

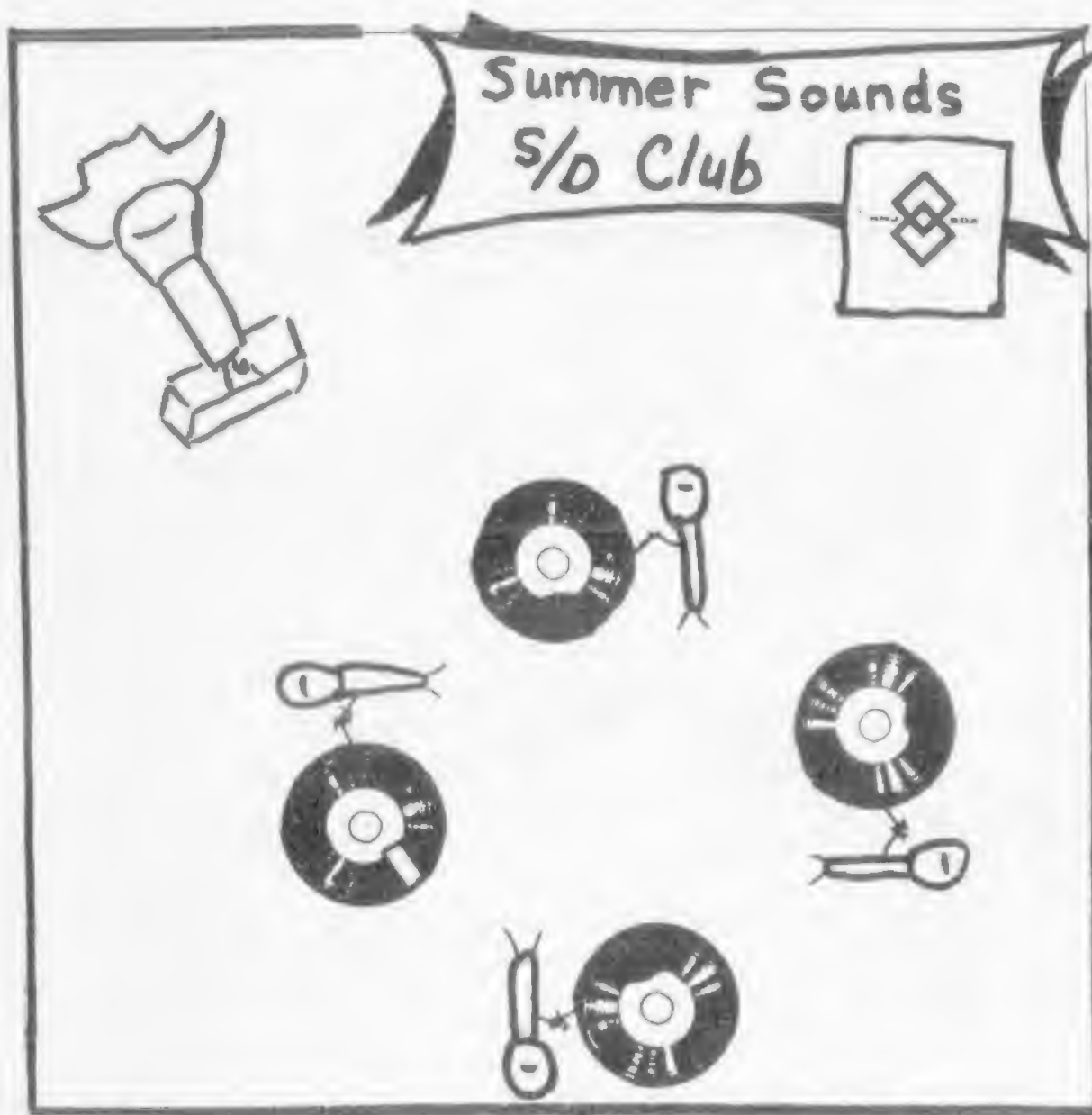
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*Happy Dancing
from the Staff.....*

SUMMER DANCE SCHEDULE

Reserve these dates

June 23	- Vin Caruso	- Brooklawn Jr. H.S., Parsippany
June 30	- Glenn Cooke	- Garden State Plaza, Paramus
July 21	- Al Aderente	- Garden State Plaza, Paramus
July 28	- Hal Holmes	- Brooklawn Jr. H.S., Parsippany
August 4	- Beulah Samec	- Hayloft, Asbury Park
August 11	- Bruce Vertun	- Brooklawn Jr. H.S., Parsippany
August 18	- Chip Hendrickson	- Garden State Plaza, Paramus
August 25	- Manny Amor	- Garden State Plaza, Paramus

8 - 10:30 p.m. all rounds cued by NNJR/D leaders

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from the desk of

LYLE and ENDA HOPPER, presidents

Our year as Presidents of your Association is rapidly drawing to a close. We are happy to see so many graduates ready to carry on the wonderful world of square dancing. Always remember the courtesies and attire that make square dancing so enjoyable - dresses for women and long-sleeved shirts for men.

Many adults have complained about dancing with pre-teens. While we feel it is good for them to enjoy our favorite passtime, we do believe they should dance at their home club unless specifically invited to other clubs and then remain in their own squares.

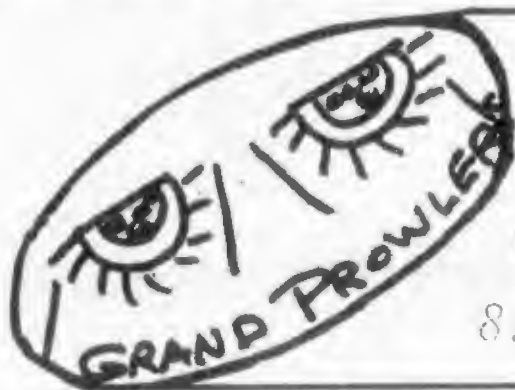
We have made many new friends this year. There were a few minor problems which we hope were solved to the satisfaction of those involved. Other than the many miles driven, we have enjoyed every minute of it. We thank all the club officers, members and callers for their hospitality. We also thank the Executive board for their help and cooperation in making this year a very pleasant one for your presidents. Our very best to your new officers and committees.

May God bless all of you.

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CALI-HOES SQUARE DANCE CLUB -- Asbury Park, N.J.

2 & 4 Thursday

Hayloft, 901 First Avenue

The time of Spring has come to stay awhile, and, if you do not believe it, why don't you hie on down to the Hayloft to see the birds and bees & butterflies and things created by our talented Edie and Bill Hartenstein aided by the Bill Camerons, Al Larsons, and Jim Tanners. This group has worked long and hard and came up with a perfect Open House bash designed to lure unsuspecting folk into the wonderful world of square dancing.

We were all delighted that our Keleighs, Roy and Sylvia, were able to take a much needed vacation southwards. Before going, they hosted a buffet-dance for the March of Dimes. This is a side of the Keleighs about which not too many are aware. Roy's generosity with teaching is legend, but the forays into nursing homes to entertain, help for Retarded Children and other charities are quietly performed.

Charlie Kides came up from Trenton to call for our St. Patrick's party, and on April 4th a happy, fun group from Y Squares bussed down to share Al Brundage with us. Co-chairing this were Jean & Lloyd Goldsberry and the Don Whitts. That gleam in president Tony Osage's eye is not for me, his taw, alas, but for the graduates matriculating into the Cali-Hoes. He envisions not only new friends, but committee chairmen, office holders, etc.

As we go to press (and doesn't that sound sharp!) we are awaiting callers Al Ogilvie, Ed Fraidenburg, Paul Andrews, Buzz Chapman, and, on Nov. 4 (whee!!) that Great Britain Ron Vizzard. Meanwhile, have a happy summer! Drive carefully, tan sensibly and keep dancing at our air-conditioned Hayloft.

Reporter - Muriel Osage 201-741-4665



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COUNTRY PROMENADERS -- Cranford, N.J.

