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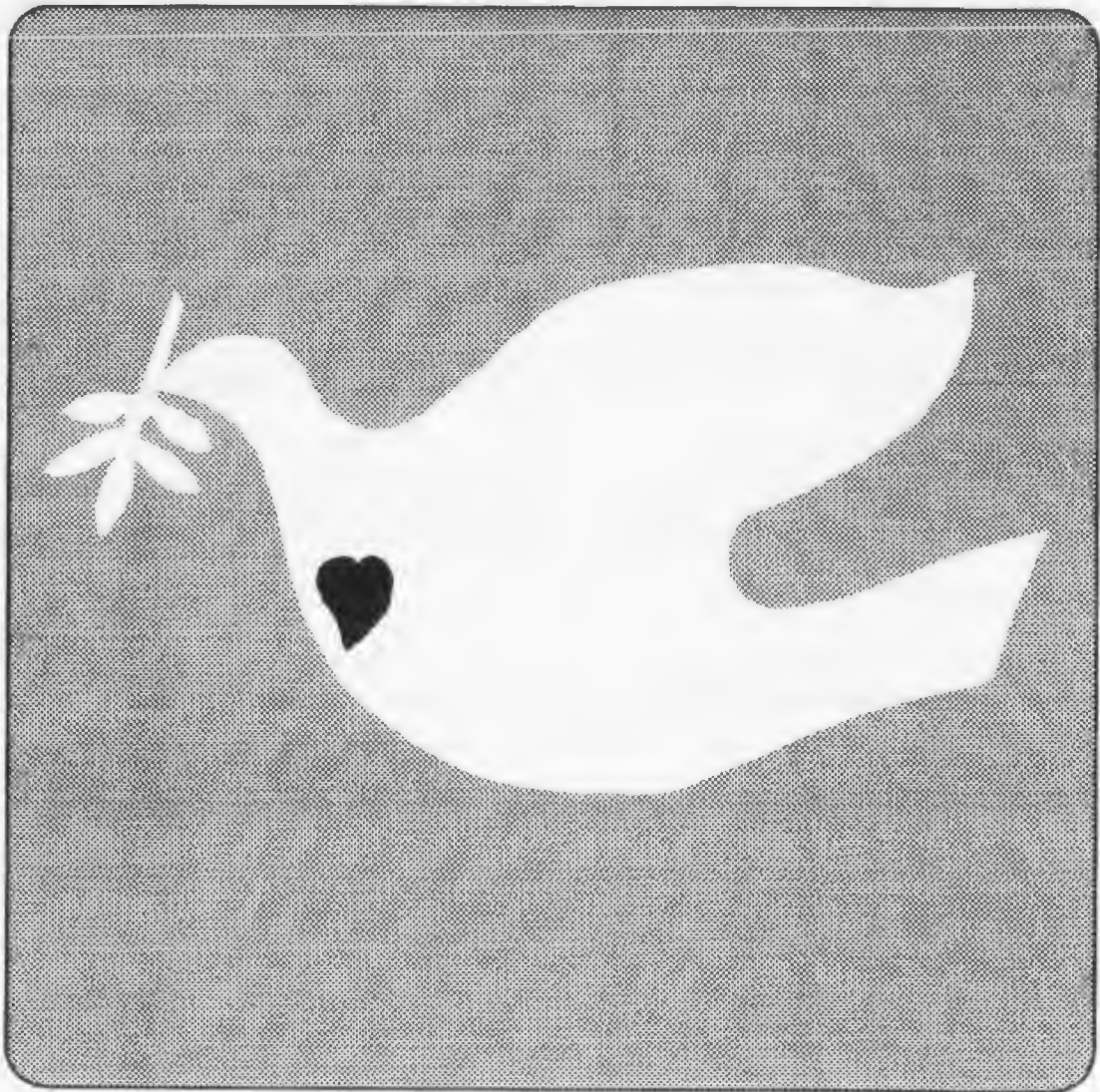
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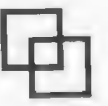
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*From the desk of.....***JOHN & JOAN BERG, NNJSDA PRESIDENTS**



Hi square dancers! Are you listening? Normally, Joan and I reserve this space to tell you about all the good things happening in the "World of Square Dancing." However, we feel it necessary this time to discuss some very disturbing things which have recently occurred in this "Wonderful World" of ours.

When we say ours, we mean "yours and ours."

This past summer we received word that one of our long-standing clubs had voted to close their doors and discontinue dancing. We are referring to **Covered Bridge Squares**. This news was especially sad as they closed their doors not for lack of members, but lack of officers. It seems no one thought enough of the club to take over the leadership. Oh yes, there were many people who served their club over the past years. However, these members thought, and rightly, that it was time for others to jump in and help. It seems everyone wants to dance, but no one wants to participate in club administration. The only place that this attitude will lead is to the suspension of all the clubs. **Think about it.** If there are no clubs, there will be no dances. By the way, Covered Bridge had completed the Raid Program last season.

On Friday, September 30, your Association held their first Special Dance of the season at St. Aloysius Hall. Mike Callahan from Rochester, New York, was calling and Karen Kushla was cueing. All who attended had an outstanding evening and enjoyed themselves. However, there were only 13-1/2 squares in attendance. This was very disheartening to your Association Officers, especially the 1st VPs, Frank & Carol Homer, who work very hard to bring you the finest square dancing in the area. The purpose of these Specials is to provide you the opportunity to dance to callers your clubs would not be able to afford. However,

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**NORTHERN NEW JERSEY  
SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION**

PL

**SPECIAL PLUS DANCE**

**KEN RITUCCI (CT)**  
Calling

**Friday, March 31, 1995**

**8 p.m.**

**Location to be announced**

**Proper Square Dance Attire.  
Absolutely no Boots or High-Heeled Shoes!!!**

**Information:**

**Frank & Carol Homer, 1st VPs**  
908-876-3029

**John & Joan Berg, Presidents**  
201-697-5208

*"ONE SQUARE IS FAIR"*

## NNJSDA CALENDAR

### November '94:

- 13 - 20th Mini-Festival (All Prog.)  
Oxendine (SC), Franks (NJ)  
Leber (PA) & Lock (PA)  
Bridgewater/Raritan HS East  
Bridgewater, NJ

**Grand Square** Distribution

- 17 - **Grand Square** Deadline

### December '94:

- 4 - NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.

### January '95:

- 15 - Delegates Meeting  
VFW, Elmwood Park, NJ
- Grand Square** Distribution

- 17 - **Grand Square** Deadline

- 22 - Mid-Term Student Dance

### March '95:

- 12 - NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.  
**Grand Square** Distribution

- 17 - **Grand Square** Deadline

- 25 - NJ State Convention (All Prog.)  
Trenton State, Ewing, NJ

- 31 - NNJSDA Special (PL)  
Ken Ritucci (CT)

### April '95:

- 23 - Student Spring Fling (MS)
- 29 - NNJSDA Special (PL)  
Dalt Young & Ted Knauss

### May '95:

- 7 - Delegates Meeting  
VFW, Elmwood Park, NJ
- Grand Square** Distribution

### June '95:

- 2 - NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.
- 21 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 21-24 NSDC, Birmingham, AL
- 28 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)

### July '95:

- 5 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 12 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 17 - **Grand Square** Deadline
- 19 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 26 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)

### August '95:

- 2 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 9 - NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.
- 16 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)
- 23 - NNJSDA Summer Dance (MS)

*'ONE SQUARE IS FAIR'*

*Presidents' Letter continued from page 3*

the Association is not in a position to take a large loss on these dances. This is exactly what we did. Believe me, it would be a lot easier not to hold these dances at all, something which may happen if attendance does not improve. **Once again, we say think about it... no dances.**

This brings us to Sunday, October 2. Every other year the NNJSDA runs an educational session called L.U.S.T. (Let Us Speak Together). Your officers, together with Frank & Carol Homer, went all out to provide you with the finest in lecturers. We had **Ginger Kanzer-Lewis**, a highly recognized lecturer on Adult Education and a member of RockyTops and Motiv8ors, as guest speaker. Other lecturers included: **Rusty Ball, Lois Bichler, Margaret Guyre, Carol Homer, John Kaltenthaler, Kathy & Charlie Porter, and Joan Schierlitz**. There was something for everyone. All these people put hours of preparation into their presentations, only have a mere 50 people in attendance. All these people were there to help us all to become better club officers. We even had **Drew Scearce** from Virginia calling the alternate Mainstream/Plus evening dance and **Lois Bichler** teaching Country & Western. L.U.S.T. was once again sponsored by the NNJSDA, together with assistance from the Square Dance Council of NJ, **AT NO COST TO THE CLUB OR THE DANCER.**

Soon your club and the Association will be looking for officers to lead us for the 1995-1996 dance season. When it is your turn to serve, please do your part. If square dancing is to survive into the 21st Century, we need the cooperation of everyone. Many are asked, but so few serve. Please be one of those few.

On the brighter side, we hope you made your reservation and had the opportunity to dance at our Mini-Festival. Happy dancing -- square 'em up.

*John & Joan Berg, NNJSDA Presidents*

### '94-'95 RAID PROGRAM

At the September Delegates Meeting, the rule changes for the '94-'95 Raid Program were presented and the new Raid Cards distributed.

A club raiding seven (7) NNJSDA member clubs in one dancing season will earn a free NNJSDA membership the following year.

Requirements:

1. Must raid seven (7) different clubs between September and May.
2. Must raid at least one club from each Area (see below for Area list).
3. Must raid a regular dance (not a special or dinner dance).
4. Must raid with one or more squares.
5. Members may not raid with more than one club per dance.
6. Must have Raid Card signed by an officer of the raided club.

For the dancing season starting September 1994 and ending May 1995, the Areas are:

	<u>Mainstream</u>	<u>Plus &amp; Advanced</u>
<b>Northern Area Clubs:</b>	Belles & Beaux Circle Eights F.A.D. See Saw Sq. (1 Sat MS) Rockland Promenaders Spinning Wheels Tenafly Squares Tenakill Twirlers	Hix & Chix Hi Taw Twirlers RockyTops See Saw Sq. (3 Sat. PL) Western Wheelers Motiv8ors (A-2)
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<b>Eastern Area Clubs:</b>	Al'e'Mo Squares Ocean Waves	Kings Squares Richmond Dancers Staten Square Set
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<b>Southern Area Clubs:</b>	Hunterdon Flutterwheels (Alt MS/PL)  Princeton Sqs. (every Wed.) Rutgers Promenaders	Bee Sharps Country Promenaders Hunterdon Flutterwheels (Alt MS/PL) Merri Eights Princeton Sqs. (2 & 4 Fri.)
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<b>Western Area Clubs:</b>	Dingman Dancers Leisure Sq. (Alt. MS/PL) Kittatinny Rangers Warren Wheelers	Ironia Reelers Leisure Sqs.(Alt. MS/PL)
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<b>Central Area Clubs:</b>	Lakeland Squares Y Squares	Cross Trail Squares Harmony Dancers Valley Squares Mountain Sqs. (A-2)
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As soon as the card is completed, return to: John & Joan Berg, NNJSDA Presidents, 21 Crescent Rd., West Milford, NJ 07480. If you did not receive your copy or need further information, contact the Bergs at 201-697-5208.

# Rutgers Promenaders Toys for Children

December 4, 1994

MS



Betsy Gotta & Dan Koft  
Squares

Roy Gotta & Kathy Koft  
Rounds

**Time:** 2:00- 5:00 pm  
**Location:** North Brunswick Senior Center  
 Linwood Place, North Brunswick, NJ  
**Admission:** One \$8-\$12 unwrapped toy per couple  
 (Singles, please double up)  
**Contacts:** Tina (908) 298-8642  
 Betsy & Roy (908) 249-2086  
 Dan & Kathy (908) 329-8507



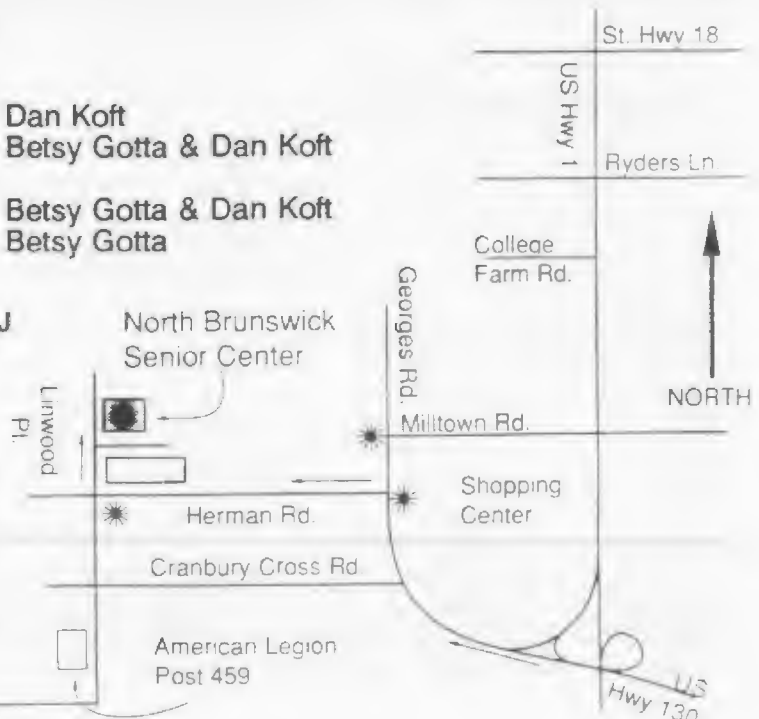
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 from 12:00 Noon to 2:00 pm

**REGULAR SCHEDULE:**

November 24	No Dance, Thanksgiving	
December 4	<b>Toys for Tots</b>	
8	Cookie Night	Dan Koft
22	Pizza on Earth	Betsy Gotta & Dan Koft
January 12	Dance Sampler	Betsy Gotta & Dan Koft
26	Winter Blues (wear blue)	Betsy Gotta

American Legion Post 459  
 1015 Linwood Place, North Brunswick, NJ

Take Route 1 to the Georges Rd., New Brunswick Exit (from the north, keep to the right; from the south, come back across Route 1 and, then keep to the left) At the first traffic light turn left onto Hermann Rd. At the next light, turn right onto Linwood Place. The Senior Center is on the right just past the first right.



## DRESS POLICE?!!!

My wife, Rusty, and I have had some unusual comments about being the NNJSDA State Dress Coordinators. I think the best comment has been from a dancer who, although a good friend, misunderstood our function and asked if we were the "dress police." **As State Dress Coordinators, we don't police your styles.**

What the State Dress Coordinators actually do is make people aware of the state outfit and provide help with patterns. The outline of the state on the vest is my favorite part of the outfit. The star on the state tells people where you are from (those from NNJSDA clubs in Pennsylvania and New York can put their star just outside the NJ state outline). You wear your state outfit wherever and whenever you want to be recognized as a NJ square dancer, such as state and national conventions, weekends, special dances, and even a raid if you don't have a club outfit. The state dress outfit is a nice way to break the ice wherever you go.

As square dancers we do have some ideals though:

First, men should wear long-sleeved shirts, and women should wear petti-pants. Everyone should wear soft-soled shoes (we are guests on many wood floors). These three things make you a caring square dancer concerned with your fellow dancers' comfort and concentration.

Second, square dancing is supposed to be fun. We love to get dressed up in matching outfits (it is even more fun to square up with three other couples in the same color combinations and dance in front of the caller). But, we don't get upset if someone wears jeans, or rushes in after work without "appropriate"

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52 KIEL AVENUE  
KINNELON, N.J. 07405-2533  
Phone: 201-838-0312

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square dance attire," or wears country and western. They are all square dancers having fun. Follow the three rules above and let's just have fun dancing.

Rusty agreed to be the State Dress Coordinator because she is a sewer and makes all our square dance outfits. If we give you the once over at a dance, it is not because of inappropriate dress, but because you have an interesting fabric or a neat way of putting that fabric together (whether you did it yourself or bought it).

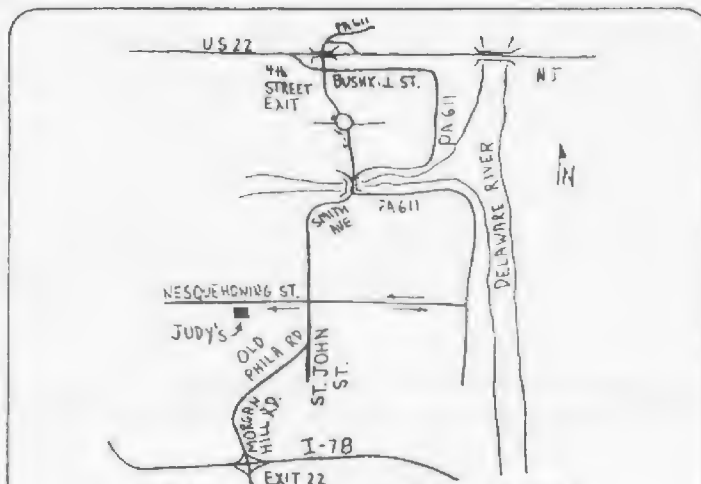
So, don't be wary of the "Dress Police." Along with other board members of the NNJSDA, we want to help you have **Fun in Square Dancing**.

*Richard Ball, NNJSDA State Dress Coordinator*

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*This season club news will be in reverse alphabetical order Z-A.*

### Y SQUARES -- Clark, NJ

MS

2 & 4 Fri. Sept-May

Carl Kumpf School, Mildred Terr.

Hi everyone! Hope you all had a great summer, and are now ready for a super square dance season. Y Squares held an Open House for the public and had a large turnout. Everyone had a good time and we are hopeful many will join our class this season.

As we go to press, we have already raided two clubs, with at least four more raids scheduled for October and November. The Berlinruts have planned a busy raid year for the club.

Y Squares is very proud that once again we had at least one square at all Association Summer Dances. Our banner proudly displays the Association Awards, and we are looking forward to receiving one for 1994.

We hope everyone will visit us. We love company; the welcome mat is always out. Come join us in a square.

