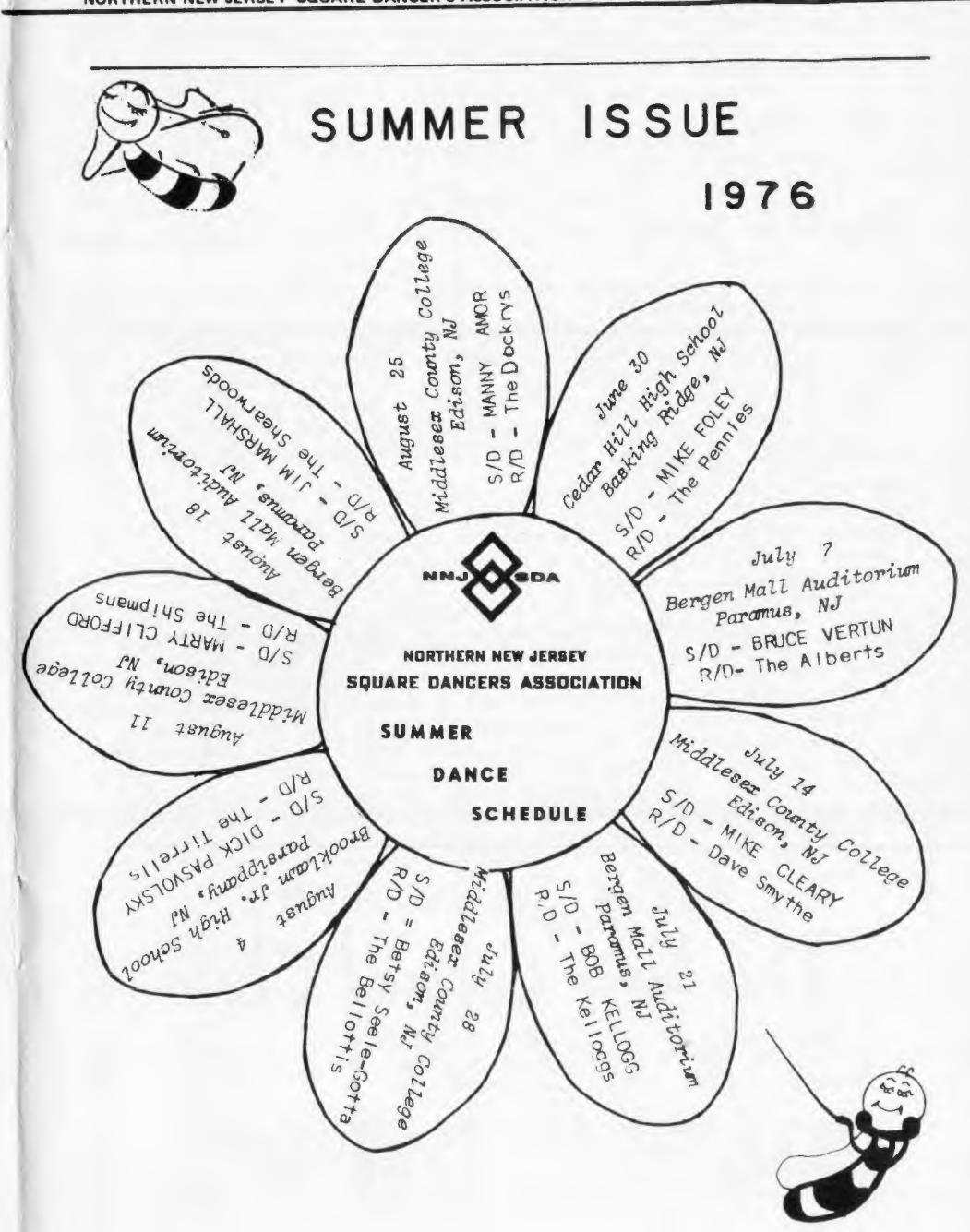
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THANK YOU for helping to make the Booster Ball a success -

to the S/D callers - Manny Amor, Lee Kopman, Jim Marshall to the R/D cuers - the Pennies, the Kelloggs, the Tirrells to the Committee Chairmen:

Ailene & Bill Ostlund for coordinating that delicious food and cake Jane & Emil Carazo for making tote bags & selling merchandise Mary & Walt Narwid for making and raffling off those beautiful shawls Marilyn & Joe Kobyular for coordinating the refreshing cold drinks Arlene & Ed Schreiber for coordinating the best hot beverages The Mooneys for getting the symbolic decorations for the stage

to the following S/D clubs: Cross Trails and Sussex Spinners for helping with the cakes Y Squares for the cold drinks - Merri-Eights for the hot drinks Country Promenaders & M. T. Squares for selling raffles Staten Square Set for the loan of those beautiful decorations

See Saws Squares & Cloverleafs for selling of merchandise Country Promenaders & Rutgers Promenaders for financial support To the A.C. 7 7 demonstration squares for their thrilling performance and to all the dancers who attended Frank + Helen Cavanaugh Excerpts from Steve & Dorothy Musial's letter (General Chairman-26th NSDC) ".. It was a pleasure to be among the host of dancers that gathered together Please also extend our sincere appreciation to your Dance Chairman, Frank and Helen Cavanaugh, the callers, round dance leaders, and your mem-

ber clubs who gave so generously of their time and talents. We, and our Executive Committee, are dedicated to making the 26th National a triumph for the East Coast, and we shall do so with the support of loyal dancers, yourselves, and the fine square dance clubs of your organization."

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"The Summer Sounds I Love." The happiest sounds that we know, no matter what the season, are those that signify that square dancing is close at hand. If this attitude were to be termed prejudiced, we'd be the first to plead guilty. Though we've made a very extensive commitment to the recreation, it is not to the exclusion of all other interests.

We recall with much pleasure the summer vacations that we spent travelling through these United States — seeing sights by day and square dancing at night. The universality of the activity means that you may drop in, unannounced, to any of the many thousands of clubs and enjoy a perfectly wonderful evening. By the very nature of the people who square dance, you will be welcomed as a long lost and beloved relative. The sad aspect is the parting —— in the brief period of just a few hours you've

made good friends, most probably never to meet again.

However, things like this just don't happen --- it takes a bit of planning, along with the itinerary of the trip. Well in advance of your projected vacation, secure a copy of the SQUARE DANCING directory of square dancing. For all of the U.S. and many areas abroad it lists the many S/D organizations (addresses and phone numbers) and contacts for local S/D information. No one can quite match the dedication of a square dancer -- the way he will extend himself to see that another square dancer, a stranger in the area, gets to go to a dance. In several instances we've had an impromptu dance put together for this very purpose -- and what a ball each one was. Not only were they great experiences at the time, but we feel good every time that we think of them. The memories live on and on and on.

Don't forget C.R.O.W.D. -- The Central Registry of World Dancers. A wealth of specific dance information can be secured from -- Marv & Syl Leibowitz, 213 Winn Avenue, Universal City, TX 78148. The service is free, but please enclose stamps for return postage. Also, be sure to in-

dicate where you will be and when.

For those who will explore the New Jersey area, there will be many dancing clubs and then some. Your Association dances are keyed to the taste of everyone. Nine dances are scheduled -- good, solid fun by specially selected callers to assure the very best in satisfaction. The halls are in different areas for optimum exposure -- some here, some there, and all easily reached.

Wednesday evenings are fabulous --- enthusiastic dancers from all over New Jersey join in celebrating the summer season --- a season that is free and happy. These dances are by you and for you. Your Association is the

dancers and hy attending these affairs you support one another.

Those who attended the March 28th Boardwalk Booster Ball experienced a really beautiful dance. Under the guidance of the Cavanaughs, the square dancers worked in perfect harmony to create an eminently successful affair. The decorations, refreshments, and the program meshed to perfection to make a glorious social triumph. And so it is with all your Association sponsored dances.

We've attended many graduations during the past few months and we like what we see. This is going to be a banner summer season. We hope to dance with each and every one on Wednesday evenings. Be sure to say - hello.

14 Samoset Road

Cranford, New Jersey 07016

201-276-7213

Have you heard? Hope you won't miss it! It's coming real soon! It's right after the May Dance. Have you gotten your tickets yet? Well, if you haven't, there's still a few spaces still open in 8's June Dinner Dance, but don't wait too long! The enjoyment of the 8's Spring Weekend will not be forgotten! Between the Mitchells, Tirrells, dancers and the spectators....who could ask for more!

Since it's nearing the summer closing time, we want to thank ALL the club supporters (without supporters there would be no club!) I, myself, wish to extend mu sincere thanks to all those that helped support the Cerebral Palsy Fund Drive with their generous contributions. The dancers donation came to \$18.88 - the most generous collection to the Drive that April weekend. Remember: Everyone is a friend. To make a friend you have to be one!

Have a happy summer! reporter - Gail Tirrell

201-568-5857

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As Spring moves on into summer we want to remind all that the s/d season NEVER ends for Cloverleafs -- we dance all the year 'round. It's always a joy to greet old friends, but to see the many new faces at our monthly dances -- this proves that those clubs sponsoring classes and encouraging beginning Square Dancers are doing a great job! And to us this is what s/ding is all about! Club members and guests had the delightful pleasure of dancing to Carl Hanks in March. Joining us was a large contingent of Carl's faithful followers from Somerset Hills in their colorful raid outfits. Big event of the evening was the long awaited announcement that Cloverleafs 1976 Caller's Scholarship Award goes to Andre Brillaud of New City, NY who plans to attend Al Brundage's Callers School in August. Congratulations and our best wishes to Andre!

In April John Hendron did the honors, so you may be sure we all enjoyed a lively evening of fun. Doc & Peg always provide a special treat for our many round dancers. Our Travelers received a warm welcome at Covered Bridge in March. We travel next to Hanover Squares in April and hope to have a good turnout. To all of you - have a happy summer of square dancing.

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201-444-5637

" in a nutshell. . . . " April 4, 1976

Delegate's Meeting

"....absent Circle Eights, Princeton Squares, Richmond Dancers, Tenafly Squares, Tenakill Twirlers...also present presidents of 15 clubs, liaison from CCNJ Ardy Jones and Bruce & Joyce Vertun CCNJ presidents, and representa-

tives from several non-member clubs.

1st VP - Boardwalk Booster Ball was a fantastic success...thanked all for their cooperation...over \$1700 to be donated to the 26th National.... the A.C. 77 demo with the hall ringed with dancers in convention outfits was thrilling; Graduates Ball all set for April 25.. reminded all to wear soft sole shoes.

2nd VP - Graduates Ball all set for April 25....Association representatives will attend all graduations - special packets for grads have been prepared which include a reprint of the map section from GRAND SQUARE.

3rd VP - Reminded all of poster contest deadline - May 13.

Treasurer - GRAND SQUARE Booster money a little over \$900 with 9 clubs still to report....less than last year.

R/D Advisor - ROM April "Country Gal"; May "Baby Talk"; Intermediate r/d April "Velora"; May "I Wanna Be"; classic "Feelin'"

GRAND SQUARE - deadline today; gave out questionnaire/letter and asked all clubs to return as soon as possible - will need info for roster, etc. Plateau system to rate clubs is only temporary

INSURANCE - Ed Bell gave preliminary report based on 16 club replies.

L.U.S.T. for fun - Education Seminar - (Let Us Speak Together) set for Sunday, Sept. 12 - open to ALL - 3 - 10; cost \$3.50/couple; pre-registration necessary; afternoon divided into various buzz sessions & discussions on all phases of the s/d picture...the PM an evening dance with K. Stutzman. Herb & Carol Arkin are the coordinators

Election of officers - Slate accepted as: presidents-Harriette & Sol Koved; lst VP-Jim & Fay Bates; 2nd VP- Nan & Frank Habersberger; 3rd VP-Wally & Lorraine Peltzer; Treas.-Nina & Gene Borelli; Cor. Sec.- Art & Helen Rellinger; Rec. Sec.- Mildred & Ron Nitzsche.

Old/New Business - Sol reported that CCNJ & NNJSDA Executive Boards had a joint meeting in March. Items discussed were callers fees for NNJSDA summer dances; summer dance plans; standardizing the Basics; club rating systems; Trail In dance invitaions. Next joint meeting set for fall '76. A 2 year agreement on NNJSDA summer dances was reached- for 1976 callers would get \$2. per square for first 15 squares & \$4. per square for all over 15 with the caller guaranteed \$30. for 1977 the caller will be paid a straight \$3. per square. CCNJ will support the NNJSDA summer dances & the NNJSDA will support the CCNJ dances only if no conflict exits with member clubs. The Habersbergers were appointed CCNJ Liaison.