2 & 4 Saturdays

Methodist Church, Walnut & Lincoln Streets

Promenade to the Country Promenaders and help us close out the season on May 22 with Beulah Samec calling. We will be looking forward to welcome our guests. We want to take this opportunity to thank the many dancers who visited us this year and helped make our season a success.

Have a pleasant summer. Hope to see you in the fall.

reporters - Al & Mini Roth 212-IN9-4153

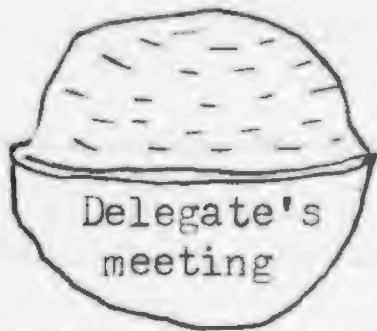
CLOVERLEAFS -- Paramus, N.J.

1 Friday

Bergen Mall Auditorium

There was a good turnout for our general meeting in May; we all enjoyed dancing to Manny Amor. Deuce Williams from Michigan will be calling for us on June 4 - mark it on your calendar for a night of good dancing. There will be a special on Wednesday, July 7 with Curley Custer from Hagerstown, Maryland - come join us for some fine dancing. See you in a square.

Reporter - Teddy Kamerling 201-773-8914



In a nutshell.....

NNJSDA

April 18, 1971

".....absent at roll call were Hi Taws, Hix & Chix, Mountain Squares, Rutgers Promenaders, Staten Square Set, Tenakill Twirlers, Campers

and the two associate clubs.....summer dance schedules handed out for distribution by delegates to clubs.....attendance at 7 summer dances will entitle the new graduate to becoming a FREELOADER.....Callers Carnival set for October 30, 1971 with 2 halls at Maywood....NNJSDA planning ahead 5th Friday/ Saturdays belong to NNJSDA first- all clubs should clear any specials thru Clearance first.....GRAND SQUARE will list dates three years in advance.....Sept. 30, 1972 and March 31, 1973 set for Association...27 clubs had classes with 545 graduates.....145 received 100% pins.....all graduates admitted to one NNJSDA summer dance free..... scrapbook of publicity releases put together by Braly's was displayed for all to see....a reminder to keep publicity flowing.....National S/D week September 19-25 - Governor will proclaim the week again....clubs asked to plan demonstrations, articles, etc.....publicize the week to let out our well kept secret of western square dancing.....See Saw Squares application announced.....Westwood Wheelers application received..... auditor is Les Davis....Cornwall S/D club is having trouble getting a group.....a concentrated effort will be made in the fall to get a class going back in that area....delegates are reminded to pass along their delegates badges to their successor.....please wear the badges at all dances.....insurance policies of several kinds were discussed....a full report will be given in the fall....Cross Trail Squares presented with a mini banner for club banner.....problems of callers having to cancel out at last minute were discussed.....slate as presented by nominating committee unanimously accepted by delegates....Lyle & Edna reported they've visited 26 clubs so far, travelled 1441 miles....disappointed when folks look at their badge and say..."What Club is that? We've never seen it before?".....wonder what happened to their delegates badge????biggest thrill was in securing the proclamations.....found some clubs in difficulties and pleased that some clubs came to them with problems and solutions could be found.....suggest a joint sponsorship of classes by clubs in areas....recommend constitutional changes of adding a president elect, more on duties of clubs and delegates, and a possible increase in number of beginner sessions.....thinks teachers should stress the ETIQUETTE of square dancing more - especially proper dressenjoyed making new friends and thank all for their hospitality.....plan to move to California next fall.....Phyllis reporting for George who was in Brussels(lucky dog!) said they were honored to^{be} selected as presidents and hope to have clubs participate more actively thru their delegates next year.....plan wider committee activities and that delegates should do more and improve the feed back to clubs....more club involvement makes for a stronger NNJ SDA....clubs will be involved more in beginner class areas, constitution changes, leadership clinics, broader publicity.....refreshments were served by Warren Wheelers, Sussex Spinners and Tenafly Squares..... questionnaires distributed to all clubs concerning info for GRAND SQUAREnext deadline August 24.....in tabulating the rosters of clubs Lyle has listed approximately 1500 couples and 75 singles in membership."



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2 & 4 Wednesdays

Washington School, Central Avenue

Graduation behind them, we are blessed with a group of eager new dancers who are enjoying it tremendously. They are reaping the benefit of all the agonies and hard work they endured during classes. Congratulations to all and to Bruce Vertun for another fine job well done, both at classes and at our dances. Our Kerry Stutzman Dance was so successful that we wasted no time in inviting him back to our club in November.

Get your calendars marked now for our Jerry Schatzer dance May 26. He should provide everyone with an evening of fun and top flight dancing. May 12 was fun nite here when the Amateur Callers held forth and let the dancers, other than their spouses, enjoy their talents! Delicious proof of square dancers' cooking is scheduled for May 16, about the time you may be reading Grand Square.

This has been a banner year for our club. We graduated our biggest class so far! We became members of the Association! We made marvelous new friends and kept some wonderful old ones! We elected new officers for the first time! Yes, we charter members are finally getting our new replacements, except for Gene & Stu Blaine, our VP's. We can only wish our new officers as much enjoyment, success and cooperation as we have had from all the members of the Association. Thank you all very much. Please keep coming to our club - round dancers are most welcome too, because we have the excellent services of Dot & Bill Keller for rounds. Have a very happy, healthy and safe summer everyone.

reporter - Eric & Maureen Pollock 201-223-0414

TARRY SQUARES

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May 21--John Hendron	June 11--Jerry Schatzer
May 28--Jerry Schatzer	June 18--Bob Brundage
June 4--Chip Hendrickson	

GARDEN STATE SQUARE DANCE CAMPERS

All dancing-campers get out your rigs and get set to join us this summer. We will be dancing and camping the second weekend of June, July, August and September. Our first weekend will be June 11-13 at Cherry Ridge, Honesdale, Pa. with Bruce Vertun calling. Our second weekend will be July 9-11 at Campgrounds of Swan Lake, Swan Lake, N.Y. with Al Aderente at the mike. Our third weekend will be August 13-15 at Silver Valley Camp sites, Brodheadsville, Pa. with Glenn Cooke calling. Our fourth and last campout of the year will be September 10-12 at Albocondo Campgrounds, Toms River, N.J. with Jack Shoffner at the mike. On all weekends, rounds will be cued by the Longs or Tirrells.

Interested in joining us? Contact us at 84 Oakland Avenue, Mount Vernon, N.Y. 10552.

See you around the SQUARE CAMPFIRE!

reporters - Marilyn & Martin Graber



DANCING SQUARES -- Cranford, N.J.

1 & 3 Saturday

Bloomington Avenue School

We were honored to have NNJSDA Presidents Lyle & Edna Hopper as our guests in March. Our graduation dance was fun. Have you ever seen, "Oh, Them Bones" done professionally? Well Bob & Addie Byrnes, Dick & Janet Davis, Herb & Gloria Gold and Jim & Vi Cameron dances this superbly and got a great ovation. Remember how nervous you were at your first dance? Our graduates were no exception to this feeling, but they did just great and showed how well Bob Kellogg had taught them. We had the added pleasure of the Braly's as representatives of the NNJSDA.

Thru the generosity of the Byrnes, Poesselts, Roesels, Selmecys and the Noels, we had a grand give-a-way to end the evening. We were happy the Braly's came away with a gift to remember our dance and club.

Our Paul Andrews Special was a toe tapping affair. We want to thank all the guests and members who made it so. Bob & Jean Kellogg cued the rounds in their usual excellent style and the rounders flowed gracefully. Our members pinned the Country Promenaders banner and we are proud of their efforts in visiting and dancing with other clubs. We want to thank everyone who has participated in this years "pinning".