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Jean Koenig

908-276-8049



**WESTERN WHEELERS – Oradell, NJ**

**PL/A-1 tips**

**2 & 4 Sat. Sept-June Reformed Ch of Oradell, 641 Church St (cor. Kinderdamack)**

Roll out the barrel and we'll have a barrel of fun at the "new" Western Wheelers. Lots of things are happening! Our new spacious dance hall at the Reformed Church of Oradell has excellent parking, a beautiful kitchen, and clean, comfortable restrooms to complement the more than adequate dancing space.

Western Wheelers was notified by letter on May 17, 1994, that we could no longer hold our dances at the Westwood United Methodist Church after our last dance in June. With callers and cuers hired for the entire coming dance season, we had to get busy and find a place. We did, and we're very pleased with the move, and we hope you will be too.

Western Wheelers will keep "going and growing" with the help of all you wonderful people who dance, call, and cue at our club. Come join us; you'll like us even more in Oradell. Watch our Grand Square ads and look for flyers for complete dance schedules, including our New Year's Eve dance.

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Marilyn & Gus Bachmann

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address \_\_\_\_\_ town \_\_\_\_\_

club \_\_\_\_\_ phone \_\_\_\_\_

number attending \_\_\_\_\_ total amount enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any preferences regarding seating arrangements, let us know!!

**GS**

**NEW YORK APPOINTS AMERICAN FOLK DANCE CHAIRMEN**

Great news!! The State of New York has appointed Walt & Sally Baechle Chairmen, and Joe & Pat Schanzer Co-Chairmen, to head the drive to make the "Square Dance" and it's allied forms the American Folk Dance of the State of New York. Congratulations and sincere thank yous to the Baechles and Schanzers for their willingness to undertake the challenge and commitment to this project. New York residents who wish to offer their help on the local level should contact the Baechles at 173 Arcadia Parkway, Rochester, NY 14612 and the Schanzers at 8075 Greiner Rd, Williamsville, NY 14221.



44<sup>TH</sup> NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION  
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA JUNE 21-24, 1995

# Sweet Home Alabama '95

P.O. Box 610409, Birmingham, AL 35261-0409



**WARREN WHEELERS -- Port Murray, NJ**

**MS/PL tips**

**1 & 3 Thurs. Sept-June**

**Mansfield Twnshp Sch, Pt. Murray Rd & Rt. 57**

In August, we had a demo at Automatic Switch Company's picnic in Florham Park, and enjoyed a sunshiny day, hot dogs, ice cream, and other goodies. Herb Conklin called. That month we also demoed at the annual Pow Wow at Vasa Park, along with several other clubs. Dick Pasvolsky called.

Sue & Sonny Hummer, formerly from this area and now residing Florida, visited our club in September. They were accompanied by two couples from Eastonairres.

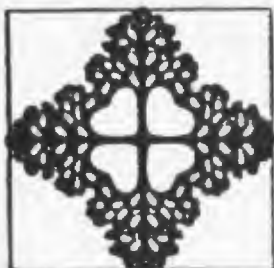
Thank you to Jim & Muriel Breslin for donating the proceeds from the sale of square dance clothes donated by their friends for the benefit of the club. The sale, which is ongoing, has brought in \$211.00 to date.

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Joe & Mary Alice McGinley

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GS

**VALLEY SQUARES -- Watchung, NJ**

**PL/A tip**

**1 & 3 Thurs. Sept-June**

**Bayberry School, Bayberry Lane**

It's great to start another club year of square dancing. It's kind of like the excitement of the first day of school, only without the mucilage. It should be a year of fine dancing to Carl Hanks' calling and Steve Bradt's cueing.

Maurie Berlinrut is off the disabled list, we're happy to say. He'll be running the Plus student lessons, which started the 26th of September. Angels are welcome and necessary. Please help out, if you can.

Carol & Duke Rounds, our new Presidents, were our hosts at the "Picnic at the Lake" in October. Some of our new students were there. It was a perfect chance to get to know them, and to welcome them to our club.

Mark your calendars for the first and third Thursdays of each month. That way you won't forget to attend the Valley Squares dances. We'll be looking for you. Keep dancing!

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Max & Mary Niederle

908-469-2699

# TENAFLY SQUARES

**Mainstream Dancing**  
The Second Friday  
Of Each Month  
8:00-10:30 P.M.

**St. Luke's Church**  
Mass. Ave &  
Knickerbocker Rd.  
Haworth, NJ

December 9	Manny Amor	<i>Celebrate The Holidays</i>
January 13	Bob Mitchell	1995
February 10	Dick Mazziotti	<i>Sweetie Pie Night</i>
<b>ROUNDS BY NICK RASPA</b>		

Information: John and Betty (201)666-8937    John and Madeline (201)384-5407

**TENAKILL TWIRLERS -- Cresskill, NJ**

**MS/PL tips**

**3rd Fri. Oct-May**

**Bryan School, Brookside Ave.**

As our season doesn't start until October, there's no news to report at deadline time. But we'll be dancing at the same location for another year. We're looking forward to a season with an assortment of callers and Nick Raspa on the rounds. Check our ad and look for flyers. We hope you'll come over and join in the fun. See you soon!

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Frank Poole

201-342-3375

**There's no such thing as the perfect solution.  
Every solution, no matter how good, creates new problems.**

**TENAFLY SQUARES -- Haworth, NJ** **MS**  
**2nd Fri. Sept-Jun** **St. Luke's Episcopal Ch, Mass. & Grant Aves.**

With the spirited calling and cueing of Bob Mitchell and Nick Raspa, the season got off to a good start at our September Ice Cream Social. We were happy to see all the dancers whom we'd missed during the summer as well as those who had just graduated a few months ago. A raiding group from Rockland Promenaders helped to swell the attendance.

We have a great schedule of callers for the coming months. Check our ads and flyers and come over to see us. The welcome mat is always out and you can be sure of a good time. Happy dancin'.

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Frank Poole

201-342-3375

## *Motiv8ors*

**A-2 Level Dancing - Sundays 7:30 to 10:00 pm**  
**Jewish Community Center of Paramus**  
**Midland Avenue and Spring Valley Road - Paramus, NJ**

**Nick and Carolie Raspa on Rounds starting at 7:00 pm**

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Nov 20	Ed Foote *
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**STATEN SQUARE SET -- Staten Island, NY** **PL**  
**1 & 3 Sat. Oct-June** **St. Alban's Ch, 76 St. Alban's Pl.**

The frost is on the pumpkin! Time to warm up to some great square dancing if you haven't already. Welcome new members: Frances Palladino, Fred & Adele Malkin, and Harry Rodriguez. We didn't waste any time recruiting the Malkins to co-chair our Barn Dance with the Hochulis. Both couples really did a fantastic job. A good time was had by all at the Oktoberfest chaired by yours truly and the great food prepared by Chef John Wieland really hit the spot.

Marie Attanasio, Joe DiGiacomo, and Ronnie Wieland are all on the mend, and we look forward to seeing them soon. In the wedded bliss corner: the Pearsons celebrated their 27th, the Petersons and the Dudleys, their 35th. The Pearsons also had a Sweet 16 Bash for their daughter, Kari. The Petersons' daughter, Elizabeth, was married in September. Tony Sorrentino was a lot of fun with his guitar sing-alongs at a recent square dance weekend at the Nevele. The Kanters were on an outing with their grandchildren and were mistaken for the parents of the children. How's that for a lift?! Happy holidays and love to all.

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Marie & Bill Dudley

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# NEW YEAR'S EVE



**Caller: Will Larsen**  
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## Mainstream Program

Cranford Presbyterian Church  
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**SPINNING WHEELS of WAYNE -- Wayne, NJ MS/PL tip/CW**

**Every Mon. Sept-June**

**Wayne Civic Center,**

**2 & 4 Mon. July & Aug**

**Hamburg Turnpike & Church Lane**

Spinning Wheels had a very successful summer season and our club caller, Bob Robinson, introduced "same thing - only different," a no-stress approach to Dancing By Definition, and it is something we will be continuing this season as long as it remains fun.

We are all geared up for the new season with a wonderful group of officers who work very hard and are very dedicated to making Spinning Wheels such a great place to dance. We are looking forward to dancing to the finest callers in the area and seeing our old friends as well as meeting new friends from last year's graduates and those dancers who have not danced with us, all while we are having a great deal of fun.

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Dolores Gesumaria

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## KITTATINNY RANGERS

*2 & 4 Fridays  
MS with Plus Tip*

*Long Pond School  
Limecrest Rd, Andover NJ*

**NOV 25**

**-- NO DANCE --**

**Thanksgiving**

**DEC 9**

**Mickey McFarland**

**Rounds - Al Spinks**

**DEC 23**

**-- NO DANCE --**

**Christmas**

**JAN 13**

**Herb Conklin**

**Rounds - Al Spinks**

**JAN 27**

**Mickey McFarland**

INFO: Dorothy Jaworski 201-729-1203

**SEE SAW SQUARES -- Upper Saddle River, NJ MS/PL/CW**

**MS - 1 Sat. Sept-June**

**Old Stone Ch. Ed. Center**

**PL - 3 Sat. Sept-June**

**500 East Saddle River Rd.**

Another season has gone by and again See Saws has not been sleeping. We raided two clubs this summer. I have to admit that our attendance was not the greatest, BUT our enthusiasm was sky-high. We danced up a storm. Thanks to your Raid Chairperson, Carlen Monogen, for arranging these raids and helping keep our energy up.

The Executive Board and Officers have been working hard this past summer to arrange for a fun-filled and exciting dance year for See Saws and our visitors. We have set up two dance programs for 1994-95. Our regular dance program is the Plus program and we will dance that program on the 3rd Saturday of each month. Gerry Hardy has agreed to teach and call Dancing by Definition (DBD) Mainstream three sessions, and then we have made arrangements for a raid to an out-of-state club that dances DBD Mainstream. See Saws also is starting Country & Western Dancing between tips at both Mainstream and Plus dances. We've tried to come up with new ideas and features to enhance our dancing.

By the time you read this, our Barn Dance will be over. We want to get more people involved in the enjoyment of square dancing and the camaraderie we all share as members of the world of square dancing. I hope you attended. My condolences if you did not.

I have one more item for this issue. Good fortune has happened to this reporter. I have become a grandfather. This is my first and not the last, I hope. To those of you who are grandparents, you know how I feel; to those of you who are not, boy, are you in for a wonderful experience.

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Irwin D. Kupferman

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*May the true spirit of the Holiday Season  
bring you Peace and Happiness and  
a New Year filled with good health.*

**Best wishes from the Officers and Executive Board  
of the NNJSDA and the Staff of Grand Square.**

**RUTGERS PROMENADERS -- North Brunswick, NJ MS  
2 & 4 Thurs. Sept-May American Legion, 1015 Linwood Pl.**

We have begun the new dancing season with a sigh ... missing Heidi Schmidt, who passed away suddenly in August. Our heartfelt condolences go to her family, especially her husband Ray and son Kevin. An active member of the club and a dear friend, Heidi will be greatly missed by all.

On a happier note, we are running lessons again this year, in cooperation with Merri Eights and Country Promenaders, and the class is doing well.

We are looking forward to our annual Toys For Kids dance the first Sunday in December. It promises to be fun, so come join us. We also hope to see you at one of our regular dances -- come check out "Cookie Night" on the 2nd Thursday in December and "Pizza on Earth Night" on the 4th Thursday. We welcome raids, singles, couples, everyone!

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Delaware Valley High School - Routes 206/6, Just North of Milford, PA

November 15  
November 29

January 10  
January 24

December 13  
December 27

February 14  
February 28

For information and directions:

Bill & Jean Gannon 717-296-4436  
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ROCKYTOPS of ROCKLAND -- Pearl River, NY PL/A-1 tip

1st Fri. Sept-June Pearl River United Meth. Ch., John St. at Franklin

Now that fall is here and square dancing is back in full swing, we look forward to seeing you at our friendly dances with top regional callers. A very special welcome to all the students who worked very hard over the summer and graduated from their Plus lessons.

Congratulations to Sandy & Art Sadow on their son's engagement and the birth of their granddaughter, and to Allene & Gerry Turer on the birth of their grandson. Congratulations to Lynn & Bob Terry on their 40th Anniversary.

We welcome our newest members, Gloria & Leon Smith, Rusty & Richard Ball, Stacy & Ed Boreman, and Judy & Jonas Siegel.

Our Pearl River location is 20 minutes from the intersection of the GSP and Rt. 80 in Saddle Brook, and only 10 minutes from exit 172 on the GSP.

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Herby & Natalie Horowitz

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# CROSS TRAIL SQUARES

## PLUS LEVEL

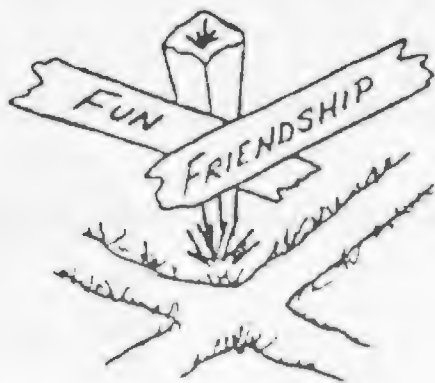
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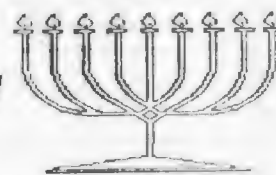
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- Nov. 23 NO DANCE - HAPPY THANKSGIVING
- \* Dec. 14 Bob Mitchell - HOLIDAY DANCE  
Ruth Woerner - Rounds
- Dec. 28 NO DANCE - HAPPY HOLIDAYS
- \* Jan. 11 Bob Mitchell - WINTER WONDERLAND  
Donna Anderson - Rounds
- \*\* Jan. 25 Stuart Summers - "ALMOST" FULL MOON  
Janet Summers - Rounds



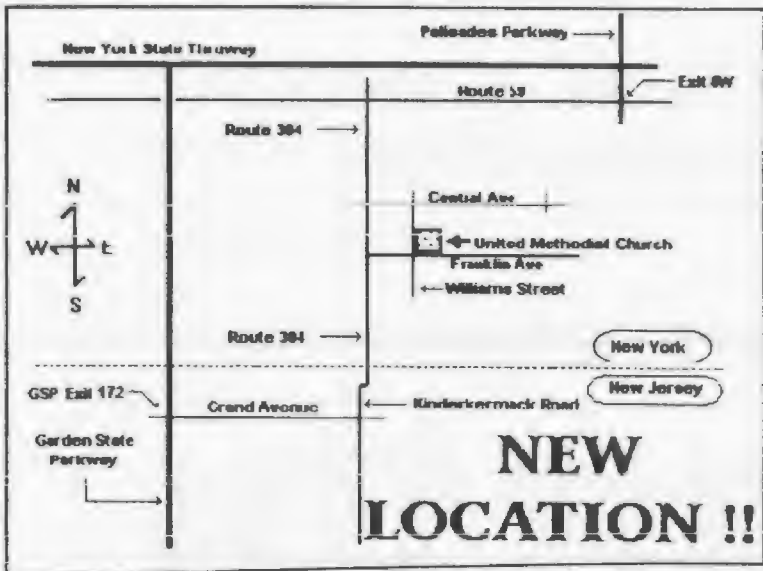
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**ROCKLAND PROMENADERS -- Pearl River, NY MS/CW**

2nd All Year

Pearl River United Meth. Ch., 130 Franklin Ave.



Important news for Rockland Promenaders' dances. We have moved from our old location and are now dancing at the United Methodist Church in Pearl River, New York. We will be there in October and November. You will be informed of dance locations from December on in the next issue and our flyers. Thank you for your patience.

Our new student classes are underway and they are enthusiastically attended. It's wonderful to see so many people

enjoying what we know is a great activity.

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Peg McGowan

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# BEE SHARPS OF SOMERVILLE

*Unless Noted Below Dances Are Held At*  
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**PLUS LEVEL DANCES**  
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	<u>Date</u>	<u>Caller</u>	<u>Cuer</u>	
	1994 Nov. 11	Mike Walsh	Mary McGee	
	Nov. 25	-- No Dance -- Thanksgiving --		
	Dec. 9	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft	
	Dec. 23	-- No Dance -- Christmas --		
	Jan. 13	John Kaltenthaler	Steve Bradt	
	Jan. 27	Joe Landi	Dave Roberts	
	Feb. 10	Frank Riviccio	Kathy Koft	
	Feb. 24	Dick Mazziotti	Roy Gotta	

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# SPINNING WHEELS of WAYNE

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INTRODUCTION TO PLUS

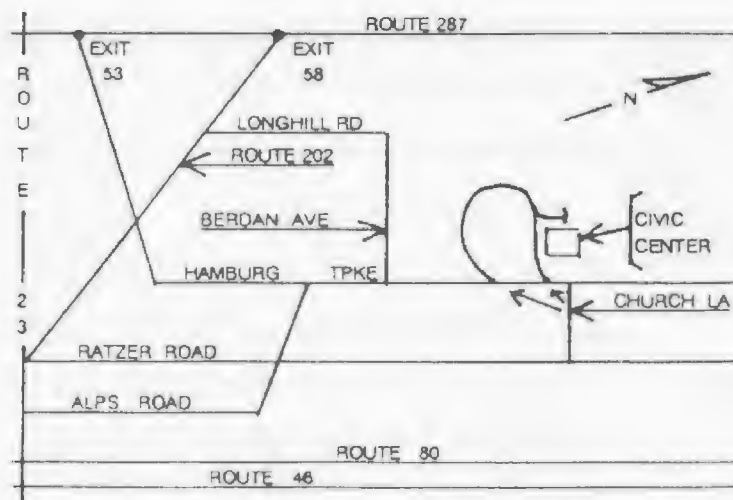
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## WESTERN DANCING BETWEEN TIPS



SEPT	19	BOB ROBINSON	*FREE DANCE*	DANCER APPRECIATION NIGHT
	26	TOM MOSS		
OCT	3	BOB ROBINSON		COLUMBUS DAY
	10	NO DANCE		
	17	GERRY HARDY		
	24	BRUCE VERTUN		
	31	MARION PEARCE		HALLOWEEN DANCE
NOV	7	BOB ROBINSON		
	14	PAL JOHNSON		
	21	RAY LEHBERGER		THANKSGIVING DANCE
	28	RALPH STAPENELL		
DEC	5	BOB ROBINSON		
	12	GERRY HARDY		
	19	BOB ROBINSON		CHRISTMAS DANCE

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**RICHMOND DANCERS --Staten Island, NY**

**PL**

**2 & 4 Sat. Sept-June**

**All Saints Church, 2329 Victory Blvd.**

Hi folks! Summer is over. How do I know? All the mothers are smiling. Our first dance, dedicated to our cuers Shirley & Frank Bellotti, was the Dessert Dance. Very successful to say the least. Our Presidents, Leo & Lois Bichler, presented them with a beautiful and very heavy plaque noting their retirement as club cuers, and the endless time and devotion given to round dancing. Mark Franks' calling and Roy Gotta's cueing helped to burn off the trillion calories picked up at the dessert table.