HIX & CHIX brought all up to date on a clearance conflict between their club & 5 proposed CCNJ summer dances. A lengthy discussion ensued in which the CCNJ president took part. A majority of clubs voted their displeasure by passing the following motion..."If the conflict between CCNJ and Hix & Chix is not resolved by April 12, 1976, the NNJSDA, through the GRAND SQUARE, will deny the CCNJ any rights of advertising or distribution of circulars. Further that we request all member clubs to boycott these activities throughout the summer. (Subsequently on April 6th, the CCNJ president contacted Hix & Chix president to say that CCNJ would either cancel those 5 dances or move beyond the area of conflict.)

Refreshments were served by Sussex Spinners, Staten Square Set, Somers set Hills. Next meeting September 19, 1976 at 2 PM at Vincent Methodist Church, Nutley, NJ

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every Thursday

The dancing year at Colonial is coming to a close (so quickly). Thank you Lee and Betty & Don for a great year. In looking over the number of calls that have been taught, the dancers should all feel proud of themselves. Chick & Ginny Smith made the year run very smoothly - the better the job is done, the easier it appears to be. John & Lee Kolba had the never ending job of refreshments and we know it sounds simple but it is not - so a special "THANKS" to you both. The Gustafsons took care of our finances very professionally. The keeping of accounts of the Treasurer is time-consuming and we thank them for that. Last, but most important we thank the dancers who attended so faithfully, worked so hard and are so friendly. Love you all.

Reporters - Mary & Curt Guild

201-549-0344

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COUNTRY PROMENADERS -- Edison, N.J.

2 & 4 Saturdays

Clara Barton School, 1015 Amboy Road

This month has been an enciting one for us. The teens had a very successful dance. The theme of the evening was "Cartoon Characters". The walls were decorated with drawings and painting of cartoons drawn by the teens. Many dancers (young and old) came in costumes representing their favorite cartoon character. Just to name a few: Yellowbird, Dennis the Menace, Raggedy Ann. the Wizard and Superman with Mrs. Superman. And thanks to our own Jim Marshall for making the evening extra special with his calling.

Did you ever dance in the same room where an airplane has landed? Well, I did! Yours truly was awed to see the Luftwaffe's Red Baron sitting on the stage of the Clara Barton School! Of course, how else did Frannie Heintz get here! In the cockpit, while Frannie was calling to a room filled with happy dancing couples, was a great big portrait of that famous Bozonga man himself. It was a great night. Thanks Frannie.

So you readers out there, if you weren't here, you missed a great time. We're all looking forward to our next dance which is for graduates. See you then. _____ Percentage Schlobohm _ _ _ _ _ _ 201-985-5442

FALL - Opening dances.....

- 8 Cross Trail Squares
- 9 Warren Wheelers
- 10 Hanover Squares
 Princeton Squares
 Sussex Spinners
- 14 Somerset Hills

SEPTEMBER

1976

- 15 Kittatinny Rangers Mountain Squares
- 17 Merri-Eights
 Tenakill Twirlers
- 18 Grand Prowlers
- 25 Ramapo Squares

BOARDWALK BUZZ'NS - Frank & Lorraine Mooney/NNJSDA Liaison

To capture a phrase from a recent TV series, the NNJSDA & the 26th National Convention Committees are "movin on" with plans for a s/d program to be held in Atlantic City a year from now which will be unequalled in excellence! The wheels are in full motion for 3 complete days of all levels of s/r & folk dancing, plus panels, seminars, clinics, & (at your own budget) shopping, eating & socializing - all under one completely airconditioned roof.

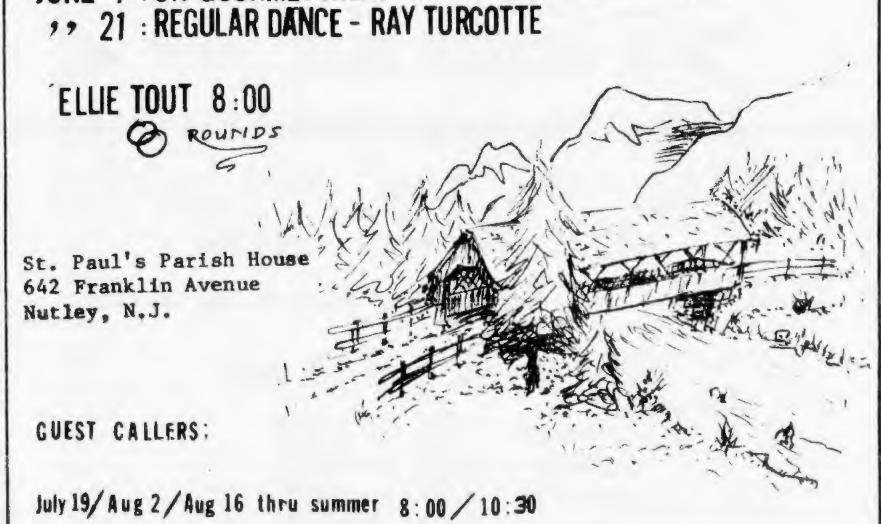
To help the National Committee raise preliminary monies for this monumental endeavor over the past 3 years, your NNJSDA has sold hundreds & hundreds of Convention outfits & preregistration certificates. Whether you still have a certificate or happen to be one of those persons who does not know how to take advantage of this phenomenon (tho' Heaven only knows how we missed you), the following guidelines will help you get the quickest, most efficient & personal preference in regards to YOU joining in & sharing this long-remembered experience.

- (1) The redeemable date for the preregistration certificates is NOW! They have been pouring in since April, & we urge you to "get goin'" if you still have one.
- (2) The preregistration certificate pays for your 3 days dancing, & includes a name badge which will be given to you when you pick up your packet of informative material at Convention time.
- (3) Whether you do or not have a preregistration certificate, complete the official application (& attach the preregistration certificate - otherwise, see items #4 & 7) but do not send any deposit at this time, unless you are a camper - see item #5. (continued on page 13)



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Our Leprechaun Dance in March was a big success. The many green-clad dancers gave a warm welcome to our first guest caller, Ray Turcotte, who really did a great job. Less than a week later, 23 of our members raided Grand Prowlers for an enjoyable evening. During May & June we will have as guest callers Tom Cleary, Mike Cleary and Ray again. For an unusual culinary treat, be sure to attend our United Nations Gourmet Night in June.

The members of our club who most recently earned their Patrons Badges are Helen & Victor Pietrucha and Judi & Leon Eskenazi. Congratulations to them. And speaking of patrons, don't miss our Patron Dance in May.

Remember that we will be dancing throughout the summer (except Independence Monday) so keep in practice with us. See our ad on page 7 for details.

__reporters = Vince & Harriet Wilding 201-471-6729



2 & 4 Wednesdays

Lincoln School, Crane Street

Summer, and the end of the Cross Trail Squares' dancing season is just around the corner. It has been enjoyable for us to have our many guests with us during the year. We thank you for coming and hope that you will join us many times more. Our season ends early June with Dick Maddocks. Glenn Cooke will call for our second dance in May (see our ad page 39) Of course, rounds will be cued by the Connelly's.

Our big event for the year will be our Bicentennial Special at Bloom-field College in May (see our ad page 10). We expect to see you there having a wonderful time. After you have done your summer dancing at the Association dances, the summer workshops, and on vacation, remember to join us as we open our next season on September 8th. Happy dancing.

reporters - Eleanor & Gene Peet 201-226-6944

Bloomingdale Avenue School

The end of another season of s/d is almost here, but we still have several fun evenings planned. We welcomed the new graduates in May and are looking forward to getting to know them. Special thanks to our Angel Chairmen, June & Andy Reid and, of course, to Jean & Bob Kellogg, for their refforts on behalf of the Class on 176. Our annual Pot Luck Supper is scheduled for mid May - an evening of good eating and good dancing - who could ask for anything more? Hattie & Joe Noel, our Raid Chairmen, have announced a raid on Richmond Dancers. In June while our callers are on a sailing vacation in the Caribbean, our guest caller will be Mike Foley. That will be the last dance of our regular season, but look for our ad (p.31) for special summer dances.

In recent weeks we have had the pleasure of welcoming back members who have been on our sick list - Andy Reid, Olive Carlson, Sara Kahwaty & Frank Turley. It's great to have you back! We have enjoyed dancing with all of you who visited us this past year and invite you to join us again

whenever you can - the welcome mat is out! Have a happy summer!

reporters - Stan & Mary August

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GARDEN STATE SQUARE DANCE CAMPERS

Well, summer is almost here and all the s/d campers are getting ready to roll. Our club is filled up for this year, and we welcome all our new

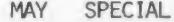
members. We hope they will enjoy a great combination of camping and square dancing with us. June will find us at Timothy Lake with Gordon Lentz and the Dockrys. A moonlight buffet after our Saturday night dance should top off the first campout of the season. In July we head for Tohickon campground, near Quakertown, PA., with the Atkinsons, Don & Sally doing the honors. August we hit So-Hi Campground with Bob Mitchell and the Tirrells leading the way. Our



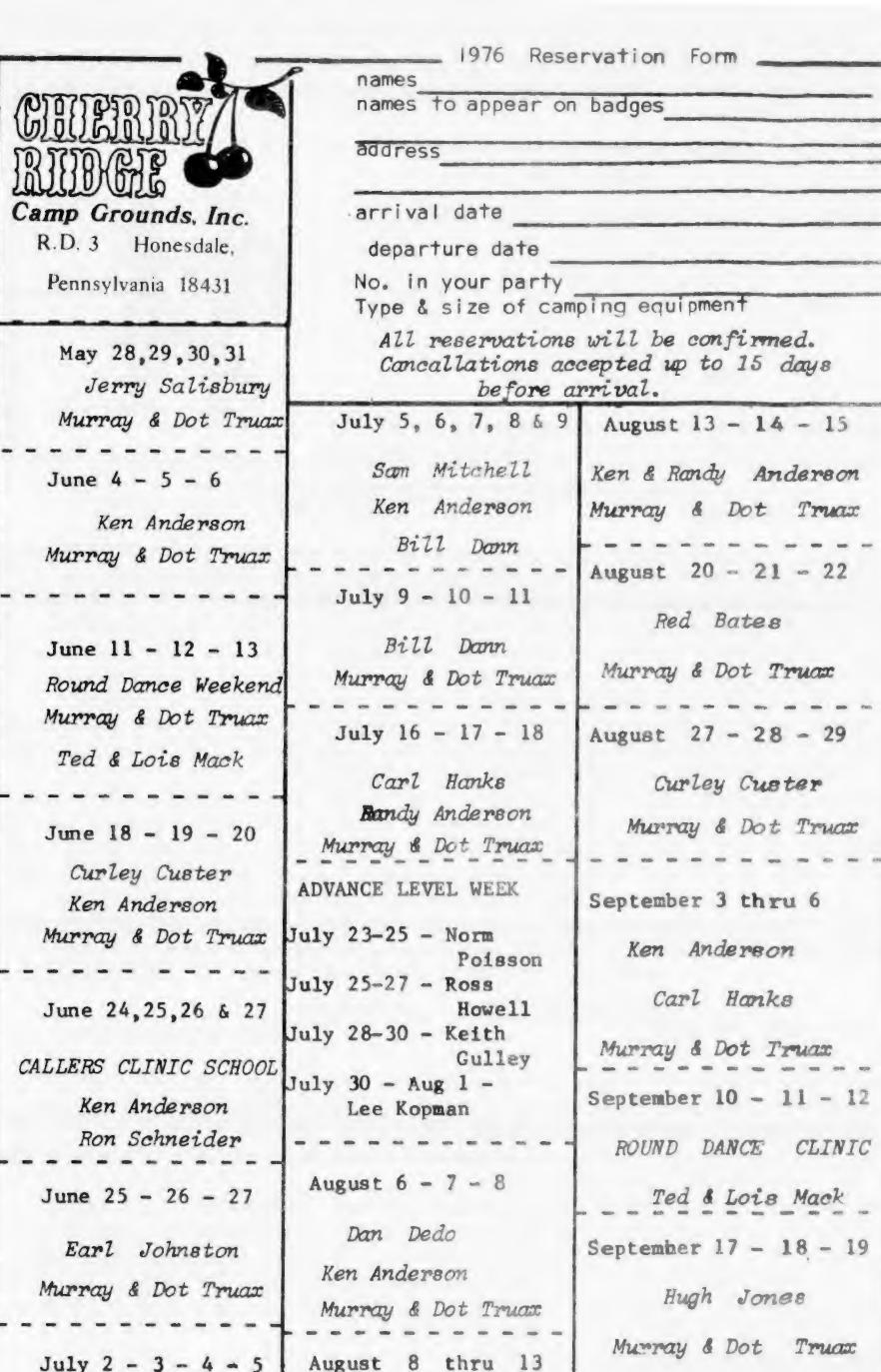
Xmas in August is always a fun time. We wind up our season in September at Otter Lake, with Dick Schweitzer and the Elrods. All in all we'mere looking forward to a great summer of camping and square dancing. We feel our members who attend campouts improve their s/d skills by being active over the summer months. So let's see everyone come out as often as possible this year. See you all "on the road". Happy trails!!!