We wish you all a healthy dancing summer. May your square dance hours be filled with the pleasure of dancing and talking with old friends and the zest of meeting and enjoying new friends.

reporters - Joe & Hattie Noel 201-536-2374

GRAND PROWLERS -- Whippany, N.J.

1 & 3 Saturdays

Memorial School, Highland Avenue

Red Correll gave us a good dance in April coming up with some entertaining figures. It has been fun dancing with recent graduates and the club extended a hearty welcome. Everyone danced free at our May 1 dance.

Don't forget the Grand Prowlers dates with Jim Cargill on May 29 and Jim Marshall June 5. As a reminder the "catch-Up" dances will continue along with the club dances.

A pleasant summer to you all. We hope you will all come back again in September to start another year with us.

reporters - Helen & Roy Erickson 201-766-2736

HANOVER SQUARES -- Whippany, N.J.

2 & 4 Fridays

Salem Drive School

Our TENTH Anniversary-Reunion dance was a great success with 18 squares in attendance. We thank all those who came and celebrated with us. We look forward to seeing you in the fall if we don't see you at the NNJSDA summer dances. Have a pleasant and active summer.

reporters - Pete & Ginny Haakmeester 201-627-5844

<p>WED. EVENINGS</p> <p>RIDGEWOOD Y</p> <p>ANNOUNCES</p> <p>BASICS CLASSES</p> <p>WED. EVENINGS</p>	
<p>⊙ ROUNDS</p> <p>Basic Rounds</p> <p>start on September 15th</p> <p>for additional info contact</p> <p>Janet Stein or George Alberts</p> <p>201-387-0016</p>	<p>⊙ SQUARES</p> <p>Basic Squares</p> <p>start on September 15th</p> <p>for additional info contact</p> <p>Emil & Jane Carazo</p> <p>at the Y - 201-444-5600</p> <p>at home - 201-261-0911</p>



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Tom Leiblein
Jack Leonard

SPRING FUN WEEKEND
June 25, 26, 27

Ken Anderson

4th OF JULY WEEKEND
July 2, 3, 4

Al Brundage

DoPaso WEEKEND
July 9, 10, 11

Chuck Stinchcomb

DANCE-a- LOT WEEKEND
July 16, 17, 18

Jack Lasry

DANCE 'N PLAY WEEKEND
July 23, 24, 25

Jerry Salisbury

CAMPOREE WEEKEND
July 30, 31, Aug 1

Dick Jones

KICK-a-POO WEEKEND
August 6, 7, 8

Curley Custer

ROUND 'N SQUARE WEEKEND
August 13, 14, 15

Ed & Ann Bodine
Jim Cargill

HASH-IT-UP WEEKEND
August 20, 21, 22

Dave Hass

DANCE-a-TUTE WEEKEND
August 27, 28, 29

Jack May

LABOR DAY WEEKEND
Sept. 3, 4, 5, 6

Al Brundage
Red Bates

SQUARE THRU WEEKEND
Sept. 10, 11, 12

Manny Amor

② ROUNDS at all weekends by
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for further information - write:
AL BRUNDAGE, Chestnut Lake Campground
Old New York Rd., Port Republic, NJ 08241

HI TAW TWIRLERS -- Pearl River, N.Y.

1,2,3,5 Tuesday; 4 Wednesday

Franklin Avenue School

Congratulations to all the graduates! Our class of 20 graduated April 1st! And that's no joke. May 11th was graduates nite at Hi Taws. Our mystery bus ride, under the Pullman's guidance really kept us guessing??? 'Twas wild and wooley, as usual. SPECIAL - June 8 - BOB WICKERS - Dance of the year! Save the date. June 15th will be our dinner dance - a covered dish supper with extras supplied by the club. Dick Jones calling - Contact the Browns for info.

April 20 - Amateur Caller's night...10 squares enjoyed the calling of 7 adults - pauline green, bill gieseler, barbara brown, jack wadlow, ed shearwood, edna maddocks, bill swengros & 3 young men - edward maddocks, paul mollica & ken patterson. Al Brundage had better watch out!

reporters - Warren & Barbara Brown 201-391-4385

Hi TAW		TWIRLERS
MAY 26... AL BRUNDAGE		JUNE 15... DINNER DANCE DICK JONES
JUNE 1... HAL HOLMES		JUNE 23... AL BRUNDAGE
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BOUNDS CUED BY ED & LES SHEARWOOD...		DANCES AT THE PEARL RIVER FRANKLIN AVE SCHOOL ...

HIX & CHIX -- Paramus, N.J.

every Thursday

Farview Avenue Fire House

Well, once again graduation has come and gone, and we want to extend our congratulations to all the new dancers. Don't forget to mark your calendar so you won't forget - we dance ALL SUMMER. Note however, the SECOND THURSDAY is for advanced dancers to work on the new and more complicated figures than new dancers may be able to handle.

Plans are being finalized for a gala picnic to be held June 27 - SUN.- at Penner's Lake (which is right here in the vicinity). We will have organized games and sporting events for those who wish to participate. Our selection of Ben Cavallaro for picnic chairman assures everyone of a good time; so keep the date open.

Our thanks to Charley and Barb Chamberlain (past VP's) for filling in for Carl & Lillian Hansen (newly elected) while they are away. We'd be lost without you on Monday and Thursday.

We'll be looking for you Friday May 28 when Buzz Chapman from Mass. calls for us at the Mall. reporter - Elly Tout 201-WE9-4191

IRONIA REELERS -- Ironia, N.J.

1 & 3 Fridays

Elementary School, Dover-Chester Road

Congratulations to our newly elected officers, presidents Bud & Bernice Lawson; VP's Jim & Lois Drake; Treasurers Paul & Ann Boos; secretaries Bob & Lee Knauer; and hospitality John & Laura Schoebel. We'll miss the Corbishleys, our past presidents; they did a wonderful job last year.

Our new beginners class graduated in March. Many thanks to our teacher Wilson Hoff for a job well done; this new group of 10 couples is the best class ever. April 2nd was the Reelers TENTH ANNIVERSARY Dance....chaired by our very special historians Jeff & Dickie Delchamps and by our charter members the Dave Mannins and the Frank Drabs. Thanks go to our charter members Russ & Cindy Deats who travelled from Mass. just to attend. Over 12 squares enjoyed dancing to Vin Caruso who also celebrated his TENTH anniversary year calling for the Reelers. Eleven potted plants (from the Drab nurseries) were given as door prizes for our lucky dancers.

Something new has been added - Walt & Grace Pennie are now cueing our rounds. Please come to enjoy them as much as we do.

May 21st is our CALICO BALL. Dick Leger will again call. Come and help make our dance as successful as it was last year. We dance in the gym that night so we can accommodate our oversize crowd.

Another dance has been added to our books - JUNE 18 (3rd Friday) with Al Aderente calling. Be sure to mark this in your date book and enjoy our final fling of the season.

reporters - Frank & Evelyn Adolf 201-584-7880

ISLE SQUARES -- Oakwood Heights, Staten Island, N.Y.
2 & 4 Wednesdays Community Church, 345 Guyon Avenue

We are at "home" again in the Community Church. Everyone seemed to find us alright in our temporary quarters. The attendance was excellent. So glad Lyle & Edna Hopper, NNJSDA presidents, could join us one of our nights. Our St. Patrick's Day dance was a tremendous success under the supervision of Doris & Marty Clifford. A special thanks to the Kirchmyers, Sullivans, Terranovas, Hazel Phillips and Babs Stephenson who worked on the committee to make this a great dance. May we take this opportunity to also extend our heartiest congratulations and a warm welcome to all new graduates.

The Lairds are in Florida where they are dancing with many of our friends who have retired there. Glad they could go, but we miss them.

Tickets are progressing well for our dinner dance on June 26th. It will be a "fun" night, so join us if you can. Tickets may be secured from Flo & Joe Mallon at 351-9501.

