and third Saturday of the month (October through May) beginning at 8:00 p.m. at the J.M. Hill School on East Broad Street in East Stroudsburg, PA.

We will be welcoming spring at our Welcome Spring Dance on May 3.

Our last dance of the season will be our Ice Cream Social on May 17. Come on out and enjoy some chilling ice cream and a great night of dancing.

Sorry, no more dances will be held until October. See you then!

For more information on any of our dances, please contact Barbara Young at (610) 838-0651.

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LIBERTY STARS: I find it difficult to understand why more dancers won't try dancing with our club. We are not twoheaded monsters or in the business of being critical of your dancing skills. We

dance for the enjoyment it brings to all of us. Our aim is just to have a good time.

We are a small club of just 27 members, so you will not have to be overwhelmed by "all of those dancers."

During 1997, we have been dancing Plus DBD on the first Saturday of the month and Advance 2 on the third Saturday of the month. All of our regular dances are held in an air conditioned facility at St. Paul's Methodist Church on Palomino and Shetland Drives in Warrington, PA. Our dances start at 7:45 p.m. and end at $10: 15$ p.m. There is a Plus DBD Workshop held at the dance on the first Saturday of the month beginning at $7: 15 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Callers in 1997, include Roy Leber, Mark Franks, Mike Callahan, Tim Marriner, Steve Kopman, and Howard Richman.

For directions and other information about our club dances and activities, please contact Ed Armon at (215) 7227663.


MELODY LAKES BELLES \& BEAUS:
On May 6, Jim Snyder will be calling for us along with cuer, Frank Fertsch at our Mayflower Dance.

On May 20, we will be holding a regular club dance with Dalt Young calling squares and Frank Fertsch cueing rounds.

Workshops for the month of May will be held on the 13th and 27th with instructor, Jim Snyder.

On June 3, we will be holding a regular club dance with Jim Snyder calling squares and Frank Fertsch cueing rounds.

Come on out and enjoy some deli-
cious strawberries with us at our Strawberry Social on June 17. Dalt Young will be calling squares along with Frank Fertsch cueing rounds.

Workshops for the month of June will be held on the 10th and 24th with instructor, Jim Snyder.

We hope to see everyone at our May and June dances. See you on the dance floor!
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PERKY PROMENADERS: On a cool Friday in early January, five of our couples traveled to both the Herford and Marlborough Elementary Schools in Upper Perkiomen where Dalt Young called a demonstration square dance for two wonderful groups of fourth graders. They then received four weeks of lessons from their teachers. On February 7 , we returned when all of the fourth graders from both schools ( 35 squares wow!) danced to Dalt in the Marlborough Elementary School gym. Besides our demonstration tips, we all joined in the squares with the youngsters. Many parents showed up to watch their kids dancing so that parking was a little bit of a problem. Dalt kept it lively for the kids with a few line dances, including the Electric Slide, the Chicken, and the Macarena. The kids would still be dancing the Macarena if Dalt hadn't cut that eternally long playing record a little short.

On May 7, we will be holding our Graduation Dance for our new graduates with instructor, Burl Lally calling squares for the evening. New graduates from all clubs are welcome to attend and the dancing level will be geared strictly for them. New graduates are necessary to keep square dancing clubs perky, so why not come out to show your support to all of the new graduates.

On May 17, we will be sponsoring a day trip to Cape May, NJ with the choice of a ride on the sightseeing trolley or a trip on the ocean for a whale watch. This will be a very enjoyable day for everyone in the cool, seashore air.

We will be bursting forth with flowers for our Flowers in Bloom Dance on May 21 with Bob Clark calling the squares for the evening.

Our dance on May 31 will be a spe-

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## WHERE TO DANCE

A - Advanced APD - All Position Dancing EB - Extended Basics MS Mainstream QS - Quarterly Selections (Experimental) PL - Plus R-Rounds CL - Clogging


cial dance night. Joe Landi will be calling squares along with Gloria Reaser cueing rounds. No special tickets are needed, just come out and join us for a fun filled evening of dancing.

The dance on June 4 will surely be one to look forward to. Strawberry shortcake will be on the menu during breaktime at this dance. So come on out and join us for the dance and you won't miss out on all those delicious strawberries. Burl Lally will be calling squares at this dance.