reporters - Joan & Al Lawrence

201-226-1459



May 16 - "Yikes" Cameron & John Sweeney 2 - 5:30 pm Bloomfield College, NJ Cross Trail Squares



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Don & Sally Atkinson

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EXECUTE EXECUT

GRAND PROWLERS Parsippany, N.J. 1 & 3 Saturdays Brooklam School, Route #202

At our February dance that featured the terrific calling of Rob Bissey of the Jersey shore we appreciated having Cross Trail Squares raid us. The Prowlers have two very special "Freebies" in progress: #1 - Attend five (5) dances and be eligible to win a "made-to-order" square dance dress by Madeline Kircher who has so generously given her time and talent. Drawing on June 5th. See you there. #2 - Attendance at any twelve of our dances (Spring & Fall) and presentation of your twelve Allemande tickets entitles you and your taw to a free dance. On this one everybody can win. Some interesting door prizes have been several cherry pies from the kitchen of Madeline and some lovely house plants.

There was some excellent calling in March by Don Atkinson of Conn. as assisted on a few tips with the harmonizing of his talented spouse, Sally. Watch out for the competition, Don! Let us not forget the Pennies on the rounds. On the first Saturday, Grace always teaches the ROM at 8 PM and it's a joy to see how well the "Hot Garters" perform the intermediate dances. Have a happy summer and we look forward to seeing you at the May & June dances and on Sept. 18 at our opening dance with Jerry Shatzer. reporters - Virs & Vince Bubieniec 201-694-1469

HANOVER SQUARES -- Whippany, N.J.

2nd & 4th Fridays

Salem Drive School

Another season of square dancing is just about over. We have really had fun this season. The Hanover Squares & Ironia Reelers class level dance, in March, was a huge success. We had 20 plus squares with 16 clubs participating. Our class graduation went very well, and we hope to see our new dancers out this summer.

We are looking forward to the demonstrations in Boonton this summer. The Fan Fair in June and the Bicentennial demo in July, also. To the new Grandparents, the Andrucci's and the Donnelly's, our heartiest congratulations. Our workshop tip is becoming a very popular item and we are looking forward to seeing all of you when we start our new season with Jerry Schatzer on Sept. 10. Keep dancin' til then.

> reporters - Walt & Laretta Las 201-361-2768



When distribution of GRAND SQUARE does not coincide with a delegates meeting. the task is complicated. Last issue, a record 60 pages, was very cumber-Our thanks to Covered Bridge Squares who spent 28 collective hrs. preparing it for delivery! Who's next!



BOARDWALK BUZZ'NS - continued from page ?

(4) Include the price of the preregistration certificate in the 'fee' box when printing names for badges, or your check for \$6.75/person (if you do not have a P.R.C.), & be sure to sub total & final total according to your particular desire.

(5) The only money to be sent now with the application is the P.R.C. or a check in the full amount for each person, each day, plus monies if you want a program or cookbook, or if you are camping, & the amounts are shown in the upper lefthand box outlined in red. These monies should be in check or moneyorder form made payable to the 26th National S/D Convention for the total amount of all items in that box only.

(6) Individuals or groups of two or more couples who want to be in the same quarters should send their completed applications together in one envelope and ask for the same housing. Everyone should list two or more preferences, & obviously, if you want to be together, you should select the same facilities.

(7) If you do not have a preregistration certificate but want to go with your group, make a check payable to the 26th National for each person plus anything listed in item # 5, & send it in a group envelope

as suggested in item #6.

(8) Every person attending the Convention MUST be registered - including nondancing children. Each registration is \$6.75 regardless of age & there are no exceptions to this rule. At Convention time the registration fee will be higher as indicated in the upper lefthand corner of the application.

(9) Anyone wishing to have their preregistration certificate returned as a souvenir should include a stamped self-addressed envelope &

note this request on the face of the official application.

(10) The Convention officially begins 9:00 A.M. on Thursday, June 23, 1977 & ends at 11 P.M. on Saturday, June 25th. Your arrival & departure will depend on how much time you desire to stay at the Seashore.

We think we've covered the major ?'s which people have asked, but if you have any doubts please do not hesitate to call, & we'll do our best to comply. We personally went to the National in Kansas last year & are on our way to the one in California, & we can assure you there is something for everyone, & is an experience you will long remember. Take advantage of it being in our area & try it, you'll like it.

We'll have more when we come home from Anaheim - but in the meantime, plan NOW to be one of the upwards of 25,000 dancers who will share a

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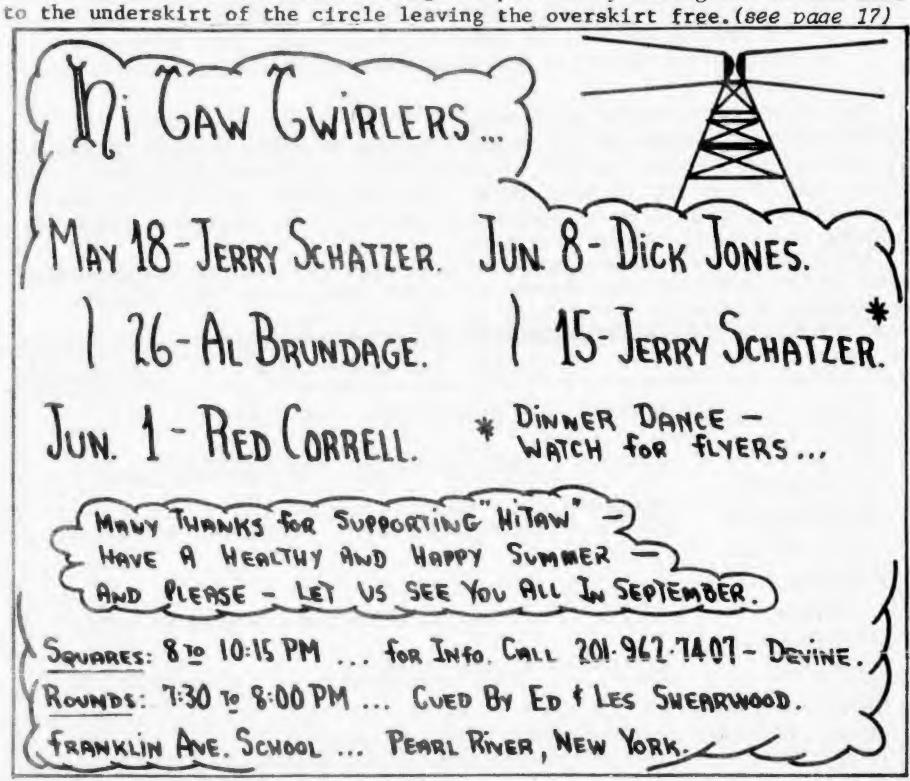
In deciding which pattern to use, we first discussed the type of dress Linda wanted. Was it to be plain and simple or boufant and frilly? Once the decision was made we then searched our pattern boxes and came up with Simplicity's 6278. Next came a trip to N.Y.'s 7th Avenue. After visiting 5 shops, we agreed on the swiss silk organza we had seen in the first shop with an underlining of polyester satin. Once I fitted the paper pattern to Linda my job be-

I lengthened the bodice 2 inches and began laying the pattern on the material. I wanted the tatted flowers to be evenly distributed across the bodice, but not in a straight line. The sleeves were a challenge. To get the flowers to appear randomly, I cut the sleeves on a slight angle rather than on the straight of the material. Once that was finished I tackled the skirt, where most of the changes with

the pattern occurred.

We made the first tier a circle tier (using the pattern from GRAND SQUARE) to eliminate fullness at the waistline. Since I needed a finished length of 21½" for the two tiers, the first tier was 8½" long with a hem circumference of 108". The second tier had to be 15 ¾ to arrive at the correct finished length (5/8" seam allowance). This tier was 2½ widths of the 45" wide satin or 115" wide. The last tier was made up of 4 widths of material or 180". (Ordinarily if the first tier is 108", second tier would be 162 and the third 243".) I made the second and third tiers less full to cut down on the weight of the finished gown.

I attached the circle tier to bodice, placing side seams to side seams and cutting a short slit in center back for lower portion of the zipper. Here I again d viated from the original pattern by sewing the second tier to the underskirt of the circle leaving the overskirt free (see page 17)







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Franklin Avenue School

Here comes summer! We're getting ready to wrap up another great season at Hi Taw's. Thanks to all the wonderful guest callers and of course, our very favorite trio, Al Brundage, Dick Jones and Jerry Schatzer. A special note of gratitude to the Shearwoods; not only our r/d callers, but our friends and active members of our club. We wish to thank our outgoing Executive Committee for a job well done and in reverse, the officers want to thank the club members who so loyally and cooperatively pitched in to make this season such a success. It's these combined efforts that make a club something to be proud of.

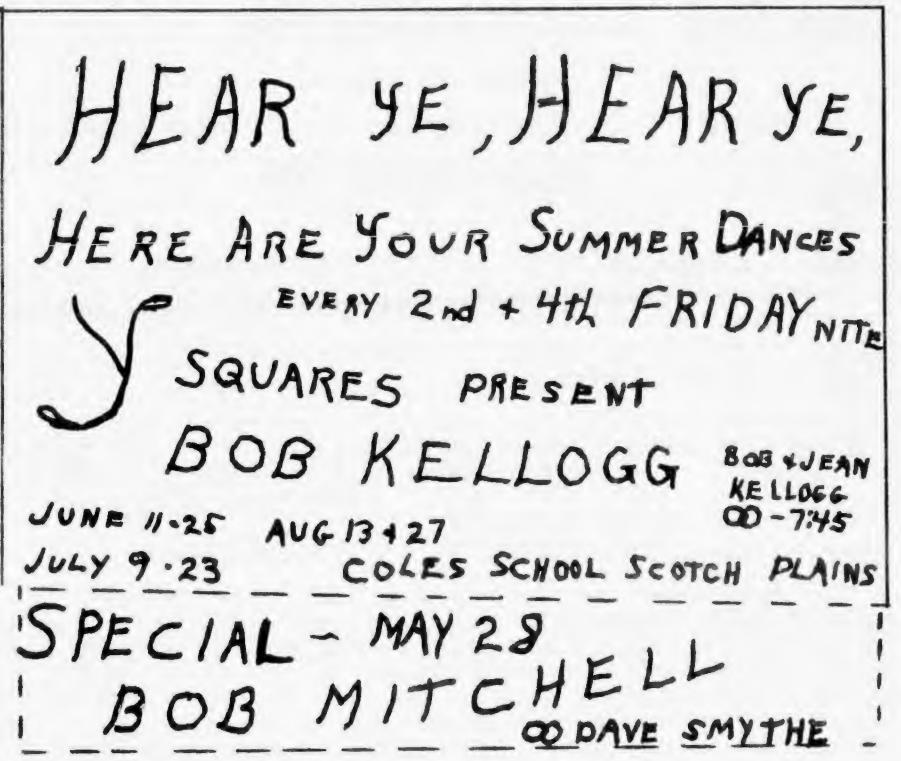
We're closing this season with our Dinner Dance in June. A robin told me the committee is planning a gala affair for this bicentennial year so put on your red, white and blue duds and join us. We are going to wind up this season with a "BANG". Reservations may be made with Joe & Betty Devine at 201-962-7407. Don't put your dancing shoes away because there will be some NNJSDA dances through the summer and s/d camping weekends for the adventurous. A healthy and fun-filled summer to all our members and friends. We'll be looking forward to squaring up with you in the fall. when we go back to our old starting times of 8 pm rounds and 8:30 reporters - Annette & Don Jewett squares.