As this is the last writing of the season, may we extend a special thanks to Glenn Cooke, club caller, and also to Bruce Vertun and Al Adrente for many enjoyable hours of dancing. Also to Lee & Ray Kirchmyer who extend to us a great selection of enjoyable rounds.

Isle Squares has had a very good year with your help, you wonderful people. Keep dancing and have a good summer.

reporters - Lou & Doris Cella 212-356-1407



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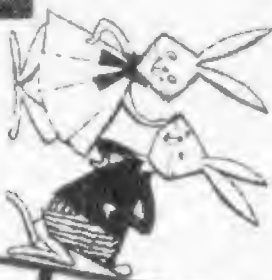
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1 & 3 Saturdays M.T. SQUARES -- Woodbridge, N.J.
School #19, Menlo Terrace

The club is very, very pleased with its 1971 graduates -- excellent additions to the dancing pleasure of our group. We are indebted to Ed & Carmen Skarl for the guidance that they provided for these many weeks, and to instructors Barney & Virginia Hartenstein for their exceptional talent and expertise.

March and April brought delightful dancing, the highlight was our annual Turkey Swamp affair. Square dancing may bring us together but eating really cements the relationship. And so it was all throughout the season. Not that we have a corner on the activity. We hear from Minnesota, where our friends the Paffendorfs recently migrated, that the after-dance ritual is even harder on one's diet. They say----"Without a doubt square dancers travel on their stomachs---always full."

Not to be outdone, we've scheduled an Hawaiian Luau for May 1st, traditional Mother's Day celebration on May 15th, Party Night on June 5th and a super Dinner Dance winds up the season on June 19th. That's not all, we'll have fun nights all summer. We plan to regularly attend the Association Wednesday night dances -- hope to meet and make friends with other clubs' dancers there.

reporters - Harriette and Sol Koved 201-276-7213

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1 & 3 Friday MERRI-EIGHTS -- East Brunswick, N.J.
Irwin School, Racetrack Road

Our Graduation Dance, which was free to all graduates, was such a tremendous success that it was impossible to count how many squares of dancers we had present as were unable to accommodate all simultaneously. The red carpet was duly rolled out for 23 graduates, most of whom joined up.

It is with regret that we have to announce the resignation of our presidents, Bob & Julie Cook, in April. Your humble reporters are endeavoring to replace them until the end of this season.

Our workshops commenced at Central School, Cranbury Road on April 12 and will continue each Monday evening from 8 - 10 until May 24 with Beulah Samec as our own instructor/caller. Our 13th annual dinner dance at the Polish National Home in South River is a complete sell-out. Due to an enthusiastic committee and much advertising, the reservations rolled in very quickly. Happily we have a waiting list in case of cancellations.

We will be dancing to Beulah at the Middlesex County Fair, Cranbury Rd. East Brunswick on Friday, August 6th from 9:30 to 11 PM. At this annual event we usually recruit would be dancers for our forthcoming classes. Please come and join us and help to put on a good show. We'd love to have you. (Don't forget Square Dance Week is September 19-25, 1971, too!)

reporters - Dave & Kathie Mulraney 201-257-5983

MOUNTAIN SQUARES -- Parsippany, N.J.

1 & 3 Wednesdays

Brooklawn Jr. High School, Rt. 202

We've had a busy year! Our St. Patricks Dance was the luck of the Irish! We had 12 squares out, it was certainly nice to see so many new graduates out and dancing so well. Dick called a terrific dance; both Cross Trail and Hanover pinned our banner; the Hoppers, the NNJSDA presidents, as well as two vp's also came, the Braleys and Cowans. At other dances the Loseys Mooneys and Knoblochs attended - it is nice to say that all of the officers have danced with us this year. When you read this, our second special - the Carl Hanks dance - will be behind us. We were delighted he could make a return trip and hope to see him back here next year.


Sussex Spinners pinned our banner in February - we know it is not easy to get 8 or more couple to visit, so we appreciate all the efforts all the clubs went to who pinned our banner this year. We were able to pin Cross Trails banners and missed the chance at Somerset Hills by one couple, but we'll be back next year! A few more trips are planned for this year.

Sorry to report Don Graupner has not been able to dance due to a skiing accident. It has been a pleasure having Dick call for us - June 16th is our last dance. We are pleased that Dick has agreed to be our caller next year. We thank all of those who have supported us and helped bring our dancing floor from 3 squares to 12 in March. Results like this make all the work worthwhile - many thanks. A BIG THANK YOU again to the Kellers for the great job they did for us as our Round Dance leaders.

While saying thanks I do want to add a note to the Howletts our area reporters for the great job they did for GRAND SQUARE and of course the Tirrell's and all others who helped publish and distribute this great magazine - what would we do without it? Our thanks to all!

When you dance at the NNJSDA Summer dances at Brooklawn Jr. High, just continue coming those first and third Wednesdays in the fall - for that is the home of Mountain Squares and we welcome all!

Hope you will continue to give us your support by attending our remaining dances and that you will come back next year - have a happy summer.
reporters - Jean & Earl LaRoche 201-387-2507

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2 & 4 Fridays

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By the time this comes out we will have demonstrated -- square dance style -- in downtown Princeton's Nassau St. It's a May Day celebration with folk and ballet dancing and other performing and dramatic arts. Glenn Cooke, who will be calling this demonstration dance, is also guest calling a dance April 23rd. This is a preview of sorts for us because we will be welcoming Glenn as our regular caller next fall. Come dance with us - all ages welcome.

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2 & 4 Saturdays

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On May 2 our class of 64 had their prom with Jerry Salisbury calling. The festivities began with a lavish buffet supper arranged for by Margie Haser and Bert Lockwood. On May 8th presidents Bud & Jinny Allison presented the diplomas to the graduates at our regular club dance with Jerry again calling. Our last dance of the season will be May 22 with Lee Kopman calling. Doc Tirrell will be cueing the rounds. We look forward to having all our new dancers with us that evening.

With the cooperation of the weatherman and a hardworking committee headed by the Brandts, our Feb. 27 Festival was a huge success. We were hosts to 20 squares in the afternoon and 39 in the evening dancing to the calling of Lee Kopman and Keith Gulley. This was our first such venture, but it won't be our last. The judges had a difficult time choosing the winners at our Easter Hat dance in April. Gloria Brandt was awarded the prize for the prettiest; Dot Lutz for the funniest; and Adolph Piet-schann the most original. Kip Garvey of Shrewsbury, Mass. called for us April 24th and Doc did his usual fine job cueing the rounds. It was another fun-filled evening we will long remember.

Instructors Bud & Jinny will hold workshops every Sunday evening all summer from 8 - 10 PM beginning May 15th at the Ramapo Mountain Lakes Country Club, Hiawatha Ave., Oakland. Everyone is welcome. Have a good summer and we'll be with you in the fall.

reporters - Dot & John Lutz 201-839-4555

TENAFLY SQUARES -- Tenafly, N.J.

2 Friday

Presbyterian Church, Magnolia Avenue

At our March dance, St. Patrick's Day, many of the area square dance students were guests of the club. The 14 exuberant squares just about filled the hall, and made it a most memorable event. On account of the Easter holy days, we danced April 30th, but are now back to regular plans for May and June. reporters - George & Laura Sohmer 201-567-1415

RICHMOND DANCERS -- Mariners Harbor, Staten Island, N.Y.
2 & 4 Saturdays Christ Methodist Church, 1890 Forest Avenue

A special welcome to our '71 graduates who have been dancing with us for over six weeks. Our last dance of this season will be called by Al Aderente on May 22. Incidentally next fall we will be moving to a new location. Watch for the announcements of where we will be meeting. Bruce Vertun will be calling our first dance in September on the 25th which is always preceded by our annual DESSERT at 7:30 pm. Visitors are always welcome.