To prove that he's on the mend, Jim Chukalas worked in the kitchen assisting his wife, Chris, and a half dozen others keeping the table full of delights brought by the members. We were raided by Kings Squares and Country Promenaders. Country Promenaders, who usually dance the same night as us, had not started their dance season yet, so it was delightful to have them as visitors.

I am sorry to report that Al & Dot Rehorn suffered the loss of their daughter. Pat Fedele had a serious auto accident near Syracuse, NY, and at this time is in intensive care at Syracuse University Hospital. Please pray that our Lord helps them all. I love this poem by Felice Mananine:

Sometimes -- not often enough  
 We reflect on the good things --  
 And those thoughts always center around those we love,  
 And I think about those people who mean so much to me,  
 And for so many years have made me so very happy,  
 And I count the times ---- I have forgotten to say THANK YOU,  
 And just how much I love them,  
 And may God bless them all.

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Ray O'Neill

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# WARREN WHEELERS

MANSFIELD TOWNSHIP ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
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 8:00 TO 10:30



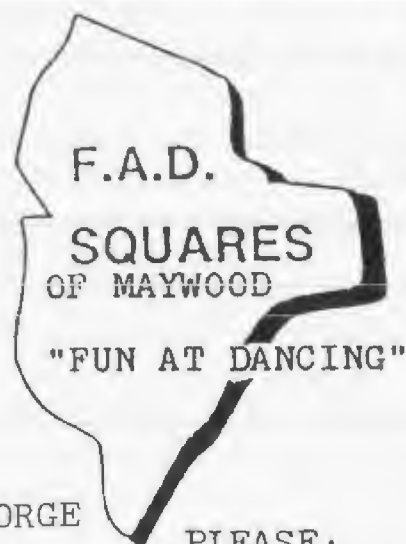
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NOV	17	DICK PASVOLSKY	ALOHA LUAU
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DEC	15	HERB CONKLIN	CHRISTMAS *
JAN	5	DALT YOUNG	
JAN	19	DICK PASVOLSKY	50'S NIGHT
FEB	2	JOHN KALTENTHALER	
FEB	16	DICK PASVOLSKY	PRESIDENT'S NIGHT
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HOLIDAY - 1994/1995

- NOV 20 - PIE AUCTION - AUCTIONEER GEORGE  
DEC 4 - REGULAR DANCE  
DEC 18 - HOLIDAY DANCE - DICK MAZZIOTTI  
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**PRINCETON SQUARES -- Mercerville & Lawrenceville, NJ**  
**MS - Every Wed. All Year** (Oct-May) Mercerville School, Regina Ave.  
(Jun-Sept) Am. Czechoslovak Club, Hankins Rd, E. Windsor  
**PL - 2 & 4 Fri. All Year** (Nov-Dec) Lawrenceville Presby. Ch., 2688 Rt. 206N  
(Jan. '95) Am. Czechoslovak Club as above

Summer is over and it was a Hot-Hot-Hot one, as everyone knows. We are hoping that vacations and the hot, humid weather were the reasons that we had unusually small turn-outs for MS and a smaller turn-out for Plus than we expected. The callers were some of the best, and gave us great dances every time. The picnic, although small in quantity, had great quality and was enjoyed by everyone who attended. Our thanks to the committee.

We are looking forward to starting lessons in October, and hope that we have a good attendance of both pupils and angels. The angels who are helping the ARCangels have been on the job since the middle of August. We were pleased that the dancers remembered everything that was taught them since they missed out on two months this summer.

Our MS had many great special dances during the summer and a lot of work was put into the planning of them. Thanks committee members for your work and support and for a job well done. The demo at the Septemberfest was well supported. This club would like to remind all dancers that this is the only MS club close to this area and your support would be appreciated at the MS dances on Wednesday nights. Please check the schedule in this edition for times and places. Everyone and anyone is welcome to come dance with us. Let's remember to notice all dancers who attend and to extend them a welcome to the club. It's not a good feeling to attend a dance and not be approached by anyone to be included as part of the group. Dick & I know, as it has happened to us. Here's to a new and successful season of dancing. A big Yellow Rock to all.

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Dick & Dee Evans

609-585-5697

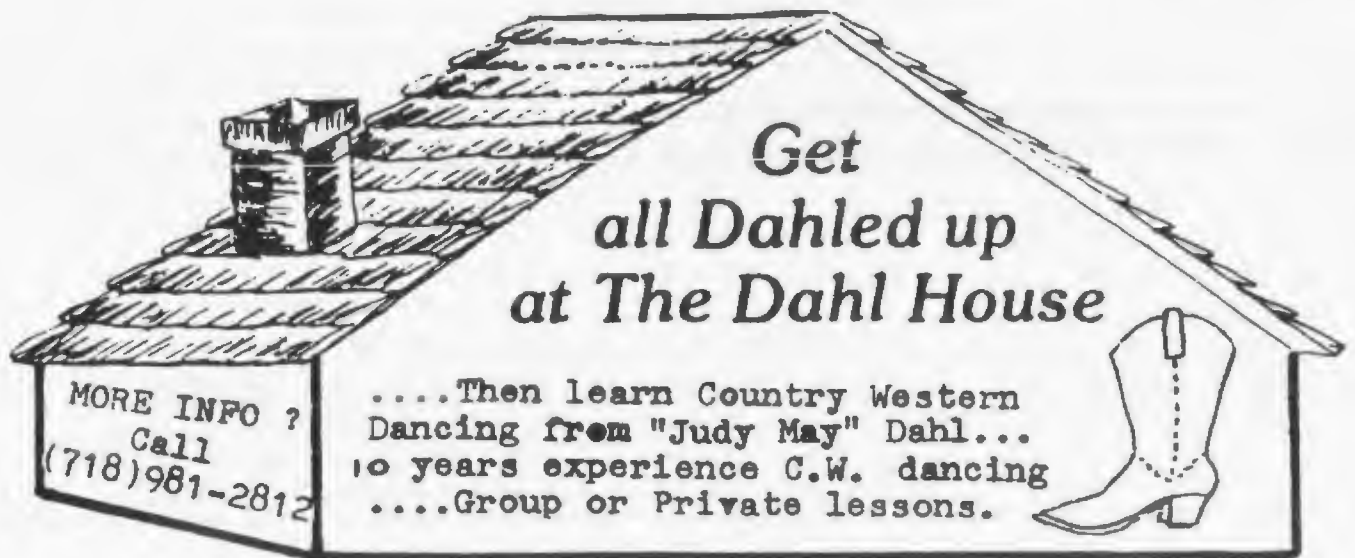
**MOUNTAIN SQUARES -- Whippany, NJ****A-2****1 & 3 Wed. Sept-June****First Presbyterian Ch., 494 Route 10**

Mountain Squares began the new season with a bang as we held a special A-1 warm-up dance. We had 9 squares of very enthusiastic dancers who enjoyed John Kaltenthaler's challenging program. Our President, Bill Groth, thanked several people for their help in planning the dance; but it was Bill & Hilda who led our support for John Kaltenthaler's Advanced class; it was Bill & Hilda who scheduled the special dance; and it was Bill & Hilda who brought the delicious cake. Thank you both. Your efforts are much appreciated by everyone.

As you read this, our regular dance season is well underway with our club caller, Joe Landi, in charge. We welcome you A-2 dancers to come and dance with us.

Bob &amp; Liz Sly

201-391-0248

**MERRI EIGHTS -- Spotswood, NJ****PL****1 & 3 Fri. All Year****(Oct-May) Appleby School, Vliet Street****(June-Sept) Knights of Columbus, Pine St., Old Bridge**

The Merri Eights lost a dear friend and loyal square dancer in August when Peg Wagner died. We extend our very deepest sympathy to her square dance partner and companion, Russ Jessup.

We had a disappointment with our prospective big dance of the summer, which Sam Lowe was supposed to call for us. He cancelled a few days before the dance because of a bout with gout. Fortunately, Dan Koft was available on that night and came to our rescue. We are very grateful that we were able to supply a caller for the 11 squares that showed up to dance that night. Thanks, Dan! The club really appreciated your help and there were lots of great comments about your calling. Rutgers Promenaders and Country Promenaders have joined forces with Merri Eights this year in sponsoring square dance classes. The 3 clubs are hoping that this combined effort will result in more class members and the completion of a successful year of classes.

Merri Eights will be announcing a club caller soon, who will be starting in 1996 and who will be calling at least half of our dances. Entertainment Books are available as part of a fund-raising project, which is being handled by Elsie Ahrend. Elsie and Bernie Koft are Acting Presidents.

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Barry &amp; Evelyn Williams

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**9th NEW JERSEY SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CONVENTION****March 25, 1995 - Trenton State College, Ewing, NJ****Registration Info: Roy & Betsy Gotta 908-249-2086****SDCNJ, PO Box 7598, North Brunswick NJ 08902-7598**

**LEISURE SQUARES -- E. Stroudsburg, PA Alt. MS/PL**

**1 & 3 Sat. Oct-May J.M. Hill School, East Broad St.**

This past summer was rather a quiet one for our club, but now our dance season is in full swing. One of the summer highlights was doing a demo at the Stroud Mall, along with Pocono Dancers, to celebrate the opening of a Sears store. There were so many people in the Mall that we thought they had come because we were there. We finally realized that they had come to see the first escalator in Monroe County at Sears. However, some people did stop to watch us dance.

During the summer many of our members visited other clubs. Hemlock Squares Blueberry Festival is one dance that some of us attend every year. Since blueberry pie is my husband's favorite, we never miss this dance.

When the New Year bells ring ushering in 1995, we hope it will be the start of a healthy and happy year for everyone.

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Millie Connelly

717-588-9226

**HUNTERDON FLUTTERWHEELS**

Echo Hill, Lilac Drive, Stanton Station, NJ

Alternate MS/Plus	1994 Nov. 18	Thanksgiving Dance
8:00-10:30 PM	Dec. 2	Regular Dance
1st & 3rd Fridays	Dec. 16	Christmas Dance
Wilson Hoff-Caller	1995 Jan. 6	Regular Dance
Peg Dockry-Cuer	Jan. 20	Candle Light Dance
Soft Sole Shoes-Please	Feb. 3	Regular Dance
	Feb. 17	Valentine Dance-Pie Night
	Mar. 3	Covered Dish Dance

For More Information

Don & Pat (908) 782-0696

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**LAKELAND SQUARES -- Parsippany, NJ MS/PL tip**

**Every Tues. Sept-July Temple Beth Am, 879 S. Beverwyck Rd.**

Thanks to the Parsippany United Methodist Church for taking us in during the month of September. Ten squares came to our first dance on September 6, with Pal Johnson calling a **smooth** dance. We started the evening joining together for supper and fellowship. It was great to see old friends again after the summer hiatus. A warm welcome back goes to Jim & Madeline Kelly. They have been away from dancing for about 3 years. Hope to see them often this year and hope to see all of you, too. We're now back at our usual place, Temple Beth Am, right next door to the Methodist Church.

We're glad to see Les Patterson recovering nicely from surgery. Before you know it, he'll be back in a square. We are in the midst of the holidays now. Many fun and surprising events are in store for us. Since we were told to "Wear a costume or else" for the Halloween Dance on October 25, those of us who didn't want to know what the "or else" meant, decided to comply. The imaginations of the Lakelanders knows no bounds. Some of us took notes for next year. Classes are well under way, with Pal Johnson as our very capable teacher. With the help of many angels, we should have a good year. Will we see **you** soon?

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Margaret Brownell

201-584-5969

**37TH NEW ENGLAND SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CONVENTION**

**April 28 & 29, 1995 - Waterbury, Connecticut**

Registration forms available from: Hank Katten, Publicity Chairman,  
205 West Walk, West Haven, CT 06516, 203-933-7705



## KITTATINNY RANGERS – Andover, NJ

MS/PL tip

2 & 4 Fri. Sept-June

Long Pond School, Lime Crest Road

Isn't it nice to have a safe, warm house to sit in and think of all the fun times the summer brought. We had two squares, with Mickey McFarland calling, at the Farm and Horse Show. The audience was only too happy to participate. Good! That's how square dancing grows. Our own Dorothy Jaworski won her first ribbon for handwork. Congratulations!

About 30 tanned and fit Rangers turned out for a picnic on a beautiful sunny day with lots of good food. We had everything from a spirited game of volleyball with Spiker Jim, to a quiet sit under the tree with Katie & Bill Brown. Several of the girls waded in the nearby stream. Donna Poyer slipped in, with the help of John Bridenbaugh.

The Indian Pow Wow was another hot, sunny day. Again, audience participation was great. Poor Nick got an enthusiastic swimmer, still wet, from the nearby pool. Hey, it's a tough life, but somebody has to do it.

More than two squares showed for the SCARG Day at Waterwheel Farm, with Mickey calling. We will see those happy faces in our minds' eye for a long time. Again, we were blessed with a clear, sunny day. Ah, summer!

That's all for now. Go Yellow Rock your partner.

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John & Ruth Seaman

201-764-7134

# Dance With Dan & Kathy At These Clubs and Events

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Club/Event:</u>	<u>Location:</u>	<u>Program:</u>
12/2/94	Merri Eights (Both)	Spotswood, NJ	Plus
12/4/94	Chalkboard Squares (Dan)	Toms River, NJ	Plus
12/8/94	Rutgers Promenaders (Both)	North Brunswick, NJ	Mainstream
12/9/94	Bee Sharps (Both)	Somerville, NJ	Plus
12/10/94	Richmond Dancers (Kathy)	Staten Island, NY	Plus
12/14/94	Dan's DANcers (Dan)	Whiting, NJ	A2
12/16/94	Masqueraders (Kathy)	West Windsor, NJ	Plus
12/31/94	Merri Eights (Both)	Spotswood, NJ	Plus
1/5/95	Valley Squares (Dan)	Watchung, NJ	Plus
1/6/95	Merri Eights (Both)	Spotswood, NJ	Plus
1/11/95	Dan's DANcers (Dan)	Whiting, NJ	A2
1/12/95	Rutgers Promenaders (with Betsy Gotta)	North Brunswick, NJ	Mainstream
1/13/95	Princeton Squares (Both)	Lawrenceville, NJ	Plus
1/20/95	Masqueraders (Kathy)	West Windsor, NJ	Plus
1/25/95	Dan's DANcers (Dan)	Whiting, NJ	A2
1/27/95	Bee Sharps (Both)	Somerville, NJ	Plus
1/28/95	Richmond Dancers (Kathy)	Staten Island, NY	Plus
1/31/95	Lakeland Squares (Dan)	Parsippany, NJ	Mainstream

For more information call Dan & Kathy Koft at (908) 329-8507

### RETIREMENT PLANNING READING LIST.

- 50 Fabulous Places to Retire in America*, Rosenberg, Career Press
- Retirement Places Rated*, Savageau, 3rd Ed. Prentice-Hall
- The 50 Best Retirement Communities in America*, Lee, St. Martin's Press
- The Only Retirement Guide You'll Ever Need*, Petras, Poseidon Press
- Discount Guide for Travelers Over 55*, Weintz, Dutton



# ROCKYTOPS



## PLUS LEVEL DANCING WITH A-1 AFTERTIP

*First Friday of Month -- Rounds at 8:00pm -- Squares from 8:30 to 11pm  
United Methodist Church -- John Street at Franklin Avenue -- Pearl River, New York*

Friday, October 7	<b>RICHARD LANE</b>	AZ
Friday, November 4	<b>JIM DE NIGRIS</b>	CT
Friday, December 2	<b>RALPH STAPENELL</b>	PA
Friday, January 6	<b>TODD FELLEGY</b>	CT
Friday, February 3	<b>MIKE CALLAHAN</b>	NY

### ROUNDS BY NICK AND CAROLE RASPA

	<u>For Further Information, Please Call:</u>		
Adele & Dave	(914) 352-0627	Roz & Ron	(201) 664-9356
Sandy & Art	(914) 352-7631	Beverly & Marty	(201) 391-3592

### IRONIA REELERS -- Randolph, NJ PL 1 & 3 Fri. Sept-June Ironia Elem. Sch., Dover-Chester Rd., Rt. 513

The officers met in August to organize for the new season. Besides normal operations, they discussed ways to encourage recent graduates during the first years of dancing -- a time when moral support is especially valuable.

On September 10, two squares of Reelers entertained the crowd at the Hanover Township Day Fair with a square dance demonstration. Pal Johnson called. Dancers then paired up with spectators who accepted Pal's invitation to join in and learn a few calls. The setting was festive; the weather was gorgeous, and it was a fine experience for all.

On September 14, we held an Open House to attract prospective students for this year's class. Wilson Hoff, our instructor, taught the visitors some of the basics with the help of club members who came "in costume," served as hosts and angels, and demonstrated their own enjoyment of dancing.