It's a RAID! S/D raids are happy occasions - and none was more fun than the evening two clubs decided to raid Tenafly Squares. Pictured holding the banner is VP Frank Poole. One the left are Bob & Gloria Wyman of Hix & Chix. On the right is Jean & Bob Billings of Sussex Spinners. (This is Tenafly's 2nd banner! The first was lost when they moved to their new location.)



Wilson School, Beekman Terrace

Welcome new graduates! We are looking forward to seeing you at our dances. So come on over to dance with us to our lovable Manny Amor with Betty & Bud Sibbald on the rounds. Badge Night was held in March with badges awarded for dancing to Manny wrapped up as a mummy, a computer badge for dancing to numbered calls and several others. Our Jerry Schatzer special was well attended and a good time was had by all. Congratulations graduates! reporters - Doris & Charles Young 201-464-6896



HIX & CHIX -- Paramus, N.J. every Thursday, year round K of C Hall, Bridle Way

As we write this final report of this season we look back to many happy hours of dancing and friendship. We eagerly look forward to greeting many visiting s/ders this summer in our air-conditioned hall. Everyone is welcome every Thursday throughout the summer, including out of town vacationing friends and relatives, and especially all new graduates who want to

spruce up their newly acquired dancing talents.

However, before we enter our summer season we have planned three fantastic frolics with fun and fellowship...our Glenn Cooke Special which was in April, in mid-May when we celebrate our birthday and in mid June when we plan a pot luck supper. At press time our graduation party will be history. We sincerely welcome the new dancers to the Hix & Chix family and wish them many years of dancing fun here and in their travels. Many thanks to Mike Foley, instructor and Elly Tout, Class Director. As a fitting climax to this report, we are very pleased to mention the recent wedding of Al & Helen (Goddard) Rosa. We sincerely wish them God's blessings and much happiness for many, many years.

reporters - Ken & Rosemary Sahm

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13 - Manny Amor

20 - Jim Cargill

27 - Jim Marshall

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"....the bride was radiant in her short length gown of....

The third tier was attached in the same manner except that most of the fullness was placed in the back. As a fi-

nal touch I purchasd small iridescent pearls which I sewed into the center of alternated flowers on the organza. I attached velcro to the lower hem of the second tier and the top of the third tier. In this way we could have a full

length gown for the wedding of Linda & Charlie and a dance length dress for the square dance reception by simply separating the velcro and adding a crinoline.

(Ed. note: Any ?'s - Contact Marie Bechter RD #6, Box 202 Newton, NJ 07860)





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We've had an exciting two months. We had our Valentine Special during Glenn Cooke's dance with plenty of hearts, food and flowers thanks to our committee chairpersons Annette & Paul Battaglia. There was plenty of swinging to the calling of Marty Clifford at our second dance of the month. March began in a temporary hall with the St. Patrick's Day Special with Glenn calling and "Mist" and more for door prizes. Best man Tito Gamarra chaired this dance committee. Congratulations and best wishes to Linda & Charles Morrison, club newlyweds. Still at the temporary hall, we danced for the first time to the calling of Rob Bissey and it was a real pleasure. The large crowd didn't even strain the provisions prepared by our ever ready kitchen committee chaired by Jean & Jim Styles. To top off our dancing, the club traveled to the other SI clubs to pin their banners.

Thanks to Marty Clifford our classes are coming along fine and for our club a large graduation is expected. Plans are being carried out for our second Get Acquainted Dance for new graduates and club members only. This restricted dance helped our members become better acquainted with our new graduates so as to better encourage their dancing both at our club and at other clubs. Congratulations new graduates from your new friends at Isle Squares. Come square up with us.

reporters - Tom & Linda Hall

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1 & 3 Wednesdays

Stillwater School

Being of hardy stock we survived the winter storms and Flu season and are once again dancing with a full house. We had a nice graduation dance with the graduates of four neighboring clubs as our guests. Our May Day dance was well attended, and was also our transition dance. The retiring officers starting the evening and the new ones taking over the reins at the close of the dance. Our new officers are: Presidents - Elaine & Chick Thackston; VP's - Ella & Ted Farver; Sec. - Terry & Bill Armstrong; Treasurers - Dot & George Culver. A very successful term of office to you all. We are having Workshop Dances on Monday nights with Dick calling thru May and until mid June. All levels of dancing and ALL are wel-We really had a very satisfactory year, and are looking forward to our summer picnic and our opening dance in September. Have a safe and restful summer and Keep Dancing. ******** reporters - Kathryn & Fred Hill

June 1 - Kings' Squares July 3 -= Kuntry Kuzn's July 5 - Covered Bridge NCELLED

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The CALLERLAB Quarterly Movements Committee selection for this quarter is one experimental movement "Chase Right" and one review movement "Dixie Style to an Ocean Wave".

Chase Right by Lee Kopman. The Action starts from couples back to back. back. On the command Chase Right, those in the girls' positions do a "large" (but not wide) zoom action moving to the place of the girl's position in the couple behind them. The zoom action brings the girls to a facing-in position. The persons in the boys' positions will run or fold into the vacated girls' positions and then the boys circulate one position. From normal lines of four facing out, the Chase Right call will place the square in two parallel ocean waves with the girls facing in and the boys facing out. When the action takes place with the couples back to back in a trade by formation the result is a column formation. All the flow is to the RIGHT as the dancing action takes place, thus the name Chase Right. (It is possible to Chase Left or LEFT Chase, however, for mainstream dancing the basic Chase Right is suggested.)

DIXIE STYLE to an OCEAN WAVE starts with facing couples in motion or in single file. The girls extend right hands and move by to extend left hands to the waiting mán. The left hands are joined and as the dancers move by the left hands remain joined & the men reach to join right hands with each other causing all dancers to turn as the left handed wave is formed. The nature of the action leads to the suggestion that Dixie Style be preceded with a right and left thru or square thru 3/4 courtesy turn to help lead into the starting action of the girls leading for the Dixie Style. This

is # 41 in the revised NNJSDA Basic Manual or 29 in the old.

CALLERLAB - the International Association of S/D Callers - recently concluded its third meeting in as many years out Chicago way. Over 800 attended (including some NNJers) seeking solutions for some of the prime challengers facing the square dancing activity. More on this later.



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1 & 3 Saturdays

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We had an expecially good year this year and have many plans to make next year even better, if that's at all possible. We'll be looking for you back again with us - same place, same time and above all same friendly faces. Until then KEEP SAFE and WELL.....

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1 & 3 Fridays Hammarskjold School, Rudes Lane

Now that graduation is over, our club is just bursting with many fine dancers. Glenn Cooke did a splendid job instructing them and we're proud to say it's difficult to tell that they are new graduates. Our Club has enjoyed a very successful and enjoyable year, thanks to Glenn Cooke calling our squares and the Bissey's and Bellotti's on our rounds. Visitor participation has been high all year, and we would like to extend our thanks to all of them for their continued support.

Our summer workshops are now in progress on Thursday evening from 8 pm to 10:30 with our own Glenn Cooke at the Churchill School. We will also be holding summer dances in July and August. See our ad on page 4/ for more information. We are proud to announce that we will again be participating in a s/d demonstration at the Middlesex County Fair, August 12th at 9:30 pm with Glenn Cooke at the mike. Open House this year will be September 17 with Bob Bissey calling. Don't let this summer go by without dancing. Grab your date and come on down to the Merri-eights and dance in air-conditioned comfort. See you on the dance floor.

reporters - Bruce Fleck/Irene Wilcox

Scenes from last year's GRADUATES BALL The NNJSDA presidents, Harriette & Sol
Koved announcing new patrons (did you
know we have 93?)...Pam Willis having
her Century Book signed......

1 & 3 Wednesdays

Ah, the "Luck of the Irish!" Our club celebrated St. Patrick's Day with Dick Schweitzer from Syracuse,NY joining Dick Jones in calling an extra special two-for-one dance. The Pennies also called some really enjoyable rounds, We all enjoyed the company of the raiding party from Y Squares and other guests who joined us. Once again the refreshments served afterwards were a big success. This month we raided Hill City and had a great time dancing to Manny Amor. The third Wednesday in June will bring to a close our season. We will all look forward to our first dance on the third Wednesday in September. So do plan on joining us!

reporters - Tom & Kathy Clay

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PRINCETON SQUARES -- Princeton, N.J.

2 & 4 Fridays

Community Park School, Witherspoon Street

Our most exciting news is that Steve Kopman will be our regular caller next year, starting with our opening dance on September 10. We will also have a few guest callers. We are looking forward to an outstanding season. Joan has taken up calling and will teach the class next year. In fact she is already teaching a number of couples who showed up for the second half of our lessons this year, not realizing that it was a contination of the first half. Lee Kopman packed them in the other night at our most successful regular dance this year —— we had over twenty squares, and he called his usual great dance.

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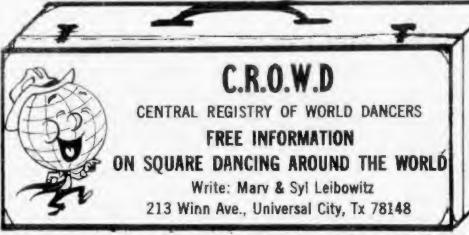
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S/Ding is fun wherever you go USA or New Zealand. The Semendingers danced in NZ at the Cathedral Squares to the calls of Art Shepherd. With apprehension they called the Nuttalls, editor of "Cathedral Ghimes", who took them to the dance. There were 20 sets dancing. It was a

night especially for intermediatesdancing and recent graduates. Art taught Walk & Dodge and Coordinate. There was no problem understanding the caller

and a delight to be dancing with the friendly New Zealanders.

Art Taylor writes.....on my recent trip "Down Under" with the Edison Camera Club I was able to enjoy a wonderful evening s/ding with the Cathedral Squares of Christchurch, NZ. With the help of our own Peg Tirrell, I contacted Gordon & Gwen Nuttall, concerning dancing. It was on Thanksgiving day, which incidentally in not celebrated in NZ. Gwen picked me up at 6:45 for the dance; unfortunately our hotel was giving our group a free Thanksgiving dinner at 7 PM, which I had to pass up to go s/ding. Art Shepherd was the caller, and his wife Blanche cued the rounds. The club members were most friendly and the dancing great. About 9:30, 25 members of my camera tour "raided" the dance! Quite a sensation! and somewhat of a "First" in s/ding. After the dinner the group decided to come to watch me dance, and all in party dress popped in! It was a BALL, everyone had a grand time, mostly ME EVEN if I did miss my Turkey Dinner. It was a great thanksgiving!

Contact CROWD before leaving on your vacation for places to dance. If time runs short, contact the Tirrells who will be glad to pass on contact names from their exchange magazines and where to dance files. Have fun!