Our pot luck dinner with Janet Siringano as chairman was extra special. Our club has been quite fortunate in having the Bichlers as presidents for these past two years. A whooping thanks to them for all the time and energy they have given us. May they enjoy their well deserved rest. Have a happy summer. reporters - Dick & Carol Rufener 212-273-1571

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Our graduation dance was lots of fun for all. We ask all who are in square dancing for "FUN" to keep on visiting us. We never forget that we all were graduates at some time. On May 1 & 2 we had our spring weekend in the Catskills and 4 plus squares enjoyed plenty of fun square dancing, good food, swimming and square dance fellowship. Now, we are looking forward to our annual dinner dance to wind up our season. This dance we'll hold again at All Saints Episcopal Church in Bergenfield on June 9th. Contact Bertha Sneider 201-664-6439 or Catherine Suessmann 201-664-5445 for information and reservations. Our club extends to all - wishes for a safe, happy and enjoyable summer with good fun square dancing whenever you can get out. Catherine & Bill Suessmann - reporters



SUMMER SOUNDS

Sol & Harriette Koved; 1st VP, elect

Many clubs have the spirited momentum to plan vacation time activity. We sincerely believe that the summer is an ideal time to dance and dance.

We have come to this conclusion based on personal experience. Many years ago we decided to indulge our penchant for travel by "Seeing America First". This resolve, coupled with the foresight to pack a set of s/d outfits, led to many a happy adventure. It seems that in most sections of our country there is a considerable amount of s/d activity during the warm months.

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from Don & Jo Braly (3rd VP's)
We want to praise those many clubs who have publicity chairmen and who supply their local papers with news and get reporters to write articles usually with many pictures. This is what spreads the word to non-dancers and promotes an interest in our favorite hobby. Our final plea, PLEASE send copies of your releases to the new Publicity VP for our ever growing scrapbook (Mooneys 44 Sagamore Trail, Sparta, NJ 07871). Thanks.

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Summer Sounds



MAY

- 21- Ironia Reelers - CALICO BALL with Dick Leger
- 26- Jerry Schatzer at Cross Trail Squares
- 28- Hix & Chix - Buzz Chapman
- 29- Grand Prowlers - Jim Cargill

JUNE

- 8- Hi Taws - Bob Wickers
- 11-13 - Garden State Campers weekend
- 12- Merri-Eights Dinner Dance
- 13- Swingin' Stars Picnic at Camp Bernie
- 18- Ironia Reelers - Al Aderente
- 22- Sussex Spinners - Sparta - Bruce Vertun (see ad p.17)
- 23- NNJSDA - VIN CARUSO at BROOKLAWN JR. HIGH in Parsippany, NJ
- 24- Hix & Chix in Paramus
- 26- Isle Squares Dinner Dance with Glenn Cooke
- 27- Hix & Chix picnic at Penner's Lake, NJ
- 29- Sussex Spinners (see ad p.17)
- 30- NNJSDA - GLENN COOKE at GARDEN STATE PLAZA, Paramus, NJ

JULY

- 1- Hix & Chix at Farview Avenue Firehouse, Paramus, NJ
- 6- Sussex Spinners at Sparta, NJ - Bruce Vertun (see ad p.17)
- 7- Cloverleaves - Curley Custer at Bergen Mall, Paramus
- 8- Hix & Chix - Advanced workshops at usual place
- 9- Y Squares - South Bound Brook Reformed Church, NJ (see ad p.14)
- 9-11- Garden State Campers weekend
- 12- Petruska Park, Paramus, NJ - Bob Gray (see ad p.12)
- 14- Swingin' Stars - Kerry Stutzman
- 15- Hix & Chix (see July 1)
- 19- Petruska Park - (see July 12)
- 20- Sussex Spinners - (see July 6)
- 21- NNJSDA - AL ADERENTE at GARDEN STATE PLAZA, Paramus, NJ
- 22- Hix & Chix (see July 1)
- 23- Y Squares (see ad p.14)
- 26- Petruska Park, Paramus (see July 12)
- 27- Sussex Spinners (see July 6)
- 28- NNJSDA- HAL HOLMES at BROOKLAWN JR. HIGH in PARSIPPANY, NJ
- 29- Hix & Chix (see July 1)
- 30- South River, NJ (see ad on page 15)
- 30- Staten Square Set - dinner dance and installation of officers

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JUNE

- Thurs. 3 Dick Jones
- Sat. 5 Jim Cargill
- 12 Eddy Vieria
- 19 Paul Andrews
- 26 Jerry Haag

JULY

- Tues. 6 Beryl Main
- Sat. 10 Buzz Chapman
- 17 Beulah Samec and Roy



AUGUST

- 7 Carl Hanks
- 14 Ed Fraidenberg
- 21 Glenn Cooke

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AUGUST

- 2- Petruska Park, Paramus, NJ - Bob Gray (see ad p. 12)
- 3- Sussex Spinners, Sparta, NJ with Bruce Vertun (see ad p. 17)
- 4- NNJSDA - BEULAH SAMEC at HAYLOFT, ASBURY PARK, NJ
- 5- Hix & Chix at Farview Avenue Firehouse, Paramus, NJ with Jim Flammer
- 6- Y Squares at South Bound Brook Reformed Church with Bob Kellogg
- 6- Merri-Eights at Middlesex County Fair in East Brunswick, NJ
- 9- Petruska Park, Paramus (see August 2)
- 10- Sussex Spinners (see August 3)
- 11- NNJSDA - BRUCE VERTUN at BROOKLAWN JR. HIGH in Parsippany, NJ
- 12- Hix & Chix Advanced workshop
- 13- South River, NJ (see ad p. 15)
- 13-15 - Garden State Campers weekend
- 14- Cali-Hoes - Ed Fraidenburg in Asbury Park, NJ
- 16- Petruska Park, Paramus, NJ (see August 2)
- 17- Sussex Spinners - see August 3)
- 18- NNJSDA - CHIP HENDRICKSON at GARDEN STATE PLAZA, Paramus, NJ
- 19- Hix & Chix (see August 5)
- 20- Y Squares at South Bound Brook (see ad p. 14)
- 23- Petruska Park, Paramus, NJ (see August 2)
- 24- Sussex Spinners (see August 3)
- 25- NNJSDA- MANNY AMOR at GARDEN STATE PLAZA, PARAMUS, NJ
- 26- Hix & Chix (see August 5)
- 27- South River, NJ (see ad p. 15)
- 30- Petruska Park, Paramus, NJ (See August 2)

SEPTEMBER

- 2- Hix & Chix - Farview Avenue Firehouse, Paramus, NJ with Jim Flammer
- 9- Hix & Chix - advanced workshop
- 10-12 - Garden State Campers weekend
- 11- Swingin' Stars - Kerry Stutzman



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By the time you read this we will have finished with our regular dances for this season. It's been a great year for dancing. On April 24 we held a high-low dance by Art Seele.

Our recently elected new officers will begin their terms of office in September. Our new president is Anna Lally; vp. Ken Kroeze; Secretary Terry Glowacki and treasurer Don Drew. Our caller next year will continue to be Art Seele to whom we are very appreciative. Betsy Seele will continue her fine teaching job with the beginners classes. We are looking forward to having a tremendous year when we start up again in the fall.
reporter - Terry Glowacki

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The Beurriers and the Smiths, as the clubs "New class" spark plugs, & Vin Caruso, as the "New class" teacher have done an excellent job again this year, graduating 15 couples and then polishing them up with work shops and appointing angels to keep them circulating to other clubs. (Other clubs take note! Ed. Note.)

At our open house for new dancers in March it was hard to tell the new class members from the old timers. Al & Anna Fine, our presidents, send their congratulations to all the new dancers and extend a hearty welcome to come and dance with us anytime. By the time you read this we will have celebrated our EIGHTH birthday. Hope you were there to share in the festivities. reporters - Ruth & Charles Corbishley 201-539-5542

SQUARENADERS -- Livingston, N.J.