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Jean & Inars Gruntals

201-543-7792

### BLOOD BANK HONOR ROLL

The following generous hearts participated in the  
NNJSDA Blood Drive at L.U.S.T.:

Mary Alessi	Freddie Kaltenthaler
Bill Anderson	John Kaltenthaler
Richard Ball	Dick Mazziotti
Lois Bichler	Olivia Reekie
Iris Brady	Joseph Rizzo
Carol Homer	Mike Szekula
Frank Homer	Susan Wolf

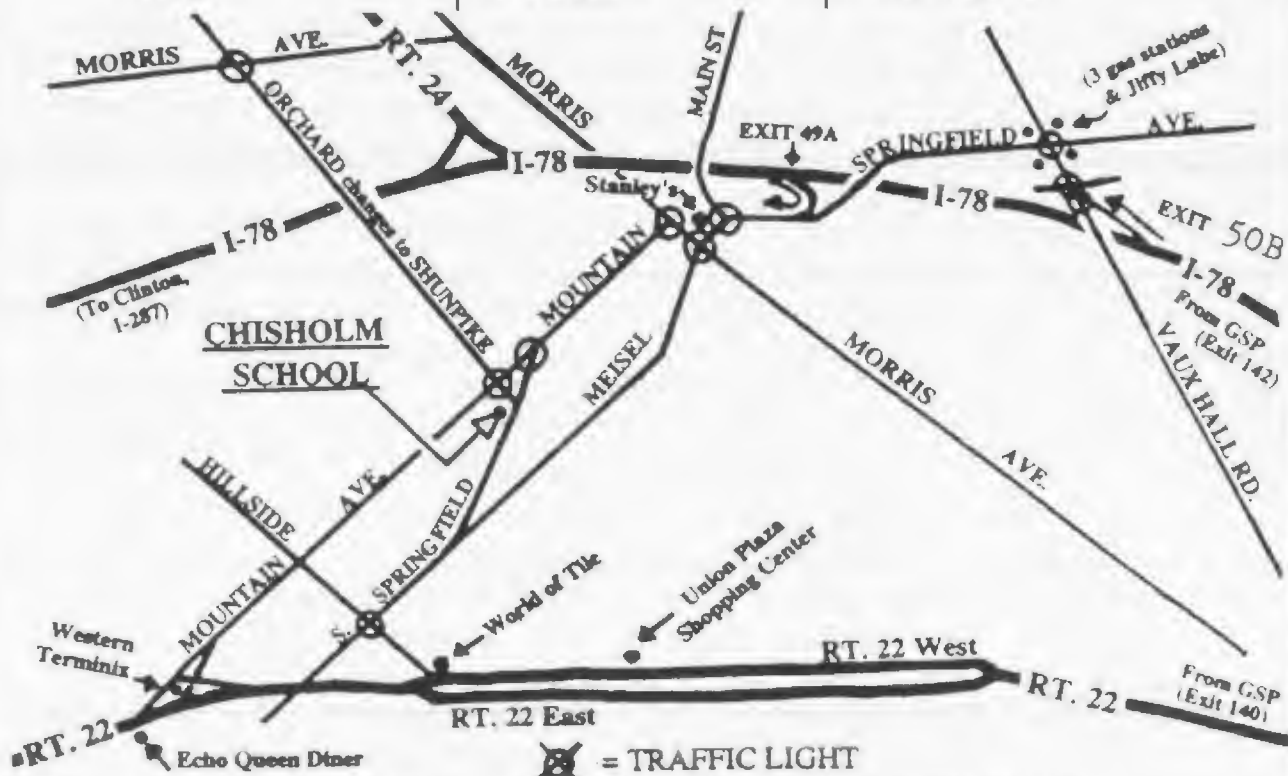
# HARMONY DANCERS

PLUS  
1ST & 3RD SATURDAYS

8:00 to 10:30  
Pre-Rounds 7:30

CHISHOLM SCHOOL  
So. SPRINGFIELD AVE at SHUNPIKE  
SPRINGFIELD, NJ Hall Phone: 201-376-9822

NOV.19 "FIFTH ANNIVERSARY DANCE"	JOHN KALTENTHALER	AL SPINKS
DEC.3	GLENN MATTHEW	STEVE BRADT
DEC.17 "HOLIDAY DANCE"	JOHN KALTENTHALER	MARY MC GEE
JAN.7	JOHN KALTENTHALER	AL SPINKS
JAN.21	BRIAN FUGERE	STEVE BRADT
JAN.22 "ROUND DANCE SPECIAL"		RON RUMBLE (TICKETS REQUIRED)
FEB.4	JOHN KALTENTHALER	AL SPINKS
FEB.18	AL KAESLER	KAREN KUSHLA



Call: Corinne/Leo Eckmann 201-379-3901 SOFT SOLED SHOES, PLEASE  
Kate/Jim Malcolm 201-377-3203

**HUNTERDON FLUTTERWHEELS -- Stanton Sta., NJ Alt MS/PL  
1 & 3 Fri. Sept-June Echo Hill, Lilac Drive**

This has been a busy time for us getting organized in our new location, which has a brand-new wood floor. This is very exciting to us.

We have Peg Dockry cueing rounds with a teach from 7:30-8:00 p.m. for anyone interested.

We have a new class going for the first time in three years, which will keep us busier than usual. By the time you read this, we should be in full swing with all our endeavors, as I am sure is par for all of you. Hope to see you all in a square real soon.

Ad on page 22

Al & Betty Fraser

908-236-2714

## Y SQUARES

2 & 4 Fridays

Carl Kumpf School, Mildred Terrace, Clark, NJ

7:30-8:00 p.m. Rounds

8:00-10:30 p.m. Squares & Rounds

Soft-soled shoes required.

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|---------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--|
| * NOV. 25                 | JUNK FOOD NIGHT      |                    |  |
|                           | Caller: Dan Koft     | Cuer: Karen Kushla |  |
| DEC. 9                    | HOLIDAY DANCE        |                    |  |
|                           | Caller: Brian Fugere | Cuer: Karen Kushla |  |
| JAN. 13                   | BLACK CAT NIGHT      |                    |  |
|                           | Caller: Brian Fugere | Cuer: Karen Kushla |  |
| JAN. 27                   | ETHNIC FOOD NIGHT    |                    |  |
|                           | Caller: Brian Fugere | Cuer: Karen Kushla |  |
| * Call for dance location |                      |                    |  |

Directions to Carl Kumpf School: GSP Exit 135; west on Central Ave; at 1st light, left on Raritan Rd.; at 3rd light, left on Madison Hill Rd. 3rd street on the right is Mildred Terr.; half block to school entrance on the left.

Information; Lillian Krov 908-381-3823  
Jean Koenig 908-276-8049  
Hall phone 908-574-8354

**HI TAW TWIRLERS -- New Milford, NJ PL  
1, 3, 5 Tues. Sept-June New Milford Middle Sch., Roslyn Ave.**

As I am preparing this article, it is the middle of September and the fall weather is beautiful. I cannot help but wonder if history will repeat itself and send us as many blizzards as we experienced last year. We do not look forward to cancelling dances because of severe weather conditions.

At the time of publication, Hi Taws will have held five dances and the Plus class will have completed seven sessions. The students are enthusiastic Mainstream dancers eagerly learning the Plus calls. Hi Taws is happy to sponsor this class being taught by caller Howie Richman.

All Plus dancers are invited to attend Hi Taw dances, which offer a program of dancing that challenges the experienced dancer and yet does not intimidate new Plus dancers. Please come, enjoy dancing and Hi Taw hospitality.

Ad on page 44

Carol Sutton

201-262-0616

**HARMONY DANCERS – Springfield, NJ** **PL**  
**1 & 3 Sat. Sept-May** **Chisholm Sch., S. Springfield Ave. at Shunpike**

It's September. The kids are off to school (even if it's now graduate school), and a tree here and there is changing its color. It's the beginning of a new dance season.

For us, the new dance season started early (or the old dance season ended late) when Harmony Dancers raided the June 24th Five Clubs dance. Although it wasn't "official" and seemed odd, especially since Harmony Dancers is one of the members of the Five Clubs, we were doing refreshments anyway, so we raided. Our members must have appreciated the gentle nudge out to a summer dance since 23 members attended.

We have a piece of sad news to report. Elmer Wolf is in a nursing home recovering from a serious throat operation. Jean & Elmer are charter members of Harmony Dancers and had, at one time, been Presidents of Somerset Hills, one of the clubs that merged to form Harmony. We haven't seen them out much lately. Since El retired, they run to Florida at the first sign of cold. Elmer appears to be making a slow, but steady, recovery. We're thinking of you, El!

And then, ZIPPPP....a few summer dances later, the summer is gone. This September marks the start of the sixth dance season of square and round dancing at Harmony Dancers. It's a good excuse for a Fifth Anniversary Dance, don't you think? Guess we'll tell you about that next time. Until then, happy dancing!

Ad on page 13, 26


Jim & Kate Malcolm

201-377-3203

## **COUNTRY PROMENADERS**

★ ★ ★ ★ ★

Stelton Community Center  
Plainfield Ave., Edison, NJ  
Two blocks from Route 27  
10 min from Tpk, GSP, 287



★ ★ ★ ★ ★

Hall Phone (908) 287-5678  
Jan & Louis (908) 577-9413  
Pat (908) 819-7483  
Inclement weather: call first

**JOIN US FOR FUN DANCING & GREAT REFRESHMENTS**

2nd & 4th SATURDAYS

Early Rounds: Steve Bradt 7:30 - Plus Level Squares 8:00 - 10:30  
NEWLY REFINISHED FLOOR - NO BOOTS or HIGH-HEELED SHOES

<del>November 26</del>	<b>CANCELLED</b>
December 10	Joe Landi - International FINGER FOOD Nite
December 24	NO DANCE
January 14, 1995	John Kaltenthaler
January 28	Howard Richman
February 11	Brian Fugere - Valentine's Day Love Songs
February 25	Richie Rich
March 11	<b>Bill Harrison (Natl. Caller-MD.)</b> Tkt. Dance

**SEE NEW MAP IN SEPTEMBER ISSUE OR BACK OF FLYER**

**Q:** What carries 30 million bits of storable information, weighs less than three pounds, provides hard copy, handles both text and graphix, allows random access, is avavable 24 hours a day, is completely portable and costs less than 30 cents a connect hour?

**A:** *æpæpsæu v*

# PRINCETON SQUARES

**PLUS** - 2nd & 4th Fridays

INFO: Donna/Wendy - 215/321-3186 or Dwight - 609/771-0186

Date Caller | Cuer

Date Caller | Cuer

Nov 25 Ed Foote | *Ron & Ree Rumble*

Dec 9 Mark Franke | *Tom & Karen Denniston*

SPECIAL HOLIDAY DANCES (Nov 25 & Dec 9) at

Lawrenceville Presbyterian Church - 2688 Rt 206 (North of I-295) - Lawrenceville

Jan 13 Dan Koft | *Kathy Koft*

Jan 27 Marion Pearce | *Ron & Ree Rumble*

Feb 10 Clay Goss | - TBA -

Feb 24 Steve Forman | *Ron & Ree Rumble*

STARTING IN JANUARY 1995, PLUS DANCES MOVE TO  
AMERICAN CZECHOSLOVAK CLUB - Hankins Rd - East Windsor

PLUS Level Dancing: 8:00 - 10:30 Pre-Rounds: 7:30

**MAINSTREAM** - Wednesdays

INFO: Marge/Gene - 609/425-1880 or Judy - 609/587-3873

December - 8:00-10:00

January - 8:00-10:00

February - 8:00-10:00

Mercerville School

Mercerville School

Mercerville School

7 Brian Fugere

4 Brian Fugere

1 Brian Fugere

14 Richie Rich

11 - TBA -

8 - TBA -

21-28 - No Dance -

18 Brian Fugere

15 Brian Fugere

25 Wes Beaumont

22 - TBA -

Mercerville School - 60 Regina Ave - Hamilton Sq (*Restored wood floor - Soft-soled shoes ONLY!*)

**Princeton ROUNDS** - Every Tuesday

INFO: Call Gordon & Barbara - 609/466-3408

Party Nite: December 20

(NO DANCE - December 27)

*Ron & Ree Rumble*

Intermediate Level Rounds - Dancing & Workshops - Casual Dress - 7:30-9:45

Lawrence Rd Fire House - 1252 Rt 206 (South of I-295) - Lawrenceville

## F.A.D. SQUARES -- Maywood, NJ

MS/PL tips

1 & 3 Sun. All Year

American Legion Hall, 113 E. Passaic St.

Summer dancing in our air-conditioned hall was great. We had our Open House in August and attracted 3 squares of interested newcomers, of whom one square wanted lessons in their own neighborhood. Obviously, the Secaucus location wasn't satisfactory, so we opened our home for this group to learn Mainstream. At this writing, Secaucus hasn't yet begun, so we have no details, but a combined square dance/country & western class (also in Secaucus, taught by Dot) already has 14 registered, with two weeks ahead to attract more. With all these irons in the fire, we fully expect to have a large and viable group of happy dancers by April.

Last year's class graduation was postponed due to the many snow-cancelled classes, but should have taken place by the time this issue reaches you.

F.A.D. means Fun At Dancing. We welcome all Mainstream dancers, new and old, and invite you to join us as members. Don't wait for an individual invitation or application form; just tell the Treasurer you'd like to be a member (and pay lower admission at each dance). Even if you belong to another club, you'll keep returning to F.A.D., because this is why you got into the activity in the first place -- for FUN!

Ad on page 20

George Loewenstein

201-797-1934

If you are driving to the NSDC in Birmingham, AL this year, please consider carrying the NNJSDA Display or boxes of Grand Square. Contact Ralph & Marilyn Neibart, 3rd VPs at 201-762-8481 or the Editors at 718-448-9761 to volunteer.

# Belles & Beaux

## 4 student dances scheduled !!

*Belles & Beaux again looks forward to welcoming student dancers to our annual series of student level dances! Please join us on the following Sunday afternoons, from 2-5pm:*

January 8, February 12, March 12, & April 8  
(be sure to keep these dates open!)

featuring

Dick Mazziotti  
and  
an assortment of other callers!

These dances are held at the Glen Rock Community Church, corner of Rock Road and Hamilton Avenue, Glen Rock. Questions? Call Margaret, (201) 384-2791 or Rich (201) 838-0312 or Jackie (201) 791-2824.

Watch for our flyers for further details!  
soft-soled shoes -- please!



## Student Dance Calendar

During the Holiday Season many clubs welcome students to attend their regular dances.

Beginning in January, many clubs sponsor special student dances.

Following is a list of dances especially for the student dancer.

Please see the club ad in this issue for details and call to confirm before travelling.

Date/Time*	Club/Contact	Location	Callers
<b>December:</b>			
4 2:00	<b>Rutgers Promenaders</b> Tina 908-298-8642 Gottas 908-249-2086	N. Brunswick Senior Ctr. Linwood Place N. Brunswick, NJ	Gottas Kofts
15 8:00	<b>Warren Wheelers</b> McGinley 908-852-0824 Barry 201-691-9055	Mansfield Elem. Sch/ Rt. 57 Port Murray, NJ	Conklin
16 8:00	<b>Ironia Reelers</b> Grady 908-879-4920 Gruntals 201-543-7792	Ironia School Rt 513 Dover-Chester Rd. Randolph, NJ	Mitchell
17 8:00	<b>Leisure Squares</b> Connelly 717-588-9226 Hatfield 717-897-6784	J.M. Hill School East Broad St. E. Stroudsburg, PA	Young
20 8:00	<b>Lakeland Squares</b> Patterson 201-335-3541 Conklin 201-9335-1693	Temple Beth Am 879 S. Beverwyck Rd. Parsippany, NJ	Mitchell Bichler
<b>January:</b>			
8 2:00	<b>Belles &amp; Beaux</b> Margaret 201-384-2791 Rich 201-838-0312	Glen Rock Comm. Ch. Rock Rd & Hamilton Glen Rock, NJ	Mazziotti & others
15 7:00	<b>F..A.D. Squares</b> Dorothy 201-447-4964 Dick 201-529-3372	American Legion Hall 113 E. Passaic St. Maywood, NJ	Loewenstein
22 2:00	<b>NNJSDA Mid Term</b> Alessi 201-256-1647 Berg 201-697-5208	<b>St. Aloysius Hall</b> 219 Bloomfield Ave. Caldwell, NJ	<b>Kaltenthaler</b>
27 8:00	<b>Circle Eights</b> 201-387-1135 201-967-0986	St. Luke's Church Massachusetts Ave. Haworth, NJ	Woerner

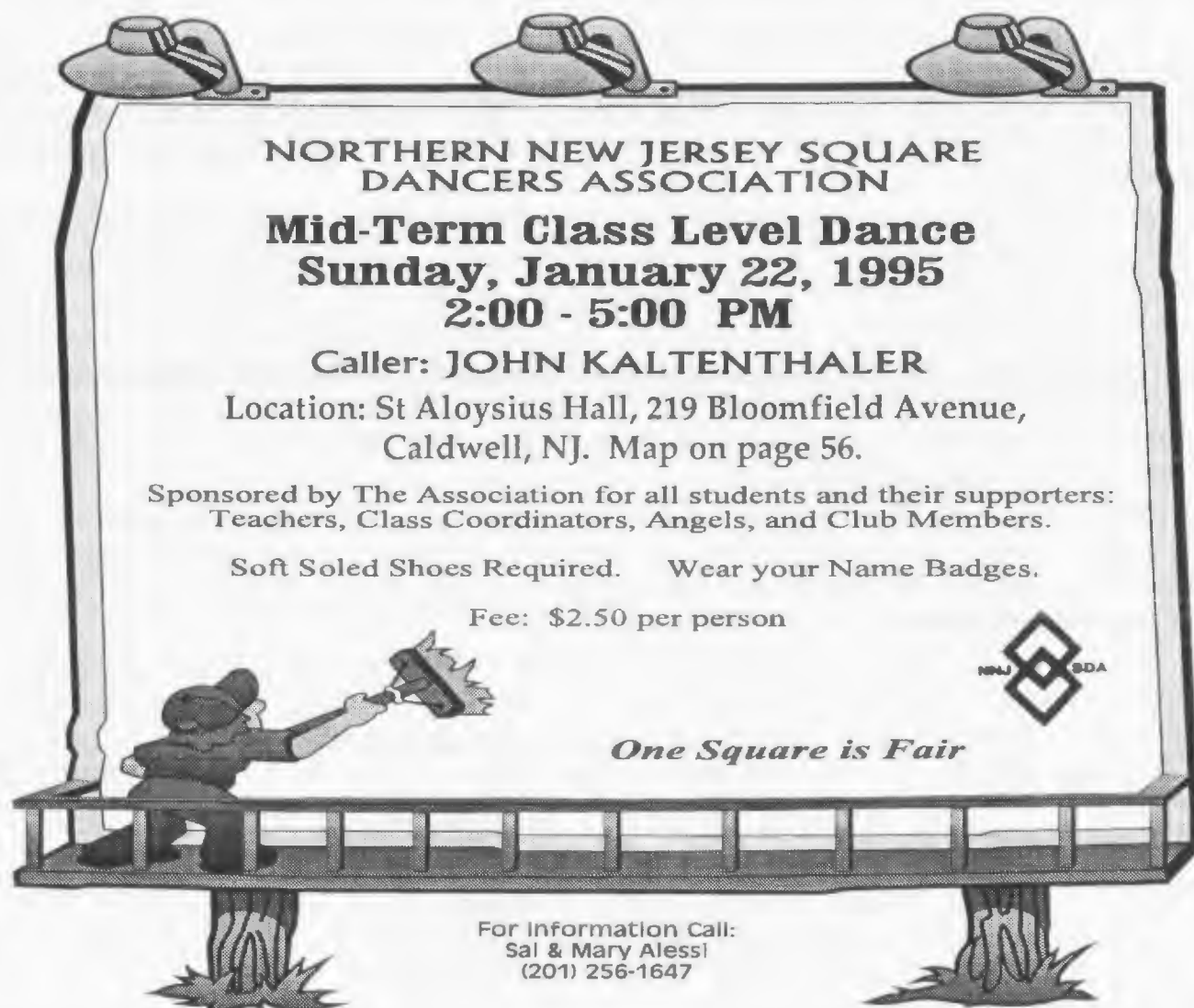
\*All times are P.M

### 1994 FREELOADERS

Congratulations to these 1994 Graduates who earned their Freeloader cards and dangles by attending the NNJSDA Summer Dances:

Bill Bohrer	Cross Trail Squares
Donna Brady	Circle Eights
Tom & Nora Burke	Spinning Wheels
Rosemarie Carrozza	Ocean Waves
Art Cross	Y Squares
Philip Doud	Cross Trail Squares
Susan Jurgensen & David Wolin	Belles & Beaux
Bill & Alice Lambert	Y Squares
Jim & Peg McGowan	Circle Eights
John & Linda McHale	Circle Eights
Fred Malkin	Ocean Waves
Jim & Emma Menary	Cross Trail Squares
Susan Nicolich	Y Squares
Frank & Helaine Penn	Cross Trail Squares
Olivia Reekie	Belles & Beaux
Barbara Schueler	Cross Trail Squares
Stanley Schueler	Cross Trail Squares
David Snope	Belles & Beaux
Charles & Carol Summer	Cross Trail Squares
Dorothy Theile	Cross Trail Squares
Nancy & Ray Traub	Lakeland Squares

Their Freeloaders card entitles them to attend 6 Association dances **FREE** within the next two years.



**NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE  
DANCERS ASSOCIATION**

**Mid-Term Class Level Dance**  
**Sunday, January 22, 1995**  
**2:00 - 5:00 PM**

**Caller: JOHN KALTENTHALER**


**Location: St Aloysius Hall, 219 Bloomfield Avenue,  
Caldwell, NJ. Map on page 56.**

**Sponsored by The Association for all students and their supporters:  
Teachers, Class Coordinators, Angels, and Club Members.**

**Soft Soled Shoes Required. Wear your Name Badges.**

**Fee: \$2.50 per person**

**One Square is Fair**



**For Information Call:  
Sal & Mary Alessi  
(201) 256-1647**



COME DANCE WITH US!



# LEISURE SQUARES

1st and 3rd SATURDAYS

DALT YOUNG Calling Squares

Rounds by: ED MILLER



DANCE HELD AT  
J. M. HILL SCHOOL  
East Broad Street  
East Stroudsburg, PA

## DANCE SCHEDULE 1994-95

- NOV 5 SURPRISE MIXER DANCE  
JIM SNYDER, guest caller
- 19 THANKSGIVING DANCE  
Food Basket donations welcome
- DEC 3 CARDINAL DANCE  
All singing calls
- 17 CHRISTMAS DANCE  
Students free / No grab bag
- JAN 7 NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS DANCE
- 21 CRAZY HAT DANCE

7:30pm Workshop  
8:00pm M.S. & Plus alternate  
Information: 717-588-9226  
717-424-0361



## CROSS TRAIL SQUARES – Caldwell, NJ

PL

2 & 4 Wed. Sept-June

Lincoln School, Crane St.

The CTS square dance year has begun! We did a demo in Verona Park on Labor Day, and danced with many "square dancers-to-be." Their enthusiasm was electrifying.

Let's backtrack to summer for a moment. Several club members attended the National Convention in Portland, Oregon as well as the Canadian National in Halifax, Nova Scotia, where they were joined by several CTS graduates. That was really great dancing! CTS was one of only two clubs to have "One Square is Fair" at all ten of the Association Summer Dances. Thank you, graduates and club dancers, for your support. The Square Wheelers held five campouts, culminated by a Labor Day spectacular in Reading, PA. They did it all, and everyone had a great time.

Once all our dancers returned from their summer square dance activities, we all met at the Livingston Mall for a weekend of demos. We danced for the shoppers, and the shoppers danced with us. What a way to spend a Saturday and Sunday afternoon.

The "Take Off Dance" was our first dance of the season. A combination of square dancing, western line and couple dancing "landed" a first-rate event. More fun to come. Come join us for a great dance season.

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Elaine Edelman

201-325-0706

## FUTURE NATIONAL CONVENTIONS

June 26-29, 1996 -- San Antonio, TX

June 25-28, 1997 -- Orlando, FL

June 24-27, 1998 -- Charlotte, NC

June 23-26, 1999 -- Indianapolis, IN

and the year 2000 -- Baltimore, MD will be bidding for the NSDC in Birmingham.



**COUNTRY PROMENADERS -- Edison, NJ****PL****2 & 4 Sat. Sept-May****Stelton Comm. Ctr., Plainfield Ave. (Rt. 529)**

We started off the new season by participating with more than one square in the Five Clubs' raid on the Merri Eights on September 2nd. We also raided Richmond Dancers on September 10th. And this was before our own season even started.

We are co-sponsoring Basic/Mainstream lessons with Merri Eights and Rutgers Promenaders on Monday nights at the Appleby School in Spotswood (Call Elsie 908-251-2164 if you have any questions). We coordinated demos at the Fall Festival of Fireworks in Edison and at the Metuchen Country Fair, also with the assistance of Merri Eights and Rutgers.

We're starting our **42nd** season! Thanks go to Rutgers Promenaders for their raid at our opening dance. Check out our line-up of dynamite callers. Why don't you join us also?

We wish all of our friends and their families a joyous holiday season and a happy healthy New Year.

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Jan &amp; Louis Thompson

908-577-9413

**MASQUERADERS SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CLUB**

	<b>CALLER</b>	<b>CUER</b>
Nov. 18 Turkey Shoot	Mark Franks	Peg Dockery
Dec. 02	Al Kaesler	Karen Kushla
Dec. 16 Holiday Dance	Joe Landi	Kathy Koft
Dec. 30	**** NO DANCE ****	
Jan. 06	Al Kaesler	Mary Ann Bosze
Jan. 20 Snow Dance	Glenn Matthews	Kathy Koft

Plus Level Squares 8:00 to 10:30 pm Pre rounds 7:30 pm

AMERICAN CZECHOSLOVAK CLUB, Hankins Road, East Windsor, NJ. Just off Route 130. Four lights south of Route 571 (Princeton-Hightstown Road) or two lights north of the junction of Routes 130 and 33. For information, please call: 609-443-9269 or 609-448-4420.

**CIRCLE EIGHTS -- Haworth, NJ****MS/PL tip****4th Fri. Sept-June****St. Luke's Episcopal Ch., Mass. & Grant Aves.**

Time sails by. It's hard to believe the holiday themes are on our calendars already. Things are going well for our club. Our members have reorganized a little and we are going forward with renewed enthusiasm. Come join us on the 4th Friday evenings. It's a terrific night for a dance or a raid. New friends and old friends are welcome sights.

Ad on page 57

Peg McGowan

201-664-4847

**TEN SUGGESTIONS FOR GETTING ALONG BETTER WITH PEOPLE:**

1. Guard your tongue. Say less than you think.
2. Make promises sparingly. Keep them faithfully.
3. Never let an opportunity pass to say a kind word.
4. Be interested in others, their pursuits, work, families.
5. Be cheerful. Don't dwell on minor aches and small disappointments.
6. Keep an open mind. Disagree without be disagreeable. Don't argue.
7. Discourage gossip. It's destructive.
8. Be careful of other's feelings.
9. Pay no attention to ill-natured remarks about you. Live so that nobody will believe them.
10. Don't be anxious about receiving credit for what you do. Just do your best and be patient.

BELLES & BEAUX -- Glen Rock, NJ

MS/PL tip

1 & 3 Wed. Sept-June

Coleman School, 100 Pinelynn Rd.

1 & 3 Tues. July & Aug.

VFW Hall, 6 Veterans Pl., Elmwood Park

Our Open House in early September opened the doors to the wonderful world of square dancing to many interested prospective students. Club caller/instructor Dick Mazziotti had everyone up and dancing. During the season, he is proud to share the calling spotlight with an impressive lineup of guest callers at our regular Mainstream dances.

Treasurers Delores & Clarence Guippo came up with a new idea. All paid-up members during membership month (September) received a special dangle to attach to their B & B badge.

As we prepare this article, we are enjoying the crisp early autumn days and making plans to attend more and more square dances. As you read this, we'll be getting ready to participate in our Thanksgiving turkey raffle and yummy pie night. In December, we'll be welcoming our enthusiastic students to our Christmas cookie dance and their first Mainstream experience.

We're reaching the deadline for B & B's New Year's '95 celebration with the Coys calling and leading Mainstream, Plus, and Country Western. Don't miss it! See our ad in this issue.

Wishing you energy and enthusiasm for another season of square dancing.

Ad on page 9, 30, 36

Arlene Morin

201-427-7012



## **BACtracks** *Square Dance Club*

### ***A-2 Dancing*** (with Rounds)

**1st, 3rd, & 5th Thursdays: 8:00-10:15pm**  
**Year 'Round (including Summer)**

Computer Squares **8 - 10:15** **\$7.00 / couple**

***BETSY GOTTA - CALLER***

**Roy Gotta - Cuer**

Trinity Episcopal Church, Front St., Red Bank, NJ

FROM GS PARKWAY: - Exit the GSP at exit 109 and take 520 east (Newman Springs Rd.). Go to Rt. 35 (Broad St., "T" intersection) and turn left. Go over the railroad tracks and bear left onto Rt. 35 North. This is also Maple Ave. Go thru 2 lights and turn right at the first street past the second light. This is White St. The back entrance to the church will be 1/2 block on your left. Park in the municipal lot on the right.

#### **SQUARE DANCE PARTNERS**

Looking for a dancing partner? Many singles expressed their concerns at L.U.S.T. SD Partners will compile a list of those who wish to be placed on a singles list. Look for the form in the next issue of ***Grand Square***, or you may send inquiries to SD Partners, PO Box 344, Dumont, NJ 07628.

# Holiday Greetings

from

The newest Square Dance  
Shop in the area.

We are open and ready to assist  
you with your Square Dance  
apparel and accessories.

## Business hours:

Mon, Thurs & Fri 4-8pm  
Saturday 10am - 4pm

Closed November 22 thru 27  
(Visit us at the Holiday Hoedown  
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No regular hours Dec 20 thru Jan 4  
(Call for appointment)

Easily accessible from major highways.

From Bergen County & points East

#1. Garden State Pkwy to Rt 80W to 23S  
Little Falls

#2. Left on Main Street

#3. Left on William Street.

ALL. Next to the last house on the right.  
USE REAR ENTRANCE.

From Wayne, Butler & points North.

#1. 23S to Little Falls

#2. Follow from #2 (above)

From Verona, Caldwell & points South

#1. 23N to Little Falls

#2. Right on Main Street

#3. Follow from #3 (above)

South Jersey

GSP North to Rt 3W to 46W to 23S

Follow from #2 (above)

From points West

#1 80E to 23S

#2. Follow from #2 (above)



Frank & Brenda

198 William Street

Little Falls, NJ

(201) 812-0818

# Belles & Beaux

square dance club

M (+tips)

Coleman School, 100 Pinelynn Rd., Glen Rock

(Take Route 4 to Route 208. Maple Ave. exit; Turn right onto Harristown Road. Pinelynn is the 1st right turn off Harristown Rd. north of the Glen Rock Jewish Center. Call for other directions!!)

8-10pm

## Holiday Happenings!

Nov. 16- **Howard Richman!** Our Thanksgiving dance--turkey raffle and all! Free "turkey 'n' trimmings" raffle ticket with donation of non-perishable food for the needy. Pie night too!

Dec. 7 - **Betsy Gotta--RELAX** - take a break from your holiday preparations!

Dec. 21 - **Dick Mazziotti's here to help us welcome winter - & our students!!** Cookie night, and our annual toys for tots collection for the Holley Center children!(see flyers)

Dec. 31- **New Year's Eve! Don & Dot Coy--see flyers & ad!**

Jan. 4- **Dick Mazziotti** will help us warm up on a *cold* winter's night!

Jan. 18- **Howard Richman** is calling for our **annual winter ice cream social!**

soft-soled shoes--PLEASE!

Questions? call Margaret (201) 384-2791 or Rich & Rusty (201) 838-0312

### BEE SHARPS -- Somerville, NJ

PL

2 & 4 Fri. Sept-June

St. John's Episcopal Ch., 158 W. High St.

The Bee Sharps summer dances were a big success. Thanks go to our callers and cuers and to all our club members who participated by bringing in refreshments.

Our club started the new season off with a Barn Dance. This was an opportunity for members to shake out the cobwebs and prospective students to learn about classes and square dancing. Friendship and smiling faces were seen all over for the entire night. Everyone was very enthusiastic. A special welcome mat was put out for new friends to come and dance with us. We love meeting new people. Special thanks to Mike & Linda Rubinfeld, First Vice Presidents and Class Coordinators, for a job well done.

Our class instructor for this year is Wilson Hoff. Wilson has done a good job teaching our classes and keeping things in order. Whenever we get a little tired, Wilson is always there to tell us a cute, funny joke to get us back to dancing. We think a lot of Wilson and really appreciate all he has done for us and for square dancing. **A big thank you goes to Wilson.** See you in a square.

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Lillian Davis

908-722-1747

#### WHAT IS A SOFT-SOLED SHOE?

A man or woman's shoe, specially made for dancing, with a suede leather bottom is a soft-soled shoe. So is a sneaker or other shoes with rubber bottoms. Leather street shoes are not soft-soled and are not permitted on gym or hardwood floors. Cowboy boots and high-heeled shoes are strictly prohibited.

AL'e'MO SQUARES -- Brooklyn, NY

MS/PL tips

2 & 4 Sun. Sept-June

Ft. Hamilton Comm. Rec. Bldg., Ft. Hamilton

On August 31, Al'e'Mo members and friends enjoyed a free admission dance. We got acquainted with our new location at Ft. Hamilton Army Base. We were assured that the call "Grand Square" was not a military drill and does not signify induction into the armed forces.

Our more experienced square dancers have been telling us that the steps and calls we do are standard and universal. They are performed in the same way regardless of where we are. This holds out promise for goodwill tours, and it is gratifying to see empirical observation confirming theory.

Our club was represented at the Canadian National in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Part of our journey was by ship. The trip was long enough to warrant sleeping overnight in comfortable cabins. Some travelers gambled too much and are now indentured servants working off their gambling debts. Amnesty International has been informed.

At the Convention, our expert in crowd estimation reported that our contingent numbered 14-16. The main arena was filled with a great sea of spinning squares (Amazingly, all doing the steps correctly; proving that where there's a will there's a way.). How our crowd expert was able, with his eagle eyes, to spot and identify our 14-16 Al'e'Mo members in that great crowd is astonishing. Even more astonishing was the fact that his estimate agreed with our roster.

Our first Open House on September 7th drew an encouraging turnout. We had 11 squares. We are introducing more people to the friendship and camaraderie of square dancing. It's a good sign of a great new season.

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Jerry & Estelle Abramowitz



"HOORAY FOR CHARLIE! ELECTED PRESIDENT FOR THE FOURTH YEAR IN A ROW."



## THE SEWING CIRCLE SQUARED

Let's discuss belts this month. It is the one accessory that can really turn a contrasting two-piece into a coordinated outfit by pulling it together color-wise. (It also pulls it together, literally, by keeping the top in the skirt; it can keep a petticoat from drooping, and a dress figure-chic without being too snug for dancing.) It is important to remember that a belt that contrasts highly will draw attention to whatever it is wrapped around—making it either a liability or an asset. Matching a belt to the skirt of an outfit that has contrasting top and bottom makes the figure taller; matching it to the top can make the outfit (and the figure) appear disproportionate.