SUMMER

FUN

MAY

14- Hanover Squares - Steve Kopman (see page 21)

15- Staten Square Set - Cliff Brodeur

16- Cross Trail Squares bicentennial 2-5:30 Cameron/Sweeney

21- Tenakill Twirlers - Live Music - Chip Hendrickson

22- Ramapo Squares - Steve Kopman

22- Richmond Dancers - Pot Luck Supper

28- Y Squares - Bob Mitchell (see page 31)

JUNE

5- Dancing Squares - Mike Foley (see page 3)

6- CCNJ - New Callers Club - (see page 2)

9- Circle Eights Dinner Dance at SHOWCASE, Cresskill, NJ

11- Ocean Waves - Frannie Heintz (see page 42)

18- Merri-Eights - Dinner Dance

20- CCNJ - New Callers Club (see page 2)

24- Hix & Chix - Bruce Vertun - K of C, Bridle Way, Paramus, NJ

25- Y Squares - Bob Kellogg Scotch Plains, NJ (see page 16)

30- NNUSDA - BASKING RIDGE, NJ- Mike Foley; R/D by Pennies

JULY
1- Hix & Chix - Mike Foley - K of C Hall, Bridle Way, Paramus, NJ

2- .Cloverleafs - Allen Tipton (see page 34)

5- Petruska Park, Farview Avenue, Paramus, NJ (see page 12)

7- NNJSDA - BERGEN MALL, Paramus, NJ-Bruce Vertun; R/D by Alberts

8- Hix & Chix - Ray Turcotte (see July 1)

9-11 - Campers at Tohickon, PA (see page 33)

9- Y Squares - Scotch Plains, NJ - Bob Kellogg (see page 16)

10- M T Squares - VFW, Iselin, NJ - Marty Clifford (see page 6)

12- Petruska Park, Paramus, NJ - Western Wheelers (see page 12)

12- Stan's Patriotic Squares - Nutley, NJ (see page 29)

14- NNJSDA -Middlesex College, Edison, NJ- Mike Cleary; R/D - Dave Smythe

15- Hix & Chix - Mike Foley (see July 1)

16- Merri-Eights - Glenn Cooke, South River, NJ (see page 41)

17- Kuntry Kuz'ns - Bob Mitchell, Franklin, NJ (see page 20)

194 Covered Bridge Squares - Nutley, NJ (see page 7)

19- Western Wheelers - Petruska Park, NJ (see page 12)

21- NNUSDA - BERGEN MALL, Paramus, NJ- Bob Kellogg; R/D by the Kelloggs

22- Hix & Chix - Bruce Vertun (see July 1)

23- Y Squares - Scotch Plains, NJ (see page 16)

24- M.T. Squares - VFW, Iselin, NJ - Bob Kellogg (see page 6)

25- Sussex Spinners - Gary Shoemake - Lafayette, NJ (see page 36)

26- Stan's Patriotic Squares - (see page 29)

26- Western Wheelers - Petruska Park, Paramus, NJ (see page 12)

28- NNJSDA - Middlesex College, Edison, NJ - Betsy Seele-Gotta; R/D Bellottis

29- Hix & Chix - Dick Maddocks (see Jule 1)

30- Merri-Eights - South River, NJ (see page 41)

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- 2- Western Wheelers Petruska Park, Farview Avenue, Paramus, NJ (page 1
- 4- NNJSDA Parsippany, NJ Dick Pasvolsky; R/D by Tirrells
- 5- Hix & Chix K of C, Bridle Way, Paramus, NJ Ray Turcotte
- 6- Cloverleafs Bergen Mall, Paramus, NJ Lee Kopman (see page 34)
- 6- Merri-Eights South River, NJ Glenn Cooke (see page 41)
- 7- Kuntry Kuz'ns Glenn Cooke Franklin, NJ (see page 20)
- 9- Stans Patriotic Squares Nutley, NJ (see page 29)
- 9- Western Wheelers Petruska Park, Farview Avenue, Paramus, NJ (Page 12)
- 11- NNJSDA Middlesex College, Edison, NJ-Marty Clifford; R/D by Shipmans
- 12- Hix & Chix Mike Foley (see August 5)
- 13-15 Campers at SoHi Campground, NY (see pages 33 & 22)
- 13- Y Squares Scotch Plains, NJ Bob Kellogg (see page 16)
- 14- M T Squares V F W, Iselin, NJ Bill Chamberlain (see page 6)
- 16- Covered Bridge Squares Nutley, NJ (see page 7)
- 16- Western Wheelers Paramus, NJ (see page 12)
- 18- NNJSDA -Bergen Mall, Paramus, NJ Jim Marshall; R/D by Shearwoods
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SEPTEMBER

- 2- Hix & Chix K of C, Bridle Way, Paramus, NJ- guest caller
- 3- Cloverleafs Paramus, NJ Dan Spath (see page 34)
- 4- Kuntry Kuz'ns Franklin, NJ (see page 20)

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(MONDAY - South River, NJ - June 14-Aug 30; Bob Kellogg (see page 23) Stillwater, NJ - May - June 14- Kittatinny Rangers

TUESDAY - Lafayette, NJ - July 6- Aug 24; Sussex Spinners (see page 36) Sparta, NJ -May 4,18; June 1,14; Sussex Spinners (see page 36)

THURSDAY - Clark, NJ- July 8-Sept 2; Lee Kopman (see page 26)

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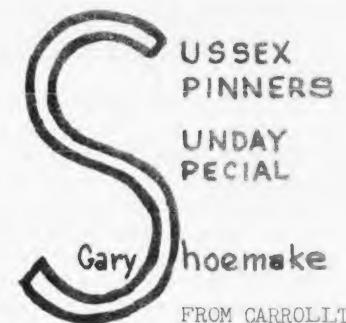
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OCEAN WAVES SQUARE DANCE CLUB -- Tottenville, Staten Island, N.Y. Guthrie Memorial Hall, 42 Brighton St. 2 & 4 Fridays

Happy birthday America - sure has been a fun year. Our graduation will be very special this year. With our largest class ever, Mike Cleary has really done an outstanding job. Congratulations to all the new graduates Also, congratulations and much happiness are sent to Mike & Barbara as May draws near. Mike and Barbara will become Mr. & Mrs. this May and all Ocean Waves send their love.

Badge night was a night to remember. I just don't know how Sandy kept all the waffles and ice cream flowing. It sure was tasty. And What stunts! Tito Gamarra called for the group for amateur night and he kept everyone in stitches with all his antics! And what a way to go...every caller should have all the girls run up and give him kisses. Marty Clifford joined in too with Tito and Mike Cleary to give us a session on a "Hot Mike". Dick Leger gave us a super time with wonderful calling, his quitar and all his new steps and contra dances. He's really a terrific caller. Dave Hass will be here after graduation to wind up April. In May Dana Blood and Bob Bissey will be here with all the spring flowers. And don't forget our June Frannie Heintz special. What a way to wrap up a season of dancing. Join the fun and laughing and just wait til you see all the surprises in store. (see ad on page 42) Have a happy and healthy summer and we'll see you dancing!

reporter - Kathie Finn

212-948-5797

TRAVELLING this summer??? Pack your s/d clothes..... Going SOUTH? FONTANA Village Resort, Fontana Dam, NC 28733 has 10 dance vacations annually - See last GRAND SQUARE or write for info NORTH? To the ADIRONDACKS? Northway Squares features S/D all week of August 8 - 14; Write Mary & Bill Jenkins Mockingbird Hill in Minerva Olmstedville, NY 12857 for more info on that week or other dance info....

2 & 4 Saturdays

Heights School, Seminole Avenue

Happiness is dancing at Ramapo Squares! Apparently that's what a lot of people have thought, for they've come from near and far to prove this point during the last year. Of course, we've had an impressive list of callers, led by none other than Lee Kopman. Our guest callers have included many very popular and familiar people as well as a few who were new to this area. One in the former category, namely Kerry Stutzman, has regretably told us that because of the great distance between here and his home he will be unable to be with us in the future. Thanks for the memories, Kerry. But it wasn't all great square dancing at Ramapo; our rounds were super too, Heights School having provided an excellent floor and Doc & Peg Tirrell some of the best cueing available.

The Sunday Night Workshops have been an unqualified success and were graced on one occasion by Steve Kopman - live! A memorable evening indeed! As this season draws to a close we would remind everyone that the first dance of the new season will be on September 25th. The Fall GRAND SQUARE will contain an ad with a list of next year's callers. Until then, Happy Summer! reporters - Ann & Jack Pope 201-825-1925



1 & 3 Fridays

REELERS -- Ironia, N.J.

Elementary School, Dover-Chester Road

With the classes graduating and entering clubs, let us dedicate ourselves to welcoming and helping them make this important transition. Congratulations to Pat & Moira Zweibel who turned out an energetic class and to Wilson Hoff whose patience and work paid off again in the form of new dancers for Ironia.

Next years' officers, taking office in June are Jim & Lois Drake repeating as presidents; Jim & Althea Boutilette coming in as VP's; Jim & Norma Fowler Secretaries, and Ted & Marolyn Wingard returning as Treasurers. The club is indebted to the Zweibels who have served as Treasurers and VP's over the past few years. It has been our pleasure to serve our club as secretaries.....Ruth & Steve Douglass received the Purple Heart badge at the Callers Council Festival in February by being in a square with three caller couples. Such devotion and effort. The Festival dance was attended by a large contingent from Ironia. Have a happy.....73... reporters - Gene & Marietta Filipponi 201-335-4674

A Directory of NY State Clubs, Callers/Leaders is being compiled in conjunction with the First Annual New York State Federation Convention on July 23-24, 1976. Inquiries & info should be sent to the Bouverats at 404 Kirsch Drive, Syracuse, NY 13211. This convention will be a showcase of NY Talent. Registrars are Al & Ginny Eichmann RD #3, Fulton, NY 13069.

Blake Hall, Cook College, Rutgers Univ.

Congratulations to our newly-elected club officers! Sue Koch was voted for a second term as president (serves her right for doing such a fine job!) Debbie Zering will be VP, Sue Morris is treasurer, and Gee Wong & Joy Yourison will be secretaries. (This will also be Gee's second term in office.) Karen Williams, who has created such beautiful decorations for our specials, has agreed to continue her efforts fro another year. Representatives for NNJSDA and Bucks/Trenton are Craig Sherman & Bruce Bauman for the former and Louise DiMarco for the latter. Finally, Helen Tenenbaum is - you guessed it - our new GRAND SQUARE reporter.

About twenty hardy 'soles' (oops) ventured down to the Washington Festival....seems that it's better every year. Recently we participated in a fund-raising flea market in April...fortunately there's always someone who can be conned into buying a smelly old pair of sneakers! Welcome to

our newly graduated class - now, get out there and DANCE!

reporter - Chris Galbreth ! 609-428-8398

SOLITAIRES -- Nutley, N.J.
St. Paul's Parish House

1 & 3 Sundays

We hope all new graduates - single or couples - will join us some afternoon. We will be dancing ALL summer on 2nd & 4th Sundays and then in Sept go back to 1st & 3rd's, skipping Sept. 5. Our graduation dance will be the end of May. We will also be celebrating our FIRST Anniversary with a dance & pot luck in June. See our ads for time. Congratulations to our newlyweds Linda & Charlie Morrison.



Dance your way thru the Summer but Join us in September for: Jack Lasry - Sept. 26 - 8-11 P.M. Clint McLean - Dec. 5 - 2-5 P.M. Dick Leger - Feb. 20 - 2-5 P.M. Thank you for your fabulous support this year!

Rutgers Promenaders

Sue koch 246-9860

-- Castleton Corners, Staten Island, N.Y. RICHMOND DANCERS St. John's Lutheran Church, 663 Manor Road 2 & 4 Saturdays

With spring upon us, we're looking forward to an eventful bicentennial summer celebrating the birth of our country 200 years ago. Many celebrations have already started in which s/ding plays an important part. Congratulations to all new graduates. You will enjoy making new friends in the s/d world. Marty Clifford has turned out another excellent class of dancers. The Apple Festival was a success under Paul & Bea Tooker and their committee. The Spring Bicentennial Dance was well done by Jim and Sue Valentino and their committee. Flo & Joe DeSano managed the whole enjoyable evening with so many things to do, their committee outdid themselves. All the angels had their halos on, having an enjoyable evening as well as our new graduates. Don't forget to get those reservations in for the pot luck dinner with Dick Pasvolsky calling and Frank & Shirley ellotti on rounds. Call our chairman Bob & Madaline Merkler for reservations 212-356-2157, reporters-Al & Mary Ingram 212-442-5521

SEE SAW SQUARES -- Pearl River, N.Y. Evans Park School, Marion Place 1 & 3 Saturdays

Jules! Olympic Weekend was a huge success. See Saw members as well as dancers from many other clubs had a wonderful time. The Shearwoods did a really fine job on the rounds. The food was delicious and a good time was had by all. We had our graduation. The covered dish supper was a gourmet's delight. Bouquets of Forsythia filled the room. Our graduates danced so well, if it weren't for the Carnations they wore, you wouldn't be able to tell them apart from the other dancers. Phil & Brenda Verderosa, the presidents of the graduating class did a beautiful job. Clem Hayes recited a poem he wrote to Jules. It was followed by another by John Mc Vicker. Then Anne Ryan led the graduates in a song, a parody also written by Clem. Dick & Dottie Meyers brought very special guests Peter Richardson and his taw, Jean. A s/d caller from Dorset, England. called a tip and it was great. You never heard anyone do a better Cockney accent than a real Cockney!

Jules will be calling for the Bicentennial clelbration at the Nanuet Mall the Fourth of July. It will be club level dancing and also audience participation. Since there will be a lot of Bicentennial dances, parties, etc. I thought I would pass on to you a delicious and nretty Red, White & Blue Gelatin Mold. (No room-see page 44) Looking forward to dancing with 914-354-4350 reporter - Hilda Berger you.