1 & 3 Fridays

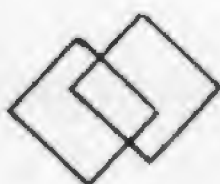
Hillside School

As we neglected to list our graduates previously, we want to use our space to do so. Also to thank the Mooneys for their help in making our graduation such a wonderful success. Angel badges were awarded to Ceil & Al VanderBerg and Dick & Joan Bonney. Decorations were done by Liz & Skip Vandervaarst and a huge cake inscribed "Congratulations to the new dancers" was served with coffee.

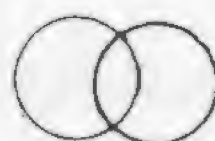
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2 & 4 Fridays

Alpine School, Andover Road

OH ' HAPPY DAYS -- yes everywhere you go smiling new faces on grads visiting association clubs. Over 200 people attended our graduation (I counted 'em myself!) and all had a nice time. Our new grads deserve a lot of credit. After 25 weeks of lessons and workshops we have another 4 squares of good dancers. They are an exciting bunch as you will find out very soon. Yes, they are following tradition by travelling and have already visited a few NNJSDA clubs for regular dances. HAPPINESS that's what I see radiating in each and every face as they go out dancing and spreading good will. Looks like we are going to add some more FREE-LOADERS to our present couples holding this badge.

Our May special with Gordon Lentz was a successful evening. Hope you weren't the ones to miss this enjoyable evening which was a real blast up in the fresh air country.

SUMMER ADVANCED WORKSHOP - beginning June 22 for 9 weeks, excepting July 13; everyone welcome - bring along your friends to learn the new figures coming out and review old figures causing problems. See our ad on page 17 for time and place. Thanks to BRUCE for a fine year also to the PENNIES on rounds. I'm sure next season will produce a whole new crop of round dancers. Now our season draws to an end, but there are many summer dances to attend to keep us all from getting rusty. Betty & myself want to thank all our friends in our club and the other 27 we visited for the many hours of good dancing and the friendliness we found. Thanks also to the Spinners for the opportunity for writing the news - we have had fun doing it and hope you enjoyed reading it - so until we square up again, keep your eyes open for the Sussex Spinners cause....we'll be SPINNING you....

reporters - Betty & Jim Sublesky 201-729-5044



DO YOU WEAR A CLUB BADGE?

What is a badge? A piece of colored plastic with a club name and your name...yes. Fancy or simple, bright or subdued...true. But most importantly, a badge is the visible symbol that you belong to a club, that you are a member in good standing. Recently, though, there seem to be a few who join a club, get a badge and then, for one reason or another, do not join the following year. Yet they still wear the club's badge, not only at other dances but even at the club's own dances.

What should be done? After all, to wear the badge is to be a representative of the Club, wherever you may dance. Square dancing's growth, even its very existence, is dependent upon courtesy and thoughtfulness. Should clubs ask for their badges back when the dancer is no longer an active member? Obviously, no....it is contrary to the spirit of square dancing. This spirit should apply when wearing a badge.

Ed Davidson

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a letter from BOB KECK, past president and original editor of GRAND SQUARE, from Belgium after receiving a copy from the Weigmans wrote....."it brought back memories and we were pleased to see that signs of our original handiwork still exist....the masthead...official insignia...letter-head and, unbelievably, the banner that we put together on the living room floor back in 1958!...It is interesting

to see how the organization has grown and how NNJSDA has continued to promote the great square dancing activity.....Terry & I extend our best wishes to all of our friends for the continued growth and success of GRAND SQUARE and NNJSDA in which we continue to have a parental interest."

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MAY 28

SWINGIN' STARS -- Maywood, N.J.

2 Saturday

Maywood Avenue School

It was great to see a lot of our graduates at our Jerry Schatzer dance in April. We were pleased to see the help given the newcomers to square dancing by the regulars - it was appreciated. In May we danced to the calling of Frannie Heintz, the clown prince of callers. Another good evening of fun!

You are all invited to join us for a fabulous fun day - rain or shine - at Camp Birnie for a picnic and dance on Sunday June 13th. The picnic will start at 12 noon, bring your own food; coffee and cake will be provided. Manny Anor will start calling at 2 PM. There is a swimming pool for our use and horse back riding is also available. Make it a Mini-Vacation for the whole family - don't miss out. The cost will be \$3.75 per s/d couple in advance and \$4.25 per couple "at the door". \$1.00 for non-dancers (for the use of the Camp Bernie grounds). Call Fred Boenau 262-3739 or Emil Carazo 261-0911 by June 1st for reservations.

Our usual summer special will be on July 14th at the Garden State Plaza and feature Kerry Stutzman calling. Then in September - on the 11 - we begin our fall season with Kerry our first guest caller. Have a happy and safe summer.
reporter - Cathy Ferrick 201-666-0146

TENAKILL TWIRLERS -- Cresskill, N.J.

3 Friday

Bryan School, Brookside Avenue

It has been scientifically established that the Bergen Mall Auditorium is larger than the Plaza. Our first fiddler's dance 266 people at the Plaza made dancing quite crowded; this year the Mall accommodated over 300! What a happy dance that was! Some people proudly sported all 3 fiddlers' badges!!!

As we write this the season is winding down, in fact your correspondents will be on vacation in May. But there are still many spring dances. We will have election of officers in May, graduation in June and while the club officially says goodbye until September, our members plan to keep dancing and will see you at all those summer specials, week-ends, camping and the few stalwart clubs who dance year round.

Fred & Gwen Manning, of England, will be here again in August and maybe we can arrange another dance for them. Do you hear us, Peg?
reporters - Dorothy & Paul Pullman 201-568-5138

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Sundays - Ramapo Mountain Lakes Country Club, Oakland, NJ
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Mondays - June thru August; South River, NJ (see p.)
- 2 & 4 Allendale, NJ; T- 914-NE4-4459 (Pozsar)
no date set - M T Squares - T-201-276-7213 (Koved)

We extend sincere sympathies to caller Wilson Hoff whose father passed away, to past president Mrs. Gus Sauck and Warren's Bob Young whose brother died recently, and to Mr. & Mrs. Sauck whose little grand-nephew lost a brave battle with a long illness....A vote of appreciation to Jim & Ruth Sheneman who found it necessary to resign their presidency. They brought cheerful and cooperative capabilities to their position. The wheelers turn with thanks to Jack & Ann-Marie Jones who picked up the reins as Acting Presidents until our new slate was ushered in in April. Our membership is grateful to the outgoing officers for all they did on our behalf. April was "History of Dance" night at Centenary Jr. College, Hackettstown, with wheelers squaring up in exhibition. Our fine teacher and caller, Wilson Hoff, (who has dropped that nasty "Split Circulate" in favor of "Walk all around that....big ole ring!" Crash!) presented his latest 7 couples to the club on graduation night. During the mixer NNJ-SDA VP Lorraine Mooney danced a mean arky-mean, because she refused to spin me! Our May John Kaltenthaler special saw NJ and PA meet head-on & square off to a draw! Stagecoach Saddle Shop, Stewartville, presented our first fashion show and door prizes, while new graduate Edith Shoemaker created a spectacular birthday cake for our 2nd anniversary. Thanks Giggles, we continue to dance regularly at Mansfield School, having promised the Board to put the roof back on. Our basic-rounds course has evolved into a club, the Merry-Go-Rounders, 1st & 3 Sundays at Rockport Community Center, Mary & Joe Kulatz are our leaders. You'd better make cruising into Warren on a Sunday afternoon a habit, because on November 7th, the Warren Wagon will be doing wheelies with the Jones boy in the driver's seat - D.J. himself, and you know what he did last time.