Starting on June 5, we will be holding "Perk Up Your Plus" Workshops at the East Norriton Park Pavilion. It will help new dancers get up to speed, but it is also a great refresher for anyone who want to review their plus level dancing skills. As in previous years, Burl Lally will be calling these workshops. They will be held every Thursday evening from 7:30 to $9: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. during the months of June, July and August. For more information, please contact Hugh \& Nancy Miller at (610) 275-1790.

On June 18, Jim Snyder will be back with us again along with cuer, Peg Dockry. The theme for this dance will be Wedding Pictures. All couples are requested to bring their wedding pictures, if they can still find them.

The cuers for all of our dances are Joe \& Peg Dockry, who will be more than happy to accommodate you with requests.

We are an active club that participates in banner stealing. We are planning to visit many clubs during 1997. We dance at the Church on the Mall in Plymouth Meeting, PA on the first and third Wednesday of the month from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m. Please join us for a great evening of dancing!

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QUAKER EIGHTS: We cancelled our dance on March 29 because it was so ciose to Easter and everyone likes to spend time with their families during the holidays.

We danced to the great calling of Joe Bradshaw and the wonderful cueing of Lil Armstrong at our April Showers Dance on April 26. This was held in competition with the Federation's Wildwood Weekend, but we still had a good turnout and everyone enjoyed themselves at the dance.

## SIMPIY SQUARES

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For our last dance of the season, we will be celebrating with a May Day Dance on May 10. At this dance, we will also be holding a covered dish dinner and election of officers. Recording artist, Hank Lutcher of North Central Pennsylvania will be calling squares for this dance along with cuer, Lil Armstrong. Lil has a great variety of round dances that will please everyone in attendance.

We took a vote among our dancers and decided to cancel our dances on May 24 and May 31. We believe that Memorial Dance Weekend starts people traveling, attending weddings and graduations, camping, going on big out-of-town festivals and conventions, and also creates the "too hot to dance syndrome."

Our new dancing season will begin on September 13 with "Mr. Smooth," Bob Clark calling squares. Elaine Novak will be cueing the rounds of your choice for you during this dance. We expect a big year with great callers and cuers next season.

We dance at Quakertown Elementary School on 7th and Park Avenues in Quakertown, PA. Pre-rounds begin at 7:30 p.m. followed by $2 \times 2$ dances from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m. For more information, please call (215) 257-3829.

We hope to see everyone on the dance floor!

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ROUND DANCE PARTIES: On May 3, we will be dancing to cuers, Ron \& Ree Rumble followed by cuers, Pete \& Mary McGee and Ron \& Ree Rumble on June 7.

This is the place that you can try out all of the new class dances that you have recently learned. Come on out and bring
your dance partner for a great night of dancing. Program your dances for the evening from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m. See you on the dance floor!

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ROVIN' SQUARES: Camping and square dancing go together like a horse and carriage, so you can do both at our square dance campouts.

Our camping schedule is as follows: The campout on May $16-18$ will be held at the Pennsylvania State Camporee in Centre Hall, PA. Members of the NSDCA are eligible to attend. Our campout on June 20-22 will be held at Holly Acres in Egg Harbor, NJ followed by another campout at Holly Acres on July 18-20. On August 15-17, we will be camping at Appalachian Campground in Shartesville, PA; then on September 12-14, our campout will be held at Colonial Woods Campground in Upper Black Eddy, PA. Our final campout for the season will be held on October 17-19 at White Oaks Campground in Quarryville, PA.

If you want to be happy and have lots of fun at the same time, look into becoming a member of our club. Call Tom \& Geri Kilgallon at (215) 659-2443 or Bob \& Toby Miller at (610) 272-2997. Don't' take chances, become a winner and join our club!

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## SAUCON SQUARES AND ROUNDS:

Time flies when you're having fun and that is exactly what we have been doing at our club!

We had a wonderful New Year's Eve Party along with the Lehigh Valley Bachelor's ' $n$ ' Bachelorettes and the Eastonaires. Everyone who attended this gala event had a fun time and a great evening of dancing.

During January, our club visited the Quaker Eights and retrieved our banner. We also held an Ice Cream Social in January, where everyone enjoyed a chilling evening.

In February, we held our Sweetheart Dance for Valentine's Day and in March, we held our St. Patrick's Dance. A great time was had by all who attended these two special dances.