MAY SPECIAL

May 21 - LIVE MUSIC with Chip Hendrickson calling Regional H.S. on Knickerbocker Rd., Demarest, NJ special free dangle to all from Tenakill Twirlers



Everyone is talking 'levels of s/ding', especially CALLERLAB. A definitive structure will soon be offer ed and NNJSDA with CCNJ, and in conjunction with Callerlab, will provide all dancers and clubs the way-with-all to constructively evaluate the level their club is dancing. This will not label clubs, which

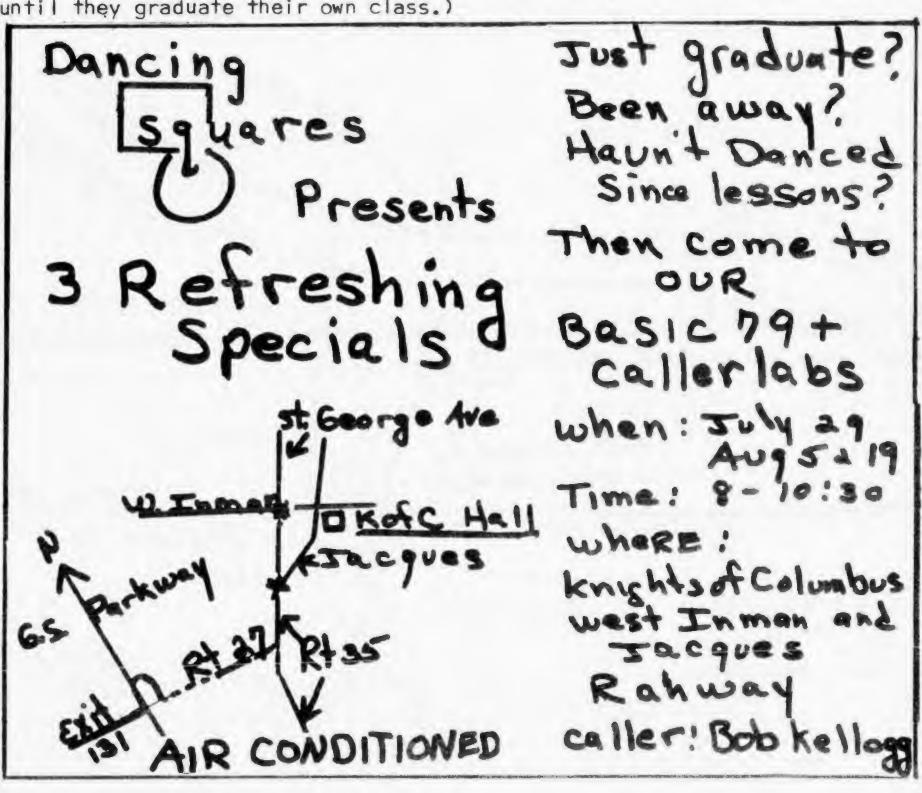
will be constantly changing their level, but will label the part of the program the club is currently dancing. CCNJ is convinced this approach will cut the loss of dancers and graduates. It should also help each club have a more successful dance program. The ultimate result; more dancers and larger club attendance.

CCNJ is underwriting a "New Callers Club". It provides the callers, without a club, the opportunity to gain experience. Check the flyers and page 2 for dates and locations.

Your comments and suggestions are invited to help us in the planning of our future endeavors.

Due to space limitations this message was delayed, but it is just as vital, perhaps even more so. The word is Be Helpful - Be friendly. Remember - you, too, were once a beginner. Remember - here can be the new members, and in time, new officer for YOUR club. Here they come! By the hundreds - GRADUATES,

wearing shiny club badges, brand new S/D clothes, and bubbling with enthusiasm of a brand new bride and groom. Beneath this facade are nerves by the bundle, and the hope that square dancers are as friendly, helpful, and understanding as they've been told. Everyones effort is needed to help OUR new friends bridge that awesome gap from graduate to confident "club dancer". Check with other clubs and be sure their dancing level has been altered to accommodate your Grads. (Most clubs' levels are at their peak until they graduate their own class.)



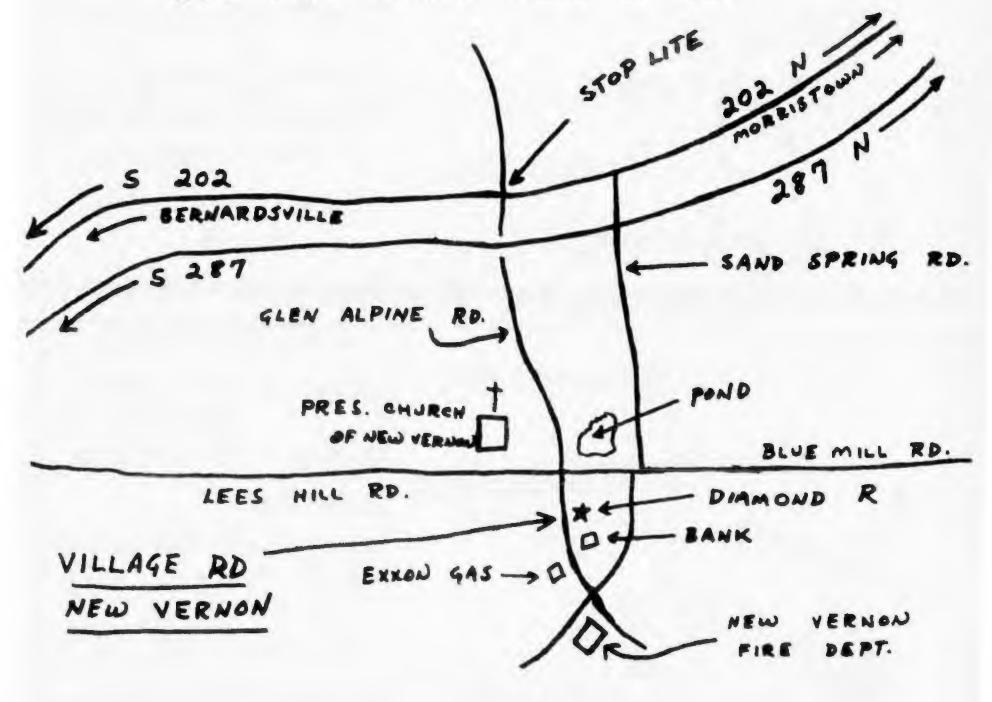
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SQUARE DANCE SHOP



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Our dance season, starring Carl Hanks and the Pennies, draws to a close in June. Following our May Bicentennial Dance, we will dance again later in May. This is the night of our Anniversary Dance with all NEW GRADUATES welcome FREE of charge. Our Dance Week-end, with Al Brundage and Carl Hanks calling, will be over Memorial Day Weekend in Wilkes Barre PA. Then in early June we will have our last dance of the season - our Pot Luck Supper. Join us!!! Then on to vacations, and back in September the 14th, to be exact - same time, same place, same great caller!! See you!!!.

GARDEN STATE SQUARE DANCE CAMPERS

1976 Schedule

June 11-13 Timothy Lake C.G., Pa. - Gordon Lentz
July 9-11 Tohickon C.G., Pa. - Don Atkinson
Aug. 13-15 SoHi C.G., N.Y. - Bob Mitchell
Sept. 10-12 Otter Lake C.G., Pa. - Dick Schweitzer
Dance fees for guests - \$10.00/couple/weekend.
Guests must make own reservations with campground.
No non-camping guests permitted at dances.
For futher information contact McKay (201) 538-0756

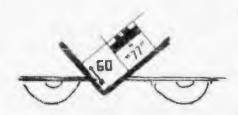
STATEN SQUARE SET -- Elm Park, Staten Island, N.Y.

1 & 3 Saturdays St. Adalbert's Hall, 363 Morningstar Road

With the s/d season drawing to a close, the "door" automatically opens to a full summer of dancing for new graduates and experienced s/ders alike. We've had some exciting moments at our Club Dances these past few months which we would like to share with you. The most romantic was the announcement of the engagement of a beautiful couple from the Western Wheelers, Al Rosa and Helen Goddard. The fact is, Al actually proposed to Helen while posing for a picture alongside the Wedding Cake at our Love & Marriage Special! What could be more appropriate! Needless to say, Helen accepted & their wedding took place April 3rd at the First Congregational Church in Park Ridge, NJ, followed by a S/D Reception! What else? We all wish them a successful marriage with many happy years of s/ding together..... Steve & Dorothy Musial paid us a surprise visit that same evening and, at our following dance in March, Joe & Rita Botta. Ray & Bobbie Kauffman, Paul & Helen Loeb, Carl & Marie Kulp and Bill & Flo Richute, all from the Pen-Del and Penn-Jersey Districts visited SSS. We were delighted to welcome them. We are proud to report that our own Gene & Nina Borelli & Jack & Gladys Wall are participants in the Anaheim Convention Demonstration. Our Annual Dinner/Dance on a Saturday in July winds up SSS's season with Al Brundage calling squares & George & Janet on rounds. See Matt & Bev Blaine, Chairman, for tickets or anyone on the Executive Board for information. Please come dance with us!

Don't let yourselves get rusty this summer. Take advantage of all the workshops and dances in air-conditioned halls as often as you can. You will be a happier Dancer in the Fall! It has been our pleasure to report for SSS these past two years. Thank you for reading us. We're looking forward to squaring up with all of you - so y'all come join us for a tip! reporters - Ray & Sandy LaVigne 212-447-5986

^{1978 -} make your vacation plans now for August 17 - 19, 1978 - attend a Canadian National S & R/D Convention in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada!



ON THE ROAD with Ray & Sandy for the 26th National

We'd like to thank all who who joined us in our travels. A brief re-cap....February - raided Rutgers
Promenaders Special with 2+ squares; Covered Bridge
with 3 squares. March - happy bus load to Wallingford

PA and too many to count among the 86 sets at Boardwalk Booster Ball in Caldwell. A great big THANK YOU to Frank & Helen Cavanaugh for the gargantuan job of organizing the Booster Ball. And to all the other dancers who gave of their time & talents to make this a smashing success! The response to Ray's calls for donations of goodies for refreshments was overwhelming. Bill & Ailene Ostlund had the same response in their area.

By the time this goes to press, the New England Convention in Portland Maine in April, the S/Ders Round Up on SI and the Bicentennial Booster Dance in AC will be glorious, happy memories.

Please join us on the following promotional visits: May 16 - Cross Trail Bicentennial, Bloomfield College, NJ

June 6 - Pen-Del Summer Frolic Dinner/Dance, Widener College, Chester, PA

June 13- International Folk Festival, Middlesex College, Edison, NJ Contact the Cavanaugh 201-985-1428 if you can participate.

Have a wonderful summer and remember to wear your convention outfits

wherever you travel. Keep in touch with us, and if you hear of a good special dance where we can make a promotional visit, please send us the details. This column may be used as a guide and invitation to join us wherever we go. For more information, please contact us—Ray & Sandy LaVigne 212-447-5986 107 Constant Ave., SI.,NY 10314



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BERGEN MALL AUDITORIUM ROUTE 4, PARAMUS, N. J.

Hot Hash after regular dance

squares 8:30 — 11:00
Peg & Doc Tirrell
teach R.O.M. at 8:00

JUNE 4 DUECE WILLIAMS

JULY 2 ALLEN TIPTON

AUGUST 6 LEE KOPMAN

SEPTEMBER 3 DAN SPATH

OCTOBER 1 CHUCK STINCHCOMB



*advanced dancing using basic calls within the knowledge of one year post-graduate a good club level dancer but dancing recommended in unexpected combinations.

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SQUARE DANCE AND WORKSHOP FOR RECENT GRADUATES

10 week session

This program will concentrate on the mainstream club calls beyond the basic 79.

PLACE: Somerset Hills YMCA

35 Mill St., Bernardsville, N. J.

TIME: Every Saturday, June 12 thru Aug. 14, 1976

8:30 PM to 11:00 PM

CALLER: Bob Tarrant, Basking Ridge, N. J. 766-5628

cost: \$3.50 per couple

NOTE: DUE TO LIMITED SPACE, PLEASE CALL TO LET US KNOW YOU ARE COMING. Best time to call is 6 -7 PM.

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THANK YOU SOMERSET HILLS 100% GRAND SQUARE Booster members!!!

NNJSDA Roster addendums

HANOVER SQUARES - now s/d 8-10:30; no early r/d teach
MERRI-EIGHTS - dances year round 1st & 3rd Fridays

R/D cuers- David Smythe 2 Jelin St, New Brunswick, NJ 08901 201-828-9252 Marie & Stan Shipman RD 2, Rt 211 East, Middletown, NY10940 914-692-4166

2 & 4 Fridays

SUSSEX SPINNERS -- Sparta, N.J.