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It is hard to believe our regular season is drawing to a close; we have enjoyed a successful year and extend our thanks to all who helped us realize our goal. A special thanks to our caller, Bob Kellogg for his undying efforts on our behalf. We appreciate everyone's putting up with the inconvenience of being located in 3 schools and coming out to dance with us in such good number in spite of it.

We raided Staten Squares for their St. Patrick's dance and Hill City the beginning of April to get our Mini-banner back. We also enjoyed a successful bus trip to the Hayloft to dance with Al Brundage. Most recently we again had our annual pot luck supper dance to the usual good feasting of our marvelous cooks, wearing off those extra calories to Bob Kellogg's able calling.

The last regular dance is May 21 at Hillview school, however we are extending our season thru the summer with 6 summer dances in the same AIR-CONDITIONED location as last year, the Bound Brook Reformed Church. See our ad on page 14 for details and dates.

Enjoy a most happy and safe summer. If you can, join us at our summer dancing. You'll be glad you did.

reporters - Rose & Richie Ericson

201-687-0342



HI TAWS has a suggestion if you don't have a caller for a night - Try AMATEUR NIGHT - they did...and had a ball....ask any of the 10 sets who attended. Did you as a dancer ever wonder how come the caller did a singer a little off beat; didn't have enough breath to finish a part, etc? Well, get on the other side of the mike and find out - 'tis not as easy as it looks. Other clubs who've had such nights also agree!



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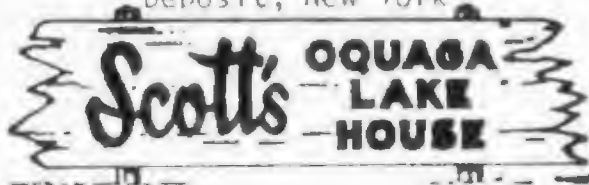
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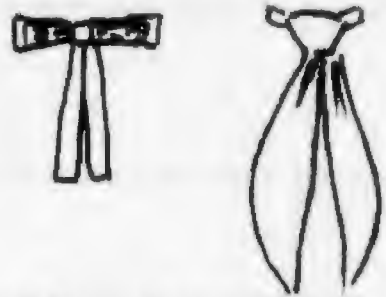
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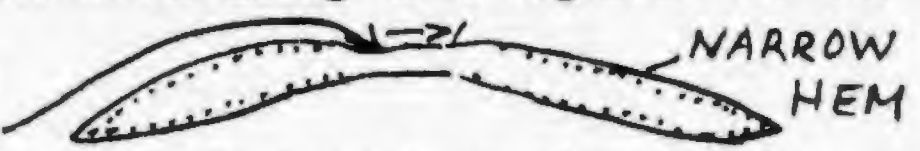
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Let's make some ties for the man in your life. A tie that uses some of your dress fabric and or trim co-ordinates your outfits.



First of all, clean out your husband's tie collection to see which ones could use replacing. Be sure to save the old clips as they will be reused.

The neckerchief style- Carefully open the sewed seams on the old tie, saving the plastic clip. It is not necessary to open the hem as we'll figure that in when making our pattern. Trace the long piece onto tissue or brown paper, mark the grain of fabric as it is important for the tie to hang correctly and the grain is necessary. Cut out the traced pattern 3/8" beyond the tracing line, this will allow a rolled hem. From a scrap of interfacing cut the small piece that was tacked in the center. (if your fabric is sturdy you can sometimes omit the interfacing). Narrowly hem your new tie the same as the old one, hand hems look much nicer than machine ones, however a decorative stitch to match your dress would be most attractive. With a few blind stitches tack the interfacing to wrong side in the center. Fold unseamed edges in, bring folded edges together and hand sew blind stitches to edge.



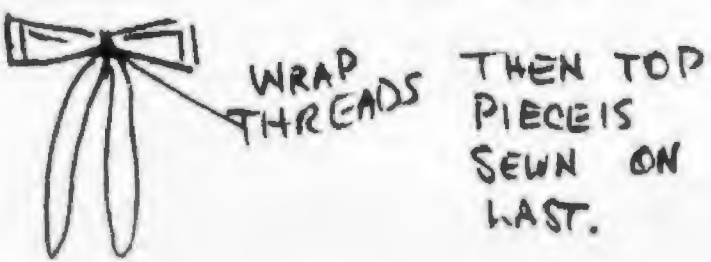
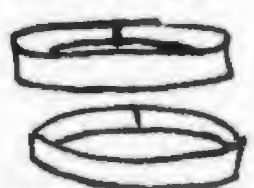
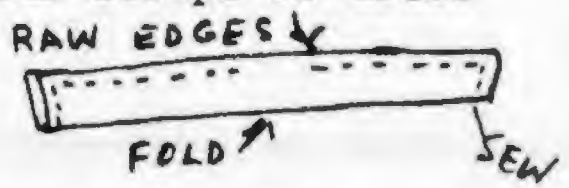
Using another tie as a guide fold tails to loop over plastic clip and come thru center. Fasten in the back with a few stitches to secure. Press tails. Note: If a lightweight fabric like whipped cream is used, it can be cut double with one piece serving as a lining and eliminating the rolled hem and the interfacing.



The colonel style- Open the little piece in the center that is holding the whole thing together. Carefully remove the metal clip. Open any threads that are serving to hold the pieces to each other.



Measure each piece, adding the seam allowance and enough to double it when sewing; cut the necessary pieces from your scraps of dress fabric. If you're making one with a double top bow, the uppermost bow can be made of a piece of trimming as on your dress. Sew each piece together, right sides together, as if you were making a small belt. Leave an opening for turning. Trim seam, turn and press. Make one long piece for the tails, and one or two to be made into rings for the bows. Join the seams on the smaller ones to make a ring. Place one ring on top of the other, center seams down, fasten with a few strands of thread. Using the old tie as a guide, cut in the underside of bottom ring and insert metal clip you saved from old tie. Fold tail in half to be even and attach to center of tie with a few stitches. Over all now put on center piece by hand. press.



We Proudly Salute
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Have you ever seen a peppy old lady of 30+ get up and join in a snappy hora? Entertaining residents of old age homes and nursing homes has been an extra-curricular activity of many s/d clubs (from personal experience we know Tenakill Twirlers have been doing it over 15 years). It is evident that many of our area clubs, especially the teen age groups, are realizing this type of activity is extremely satisfying. It is most gratifying to bring a bit of gaiety to people who get so little of it. We all derive so much pleasure from our own dancing - but that same pleasure is multiplied many fold if we give some joy to others. We salute all our peaceful square dance demonstrators.

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readers' views I'd like to talk to those of you who have been dancing for more than a couple years. You have, I am sure made many friends in s/ding. You probably enjoy a certain amount of challenge in your dancing as you have grown more proficient and relaxed in dancing basics. Are you now starting to get cliquish with who, you dance? It can easily occur since you talk with those you know best and naturally square up with them for the next tip. New dancers are also reluctant to break into squares of more experienced dancers.

Are you going out of your way to cultivate these new dancers of the clubs at which you dance? Recently I heard of a couple who entered a club at which they sometimes danced and found to their dismay that they knew only one couple. Their crowd had not come. How many of the dancers do you have a nodding acquaintance with in your club? If you are a regular attendant and cannot answer at least 30% then you are not introducing yourself around. As you visit your clubs this month look around. Go out of your way to square up with those not in your clique. Talk to others between tips. Sure some may be less proficient dancers, but they also may be much more interesting people.....and given encouragement who knows what can happen. Time out for a scatter promenade.....

another letter Due to space limitations we will paraphrase comments from Charles Harrington..."A great deal has been written about the warmth & fellowship of s/ding with criticism, from time to time, of people who seem to only "come to dance"..The basic reason for and purpose of s/ding is dancing - the enjoyment & satisfaction of being part of a group of people successfully doing intricate figures in time to the music & thoroughly enjoying themselves. Anything else that s/ding provides are fringe benefits. As in all forms of physical & mental endeavor there are many levels of competence...this was true back in the simpler old days of Eastern-style dancing but it is true today. It could very well be a mistake to drag people into s/ding who either have no aptitude or who won't apply themselves enough to gain some competence. Western style has gotten complicated & undoubtedly this is a part of the problem. ..you have to work at it, & you have to stay with it. Some do not think it is all that important; they feel left out & resent pre-arrangement of sets. Most competent dancers do not object to dancing with beginners but they do not enjoy dancing with poor dancers. We all know people who have been dancing for years but are still not fun to dance with...and beginners who have a feel for it, who are working at it, who are fun to help...there will always be problems but, please, let us worry a little more about the quality of dancing and a little less about the fellowship, et al.