We have a great list of callers lined up for the months of May and June. The are as follows: On May 2, we will be dancing
to the melodic sounds of caller, Ted Knauss and cuer, Steve Bradt followed again by caller, Ted Knauss and cuer, Mary McGee on May 9. On May 16, we will be dancing to the great sounds of caller, Dalt Young and cuer, Steve Bradt. No dance is scheduled for May 23. On May 30, caller, Ted Knauss will be joining us along with cuer, Al Spinks. On June 6, caller, Ted Knauss will be back with us again along with cuer, Elaine Novak. On June 13, Ralph Stapenell will be entertaining us on squares and Mary McGee will be cueing rounds. Then on June 20, we will be delighted by the calling of Dalt Young and the cueing of Steve Bradt. Finally, on June 27, caller, Ted Knauss will be calling for us along with cuer, Elaine Novak.

Come on out and join us at 134 E . Broad Street in Bethlehem, PA. We dance every Friday evening from 8:00 to $10: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. with pre-rounds beginning at $7: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. We hope to see everyone for a great evening of fun!


SCHUYLKILL PROMENADES: Our Banner Dance on May 18 will feature Bob Clark calling squares with line dances instead of rounds. Come on out and visit us and steal our banner!

On June 15, make plans to join us for our Father's Day Strawberry Social. At this dance, strawberries (of course) will be featured for dessert. Dan Prosser will be calling squares at this dance along with his wife, Linda cueing rounds.

Remember, our hall is air conditioned. So join us for a cool evening of dancing during those hot summer months. We offer great fun and feelowship to everyone who attends our dances.

[^0]SIMPLY SQUARES: We are a come-when-you-can casual dance club for experienced plus level dancers wanting a night of all squares with little time off between tips. There are no rounds at our dances. Our callers provide eight or more tips in two hours, which gives us an energetic but early evening.

We look forward to hosting caller, Larry Kannaird on May 4 followed by caller, Ralph Stapenell on May 18. Then on June 1, we will be hosting caller, John Sweeney.

Mark your calendars and come when you can! We meet at the Wayne Senior Center Building on 108 Station Road in Wayne, PA (near the Septa Station) from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. on the first and third Sundays of the month. Dancing starts promptly at 7:30 p.m., so early arrival is advised. The cost is $\$ 3.50$ per person and you can dress as simply as you please.

If square dancing is your passion, don't miss these great opportunities! Please call (610) 964-8857 for more information or directions to our dance hall. We hope to see everyone of the dance floor!

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STARDUSTERS (BERKS CO.): On May 2, Bob Clark will be entertaining us on squares along with the great cueing of Jane Styer. Then on May 17, we will be hosting caller, Jim Snyder and cuer, Bob Reaser.

We are looking forward to our special dance entitled "Rebel Yell" on June 14. Our dance last year with caller, Greg Jones of Raleigh, NC was a huge success so we decided to bring him back again for this year's dance. Along with Greg Jones, we will have another guest caller, Matt Worley of Virginia Beach, VA as well as our very own local caller, Jim Snyder of Harleysville, PA. Another plus this year is that the dance will be held in an air conditioned facility at Berks Career and Technology Center (Vo-Tech West) near Berks Helm in Reading, PA. Featured as cuers for this dance are Bob \& Gloria Reaser of Reading, PA. Prerounds will begin at 7:30 p.m. and plus dancing will begin at 7:45 p.m. See our ad on the back cover of this issue for more details. For more information,
please call (610) 562-8010.
We don't dance during the summer months, so enjoy your summer and we will see you again on October.

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TUMBLEWEEDS: On May 20, we will be holding a Mother's Day Dance where we will also celebrate all of the birthdays and wedding anniversaries that fall in the month of May.

On June 17, we will be holding a Father's Day Dance and celebrating all of the birthdays and wedding anniversaries that fall in the month of June.

On the first, second, fourth and fifth Tuesdays of the month, we hold a Mainstream and Plus Workshop from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m.; and the third Tuesday of the month is set aside for a special dance and the celebration of that month's birthdays and wedding anniversaries. Beginner Classes are held every Tuesday evening from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

All of our club dances, workshops and classes are held at the Salem United Church of Christ on 186 E. Court Street in Doylestown, PA. Our club caller is Helen Greatsinger.