Alpine Schoo

Alpine School, Andover Road

Spring is here! In April 51 students will be graduating to the theme, "The Best is Yet to Come" under the steady guidance of our caller, Bruce Vertun, who always does a wonderful job; Many thanks, Bruce. A big THANK YOU to our Vice Presidents, Paul & Marie Henaby, who were in "Charge of the Class": Our Angels, Members and "Good Guys" from members and students. We raided Staten Square Set in February, enjoying their "Love & Marriage" theme very much and had a wonderful evening of fellowship and dancing. Later in February we held the Second Annual Presidents Ball, which was a huge success, under the guiding hands of our Chairman, Mr. Ed Bell, and his charming wife, Alva. There were 17 Association clubs represented by their Presidents; 4 Non-association clubs; and all 14 officers of the N NJSDA, the Vice-President and wife of the Garden State Campers Group. All toll, we had 56 presidents, vice presidents, and officers. to all who helped make this event a very pleasant night. A wonderful time was had by all. The squares were called by Mr. Joe Euebelacker and the rounds were cued by Jean & Jesse Elrod. Their fine calling made the evening a great success. In March we elected a new slate: President, Paul & Marie Henaby; 1st VP, Bob & Elaine Loomis; 2nd VP Joe & Jackie Critchley, who will be in charge of our new class this fall; Secretary, Mickey & Connie Quinn, Treasurer, Harold & Elizabeth Wyckoff - to these new officers, we wish them a very pleasant and successful year. To our present president, Bob & Jean Billings, and their staff of officers, we give many thanks for their hard work and efforts to guide our club. You did a wonderful job, Thanks again. "Oh Yea!" Watch for flyers for our July Special with Gary Shoemake calling...and for our graduation level dancing this spring...and summer workshops. Happy dancing to all square and round dancers. reporters - Frank & Margaret Hopper 201-697-7682

Maywood Avenue School

By a lucky coincidence we had Tim Ryan calling our St. Patrick Day dance. Swingin' Stars has been lucky with all its visiting callers, if we go by the responses of our dancers. Because Tim forgot his record, he called an Irish tune without music and then announced that the dancers qualified for a special dangle. Our peripatetic President, Art Taylor, was the only visiting officer from this area at the Somerset Hills Presidents Ball. We are lucky to have such a grand P.R. man who travels all over representing our club. Our membership committee took this occasion to praise the enthusiastic and hardworking crew who rejuvenated our club from the brink of bankruptcy to the summit of success. This praise was a presentation of a dangle with two large S's, meaning Swingin' Sweetheart or Someone Special. And finally the girls outdid themselves by arranging an attractive Irish table to fit the occasion. Have a good summer of happy dancing. reporter - Evelyn Olsen 201-768-7446

8:00 TO IO:30 P.M.

2nd AND 4th Fri's

SUSSEX

SPINNERS

ALPINE SCHOOL CLUB CALLER BRUCE VERTUN*

MAY I4 *BRUCE VERTUN*

MAY 28 RED CORRELL

JUNE II *BRUCE VERTUN*

SEPT IO *BRUCE VERTUN* SEPT 24 CHUCK STINCHCOMB

7:30 -8:00 WORKSHOP

SPARTA, N.J.

ROUNDS

CONNELYS 2nd Fri's

ELRODS 4th Fri's

SPECIAL POST GRADUATION DANCES

MAY 4th AND 18th BRUCE VERTUN

JUNE 15 AND 15th BRUCE VERTUN

7:30 TO IO:15 P.M.

ALPINE SCHOOL -- SPARTA N.J.



with GARY SHOEMAKE

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TENAFLY SQUARES -- Demarest, N.J.

JULY 25

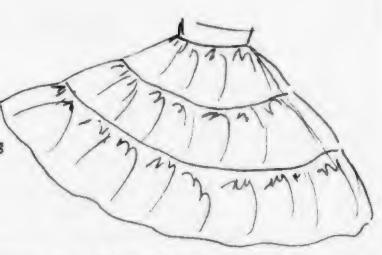
2nd Friday

-- Demarest, N.J.
Baptist Church, 563 Piermont Road

Your reporter wants to remind all you new graduates to come on over to our club and dance with us. You will gain experience with us and we need each other. Our terrific caller, Bob Mitchell and our great round dance cuer Doc Tirrell will keep you dancing happily. Our May dance will wind up our season — it will be pot luck — with a bit of bicentennial. Let's have fun — the red, white and blue carpet is out for you. If we do not get some volunteers for officers this may also be our last dance— got any idea? If so, please let us know. As one dancer said, We don't dance high level, but for fun, food and fellowship, Tenafly Squares can't be beat!" reporter — Frank & Glendora Rovere 201-568-2593

The SQUARE PINCUSHION makes a 3-tier skirt.....

For the benefit of newer dancers we will repeat some of the earlier articles and update instructions accordingly.



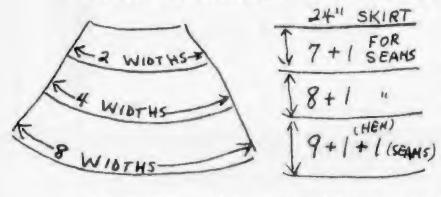
The beauty of square dance clothes is the fact that they are classics...they know no fashion season, with a few changes can be adaptable to the current mode or simply cared with love and worn many years over.

The 3-tier skirt is the basis for a good square dance wardrobe. With the addition of a few good fitting basic bodices or blouses many combinations are possible.

There are a few rules for a skirt to be lovely and one that draws compliments whenever it's worn:

- 1. Never skimp. The top tier should always be at least 2 yards around.
- 2. The tiers should be graduated, shortest tier at the top, widest at the bottom.
- 3. The bottom tier twice as wide as center tier, center tier twice as wide as top tier.
- 4. ALWAYS work from the bottom up.
- 5. Never sew side seam closed till all gathering is done.

Decide on desired length, divide that figure by thirds, that will be the finished width of center tier, subtract 1" to give width of top tier, and add 1" to give width of bottom tier. Add 1" to all widths for seams and an additional 1-2" for hem allowance(depends on how you wish to finish it) to bottom tier.



Cut 2 widths of 45° fabric for top tier, 4 widths for center & 8 widths for bottom. Plus waist band or bodice. Sew each set of strips together to make 1 long strip per tier. Gather bottom tier evenly onto center tier, gather center tier

evenly onto top tier. Gather top tier to fit waistline. Sew side or back seam up to point where zipper will be inserted. Finish by adding waistband or bodice. Try on, and adjust hemline, hem by machine if possible, holds up better in the long run. You can trim and machine embroider till your heart's content.

REMEMBER- the prettiest skirts are not too short nor too long and the complimentary petticoat is 1" shorter than the finished skirt or dress. A little extra care in planning pays long dividends in wearing. Better 1 basic full skirt than 2 skimpy ones. Have fun.....

Your SQUARE PINCUSHION

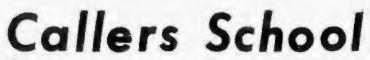
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3rd Friday

The fates seemed to be determined to keep our travelers from Pearl River. First the flu bug struck so many of us that a visit to See Saws was cancelled. Then a storm caused the cancellation of Hi Taws dance. The TTT made it, however, on the next week and had a thoroughly enjoyable visit. Our March dance may come after St. Patty's Day, but there was a lot of the wearin' of the green in Bryan School anyhow. Chip has been giving us an extra bonus by way of contra dances, mostly of historical significance in with the nation's bicentennial celebration.

The club welcomed seven couples of new graduates and those enthusiastic people have been seen dancing up a storm all over Northern New Jersey. In March the Tirrell Twirlers acted as hosts to two European callers - Peter Richardson of England and Jac Fransen of Holland) who were visiting our area. This happy evening of dancing enabled us to meet callers from overseas and add signatures to our century books. All proceeds went to defray the callers expenses to the USA. We discovered that you haven't really lived until you've worked out "Dive thru, pass thru, star thru and California twirl" with a Dutch accent. As for the "'eads star!!!!" - that cockney accent!!!!! (We wish Malcolm Davis who was a house guest of the Pullmans had had a chance to come call, but he arrived several days too late.) The May dance is moved to Demarest at the Northern Valley Regional High so mark your calendars accordingly - see our ad for more info- and earn your special dangle. We know we'll see you all at this popular annual event. reporters - Dorothy & Paul Pullman 201-568-5138



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WARREN WHEELERS -- Port Murray, N.J.

2 & 4 Thursday

Mansfield Elementary School, Rt. 57

We made it! This is our last attempt at reporting. Our new officers will be presidents Kathryn & Fred Hill; Ist VP Jerry & Earl O'Dell; 2 VP Kathy & Dave Mulraney; Treas. Jean & Jim Sandt; Sec'y Bertie & Roger Hicks. Good luck in the coming year. We held our graduation the end of March and 24 new dancers have ventured forth. The end of April we are presenting our two hour Bicentennial program for the first time as a thank you for allowing us to hold classes at Liberty Township School. We've been learning minuets, lancers, contras and Eastern Squares - all leading up to modern Western s/ding. Our thanks to Wilson Hoff for his patience and theloyal dancers who helped put it together.

Our last dance will be a covered dish dinner-dance; and our workshops will continue every Monday until June. We have been trying to plan some summer dances, but no luck so far. If we can come up with something, we will let everyone know. We will reopen September 9th. Thanks to all who supported our dances during the past season and thanks too, to our out-go-

ing officers. See you in the Fall - Have a Happy Summer.

201-993-7208

BABY TALK

HI-HAT Round Dance Record # 946

Dick Cary Band

(Footwork Opposite, Directions for M except as noted)

INTRO: (Open-Fcg) (1) WAIT; (2) WAIT; (3) APT,-, PT,-; (4) TOG (to SCP),-, TCH,-;

1-4 From Open-Facing pos do a standard Intro ending in SCP facing L OD;

PART A

(1) FWD TWO-STEP; (2) FWD TWO-STEP; (3) (Hitch-Scis) FWD, CLOSE, BA CK (to Bjo),-; (4) (Scis) SIDE, CLOSE, CROSS (Check in SCar), -; *(Scis is modified...check details)

1-2 In SCP do 2 fwd two-steps LOD L, R, L, -; R, L, R, -;

- M hitch fwd on L, close R, back L (W scis swd LOD on R, close L, cross thru twd RLOD on R) to end in Bjo pos M still fcg LOD, -;
- Face partner and step swd RLOD on R, close L,*cross R in back of L twd LOD & check bwd motion (W swd RLOD on L, close R, cross thru on L with no check) to end in SCar pos with M facing RLOD, -; (Release from partner)
- (5) (Circle Away) TWO-STEP (both CW); (6) (Circle Tog) TWO-STEP (to CP); (7) PIV,-, 2,-; (8) TWIRL,-, 2 (to SCP),-;
 - Both moving fwd (CW) do a small circle away from partner and back together in 2 two-steps L, R, L, -; R, L, R to end in CP with M fcg diag RLOD & Wall, -;

7 Do a couple R-fc pivot in 2 slow steps L,-, R twd LOD, -;

- 8 M walks fwd LOD 2 slow steps L, -, R (W twirls R-fc under joined lead hands) to end in SCP fcg LOD, -;
- (9) F WD TWO-STEP; (10) F WD TWO-STEP; (11) (Hitch-Scis) F WD, CLOSE, BA CK (to Bjo), -; (12) (Scis) SIDE, CLOSE, CROSS (Check in SCar), -;

9-12 Repeat the action of Meas 1 thru 4 of Part A;

- (13)(Circle Away)TWO-STEP(both CW); (14)(Circle Tog)TWO-STEP (to CP); (15) PIV, -, 2,-; (16) TWIRL, -, 2 (to Open-LOD), -;
 - 13-16 Repeat the action of Meas 5 thru 8 Except end in Open pos facing LOD;

PART B

Note: Measures 1 thru 8 of this part should be done in "Charleston" style... live it up. (1) (Open pos) FWD,-, PT,-; (2) BACK,-, PT,-; (3) FWD TWO-STEP; (4) FWD TWO-STEP;

Fwd LOD on L, -, point R fwd (Put a bit of flare in the footwork), -;

2 Bwd RLOD on R, -, point L bwd, -;

- 3-4 Do 2 fwd two-steps LOD L, R, L, -; R, L, R, -;
- (5) (Open pos) FWD, -, PT, -; (6)BACK,-, PT,-; (7) FWD TWO-STEP; (8) FWD TWO-STEP;

 5-8 Repeat the action of the previous 2 meas (1 thru 4, Part B) but End in Bfly;
- (9)(Bfly-Wall) PUSH APART, 2, 3, CLAP; (10) TOG, 2 (to Bfly-SCar), TURN (1/2 L-fc), -; (11) PUSH APART, 2, 3, CLAP; (12) TOG, 2, (to Bfly-SCar), TURN (1/2 L-fc) to Bfly, -;

From Bfly pos M fcg wall back away from partner L, R, L, clap hands at the same time slightly lifting R toe; (Note: These steps should be small.)