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A Financial Statement from Bill & Jean Losey
NNJSDA Treasurers
Receipts and disbursements - June-April, 1971

Balance, June 2, 1970		\$1511.92
Receipts:		
Dues	\$ 140.00	
Interest	22.63	
Summer Dances	1259.35	
Special Dances	559.50	
Boosters	414.60	
Grand Square Ads	624.67	
		<u>3020.75</u>
		4532.67
Payments:		
Summer Dances	\$ 810.47	
Special Dances	569.49	
GRAND SQUARE		
printing 926.00		
others 115.43	1041.48	
Administrative	412.48	
Classes	167.37	
Graduates Ball	17.58	
		<u>3018.87</u>
Balance, April 1, 1971		\$1513.80

at last count 513 boosters - not all clubs reported.....



Square Dancing with the TEEN-AGERS!



SHONGUM MOUNTAINEERS -- Morris Plains, N.J.
Tuesdays - 7:15 - 9:15 pm County Buildings, Hanover Ave.

We are sponsoring lessons every Tuesday with Bob Mitchell calling the 2nd Tuesday. We would like to thank the Swirlabouts for helping with our class this year...along with our advisors the Knights (895-2559) and officers for an enjoyable year. reporter - Lynne Spender

SWIRLABOUTS -- Newton, N.J.
1 & 3 Sundays; 3-5 pm St. Paul's Abbey, Route 206

Like all the rest of the clubs we have been very busy. We demonstrated at Helen Morgan School and got both the kids and teachers up. It was fun! Later in March we danced at a benefit for a burned out family. We've also been helping the Shongum Mountaineers with their beginners class; many of us attended the Tenakill Twirlers live music special as well as Sussex Spinners and Cross Trails graduation dances. In April we travelled to Staten Island for their teen sets "Hillbilly Happening" It was a great theme with lots of fun, more so because of the costumes all the dancers wore! We graduated 37 people ourselves and were in turn visited by the Sussex Spinners, Cross Trails and Shongum Mountaineers. Wilson Hoff did a terrific job - our thanks to him. For more information, please call our president Loretta Darling at 201-875-3353.
reporter - Anne Jacobe 201-729-7927

TEEN PROMENADERS -- Berkley Heights, N.J.
1 & 3 Sundays 2-4 pm Little Flower Church, Plainfield Avenue

We've graduated and went dancing with the "Y" Squares in April where we had an enjoyable time. Badges have been ordered for the following graduates:

Beth Henderson	David Hartline
Peggy Dimler	Tom Oles
Carol/David Kulp	Kathy/Corey Kull
Karen/Terry/Lisa Zabel	Dick Joyce
Howard/Kathy/Laura Hover	Tom Lions

reporter - JoEllen Guthrie 201-464-5086

TENAKILL TWILIGHTERS -- Teaneck, N.J.
Mondays; 7:30-9:30 pm Community Church, 260 Elm Avenue

Every one's welcome to our workshops on Monday when we dance to tapes. We entertained Heide Engles who is an AFS student from Germany. Many of us are going to the teen weekend in May at Stokes Forest.
reporter - Richard Kuchar 201-391-5764



excerpts from a letter from
John "Will" & Lil Bryant
1915 West Erie Ave., Lorain, Ohio 44052

Bob Osgood of SETS IN ORDER has asked their assistance in compiling a Teen Directory - the list to be published in an issue of the official magazine of the American S/D Society. The Bryants would like the following info - name of teen club; name of adult contact; address of adult contact; dance night; short history of club. Deadline is July 1, 1971. want to be listed - get the information in NOW!



when space permits, we are always happy to include news from other clubs in our area.....

SEE SAW SQUARES -- Pearl River, N.Y.

1 & 3 Saturdays St. Stephens Episcopal Church, Erhardt Road

It was graduation and ten squares literally made the walls of our church bulge at the seams. Our graduates looked great in their graduation caps with gold tassels as they marched in and lined up for the exercises. Marty Kittle and Ed Naumann were "Valedictorians" and "Professor Pozsar" introduced each couple. Frank & Lorraine Mooney, who brought along a fine representation from Sussex Spinners, addressed all and with Ed Kerlewics, president, presented diplomas. What a night! The floor was good, the calling great, the graduates beaming and the refreshments enjoyable. We are planning to dance through June and if enough enthusiasm is generated will continue throughout the summer at the church. Midland Park grads will continue workshops on 2nd & 4th Mondays in the Methodist Church on Franklin Turnpike at the Allendale traffic light(NJ). All graduates and angels welcome.

reporter - Hilda Berger 914-354-4350


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SQUARE SWINGERS -- New York City, N.Y.

1 & 3 Fridays; 6-8 pm 9th floor, N Y TIMES Building

Want to get in lots of dancing certain Fridays.....come dance with us and then go on to any NNJSDA club that also meets 1st & 3rd Fridays - there should be a special badge for such a happening!!!! We'll be square dancing up a storm at the NY TIMES until the third Friday in June when we take a summer vacation. Happy dancing.

ADVICE FOR A SQUARE DANCER
(how to save face when you goof)

When square dance sequences are 'blown',
Do not condemn yourself alone.
For something of the fault may lie
Upon some other girl or guy.
I find that, as a general rule,
This ruse should help you 'keep your cool':
When footsteps falter, smile benignly,
When feet dance featly, smile divinely!

Another ruse that's known to work
When dancing patterns go berserk;
Just whisper to the dancers near,
"That caller sure is hard to hear!"
It also helps to credit your
Inept maneuvers to the floor.
"Too smooth", you state, or else, "Too rough",
Whichever best sustains your bluff!

This, then is good philosophy;
A smile of bland benignity
Toward another oft will make
The goof appear as his mistake.
Or, if this fails, than look askance
At him or her with whom you dance.
Blame the caller, or his call,
But do not blame yourself at all!

Richard H. Darling



Looking back - few believed S/D week '70 would be so successful. We ask all, please do not rest on your laurels - start NOW to plan your observances of National Square Dance Week - September 19-25 - Yes, the governor will issue a proclamation.

We welcomes the increase of letters to editors and requests for s/d information....think with this issue we've about caught up with all accumulated mail and suggestions.....your enthusiastic response to Rose Ericson's SQUARE PIN CUSHION was gratifying....the Maddocks would like a sabbatical from being advertising editors - are YOU interested? Our heartfelt thanks to all who've helped with GRAND SQUARE. All the area reporters plan to continue and will be contacting club reporters the first week in August for a deadline of August 24. If your reporter plans to be away, let us know who to contact. Remember the September(19) issue will include the NNJSDA roster as well as beginner class information for all to read. Have a healthy, happy and dance filled summer.

18 sets were already there when Dick Maddocks began at 1:30
final count 35 SETS!!! plus numerous spectators!!!

22 adult clubs represented as well as 9 teen clubs

only hang up was running out of punch and cups by 4:15
never expected SO many- cooperation of all was excellent



11 callers gave their time - Dick, Bob Gray, Barney Hartenstein, Wilson Hoff, Al Aderente, Bruce Vertun, Homer Quick, Jules Pozsar, Manny Amor, Art Seele, and Vin Caruso (whose equipment we used) - Roy Keleigh & Hal Holmes(Doris came) were both ill.