Let's explore the excuses we commonly use to explain why we never seem to have a belt that goes with the outfit we want to wear:

- ☹ Stiff belts pinch and ride up. ☺ Elastic belts are always more comfortable.
- ☹ I can't ever find an elastic belt of the right color. ☺ Belts are a cinch to make (sorry, couldn't resist that!). Make one out of matching or contrasting fabric: cut elastic 2" shorter than your waist measurement; this allows comfortable snugness and 1-1½" of elastic to be turned back at each end to hold the buckle. Cut a strip of fabric 2½ times as wide as the elastic and 12-15" longer than your waist measurement. Fold right sides together and sew the length of fabric into a long tube ¼" wider than the elastic. Turn right sides out and pass the elastic through the tube, centering the seam on the inside of the belt (not on an edge); stitch or serge across elastic and tube on each short end to hold the elastic in place.
- ☹ I don't have any/enough elastic. ☺ Buy 1½"-2" wide elastic. Have several yards cut at once, or buy 10-25 yd lots (available in catalogs). Even 25-yard lots, which make at least 25 belts, will usually cost less than \$18. Then you'll always have some available. As a last resort, buy the more expensive elastic pre-packaged in 1-2 yard packages, but expect some waste. Have several short pieces left over? Zig-zag several of the same width together and cover.
- ☹ If you'd told me about this before I cut the dress out, I could have done it. Now I don't have anything but fabric scraps left. ☺ Sew the scraps into a flat strip the right size; the extra 12-15" is needed to allow for stretch, but it also disguises stray seams. Or, make the piecing an obvious fashion detail—embroider over each seam with contrast or metallic thread.
- ☹ I can't find the right buckle. ☺ Fashion buckles that are "folded" into the belt end are available in fabric stores, but they cost about \$10 each; buy your favorite and move it from belt to belt. You'll certainly get your money's worth out of it for a little effort each time. (If your buckle isn't "movable," put snaps or Velcro on the belt ends, and just unsnap them to remove the buckle.)
- ☹ I don't want to keep moving buckles around, and I can't afford expensive buckles. ☺ So shop for belts at flea markets—you know the boxes everyone else avoids (25-50¢ a belt or less.) Select buckles that fasten without prongs, because these don't work well with elastic. Also look for elastic belts; if the elastic is long enough to fit you, the elastic can also be re-used inside your next belt. Shopping in a retail store? (See that hot pink belt with the 3-ball buckle your favorite square dance shop reduced to \$2.50?) Look for any belt that has the right buckle; if it is elastic, cover it to make it match; if not, just use the buckle. Really swell buckles can be found on the most outrageous belts, often at reduced prices. Grab it, cover it, and reattach the buckle. Buckles can be up to ½" wider or narrower than your elastic and still look fine.
- ☹ That hot pink belt is too wide for me. ☺ One popular square dance belt has several rows of stitching down the middle for stability; since you are covering it completely, you can cut away some of the width if necessary, and still not have it unravel inside the casing. (Don't bother to take the fabric off—it is a terrible chore and an absolute waste of time.)
- ☹ So do I have to sew all those rows of stitching down mine? ☺ Not unless you like extra work—and don't mind when the elastic stretches permanently out of shape. If you do prefer this style, buy the 1½" sport elastic that has unbraided rows in it; this is designed not to "grow" when decorative rows are sewn along it, but since it is designed for pajamas, it is less firm than regular elastic.

What? No more objections? So, all right, go to it and do it!!!

I will be discussing hemlines and hem finishes in the March column; if you share your ideas/tips/hints by January 10, I will include as many as I can. (Thanks to J. Ebner for this month's logo. Want to submit one? Your ideas and comments are always welcomed.)

*Rusty Ball, 52 Kiel Avenue, Kinnelon, NJ 07405 -- 201-838-0312*



# ***Burt & His Buddies***

*Present*

A Fall schedule of Mainstream Dancing

with Plus Tips -- Country Western

## **United Methodist Church**

130 Franklin Ave, Pearl River, NY

7.30 PM to 10.00 PM

### **A Selection of Great Dances**

- *Sunday JANUARY 29th 1995* *Steve Forman*
- *Sunday FEBRUARY 26th 1995* *Dan Koft*
- *Sunday MARCH 26th 1995* *Brian Fugere*
- *Sunday APRIL 30th 1995* *Dick Maziotti*
- *Sunday May 28th 1995* *Burton Schain*

**COST \$25.00** (per person) for a book of tickets to all dances

Books can be obtained from:- Checks payable:- "Burt Schain"

Burton Schain

Carol Steinfeld

Paul P. Dewe-Mathews

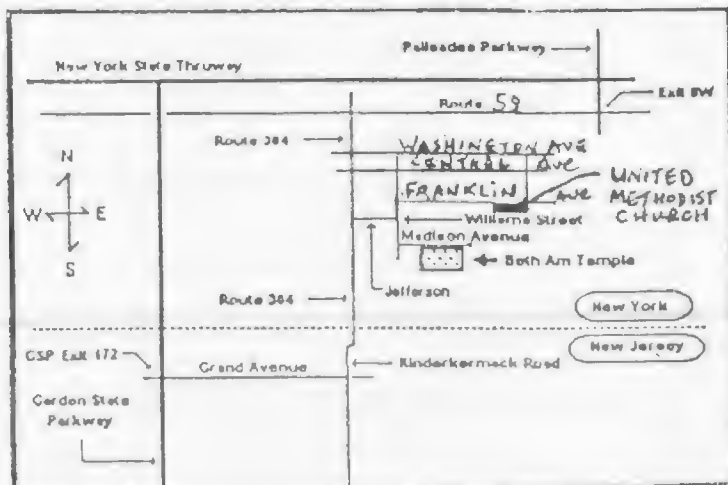
6 Jade Street,  
New City, NY 10956  
Tel: 914.352-7587

41 Lynncrest drive,  
Monsey, NY 10952  
Tel: 914.357-9002 (Bus)  
Tel: 914.354-4412 (Res)

84 West Burda Place,  
New City, NY 10956  
Tel: 914.352-0673

Price at the Door = \$4.50/ dance

Directions to the dance :-





*Northern New Jersey Round Dance Leaders Council*

Our current officers have been announced for the coming season: Karen & Greg Kushla are Moderators, to be ably assisted by Secretaries Frank & Carol Valenta. With this winning team, it's a sure bet the Council is in for a year of good leadership.

An enthusiastic collection of dancers enjoyed the Fall Festival of Rounds held on the 6th of November at the VFW Hall in Elmwood Park. The new format once again proved to be an overwhelming success. A relaxed program, with all Phases, well-programmed by Roy Gotta, provided the dancers a wonderful afternoon of dancing to all their favorite NNJRDLC cuers. Plans for the Spring Festival of Rounds are currently underway for the first Sunday in March and the now not-so-new format will champion. Post your calendar to ensure yourselves another fine afternoon of dancing pleasure.

Our own Dave & Wendy Roberts have been awarded the Distinguished Service Award by Roundalab. Many countless hours were spent by this couple in obtaining cues for the Golden Classics, and in getting them to the committee members as well as incorporating all the comments so they could be discussed at committee meetings. Much of their time was spent working with the choreographers to assure that the cues used were the intent of the choreographers. Dave & Wendy's ability to gain a consensus with so many differing views is in itself quite an accomplishment. The result of their work is the new manual for tentative standards for 19 Golden Classics, with 33 still being considered. What this means to you the dancer is that the cues for these classics will always be consistent (provided, of course, your cuer uses them) at all dances, allowing you better understanding. A well-done job and a well-deserved award for this couple, who are always willing to give more.

Six Council members are still actively involved with the NJ Square & Round

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# LAKELAND 's

TEMPLE BETH AM, 879 SOUTH BEVERWYCK ROAD, PARSIPPANY  
MAINSTREAM WITH 1 PLUS TIPEVERY TUESDAY 8:00-10:30 P.M.  
ROUNDS & LINES WILL START AT 7:30 ON SCHEDULED NIGHT

*Al & Gale Spinks Cue Rounds — 1st and 4th Dance of each month.*

★Lois Bichler teaches Line Dances - 3rd & 5th Tuesday of each month★

**Nov 1994**

- 1 Bob Mitchell-*Al/Gale Spinks*
- 8 Dick Mazziotti  
*(Veteran's Day Dance)*
- 15 Bob Mitchell - *Lois Bichler*
- 22 Dick Pasvolsky - *Al/Gale Spinks*  
*(Thanksgiving & Pie Raffle)*
- 29 Dick Mazziotti-*Lois Bichler*

**Dec 1994**

- 6 Bob Mitchell - *Al/Gale Spinks*
- 13 John Kaltenthaler
- 20 Bob Mitchell - *Lois Bichler*  
*(Holiday Student Dance)*
- 27 No Dance

Info: Lola & Les 201-335-3541  
Carol 201-334-1196

**\*Jan 1995**

- 3 Bob Mitchell - *Al/Gale Spinks*  
*(New Years' Baby Picture Contest)*
- 10 John Kaltenthaler
- 17 Bob Mitchell
- 24 Dick Pasvolsky - *Al/Gale Spinks*  
*Souper Bowl Dance (No Pork or Shellfish)*
- 31 Don Koft

**Feb 1995**

- 7 Bob Mitchell - *Al/Gale Spinks*
- 14 Dick Mazziotti  
*(Valentine's Day Dance)*
- 21 Bob Mitchell - *Lois Bichler*  
*(Red, White & Blue Student Dance)*
- 28 Dick Pasvolsky-*Al/Gale Spinks*

Gail & Butch 201-335-1693  
Please wear soft-soled shoes!



# Western Wheelers S/D Club

THE REFORMED CHURCH of ORADELL 641 Church Street corner Kinderkamack Rd.  
Oradell N.J. Hall 201-261-1720 2nd and 4th SATURDAYS

Pre-Rounds 7:30 PLUS DANCING 8:00-10:15 c/z A Level @ 10:15

Info. 201-569-9120 or 201-261-3921 The PLUS Club that gives a LITTLE EXTRA

## Nick Raspa, Club Cuer



**November 26th, 1994**

Thanksgiving Holiday Dance

**Roy Leber**

**December 10th, 1994**

Holiday Party Dance See Flyers

**Doug Kauffman**

**New Years Eve '94**

Sign Up Early - See Flyers

**Roy Leber & Nick Raspa**

**January 14th, 1995**

Chinese Auction

**Dick Mazziotti**

**January 28th, 1995**

Plus Dance

**Randy Page**

**February 11th, 1995**

Sweet Hearts Dance

**Don Coy**

**February 25th, 1995**

Plus Dance

**Randy Page**

**March 11th, 1995**

Covered Dish Dinner 6:00

**Dick Mazziotti**

**March 25th, 1995**

Mardi Gras

**Roy Leber**

**April 8th, 1995**

Plus Dance

**Howard Richman**

**April 22nd, 1995**

Raiding by The "Cast Offs"

**Al Kaesler**

**May 13th, 1995**

Plus Dance

**Dick Mazziotti**

**May 27th, 1995**

Puppet Nite Bring your favorite

**Dalt Young**

**June 10th, 1995**

Strawberry Festival

**Don Coy**

**New "things" @ Western Wheelers**

**New ->>>> "Dance Location" {See Flyers}**

**REFORMED CHURCH of ORADELL**

641 Church Street @ Kinderkamack Rd. Oradell N.J

**New ->>>> "Special Events" {See Flyers}**

please see our ads & flyers for directions & map to "New W/W" Dance Hall



Congratulations to our associate members on the Century Club dance called for CCNJ on July 31. A special thank you to Dot Loewenstein for the great job she did chairing this dance. We are looking forward to our Student Dance the last Sunday in February, and to another Century Club dance next summer.

CCNJ is always looking for new members. If you are a new or established caller who is interested, please talk to any member of the association, call the membership chairman, Don Coy, or come to our next meeting on December 10 at Andy Woerner's home. Our association has a workshop before each meeting and we also run special programs two times a year. Our next special program is in April with Jim Mayo, a Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach, who will speak on Voice, Smoothness and Training. *Randy & Fran Page, Presidents, CCNJ*

1st AND 3rd FRIDAYS

7:30 - PRE ROUNDS

8:00 - PLUS LEVEL



# IRONIA REELERS

IRONIA SCHOOL, (RT 513) DOVER  
CHESTER ROAD, (IRONIA) RANDOLPH

11/18 ☐ Fred Weiner  
⊗ Al Spinks

12/2 ☐ Marion Pierce  
⊗ Al Spinks

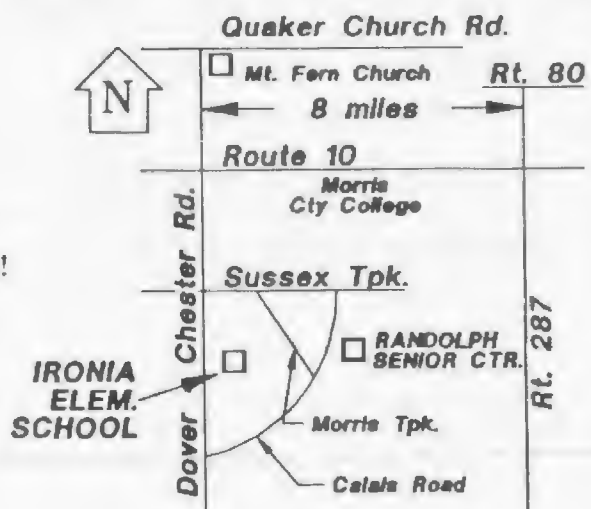
CHRISTMAS DANCE - STUDENTS WELCOME!

12/16 ☐ Bob Mitchell  
⊗ Al Spinks

1/6 ☐ Brian Fugere  
⊗ Al Spinks

1/20 ☐ Ralph Stapenell  
⊗ Al Spinks

PIE NIGHT  
2/3 ☐ Dan Koft  
⊗ Al Spinks



FOR MORE INFORMATION

CALL: MARION AND BILL GRADY (908-879-4920)  
OR

JEAN AND INARS GRUNTALS (201-543-7792)

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Dance Convention committee: Dave & Wendy Roberts, General Chairmen; Dan & Kathy Koft, Advisors; and Roy & Betsy Gotta, Registration.

*Round of the Month Selections:*

January  
February

*The One You Love*  
*Ipenema*  
Nick & Carole Raspa

Grenn 14283  
Grenn 14143/12296  
201-896-1891

*Editors' Note: Nick is far too modest to tell you that he and Carole are also a part of the NNIRDLC winning team as Treasurers, again. As far as awards go, Nick has achieved one of the highest academic honors in the country as he was inducted into Phi Beta Kappa, the national honor society founded in 1776, which recognizes high scholastic distinction in American colleges and universities. Nick, you will make a great health care professional and our heartiest congratulations to you.*

## EVER THINK OF BECOMING A CUER?

*By Rosina & Rick Wagenhoffer*

This is the first in a series of stories by the members of the NNJRDLC expressing their thoughts as to why they became cuers. See if you share any of the same thoughts and ask the question, "Is cueing for me?"

Becoming a cuer was the furthest thing from my mind after completing basic round dance class. But when the very real threat of eliminating rounds at our square dance club became a reality upon the loss of the club cuer, I felt that I could help out.

While dancing, I could always find the beat and, with popular dances, I could almost cue along with the cuer, so the actual act of cueing was easy. Getting up in front of a group of people with a microphone was more difficult, but starting off with a small group and at an amateur caller/cuer dance helped build confidence.

The NNJRDLC is where we found friendly, helpful advice. Right from the start, they made us feel welcome, and they were always willing to answer a question. We took advantage of the scholarship offered by NNJRDLC, and attended cuer school, learning detailed cueing and teaching techniques.

The best payment a cuer receives is at the end of a dance when someone says, "Thank you, we had a great time." It is very rewarding. Would you like to experience this feeling?

At the present time, our area is in need of more cuers. If you have ever thought of becoming a cuer, talk to your round dance leader or contact a member of the NNJRDLC. Your contribution could ensure continuance of an activity we all love.

# VALLEY SQUARES

**1st & 3rd Thursdays**

8:00 - 10:30

Plus Program

Soft-Soled Shoes, Please

Bayberry School, Bayberry Lane, Watchung, NJ



**Carl Hanks**

7:30 - 8:00

Round Dance Workshop

**Steve Bradt**



*Hope you have Merry Holidays & a Happy New Year*

Nov 17 .....	TURKEY SHOOT
Dec 1 .....	Regular Dance
Dec 15 .....	COOKIE NIGHT
Jan 5, 1995 -----	Guest Caller: Dan Koft
Jan 19, 1995 -----	Guest Caller: Joe Landi
Feb 2, 1995 -----	Guest Caller: Len Anfinen

Information: Carol & Duke (201)538-8996, or Barry & Norma (908)-464-1730

When friends are in trouble, don't bother them by asking if there is anything you can do. Think of something appropriate and do it.

# HI TAW TWIRLERS

## 1994/1995 PLUS DANCES

NEW MILFORD MIDDLE SCHOOL  
ROSLYN AVE., NEW MILFORD, NJ

PUBLIC PHONE: (201)261-9881

### NOVEMBER

15 HOWARD RICHMAN  
29 KEN RITUCCI

### DECEMBER

6 JOHN KALTENTHALER  
20 BRIAN FUGERE

### JANUARY

3 JOHN KALTENTHALER  
17 HOWARD RICHMAN  
31 RANDY PAGE

### FEBRUARY

7 JOHN KALTENTHALER  
28 RALPH STAPENELL

### MARCH

7 JOHN KALTENTHALER  
21 HOWARD RICHMAN

### APRIL

4 TODD FELLEGY  
18 KEN RITUCCI

### MAY

2 JOHN KALTENTHALER  
16 JIM SNYDER  
30 ROY LEBER

### JUNE

6 JOHN KALTENTHALER

Rounds...7:30 – Cuer: Nick Raspa

Squares...7:45—10:00

BERNIE/SANDY      FRED/MARIAN  
Info: (201)447-0538(201)797-3421

### HANDICAPABLE CLASSES BENEFIT

Once again the Bucks-Trenton District will host a benefit for Michelle McCarty's Handicapable Classes. Only now there are two: Hunterdon Stars have joined ARCangels! The Hunterdon Flutterwheels are giving the necessary angel support to Hunterdon Stars, a handicapable class sponsored by the Association of Retarded Citizens ("ARC") of Hunterdon County.

Both rooms at the Nottingham Firehouse, the Ballroom and the Meeting Room, have been reserved for the February 6, 1995 Benefit, which promises a fine program of callers and cuers.

This worthy cause needs your support and help. There will not be a bake sale this year, but instead refreshments-for-sale tables.

Last year the Silent Auction brought in the biggest chunk of change (outside of admissions, of course), so let's make it even better. Dig around in your attics, cellars, drawers, and cupboards to find the forgotten white elephants you no longer want. But, please, NO RUMMAGE! "White elephant" means a nice, new or like-new item, such as an unwanted gift. "Rummage," while the item might be nice, new or like-new item, usually means something worth a dollar or two. One or two big-ticket items would be helpful, and we remind you that ARC donations are tax-deductible. Of course, many willing helping hands will be necessary to help make the Benefit a success. Contact Joan Lechner at 609-924-7545 or Michelle McCarty at 908-730-7467.

### SUBSCRIPTIONS TO GRAND SQUARE

are available at any time of the year. Send a check in the amount of \$8.50 to the Editors and you will receive the next 5 issues of Grand Square by 1st Class Mail.

*The following article by Judeann Some appeared in the September 8, 1994 issue of The Rutgers Promenaders newsletter.*

### IN LOVING MEMORY

Many of us already know of the tragic, untimely passing of our dear friend and club member, Heidi Schmidt. Heidi is survived by her loving husband Ray, and their son Kevin.