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YELLOW ROCKERS: It was nice to be out camping and dancing with friends again after our cold winter. The committee did a wonderful job organizing our First Campout on April 18-20 at Beechwood Campground. Our caller, Ted Knauss was also the cuer and coun-try-western line dance instructor during the weekend. We certainly kept him busy and vise versa.

On May 16-18, we will be attending the Pennsylvania State Camporee in Centre Hall, PA. We all look forward to seeing friends from different clubs and dancing to the many callers and cuers entertaining the dancers during the weekend.

On June 20-22, Don Laine Campground in Trachsville, PA is our destination. This campground is one of our favorite places to be. It has a great dance floor, friendly people and a swimming pool. Ted Knauss will be our caller and cuer for this weekend.

If you love to square dance and camp at the same time, join us for one of our
weekends, For more information about our camping weekends, please call Charlie \& Pat Watters at (610) 398-2743. See you on the dance floor or at one of our weekends!


## THE CITY OF ORLANDO TOUR

The City of Orlando tour is a half-day tour of our host city for the 46th National Convention to be held on June 25-28, 1997 in Orlando, FL. The tour will be offered twice a day starting on June 23 and continuing daily through the morning of June 28. The tour will be an entertaining and informative history lesson about the city known as the "Tourist Capital of the World."

Orlando is a young community, 137 years old, first settled in the early 1840's. The first residents were Army volunteers who remained after the Seminole Wars. The city has 91 beautiful lakes located within its city limits. We will visit some of the lakes on the tour and also show you some of the more beautiful homes, both new and old. You will see various architectural styles including Spanish, British, New England, Mid-Western, German, Scottish and Mission style.

On our way around town, we will pass various sports venues such as the Citrus Bowl, the Orlando O-rena, and the Tinker Stadium where you will hear the intriguing story of Orlando's own Joe Tinker. There are also a number of sports stars living in our area. Perhaps, if we are lucky, we will catch a glimpse of golfers Arnold Palmer, Gary Player, Nick Faldo or TigerWoods, or Orlando's Magic team members Penny Hardaway, Dennis Scott, Horace Grant, Nick Anderson

and more.
We plan to stop by Church Street Station in Orlando's historic downtown entertainment complex featuring Rosie O'Grady's Good-Time Emporium, Phineas Phogg's, Apple Annie's Courtyard, the Orchid Garden Ballroom, and the Cheyenne Salon and Opera House. You will have time to shop, sneak off for a bite to eat, or join in on an old fashioned sing-a-long with Rosie O'Grady's Banjo Man.

On the way back to the Orange County Convention Center, we will take you a bit more about the Central Florida community. There is so much to tell, we can't quite decide what to omit or what to leave in, but rest assured, you will hear many interesting facts about this wonderful area we call home.

## IN MEMORIAM <br> HAROLD KEYSER <br> February 7, 1997

We are sorry to say that Harold Keyser, a longtime, faithful member of the Melody Lakes Belles and Beaus passed away suddenly from a massive heart attack on February 7, 1997. He will be sadly missed by all of our members and his many friends. We express our sincere sympathy to Harold's wife, Anne, and their family.

## SQUARE DANCE THE INTERNET

by Bob Williams

There are a number of internet sites that may be of interest to square dancers. Do you know about them?

Two sites that dancers should know about are as follows:

The first internet site is for the New

Jersey Square and Round Dance Convention. The address is: hitp://members. aol.com/njsquare/njconv.htm. For more information, Marion Pearce can be reached by E-Mail at mfpearce@juno. com.

The second internet site is for the 46th National Square and Round Dance Convention to be held in Orlando, FL in June of 1997. They have a site at http:// user05.blue.aol.com/nsdc46th. There are other internet sites for future National Conventions, but enough for now.

If you would like more internet sites listed in future issues of "Squares and Rounds" or if you have an internet site that you would like listed, please contact me by E-Mail at blkgrd@ aol.com or blkgrd@juno.com.

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## A GREAT COMPLIMENT

What is one of the nicest compliments that a caller and/or cuer can receive from a dancer?

It is when a dancer comes to them privately after a dance and tells them, "We are never going to dance to you again!" (pause) "Because we never got a chance to visit the refreshment table all evening!"

If the pause is just right, the compliment really hits home and both of you will get a good laugh our of it.