- Twd partner 2 long steps (R, L) and take Bfly-SCar pos with M fcg Wall, holding Bfly-SCar pos step around partner on R turning 1/2 L-face to end M fcg COH, -;
- 11-12 Repeat the previous 2 measures to end in Bfly pos with M facing Wall;
- (13-14)(Vine 8) SIDE, BEHD, SIDE, FRONT; SIDE, BEHD, SIDE, MANUV; (15) PIV, -, 2, -; (16) TWIRL, -, 2, (to SCP); (On 2nd time thru end in Open pos fcg LOD)
- 13-14 In Bfly pos vine 8 twd LOD side L, behind on R (both XIB), side L, cross thru on R (both XIF); Side L, behind on R, side L, thru on R & start manuver for couple pivot in next measure;

Blend to CP and do a R-face couple pivot in 2 slow steps L, -, R, -;

M walks fwd LOD 2 slow steps L,-, R (W twirls R-fc under joined lead hands) to end in SCP ready to repeat Part A, -; (2nd time thru end in Open-Facing pos)

DANCE GOES THRU TWICE (A-B-A-B)

Ending: (Open-Facing Pos) (1) SIDE, CLOSE, SIDE, CLOSE; (2) APART,-, POINT,-;
On 2nd time through dance end Part B in Open-facing pos with M facing Wall and M's R hand & W's L hand joined.

1-2 Swd LOD on L, close R, swd L, close R; Apart on L, -, point R (Ack), -;

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reporters - Liv & Bob Carlson

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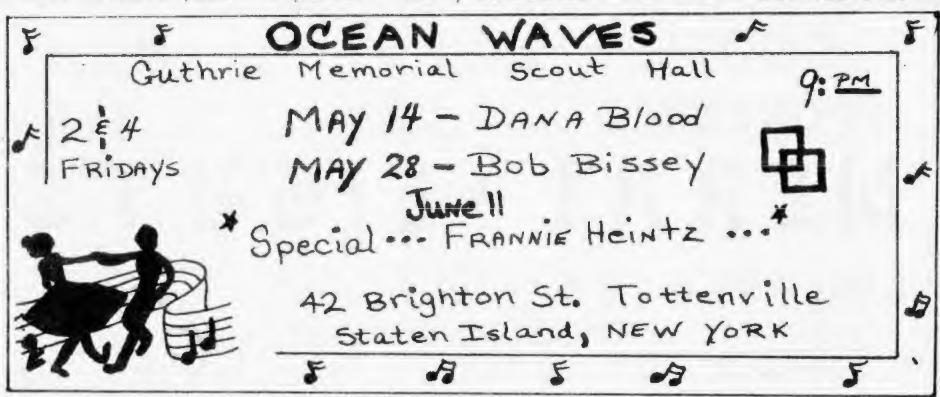
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RIDGE SQUARES -- Basking Ridge, N.J. every Friday 8-10 Methodist Church, S. Finley Avenue

We've just finished our banner - FANTASTIK! Millions of thanks to Paige Billin our designer. Come down and see it sometime! The dancing year is coming to a close. We have had a wonderful year. As always, Mr. Bob Tarrant was in topform. All who attended had a marvelous time. Our president, Janet Rossi, did an exceptional job. Congratulations to all those who are about to graduate. A special thanks to all officers and members for making this a wonderful year. Our season ends in June. We will start new dancing times. NO LONGER will our advanced dancers and beginners dance together! Beginners now dance from 7:30 tp 9:30 and Advanced dancers from 9:00 to 11 pm. The half hour in between is for all to dance. Sometime this summer we hope to have a special dance. Look for our flyers. Why don't some of you teens come on over some Friday night? We'd love to have you. reporter - Betty Lou Bantor 201-766-6409



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Presbyterian Church

We have changed our graduation date to May 13. Our caller will be Mike Foley. Over the Easter vacation we are doing a demonstration. We have been getting ideas for our outfits for the Flemington Fair in August! reporter - Candy Kircher Happy dancing. 201-334-4921

TENAKILL TWILIGHTERS -- Teaneck, N.J. every Monday; 7:30-9:30 Community Church, 360 Elm Avenue

Hi everybody! We're having a great time dancing. Graduation was in March. Among our graduates was Pacu Bailon, an AFS exchange student from Argentina. We'll be hearing wedding bells in July for our caller Mike F Foley and his lovely Betsy Hug. One of our Twilighters, Jamie, is learning to call. A Twilighter father Fred Weiner, and his son, are also learning. We're enjoying all their efforts. We have two demonstrationsone in April at the Hawthorne School in Teaneck and another in May at the B.F. Gibbs school in New Milford.

I regret to inform you of the loss of our dear fellow club member, Mary Jane Hughes, who was my co-reporter and Best friend. She passed away on February 27.

Bye for now and happy dancing. reporter - Denise Hans

You've probably noticed there and many new faces on the Round Dance flot these days - the folks who started lessons last fall and are now participating in the dances they can do. They know quite a few now and will a idly learn many more. If you'd like to join in Round Dancing, contact of the leaders below or ourselves - there'll be many new groups starting lessons this fall.

CLOUD 9'ERS - Jean & Jesse Elrod

Blairstwon,

Our first graduation took place in April. Murray & Dot Truax brough their Scranton Stardusters class & club to visit and dance with us! The exposure to a new cuer was fun for both classes. Workshop-rounds will tinue through early June. A new class will begin Sept. 20 same place. weekly intermediate dance will also start then. In the area contact us at 201-637-4296.

DANCE A ROUNDS - Shirley & Frank Bellotti

Elm Park, SI

The regular dance season's about to close and it's been fun! Our su mer plans are uncertain but please contact us, we're working on them! 212-448-613

DANCING SHADOWS - Bob & Jean Kellogg

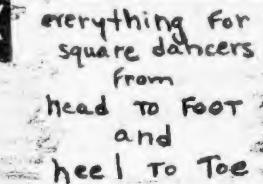
Scotch Plains,

Round Dancing at all levels every 2 & 4 Sundays. (See us re: summer dancing.) Our new R/D class is now swelling the circles at S/D clubs a next fall's new class is almost full! Join the fun! 201-889-417

RAMAPO RHYTHMAIRES - Doc & Peg Tirrell

Oakland,

Winding up 13th year in June; Tho R/R takes a summer hiatus, members usually dance all summer at Tirrell Twirlers in Cresskill. Wonder if D. & John Lutz will go r/ding on their trip to Africa? 201-568-585





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MBLIN' ROUNDS - Barbara & Jim Connelly

Caldwell, NJ

We'll wind up in May. Something new has been added - r/d from 2-4 and en country dancing 4-5. See you in the fall. 201-568-5857

CK-A-ROUNDS - Ed & Les Shearwood

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We will be dancing all summer - on Tuesday evenings 8 - 10:30 starting ly 6 in St. Stephens Hall. Call us for information. 914-429-8332

UND-A-LONGS - Lynn & Bob Long

Califon, NJ

We've advanced our skills this past season in many rhythms and are curntly working on the Tango. There is a lot to practice on this summer! 'II finish the year with a dinner/dance and will start again in Septem-201-832-5878 r.

ATEN STEPPERS - Janet & George Alberts

Staten Island, NY

We're winding up our regular season in June. Summer plans are uncerin but SS can dance with us Monday nights in Cresskill at Tirrell Twirls where we'll be in July when the Tirrells are away. 201-387-0016

RRELL TWIRLERS - Doc & Peg Tirrell

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Graduation was in April. Comes July & August we'll dance every Monday sually the first hour is spent on classics and building a repertoire) th the Alberts doing honors for the vacationing Tirrells. 201-568-5857 LLEY STEPPERS - Tom & Lillian Bradt Paramus, NJ

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We want to take this opportunity before the summer to thank all our guest callers and dancers in helping us get thru this season. Our firs dance in June has been postponed until the end of June which will be ou last dance until after the summer. All graduates are welcome as we dan for fun. We wish every one a very healthy, happy, enjoyable summer.

reporter - Abe & Mina Needleman

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reporters - Ed & Fannie Waldron

201-383-5374

Hi, we held our first dance ever the last Monday in March with 8 sets noing. Everybody had a wonderful time and our 32 new graduates were le to show what they have learned. All present will receive a baby dance for the new club dance. Guests included the Koveds, NNJSDA presidents; e Vertuns, CCNJ presidents and Mary Northrup, president of the Union Cty. H.Association, our sponsors. We all enjoyed the calling of club callers be Merkler and Frank Riviccio and the special tips called by Bruce Vertunetsy Seele-Gotta and Art Seele. As a 4-H club for kids, from 9-90, we re proud of our 3 sets of young people (including a full set of preens). We welcome all ages at our dances and workshops. We had 2 sets ton a demonstration at a school in Union, dancing 2 tips with amateur llers (2 of our teenagers). In June our club will put on demonstrations the Union County 4-H fair in Waranasco Park.

reporters - Mary & Bob Northrup

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2nd Wednesday

WESTERN WHEELERS -- Park Ridge, N.J.

First Congregational Church, 131 Pascack Road

Our graduation was a great event with 13 squares dancing to the melous tones of Ray Turcotte and the Shearwoods. A first for us - a s/d edding! Helen Goddard & Alfred Rosa exchanged marriage vows in the urch where we meet and held a s/d reception in the church hall. Square note attire was worn by all. If it's different, we will do it! Our nual "Tea Dance" at Skylands, which is the first regular event our gradetes get to attend, was enjoyed by all. We will sponsor "Dancing Under e Stars" again this summer at Petruska Park, Paramus. See our ad on ge 12. Ray Turcotte and Jules Pozsar will alternate the calling.

reporters - Hilda & Roy Hansen 201-444-3627 S/D wedding- Al & Helen Rosa at Western Wheelers, April 3, 1976. Best Man, Ray Turcotte; Matron of Honor, Phyllis Turcotte. About 12 squares of s/ders and 3 squares of non-square dancers.

len sang the Lord's Prayer prior to ceremony, unseen by the congregation. When a little room behind the organ and got lost trying to find here by thru the corridors of the church to start her wedding procession down to aisle where Al was waiting nervously in the antercom. When she didn't pear after about 5 minutes the Minister went looking for her and found a sustered bride wandering the endless corridors. Everyone was relieved & the ceremony proceeded without a flaw. It was simply beautiful: (Sandy La Vigne)

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In an effort to better serve their membership, several Executive Boards have asked members to take time to answer some of the following questions...

- 1- How often do you attend our club dances? all 3/4 \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{3}
- 2- Is the level of s/ding too low adequate too high 3- Is the speed of s/ding too slow ok too fast
- 4- Should dance times be kept the same? Should we have a HASH tip?
- 5- Would you object to a 50-50 to offset rise in expenses?
- 6- Would door prizes increase attendance?
- 7- What should we do about badge nites; dancing for dangles?
- 8- Should we start the evening with a S/D workshop? R/Ding?
- 9- Should we sponsor workshops? Would you attend?
- 10- Should we have more specials with various callers?

 Do prefer a club caller or guest callers?

 What callers would you prefer for specials?
- 11- What type of refreshments should we serve? finger food? punch? punch/coffee? sandwiches?
- 12- Should we have a newsletter? How often?
- 13- Should we have an open business meeting? should it be separate from our dance night?
- 14- Should we sponsor S/D classes? R/D classes? If we sponsor S/D classes, will you angel?
- 15- Do we need to decorate the hall?
- 16- How is the sound in our hall?
- 17- How can we improve our attendance? Our dances?
- 18- Comment on: dinner/dance covered dish dance picnics bus rides weekend or resort/campground summer dancing demonstrations multiclub dances
- 19- When a new call is introduced, how many times should it be called again that evening?
- 20- And then a space for any other comments.....

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