In tribute to Heidi, let us take a moment to remember all the good she brought to our lives and our club. Heidi joined our club back in 1982-83. She actively participated in Board meeting, club committees, dances, specials, and raid functions. She was an exemplary club member, and a good friend to all.

At the time of her death, Heidi was one of our club's Treasurers. She was a past Vice President, and she was an important part of our club's fundraising events, including the craft fair, Chinese auction, and entertainment book sales. Her attitude towards the club never faltered. She knew she was needed, and gave her all to every cause she had undertaken. She touched all our lives, either directly or indirectly, and we are all benefiting from her past endeavors on our club's behalf.

As individuals, we have each lost a good friend, moreover, as a club, we have lost a valuable asset, and a truly caring and giving member. Heidi will not soon be forgotten.

Good-bye Heidi, we love and miss you. Rest in Peace.

## STATEN SQUARE SET

NOV. 19 46th ANNIVERSARY DANCE \*\*

w/ RALPH STAPENELL



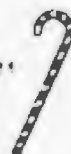
DEC. 3

ANDY WOERNER\*\*

DEC. 17

CHRISTMAS DANCE \*

w/DON COY



JAN. 21

WINTER WONDERLAND

w/ FRANK RIVICCO



\*\* LOIS BICHLER DOES COUNTRY WESTERN

St. Albans Church Hall

76 St. Albans Pl. Staten Is. N.Y.

Plus Program

8:00 - 11:00 pm

Petersons: 718 984-1623

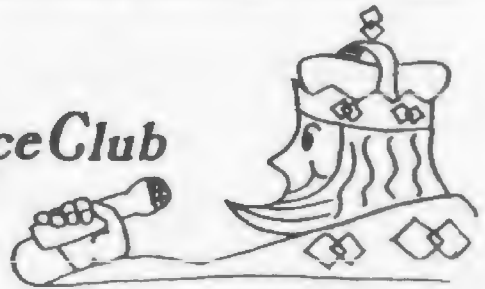
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Executives with true leadership qualities surround themselves with people who are first-rate and upon whom they can completely rely. Only insecure and incompetent leaders look upon their subordinates as potential competitors.

# Kings' Squares Brooklyn's First Square Dance Club

1st and 3rd Sundays  
7:30 - 10:00 PM

1994 Fall Schedule



November 20 .....  
December 4 .....  
December 18 .....  
January 15 .....

Steve Forman  
Howard Richman  
Frank Riviccio  
Al Kaesler

REDEEMER-ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH  
939 - 83rd Street, Brooklyn, NY

For further information:  
Signoretto 718-745-8564  
Hamilton 718-836-3848

**DIRECTIONS:** Belt Parkway to Exit (Bay 8 St/24th Ave.) Left at light - left at next light to 7th Avenue to 83rd St. - right on 83rd Street. Church is on left near next corner.

**FROM VERRAZANO:** 92nd Street Exit - right to 7th Avenue - left on 7th Avenue to 83rd Street - Right on 83rd Street. Church is on left near corner.

SEE SAW SQUARES PLUS DANCES  
"We welcome new plus dancers to our friendly club."

PLUS" SQUARES WITH WESTERN DANCING  
(Third Saturday of the Month)  
WESTERN DANCING BEGINS AT 8:00 P.M.  
FIRST SQUARE DANCE TIP AT 8:30 P.M.  
("ADVANCED" AFTER TIP AT 10:30 P.M.)

NOV. 19 DAN KOFT "Thanksgiving"  
DEC. 17 MANNY AMOR\* "Holiday Festival"  
JAN. 21 DICK MAZZIOTTI\* "Chinese Auction"  
\*Western Dancing led by Marge Cumiskey

CELEBRATE THE MYSTERIES OF  
D.B.D. MAINSTREAM

with

**GERRY HARDY**

8:00 - 10:30

MAINSTREAM DANCE

PLUS after tip

Line Dancing with GERRY

See Saw Squares - will include "Dance-By-Definition" workshop tips at our upcoming Mainstream dances. We will have Western Line Dancing between tips. Each tip will include a "singer"

3 FESTIVE DANCES  
DEC 3 "Holiday Treats"  
JAN 7 "International Night"  
FEB 4 "Snowflake Dance"

INFO: 201-327-9274/914-356-4666

ALL DANCES HELD AT:  
Old Stone Church Ed Center  
500 E. Saddle River Road  
Upper Saddle River, NJ  
(Hall: 201-327-9601)



**THE HOLIDAYS ARE UPON US  
(REFLECTIONS ON THE DANCE)**

*by Dick Mazziotti, Caller/Teacher*

There I was the other day, traveling down the information highway, about to write this column aimed at the newer dancers among us, and a thought interrupted me (sort of like a swerve to avoid electronic roadkill). It was, **"Things ain't the way they used to be. And what's more....they never were!"**

For example, at almost every dance lately, it seems someone proclaims loudly, "i can't hear" It always seems to come out loud enough to drown out the next three calls so any hope that their square and the two immediately beside them had of continuing to dance or of recovering goes down the porcelain fixture. It is only good manners and breeding (and the fact that Laurie would kill me) that keeps me from shouting back, "Well...try listening!!"

See, it used to be that the caller had the possibility to call the dance in a manner that can be understood by at least half of the floor half of the time...mostly. And the dancers had the responsibility of making a half-hearted attempt to comply with grace, good humor and closed lips. Advice to the dancelorn (that's like lovelorn, does anybody know what a "lorn" means?): If you miss a call, look around quickly and see if you can get a clue from what other dancers are doing instead of yelling at the caller. Of course, if you really get lost, yelling at the caller is often the best way to breakdown enough squares that he or she will start over. Mission accomplished.

Concerning things not being the way they were, it would be really nice to reinstitute one of the old traditions. It was called "politeness." It had several guises.

Immediately after a tip people used to clap for a minute before grabbing hands, bowing down and loudly proclaiming, "Thank you" (or "Thank goodness,"

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# RICHMOND DANCERS

2 & 4 Saturdays

Pre-Rounds at 8:00

Plus Squares 8:30-11:00

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Caller:</u>	<u>Cuer:</u>	<u>Theme:</u>
1994			
Nov. 26	Richie Rich	Karen Kushla	
Dec. 10	Steve Forman	Kathy Koff	Holiday Special
Dec. 24	No Dance		
1995			
Jan. 14	Howard Richman	Al Spinks	
Jan. 28	Glenn Matthew	Kathy Koff	Superbowl Special
Feb. 11	Ralph Stapnell	Roy Gotta	Valentine Dance
Feb. 25	Dick Mazziotti	Karen Kushla	

*Special drawing for guests every dance for a free admission.*



All Saints Episcopal Church,  
2329 Victory Blvd., Staten Island, NY



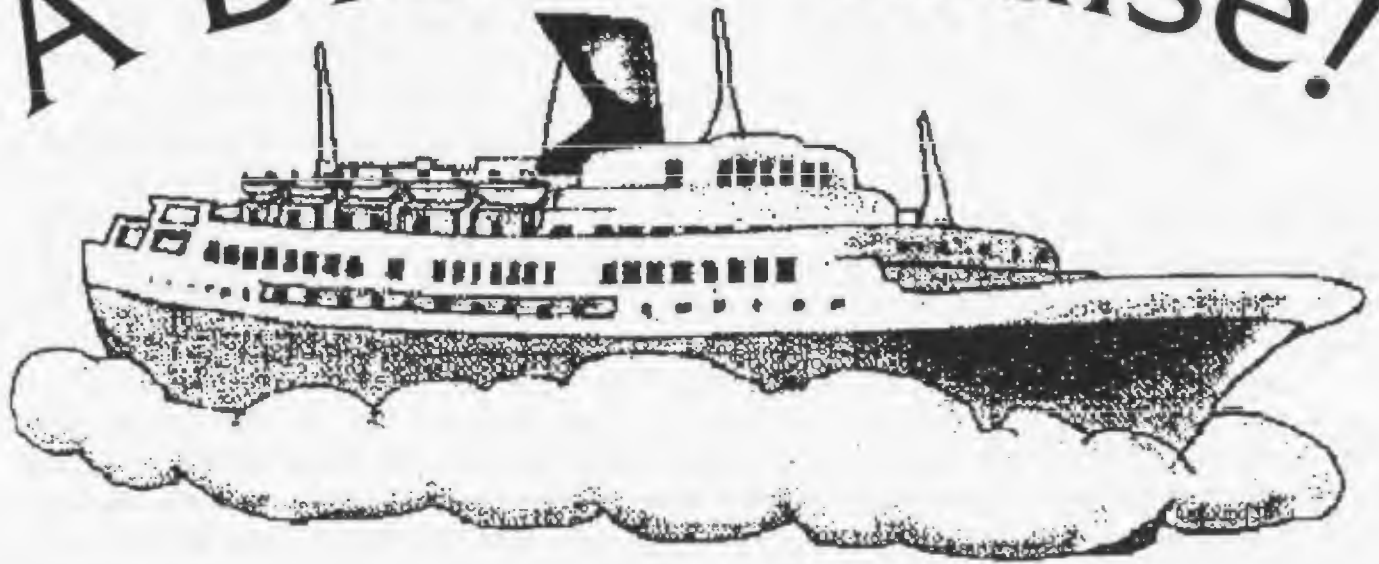
From NJ: Take Victory Blvd. Exit from the SI Expwy. Make left on Victory to Crystal Ave. Make left on Crystal. Church lot is the 2nd right.

From Brooklyn: Take the Bradley Ave. Exit from the SI Expwy. Make right onto Bradley. Go to left at Victory Blvd. to Crystal Ave. Make right on Crystal Church lot is 2nd right.

Info: Bichlers: 718-356-2208

Motolas: 718-447-1531

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in some cases). I won't say that polite applause after a tip will make all callers try harder and harder to please, but I know of one on whom it works.

It also used to be taught that you joined the first available square you came to rather than hunting all over for the "perfect" square upon which to bestow your favors. Some go as far as to dance the whole night long with the same people. Borrrring!!! Well, all I can say is that Laurie and I, and most of the people we've danced with, have had more hoots and hollers and laughs over breakdowns and near-breakdowns than we ever had with "perfect" squares. Let us try, just for one evening, all joining the very first unfilled square we come to.

And another thing (he said, firmly astraddle the soap box), it used to be that a caller's spouse was asked to dance at every tip at every club. Lord knows that they are often forced to dance either part often enough just to fill in a square. They mostly do it with good grace and smiles all around. And there are still some old-time gentlemen and ladies who try to make sure the caller's spouse is not sitting and knitting the whole night long. It would be nice to see clubs start that as a policy.



# HIX & CHIX

VFW HALL

6 Veterans Pl. Elwood Park

(Off Boulevard; behind Firehouse)

2nd & 4th THURSDAY 8 to 10:30 PM

**PLUS PROGRAM - 2nd & 4th Thursday - Dance till 10:30 P.M.**

ROUNDS TEACH AT 7:30 P.M.

SQUARE UP AT 8 P.M.

NOVEMBER, 1994 - JANUARY, 1995

Nov. 10th - Hank Lutchter Cuer: Nick Raspa

Nov. 24th - HAPPY THANKSGIVING! (No Dance)

Nov. 27th - **SUPER SUNDAY SPECIAL-MARSHALL FLIPPO**

at Caldwell, N.J. Advance tickets only.

Dec. 8th - Al Kaesler Cuer: Nick Raspa

Dec. 15th - Glen Matthew Cuer: Al Spinks

### CHRISTMAS DANCE

Jan. 12th - Dalt Young Cuer: Nick Raspa

Jan. 26th - Dick Mazziotti Cuer: Nick Raspa

For more Hix & Chix information: Dick Dexter(201)529-3372

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Raid Hix & Chix with advance notice - pay member's fee.  
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Nick & Carole Raspa

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### "SWEET HOME ALABAMA '95"

The 44th NSDC will open Wednesday, June 21 with Lee Greenwood appearing in the Birmingham-Jefferson Coliseum. Lee has been a major country artist since his 1981 single "It Turns Me Inside Out" topped the charts. Ribbons for this special event may be ordered with your registration or, if you have already registered, but did not purchase the special event tickets, you may add them by

sending \$10.00 per person to the 44th NSDC Advance Registration, PO Box 610409, Birmingham, AL 35261-0409.

A national convention would not be a success without the sparkle, glitter, and talent of exhibition dancers. Groups from across the land have been invited to perform for the 44th NSDC. These groups vary in size and age from 8 to 80. The styles range from square and contra, to clogging, country-western, traditional and round dancing. Literally hundreds of hours of work and practice is spent making the beautiful costumes and perfecting the precision routines presented by unselfish performers who will travel to Birmingham at their own expense to entertain you. If your group has not been contacted to perform, contact Margie & Thurman Gilliam, Vice Chairmen Exhibitions, 5115 Northcrest Drive, Northport, AL 35476, and get in on the fun.

Consider the following for your tour list: the Birmingham Zoo, which has received awards for captive breeding of Beisa oryx, Grant's gazelle, golden spider monkeys and Sika deer; the Birmingham Race Course, which carries thoroughbred racing from spring through mid-summer, and greyhound racing in the remaining calendar months; Riverchase Galleria, the largest enclosed shopping mall in the South with anchor department stores and 200 specialty shops, which lie under the longest skylight in the Western Hemisphere.

Why would you want to register now? To save money. To get the hotel/motel of your choice. To stay near your friends. To get hook ups at the Fairgrounds. For registration address, see ad on page 10.



**Ocean Waves Square Dance Club**  
 c/o Christ United Methodist Church  
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 Staten Island, NY 10303



**First & Third Fridays**  
**8:30 to 11:00 PM**  
**Mainstream (+ Tip)**

**1994**

<b>Nov. 18</b>	<b>Howard Richman</b>
<b>Dec. 2</b>	<b>Cancelled</b>
<b>Dec. 16</b>	<b>Dick Pasvolsky</b>

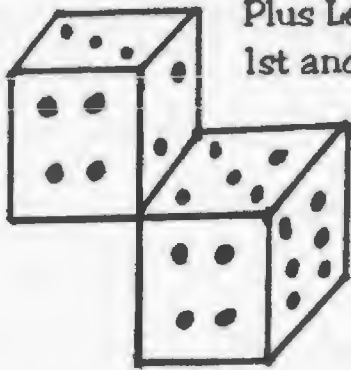
**1995**

<b>Jan. 6</b>	<b>Howard Richman</b>
<b>Jan. 20</b>	<b>Jim Emory</b>
<b>Feb. 3</b>	<b>Howard Richman</b>
<b>Feb. 17</b>	<b>Dick Pasvolsky</b>
<b>Mar. 3</b>	<b>Dick Mazziotti</b>
<b>Mar. 17</b>	<b>Jim Emory</b>
<b>May 5</b>	<b>Don Coy</b>
<b>May 19</b>	<b>Don Coy</b>

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	<u>Caller</u>	<u>Cuer</u>
11/18/94	Randy Page	Karen Kuschla
12/2/94	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
12/16/94	Betsy Gotta	Roy Gotta
12/31/94**	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
1/6/95	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
1/20/95	Al Kaesler	Roy Gotta

\*\*New Year's Eve, ticketed dance, location to be announced

INFO: 908-821-9178 908-251-21264 908-828-2026

## SQUARE DANCE LICENSE PLATES

To date 470 square dance license plates have been issued for NJ drivers and applications are still available. The Square Dance Council of NJ (the same people who bring you the NJ Square & Round Dance Convention) started the program several years ago, and the plates still cost only \$30.00.

To be eligible for the plates, your car must be registered in New Jersey and you must not have been convicted of driving while under the influence of drugs or alcohol, reckless driving, or had your license suspended. A photocopy of your current registration will be needed to file your application.

If you would like more information about applying for a square dance license plate, call Richard Delgado at 609-530-0849; or fill out the form below and mail it. Rich will send you the Special Organization Plate Application form immediately. Mail to: Richard Delgado, SDCNJ Special Plate Liaison to Motor Vehicle Services, 28 Bayberry Road, Trenton, NJ 08618:

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Please send an application for NJ Square Dance License Plates to: (print clearly)

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Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Richard Delgado, SDCNJ Special Plate Liaison to Motor Vehicle Services,  
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**THIRD FRIDAYS**

**SQUARE UP AT 8:00 P.M.**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>CALLER</u>	<u>CUER</u>
Nov. 18	John Kaltenthaler	Nick Raspa
Dec. 16	John Kaltenthaler	Nick Raspa
Jan. 20	Dick Mazziotti	Nick Raspa
Feb. 17	Jim Emory	Nick Raspa
Mar. 17	Howard Richman	Nick Raspa
Apr. 21	Dick Mazziotti	Nick Raspa
May 19	Dick Mazziotti	Nick Raspa

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# Dance Calendar

Mid November to January listing of dances, weekends and workshops prepared from ads appearing **IN THIS ISSUE**. Please see ad for details.

Abbr: A=Advanced; Alt=Alternate; C=Challenge; MS=Mainstream; PL=Plus;  
TBA=To Be Announced; WS=Workshop; CW=Country & Western

\*See caller/cuer ad for details.