## TRANSPORTATION AT THE 46TH NATIONAL

For those of you coming to Orlando, FL on June 25-28, 1997 to attend the

46th National Convention, many questions arise concerning transportation. A short synopsis of what we have planned for you, (and certainly have been planning for quite some time now), might answer some of your questions.

## BUS TRANSPORTATION

First, YES, we are providing some of the finest buses to take you to your hotels, motels and campgrounds; and YES, we would recommend that you purchase a bus pass. But, do it early and save yourself some money.

All dancing, meetings and convention activities will be held in the Orange County Convention Center. Buses to all hotels and motels will be running on 30 minute intervals. All campground services by our buses will also be running on a regular schedule.

Almost all of the hotels and motels are within four miles of the Orange County Convention Center. This allows us excellent turn around time when we are
experiencing peak periods and can add additional buses to the line. We are very fortunate to have been able to contract with the leading bus company in Orlando who maintain a fleet of over 90 buses that will be available to the 46 th National Convention.

All bus routes will be set up on a color coded basis with signs at bus loading areas as well as in the hotel and motel lobbies. At the private campgrounds, dancers can wait in air conditioned clubhouses for bus pickup.

We will begin running a FREE bus to the Convention Center at 12:00 noon on June 25. This will accommodate anyone coming to the Convention Center to pick up their registration packets and if they have not already done so, to purchase a bus pass. Thereafter, bus transportation will require a proper identification badge.

Starting on June 26, buses will begin running at 7:00 a.m. and will run until 12:00 midnight or until the last person leaves the afterparties. We certainly hope

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May 10.
"Blossom Time" Caller, Ralph Stapenell • Cuer, Peg Dockry

May 24 $\qquad$ "Red, White \& Blue Dance" Caller, Joe Bradshaw • Cuer, Peg Dockry

June 14 ."Covered Dish Dinner Dance" Caller, Pete Classetti • Cuer, Peg Dockry

Make reservations for June 14th Dance. Bring a covered dish. Hors d'oeuvres at 6:00 p.m. Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Dance at 8:30 p.m. All welcome!

Beginner's Classes and Plus Workshops
Mondays at 7:30 p.m. with Caller, George Polk
this will ease the transportation worries that some dancers may have about attending a National Convention. Remember, the city of Orlando is used to transporting large crowds -- they do it every day!

## PARKING YOUR CAR

If you are planning to drive you car to the 46th National Convention rest assured that there will be plenty of parking spaces available. The Orange County Convention Center parking lot is immense and even has a shuttle service so you don't have to walk across the parking lot. In the event that the Ornage County Convention Center parking lot fills up, an overflow parking lot is located across the street and a huge parking garage is located just six blocks away. There are also additional off-site parking areas available.

There will be a $\$ 6.00$ parking fee charged per day for all parking lots. Shuttle bus service to and from the Orange County Convention Center will be provided free from all sites. If you should decide to leave the parking lot and return in the same day, you must pay an additional $\$ 6.00$ fee. However, the City of Orlando I-Ride bus system will be available for trips up and down International Drive.

For those dancers utilizing the parking facilities, each person in your car will receive a FREE I-Ride buss pass good for that day. The I-Ride is a bus system that traverses International Drive from Sea World to Wet ' $n$ Wild; a nine mile stretch lined with fine restaurants and fast food establishments, plenty of shopping centers and outlets, and numerous entertainment facilities to enjoy. There are 45 bus stops along International Drive with service from 7:00 a.m. until 12:00 midnight every 10 minutes with a stop directly in front of the Orange County Convention Center. However, the I-Ride does not go to any hotels or motels so should not be considered as a substitute for a bus pass. For those dancers not using the parking facilities and still wish to use the I-Ride, bus passes can be purchased at the I-Ride Booth set up in the registration area at the

Orange County Convention Center as well as in hotel and motel lobbies.

## DO YOU KNOW?

In your dance location, do you know where the fire extinguisher is located? Do you know where the fire alarm is located? Do you know where the first-aid kit is located? Does someone in your club know how to perform CPR? Does someone in your club know the area's emergency telephone numbers? Does someone in your club know where the nearest telephone is located? Is a doctor, nurse, paramedic or qualified red cross member a member of your club where you dance?

These are all very important questions that members of your club should know the answer to. All dancers should be aware of the important information, especially your club officers. Though the need may never arise - YOUR CLUB SHOULD BE PREPARED!