Date	Club	Caller/Cuer	Place	Program
<b>November:</b>				
14	Spinning Wheels	Johnson	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
15	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tip
	Hi Taw Twirlers	Richman/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
16	Belles & Beaux	Richman	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Mountain Sqs.	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-2
	Princeton Sqs.	Rich	Hamilton Sq., NJ	MS
17	Valley Sqs.	Hanks/Bradt	Watchung, NJ	PL
	Warren Wheelers	Pasvolsky	Pt. Murray, NJ	MS/PL tips
18	Hunterdon Flut.	Hoff/Dockry	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt MS/PL
	Ironia Reelers	Weiner/Spinks	Randolph, NJ	PL
	Masqueraders	Franks/Dockery	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Merri Eights	Page/Kushla	Spotswood, NJ	PL
	Ocean Waves	Richman	Staten Island, NY	MS/PL tip
	Tenakill Twirlers	Kaltenthaler/Raspa	Cresskill, NJ	MS/PL tip
19	Harmony Dancers	Kaltenthaler/Spinks	Springfield, NJ	PL
	Leisure Sqs.	Young/Miller	E. Stroudsburg, PA	Alt MS/PL
	See Saw Sqs.	Koft	Up. Saddle River, NJ	PL/CW
	Staten Sq. Set	Stapenell/Bichler	Staten Island, NY	PL/CW
20	F.A.D. Sqs.	Loewenstein	Maywood, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Kings Sqs.	Forman	Brooklyn, NY	PL
	Motiv8ors	Foote/Raspa	Paramus, NJ	A-2/C-1 tip
21	Spinning Wheels	Lehberger	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
22	Lakeland Sqs.	Pasvolsky/Spinks	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
25	Circle Eights	Richman	Haworth, NJ	MS
	Princeton Sqs.	Foote/Rumble	Lawrenceville, NJ	PL
	Y Squares	Koft/Kushla	TBA	MS
26	Richmond Dancers	Rich/Kushla	Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers	Leber/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tips
27	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	Gotta	Brooklyn, NY	MS/PL tips
	Hix & Chix	Flippo/Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL
28	Spinning Wheels	Stapenell	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
29	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tip
	Hi Taw Twirlers	Ritucci/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mazziotti/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
30	Princeton Sqs.	Kerns	Hamilton Sq., NJ	MS
<b>December:</b>				
1	Valley Sqs.	Hanks/Bradt	Watchung, NJ	PL
	Warren Wheelers	Pasvolsky	Pt. Murray, NJ	MS/PL tips
2	Hunterdon Flut.	Hoff/Dockry	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt MS/PL
	Ironia Reelers	Pearce/Spinks	Randolph, NJ	PL
	Masqueraders	Kaesler/Kushla	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Merri Eights	Koft/Koft	Spotswood, NJ	PL
	RockyTops	Stapenell/Raspa	Pearl River, NY	PL/A-1 tip
3	Harmony Dancers	Matthew/Bradt	Springfield, NJ	PL
	Leisure Sqs.	Young/Miller	E. Stroudsburg, PA	Alt MS/PL
	See Saw Sqs.	Hardy	Up. Saddle River, NJ	MS/CW/PL tip

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**December:**

3	contd. Staten Sq. Set	Woerner/Bichler	Staten Island, NY	PL/CW
4	*Chalkboard Sqs.	Koft	Toms River, NJ	PL
	F.A.D. Sqs.	Loewenstein	Maywood, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Kings Sqs.	Richman	Brooklyn, NY	PL
	Rutgers Prom.	Gottas/Kofts	N. Brunswick, NJ	No experi. needed
5	Spinning Wheels	Robinson	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
6	Hi Taw Twirlers	Kaltenthaler/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Spinks	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
7	Belles & Beaux	Gotta	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Princeton Sqs.	Fugere	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
8	Hix & Chix	Kaesler/Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL
	Rutgers Prom.	Koft/Koft	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS
9	Bee Sharps	Koft/Koft	Somerville, NJ	PL
	Kittatinny Rangers	McFarland/Spinks	Andover, NJ	MS/PL tip
	Princeton Sqs.	Franks/Denniston	Lawrenceville, NJ	PL
	Tenafly Sqs.	Amor/Raspa	Haworth, NJ	MS
	Y Squares	Fugere/Kushla	TBA	MS
10	Country Prom.	Landi/Bradt	Edison, NJ	PL
	Richmond Dancers	Forman/Koft	Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers	Kauffman/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tips
11	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	Coy	Brooklyn, NY	MS/PL tips
	Motiv8ors	Page/Raspa	Paramus, NJ	A-2/C-1 tip
	Rockland Prom.	Rodgers	Pearl River, NY	MS/CW
12	Spinning Wheels	Hardy	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
13	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tips
	Lakeland Sqs.	Kalthenthaler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
14	Cross Trail Sqs.	Mitchell/Woerner	Caldwell, NJ	PL
	*Dan's DANcers	Koft	Whiting, NJ	A-2
	Princeton Sqs.	Fugere	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
15	Hix & Chix	Matthew/Spinks	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL
	Valley Sqs.	Hanks/Bradt	Watchung, NJ	PL
	Warren Wheelers	Conklin	Pt. Murray, NJ	Student
16	Hunterdon Flut.	Hoff/Dockry	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt MS/PL
	Ironia Reelers	Mitchell/Spinks	Randolph, NJ	Student
	Masqueraders	Landi/Koft	E. Windsor NJ	PL
	Merri Eights	Gotta/Gotta	Spotswood, NJ	PL
	Ocean Waves	Pasvolsky	Staten Island, NY	MS
	Tenakill Twirlers	Kaltenthaler/Raspa	Cresskill, NJ	MS/PL tip
17	Harmony Dancers	Kaltenthaler/McGee	Springfield, NJ	PL
	Leisure Sqs.	Young/Miller	E. Stroudsburg, PA	Student
	See Saw Sqs.	Amor/Cumiskey	Up. Saddle River, NJ	PL/CW/A-1 tip
	Staten Sq. Set	Coy	Staten Island, NY	PL/CW
18	F.A.D. Sqs.	Mazziotti	Maywood, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Kings Sqs.	Riviccio	Brooklyn, NY	PL
	Motiv8ors	Leber/Raspa	Paramus, NJ	A-2/C-1 tip
19	Spinning Wheels	Robinson	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
20	Hi Taw Twirlers	Fugere/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	Student
21	Belles & Beaux	Mazziotti	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/PL tips
22	Rutgers Prom.	Gotta/Koft	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS
27	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tip
31	Belles & Beaux	Coy/Coy	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/PL/CW
	Cross Trail Sqs.	Fugere/Spinks	Caldwell, NJ	PL
	Five Clubs	Larsen/Kushla/Dees	Cranford, NJ	MS

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**December:**

31 contd.	Merri Eights	Koft/Koft	Spotswood, NJ	PL
	Western Wheelers	Leber/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tips

**January:**

3	Hi Taw Twirlers	Kaltenthaler/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Spinks	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
4	Belles & Beaux	Mazziotti	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Princeton Sqs.	Fugere	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
5	Valley Sqs.	Koft/Bradt	Watchung, NJ	PL
	Warren Wheelers	Young	Pt. Murray, NJ	MS/PL tips
6	Hunterdon Flut.	Hoff/Dockry	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt MS/PL
	Ironia Reelers	Fugere/Spinks	Randolph, NJ	PL
	Masqueraders	Kaesler/Bosze	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Merri Eights	Koft/Koft	Spotswood, NJ	PL
	Ocean Waves	Richman	Staten Island, NY	MS
	RockyTops	Fellegly/Raspa	Pearl River, NY	PL/A-1 tip
7	Harmony Dancers	Kaltenthaler/Spinks	Springfield, NJ	PL
	Leisure Sqs.	Young/Miller	E. Stroudsburg, PA	Alt. MS/PL
	See Saw Sqs.	Hardy	Up. Saddle River, NJ	MS/CW/PL tip
8	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	Pearce	Brooklyn, NY	MS/PL tips
	Belles & Beaux	Mazziotti & others	Glen Rock, NJ	Student
	Rockland Prom.	Gotta	Pearl River, NY	MS/CW
9	Spinning Wheels	Robinson	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
10	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tips
	Lakeland Sqs.	Kaltenthaler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
11	Cross Trail Sqs.	Mitchell/Anderson	Caldwell, NJ	PL
	*Dan's DANCers	Koft	Whiting, NJ	A-2
	Princeton Sqs.	TBA	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
12	Hix & Chix	Young/Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL
	Rutgers Prom.	Gotta/Koft	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS
13	Bee Sharps	Kaltenthaler/Bradt	Somerville, NJ	PL
	Kittatinny Rangers	Conklin/Spinks	Andover, NJ	MS/PL tip
	Princeton Sqs.	Koft/Koft	Lawrenceville, NJ	PL
	Tenafly Sqs.	Mitchell/Raspa	Haworth, NJ	MS
	Y Squares	Fugere/Kushla	Clark, NJ	MS
14	Country Prom.	Kaltenthaler/Bradt	Edison, NJ	PL
	Richmond Dancers	Richman/Spinks	Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers	Mazziotti/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tips
15	F.A.D. Sqs.	Loewenstein	Maywood, NJ	Student
	Kings Sqs.	Kaesler	Brooklyn, NY	PL
	Motiv8ors	Kaltenthaler/Raspa	Paramus, NJ	A-2
17	Hi Taw Twirlers	Richman/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
18	Belles & Beaux	Richman	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Princeton Sqs.	Fugere	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
19	Valley Sqs.	Landi/Bradt	Watchung, NJ	PL
	Warren Wheelers	Pasvolsky	Pt. Murray, NJ	MS/PL tips
20	Hunterdon Flut.	Hoff/Dockry	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt MS/PL
	Ironia Reelers	Stapenell/Spinks	Randolph, NJ	PL
	Masqueraders	Matthews/Koft	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Merri Eights	Kaesler/Gotta	Spotswood, NJ	PL
	Ocean Waves	Emory	Staten Island, NY	MS
	Tenakill Twirlers	Mazziotti/Raspa	Cresskill, NJ	MS/PL tip
21	Harmony Dancers	Fugere/Bradt	Springfield, NJ	PL

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**January:**

21 contd.	Leisure Sqs.	Young/Miller	E. Stroudsburg, PA	Alt MS/PL
	See Saw Sqs.	Mazziotti/Cumiskey	Up. Saddle River, NJ	PL/CW/A-1 tip
	Staten Sq. Set	Riviccio/Bichler	Staten Island, NY	PL/CW
22	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	Richman	Brooklyn, NY	MS/PL tips
	Harmony Dancers	Rumble	Springfield, NJ	Rounds
	<b>NNJSDA Mid Term Kaltenthaler</b>		<b>Caldwell, NJ</b>	<b>Student</b>
23	Spinning Wheels	TBA	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
24	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tips
	Lakeland Sqs.	Pasvolsky/Spinks	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
25	Cross Trail Sqs.	Summers/Summers	Caldwell, NJ	PL
	*Dan's DANCers	Koft	Whiting, NJ	A-2
	Princeton Sqs.	Beaumont	Hamilton Sq., NJ.	MS
26	Hix & Chix	Mazziotti/Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL
	Rutgers Prom.	Gotta/Gotta	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS
27	Bee Sharps	Landi/Roberts	Somerville, NJ	PL
	Circle Eights	Woerner	Haworth, NJ	Student
	Kittatinny Rangers	McFarland/Spinks	Andover, NJ	MS/PL tip
	Princeton Sqs.	Pearce/Rumble	E. Windsor, NJ	PL
	Y Squares	Fugere/Kushla	Clark, NJ	MS
28	Country Prom.	Richman/Bradt	Edison, NJ	PL
	Richmond Dancers	Matthew/Koft	Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers	Page/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tips
29	Burt & Buddies	Forman	Pearl River, NY	MS/CW
30	Spinning Wheels	TBA	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
31	Hi Taw Twirlers	Rage/Raspa	New Milford, NJ	PL
	Lakeland Sqs.	Koft	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip

*Weekends, Festivals, Specials & Conventions:*

**March '95:**

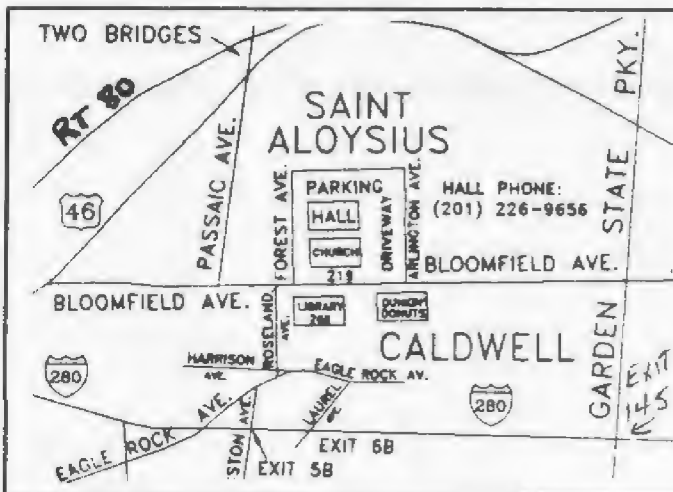
25 NJ S & R Conv. Many callers/cuers Ewing, NJ All Programs

**April '95:**

21-23 Birchwood Loewenstein/Longobucco/Tirrell E. Stroudsburg, PA PL

**August '95**

26-Sept 2 Dream Cruise Kofts/Emorys Bermuda



**MAP**

**NNJSDA Student Mid Term Dance**  
**will be held at**  
**St. Aloysius Hall**  
**219 Bloomfield Ave.**  
**Caldwell, NJ.**  
**See ad on page 31 for details.**

**CORRECTIONS TO BEGINNER SQUARE DANCE CLASSES**  
**MONDAYS MONDAYS MONDAYS**

Newton, NJ - Kittatinny Rangers - Address for Class Coordinator Kay Davis should be: 23 Woodland Drive, Oak Ridge, NJ 07438. Phone is correct.  
 Watchung, NJ - Valley Squares was listed having a Beginner Class. They are holding Plus Class.





# CIRCLE EIGHTS

## MS dancing 8-10:30 on 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays

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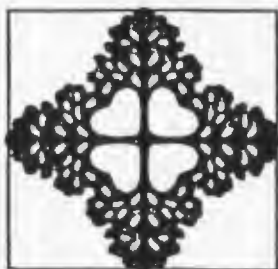
### Fall '94 schedule

- Sept 23 - Don Coy
- Oct 28 - Dick Mazziotti
- Nov 25 - Howard Richman
- Dec 23 - (No dance)
- Jan 27 - Andy Woerner (class dance)



Info (201) 387-1135 or (201) 967-0986

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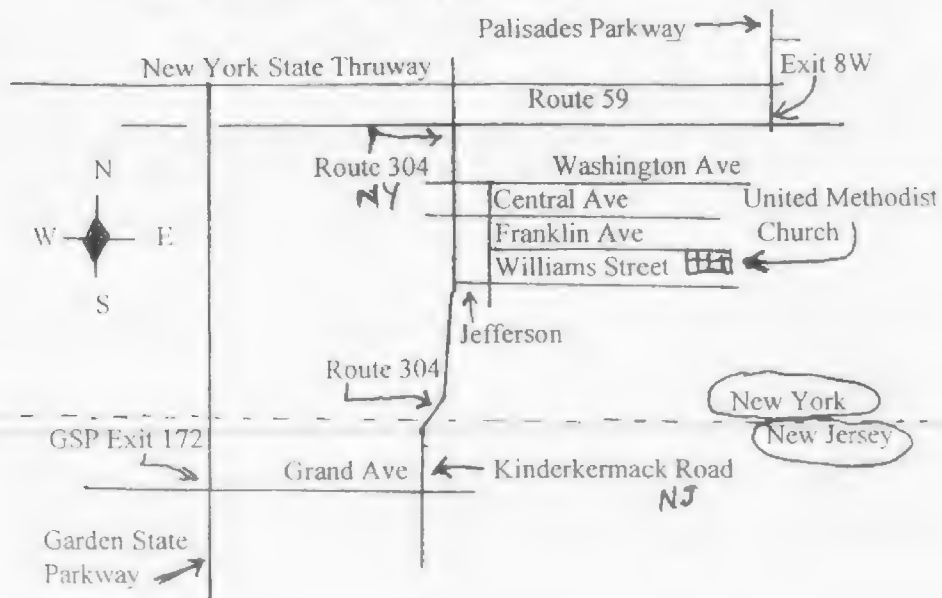
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>JANUARY 8th	Ring in the New	Betsy Gotta (NJ)
>FEBRUARY 12th	Sweetheart	Mike Callaghan (NY)
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**MUST** contact the Recording Secretary (listed on page 2) for Clearance.

Abbr: A=Advanced; Alt=Alternate; CW=Country & Western; MS=Mainstream; PL=Plus.

### MAINSTREAM

	Weeks of the Month:
<b>Sunday:</b>	
Al'e'Mo Squares (PL tips)	2, 4
F.A.D. Squares (PL tips)	1, 3
Rockland Promenaders (PL tips)	2
<b>Monday:</b>	
Spinning Wheels (PL tips/CW)	Every
<b>Tuesday:</b>	
Belles & Beaux (Jul-Aug)	2, 4
Dingman Dancers (PL tip)	2, 4
Lakeland Squares (PL tip)	Every
<b>Wednesday:</b>	
Belles & Beaux (Sept-May)	1, 3
Princeton Squares	Every
<b>Thursday:</b>	
Hix & Chix (May-Aug)	1, 3
Rutgers Promenaders	2, 4
Warren Wheelers (PL tips)	1, 3
<b>Friday:</b>	
Circle Eights	4
Hunterdon Flutterwh (Alt MS/PL)	1, 3
Kittatinny Rangers (PL tip)	2, 4
Ocean Waves (PL tip)	1, 3
Tenafly Squares	2
Tenakill Twirlers (PL tip)	3
Y Squares	2, 4
<b>Saturday:</b>	
Leisure Squares (Alt MS/PL)	1, 3
See Saw Squares (CW)	1

### PLUS

	Weeks of the Month:
<b>Sunday:</b>	
Kings Squares	1, 3
<b>Tuesday:</b>	
Hi Taw Twirlers	1,3, 5
<b>Wednesday:</b>	
Cross Trail Squares	2, 4
<b>Thursday:</b>	
Hix & Chix	2, 4, 5
Valley Squares	1, 3
<b>Friday:</b>	
Bee Sharps	2, 4
Hunterdon Flutterwh (Alt MS/PL)	1, 3
Ironia Reelers	1, 3
Merri Eights	1, 3
Princeton Squares	2, 4
RockyTops (A-1 tip)	1
<b>Saturday:</b>	
Country Promenaders	2, 4
Harmony Dancers	1, 3
Leisure Squares (Alt MS/PL)	1, 3
Richmond Dancers	2, 4
See Saw Squares	3
Staten Square Set (CW)	1, 3
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### ADVANCED

<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>Wednesday:</b>
Motiv8ors (A-2)	Mountain Squares (A-2)
Jul & Aug	1, 3
Every	1, 3

### DANCES CANCELLED

<b>November:</b>	<b>December:</b>	<b>January:</b>
23 & 24 - All Clubs	21 - Princeton Sqs.	1 & 2 - All Clubs
25 - Bee Sharps	23-30 - All Clubs	7 - Staten Sq. Set
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