FRIENDS OF THE HANDICAPPED CARNIVAL

by Aaron Silverstein

The Friends of the Handicapped is making plans for their Second Annual Carnival to be held from Wednesday to Saturday, August 6-9, 1997. It will again be held on the grounds of the Pennridge Senior High School on Fifth and Blooming Glen Road in Perkasie, PA.

The work has now begun to get the Second Annual Carnival underway, and we are hoping that all of our square and
round dance friends will again volunteer their hours again this year to help us make this very worthwhile cause a great success. Hours of the Carnival will be: Wednesday through Friday from 6:00 to 11:00 p.m., and Saturday from 4:00 to 11:00 p.m.

For everyone's enjoyment at the carnival, there will be plenty of food, games and rides, a petting zoo, fireworks, clowns, pony rides, a dunk tank, an ID program, nightly entertainment and free parking.

Come one - come all! Please help the Friends of the Handicapped help others! Contact Aaron Silverstein at (215) 699-0471 or drop a line to 307 S . Fifth Street, North Wales, PA 19454-3001.

## KITCHEN MAGIC

"Kitchen Magic From Florida," containing over 700 favorite recipes of Florida dancers, went on sale at the Florida

State Convention. Cookbook Directors, Paul \& Marie McClain and their committee are to be commended for all of the hard work which went into gathering the recipes, and transcribing and compiling them into an attractive which all square dancers will want to have in their kitchens.

To obtain your copy of "Kitchen Magic From Florida," check the appropriate box on your registration form or contact Pee Wee \& Mary Stewart, 150 Charles Street, Edgewater, FL 32141 or call them at (904) 345-3911.


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## WHERE DO WE SEND OUR CHANGES?

To be assured that you will receive your copy of "Squares and Rounds" magazine, any changes of address must be forwarded to: Marion Dugan, 1188 Montgomery Avenue, Schwenksville, PA 19472-2514; (610) 489-1859.

If you club has any changes in copy for "Squares and Rounds" magazine or if the address of the person who will receive the form for copy has changed, please forward the new information to: Aaron Silverstein, 307 S. Fifth Street, North Wales, PA 19454-3001; (215) 6990471.

## AFTER ROUND DANCE GRADUATION - WHAT NEXT?

With our crisp round dance basics diploma clutched in our hot little hands, we seldom question, "Where do we go from here?". We are well aware of the round dance steps that lie beyond and so we follow the crowd up the ladder, never asking, "Why?".

The average basic round dance course never equips the dancer to step into a highly experienced intermediate round dance club. It took more years than I would like to say for this fact to penetrate my consciousness. Now we provide a further "intermediate round dance workshop" to channel the new graduate into our intermediate groups, rather like a plus workshop that follows a square dance class graduation. Not once have I heard a basic round dance graduate say, "I'm not interested in intermediate round dancing."

What round dance teacher would not want to see in his or her students an avid interest in advancement? I know that I am pleased when new round dancers desire to continue learning new steps. However, before advancing on to higher levels, we need to take an honest look at the round dance course we have just finished. Did we enjoy the course? Did the "heated discussion" level rise? Are we simply following our
friends? Do we really want to devote additional time, energy and concentration to taking another course? Actually, it is not hearsay to say, "We are happiest dancing easy rounds."

If round dancing is not longer fun for you, if there is no sense of achievement, if we no longer agree, it is time to find our happy place in round dancing. There are many ways to put together the square and round dance package. The best combination for you are the levels that provide the most enjoyment of your recreation, those two final phrases indicating quite plainly "of or relating to you or yourself or yourselves" and "a means of refreshment or diversion". Does that describe your feelings about round dancing? I hope so.

## VOLUNTEERS, GOD BLESS THEM!

May we be shocked to find When the day of judgement nears
That there's a special place in heaven Set aside for volunteers,
Furnished with big recliners, Satin couches and footstools,
Where there's no committee chairmen, No group leader or car pools, No eager team that needs a coach, No bazaar and no bake sale.
There will be nothing to staple, Not one thing to fold or mail. Telephone lists will be outlawed, But a finger snap will bring Cool drinks and gourment dinners And treats fit for a king.
You ask, "Who'll serve these priveleged few,

And work for all they're worth?
Why, all those who reaped the benefits And not once volunteered on Earth.

- Anonymous
(The Northeast Square Dancer)



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